



Survey about the current political situation in Catalonia. 2014

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Technical specifications

Press report, Survey about the current political situation in Catalonia 2014

Summary

Level of confidence:	95%
Variance	$p=q=50\%$
Sample size:	1,100 individuals
Sampling error:	$\pm 2.95\%$

Scope: Catalonia

Univers: Spanish citizens of 18 years of age and more who live in Catalonia

Method of data collection:

Computer Assisted Telephone Interview (CATI)

Sampling procedure:

Stratification by province and town size, with selection of last sample units (individuals) using place of birth, sex and age crossed quotas.

Town size is divided into 6 categories:

- less or equal to 2,000 inhabitants
- from 2,001 and 10,000 inhabitants
- from 10,001 and 50,000 inhabitants
- from 50,001 and 150,000 inhabitants
- from 150,001 and 1,000,000 inhabitants
- more than 1 million inhabitants

To calculate the quotas we use the official statistics from the *Padró continu de població* from the year 2013. The age quotas correspond to the following intervals:

- 18 to 24 years of age
- 25 to 34 years of age
- 35 to 49 years of age
- 50 to 64 years of age
- 65 and more years of age

Sample size:

1,100 interviews with the following territorial distribution:

• Barcelona	820
• Girona	103
• Lleida	63
• Tarragona	114

Allocation:

Proportional

Sampling error:

The overall margin of error of the survey is $\pm 2.95\%$, for a confidence level of 95% (1.96 sigma) and under the assumption of maximum indetermination ($p=q=50\%$).

Fieldwork:

The fieldwork has been performed by Instituto DYM, from the 9th to the 13th of December 2014.

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Main results

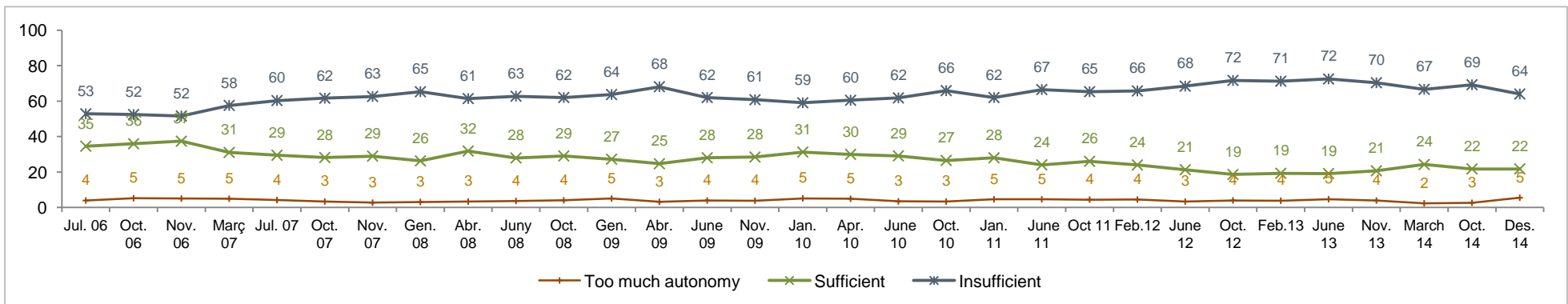
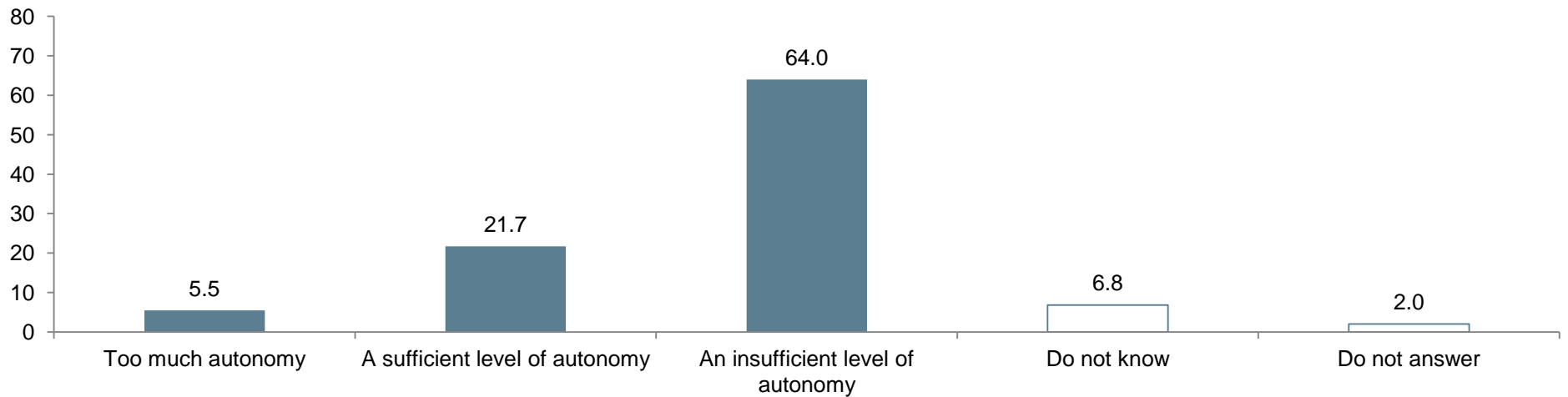
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Relations between Catalonia and Spain

Question 29

Do you think that Catalonia has achieved...

