# WENEED TO TALK ABOUT CHANGE

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#### THE MEGA TRENDS SHAPING MENA'S FUTURE

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# Talking about change...

## WHAT WORRIES THE WORLD?

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

**July 2021** 

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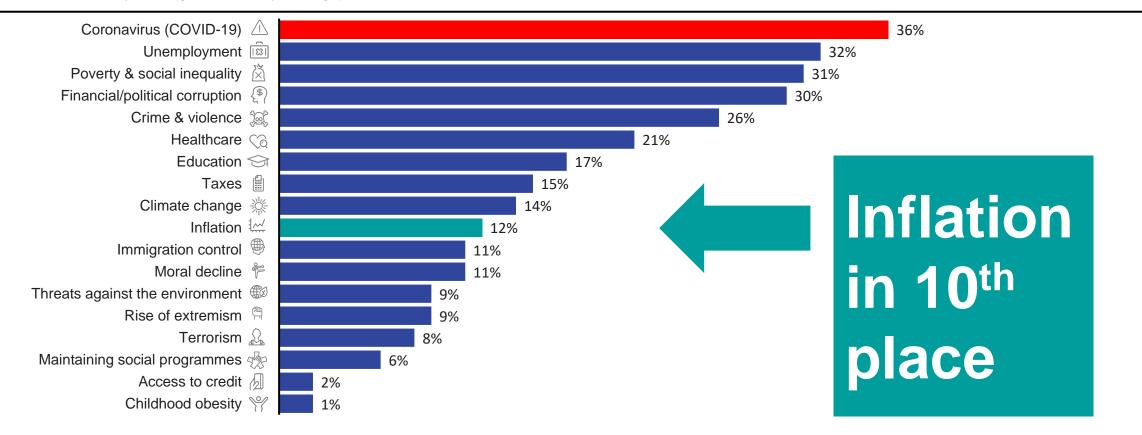


#### **WORLD WORRIES: JULY 2021**

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#### % mentioned in July 2021 (global country average)



Base: Representative sample of 20,502 adults aged 16-74 in 28 participating countries, June 25<sup>th</sup> – July 9<sup>th</sup> 2021.

Source: Ipsos Global Advisor. Global score is a Global Country Average. See methodology for details.

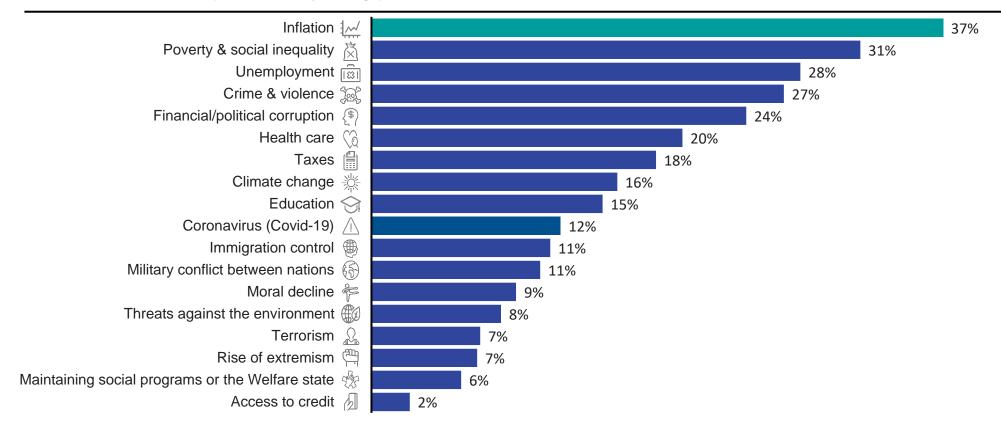


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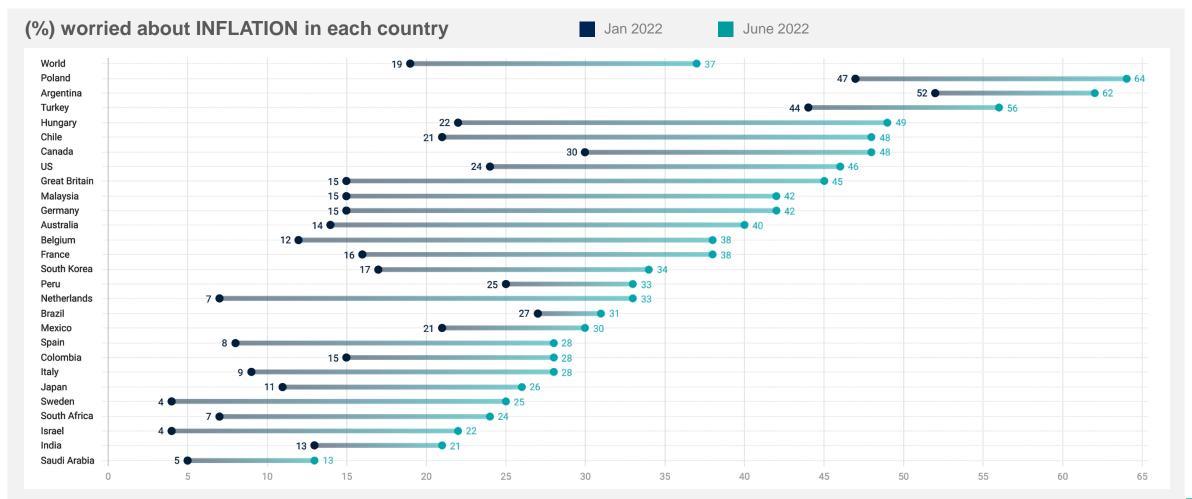
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#### CONCERNS ABOUT INFLATION ARE RISING EVERYWHERE



