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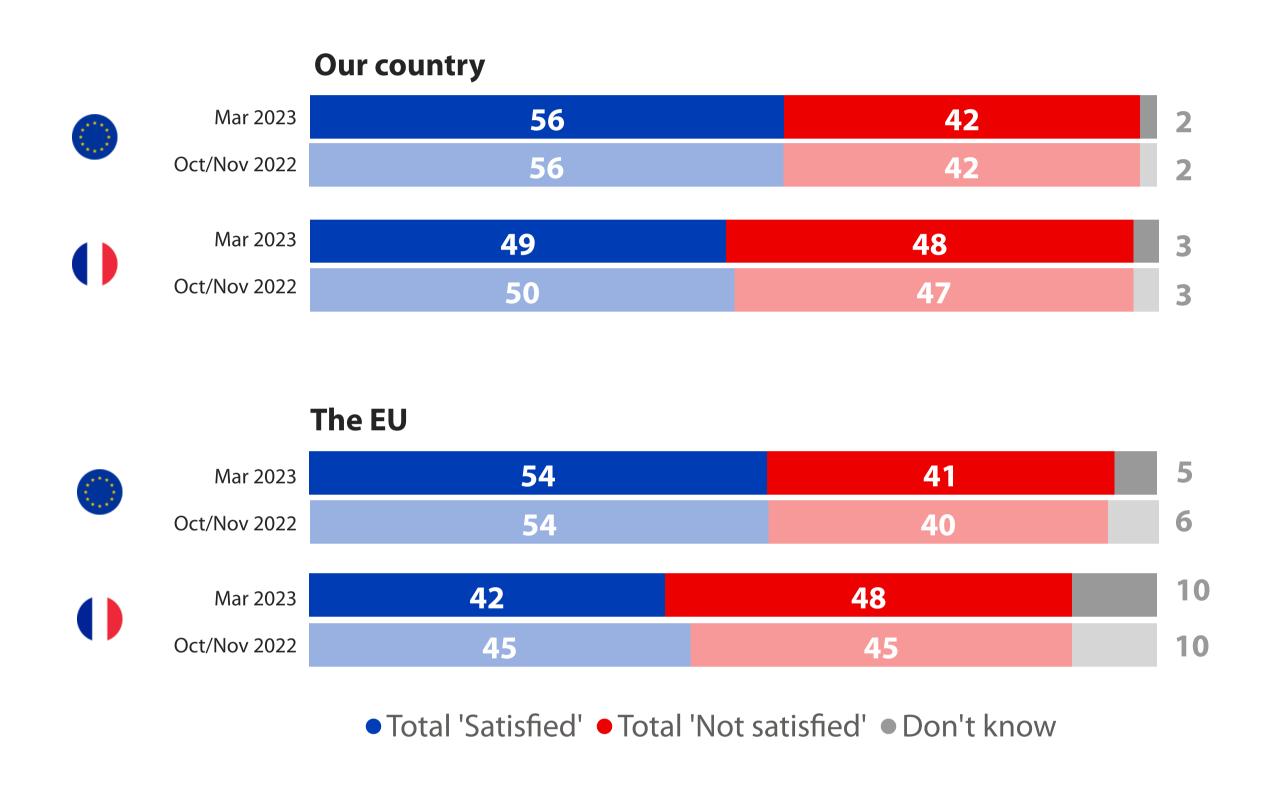