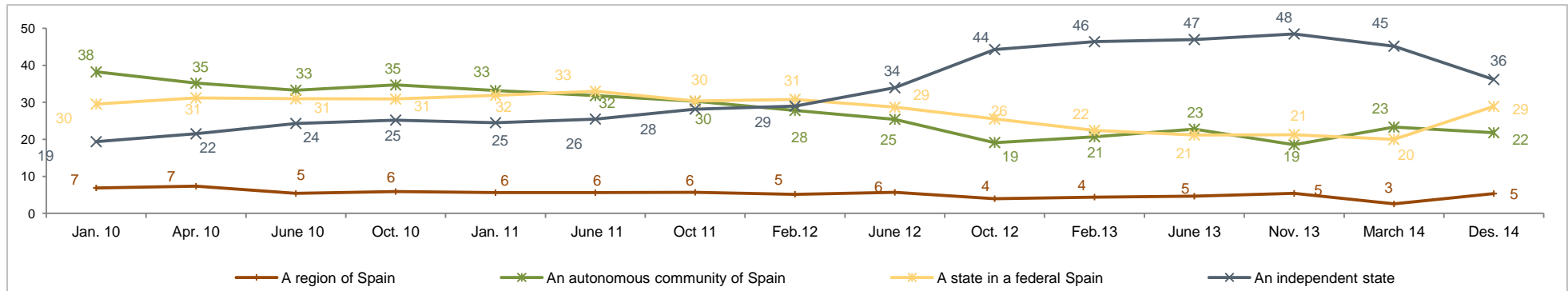
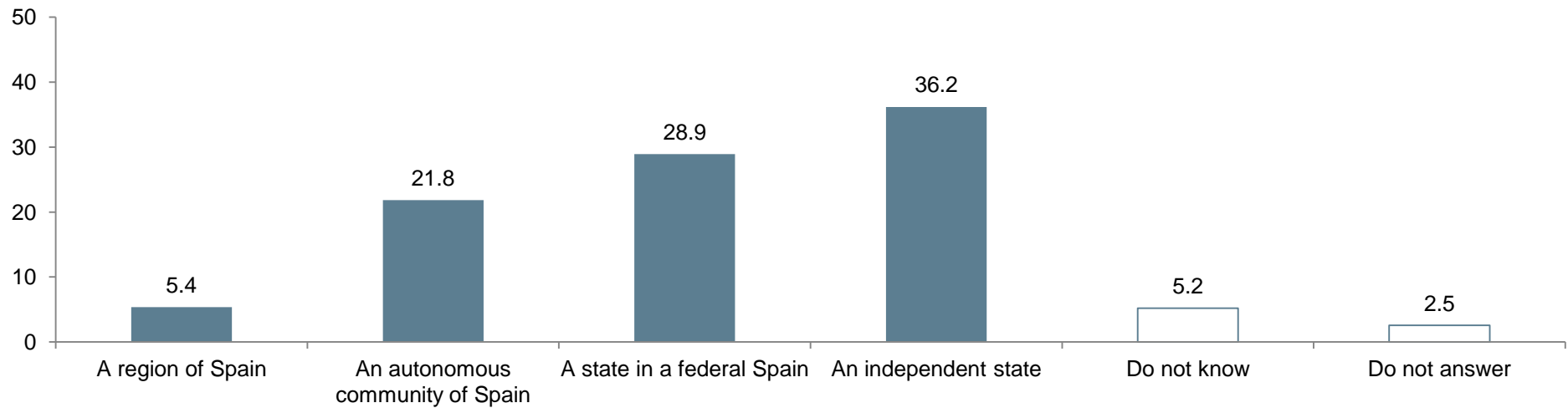
(N=1,100; simple response; %)



Question 30

Do you believe that Catalonia should be...









(N=1,100; simple response; %)



Question 30

Do you believe that Catalonia should be...

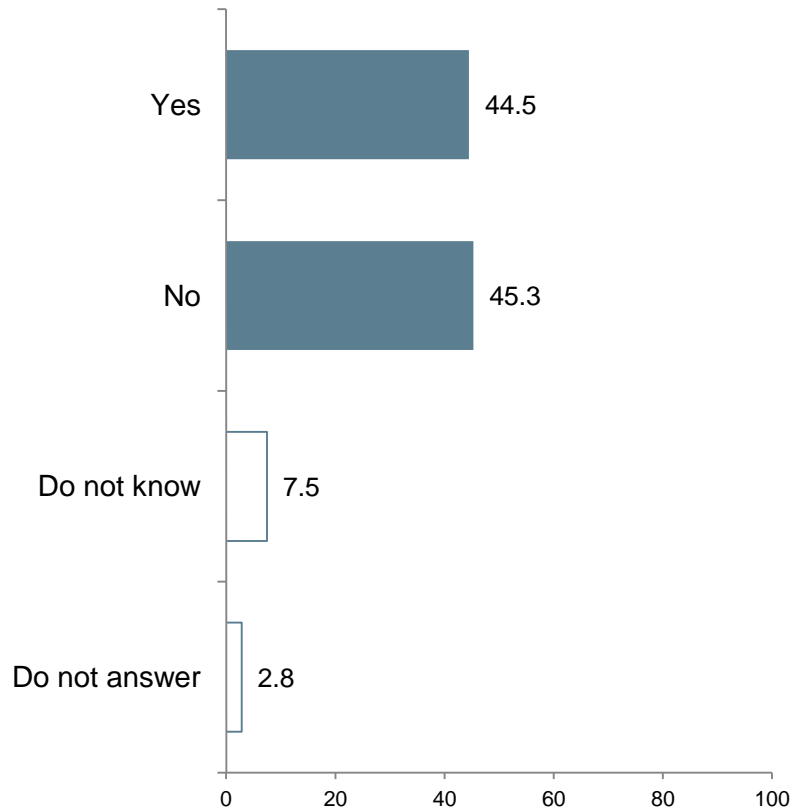
(N=1,100; simple response; %)

		Relations between Catalonia and Spain by vote intention to the Catalan Parliament							
									
A region of Spain	5.4	20,0	0.6	0,0	11.3	4.7	14.8	0.0	2.0
An autonomous community of Spain	21.8	60.0	7.1	3.7	35.8	20.9	70.5	0.0	15.7
A state in a federal Spain	28.9	20.0	18.8	17.5	43.4	55.8	14.8	22.9	64.7
An independent state	36.2	0.0	68.8	77.2	3.8	14.0	0.0	75.0	13.7
Do not know	5.2	0,0	2.6	1.6	3.8	2.3	0.0	2.1	2.0
Do not answer	2.5	0,0	1.9	0,0	1.9	2.3	0.0	0.0	2.0
Real base	100	20	154	189	53	43	61	48	51

