27.901 interviews 18 > 27 / 03 / 2017	European Commission	Special Eurobarometer 459
1.048 interviews 18 > 26 / 03 / 2017		Climate Change
Methodology: face-to-face	Croatia	March 2017
1. COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS		

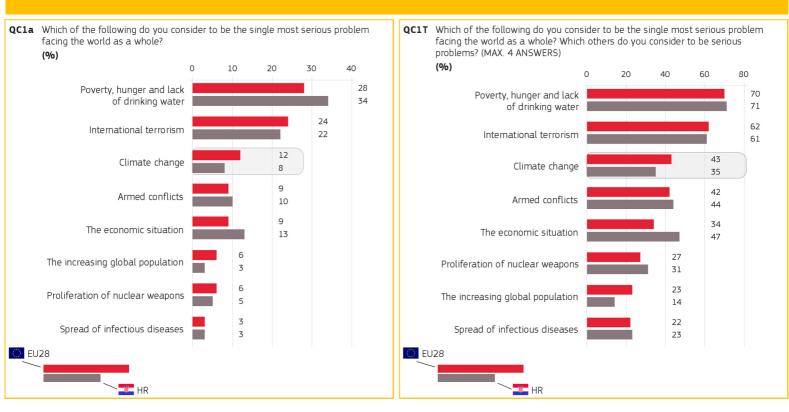
Seven in ten respondents in Croatia consider climate change to be a 'very serious' problem (70%, EU average 74%). However, fewer than one in ten see it as the most serious problem facing the world (8%, EU average 12%), a 9 percentage point decline since the previous survey in 2015.

Less than four in ten of those surveyed (38%, EU average 49%) say they have taken personal action to fight climate change in the past six months, yet when given specific examples this more than doubles, to 82%, suggesting that many do not associate certain actions with tackling climate change.

• Over half of respondents in Croatia try to reduce waste and regularly separate it for recycling (54%, EU average 71%), while more than four in ten try to cut down on consumption of disposable items whenever possible (44%, EU average 56%).

• Just over one-third say they buy locally produced and seasonal food whenever possible (35%, EU average 41%), a share that has fallen by 5 pp since 2015.

Respondents in Croatia are more likely than the average EU respondent to agree that fighting climate change and using energy more efficiently can boost the economy and jobs in the EU (84%, EU average 79%) and that promoting EU expertise in new clean technologies to third countries can benefit the EU economically (82%, EU average 77%).



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2. EUROPEAN PERCEPTIONS OF CLIMATE CHANGE 1/2

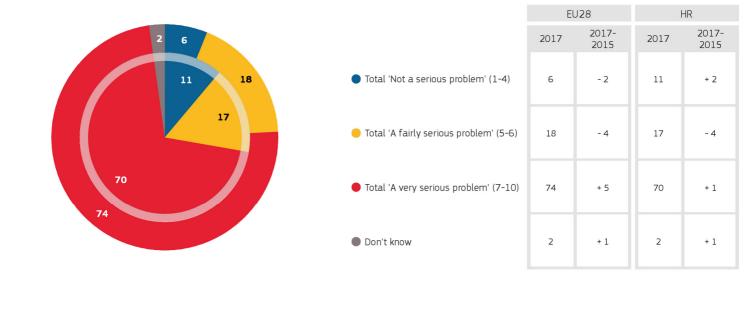
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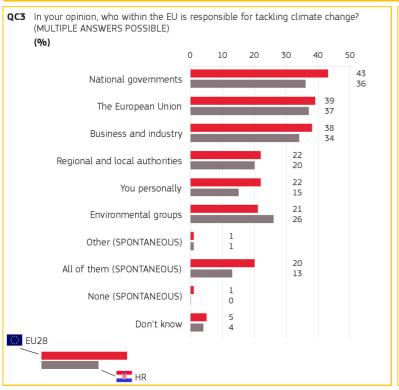
QC2 And how serious a problem do you think climate change is at this moment? Please use a scale from 1 to 10, with '1' meaning it is "not at all a serious problem" and '10' meaning it is "an extremely serious problem".





