



Transitional Governance Project: Libyan Post-Election Survey (LPES)

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- Egypt:
 - December 2012, 600 elite respondents (BASEERA)
 - September-October 2012, 4080 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)
 - June 2012, 1200 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)
 - May 2012, 1200 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)
 - November 2011-January 2012, 3600 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)
 - October 2011, 2200 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)
 - September 2011, 2200 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)
 - August 2011, 2200 respondents (Al-Ahram Center for Political and Strategic Studies/Danish-Egyptian Dialogue Institute)

- Tunisia:
 - October-November 2012, 1202 respondents (Benstead, Lust, Malouche)

- Libya:
 - May 2013, 1200 respondents (Diwan Market Research)
 - September 2013, 1200 respondents (Diwan Market Research)

Libyan Post-Election Survey (LPES)

- Three nationally-representative surveys of 1200 Libyans conducted May 2013, September 2013, and January 2014 (expected)
- Funded and implemented by the National Democratic Institute (NDI)
- Conducted by Diwan Research (Nedal Swehli)

Methodology

- Questionnaire development
- Supervisor and interviewer training (May 2013, Tripoli)
- Sampling and field materials
- Fieldwork
- Data coding, cleaning, and analysis



Sampling

- Probability Proportional to Size (PPS) sample of 21 among 667 mahala, stratified by electoral constituency and region
- Household-level survey with random within household selection using Kish tables

Questionnaire Topics

Data figures created by JMW Consulting

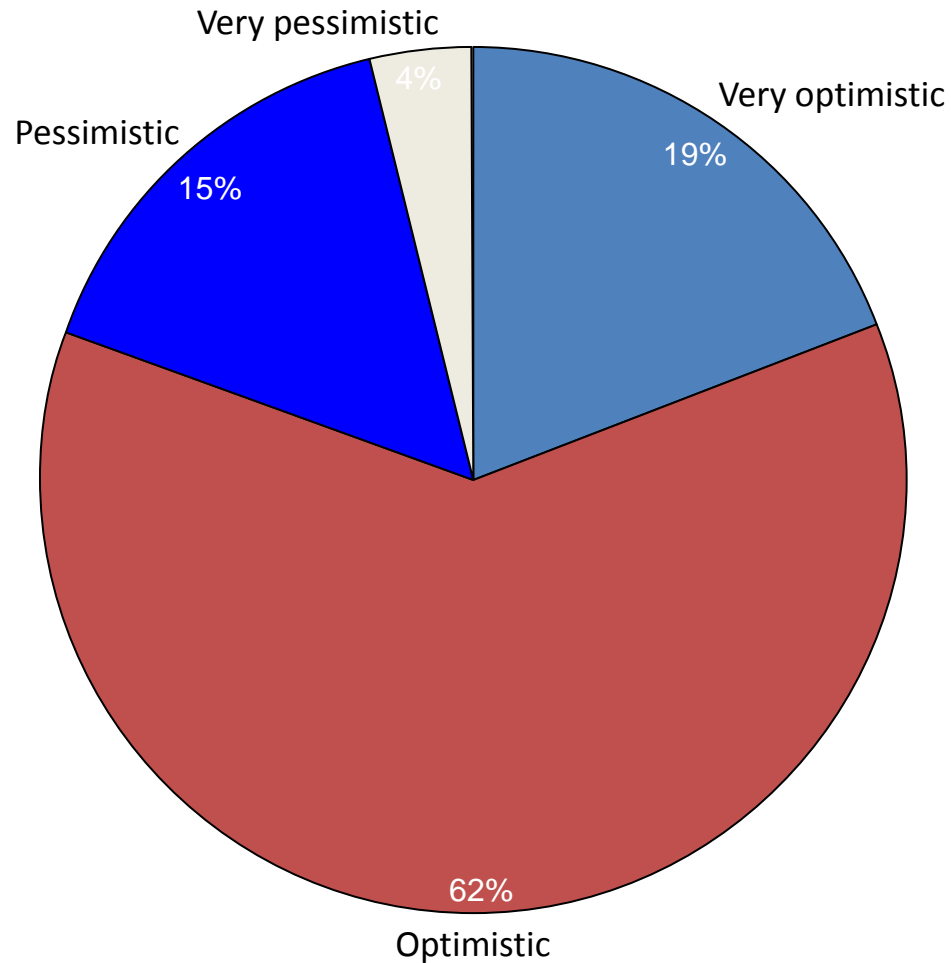
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- Current events
- GNC performance
- Presidential candidates
- Political parties
- Democracy, institutions, and participation
- Religion and identity
- Women

Current Affairs:

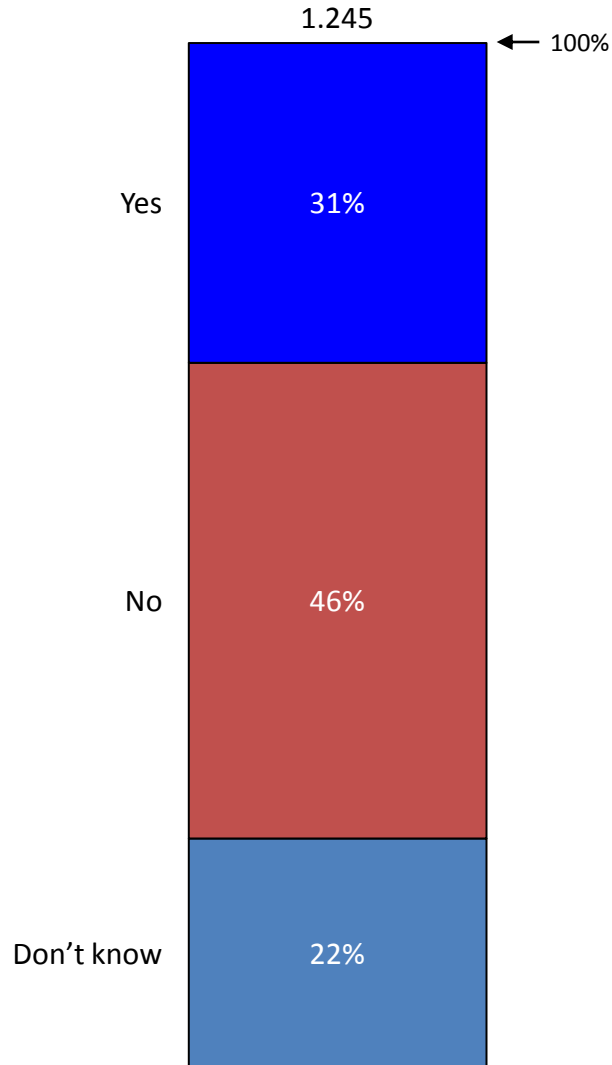
81 % of Libyans are optimistic about Libya's current situation

Generally speaking, how can you describe your feelings towards Libya's current situation?

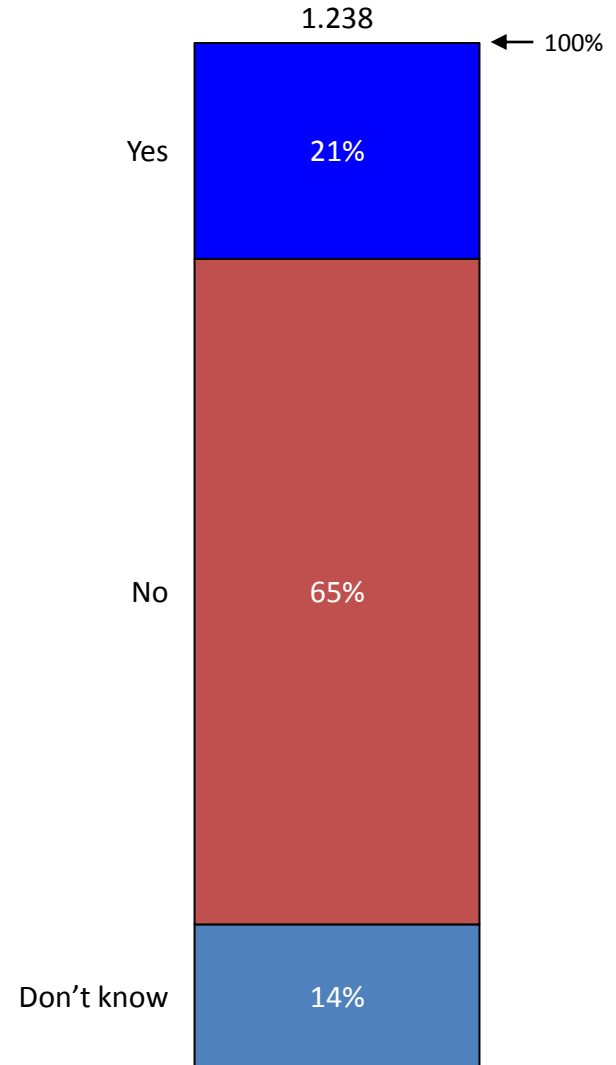


Performance of the General National Congress: Majority unhappy with efforts to ensure reconciliation and establishing constitutional committee

Has the GNC taken appropriate steps in establishing the Constitutional Committee?