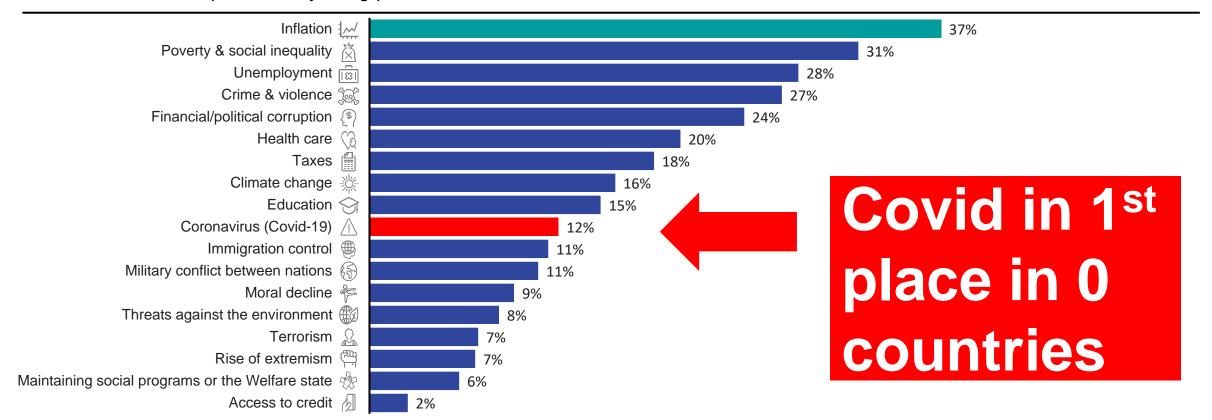


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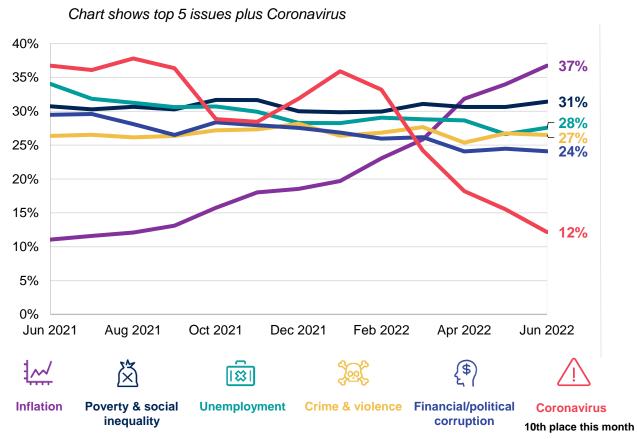
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#### WHAT WORRIES THE WORLD? THE 12-MONTH TREND

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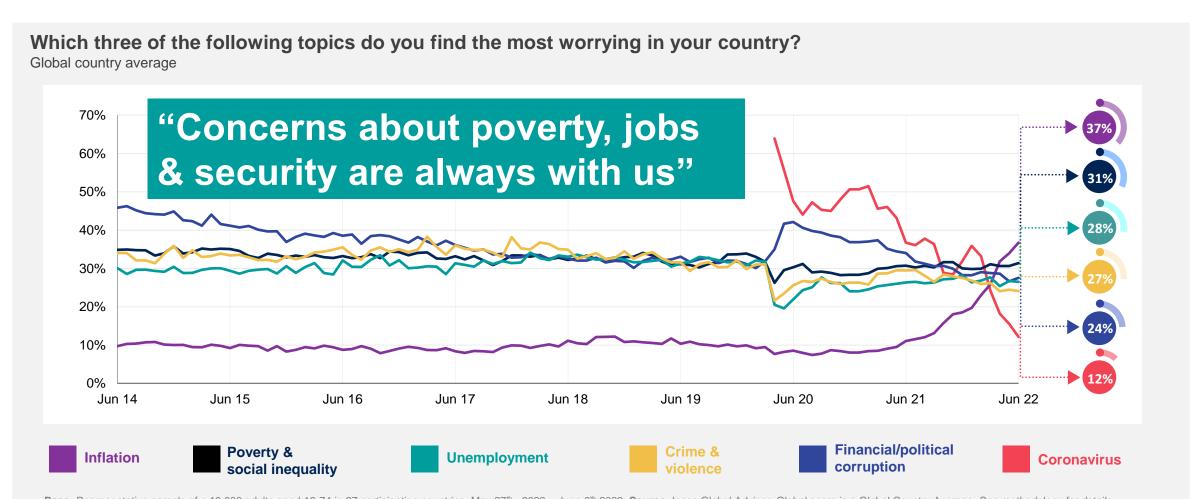
"Ayear of dramatic change"

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#### WHAT WORRIES THE WORLD: THE 8-YEAR TREND













Q: Which two adjectives most accurately describes YOU while driving...