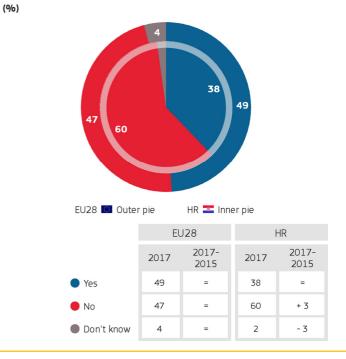


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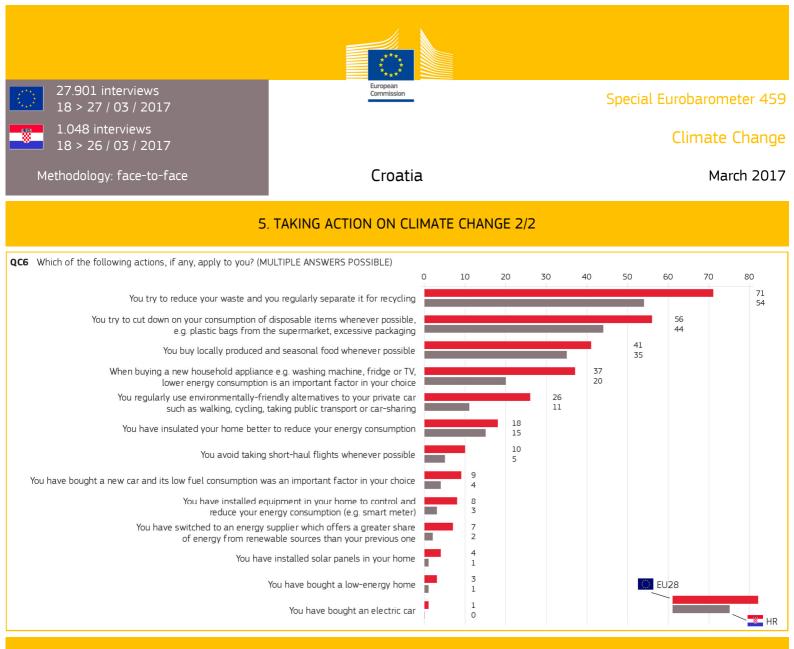
4. TAKING ACTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE 1/2

QC5 Have you personally taken any action to fight climate change over the past six months?



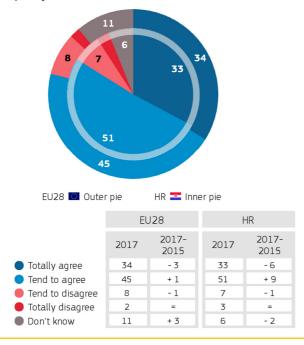
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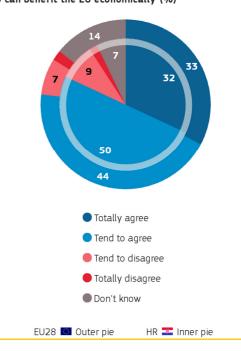


6. ATTITUDES TO FIGHTING CLIMATE CHANGE

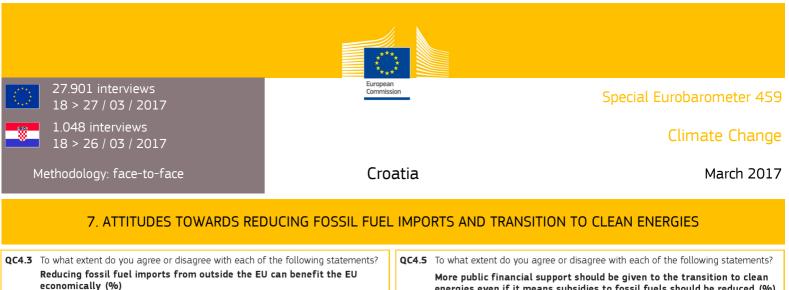
QC4.1 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Fighting climate change and using energy more efficiently can boost the economy and jobs in the EU (%)

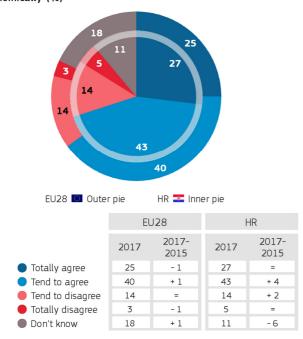


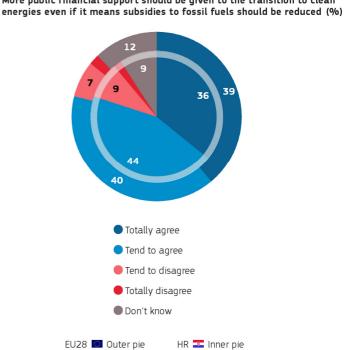
QC4.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements? Promoting EU expertise in new clean technologies to countries outside the EU can benefit the EU economically (%)

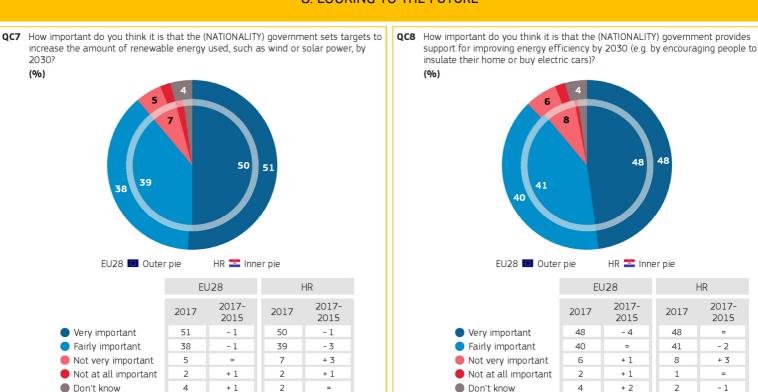


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8. LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

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