Q1 How closely would you say you follow news about

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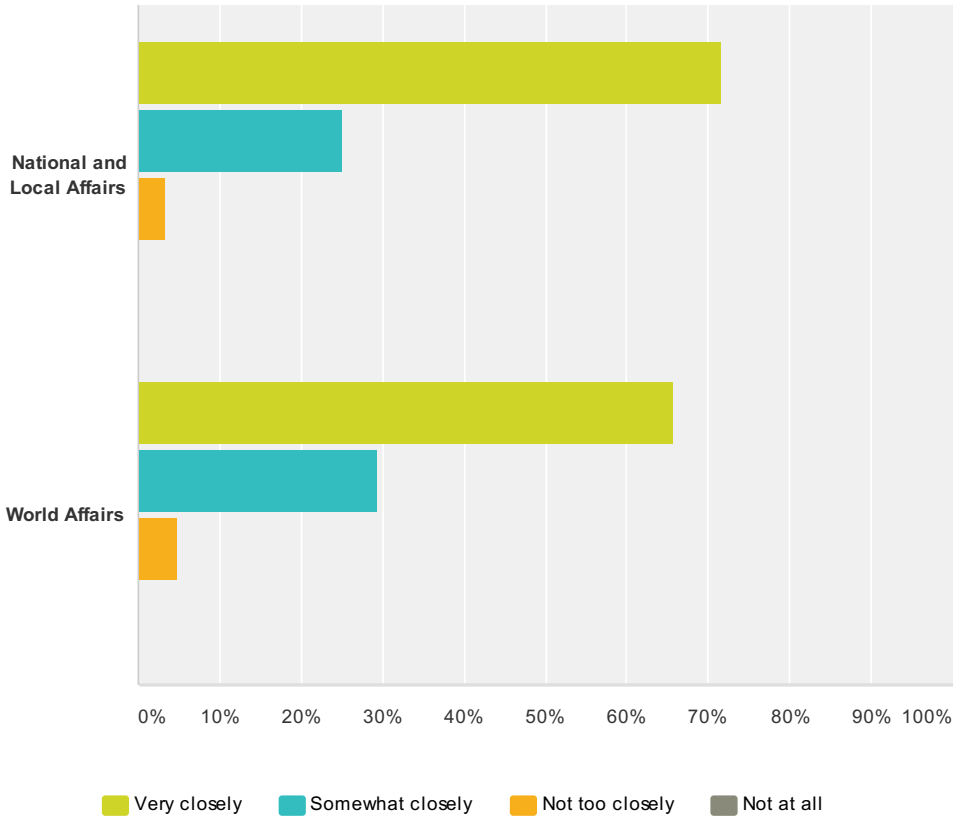

	Very closely	Somewhat closely	Not too closely	Not at all	Total
National and Local Affairs	**71.66%** 177	**25.10%** 62	**3.24%** 8	**0.00%** 0	247
World Affairs	**65.71%** 161	**29.39%** 72	**4.90%** 12	**0.00%** 0	245

Q2 How closely does India's current foreign policy reflect your own preferred foreign policy?

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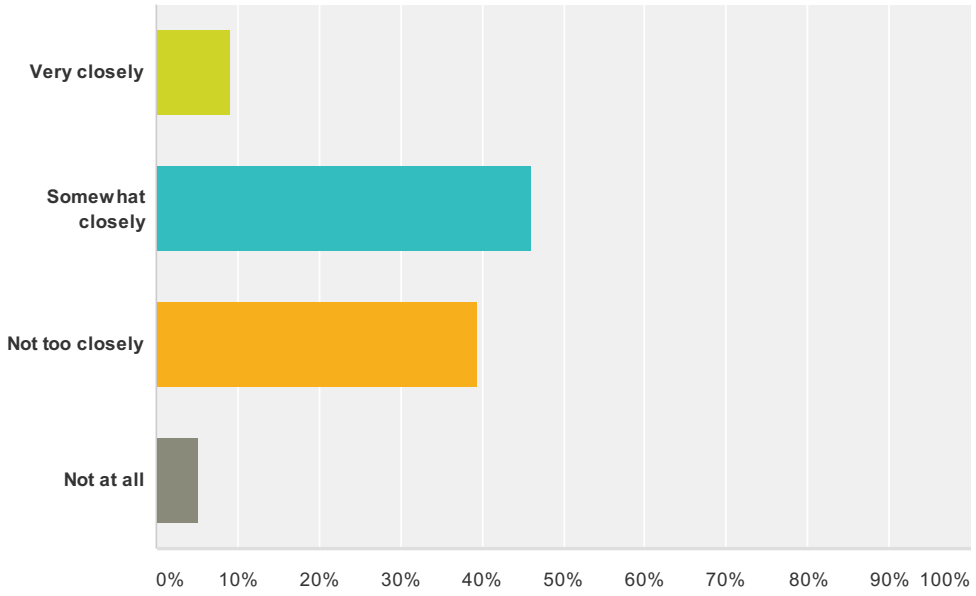

Answer Choices	Responses	
Very closely	**9.24%**	23
Somewhat closely	**46.18%**	115
Not too closely	**39.36%**	98
Not at all	**5.22%**	13
Total		**249**

Q3 India should participate in peacekeeping operations abroad even if it means putting the lives of Indian soldiers at risk.

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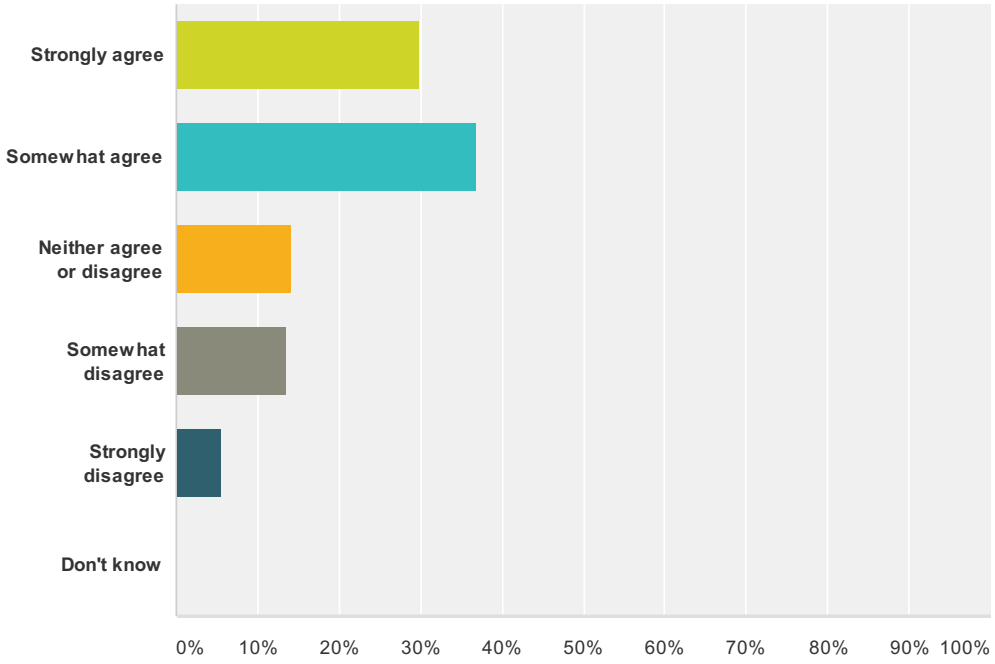

Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**29.76%**	75
Somewhat agree	**36.90%**	93
Neither agree or disagree	**14.29%**	36
Somewhat disagree	**13.49%**	34
Strongly disagree	**5.56%**	14
Don't know	**0.00%**	0
Total		**252**

Q4 India should spend more money on its armed forces even if it means spending less in other areas.

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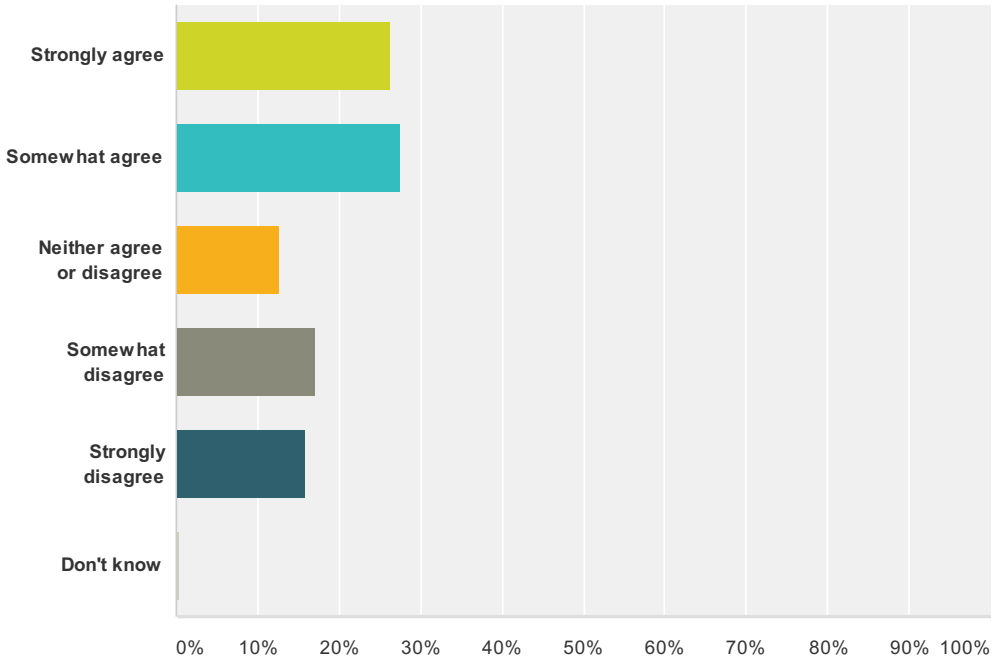
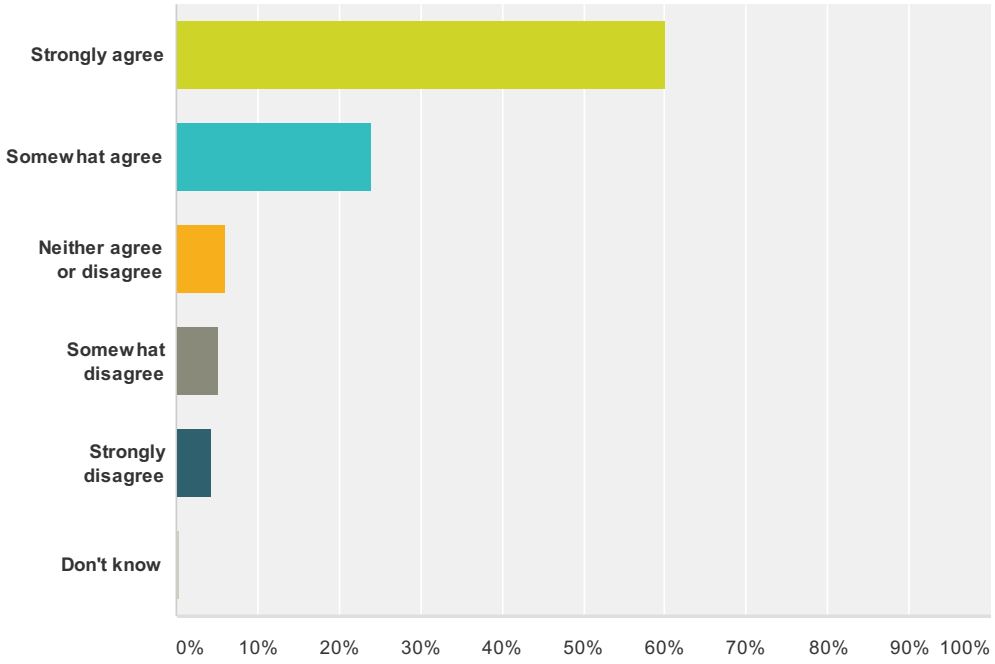


Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**26.29%**	66
Somewhat agree	**27.49%**	69
Neither agree or disagree	**12.75%**	32
Somewhat disagree	**17.13%**	43
Strongly disagree	**15.94%**	40
Don't know	**0.40%**	1
Total		**251**

Q5 India must resist boundary encroachments by foreign powers with whatever force is necessary and appropriate.

Answered: 251 Skipped: 3



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**60.16%**	151
Somewhat agree	**23.90%**	60
Neither agree or disagree	**5.98%**	15
Somewhat disagree	**5.18%**	13
Strongly disagree	**4.38%**	11
Don't know	**0.40%**	1
Total		**251**

Q6 India should retaliate against foreign powers supporting terrorist and separatist activities within India.

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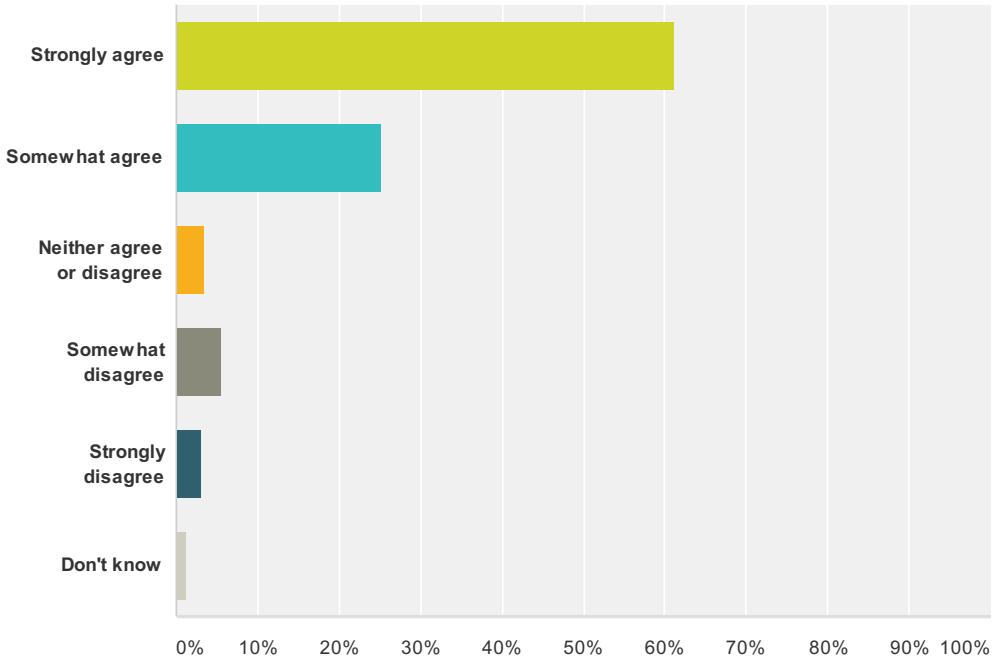
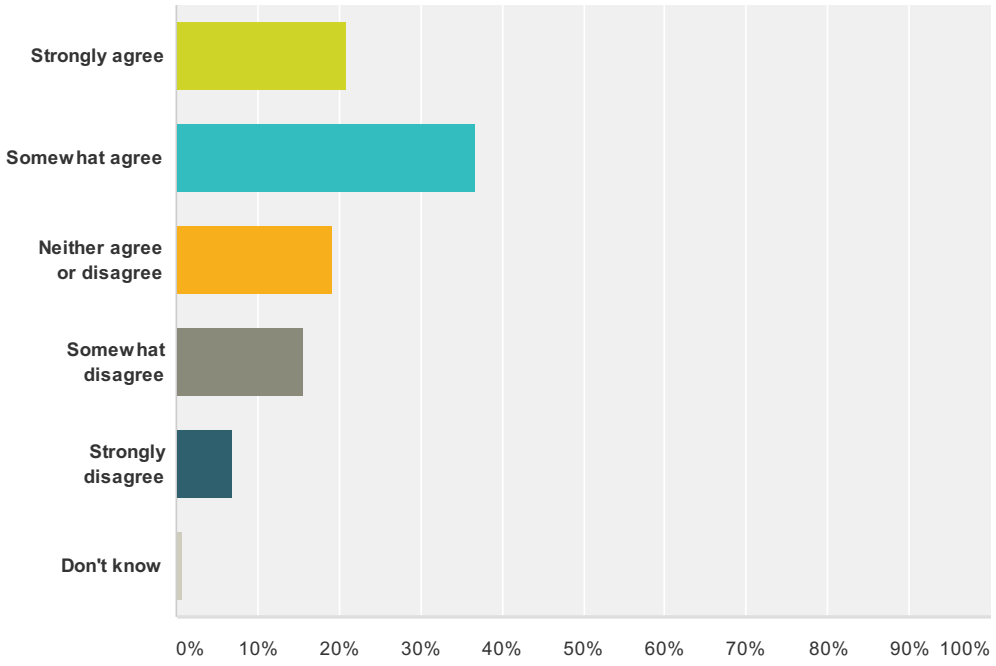


Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**61.20%**	153
Somewhat agree	**25.20%**	63
Neither agree or disagree	**3.60%**	9
Somewhat disagree	**5.60%**	14
Strongly disagree	**3.20%**	8
Don't know	**1.20%**	3
Total		**250**

Q7 Indian domestic problems should take precedence over foreign policy questions.

