## CITIZENS ATTITUDES TOWARD SOCIO-ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN LEBANON

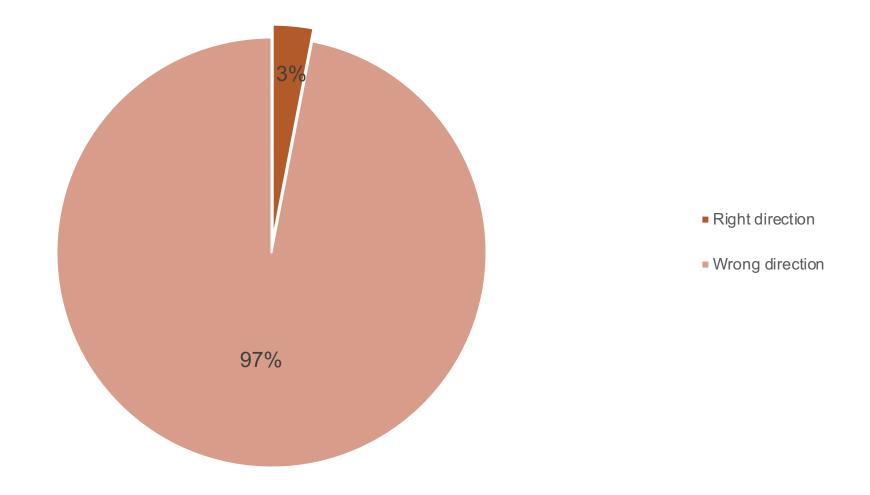
March – April 2021 Survey Findings

National Democratic Institute

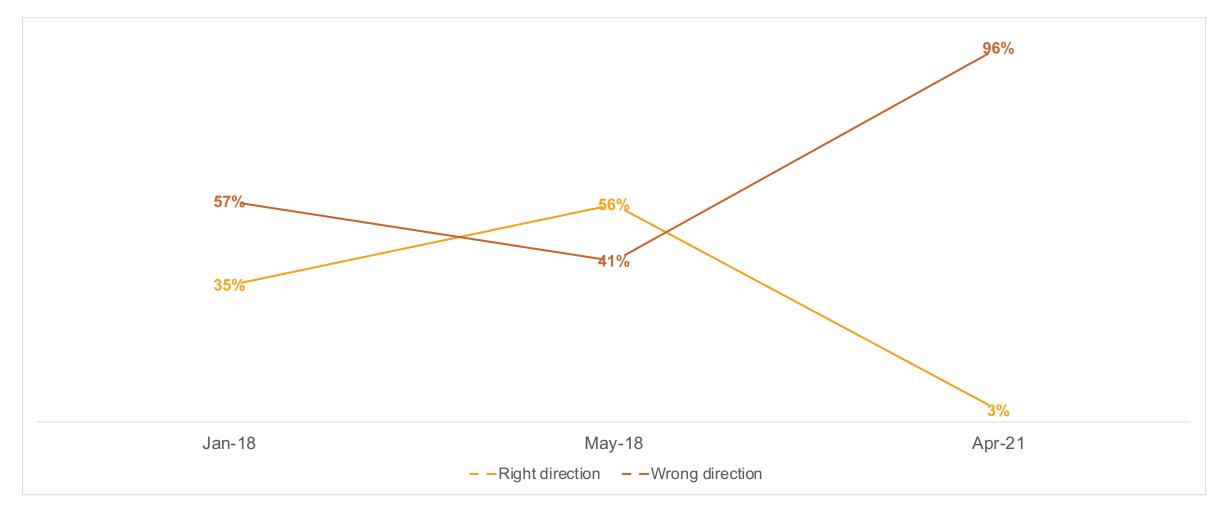
### THE RESEARCH

- National telephone survey conducted March 10 to April 6, 2021
- 2,406 respondents surveyed
  - Beirut = 285
  - Mount Lebanon = 451
  - North Lebanon = 412
  - Bekaa = 400
  - South Lebanon = 375
  - Nabatieh = 383
- Margin of Error (MoE) on national sample: +/- 5.0 percent