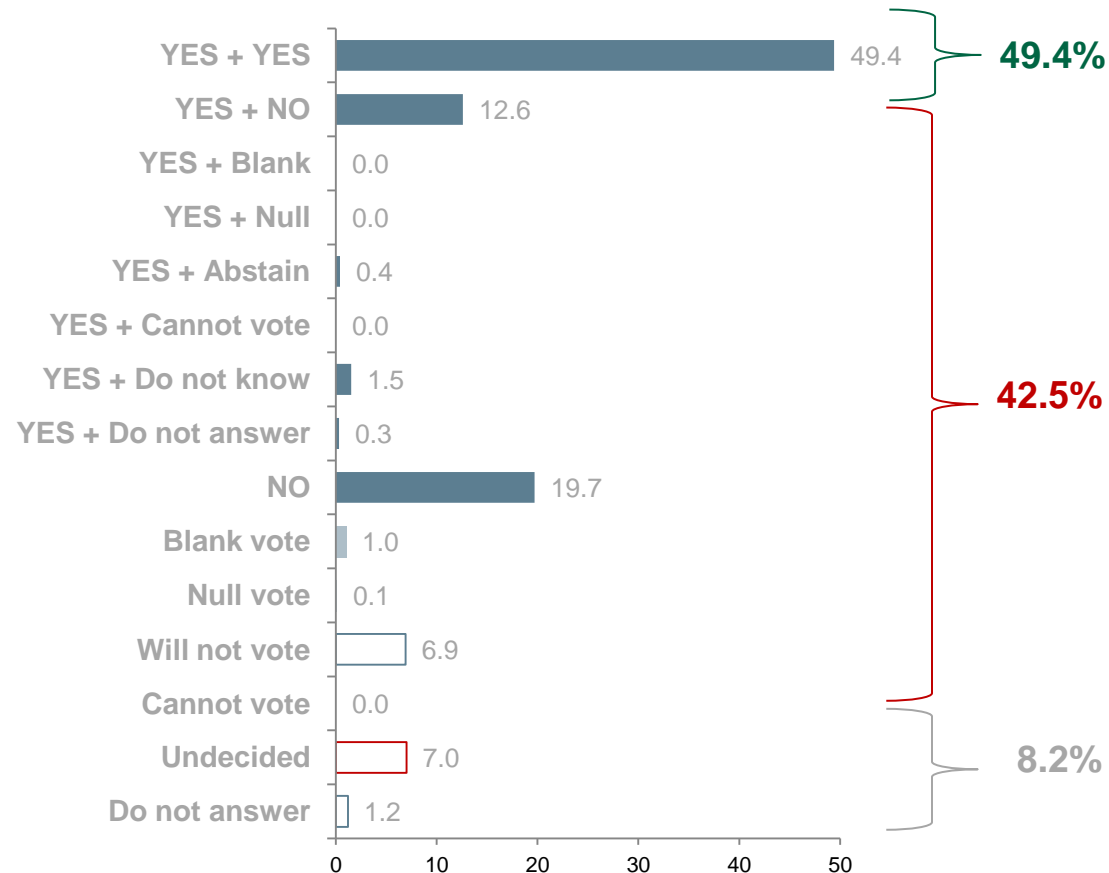
Question 31

P31. And more precisely, “do you want Catalonia to become an independent state”?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)



What would you vote to the following questions: “Do you want Catalonia to become an independent state?” People who answer YES can then respond this second question: “Do you want this state to be independent?” (*)



(*) Results corresponding to P31a and P31b from POB. Oct. 2014

(*) Face-to-face interview, n=2000

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(N=1,100; simple response; %)

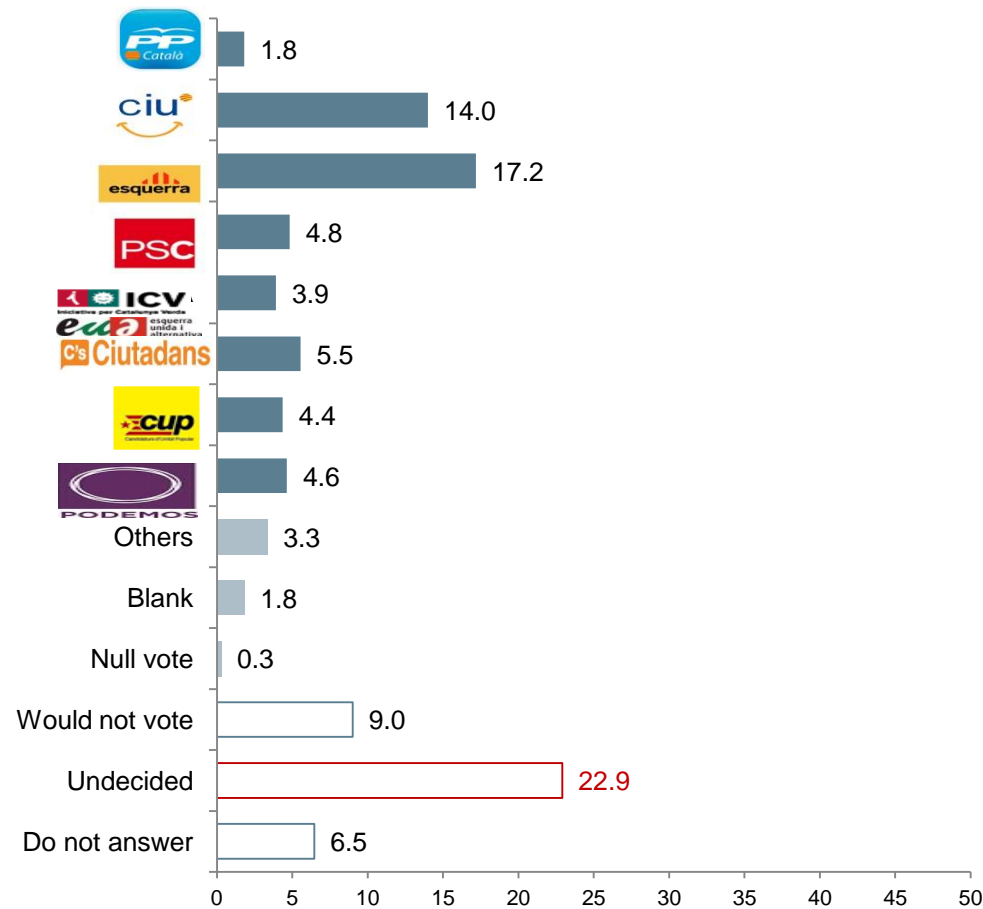
		Will for independence by vote intention to the Catalan Parliament								
YES	44.5	0.0	81.2	90.5	11.3	27.9	0,0	85.4	15.7	
NO	45.3	100.0	11.0	5.3	86.8	60.5	98.4	4.2	80.4	
Do not know	7.5	0.0	5.8	2.6	0,0	11.6	1.6	10.4	2.0	
Do not answer	2.8	0,0	1.9	1.6	1.9	0,0	0,0	0,0	2.0	
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Elections to the Catalan Parliament: vote intention