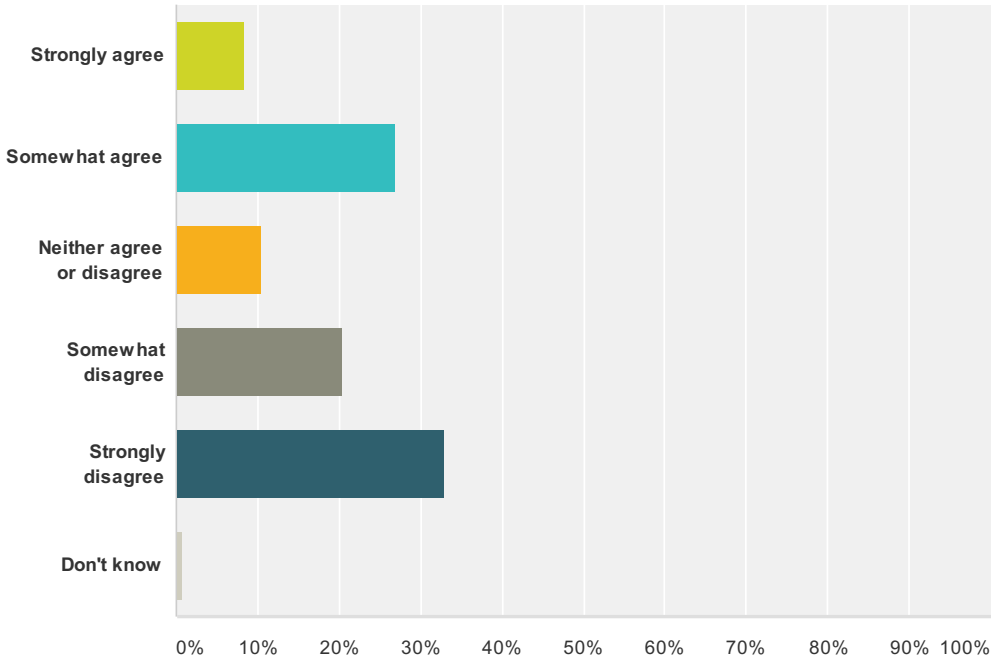
Answered: 250 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**20.80%**	52
Somewhat agree	**36.80%**	92
Neither agree or disagree	**19.20%**	48
Somewhat disagree	**15.60%**	39
Strongly disagree	**6.80%**	17
Don't know	**0.80%**	2
Total		**250**

Q8 Foreign policy problems outside of South Asia are not as important as those within South Asia.

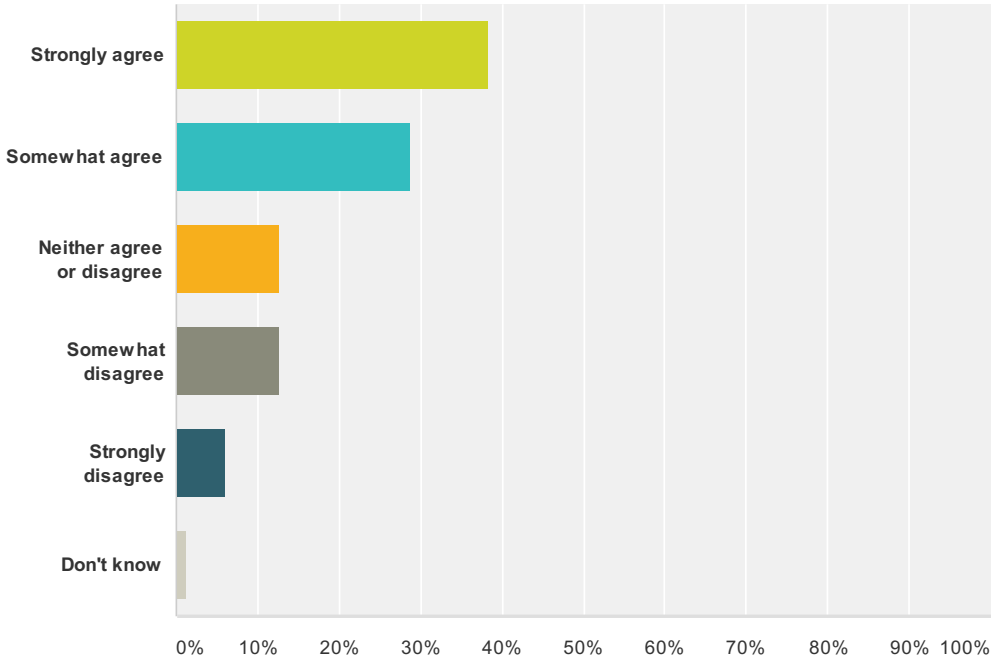
Answered: 249 Skipped: 5



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**8.43%**	21
Somewhat agree	**26.91%**	67
Neither agree or disagree	**10.44%**	26
Somewhat disagree	**20.48%**	51
Strongly disagree	**32.93%**	82
Don't know	**0.80%**	2
Total		**249**

Q9 India needs to be able to project military force into the Gulf and throughout the Indian Ocean in order to defend Indian national security and Indian nationals.

Answered: 250 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**38.40%**	96
Somewhat agree	**28.80%**	72
Neither agree or disagree	**12.80%**	32
Somewhat disagree	**12.80%**	32
Strongly disagree	**6.00%**	15
Don't know	**1.20%**	3
Total		**250**

Q10 India can trust democratic nations to keep their word more than non-democratic nations.

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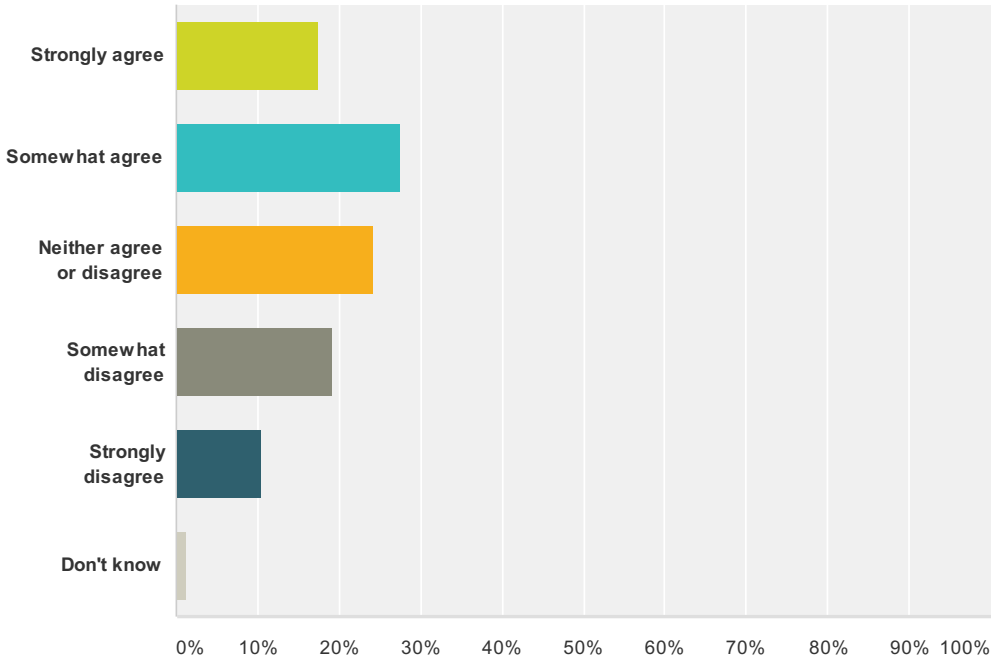
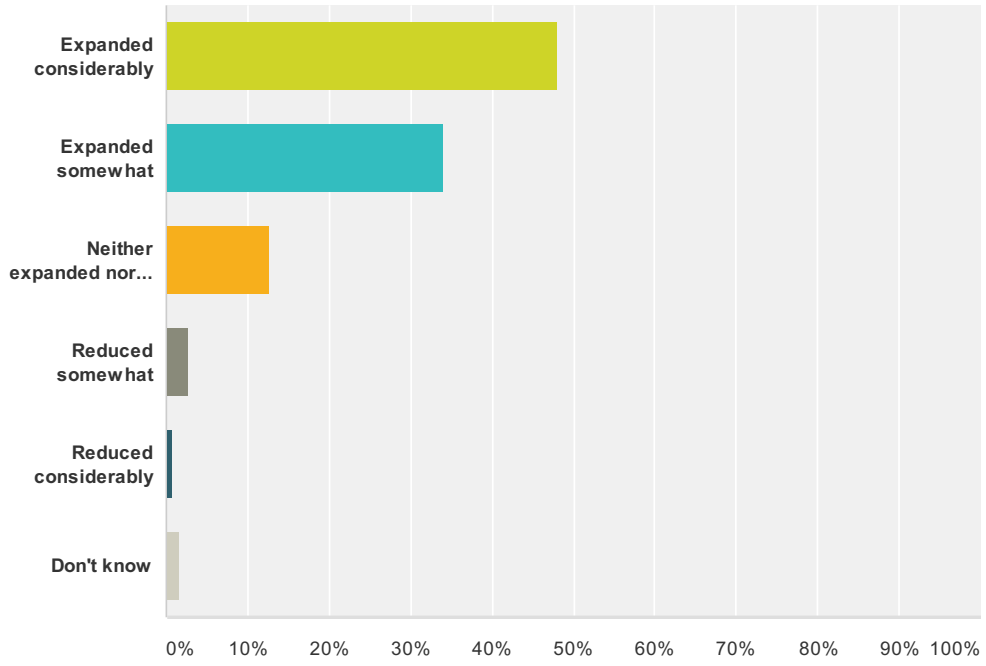


Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**17.53%**	44
Somewhat agree	**27.49%**	69
Neither agree or disagree	**24.30%**	61
Somewhat disagree	**19.12%**	48
Strongly disagree	**10.36%**	26
Don't know	**1.20%**	3
Total		**251**

Q11 India's military capabilities need to be

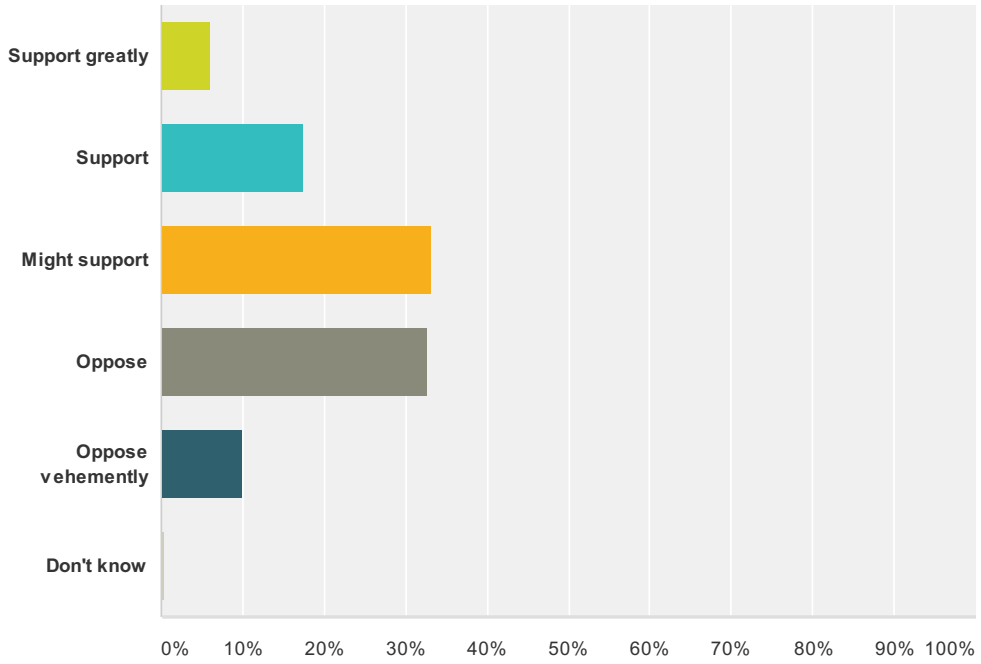
Answered: 250 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses	
Expanded considerably	**48.00%**	120
Expanded somewhat	**34.00%**	85
Neither expanded nor reduced	**12.80%**	32
Reduced somewhat	**2.80%**	7
Reduced considerably	**0.80%**	2
Don't know	**1.60%**	4
Total		**250**

Q12 India should use force to attain its foreign policy goals.

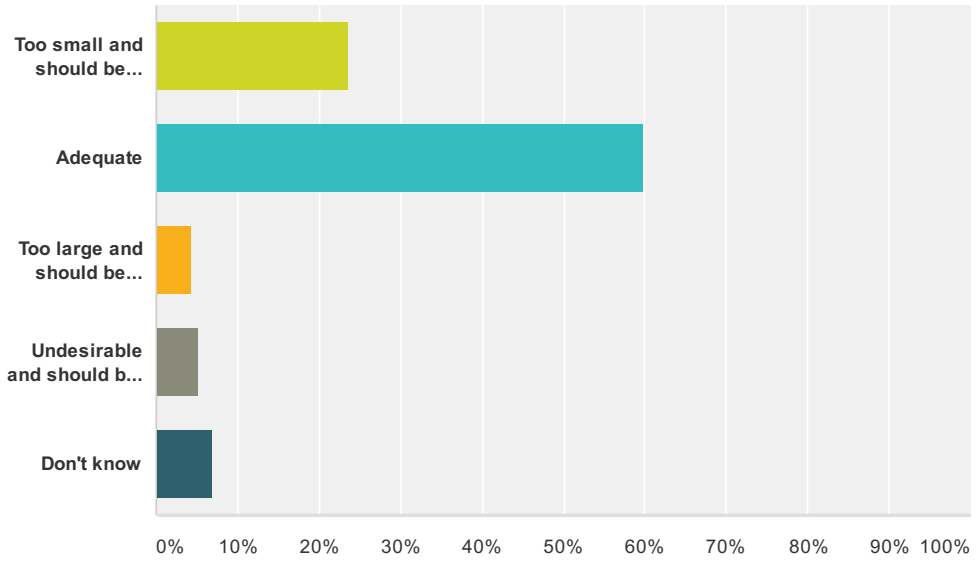
Answered: 250 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses	
Support greatly	**6.00%**	15
Support	**17.60%**	44
Might support	**33.20%**	83
Oppose	**32.80%**	82
Oppose vehemently	**10.00%**	25
Don't know	**0.40%**	1
Total		**250**

Q13 India’s nuclear arsenal size is

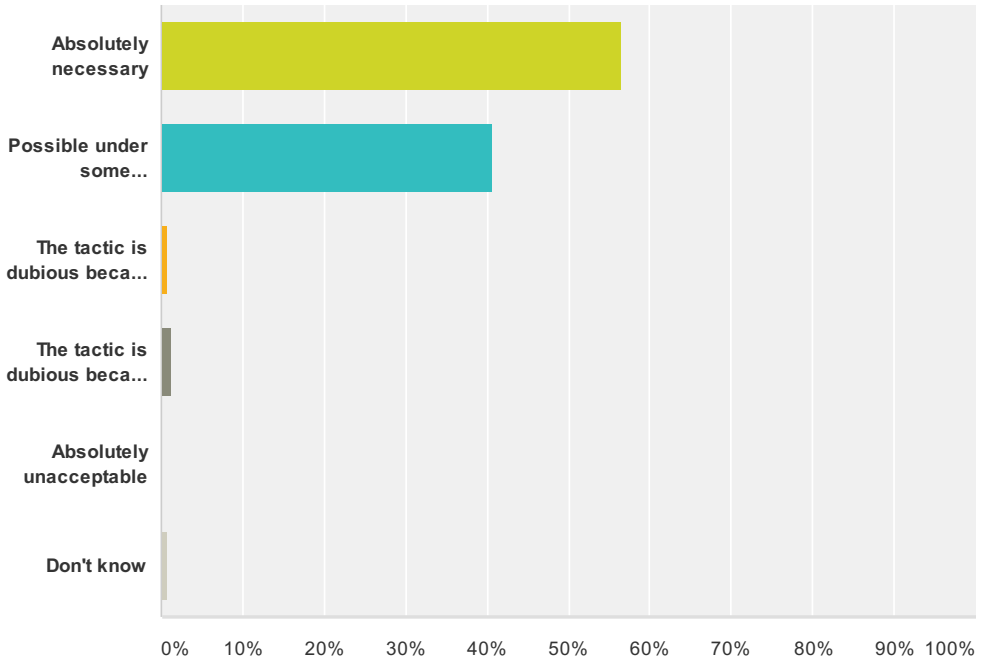
Answered: 250 Skipped: 4



Answer Choices	Responses	
Too small and should be expanded	**23.60%**	59
Adequate	**60.00%**	150
Too large and should be reduced	**4.40%**	11
Undesirable and should be dismantled	**5.20%**	13
Don't know	**6.80%**	17
Total		**250**

Q14 India should form strategic ties with other states.