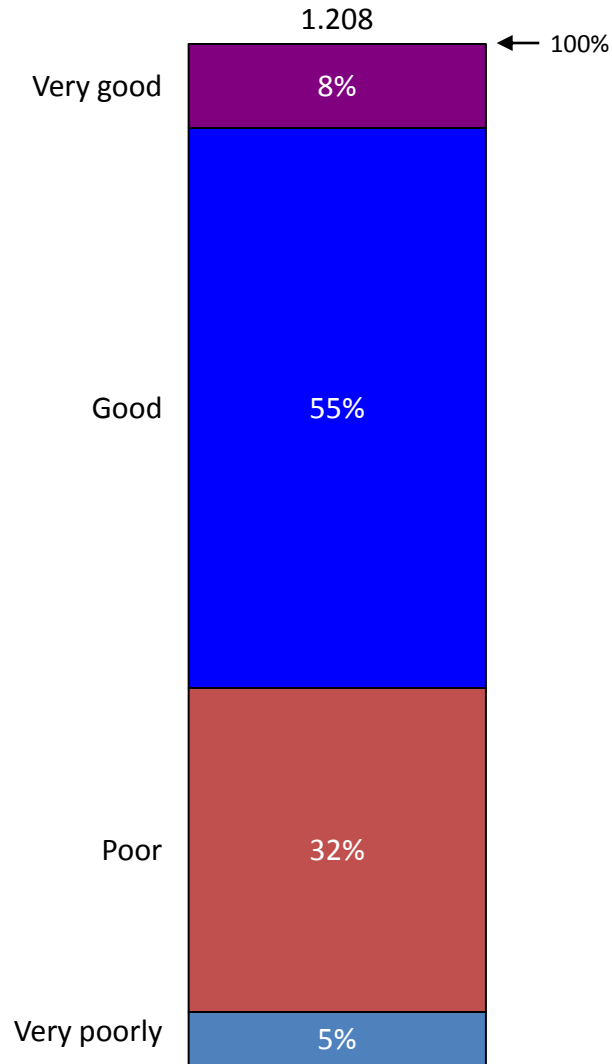
Has the GNC taken the right steps to ensure national reconciliation?



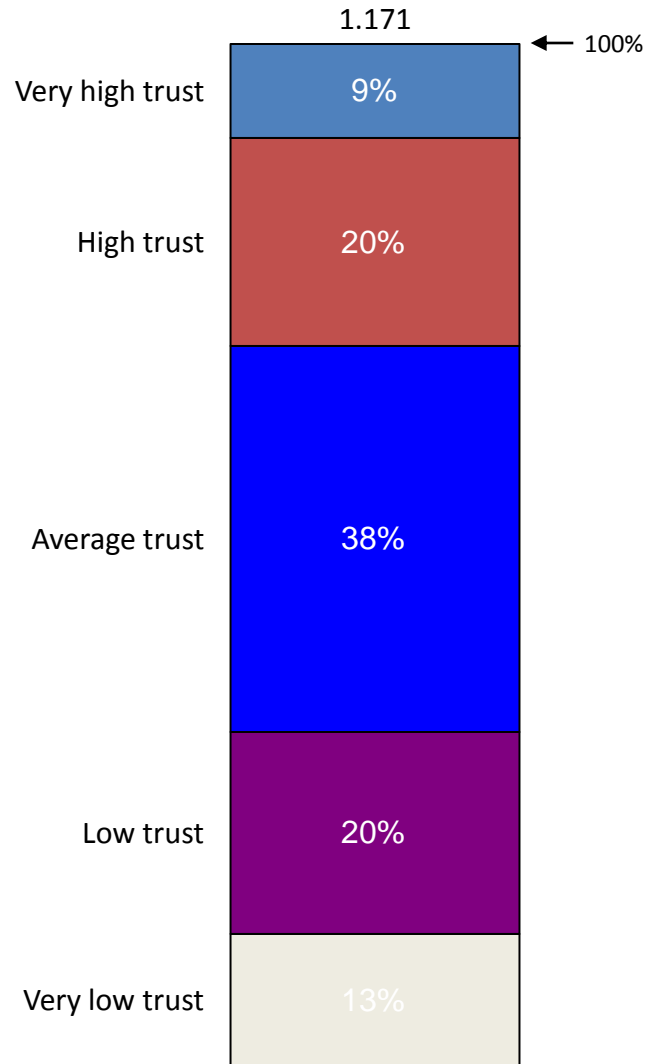
Performance of the General National Congress:

Majority is satisfied with the performance of the GNC

How do you evaluate the performance of the GNC?