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#### SOME THINGS CHANGE MORE SLOWLY DESCRIBES YOU 2017 2022 **Attentive** 74% 74% 2017 2022 54% Calm At least 1 2017 positive adjective Source: Ipsos/Vinci Foundation Responsible Driving Barometer 2022. lpsos 12,400 people in 11 European countries

#### SOME THINGS CHANGE MORE SLOWLY



**DESCRIBES** OTHER DRIVERS

**Attentive** 

Calm

least negative adjective 2017

2022

15%

20%

2017

11%

2017

Road safety in the EU: fatalities in 2021 remain well below pre-pandemic level

Source: European Commission

Source: Ipsos/Vinci Foundation Responsible Driving Barometer 2022. 12,400 people in 11 European countries

























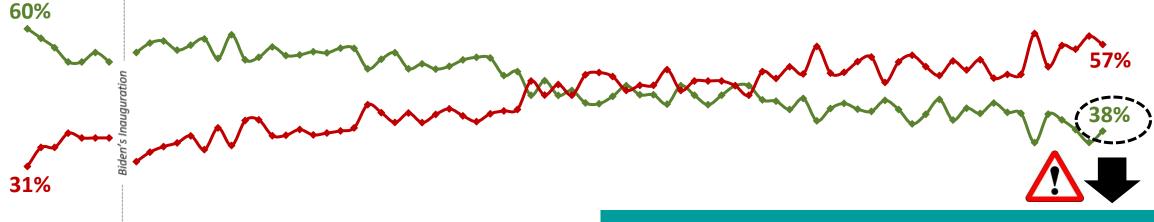




#### JOE BIDEN'S WEEKLY JOB APPROVAL

Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the way Joe Biden is handling his job as president? (previously 'president-elect')

#### **Total Approve**



#### **Total Disapprove**

Incumbent 40% approval score gives 50/50 chance of re-election







# ATTITUDES TOWARD REFUGEES

78% agree that people should be able to take refuge in other countries, including their own, to escape war or persecution



## WORLD REFUGEE DAY

Global attitudes towards refugees

**June 2022** 

World Refugee Day 2022: New Ipsos survey shows greater compassion for forcibly displaced as war in Ukraine wears on

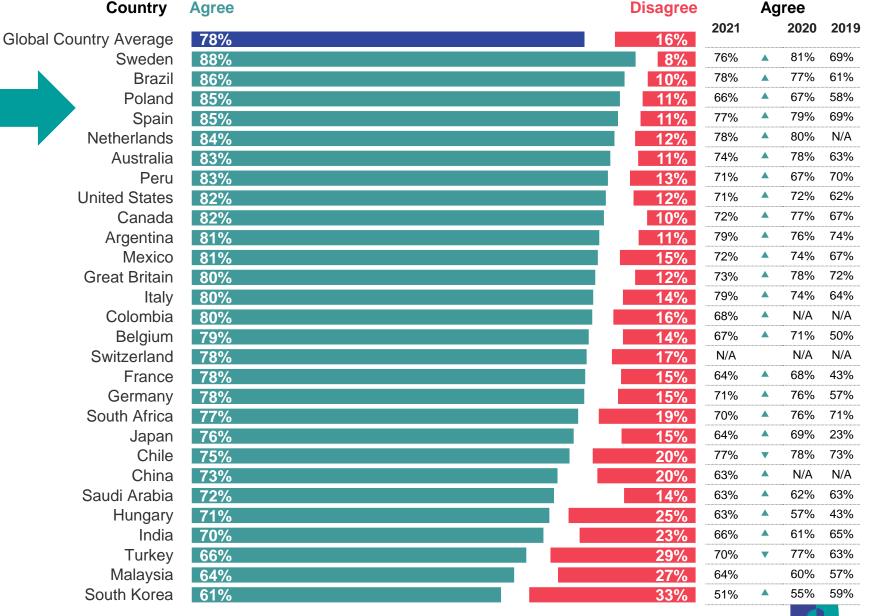
Majorities in the U.S. and globally support allowing more refugees fleeing war, violent conflict, natural disaster, or the effects of climate change into their country

17 June 2022 International / Immigration / Society

# Agreement has increased since last year in most countries

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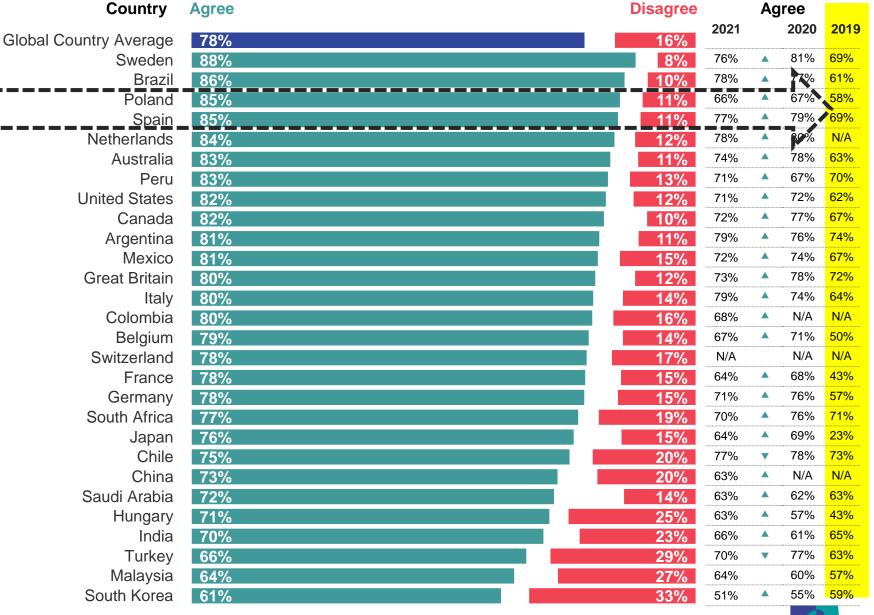
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# IPSOS ESSENTIALS

