

Methodology: face-to-face

Special Eurobarometer 490

Climate Change

Croatia

April 2019

1. COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

More than seven in ten respondents in Croatia consider climate change to be a 'very serious' problem (72% vs the EU average of 79%) an increase of two percentage points (pp) since 2017. The proportion of respondents who identify climate change as the single most serious problem facing the world has increased by three pp to 11% (though is below the EU average of 23%).

More than half of all respondents (53% vs the EU average of 60%) say that they have taken personal action to fight climate change in the past six months, which is an increase of 15 pp since 2017. When given specific examples of climate actions, the proportion increases to 91% (vs the EU average of 93%).

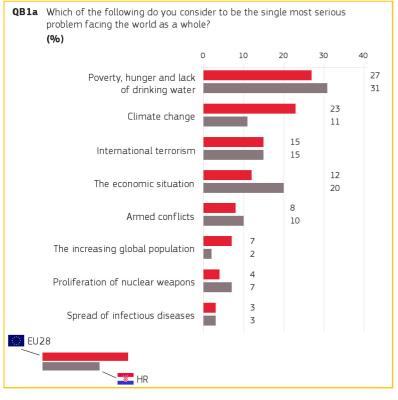
· Respondents in Croatia are now much more likely to say that lower energy consumption is an important factor in their choice of household appliances (an increase of 19 pp to 39%, though less than the EU average of 48%), and that they try to reduce waste and separate it for recycling (an increase of 14 pp to 68%, but still below the EU average of 75%).

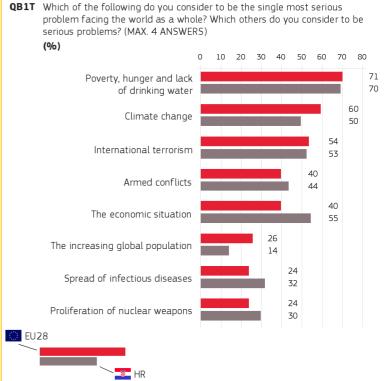
Respondents in Croatia are more likely to agree that reducing fossil fuel imports can increase energy security and benefit the EU economically (79%, above the EU average of 72%), and that adapting to the adverse impacts of climate change can have positive outcomes for citizens (75% vs the EU average of 70%).

A large majority of respondents in Croatia (87%, increased by seven pp, and above the EU average of 84%) believe that more public financial support should be given to the transition to clean energies.

Most importantly, the vast majority of respondents in Croatia (93%, just above the EU average of 92%) support the aim of making the EU economy climate-neutral by 2050.

2. EUROPEAN PERCEPTIONS OF CLIMATE CHANGE 1/2









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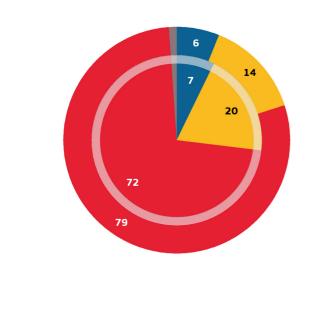
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QB2 And how serious a problem do you think climate change is at this moment? Please use a scale from 1 to 10, with '1' meaning it is "not at all a serious problem" and '10' meaning it is "an extremely serious problem".

3. EUROPEAN PERCEPTIONS OF CLIMATE CHANGE 2/2

(%)

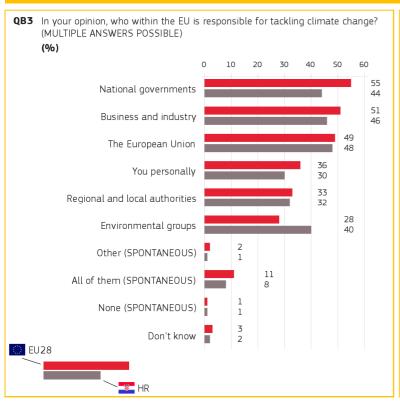


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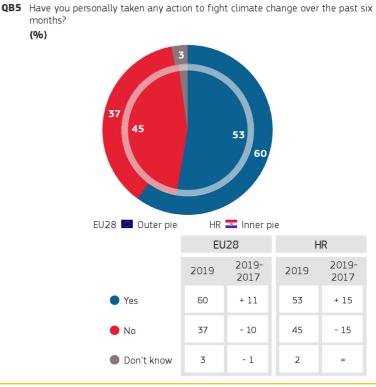