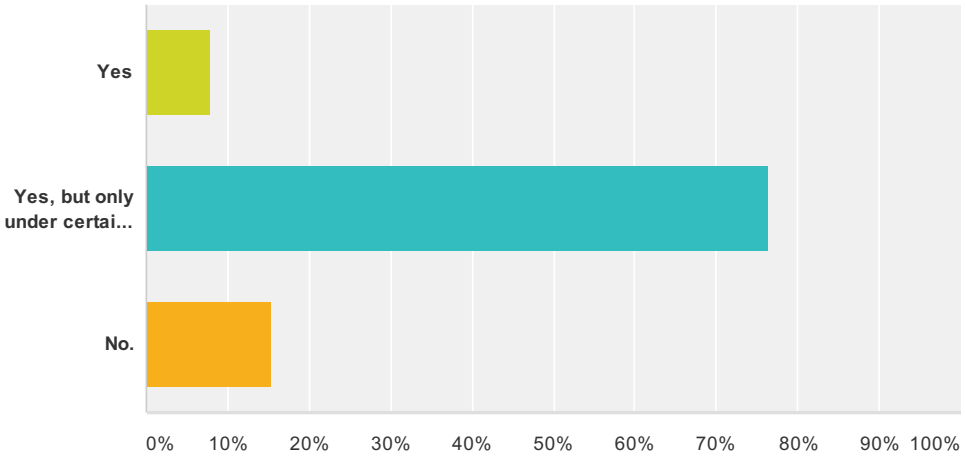
Answered: 251 Skipped: 3



Answer Choices	Responses	
Absolutely necessary	**56.57%**	142
Possible under some circumstances	**40.64%**	102
The tactic is dubious because other states cannot be trusted	**0.80%**	2
The tactic is dubious because it might put India at too great a risk	**1.20%**	3
Absolutely unacceptable	**0.00%**	0
Don't know	**0.80%**	2
Total		**251**

Q15 In your opinion, is it ever warranted for India to intervene in other states' domestic affairs?

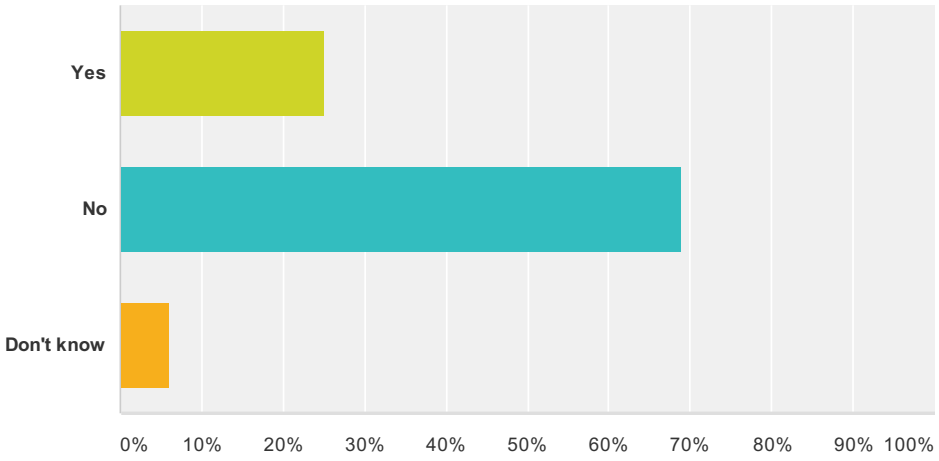
Answered: 251 Skipped: 3



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	**7.97%**	20
Yes, but only under certain circumstances	**76.49%**	192
No.	**15.54%**	39
Total		**251**

Q16 Cuts in military spending

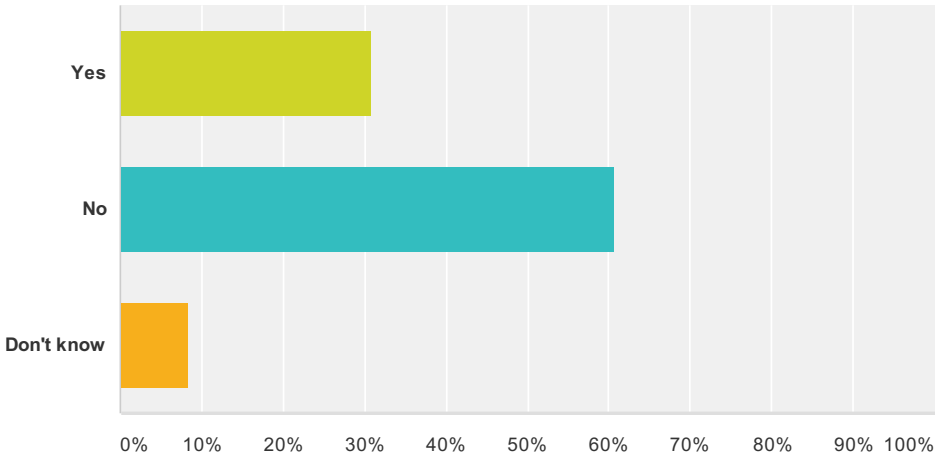
Answered: 244 Skipped: 10



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	**25.00%**	61
No	**68.85%**	168
Don't know	**6.15%**	15
Total		**244**

Q17 Cuts in social spending

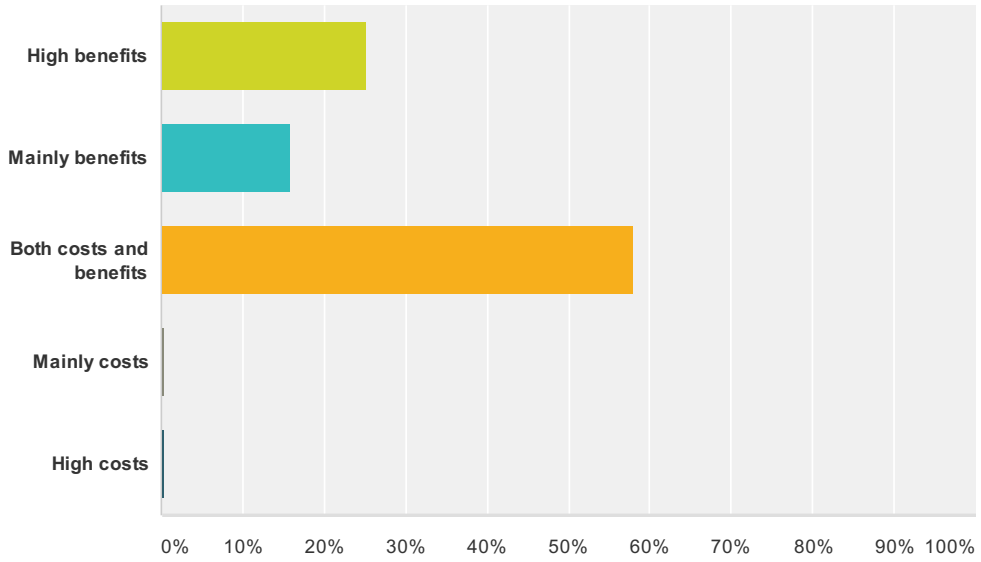
Answered: 239 Skipped: 15



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	**30.96%**	74
No	**60.67%**	145
Don't know	**8.37%**	20
Total		**239**

Q18 Globalization has

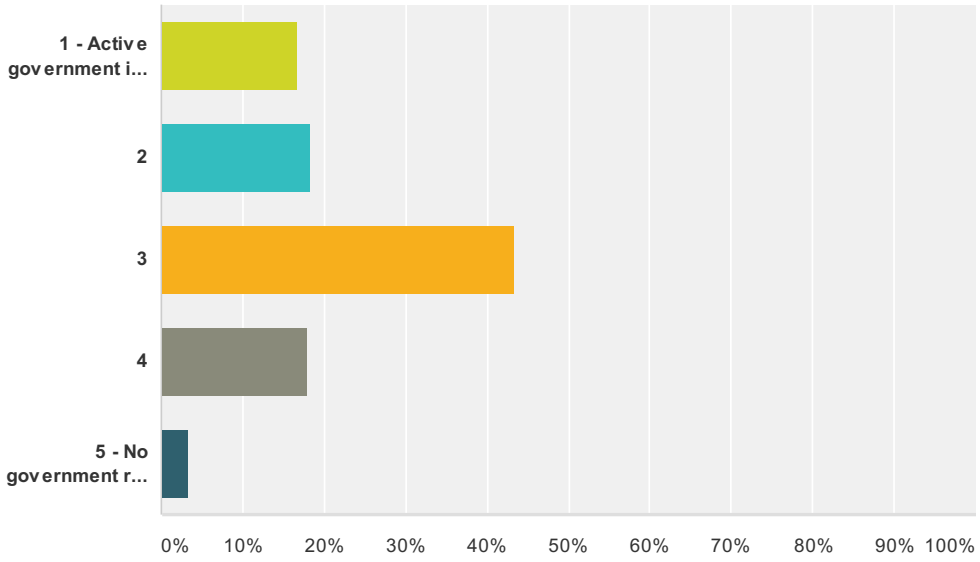
Answered: 245 Skipped: 9



Answer Choices	Responses	
High benefits	**25.31%**	62
Mainly benefits	**15.92%**	39
Both costs and benefits	**57.96%**	142
Mainly costs	**0.41%**	1
High costs	**0.41%**	1
Total		**245**

Q19 On a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 indicates a preference for an active government role in the economy and 5 a preference for no government role in the economy at all, where would you place yourself?

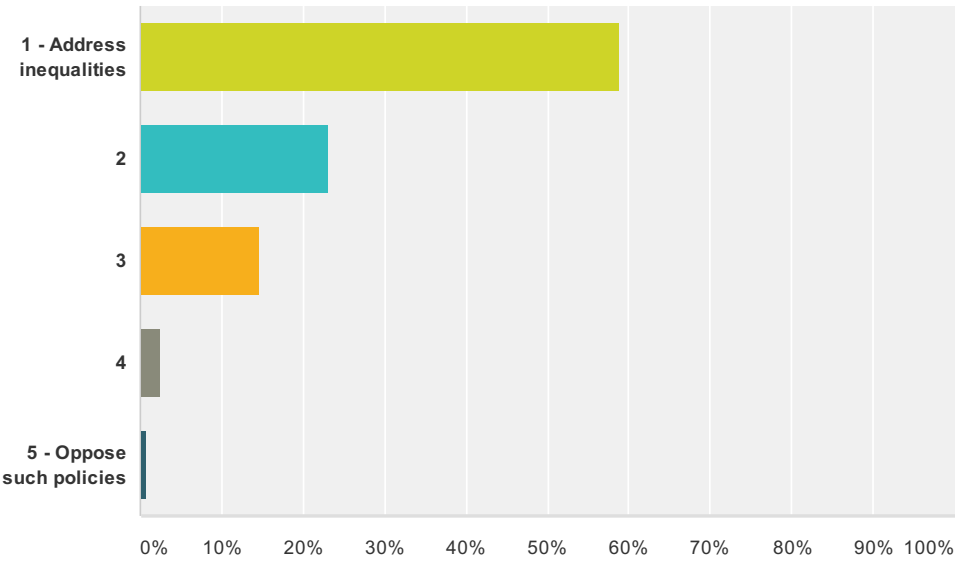
Answered: 244 Skipped: 10



Answer Choices	Responses	
1 - Active government in economy	**16.80%**	41
2	**18.44%**	45
3	**43.44%**	106
4	**18.03%**	44
5 - No government role in economy	**3.28%**	8
Total		**244**

Q20 On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 indicates a preference for policies to address long-standing inequities and 5 an opposition to such policies, where would you place yourself?

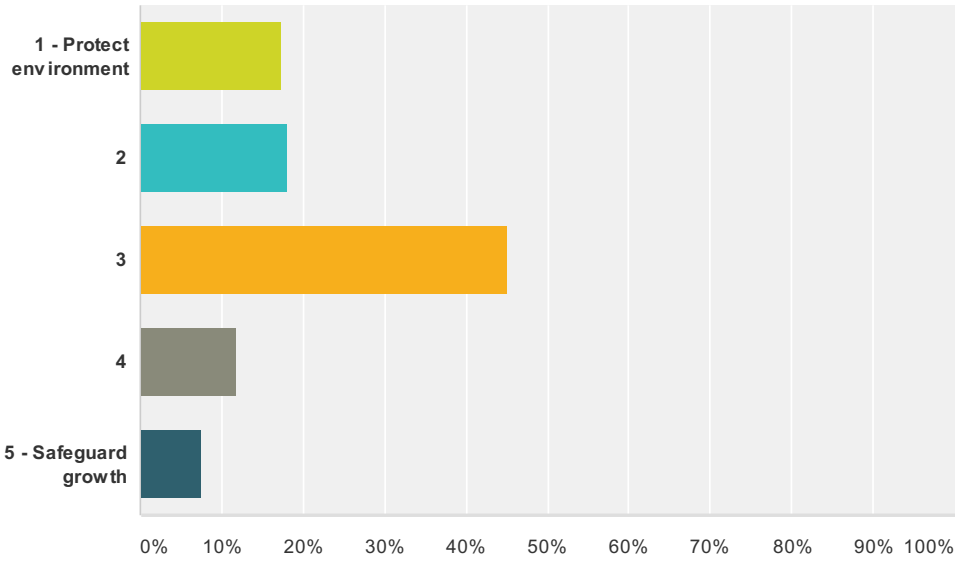
Answered: 241 Skipped: 13



Answer Choices	Responses	
1 - Address inequalities	**58.92%**	142
2	**23.24%**	56
3	**14.52%**	35
4	**2.49%**	6
5 - Oppose such policies	**0.83%**	2
Total		**241**

Q21 Some people believe we should concentrate on protecting the environment, even if it leads to lower incomes. Others believe we should safeguard our levels of economic growth before we seek to protect the environment. On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 indicates a preference for protecting the environment and 5 for safeguarding growth levels, where would you place yourself?

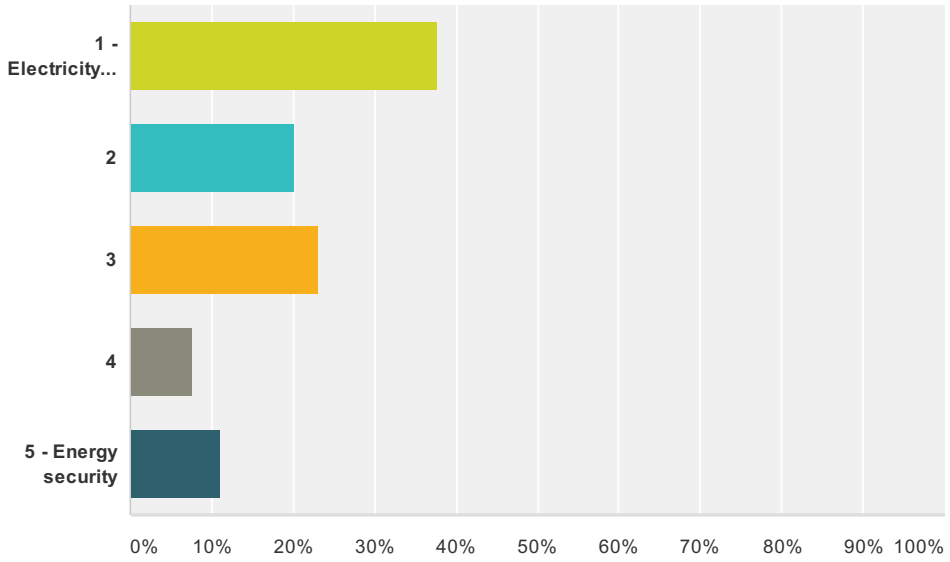
Answered: 242 Skipped: 12



Answer Choices	Responses	
1 - Protect environment	**17.36%**	42
2	**18.18%**	44
3	**45.04%**	109
4	**11.98%**	29
5 - Safeguard growth	**7.44%**	18
Total		**242**

Q22 Some people believe we should concentrate on providing access to electricity for all members of society, even if it means depending on foreign energy sources. Others believe we should prioritize energy security, even if it means less access for society. On a scale of 1 to 5, where 1 indicates a preference for broad electricity access for all and 5 for attaining energy security, where would you place yourself?

