

Global @dvisor

Global Views on Immigration

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These are the findings of the Global @dvisor Wave 22 (G@22), an Ipsos survey conducted between June 15th and June 28th, 2011.

SURVEY METHOD

 The survey instrument is conducted monthly in 23 countries around the world via the Ipsos Online Panel system.

COUNTRIES

•The countries reporting herein are Argentina, Australia, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, France, Great Britain, Germany, Hungary, India, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Mexico, Poland, Russia, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Turkey and the United States of America

SAMPLE

 For the results of the survey presented herein, an international sample of 17,601 adults age 18-64 in the US and Canada, and age 16-64 in all other countries, were interviewed. Approximately 1000+ indi∨iduals participated on a country by country basis via the Ipsos Online Panel with the exception of Argentina, Belgium, Indonesia, Mexico, Poland, Saudi Arabia, South Africa, South Korea, Sweden and Turkey, where each have a sample approximately 500+.

WEIGHTING

 Weighting was then 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, and to provide results intended to approximate the sample universe. A survey with an unweighted probability sample of this size and a 100% response rate 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 19 times out of 20 per country of what the results would have been had the entire population of adults in that country had been polled. All sample surveys and polls may be subject to other sources of error, including, but not limited to coverage error, and measurement error.



Analytic Components...Questions Asked Of All Respondents:

Over the last 5 years, in your opinion has the amount of migrants in [country]....?

- a. Increased a lot
- b. Increased a little
- c. Stayed the same
- d. Decreased a little
- e. Decreased a lot

Would you say that immigration has generally had a positive or negative impact on [country]?

- a. Very positive
- b. Fairly positive
- c. Neither positive or negative
- d. Fairly negative
- e. Very negative
- f. Don't know

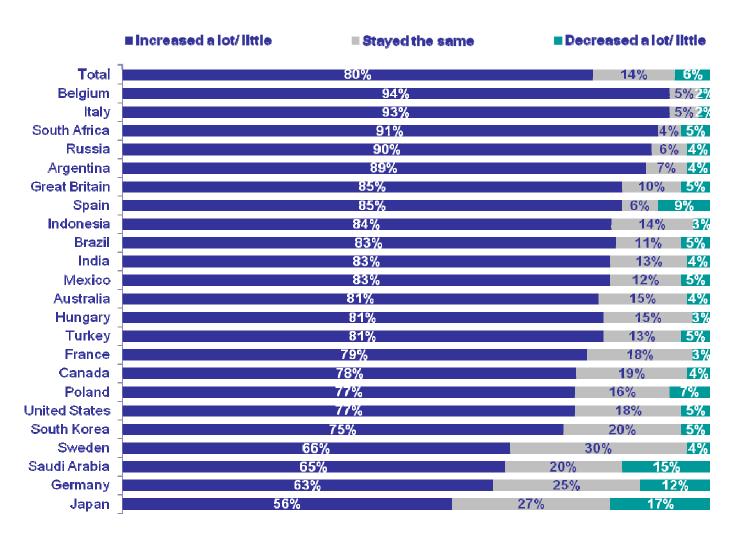
Please tell whether you agree or disagree with each of the following statements.

- g. Immigration is good for the economy of [country]
- h. Immigrants make [country] a more interesting place to live
- i. Immigration has placed too much pressure on public services in [country] (for example, health, transport, educational services)
- j. Immigrants in [country] have made it more difficult for [host country nationality] people to get jobs
- k. Priority should be given to immigrants with higher education and qualifications who can fill shortages among certain professions in [country].
- 1. There are too many immigrants in our country.