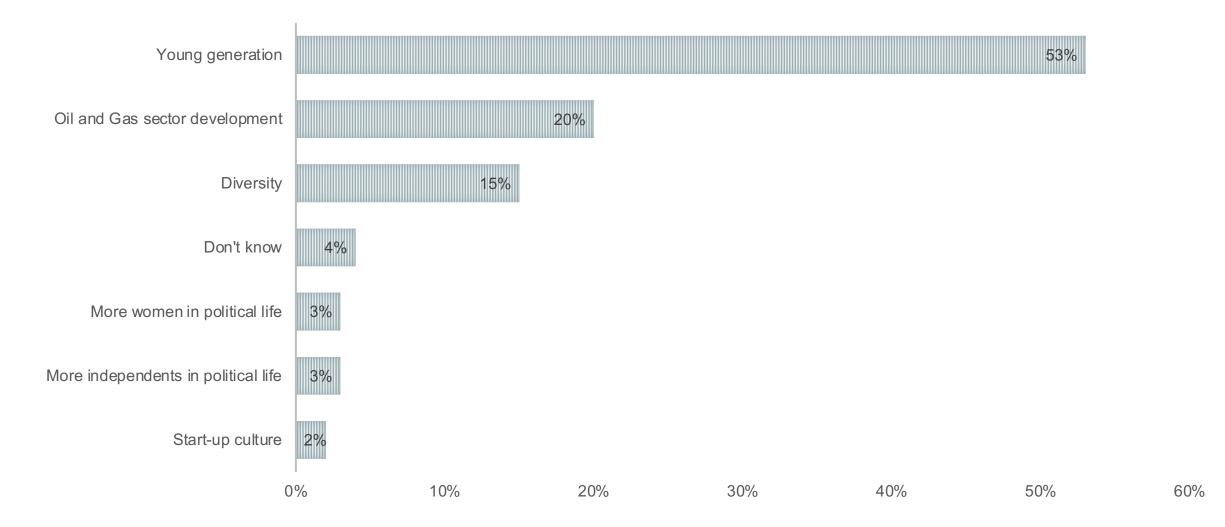
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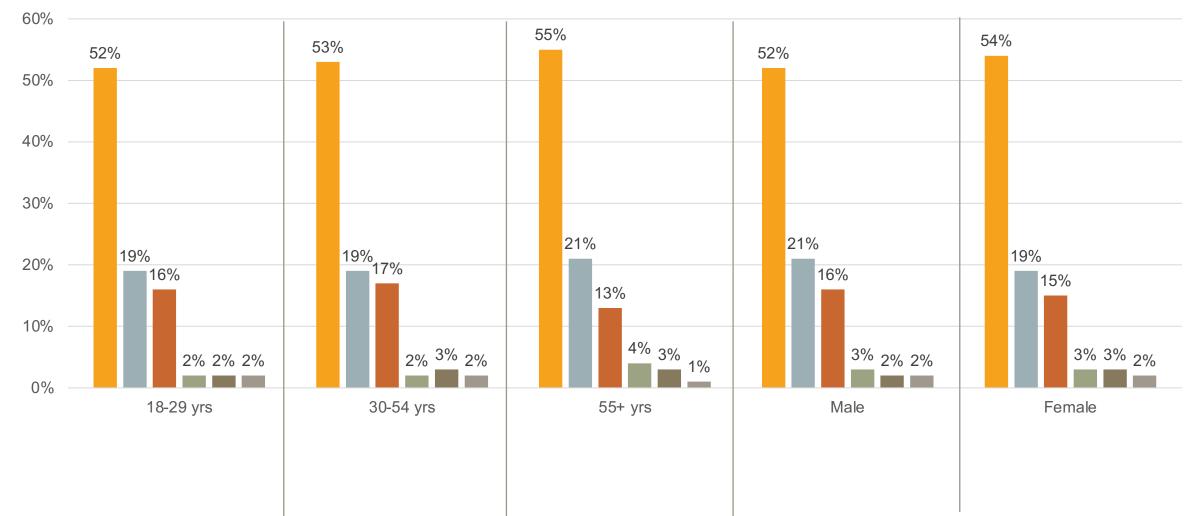


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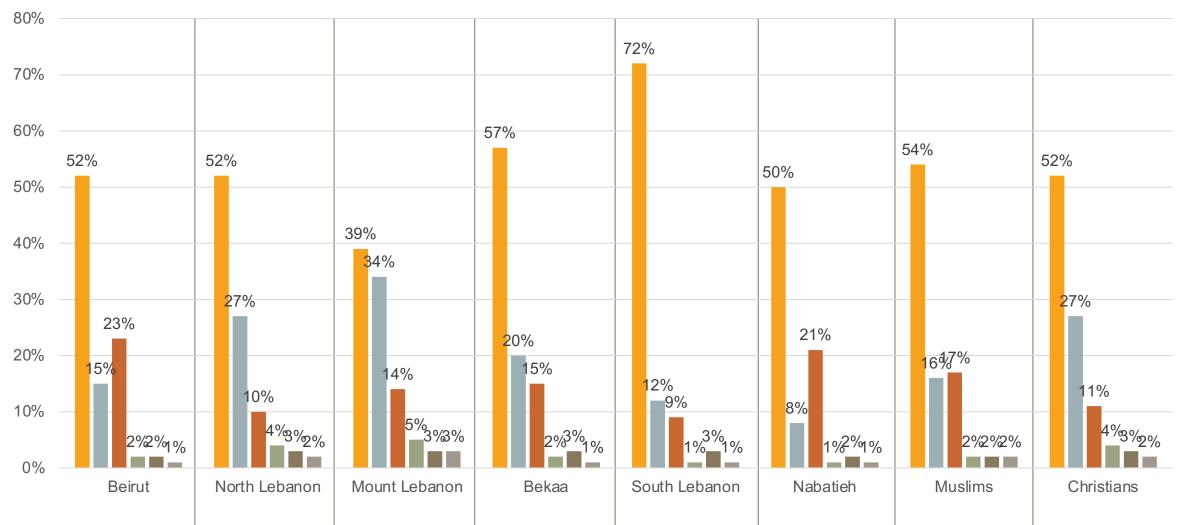
#### What do you see as Lebanon's greatest asset? (AGE/GENDER)