Tracking consumer attitudes and behavior in times of change

Phase 6, Wave 61: June 10 - 13, 2022

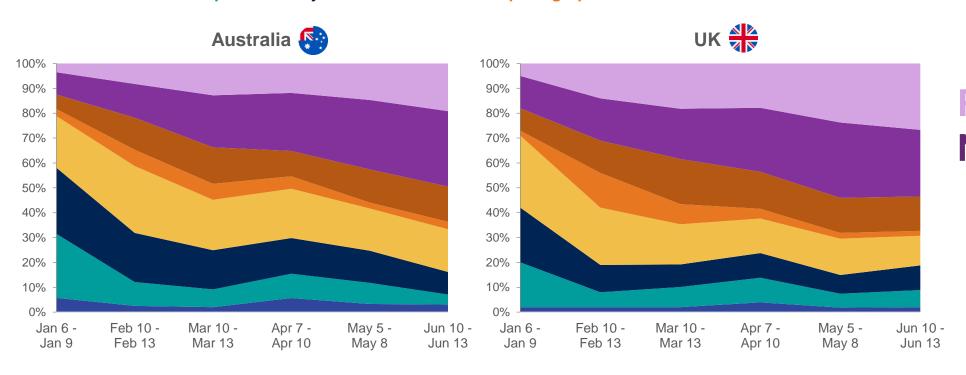
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#### AUSTRALIA AND U.K. ARE LOOKING PAST THE PANDEMIC

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Pre-Pandemic Preparation Adjustment Acclimation Opening Up Re-start New Normal Post-Pandemic



Post-Pandemic New Normal

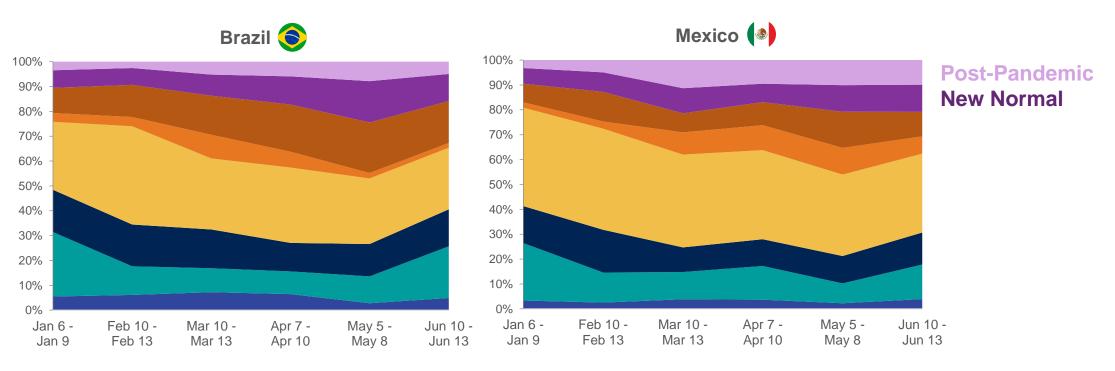
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#### MEXICO AND BRAZIL RETURN TO MORE RESTRICTIVE PHASES

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Q. Which one of the following phases do you feel best describes your current situation regarding the COVID-19 pandemic? Base: Brazil: 501 Mexico: 500



# THE DYNAMICS OF PUBLIC OPINION

- #1 Bring in other sources of information#2 Be cautious about definitive conclusions
- #3 Be precise with our questions

#### THE DYNAMICS OF PUBLIC OPINION













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# SOMETIMES IT FEELS LIKE EVERYTHING IS CHANGING, EVERYWHERE, ALL AT ONCE...

Predictions for 2022: Everything Is About To Change

BY JOSHBERSIN · PUBLISHED DECEMBER 15, 2021 · UPDATED DECEMBER 15, 2021

#### TechCrunch+

## Al's role is poised to change monumentally in 2022 and beyond

Shashank Srivastava 10:46 PM GMT+1 • May 19, 2022

# 'Great Resignation' in UK Shows 20% Planning to Quit Soon, Survey Shows

The Attention Recession: How inflation and the pandemic are reshaping entertainment

It's the not knowing that gets you.

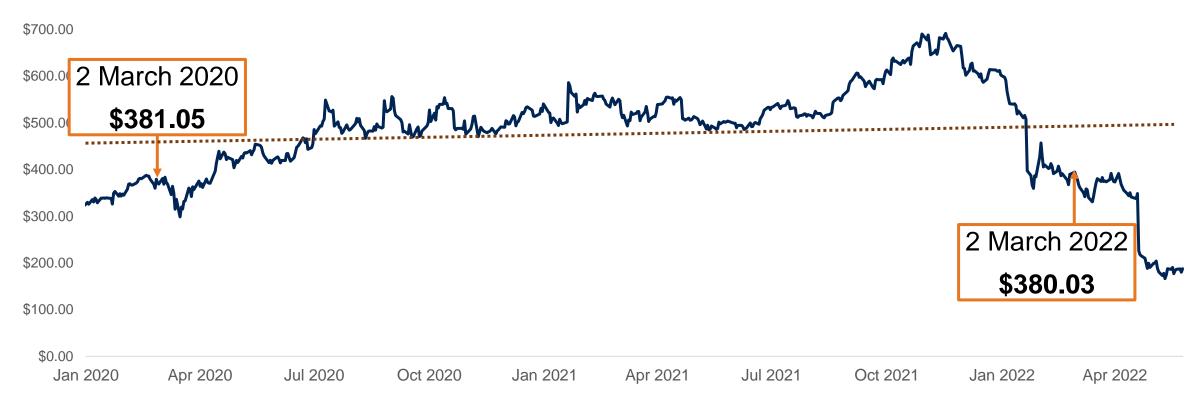
Coming out of the pandemic – or not, as the case may be – means we're all in uncharted territory.

In a year of huge change, uncertainty is everywhere.