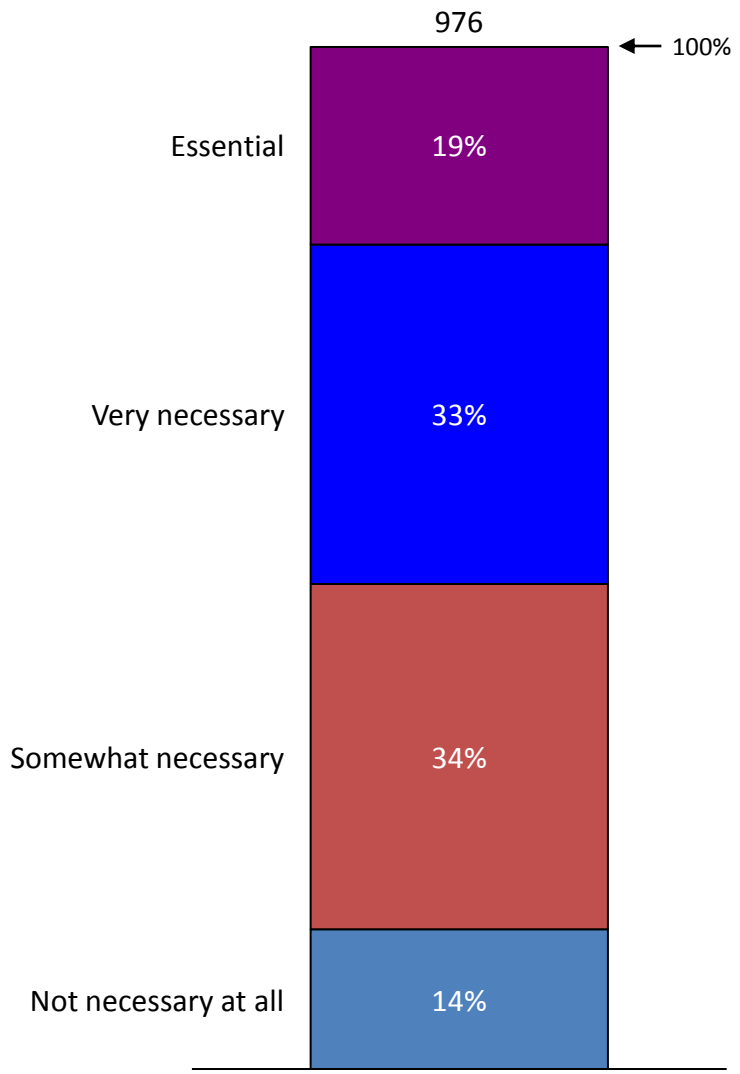


To what extent do you trust the GNC to improve Libya's future?

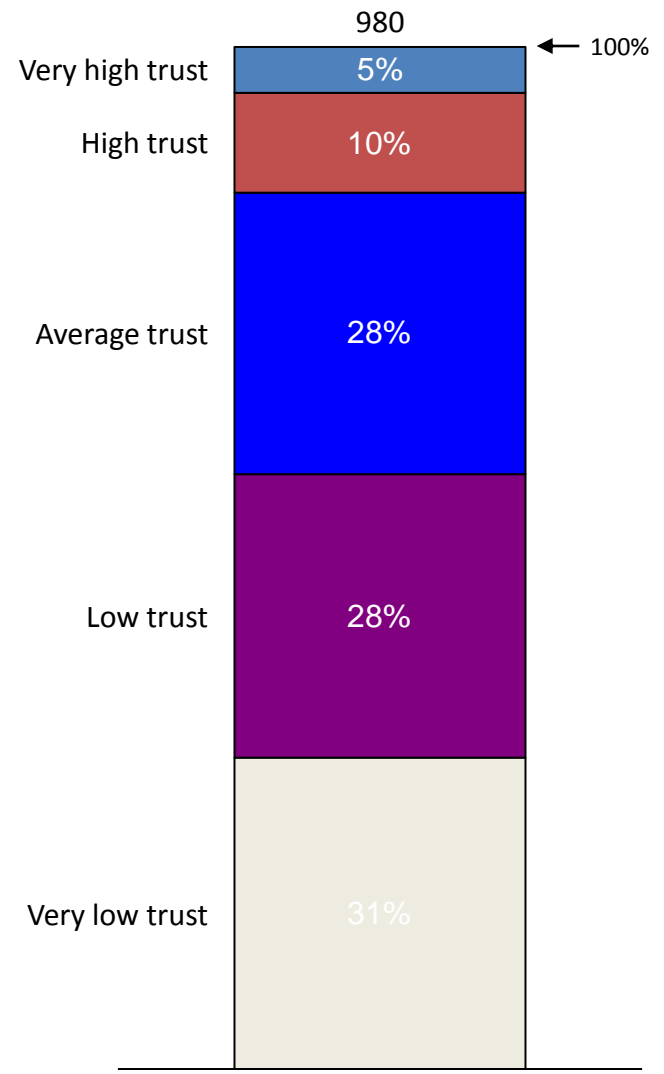


Political parties: Parties are viewed as necessary for democracy, but majority have low trust in parties

To what extent do you think political parties are necessary for a democracy?