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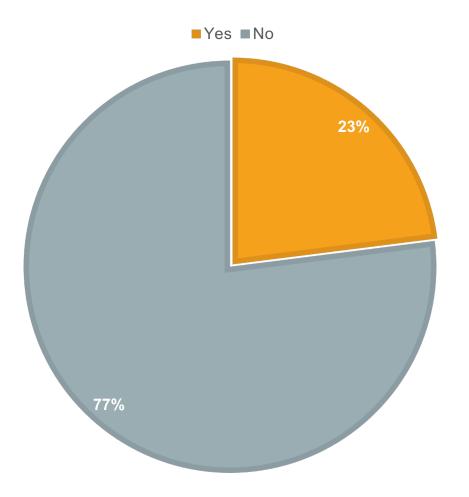


#### What do you see as Lebanon's greatest asset? (GOVERNORATE/RELIGION)

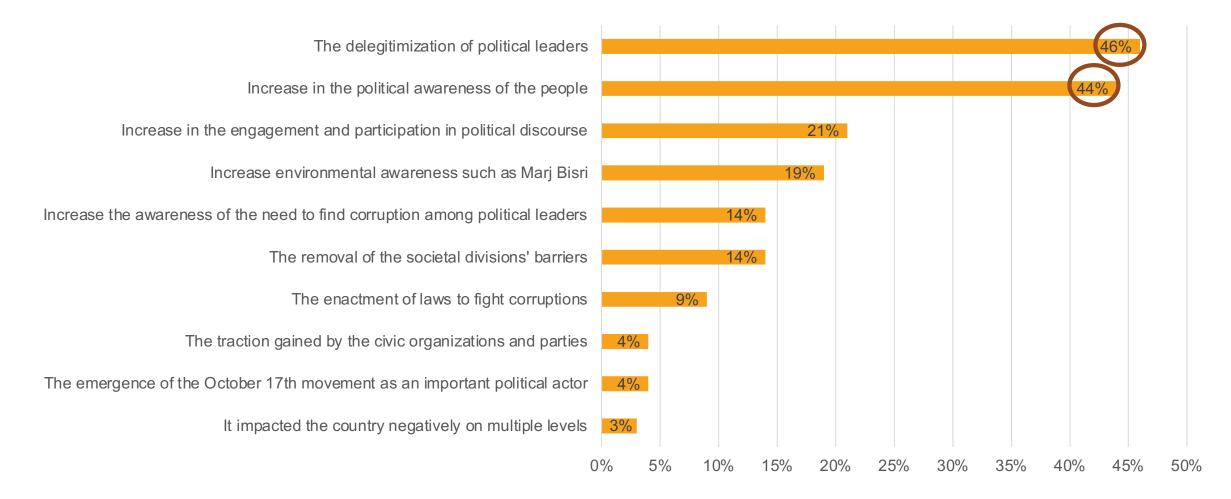
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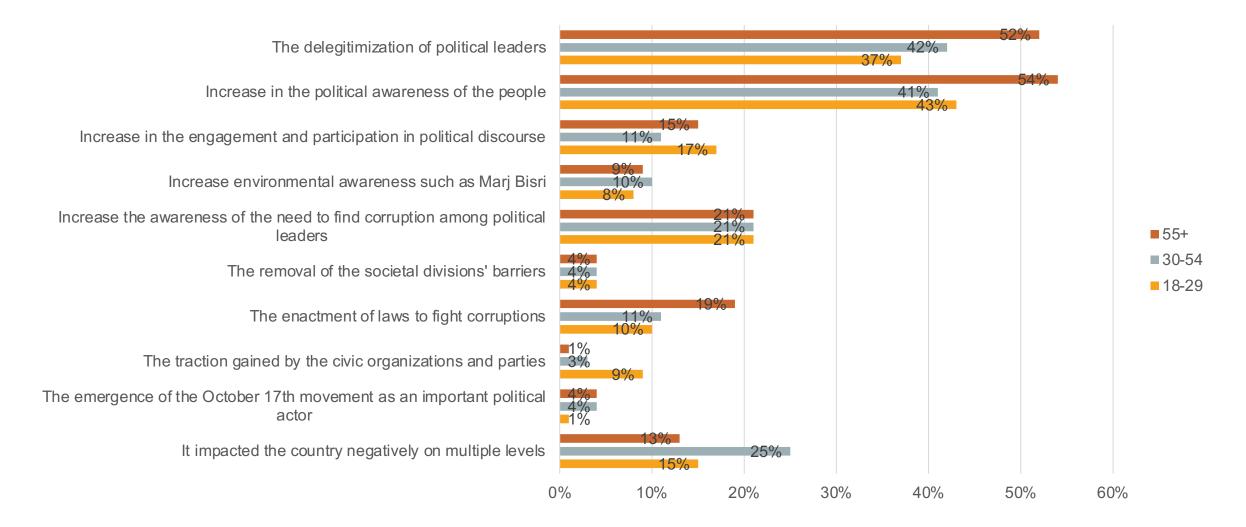
Do you believe that the October 2019 protests movement brought change to the political environment in Lebanon? (TOTAL)



