

# Public attitudes in Georgia: Results of a November 2013 survey carried out for NDI by CRRC This research is funded by the Swedish International Development Cooperation Agency (Sida)

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# Methodology - Current Wave

• This research has been conducted over multiple waves. The funding for this wave was provided by the Swedish International Development and Cooperation Agency (Sida)

#### • Current survey wave:

- Fieldwork dates: November 13 27, 2013
- 3,915 completed interviews
- A nationally representative sample of Georgian speakers including Capital, Urban, Rural, East Georgia and West Georgia areas. Also additional representative samples of the self governing cities of Kutaisi, Batumi, Poti and Rustavi, as well as the districts of Telavi, Gori, Akhaltsikhe, Zugdidi and Ambrolauri.

#### • Sample design

- NDI and CRRC use a complex survey design with both stratification and clustering
- Households are selected via random route sampling
- Respondents are selected using a Kish table
- Randomly selected households and individuals are not substituted
- All interviews are conducted face-to-face
- The average margin of error is +/- 2%

# Methodology – Historical Wave

- This research has been conducted over multiple waves. The funding for most waves was provided by Sida, however one wave was funded by the Eurasia Foundation and one by the British Embassy
- Historical waves:
  - September 2013
    - Fieldwork dates: August 18 September 3, 2013
    - 3,838 completed interviews
    - A nationally representative sample of Georgian speakers including Capital, Urban, Rural, East Georgia and West Georgia areas. Also additional representative samples of the self governing cities of Kutaisi, Batumi, Poti and Rustavi, as well as the districts of Telavi, Gori, Akhaltsikhe, Zugdidi and Ambrolauri.
    - The average margin of error does not exceed +/-2%

# Favorability and Job Performance

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■ Very well ■ Well ■ Neither badly nor well ■ Badly ■ Very badly ■ DK ■ RA

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# How would you rate the performance of the following ministers? (q54) Part 1

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# How would you rate the performance of the following ministers? (q54) Part 2

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# How would you rate the performance of the following ministers? (q54) Part 3

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#### How would you rate the performance of ...? (q54) Part 1 ■ Well ■ Neither badly nor well ■ Badly ■ Very badly Very well ■DK ■RA Georgian November 2013 army September 2013 Georgian November 2013 police September 2013 Georgian Coalition November 2013 Dream September 2013 Commissio November 2013 Election Central September 2013 Parliament November 2013 4 1 The September 2013 Ombudsma November 2013 5 1 S September 2013

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#### How would you rate the performance of ...? (q54) Part 2

# Party Crosstabs

# What is a crosstab?

A crosstab shows the relationship between two questions. In other words, it can show how people who are in one category (party closest to you, in this presentation) answered other questions. Other examples which might be more familiar are gender, settlement and age.

The next few slides show how respondents for UNM, Georgian Dream, "don't know", "refuse to answer" and "Other" are different or similar to each other.

A crosstab demonstrates the relationship between two questions. It does not show if there is a dependent relationship between those two questions.

## Generally, taking everything into account, since October 2012 you and your household are ... (q9 X Party closest to you)



#### In which direction is Georgia going? (q10 X Party closest to you)

- Georgia is definitely going in the right direction
- Georgia is going mainly in the right direction
- Georgia is not changing at all
- Georgia is mainly going in the wrong direction
- Georgia is definitely going in the wrong direction



RA



# Is Georgia a democracy now? (q17 X Party closest to you)



# To what extent do you agree or disagree that the current government is making the changes that matter to you? (q13 X Party closest to you)



# To what extent do you agree or disagree that if the Parliamentary opposition was in charge they would make the changes that matter to you? (q14 X Party closest to you)

■ Completely agree ■ Somewhat agree ■ Somewhat disagree ■ Completely disagree ■ DK ■ RA



To what extent do you agree or disagree that if the non-Parliamentary opposition was in charge they would make the changes that matter to you? (q15 X Party closest to you)



## After the parliamentary elections of October 2012 has the level of crime in Georgia ... (q12 X Party closest to you)

■ Increased ■ Stayed the same ■ Decreased ■ DK ■ RA National **Georgian Dream** No party UNM Refuse to answer Don't know Other 

## After the parliamentary elections of October 2012 has the number of jobs available in Georgia ... (q11 X Party closest to you)



# How important is it that there is a strong opposition party in the country? (q19)

November 2013 September 2013



## How important is it, if at all, that there is a strong opposition party in the country? (q19 X Party closest to you)



#### Which party do you consider to be the strongest opposition in Georgia? (q20) November 2013 September 2013 52 United National Movement 42 8 **Democratic Movement-United Georgia** 8 Labour Party 5 2 **Georgian Dream** 5 2 **Christian Democratic Movement** 2 2 Other 2 18 No party 24 10 DK 11 1 RA 0

# Party Support

### Which party is closest to you? (q56) Part 1

First choice Second choice



### Which party is closest to you? (q56) Part 2

First choice Second choice



# Which political party or bloc do you trust most to manage the following issues? (q59)

■ Georgian Dream Coalition ■ UNM ■ None ■ Other ■ DK ■ RA

Agriculture	70	5	53	16	2
Education	68	6	5 3	16	2
Healthcare	68	5	6 4	16	2
Pensions	68	6	53	17	2
Prisons	68	4	6 2	18	2
Gas supply	67	7	5 2	17	2
Availability of local medical services	66	5	5 3	18	2
Roads	66	8	52	17	2
Human Rights	66	56	4	18	2
Taxes	66	4 6	4	18	2
Cost of communal services	65	4 6	5	18	2
Transportation costs	65	4 6	2	19	2
Jobs	64	6 7	3	18	2
Crime	64	9	<mark>6 3</mark>	18	2
Poverty	63	6 8	3	18	2
<b>Rising prices / Inflation</b>	63	6 8	3	19	2
<b>Relations with Russia</b>	63	49	4	18	2
NATO Membership	59	8 8	3	20	2
Territorial integrity	59	5 11	4	20	1