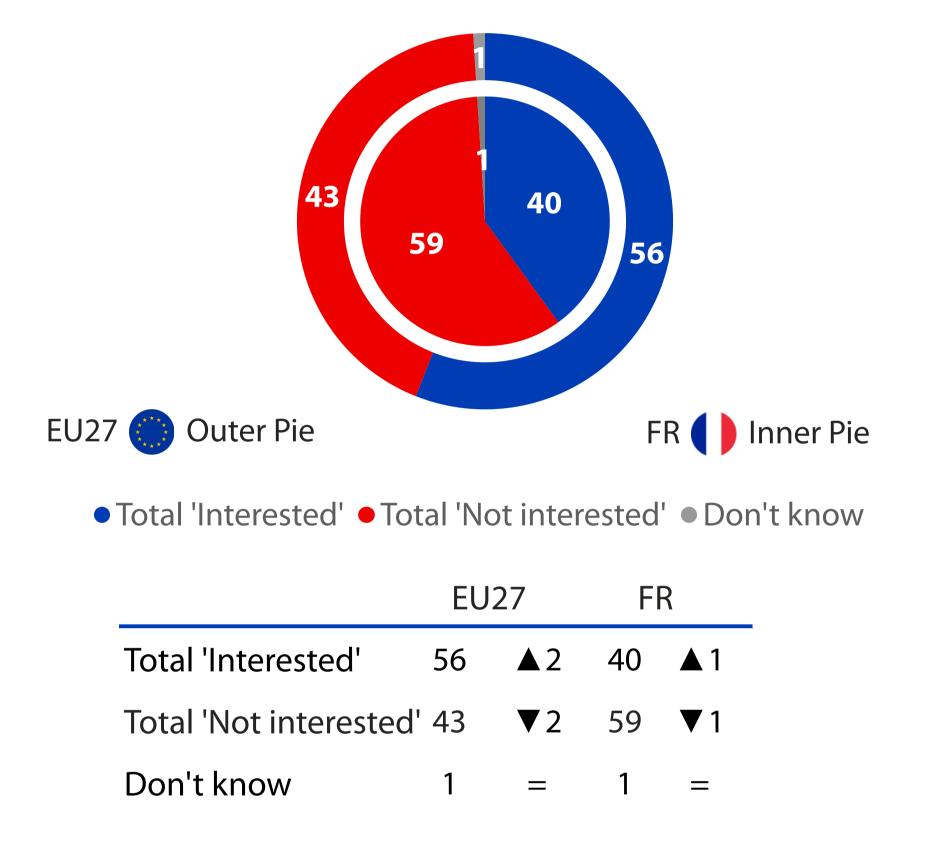
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## **DEMOCRACY & ELECTIONS**

SD18ab. On the whole, are you very satisfied, fairly satisfied, not very satisfied or not at all satisfied with the way democracy works in...? (%)

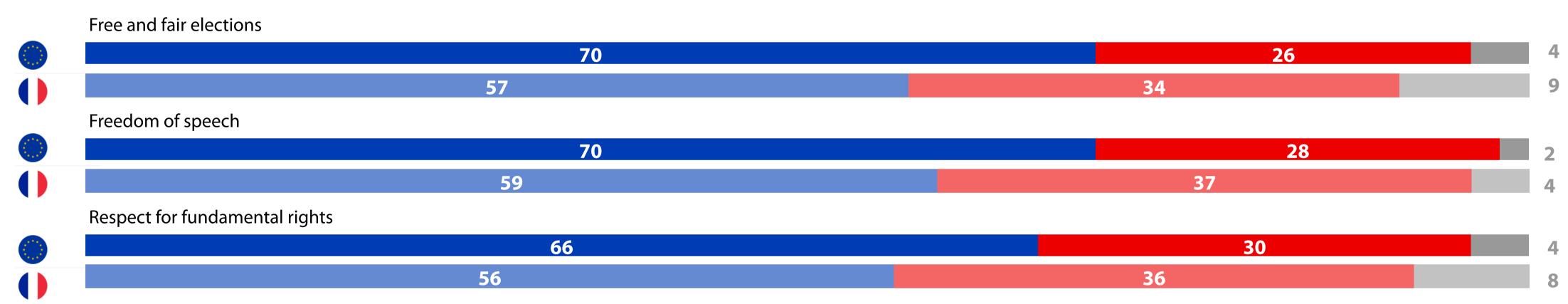
QA15. The next European elections will be held in May or June 2024. How interested or not would you say you are in these elections? (%)





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### QA11. How satisfied or not are you with the following aspects of democracy in the European Union? (%)