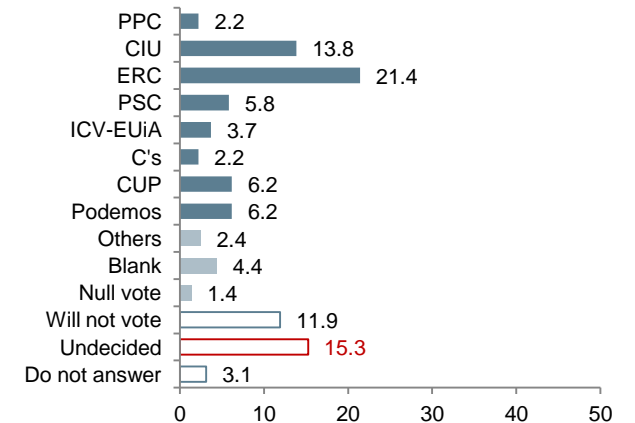
Question 37

If elections to the Catalan Parliament were to be held tomorrow, what party or coalition would you vote for?

(N=1,100; simple response; %;)



Previous Barometer

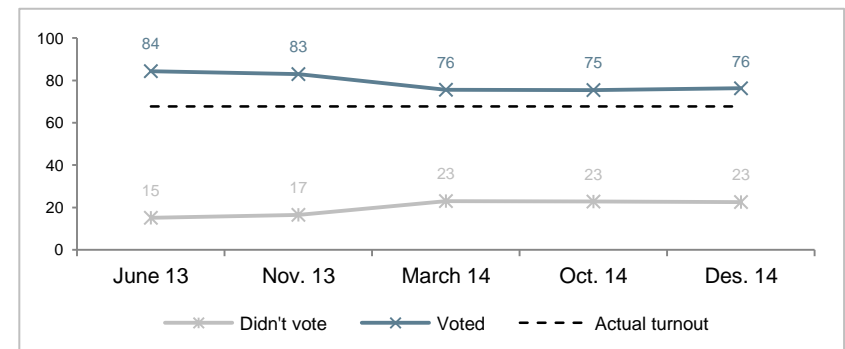
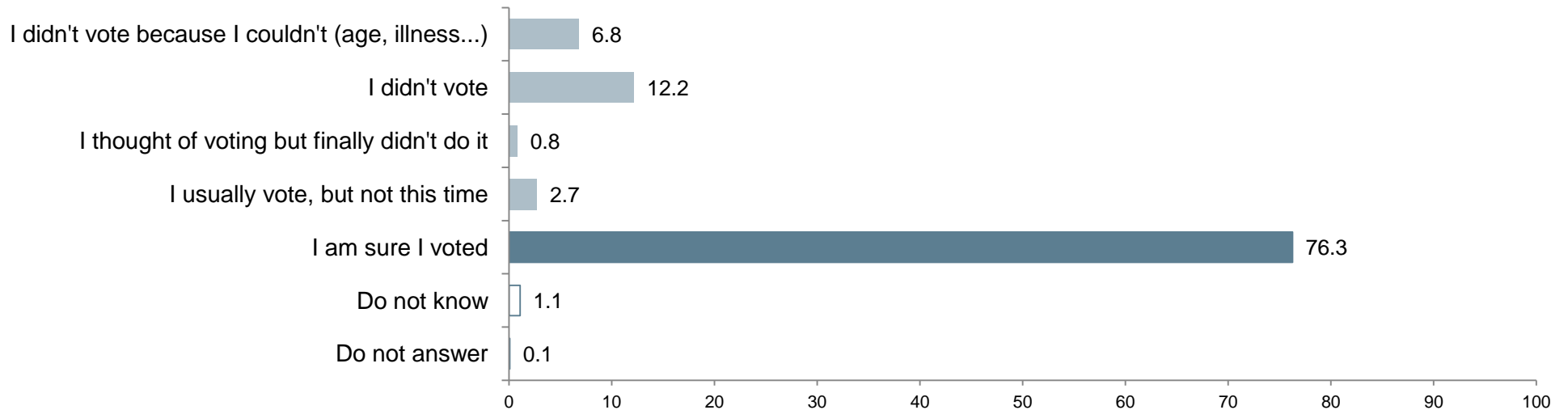


Elections to the Catalan Parliament: vote recall

Question 38a

In particular, which one of the following sentences best describes your situation in the past elections to the Parliament of Catalonia held on November 2012?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)