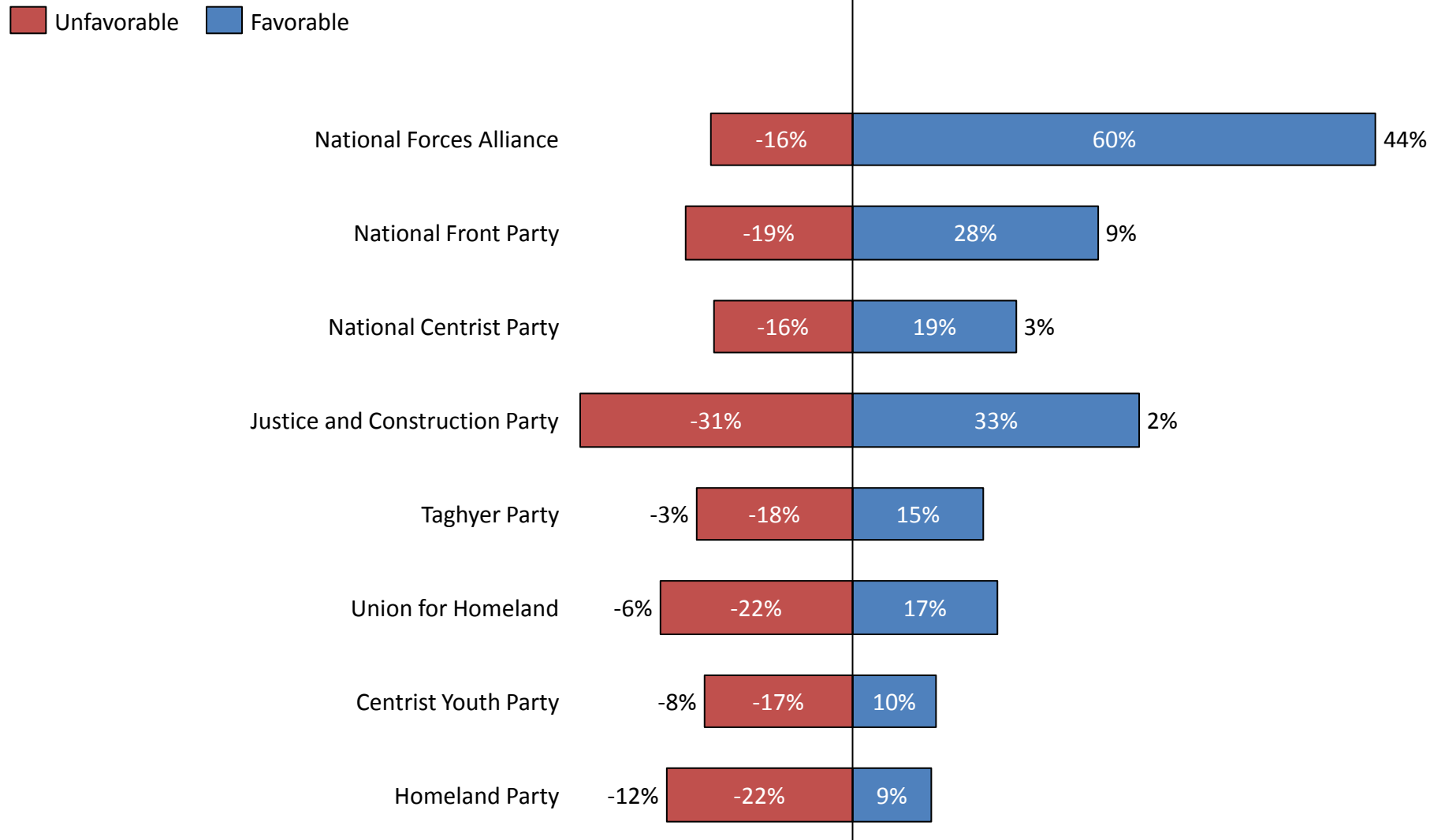


To what extent do you trust the political parties?