Strongly agree
Tend to agree
Neither agree nor disagree
Tend to disagree
Strongly disagree
Don't know

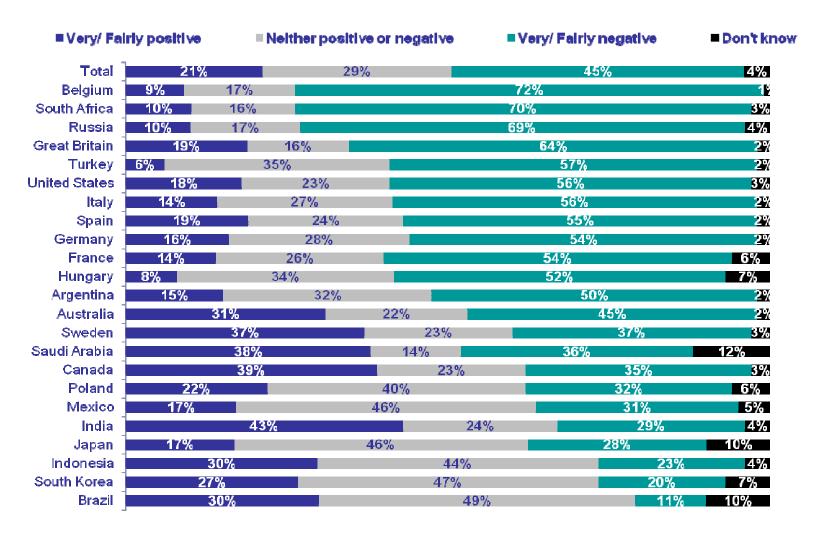


OVER THE LAST 5 YEARS, IN YOUR OPINION HAS THE AMOUNT OF MIGRANTS IN [COUNTRY]...



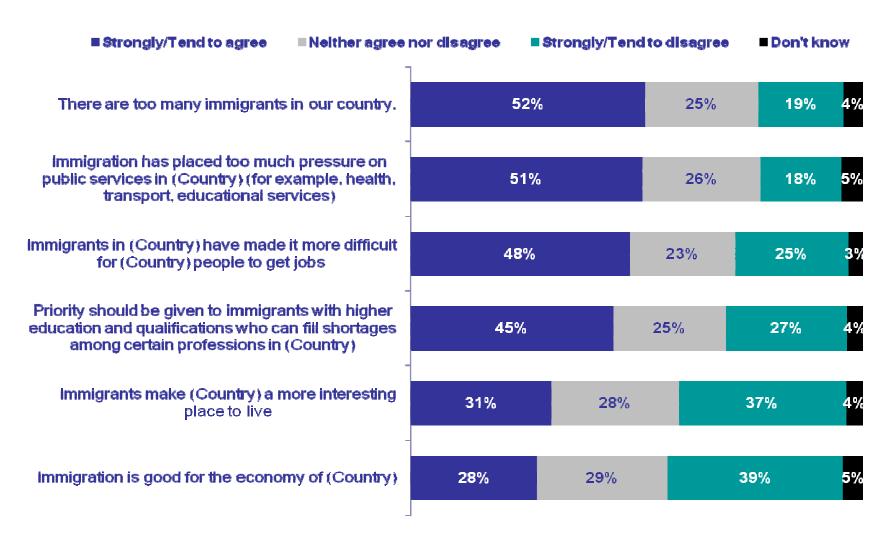


WOULD YOU SAY THAT IMMIGRATION HAS GENERALLY HAD A POSTIVE OR NEGATIVE IMPACT ON [COUNTRY]?



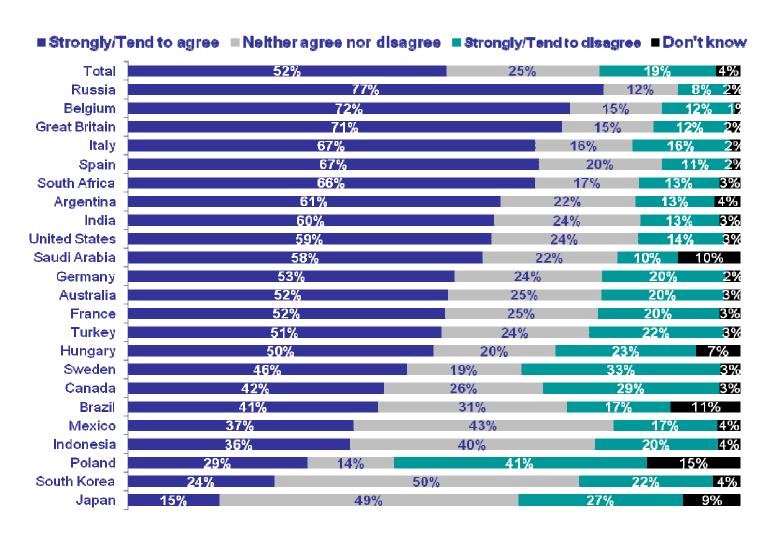


PLEASE TELL WHETHER YOU AGREE OR DISAGREE WITH EACH OF THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS...