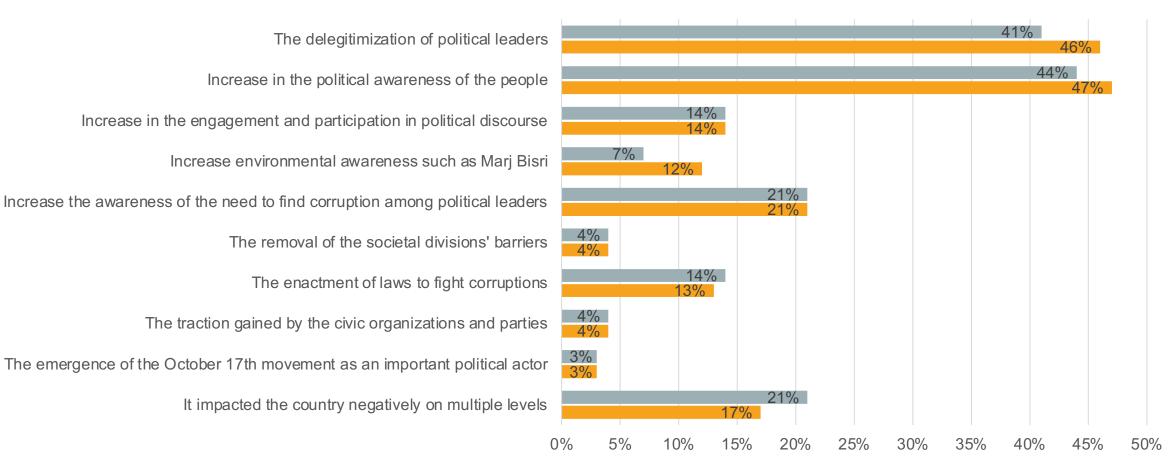
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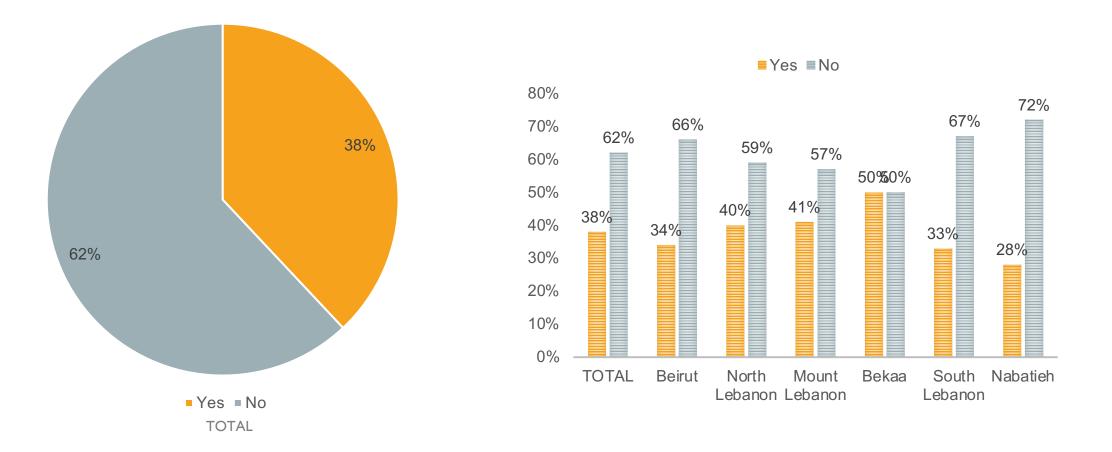


If yes, in your opinion, what were the important changes? (GENDER)