Political parties: National Forces Alliance has highest favorability rating (ranked by net favorability)

For each of the following, please tell me if you feel positively, negatively about the party, or if you don't know the party well enough to have an opinion

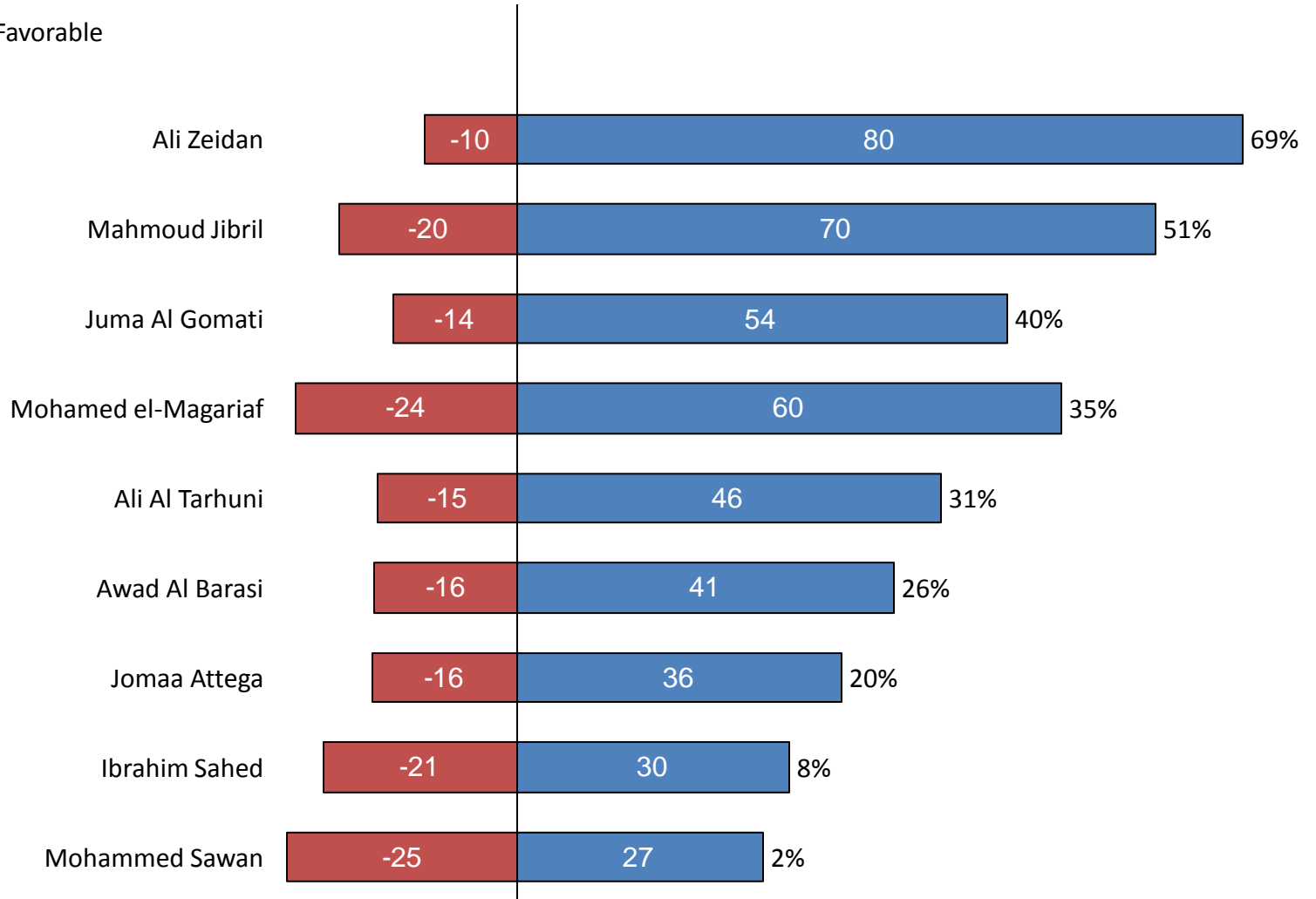


Political leaders:

Ali Zeidan is the most favored political leader (ranking by net favorability)