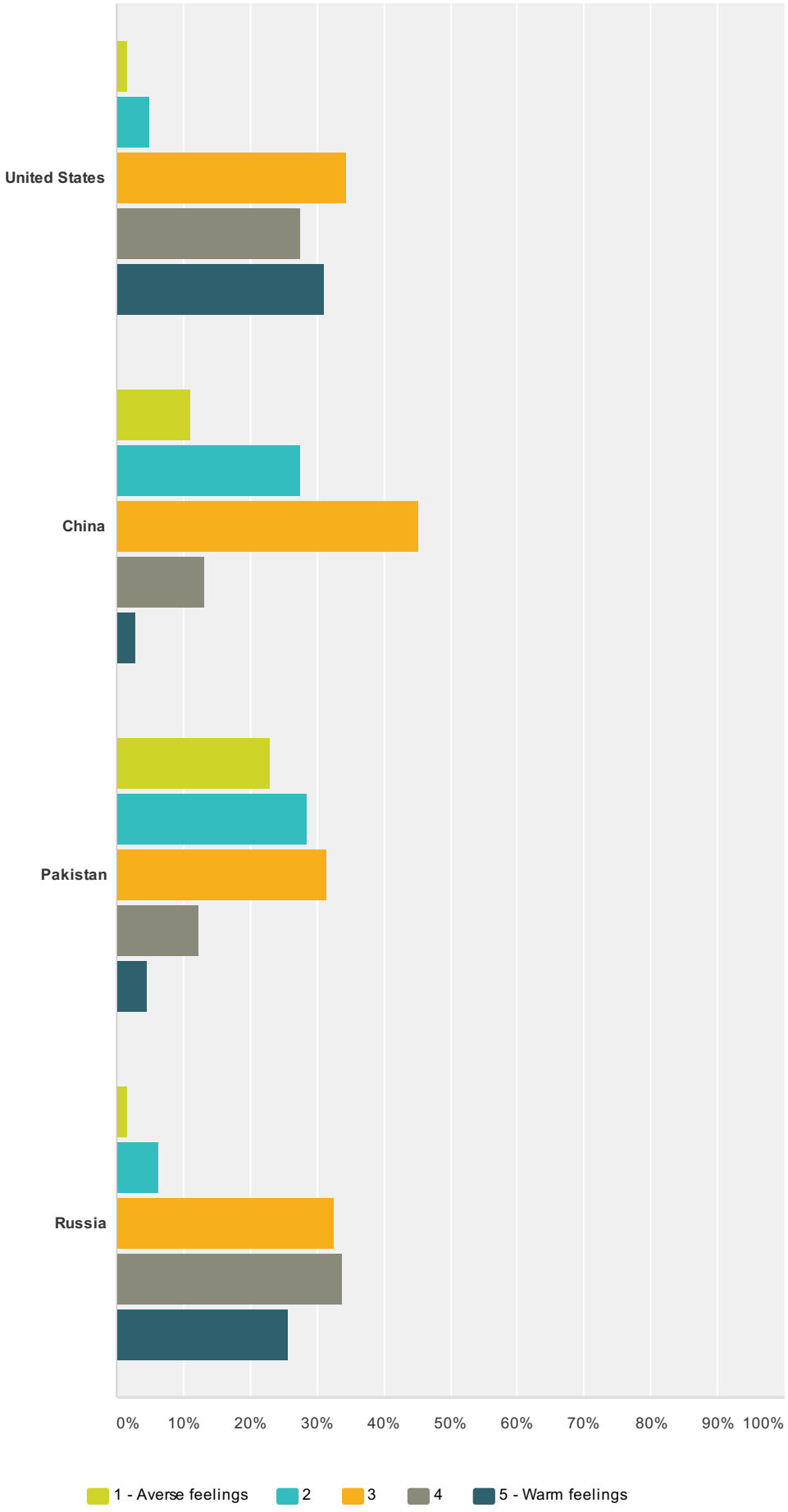
Answered: 246 Skipped: 8



Answer Choices	Responses	
1 - Electricity access	**37.80%**	93
2	**20.33%**	50
3	**23.17%**	57
4	**7.72%**	19
5 - Energy security	**10.98%**	27
Total		**246**

Q23 On a scale from 1 to 5, where 1 denotes averse feelings and 5 denotes warm feelings, please indicate your feelings towards the following countries.

Answered: 237 Skipped: 17

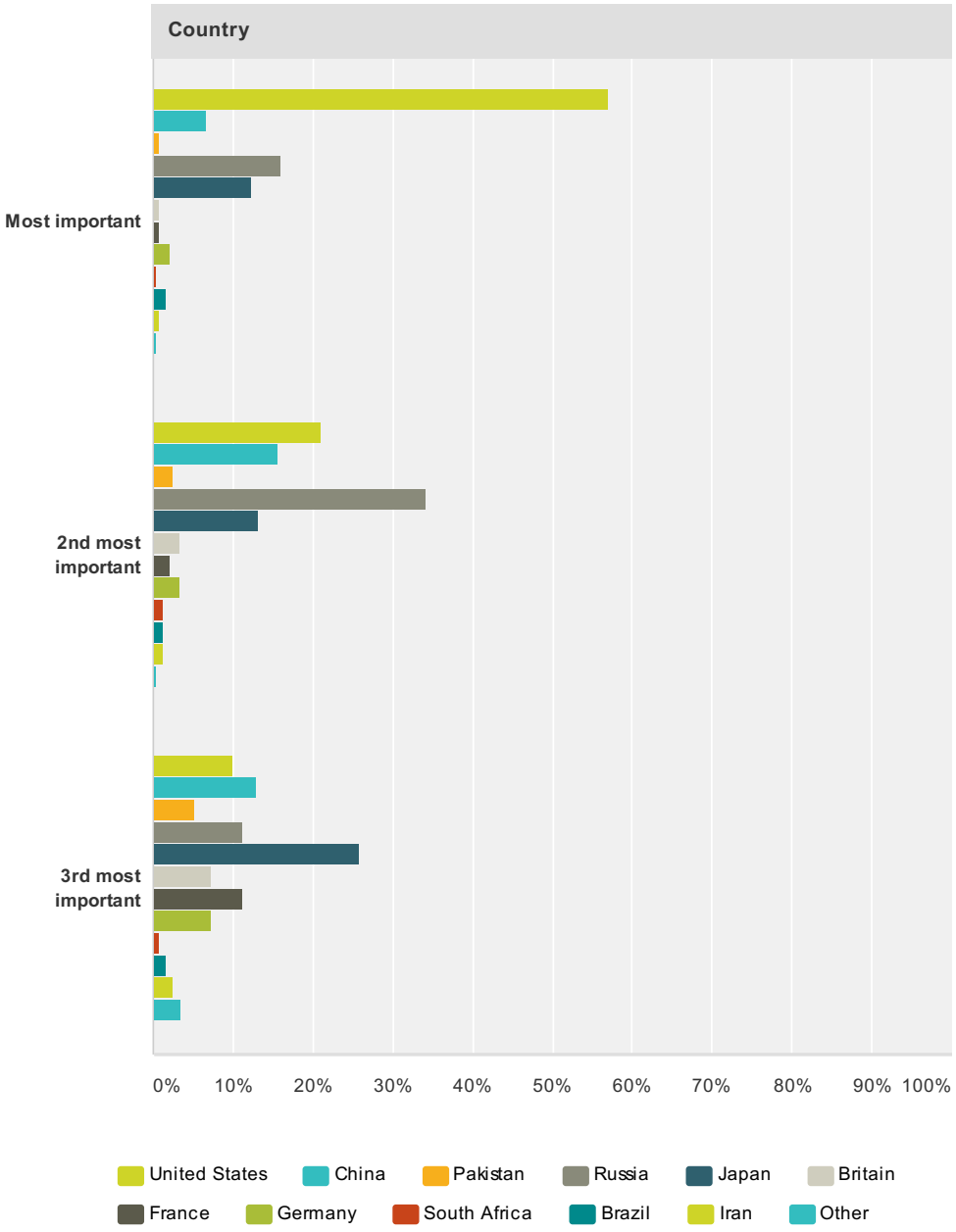


	1 - Averse feelings	2	3	4	5 - Warm feelings	Total

United States	**1.70%** 4	**5.11%** 12	**34.47%** 81	**27.66%** 65	**31.06%** 73	235
China	**11.02%** 26	**27.54%** 65	**45.34%** 107	**13.14%** 31	**2.97%** 7	236
Pakistan	**22.98%** 54	**28.51%** 67	**31.49%** 74	**12.34%** 29	**4.68%** 11	235
Russia	**1.69%** 4	**6.33%** 15	**32.49%** 77	**33.76%** 80	**25.74%** 61	237

Q24 In your opinion, India's most important foreign partners are

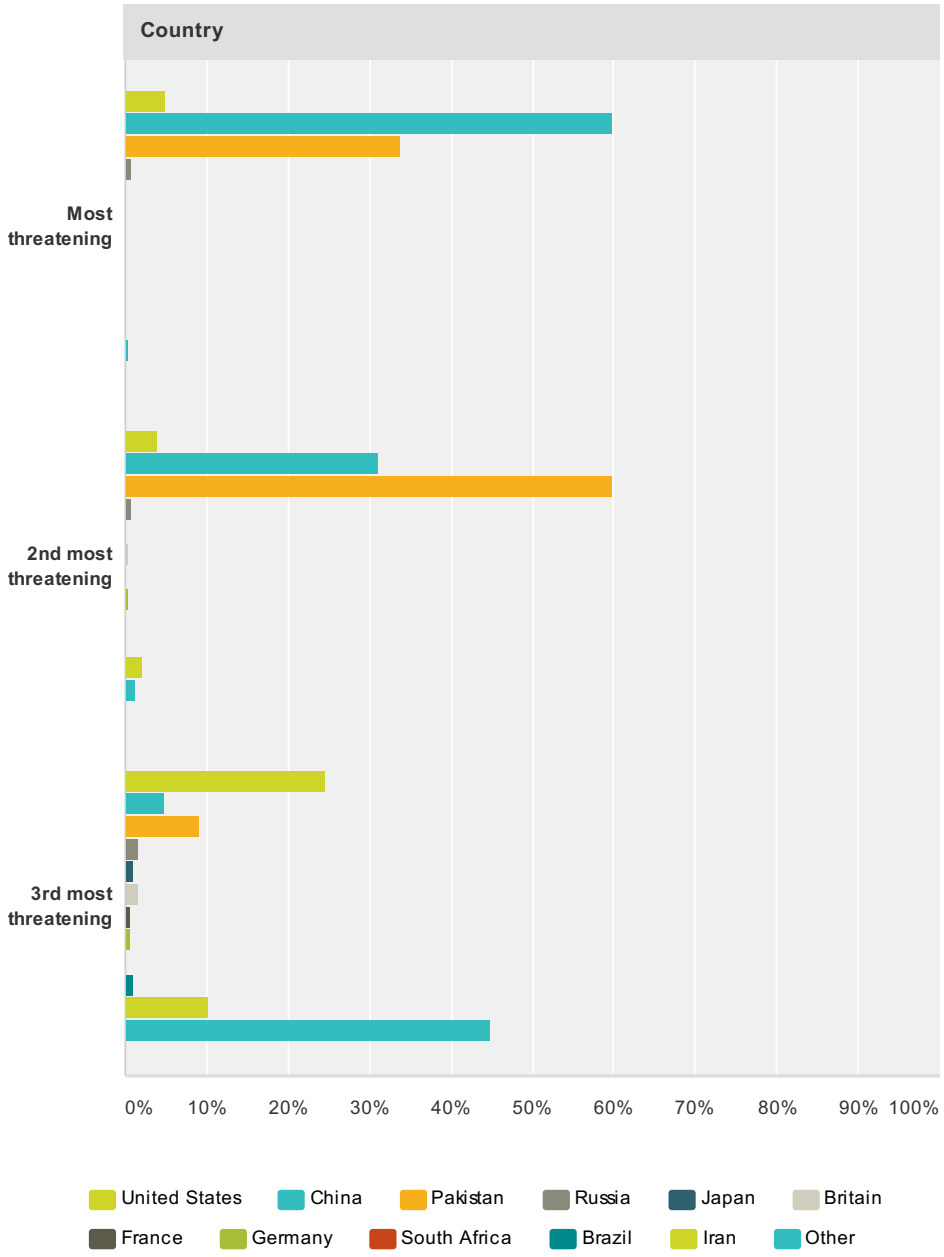
Answered: 237 Skipped: 17



Country	United States	China	Pakistan	Russia	Japan	Britain	France	Germany	South Africa	Brazil	Iran	Other	Total
Most important	**56.96%** 135	**6.75%** 16	**0.84%** 2	**16.03%** 38	**12.24%** 29	**0.84%** 2	**0.84%** 2	**2.11%** 5	**0.42%** 1	**1.69%** 4	**0.84%** 2	**0.42%** 1	237
2nd most important	**21.19%** 50	**15.68%** 37	**2.54%** 6	**34.32%** 81	**13.14%** 31	**3.39%** 8	**2.12%** 5	**3.39%** 8	**1.27%** 3	**1.27%** 3	**1.27%** 3	**0.42%** 1	236
3rd most important	**9.96%** 23	**12.99%** 30	**5.19%** 12	**11.26%** 26	**25.97%** 60	**7.36%** 17	**11.26%** 26	**7.36%** 17	**0.87%** 2	**1.73%** 4	**2.60%** 6	**3.46%** 8	231

Q25 In your opinion, which countries are most threatening to India?

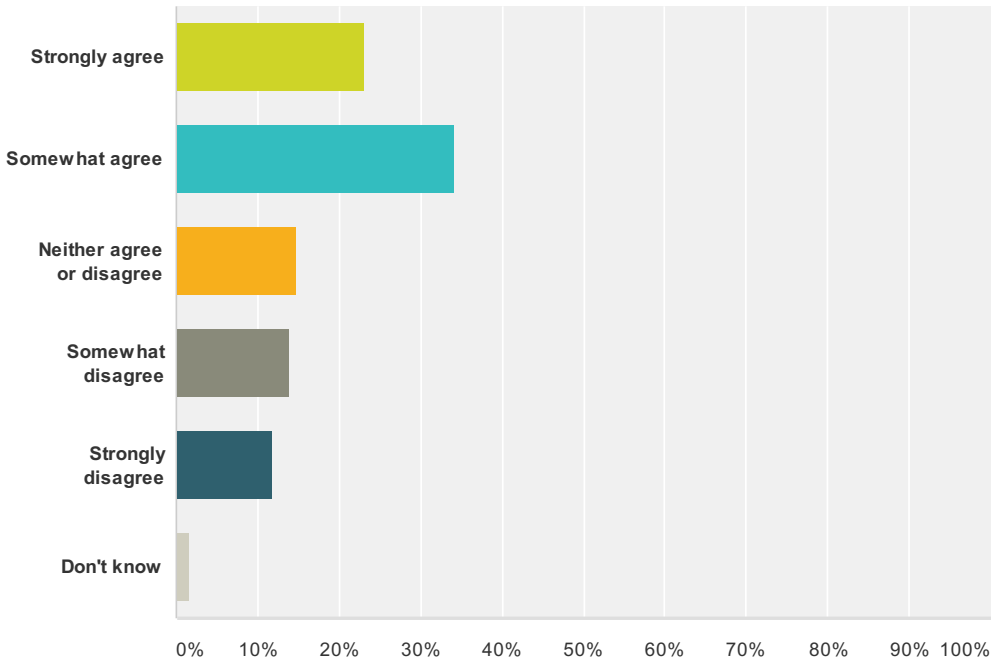
Answered: 237 Skipped: 17



Country	United States	China	Pakistan	Russia	Japan	Britain	France	Germany	South Africa	Brazil	Iran	Other	Total
Most threatening	**5.06%** 12	**59.92%** 142	**33.76%** 80	**0.84%** 2	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**0.42%** 1	237
2nd most threatening	**3.88%** 9	**31.03%** 72	**59.91%** 139	**0.86%** 2	**0.00%** 0	**0.43%** 1	**0.00%** 0	**0.43%** 1	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	**2.16%** 5	**1.29%** 3	232
3rd most threatening	**24.60%** 46	**4.81%** 9	**9.09%** 17	**1.60%** 3	**1.07%** 2	**1.60%** 3	**0.53%** 1	**0.53%** 1	**0.00%** 0	**1.07%** 2	**10.16%** 19	**44.92%** 84	187

Q26 India's foreign policy goals can be attained most effectively by pursuing collective global welfare over narrow national interests.

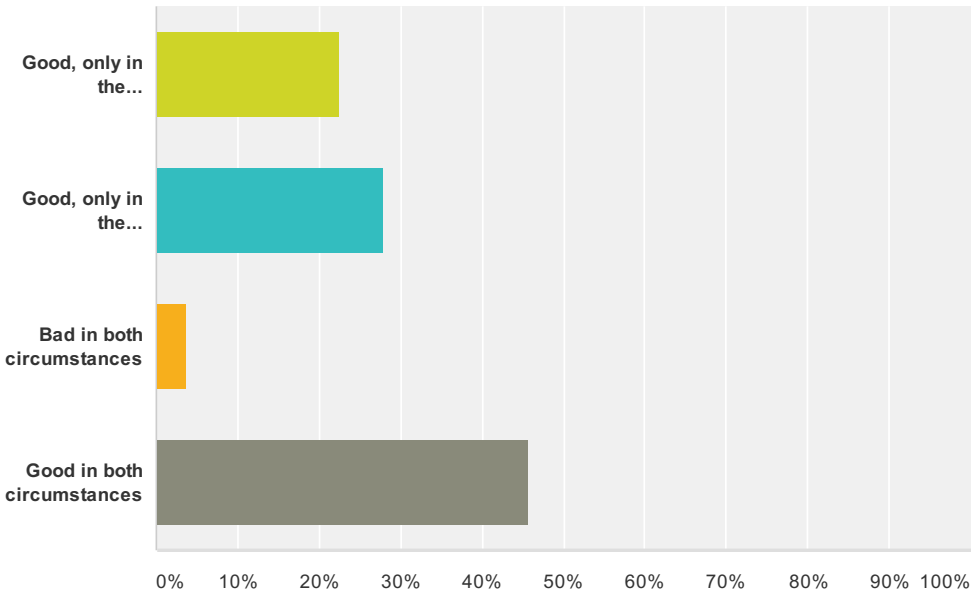
Answered: 242 Skipped: 12



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**23.14%**	56
Somewhat agree	**34.30%**	83
Neither agree or disagree	**14.88%**	36
Somewhat disagree	**14.05%**	34
Strongly disagree	**11.98%**	29
Don't know	**1.65%**	4
Total		**242**

Q27 In general, do you think that bilateral agreements to reduce trade barriers between India and foreign countries are good or bad for India?