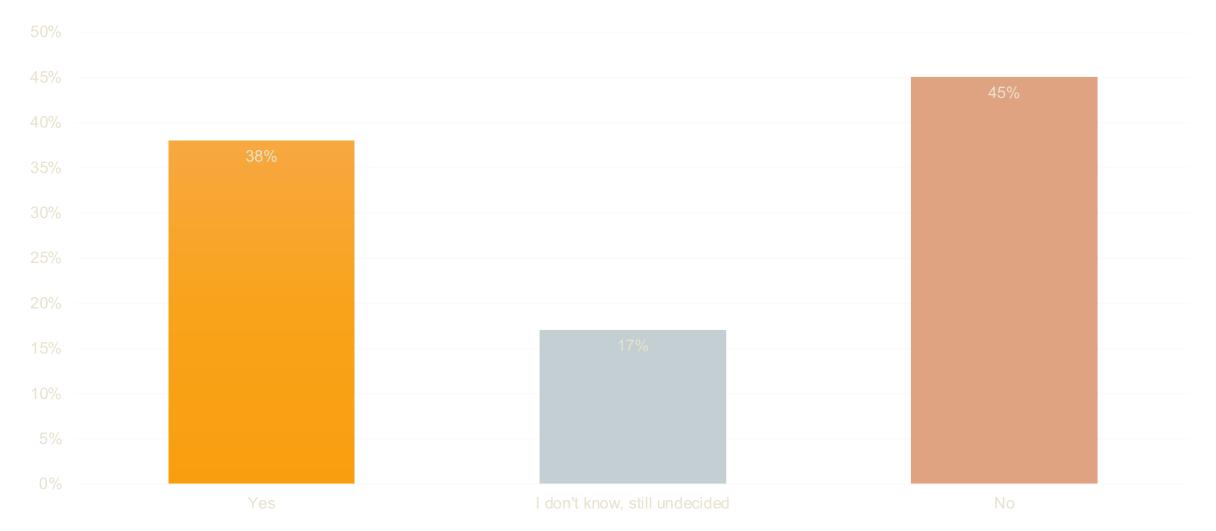


Female Male

In your opinion, do you believe that the October 2019 protest movement changed political discourse among citizens from sectarian language to more national and civil rights language? (TOTAL/GOVERNORATE)



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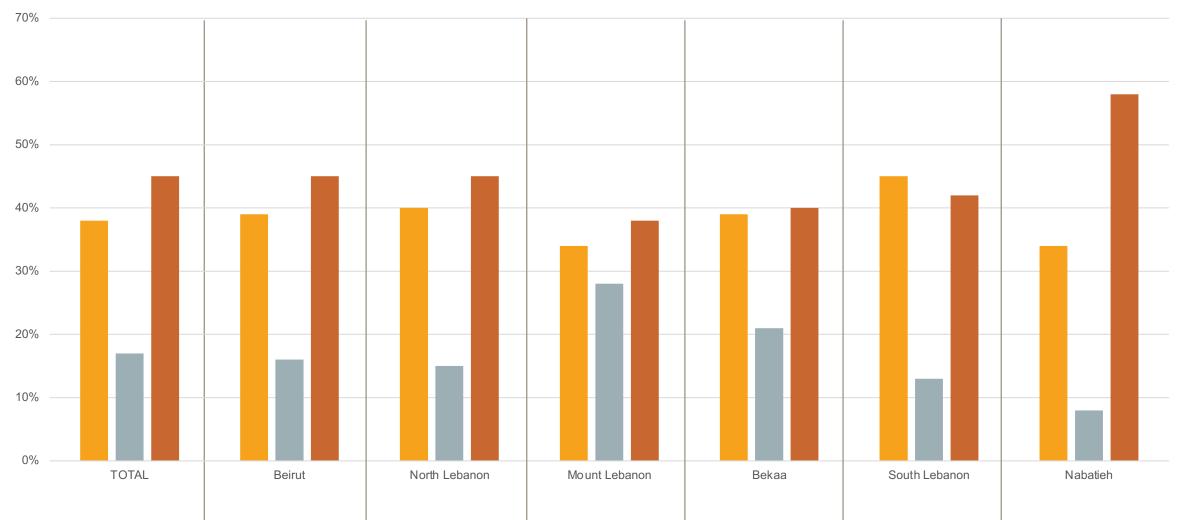
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60% 52% 50% 48% 45% 44% 42% 42% 41% 40% 40% 40% 38% 33% 32% 30% 20% 20% 20% 17% 17% 15% 14% 10% 0% TOTAL 18-29 yrs 30-54 yrs 55+ yrs Male Female