The possibility for individual citizens to participate in political life (i.e. as candidates in elections, members of political parties)

	61	33	
	47	42	
Media diversity			
	60	34	
	42	45	
The opportunities '	for civil society (i.e. citizens, associations, NGOs) to protect o	Jemocracy	
	59	33	
	53	37	
The rule of law (i.e.	the respect for independence of the judiciary, the integrity	and impartiality of the electoral system)	
	58	36	
	47	44	
Political parties tak	ing into account the interests of people like you		
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Total 'Satisfied'Total 'Not satisfied'Don't know

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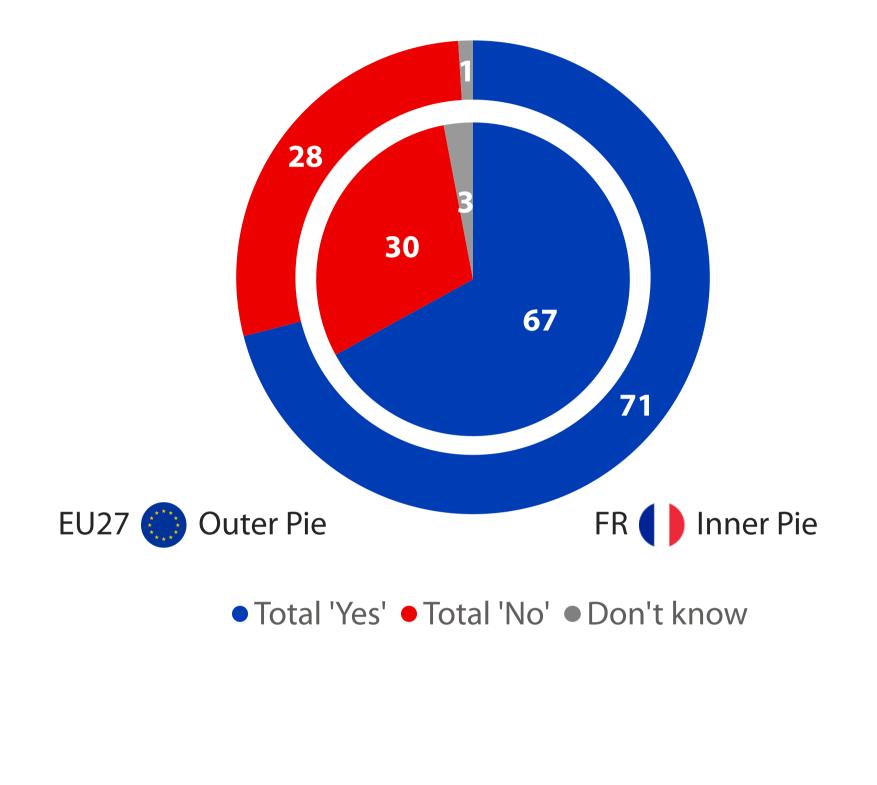
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## DELIVERY

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40-54	74	67	
55 +	68	68	
Difficulties paying bills			
Almost never/ Never	73	67	
From time to time	68	65	
Most of the time	68	74	
Likelihood to vote in the next European e	electior	ıs	
Likely	76	72	
Not likely	61	59	

QA13. Over the last few years, the European Union has focused on several key policy areas. How satisfied or not are you with what the EU has been doing in each of the following areas? (%)



Foreign policy (i.e. Europe as a global player)

54	37	9
38	42	20

Health and consumer protection (i.e. building a health Union or boosting sustainable consumption)

53	40	7
42	48	10

Economic and social recovery (i.e. implementing a minimum wage law)

51	42	7
33	54	13

The Digital agenda (i.e. ensure safe, fair and transparent online services and platforms)

51	32	17
40	35	25

The EU Green Deal, (i.e. aiming for zero carbon emissions)

47		43		10
31	50			19

Migration and asylum (i.e. fair treatment of third country nationals or protecting external borders)