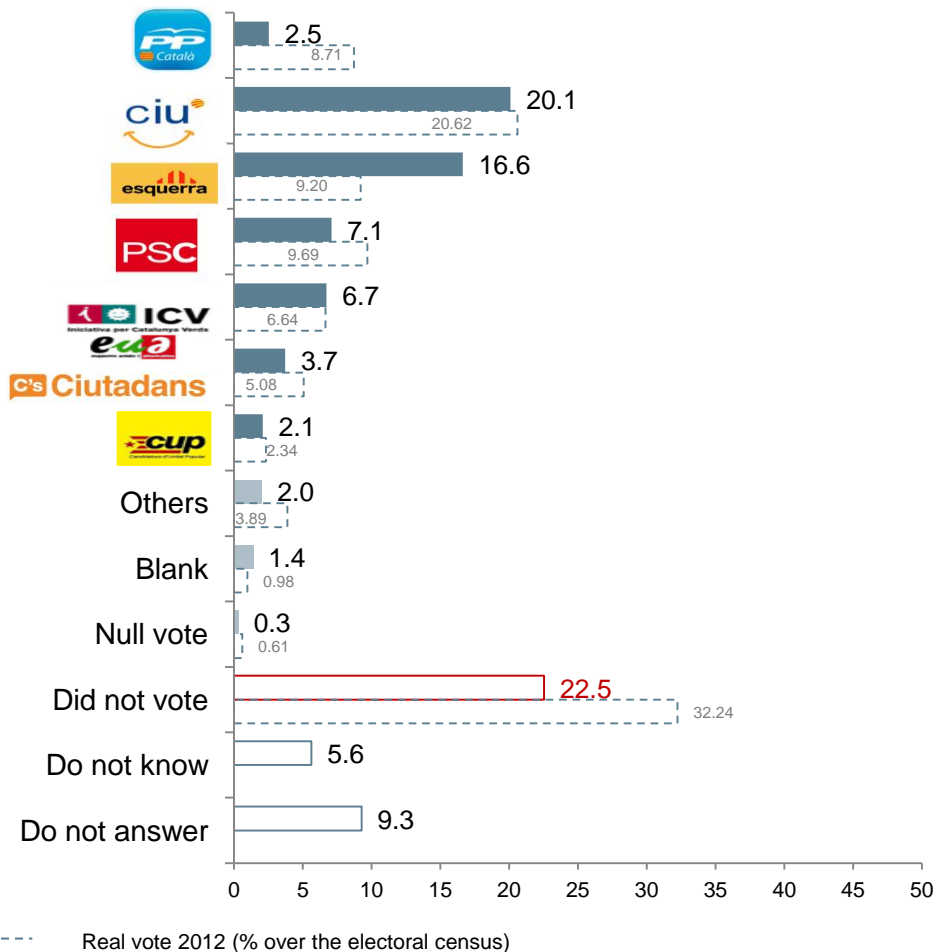


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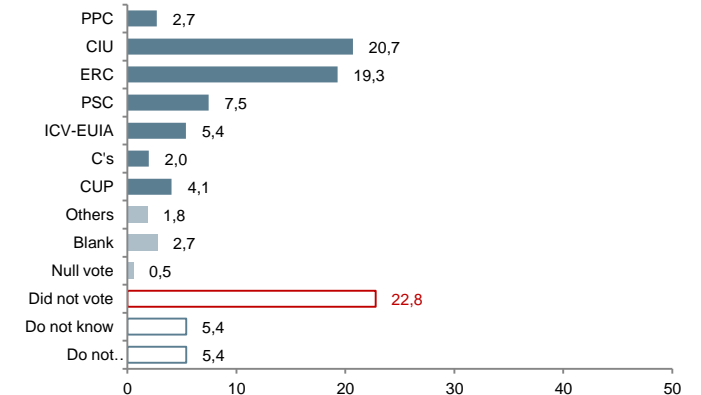
Question 38b

And could you tell me to what party or coalition did you vote for in the last elections to the Parliament of Catalonia?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)



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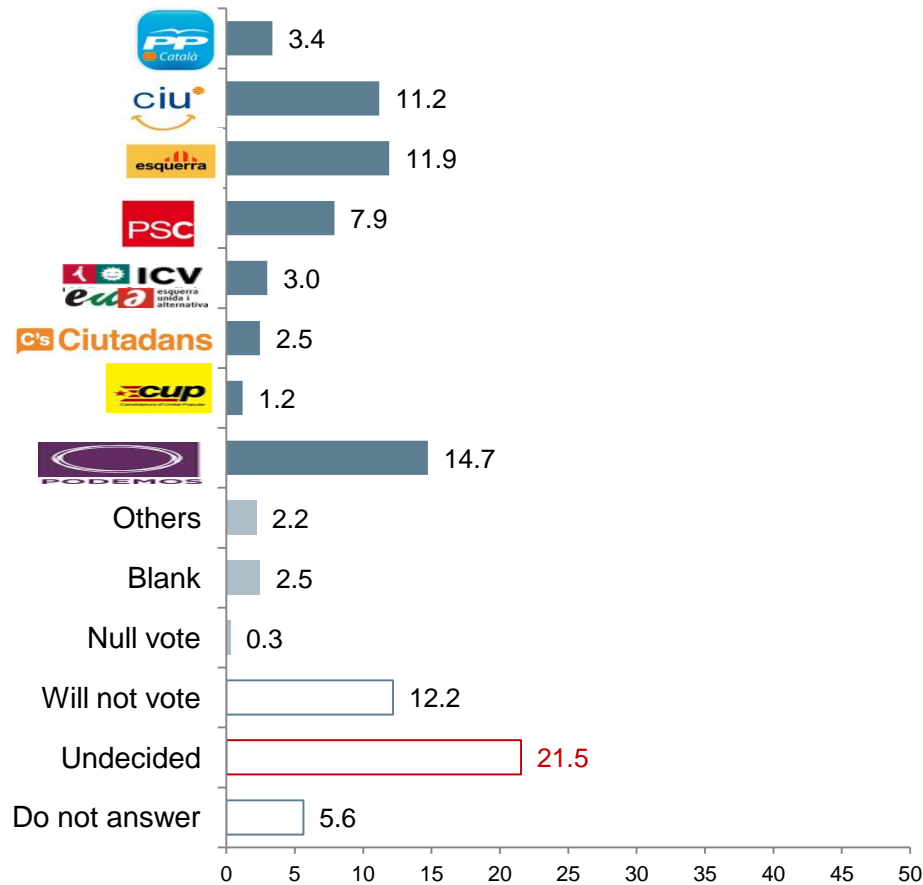


Elections to the *Congreso de los Diputados*: vote intention

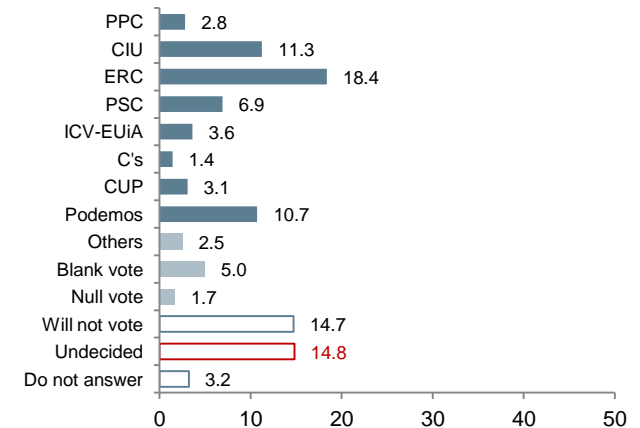
Question 39

If elections to the *Congreso de los Diputados* were to be held tomorrow, what party or coalition would you vote for?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)