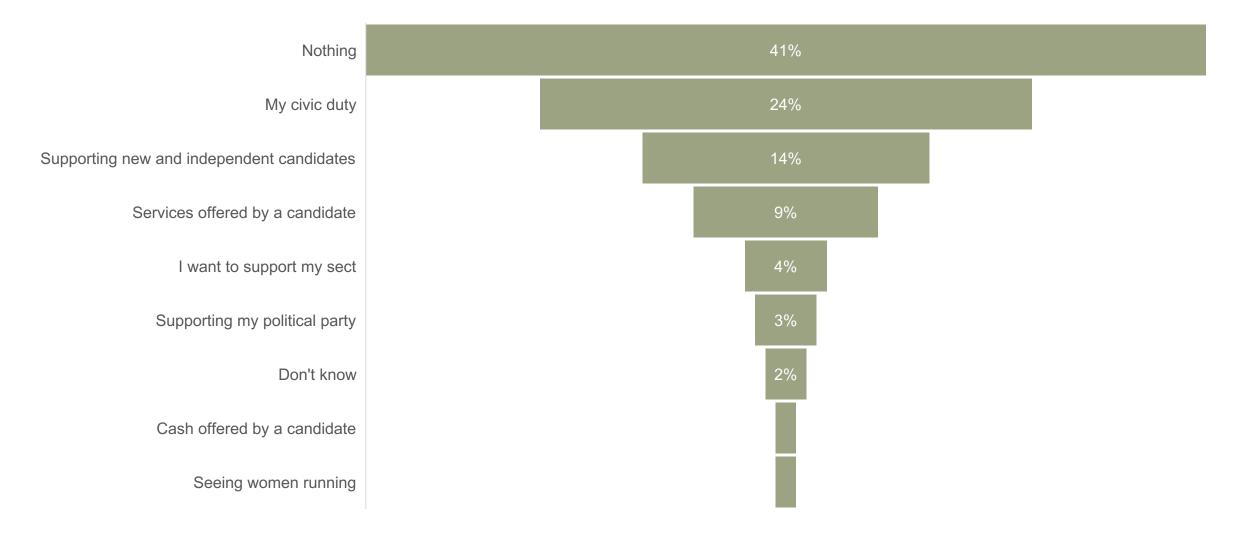
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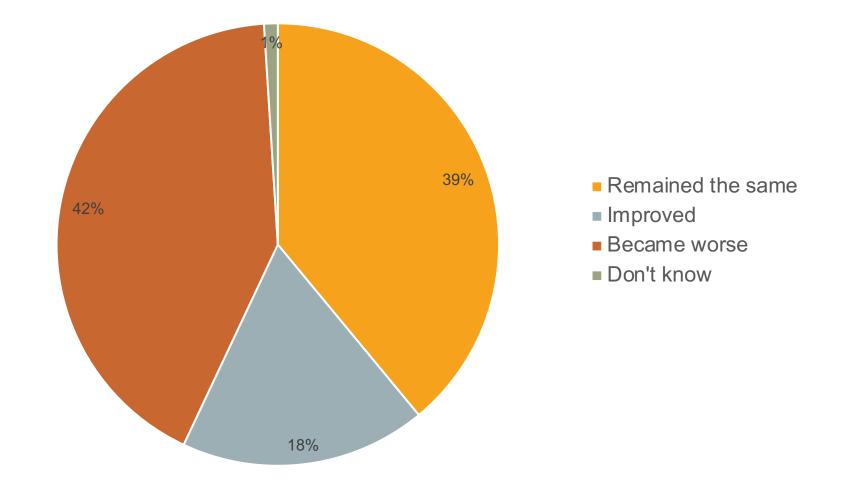
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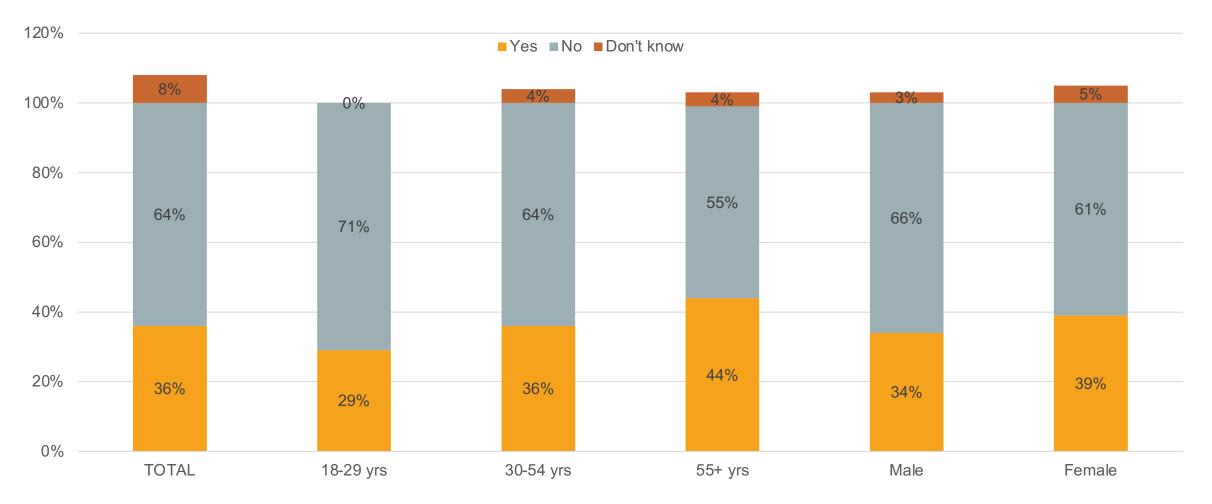
#### What will motivate you the most to vote? (TOTAL)