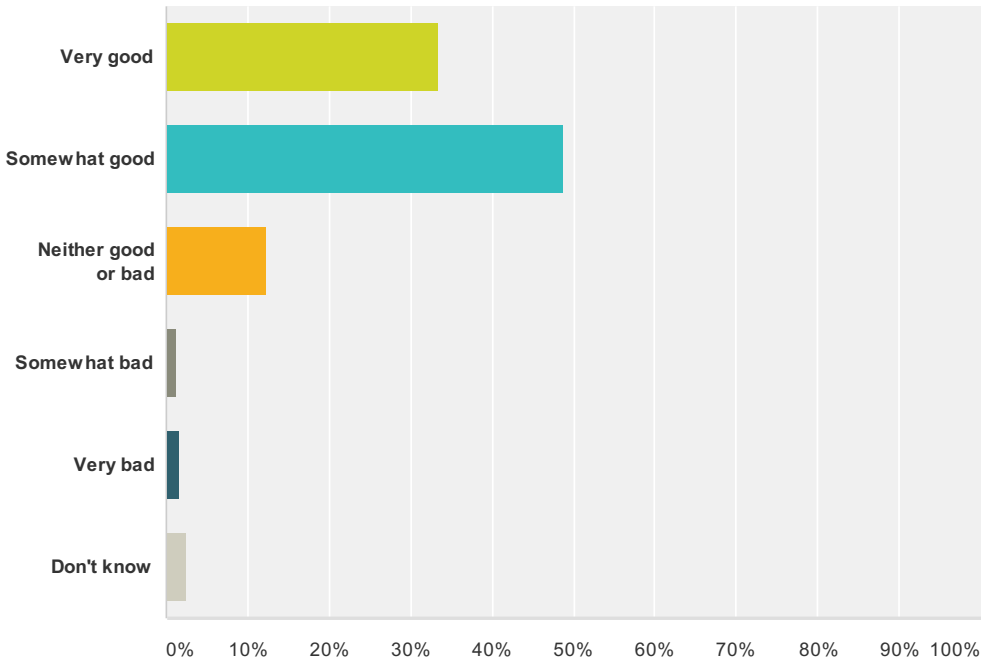
Answered: 236 Skipped: 18



Answer Choices	Responses	
Good, only in the circumstance of industrialized countries	**22.46%**	53
Good, only in the circumstance of developing countries	**27.97%**	66
Bad in both circumstances	**3.81%**	9
Good in both circumstances	**45.76%**	108
Total		**236**

Q28 In general, do you think that multilateral agreements to reduce trade barriers worldwide are good or bad for India?

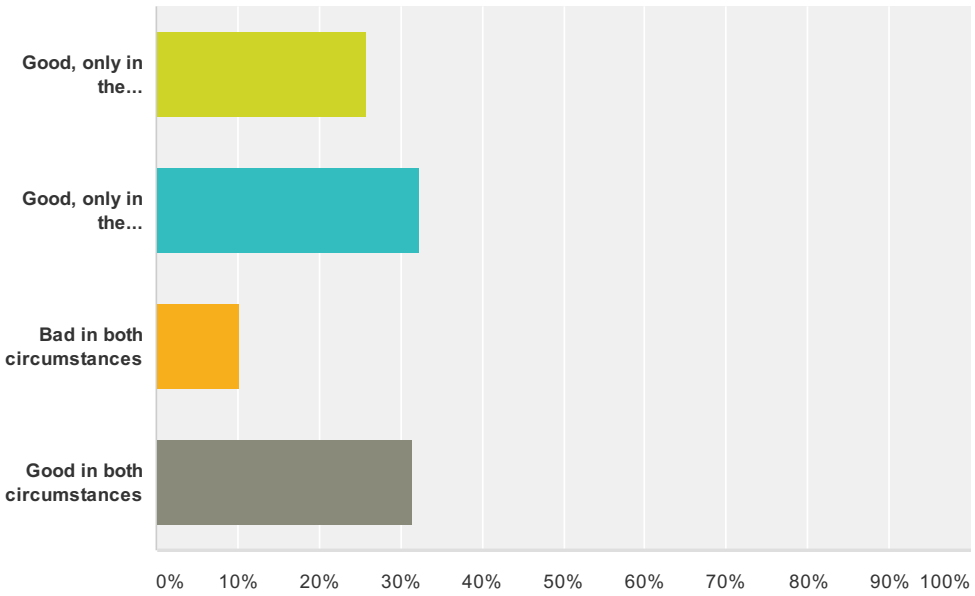
Answered: 242 Skipped: 12



Answer Choices	Responses	
Very good	**33.47%**	81
Somewhat good	**48.76%**	118
Neither good or bad	**12.40%**	30
Somewhat bad	**1.24%**	3
Very bad	**1.65%**	4
Don't know	**2.48%**	6
Total		**242**

Q29 In general, do you think that bilateral agreements to reduce carbon emissions (CO2) between India and foreign countries are good or bad for India?

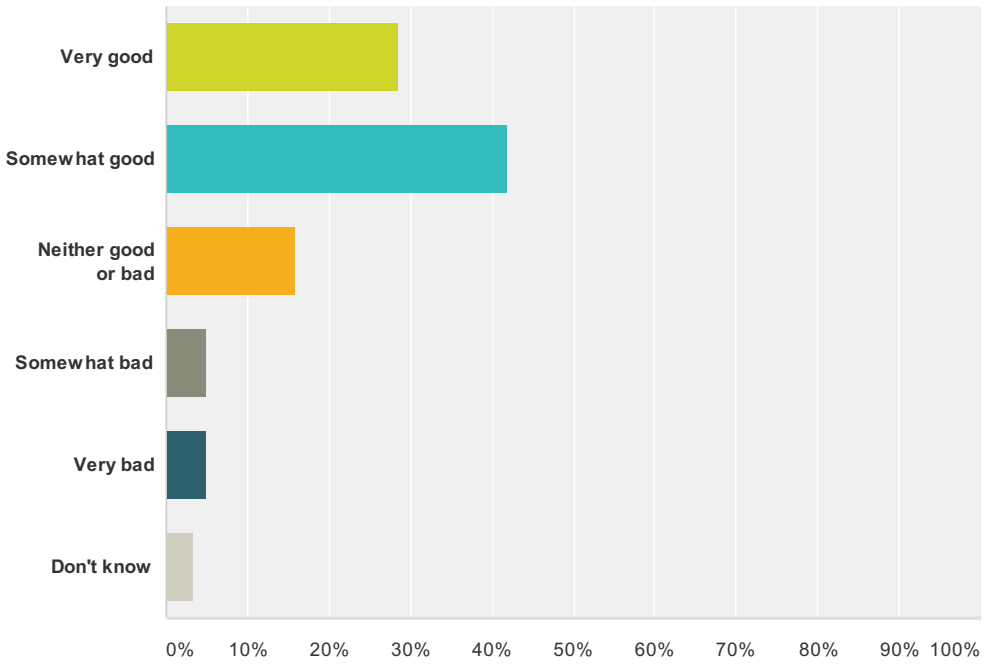
Answered: 235 Skipped: 19



Answer Choices	Responses	
Good, only in the circumstance of industrialized countries	**25.96%**	61
Good, only in the circumstance of developing countries	**32.34%**	76
Bad in both circumstances	**10.21%**	24
Good in both circumstances	**31.49%**	74
Total		**235**

Q30 In general, do you think that multilateral agreements to reduce carbon emissions (CO2) worldwide are good or bad for India?

Answered: 238 Skipped: 16



Answer Choices	Responses	
Very good	**28.57%**	68
Somewhat good	**42.02%**	100
Neither good or bad	**15.97%**	38
Somewhat bad	**5.04%**	12
Very bad	**5.04%**	12
Don't know	**3.36%**	8
Total		**238**

Q31 From the below list, please identify whether you agree or disagree with the statement that the country has been successful in pursuing collective global welfare in international politics.

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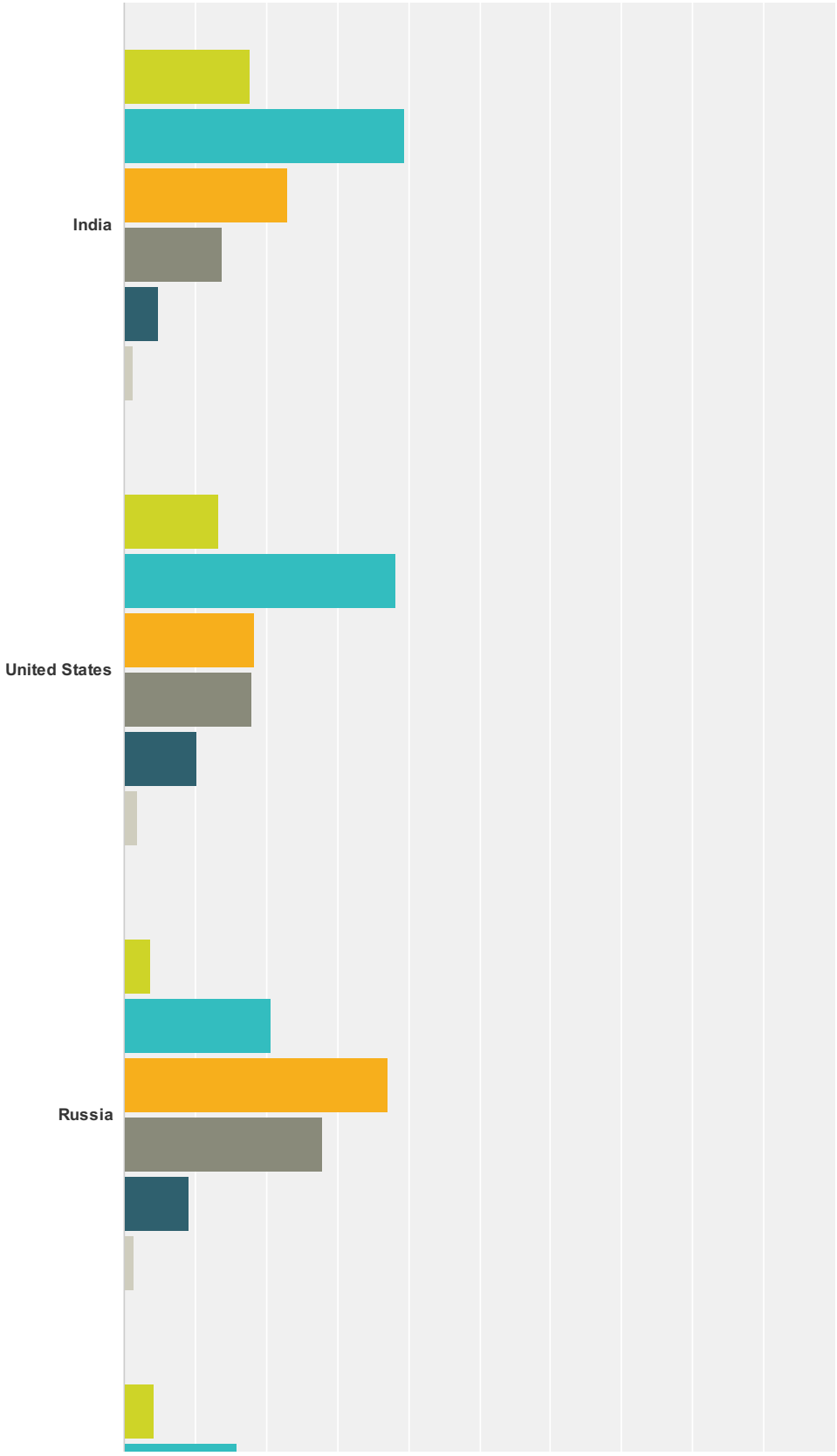

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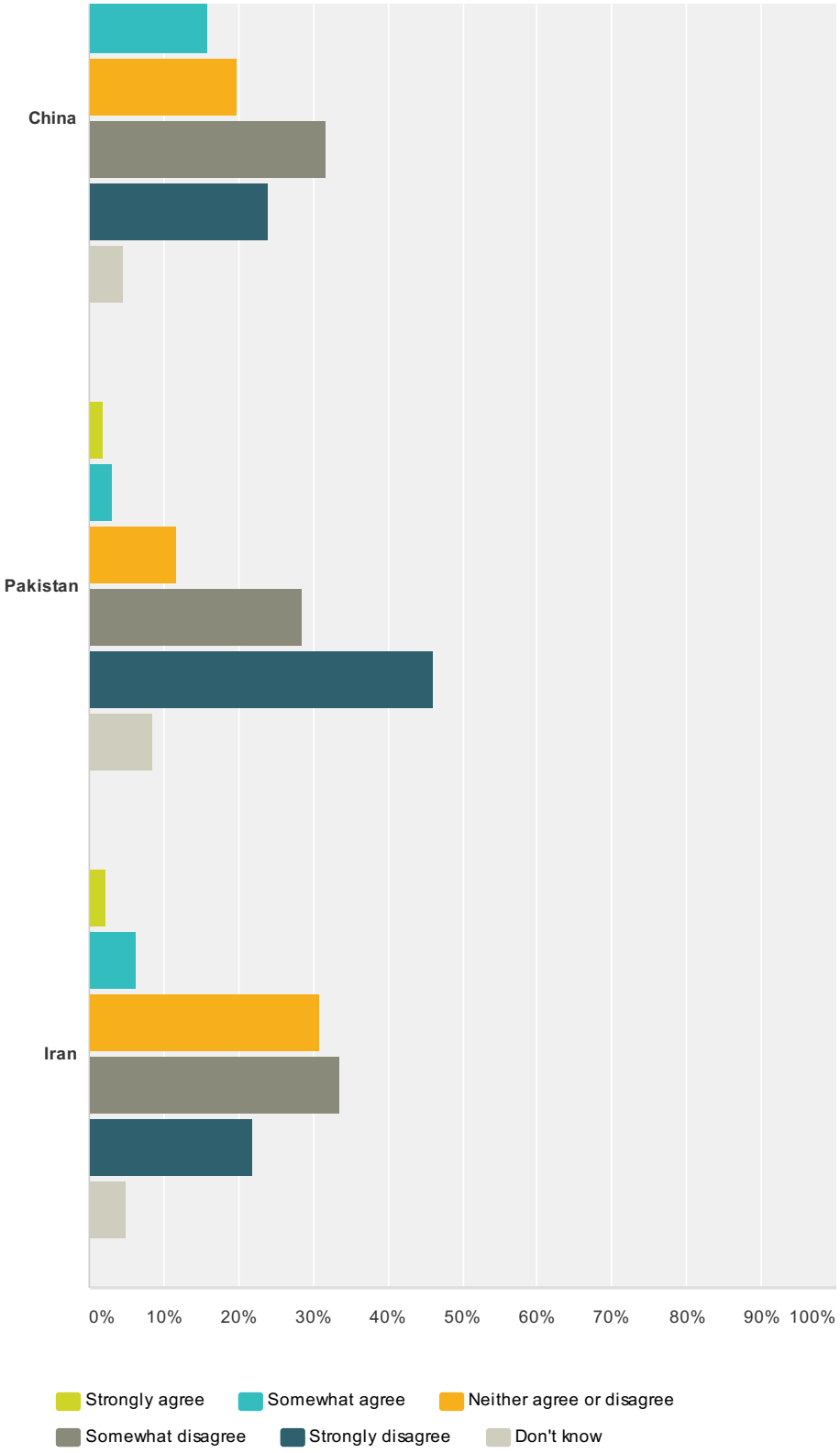

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Neither agree or disagree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know	Total
India	**17.70%** 40	**39.38%** 89	**23.01%** 52	**13.72%** 31	**4.87%** 11	**1.33%** 3	226
United States	**13.45%** 30	**38.12%** 85	**18.39%** 41	**17.94%** 40	**10.31%** 23	**1.79%** 4	223
Russia	**3.67%** 8	**20.64%** 45	**37.16%** 81	**27.98%** 61	**9.17%** 20	**1.38%** 3	218
China	**4.07%**	**15.84%**	**19.91%**	**31.67%**	**23.98%**	**4.52%**	

China	**4.07%** 9	**15.84%** 35	**19.91%** 44	**31.67%** 70	**23.98%** 53	**4.52%** 10	221
Pakistan	**1.81%** 4	**3.17%** 7	**11.76%** 26	**28.51%** 63	**46.15%** 102	**8.60%** 19	221
Iran	**2.27%** 5	**6.36%** 14	**30.91%** 68	**33.64%** 74	**21.82%** 48	**5.00%** 11	220