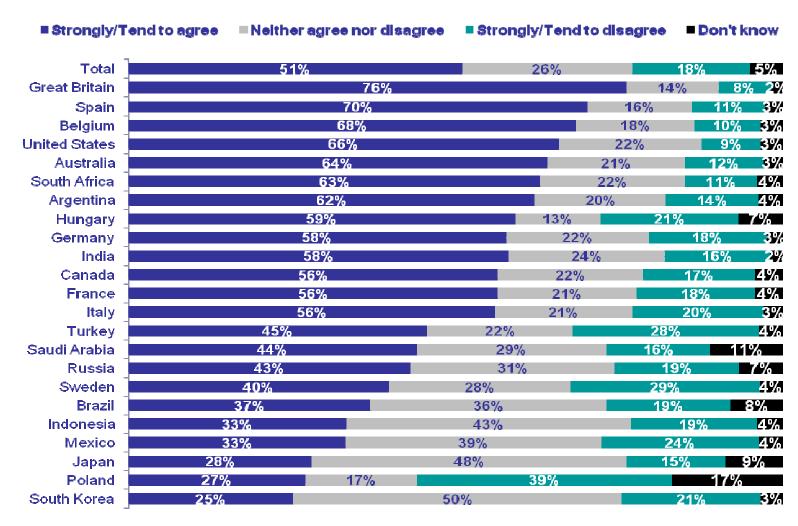


THERE ARE TOO MANY IMMIGRANTS IN OUR COUNTRY...



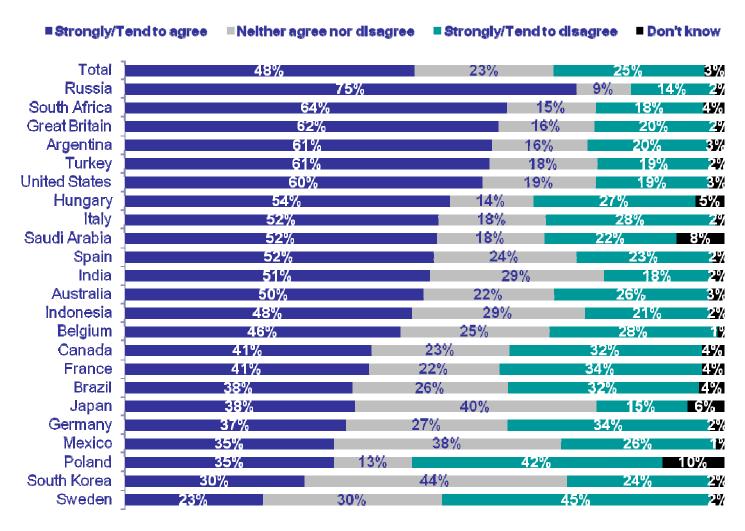


IMMIGRATION HAS PLACED TOO MUCH PRESSURE ON PUBLIC SERVICES IN [COUNTRY] (FOR EXAMPLE, HEALTH, TRANSPORT, EDUCATIONAL SERVICES)...