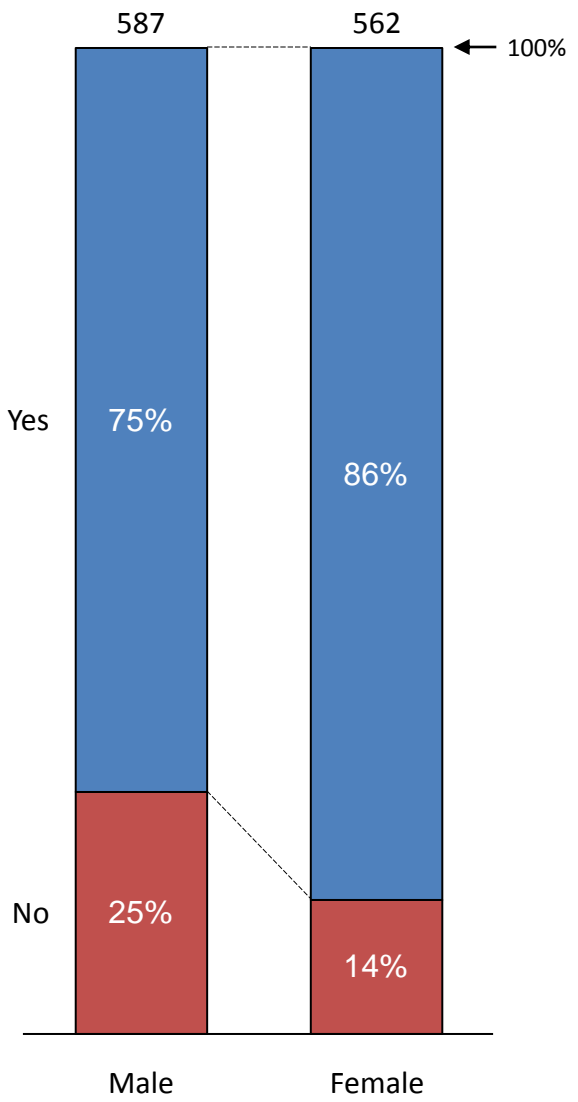
For each of the following, please tell me if you feel positively, negatively about the individual

Unfavorable Favorable

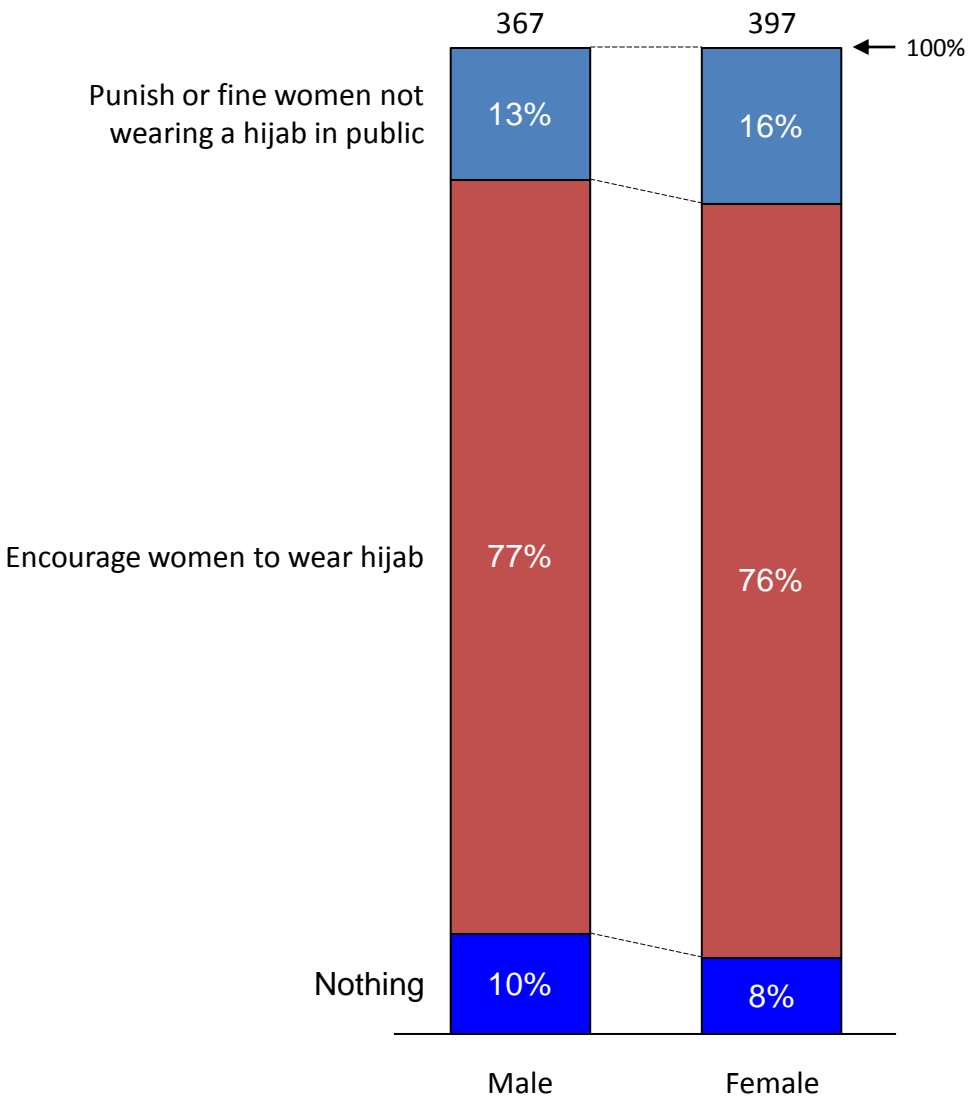


Women: Women believe to a larger extent that women should wear a hijab and that the state should punish women who do not.