Q32 Better relations with the following countries are

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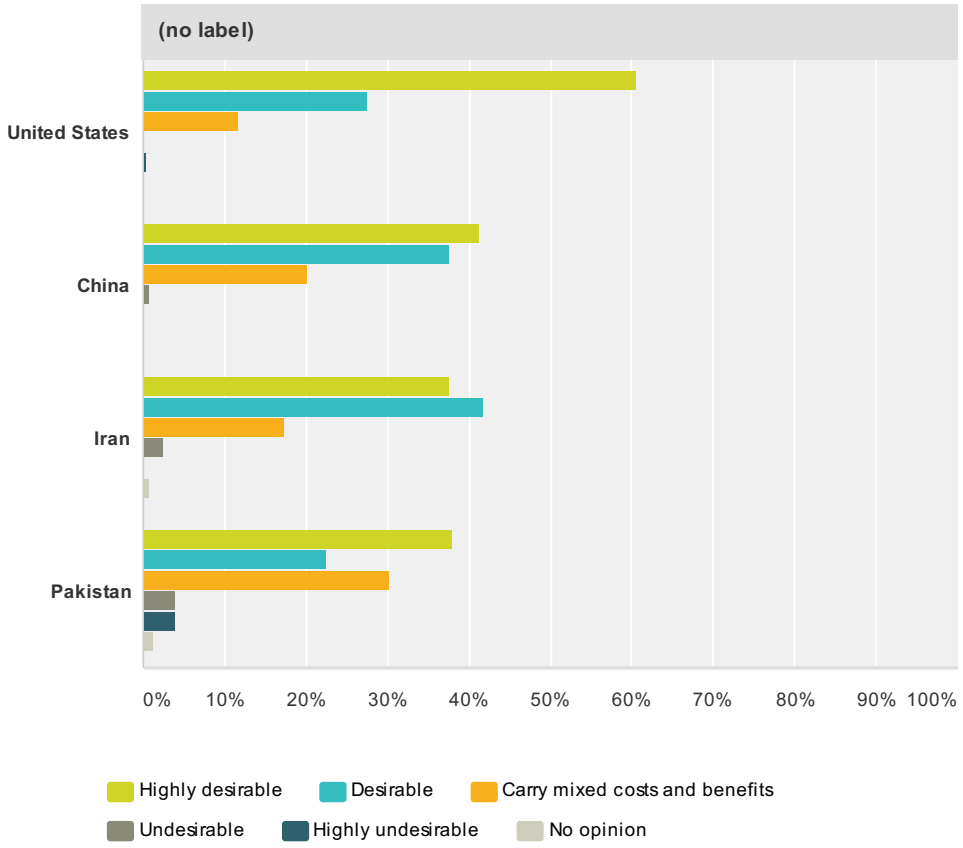
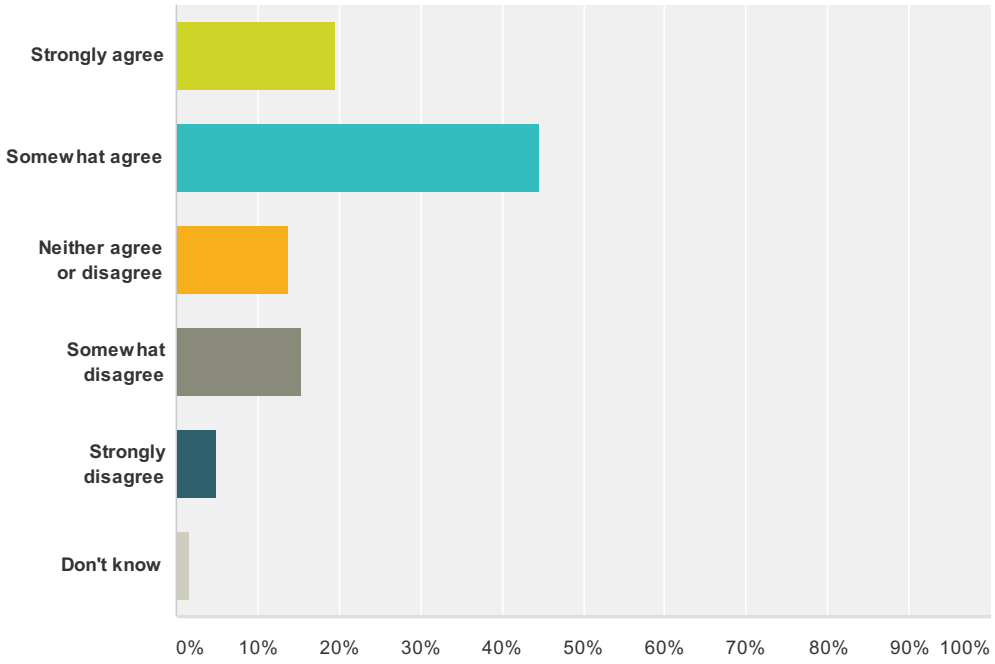


(no label)	Highly desirable	Desirable	Carry mixed costs and benefits	Undesirable	Highly undesirable	No opinion	Total
United States	**60.52%** 141	**27.47%** 64	**11.59%** 27	**0.00%** 0	**0.43%** 1	**0.00%** 0	233
China	**41.38%** 96	**37.50%** 87	**20.26%** 47	**0.86%** 2	**0.00%** 0	**0.00%** 0	232
Iran	**37.50%** 87	**41.81%** 97	**17.24%** 40	**2.59%** 6	**0.00%** 0	**0.86%** 2	232
Pakistan	**38.10%** 88	**22.51%** 52	**30.30%** 70	**3.90%** 9	**3.90%** 9	**1.30%** 3	231

Q33 Growing Chinese assertiveness increases the need for India to align with the United States.

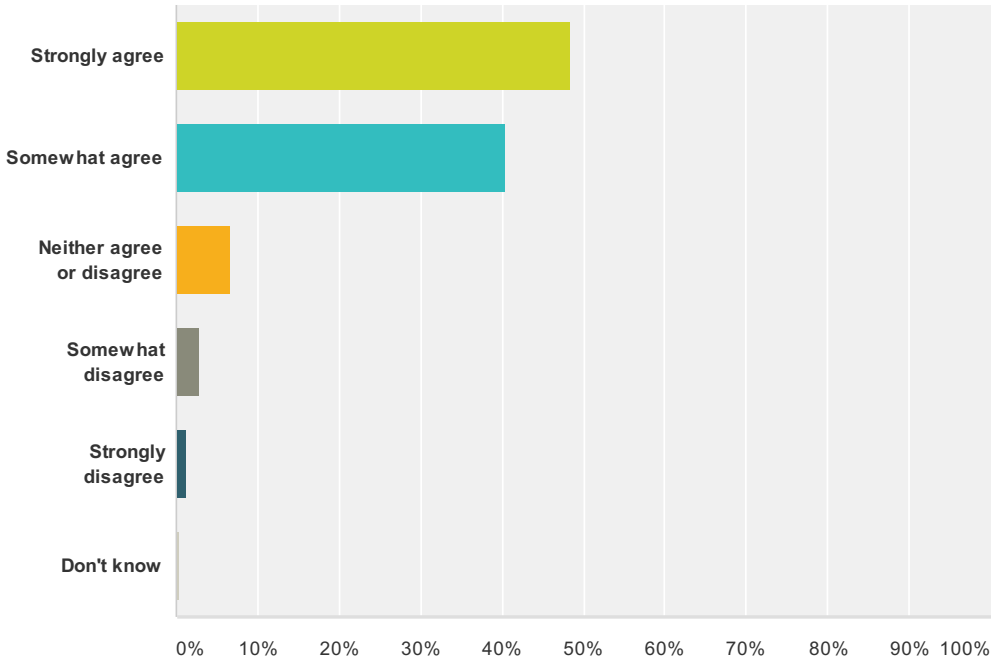
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**19.58%**	47
Somewhat agree	**44.58%**	107
Neither agree or disagree	**13.75%**	33
Somewhat disagree	**15.42%**	37
Strongly disagree	**5.00%**	12
Don't know	**1.67%**	4
Total		**240**

Q34 India should pursue good relations with Iran despite American objections.

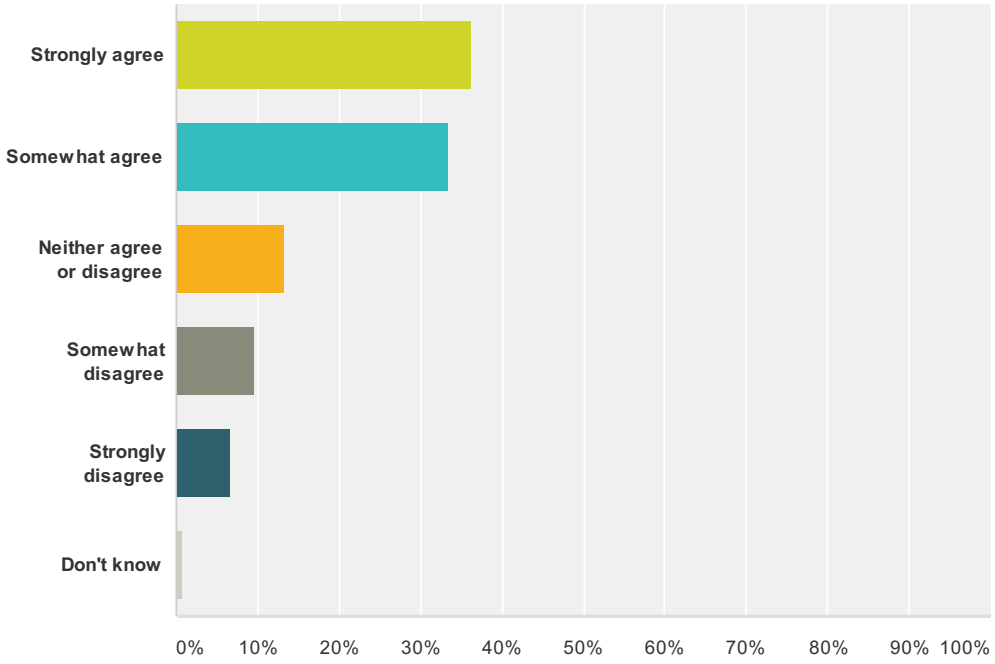
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**48.33%**	116
Somewhat agree	**40.42%**	97
Neither agree or disagree	**6.67%**	16
Somewhat disagree	**2.92%**	7
Strongly disagree	**1.25%**	3
Don't know	**0.42%**	1
Total		**240**

Q35 Better trade relations with Pakistan will result in an improvement in Indo-Pakistani relations in security-related areas.

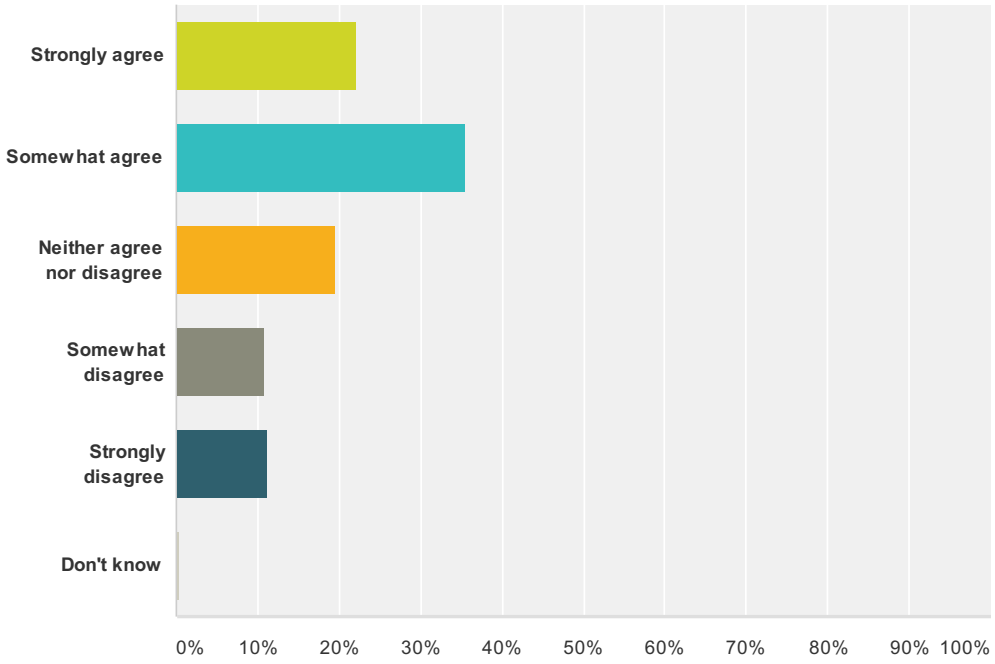
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**36.25%**	87
Somewhat agree	**33.33%**	80
Neither agree or disagree	**13.33%**	32
Somewhat disagree	**9.58%**	23
Strongly disagree	**6.67%**	16
Don't know	**0.83%**	2
Total		**240**

Q36 India should take a more active role in guaranteeing the rights of Tamils in Sri Lanka.

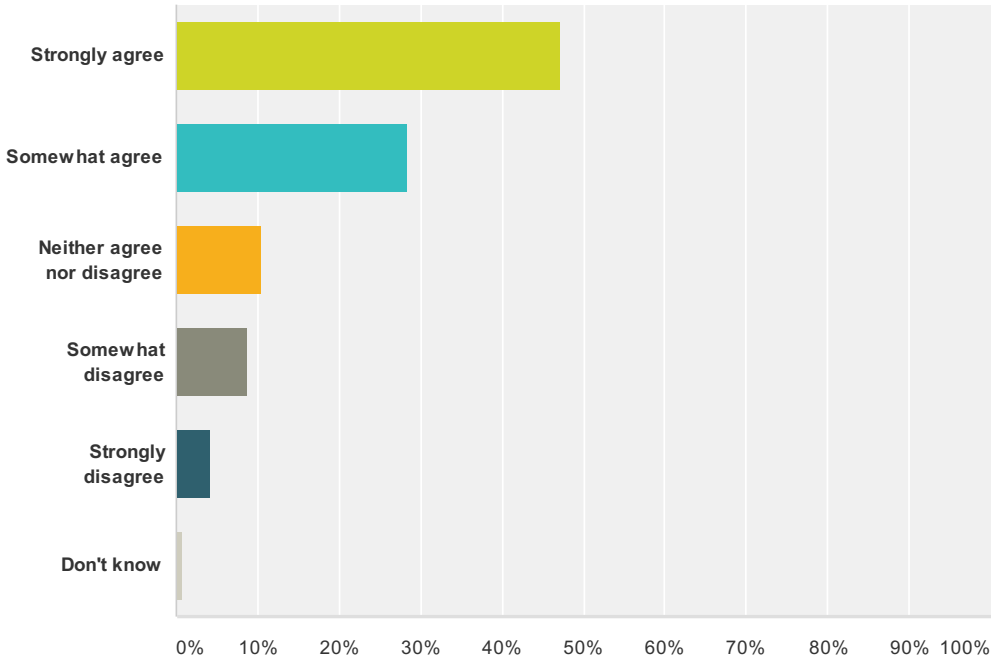
Answered: 239 Skipped: 15



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**22.18%**	53
Somewhat agree	**35.56%**	85
Neither agree nor disagree	**19.67%**	47
Somewhat disagree	**10.88%**	26
Strongly disagree	**11.30%**	27
Don't know	**0.42%**	1
Total		**239**

Q37 India needs to adopt a more tough-minded set of measures to limit illegal immigration from Bangladesh.

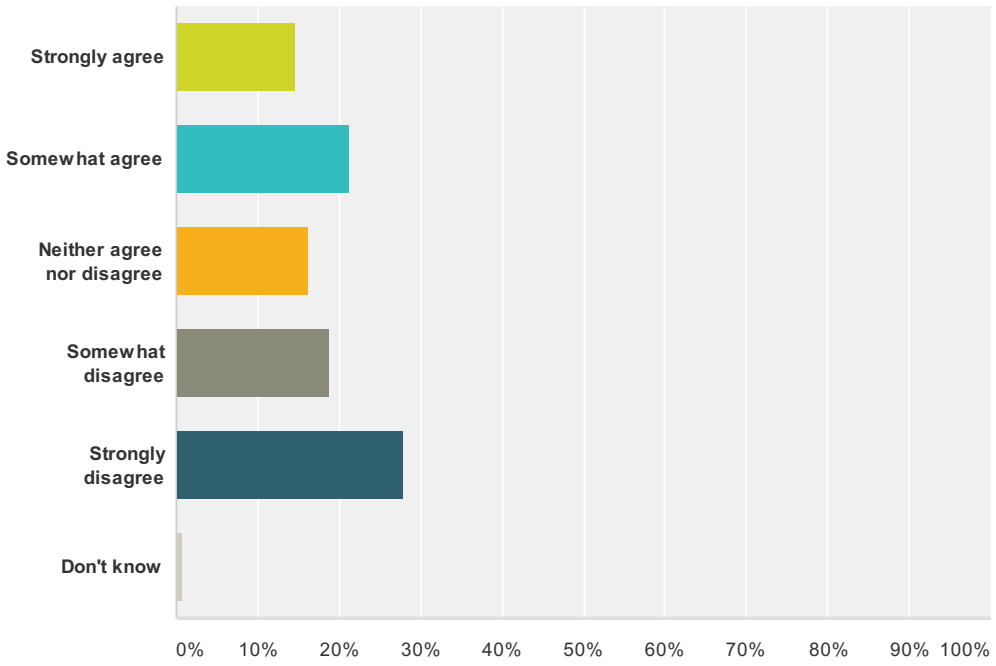
Answered: 239 Skipped: 15



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**47.28%**	113
Somewhat agree	**28.45%**	68
Neither agree nor disagree	**10.46%**	25
Somewhat disagree	**8.79%**	21
Strongly disagree	**4.18%**	10
Don't know	**0.84%**	2
Total		**239**

Q38 As the US drawdown from Afghanistan approaches, India should be willing to commit troops to Afghanistan to safeguard Indian national interests.