43	50	7
31	54	15

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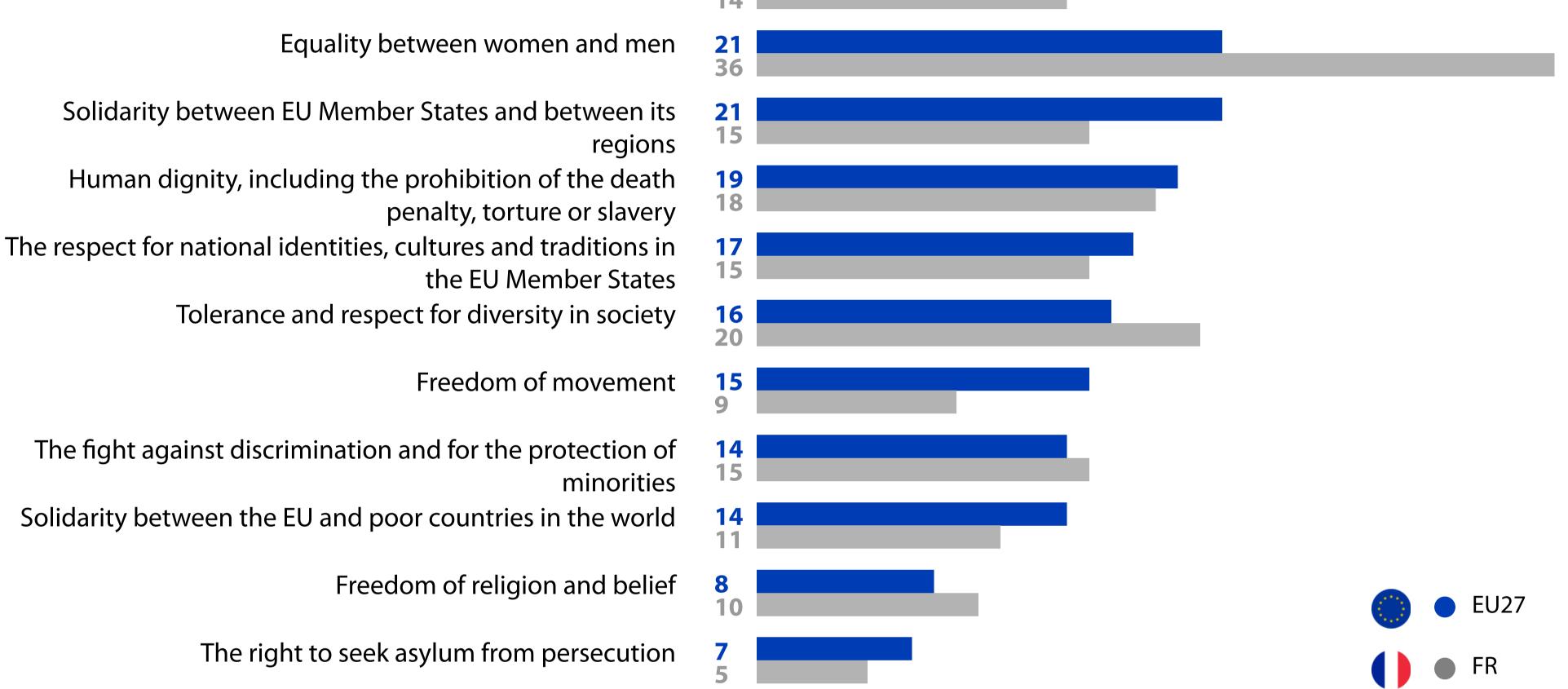