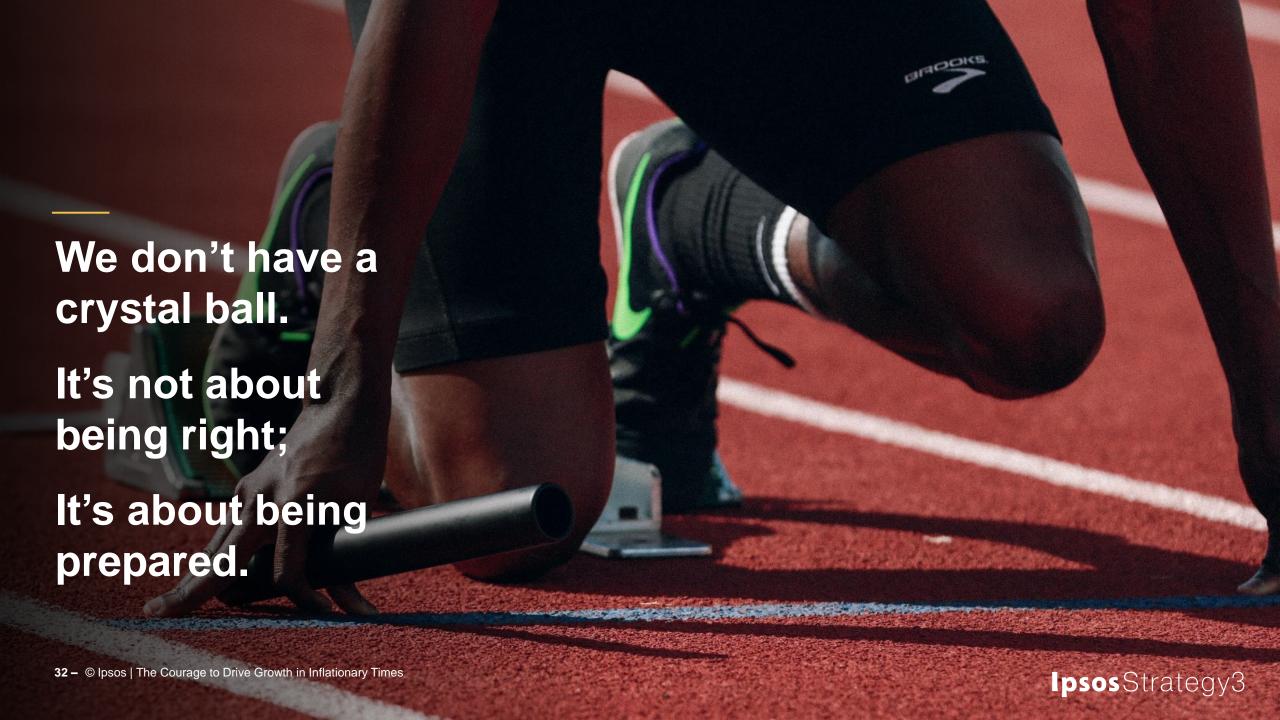
# WERE THE LAST TWO YEARS A BLIP THAT DISTRACTED US FROM DEEPER, UNDERLYING TRENDS?

#### **Netflix share price**



Source: Yahoo Finance





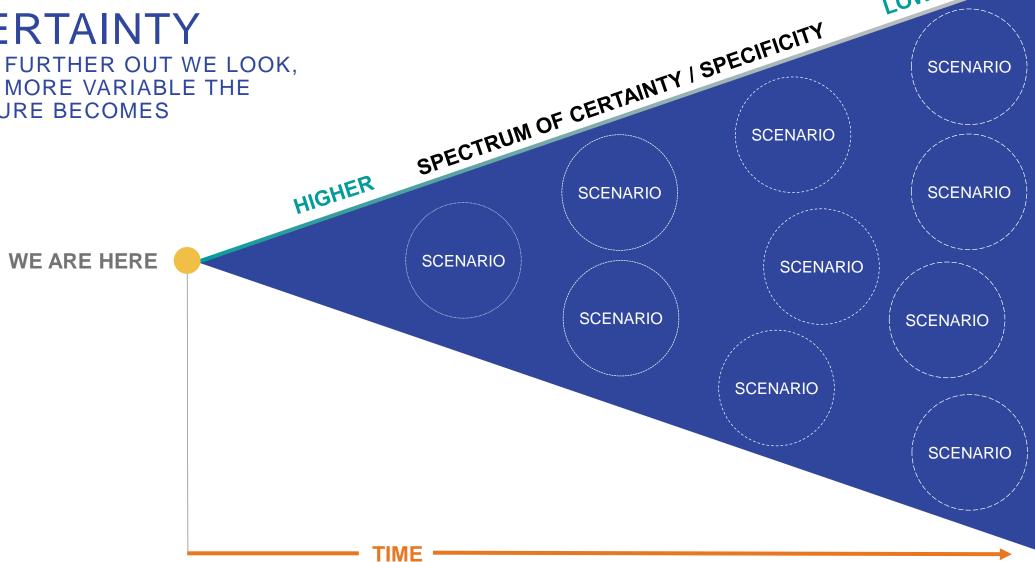
#### SO HOW DOES CHANGE HAPPEN?



LOWER



THE FURTHER OUT WE LOOK, THE MORE VARIABLE THE **FUTURE BECOMES** 





#### IPSOS THEORY OF CHANGE

The Ipsos **THEORY OF CHANGE** is a proprietary and comprehensive view of how and why change happens.

We use this framework to understand MACRO FORCES, SHIFTS and SIGNALS, the interrelationships and tensions between the three levels, and systems of resilience, resonance and reciprocity.

These dynamics help us to develop, deliver and disseminate TRENDS and FORESIGHT and assess how it will impact our clients' current and future organisations.