Do you believe that women should wear a hijab?



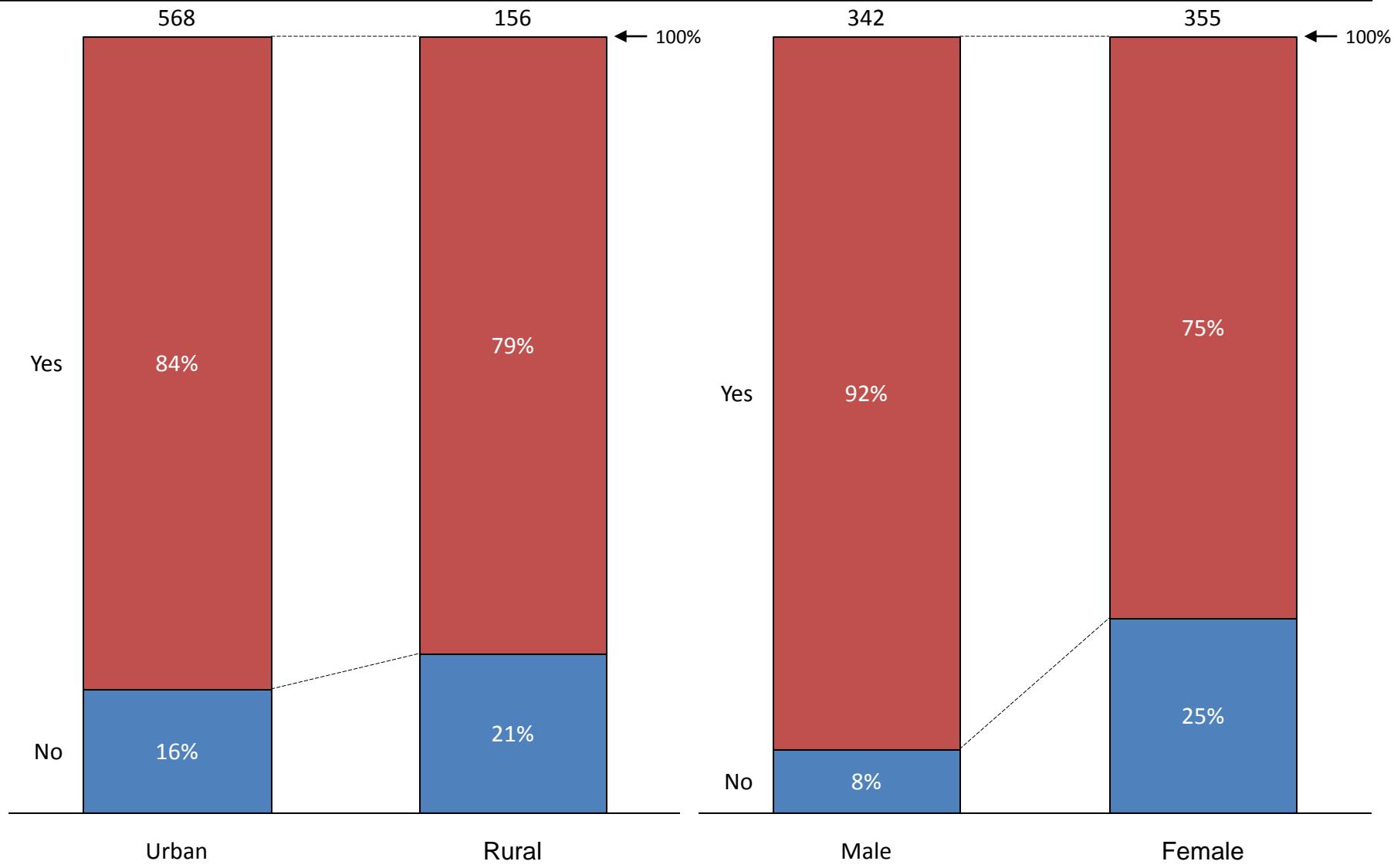
What should the state do to ensure that women wear a hijab?



Participation:

Intention of voting less pronounced among women

Would you vote if parliamentary elections were held tomorrow?



Analysis

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