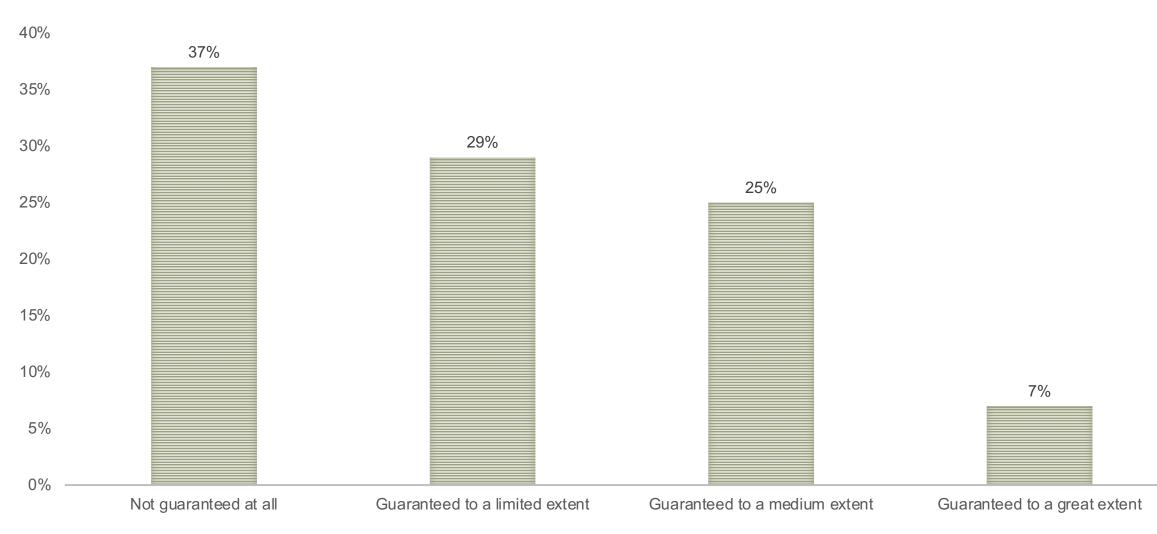
In your opinion, since the protests, has Lebanese media (TV, radio stations, newspaper, and online sites)... (TOTAL)



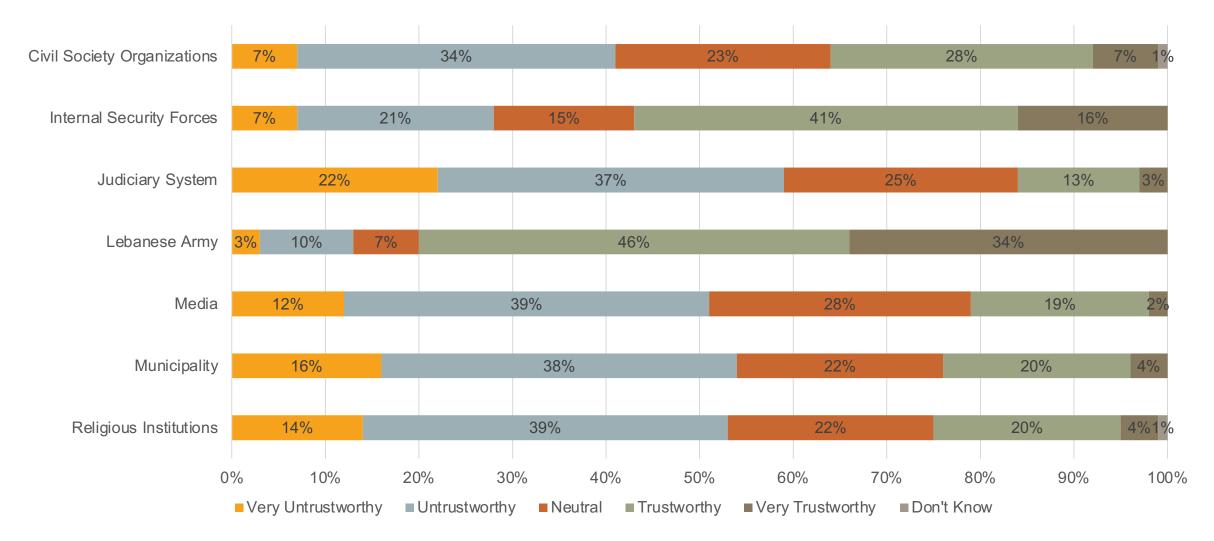
In general, do you trust Lebanese media (TV, radio stations, newspapers, and online sites)? (AGE/GENDER)