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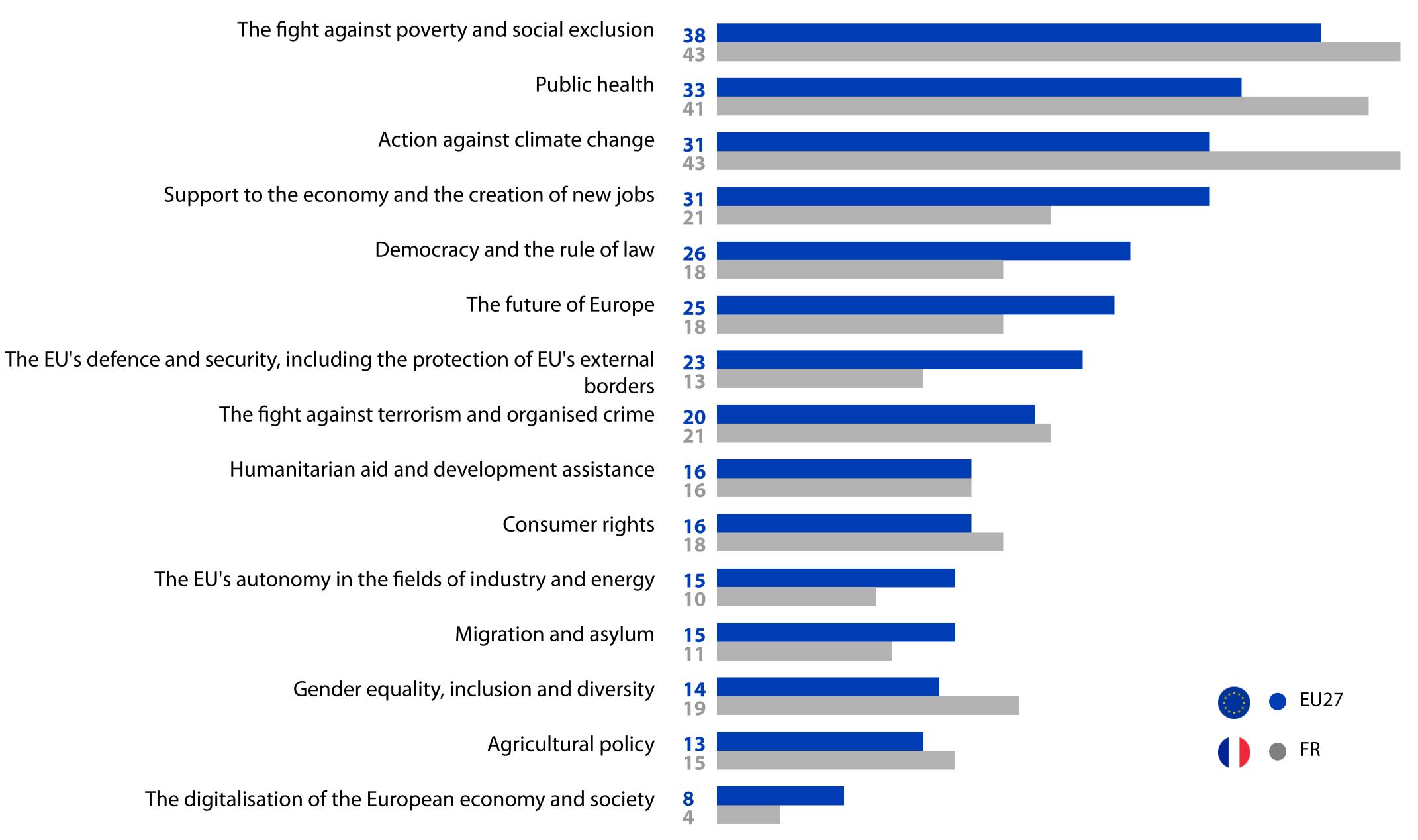
## VALUES & PRIORITIES

QA6ab. In your opinion, which of the following values should the European Parliament defend as a matter of priority? Firstly? And then? (%)

Democracy	<b>37</b> 32
The protection of human rights in the EU and worldwide	28 25
Freedom of speech and thought	<b>27</b> 33
The rule of law	24



#### QA7ab. Which of the following topics would you like to see addressed in priority by the European Parliament? Firstly? And then? (%)