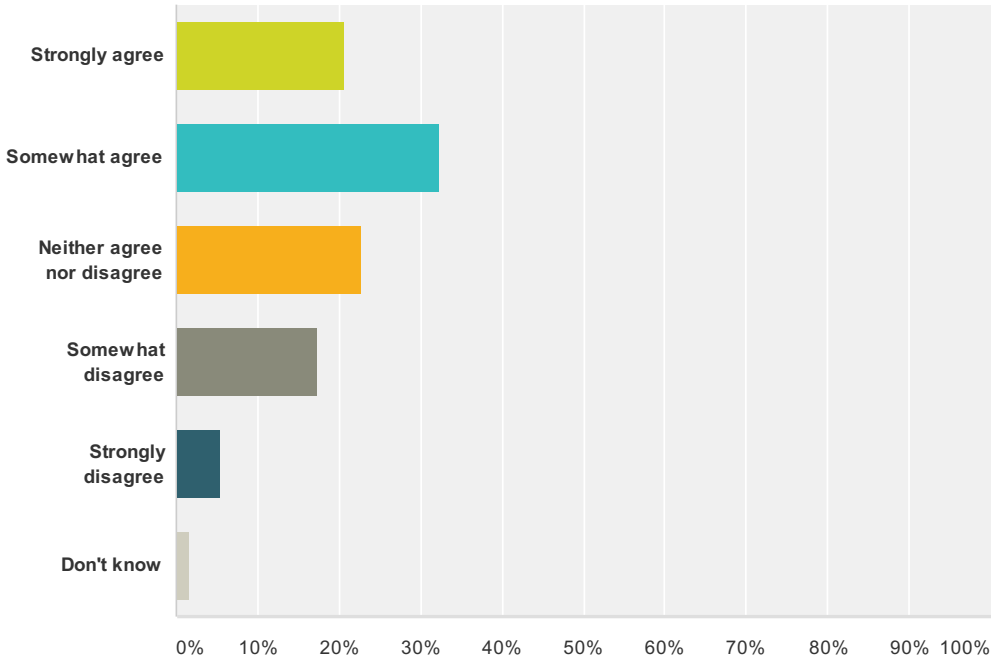
Answered: 239 Skipped: 15



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**14.64%**	35
Somewhat agree	**21.34%**	51
Neither agree nor disagree	**16.32%**	39
Somewhat disagree	**18.83%**	45
Strongly disagree	**28.03%**	67
Don't know	**0.84%**	2
Total		**239**

Q39 It is in India's interest to support the emergent global norm of the "responsibility to protect."

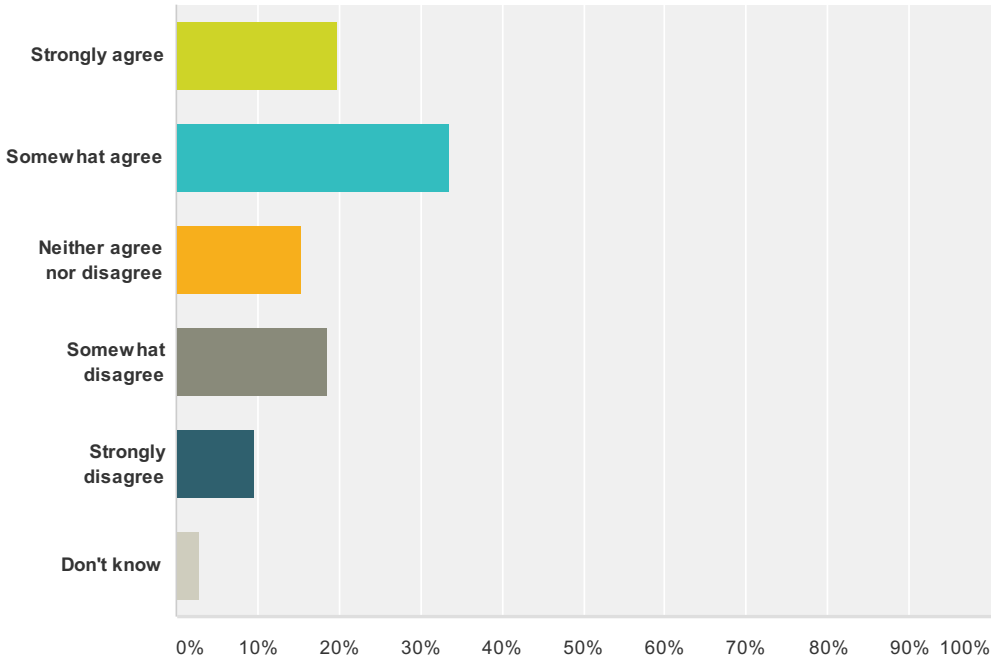
Answered: 238 Skipped: 16



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**20.59%**	49
Somewhat agree	**32.35%**	77
Neither agree nor disagree	**22.69%**	54
Somewhat disagree	**17.23%**	41
Strongly disagree	**5.46%**	13
Don't know	**1.68%**	4
Total		**238**

Q40 India should be willing to bear more burdens to conclude a binding treaty on global climate change.

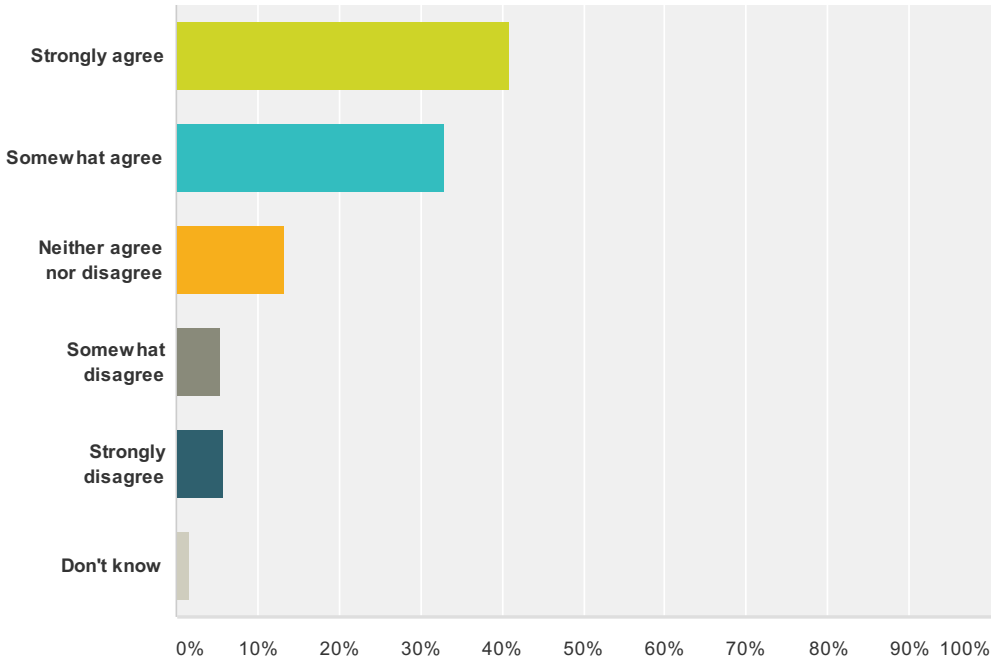
Answered: 238 Skipped: 16



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**19.75%**	47
Somewhat agree	**33.61%**	80
Neither agree nor disagree	**15.55%**	37
Somewhat disagree	**18.49%**	44
Strongly disagree	**9.66%**	23
Don't know	**2.94%**	7
Total		**238**

Q41 India should continue to espouse the cause of universal nuclear disarmament.

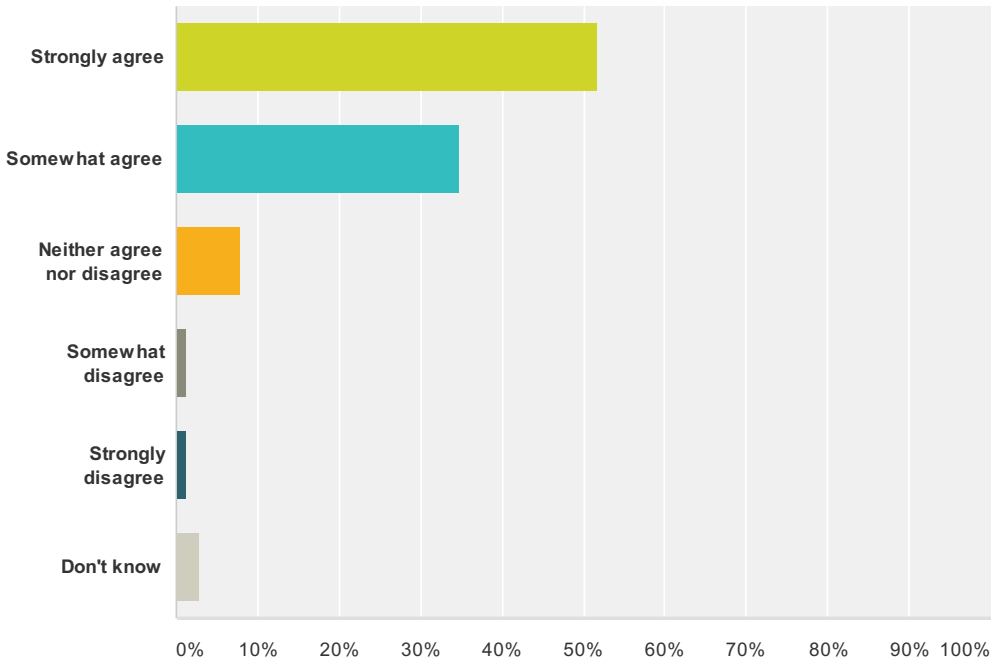
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**40.83%**	98
Somewhat agree	**32.92%**	79
Neither agree nor disagree	**13.33%**	32
Somewhat disagree	**5.42%**	13
Strongly disagree	**5.83%**	14
Don't know	**1.67%**	4
Total		**240**

Q42 India should play a greater role in the decisions of International Monetary Fund, both in terms of the quota it contributes and in terms of the size of its voting share.

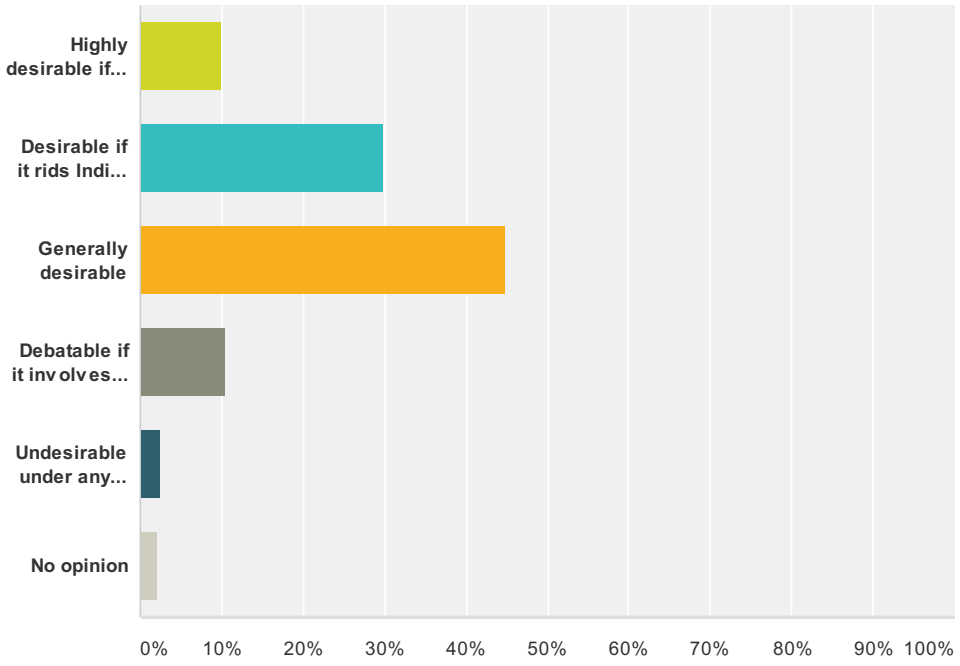
Answered: 241 Skipped: 13



Answer Choices	Responses	
Strongly agree	**51.87%**	125
Somewhat agree	**34.85%**	84
Neither agree nor disagree	**7.88%**	19
Somewhat disagree	**1.24%**	3
Strongly disagree	**1.24%**	3
Don't know	**2.90%**	7
Total		**241**

Q43 Rapprochement with Pakistan is

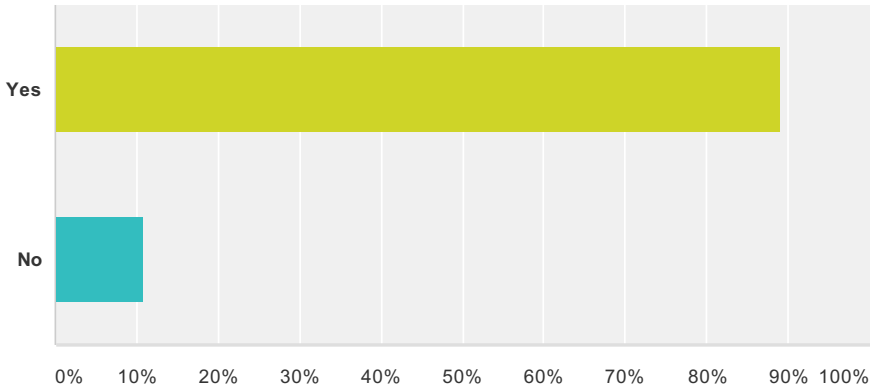
Answered: 238 Skipped: 16



Answer Choices	Responses	
Highly desirable if it involves great compromises	**10.08%**	24
Desirable if it rids India of a local handicap for a stronger global role	**29.83%**	71
Generally desirable	**44.96%**	107
Debatable if it involves compromise	**10.50%**	25
Undesirable under any circumstances; only military coercion will work	**2.52%**	6
No opinion	**2.10%**	5
Total		**238**

Q44 India deserves a permanent seat on the United Nations Security Council

Answered: 239 Skipped: 15



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	**89.12%**	213
No	**10.88%**	26
Total		**239**

Q45 If you had to choose, which of the following offers the best reason for your response to the previous question?

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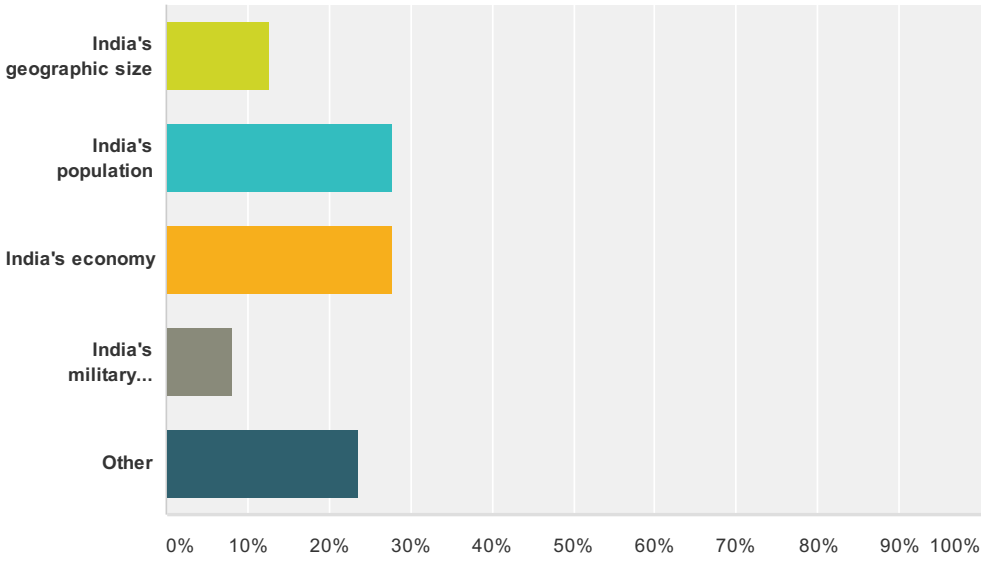
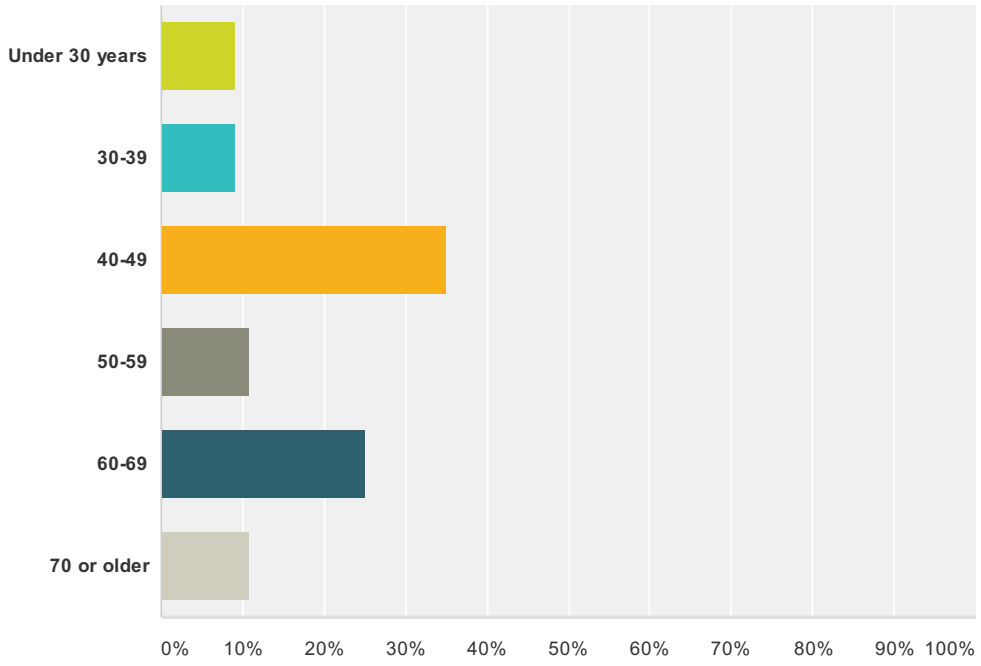


Answer Choices	Responses	
India's geographic size	**12.82%**	30
India's population	**27.78%**	65
India's economy	**27.78%**	65
India's military capabilities	**8.12%**	19
Other	**23.50%**	55
Total		**234**

Q46 What is your age?