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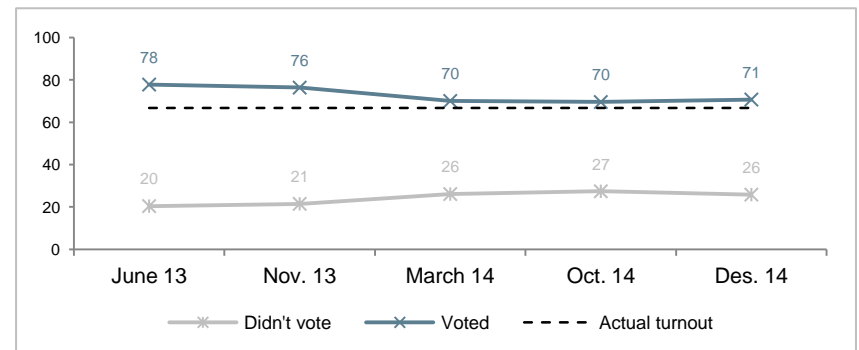
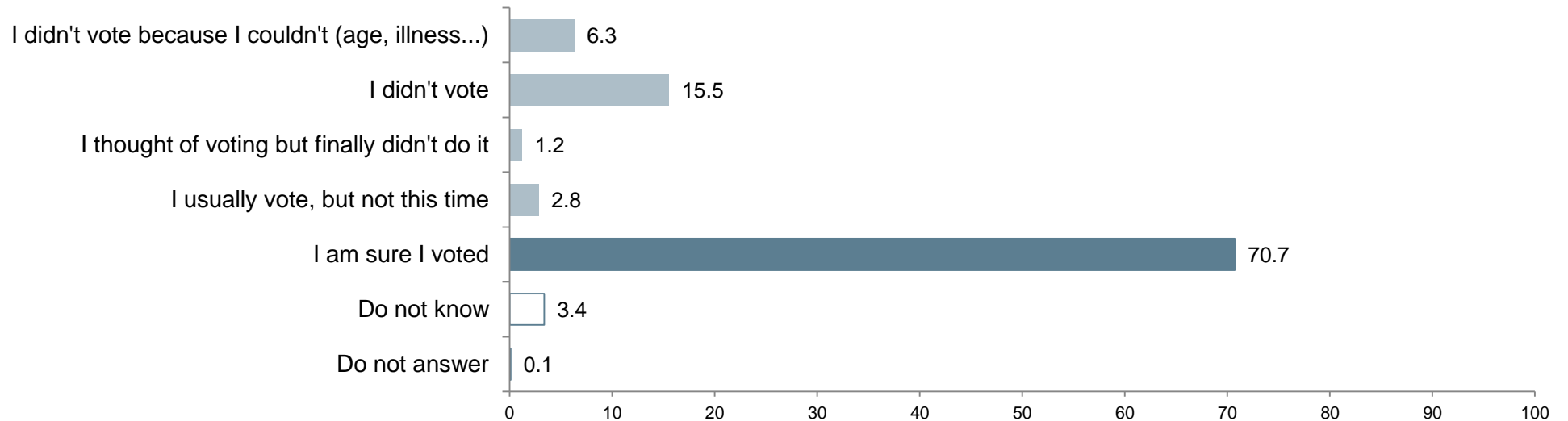


Elections to the *Congreso de los Diputados*: vote recall

Pregunta 40a

In particular, which of the following sentences best describes your situation in the past elections to the *Congreso de los Diputados*:

(N=1,100; simple response; %)

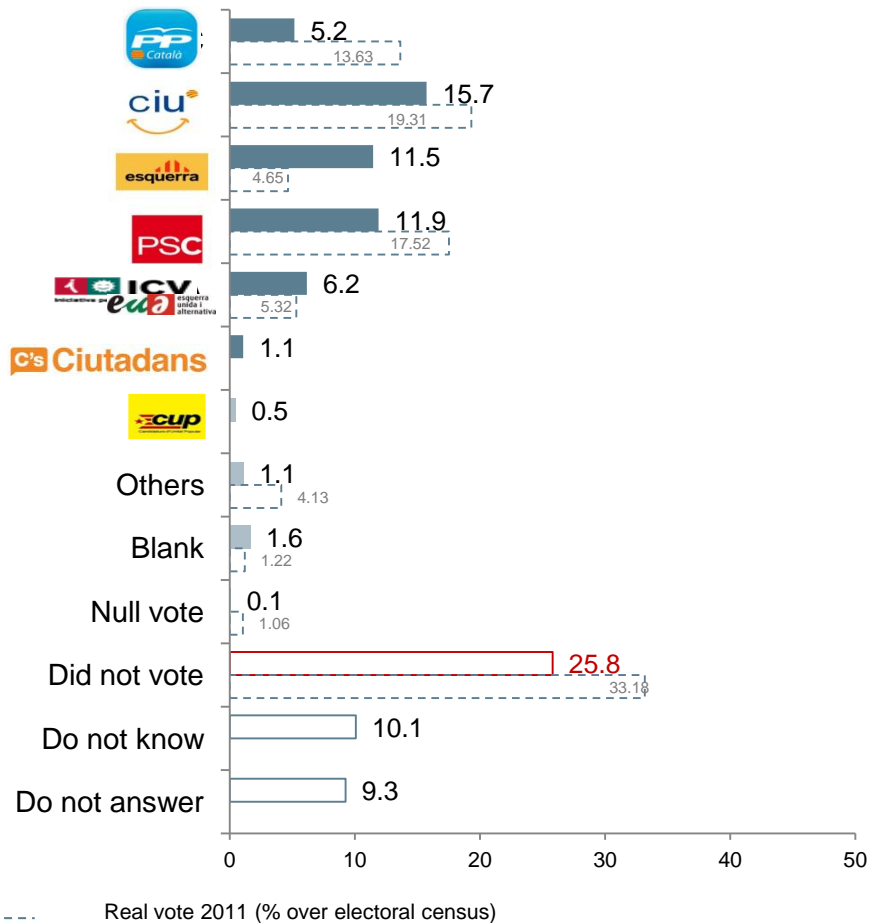


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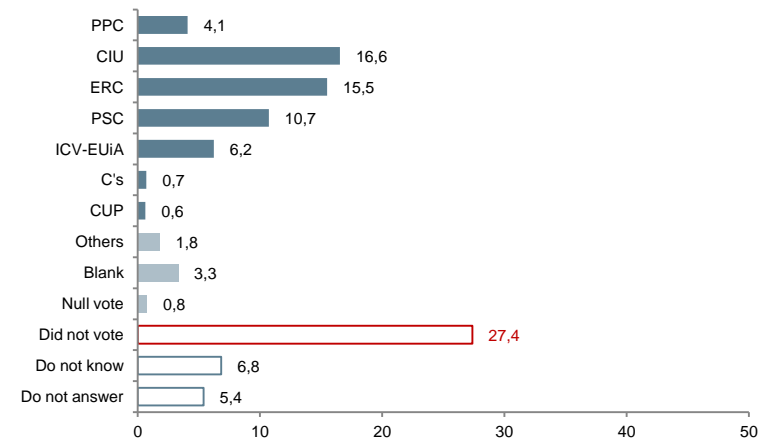
Pregunta 40b