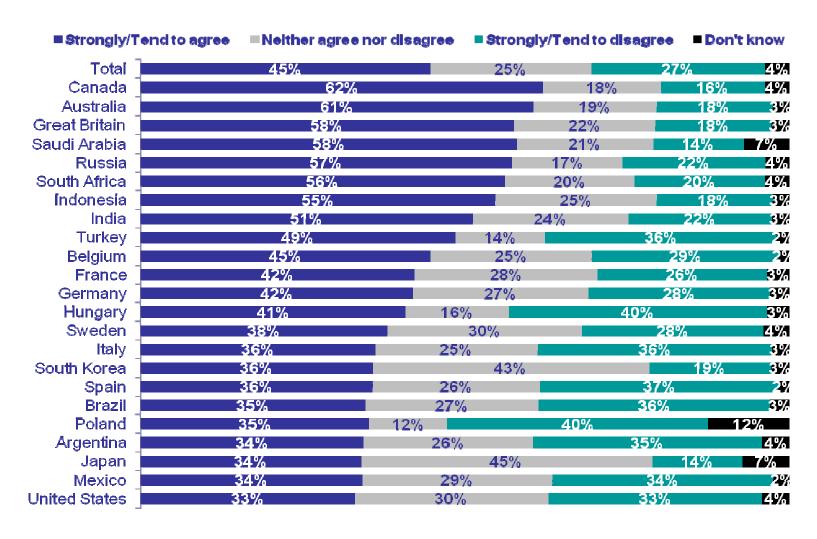


IMMIGRANTS IN [COUNTRY] HAVE MADE IT MORE DIFFICULT FOR [COUNTRY] PEOPLE TO GET JOBS...



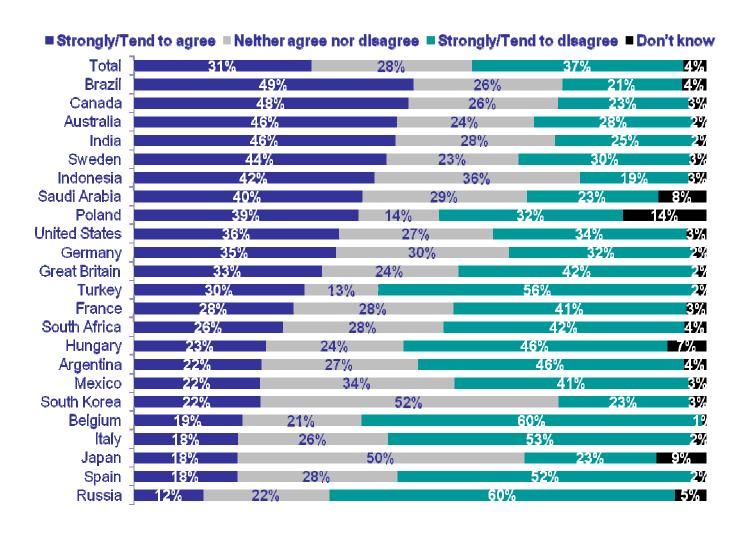


PRIORITY SHOULD BE GIVEN TO IMMIGRANTS WITH HIGHER EDUCATION AND QUALIFICATIONS WHO CAN FILL SHORTAGES AMONG CERTAIN PROFESSIONS IN [COUNTRY]...



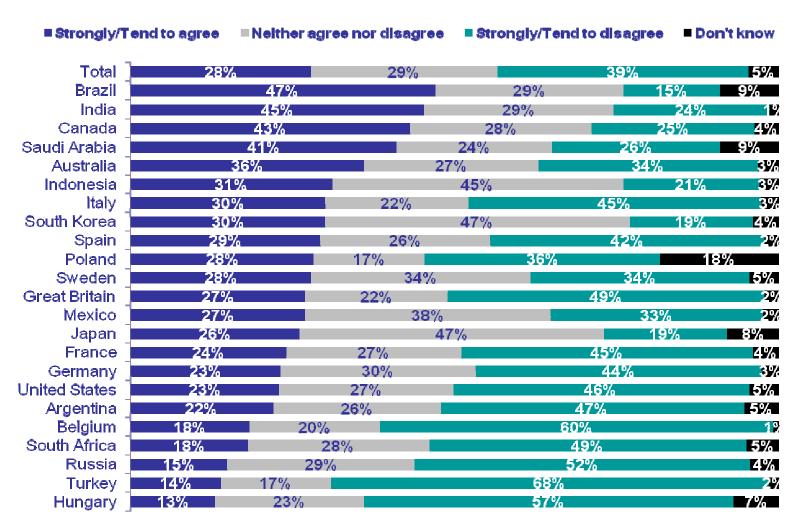


IMMIGRANTS MAKE [COUNTRY] A MORE INTERESTING PLACE TO LIVE...





IMMIGRATION IS GOOD FOR THE ECONOMY OF [COUNTRY]...





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