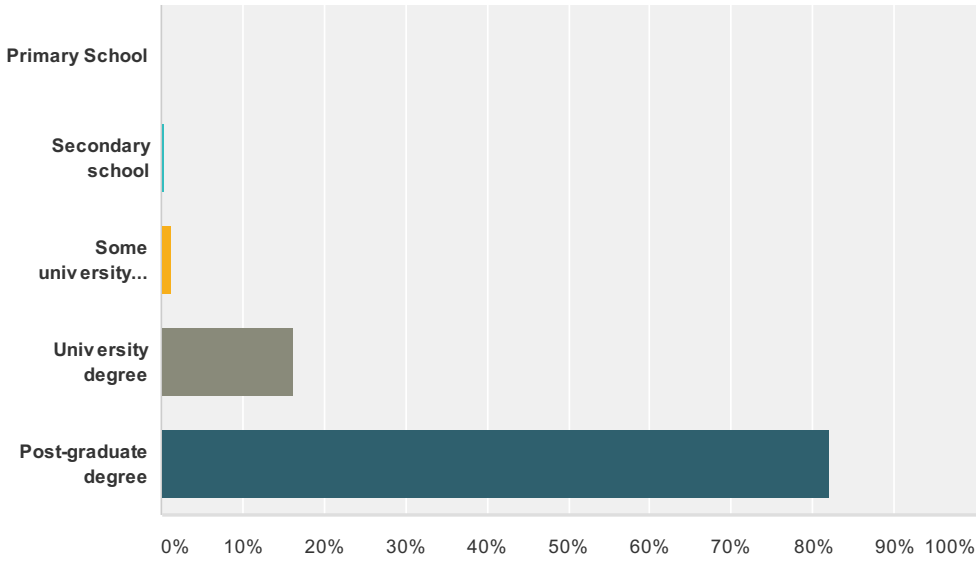
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Under 30 years	**9.17%**	22
30-39	**9.17%**	22
40-49	**35.00%**	84
50-59	**10.83%**	26
60-69	**25.00%**	60
70 or older	**10.83%**	26
Total		**240**

Q47 What is the highest level of education you have completed?

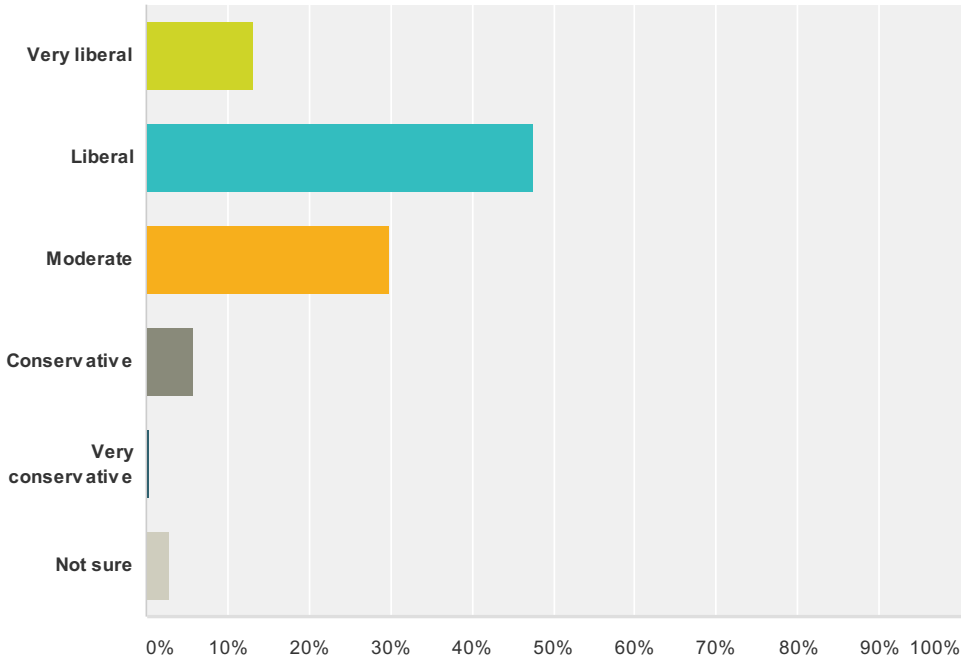
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Primary School	**0.00%**	0
Secondary school	**0.42%**	1
Some university education	**1.25%**	3
University degree	**16.25%**	39
Post-graduate degree	**82.08%**	197
Total		**240**

Q48 Thinking about politics these days, how would you describe your own political viewpoint?

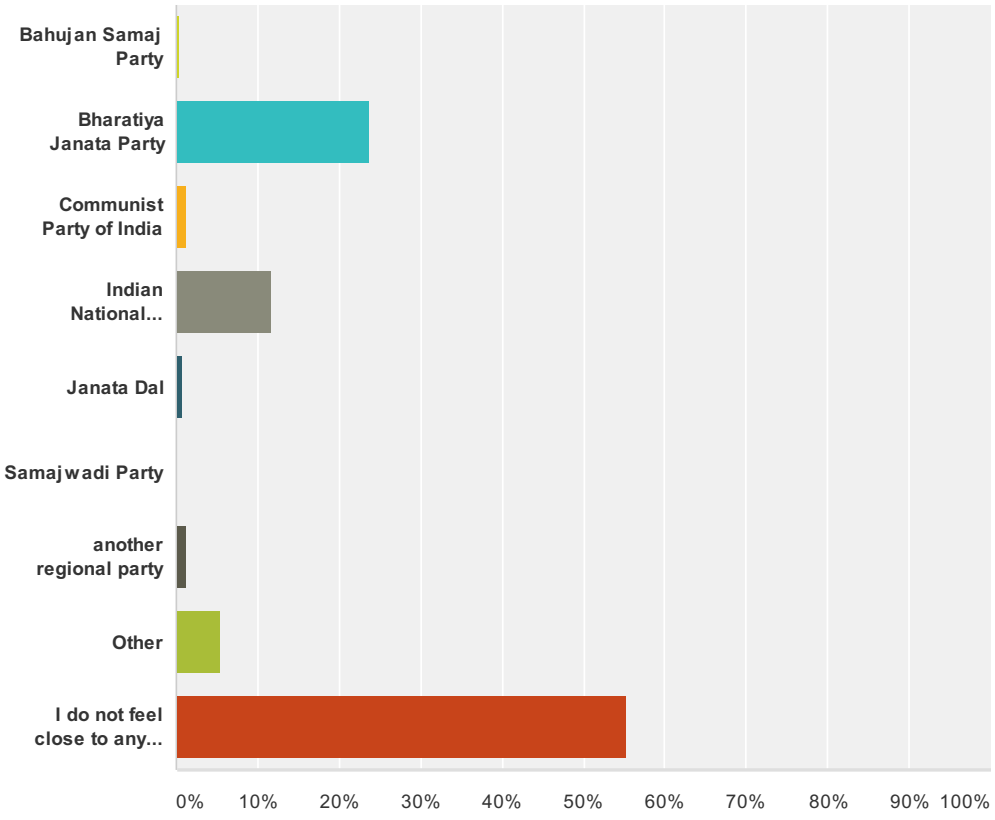
Answered: 237 Skipped: 17



Answer Choices	Responses	
Very liberal	**13.08%**	31
Liberal	**47.68%**	113
Moderate	**29.96%**	71
Conservative	**5.91%**	14
Very conservative	**0.42%**	1
Not sure	**2.95%**	7
Total		**237**

Q49 Is there a political party you feel close to?

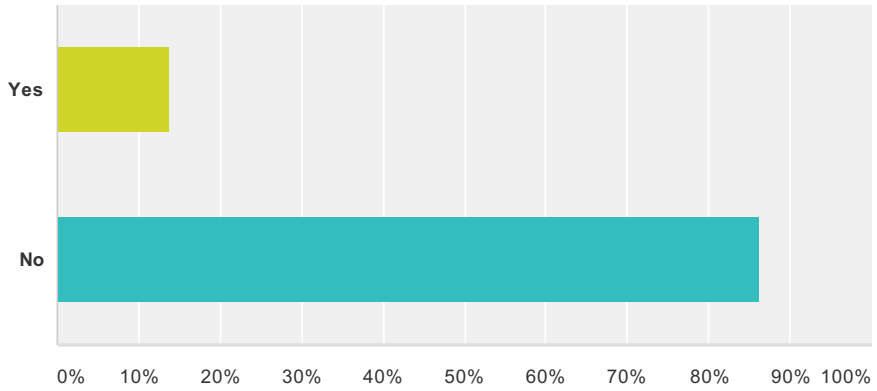
Answered: 239 Skipped: 15



Answer Choices	Responses	
Bahujan Samaj Party	**0.42%**	1
Bharatiya Janata Party	**23.85%**	57
Communist Party of India	**1.26%**	3
Indian National Congress	**11.72%**	28
Janata Dal	**0.84%**	2
Samajwadi Party	**0.00%**	0
another regional party	**1.26%**	3
Other	**5.44%**	13
I do not feel close to any political party	**55.23%**	132
Total		**239**

Q50 Are you employed by the Government of India

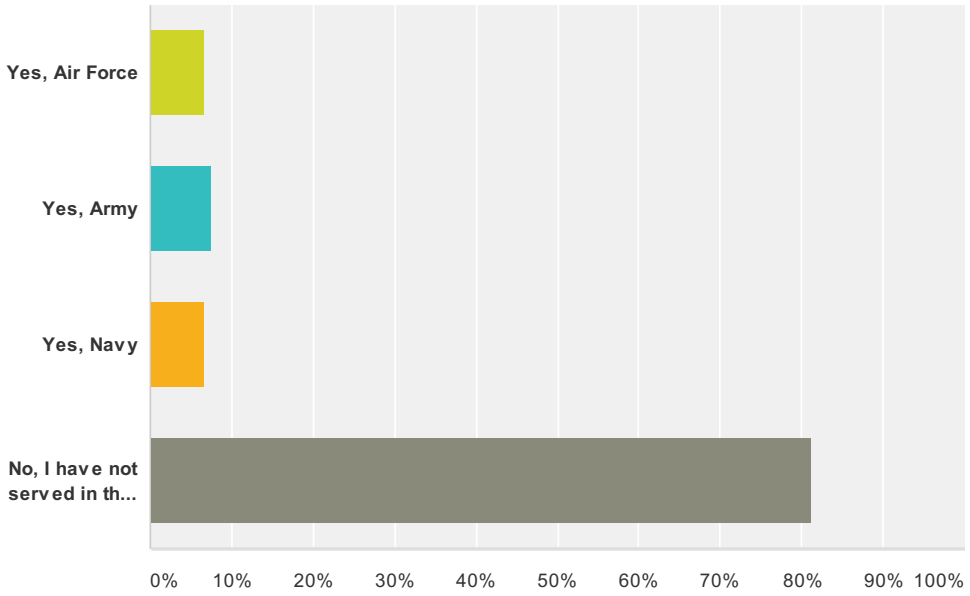
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes	**13.75%**	33
No	**86.25%**	207
Total		**240**

Q51 Have you served in the Indian Armed Forces?

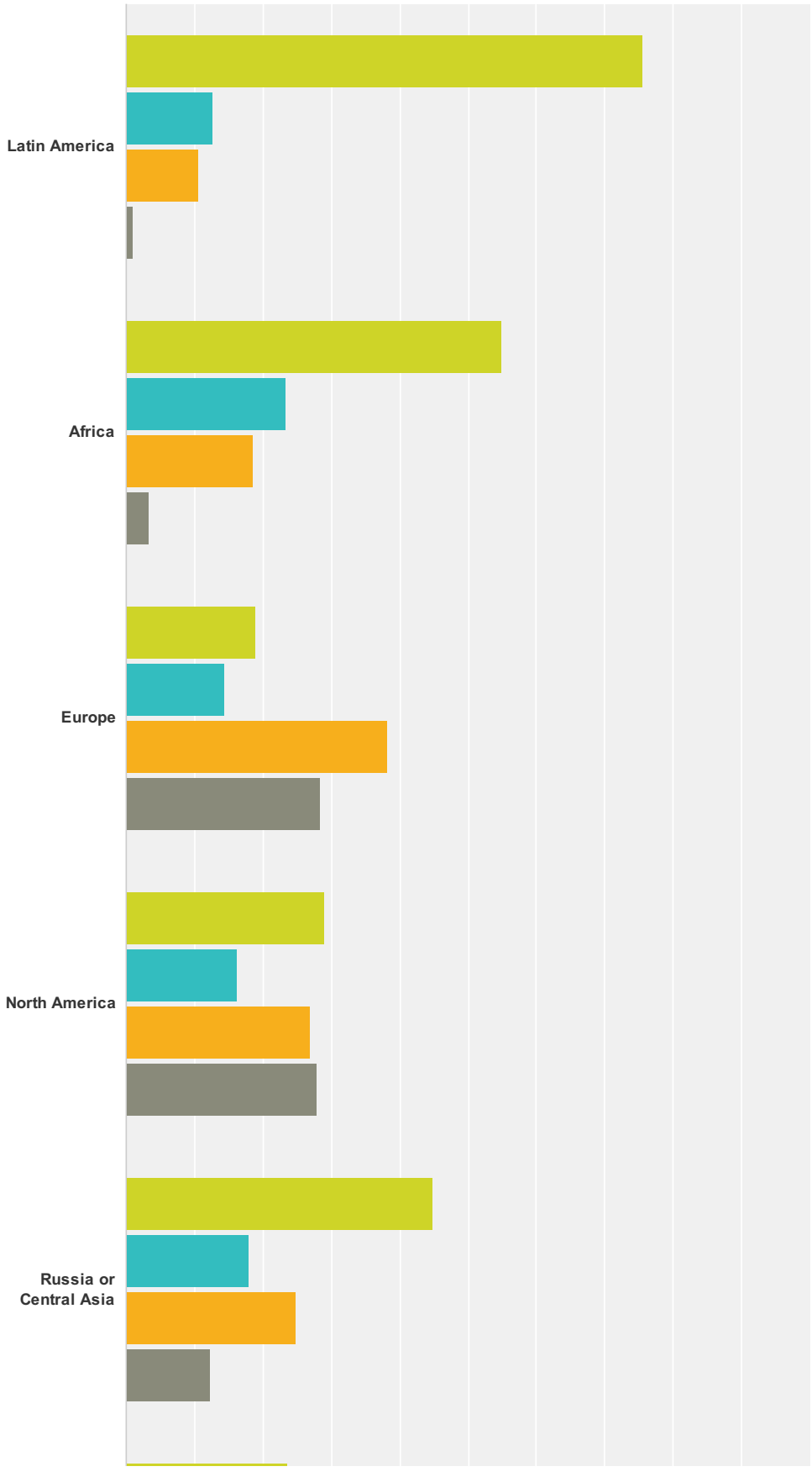
Answered: 240 Skipped: 14



Answer Choices	Responses	
Yes, Air Force	**6.67%**	16
Yes, Army	**7.50%**	18
Yes, Navy	**6.67%**	16
No, I have not served in the Indian Armed Forces	**81.25%**	195
Total Respondents: 240		

Q52 Please indicate how often you have travelled to the following locations in the past ten years

Answered: 223 Skipped: 31



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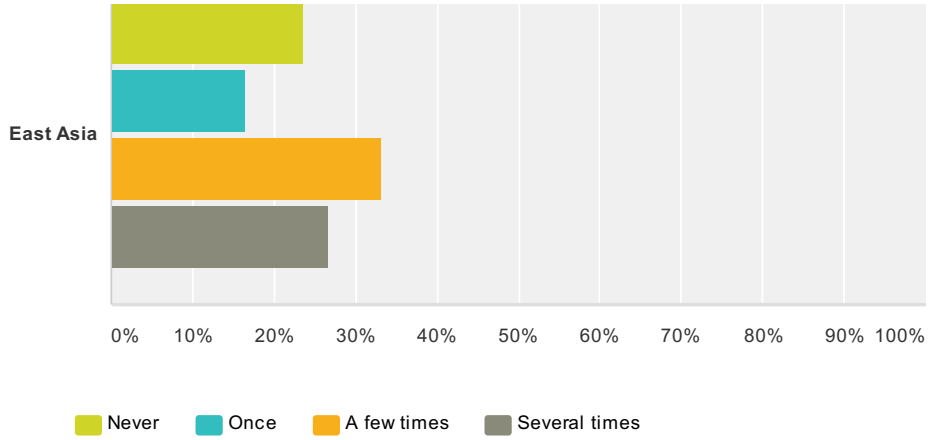

	Never	Once	A few times	Several times	Total
Latin America	**75.56%** 136	**12.78%** 23	**10.56%** 19	**1.11%** 2	180
Africa	**54.89%** 101	**23.37%** 43	**18.48%** 34	**3.26%** 6	184
Europe	**18.91%** 38	**14.43%** 29	**38.31%** 77	**28.36%** 57	201
North America	**28.93%** 57	**16.24%** 32	**26.90%** 53	**27.92%** 55	197
Russia or Central Asia	**44.85%** 87	**18.04%** 35	**24.74%** 48	**12.37%** 24	194
East Asia	**23.62%** 47	**16.58%** 33	**33.17%** 66	**26.63%** 53	199

Q53 What is your current state or union territory of residence?

Answered: 228 Skipped: 26

Q54 Which state or union territory have you resided in for the longest period of time?

Answered: 223 Skipped: 31