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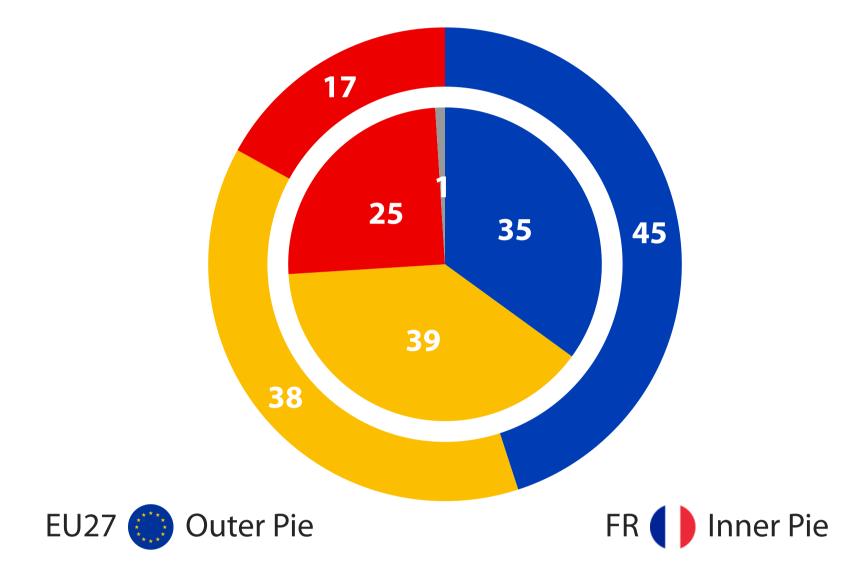
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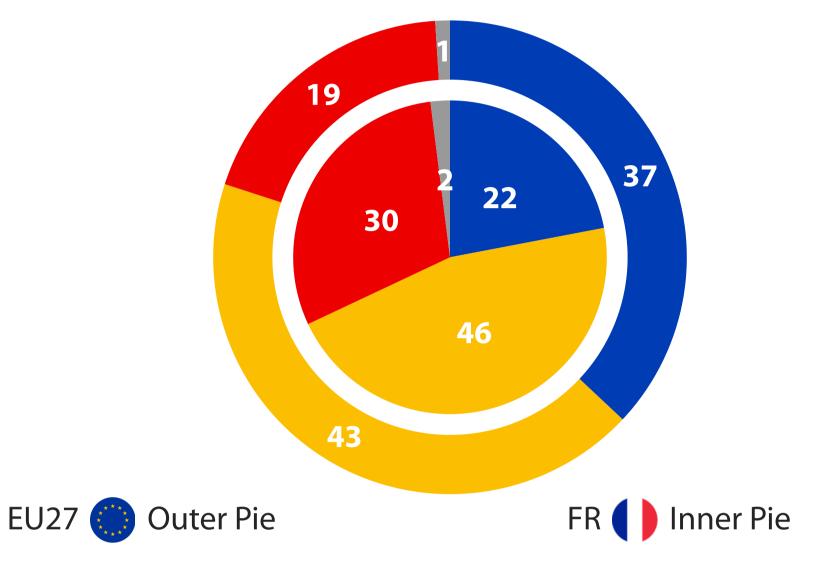
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### IMAGE OF THE EU AND THE EP

D78. In general, does the EU conjure up for you a very positive, fairly positive, neutral, fairly negative or very negative image? (%)



QA4. In general, do you have a very positive, fairly positive, neutral, fairly negative or very negative image of the European Parliament? (%)



Total 'Positive' Neutral Total 'Negative'

	EL	J27		FR
Total 'Positive'	45	▼2	35	▼8
Neutral	38	=	39	▲2
Total 'Negative'	17	▲ 3	25	▲ 6
Don't know			1	=