MACRO FORCES Act across the world SHIFTS
In society,
markets, and
people

SIGNALS Expressions of change



#### BRINGING OUR THEORY OF CHANGE TO LIFE

TREND: Fewer things attract a majority of people: Welcome to the era of the Missing Middle.

In this context, the challenge for organisations seeking broad appeal is to find new areas of agreement to unite people, or to adapt their messages and portfolios to resonate within a series of different contexts.









**SIGNALS:** Protectionism and Polarisation

Draw bridges are going up all around the world.

Will these signals further fuel deglobalisation?



Germany approves
€100bn fund to modernise
its armed forces



US starts building chip manufacturing facilities



Nike joins a large group of high-profile global brands that have exited Russia



Chinese platforms ask for Chinese phone number and official identification for access



The UK has reaches agreemen to modernise the terms of the Energy Charter Treaty



The European Union welcomes the Digital Markets Act

# SO HOW CAN WE PLAN FOR CHANGES WE CAN'T PREDICT?



Change is complex – we shouldn't over simplify it - we need to get comfortable with uncertainty.



Rather than feeling powerless, being reactive or even proactive, we should start becoming preemptive.



Foresight is empowering - we can all create the future by capitalising on the opportunities and becoming more resilient to future threats.







Change impacts the context in which our consumers experience our brands

#### "Priority is a function of Context"



Are emotional and functional attributes enough for brand growth today?



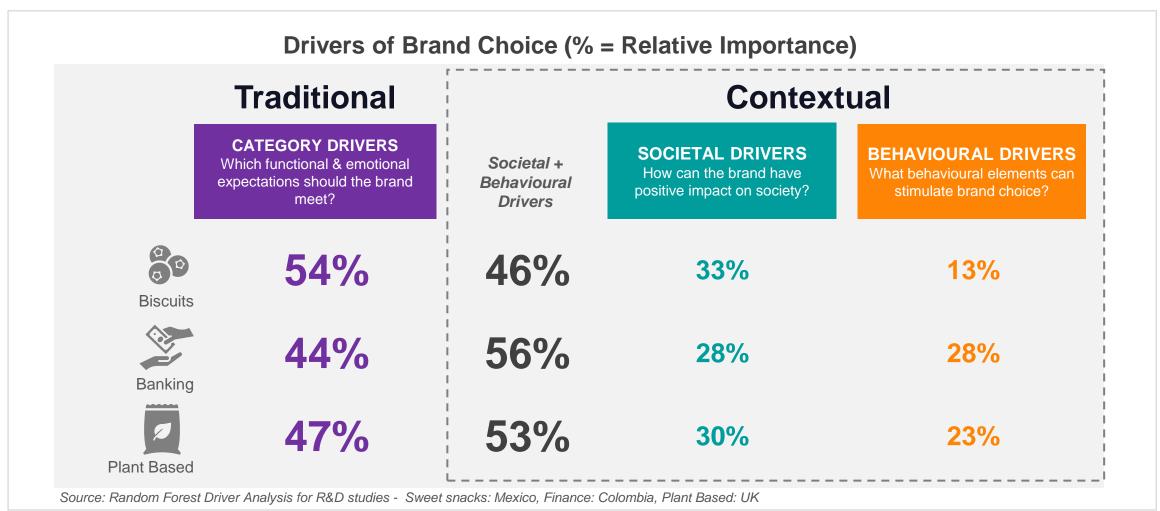
### **MOVE TO ZERO**

## Or is there more to it?

We exist to serve athletes\* everywhere and that's why we're on a mission to protect the future of sport. Because protecting the future of sport means doing our part to protect the planet. Nike is taking climate action through Move to Zero, our journey towards a zero carbon, zero waste future.

"If you have a body, you are an athlete.

#### Contextual drivers are increasingly influencing brand choice today







#### THE ANATOMY OF CONTEXT



Better Brands Framework





#### Personal context

- · The occasion
  - . The **need**
  - . The **benefit**





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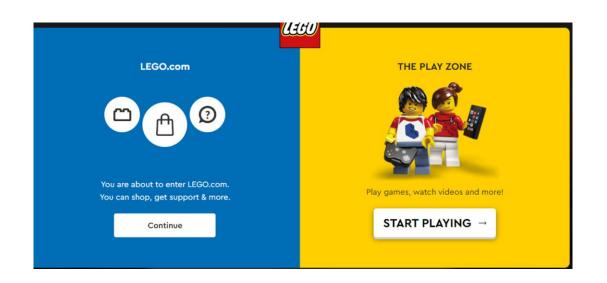
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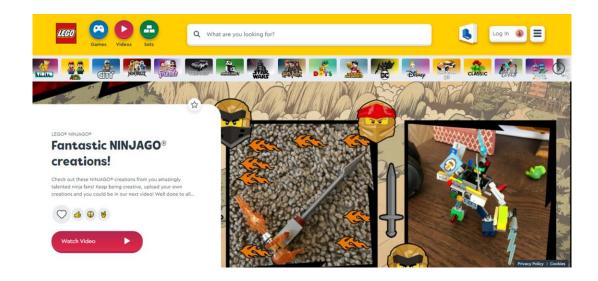