4. TAKING ACTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE 1/2



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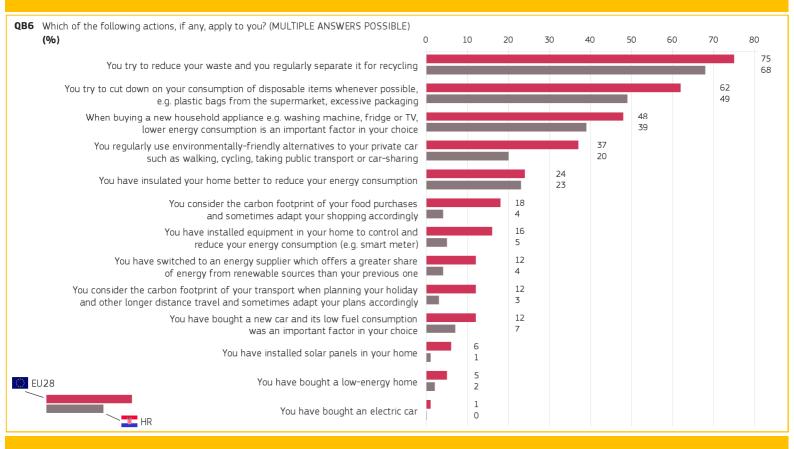
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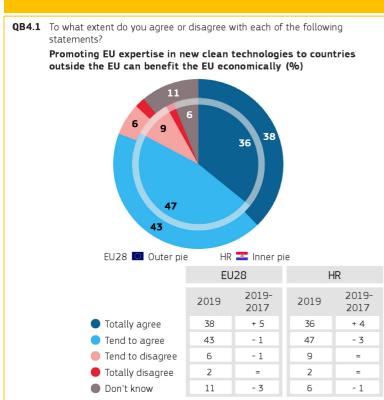
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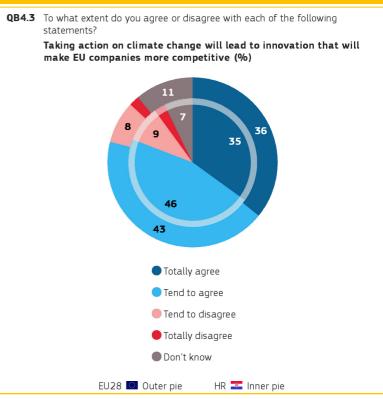
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5. TAKING ACTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE 2/2



6. ATTITUDES TO FIGHTING CLIMATE CHANGE

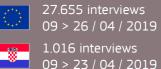






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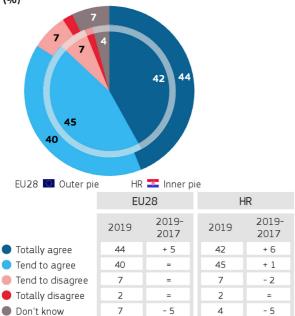
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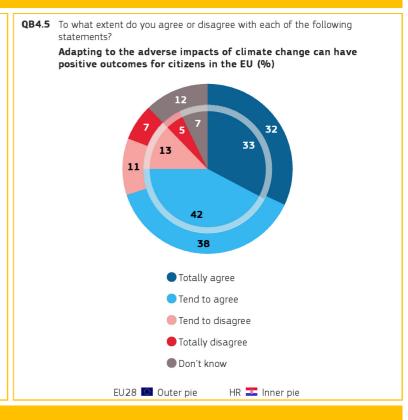
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7. ATTITUDES TOWARDS TRANSITION TO CLEAN ENERGIES AND ADAPTING TO THE ADVERSE IMPACTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE

QB4.4 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following

More public financial support should be given to the transition to clean energies even if it means subsidies to fossil fuels should be reduced (%)





8. LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

QB7 How important do you think it is that the (NATIONALITY) government sets ambitious targets to increase the amount of renewable energy used, such as wind or solar power, by 2030?

(%)