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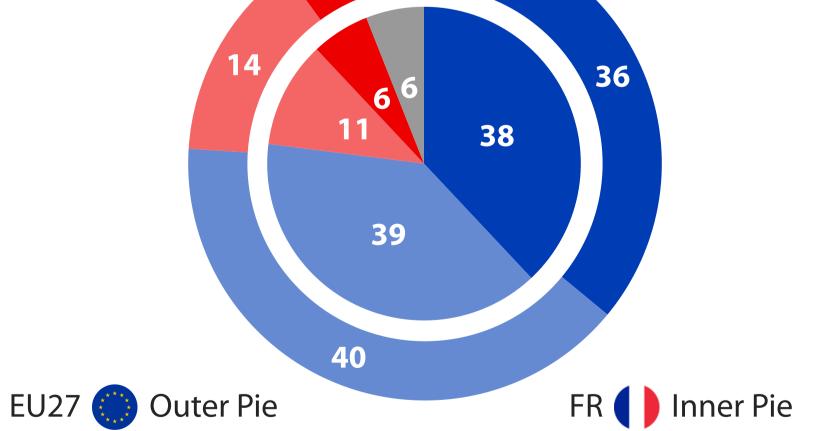
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Neutral	43	₹2	46	▼2
Total 'Negative'	19	▲2	30	▲4
Don't know	1	▼1	2	▼2

### **REACTION TO CURRENT CRISES**

QA23. Overall, do you approve or disapprove of the European Union's support for Ukraine following Russia's invasion of Ukraine? (%)



QA24. How satisfied or not are you with the measures taken so far to tackle the rising cost of living (for example the rising food or energy prices) by (%)

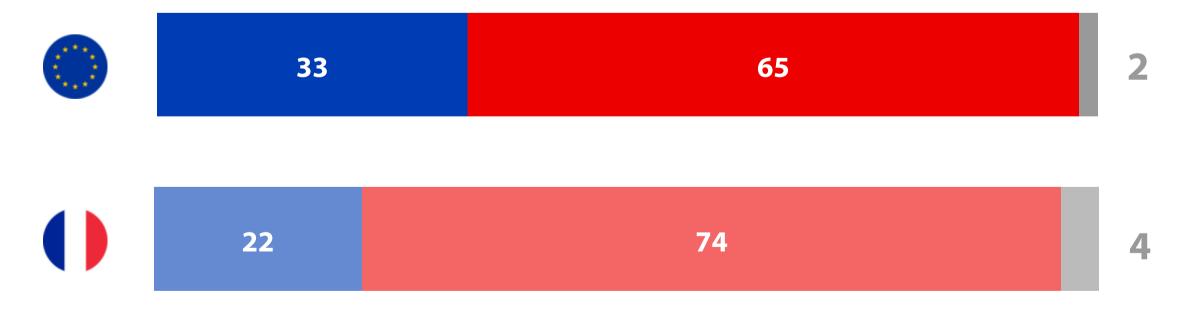


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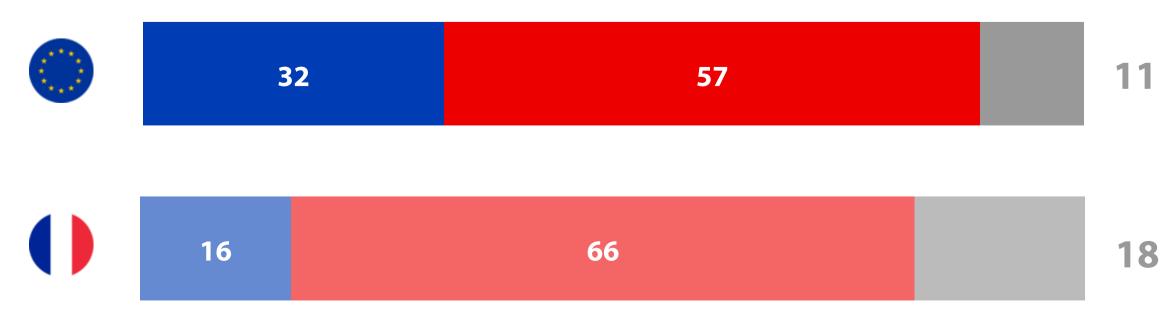
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Somewhat approve	40	▼1	39	▼3
Somewhat disapprove	14	₹2	11	▲2
Strongly disapprove	7	=	6	▼1
Don't know	3	=	6	=

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#### The (NATIONALITY) government?



The EU?



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