#### #letsbuildtogether





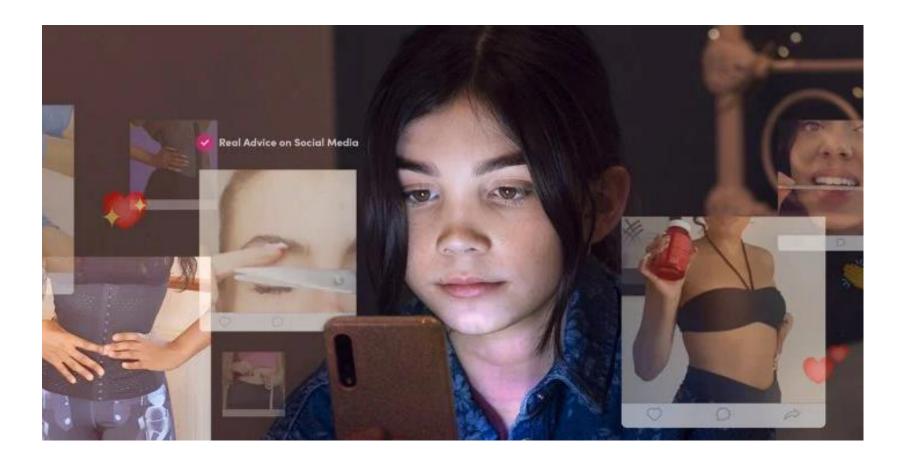
Supporting families by involving kids in learning & play

USD 50M In supporting underprivileged kids

Clutter breaking content and high ROI during challenging times



Dove has always been leading the way in staying in tune with the changing context as they have evolved from #RealBeauty to #DetoxYourFeed





#### THE ANATOMY OF CONTEXT



Better Brands Framework





**Zero Waste Promise** 

Truly understanding the consumer context means creating a personal and human relationship with them







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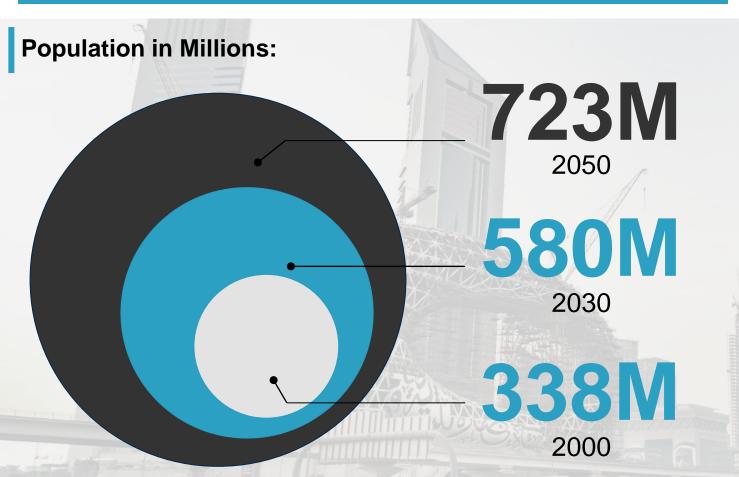
## A Tale Of Three Sub-Regions But All Are Impacted By Similar Trends







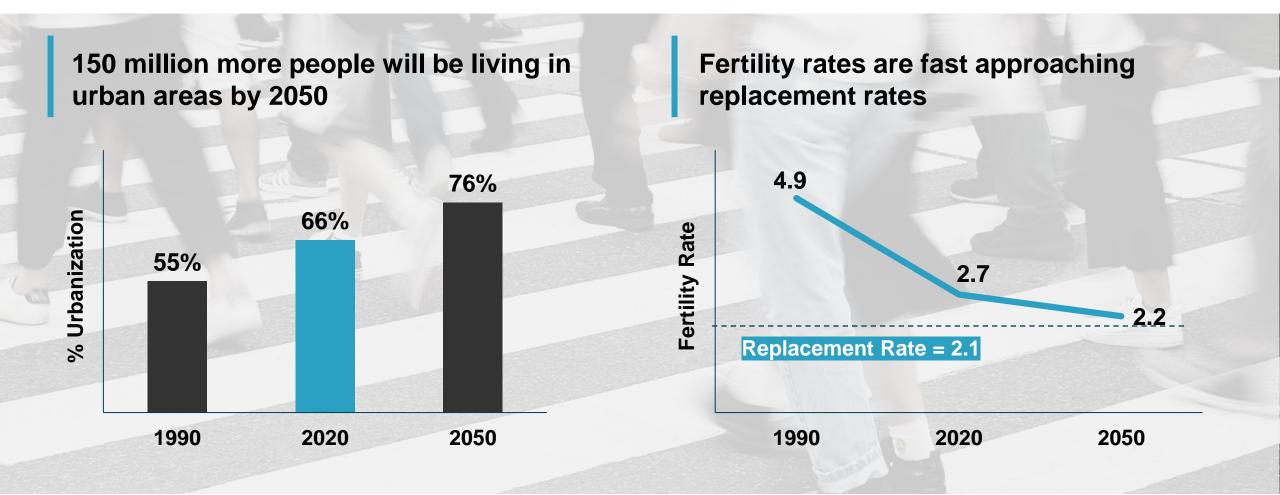
## MENA Is One Of The Fastest Growing Regions Globally