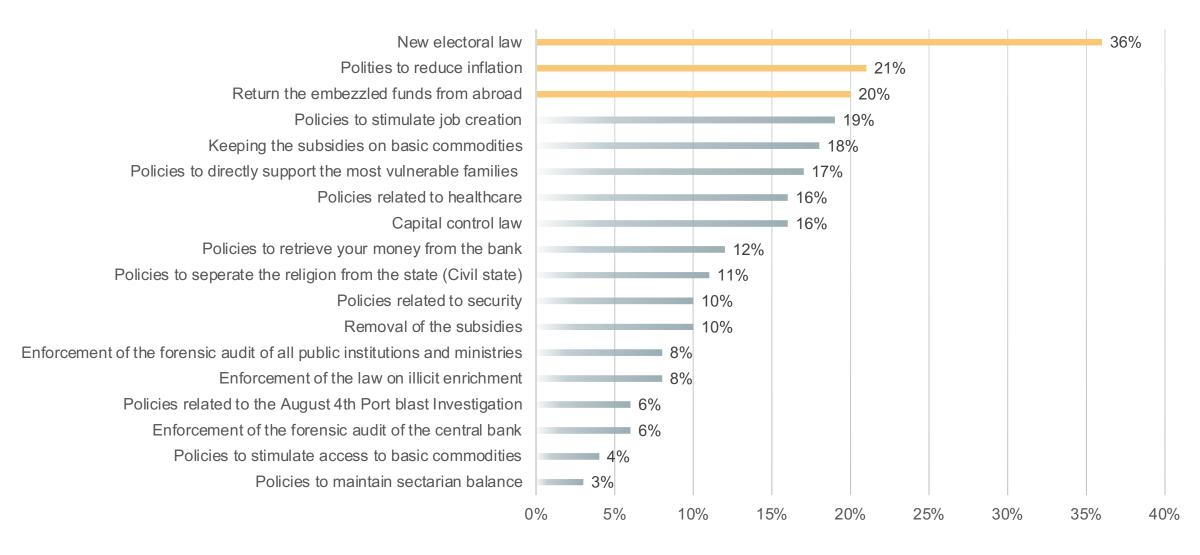
To what extent do you think freedom of the media is guaranteed when criticizing the government? (TOTAL)



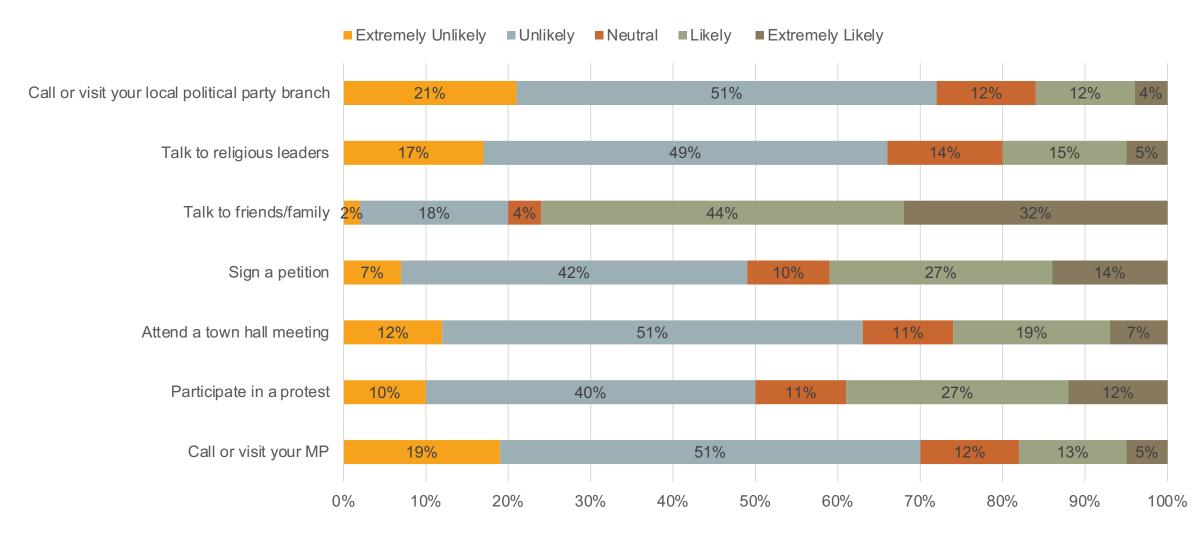
#### On a scale of I (lowest) to 5 (highest) how do you rate the following institutions? (TOTAL)



What are the TOP THREE policies/laws the government could enact that would have the most benefit? (TOTAL)



#### When thinking about FIGHTING CORRUPTION, how likely are you to...? (TOTAL)



#### When thinking about the ECONOMY, how likely are you to...? (TOTAL)