If elections to the *Congreso de los Diputados* were to be held tomorrow, what party or coalition would you vote for?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)



Previous barometer

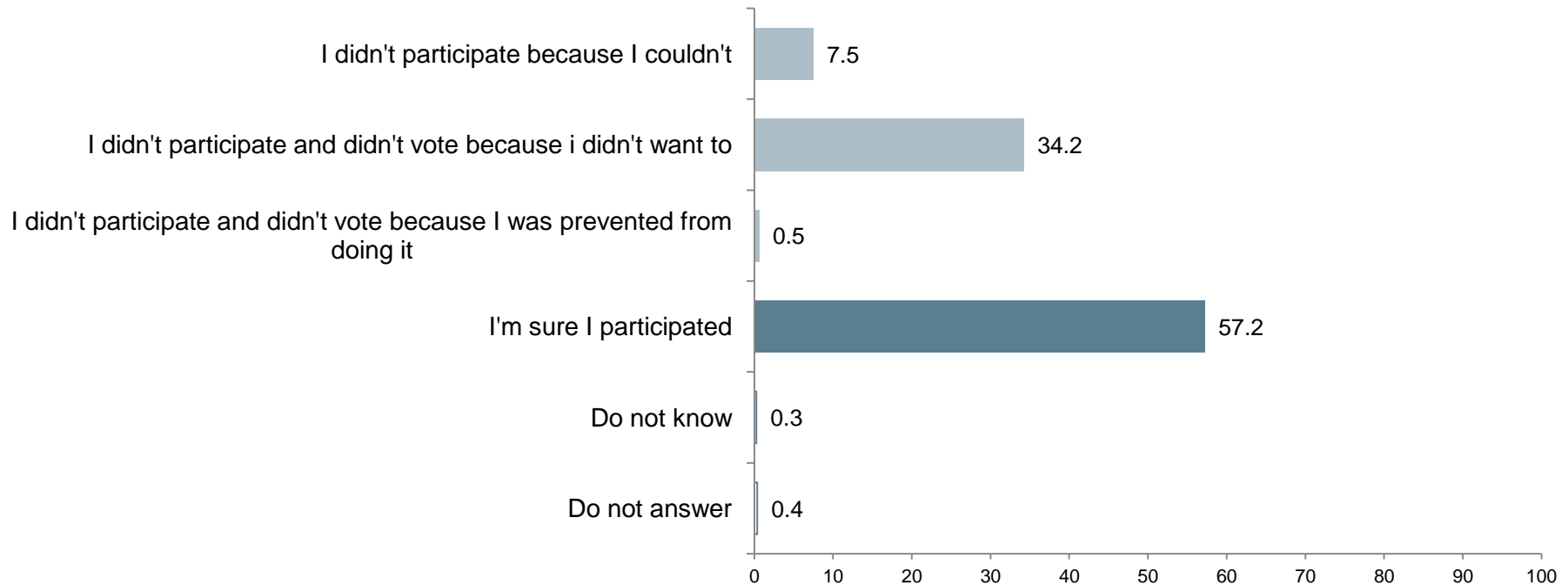


Participatory process (non-binding referendum): vote recall

Pregunta 41a

Which of the following sentences best describes your situation in the past participatory process of November the 9th, 2014?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)

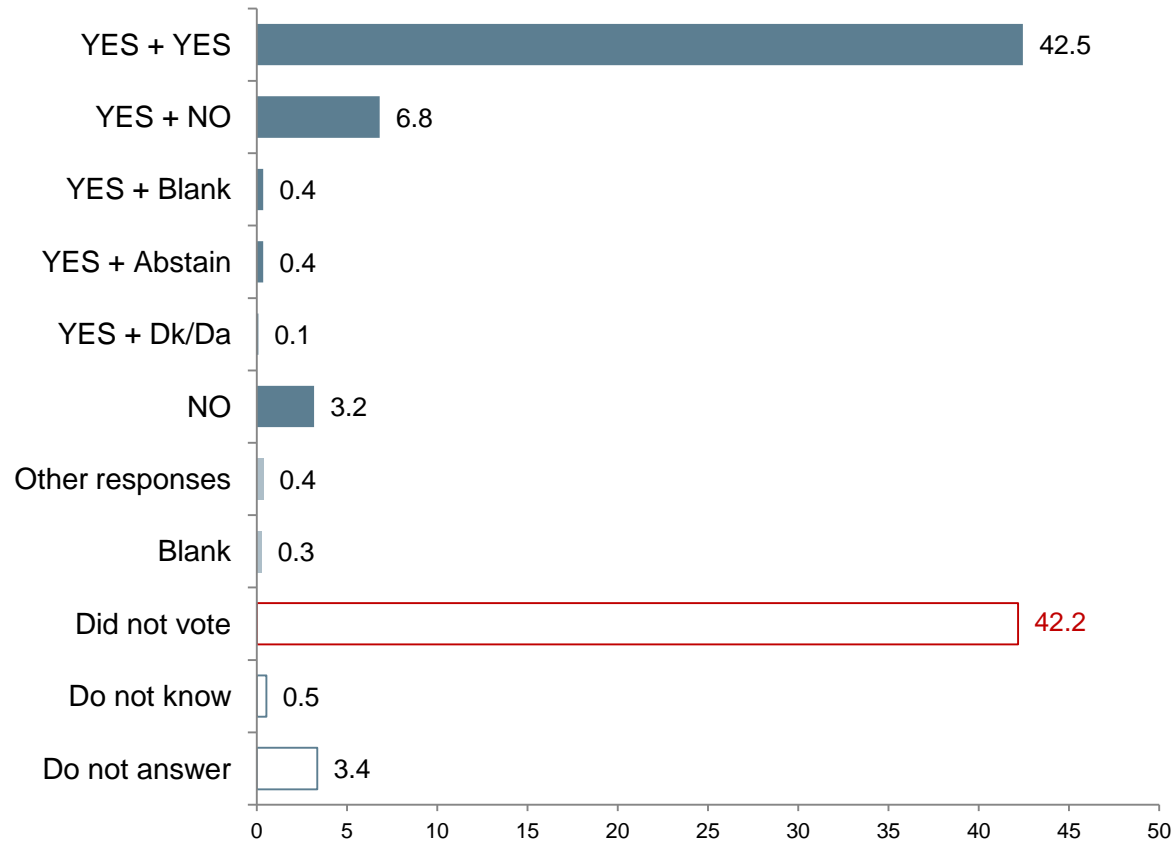


Participatory process (non-binding referendum): vote recall

Pregunta 41b

And could you tell me which was the option you chose in the consultation on November the 9th?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)











Participatory process (non-binding referendum): vote recall

Pregunta 41b

And could you tell me which was the option you chose in the consultation on November the 9th?