MENA's population will exceed that of Europe by 2050

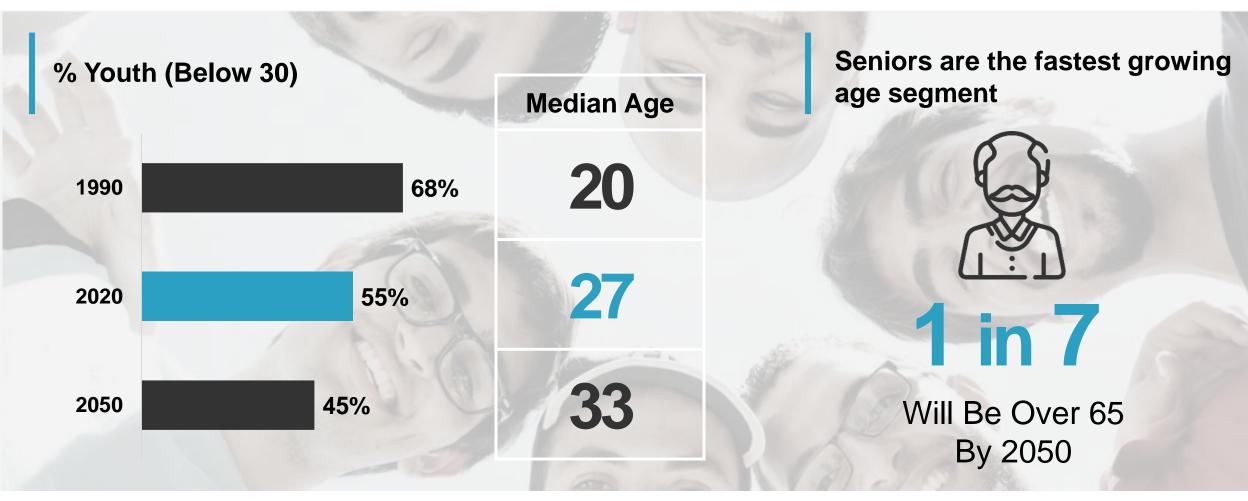


## Rapid Urbanization Is Contributing To Declining Fertility Rates



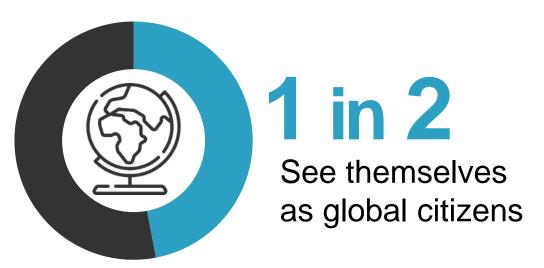


## While Still Predominantly Young The Region Is Ageing











1 in 2

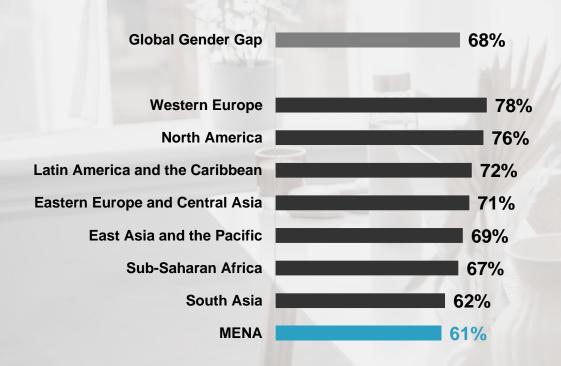
Don't share the same values as their parents





## The MENA Region Has The Widest Gender Gap Globally

MENA ranks last when it comes to closing the gender gap:



MENA has the lowest female labor force participation levels globally!



Females In MENA Participate In The Workforce



Source: WEF/ILO

## Driven By Conservative Attitudes Towards Gender Equality



### Only

2 in 5

Believe in having equal freedoms between women and men

#### By Gender:

Male

34%

Female

49%



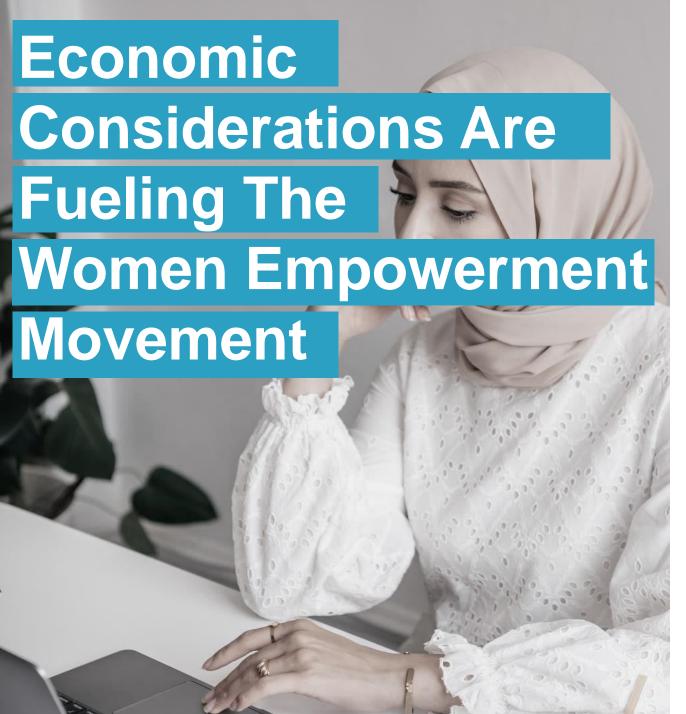
### But The Economic Costs Of Exclusion Are Enormous

\$575 Billion

Is the annual cost of genderbased discrimination in MENA









92%

Of women are key decision makers within their households



1 in 2

University students in MENA are women

Number of women enrolling in university

#### more than doubled

in the past 2 decades



71%

Believe women's role should extend beyond the household





### **Economic Factors Consistently Rank First On Consumers' Lists Of Concerns**

2 in 3 See The Economy As A Primary Concern







67%

Know the price of everything they buy



54%

Are deal seekers



40%

Increased usage of store brands



40%

Continuously explore & purchase new brands



### **Key Takeaways On Change From MENA's Megatrends**

1. Change is not always obvious, sometimes big changes come in small doses. Its important to view change through the right lens and be prepared.

2. <u>Change is complex</u> - change in one area usually leads to wider changes elsewhere. Understanding these relationships is important.

3. Context is key – it's important to understand how change manifests itself in different regions and situations, and to consider local nuances.







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