(N=1,100; simple response; %)

		Vote intention to the Catalan Parliament							
									
YES + YES	42.5	5.0	81.8	90.5	7.5	27.9	0.0	83.3	15.7
YES + NO	6.8	0.0	3.9	1.6	17.0	16.3	3.3	6.3	13.7
YES + Blank	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
YES + Abstention	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
YES + Dk/Da	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
NO	3.2	15.0	0.0	1.1	5.7	16.3	0.0	0.0	5.9
Other responses	0.4	0.0	0.6	0.5	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Blank vote	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.0
Did not vote	42.2	80.0	13.0	5.8	64.2	30.2	96.7	10.4	58.8
Do not know	0.5	0.0	0.6	0.0	1.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Do not answer	3.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.7	0.0	0.0	5.9

Real base

1100

20

154

189

53

43














61

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(*) Non-significant resultats

Cross-tabulation of vote recall and vote intention to the elections of the Parliament of Catalonia.

		Vote recall to the Catalan Parliament 2012												
										Others/Null	Blank vote (*)	Did not vote	Dk/Da	Total
Vote intention to the Catalan Parliament		39.3	0.5	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.7	1.2	1.8	1.8
		0.0	56.1	5.5	0.0	2.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	21.7	0.0	4.4	1.2	14.0
		0.0	11.8	64.5	2.6	12.2	0.0	8.7	0.0	4.3	6.7	10.1	3.0	17.2
		3.6	0.9	0.0	42.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.8	3.0	4.8
		0.0	0.5	1.1	2.6	40.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.6	2.4	3.9
		25.0	2.3	0.0	3.8	0.0	70.7	0.0	50.0	8.7	6.7	4.0	1.8	5.5
		0.0	0.9	8.2	1.3	8.1	0.0	78.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.6	4.4
		0.0	1.8	0.5	11.5	13.5	4.9	0.0	50.0	21.7	6.7	5.2	3.0	4.6
	Others/Null	3.6	1.4	3.8	2.6	2.7	2.4	0.0	0.0	34.8	6.7	4.4	1.8	3.5
	Blank vote	3.6	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.4	2.4	0.0	0.0	4.3	20.0	4.0	1.2	1.8
Will not vote	7.1	3.2	0.0	7.7	2.7	4.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.3	27.0	6.7	9.0	
Dk/Da	17.9	20.4	16.4	24.4	16.2	14.6	13.0	0.0	4.3	33.3	31.0	73.2	29.4	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
Real base	28	221	183	78	74	41	23	2	23	15	248	164	1100	

(*) Non-significant results

Cross-tabulation of vote recall and vote intention to the elections to the *Congreso de los Diputados*.

		Vote recall to the <i>Congreso de los Diputados</i> 2011											
									Others/Null (*)	Blank vote (*)	Did not vote	Dk/Da	Total
Vote intention to the <i>Congreso de los Diputados</i>		45.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	2.8	0.9	3.4
		1.8	56.6	4.0	0.8	1.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.5	4.7	11.2
		0.0	12.1	63.5	0.8	5.9	0.0	20.0	23.1	0.0	3.9	4.7	11.9
		3.5	1.7	0.8	47.3	0.0	0.0	20.0	7.7	0.0	4.6	1.9	7.9
		0.0	0.0	0.8	2.3	33.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.6	1.1	0.9	3,0
		14.0	1.2	0.0	2.3	0.0	58.3	0.0	0.0	11.1	1.1	0.9	2.5
		0.0	1.2	1.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	60.0	0.0	5.6	1.4	0.5	1.2
		3.5	4.6	12.7	20.6	42.6	16.7	0.0	23.1	27.8	16.9	10.3	14.7
	Others/Null	3.5	0.0	2.4	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0	30.8	0.0	4.2	2.3	2.5
	Blank vote	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.8	0.0	8.3	0.0	7.7	27.8	3.5	2.8	2.5
Will not vote	1.8	2.3	6.3	3.1	4.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.1	32.4	9.4	12.2	
Dk/Da	26.3	18.5	7.9	22.1	10.3	16.7	0.0	7.7	5.6	25.7	60.6	27.2	
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0
Real base	57	173	126	131	68	12	5	13	18	284	213	100	
(*) Non-significant results													

Elections to the Parliament of Catalonia					
Survey about the current political situation in Catalonia, December 2014					
	Direct vote intention	Vote estimates	Sit estimates	Resultats 2012	
	(in %)	(in % over valid vote)		%VV	escons
CiU	14.0	21.9	34-36	30.7	50
ERC	17.2	21.0	34-35	13.7	21
PSC	4.8	10.3	13-14	14.4	20
PP	1.8	8.8	11-12	13.0	19
ICV-EUiA	3.9	6.6	7-8	9.9	13
C's	5.5	11.3	14-16	7.6	9
CUP	4.4	5.5	7-8	3.5	3
Podemos	4.6	8.2	9-11		
others	3.3	4.8	---	5.7	---
blank vote	1.8	1.6		1.5	---
null vote	0.3	Part. 67%			
Abstention ("will not vote")	9.0				
Undecided	22.9				
Do not answer	6.5				

Elections to the <i>Congreso de los Diputados</i>					
Survey about the current political situation in Catalonia, December 2014					
	Direct intention	Vote estimates	Sit estimates	Results 2011	
	(in %)	(in % over valid vote)		%VV	sits
CiU	11.2	18.8	11-12	29.4	16
PSC	7.9	13.3	6-7	26.7	14
PP	3.4	10.7	4-5	20.7	11
ICV-EUiA	3.0	4.6	1-2	8.1	3
ERC	11.9	17.5	8-9	7.1	3
C's	2.5	5.1	2	6.3	0
CUP	1.2	2.7	0		
Podemos	14.7	20.4	10-11		
others	2.2	5.4	---		
blank votes	2.5	1.5	---	1.9	
null votes	0.3	Part. 70%			
Abstention ("will not vote")	12.2				
Undecided	21.5				
Do not answer	5.6				