

Northern Region Special Report 4th December 2023



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Global InfoAnalytics poll carried out in all the 18 constituencies in the Northern region shows Dr Mahamudu Bawumia, the flag bearer of the NPP, trailing the leading opposition NDC candidate, John Mahama 37% to 55%. Alan Kyeremanten of the Butterfly movement is in third place with 4%, others 1% and undecided 3%. The Economy remains top issue for voters, 78%, jobs, 70%, education, 61% and corruption, 21%. 58% voters in the Northern region believe Ghana is headed in the wrong direction, 34% said it is headed in the right direction and 8% did not have an opinion. ☐ On standard of living of voters in the last 12 months, 49% said it has gotten worse, 31% said it has improved, 16% said there has not been any change while 6% said they have no opinion. When it comes to optimism for improvement, 39% were optimistic their standard of living will improve in the next 12 months, 23% said no and 38% were not sure if it will improve. The poll also shows that 64% of voters believe that politics is one issue that mostly divide Ghanaians, 20% said it is religion while 16% said it is ethnicity. ☐ On the policies/slogans from the various campaign teams that have caught their attention and would likely influence how they vote in the 2024 elections, 49% said the 24 hrs economy, 37% digitisation, 4% said the Great Transformation Plan and 10 % said none. On the question of whether the NPP can break the eight, 57% said "No", 36% said "Yes) and 7% did not have an

opinion.



Methodology & Approach



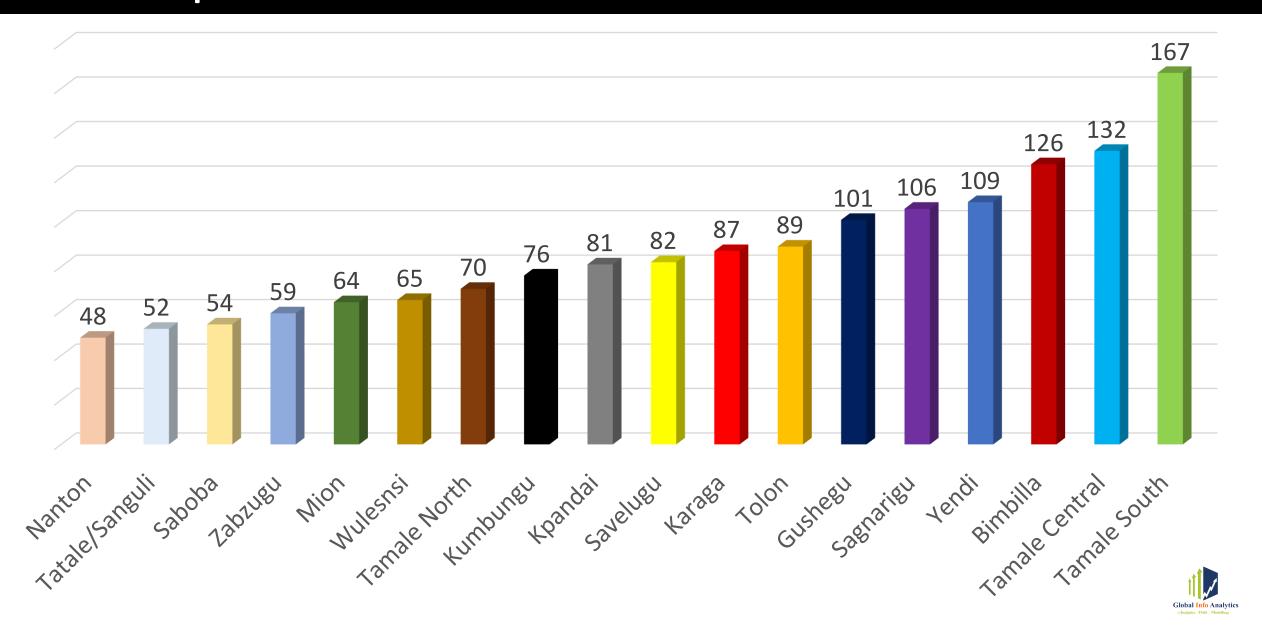
Methodology and Approach:

Sample size: 1,538 were interviewed with
□Confidence level: 99% and MoE of ±3.19%
$oldsymbol{\square}$ Demographic analysis and constituency specific polls would have higher margin of error.
☐The Electoral Commission's 2020 voters register was used as sample frame.
☐Sample was allocated to all the 18 constituencies in the region based on voters register of the constituencies relative to the regional register
☐The results are based on "likely voters" model (both registered and unregistered voters) and exclude responses of voters who have indicated that they will not vote.
☐The general elections polls are presented unweighted
$oldsymbol{\Box}$ Field interviews were conducted between 20th November to 30th November 2023.



Sample Allocation

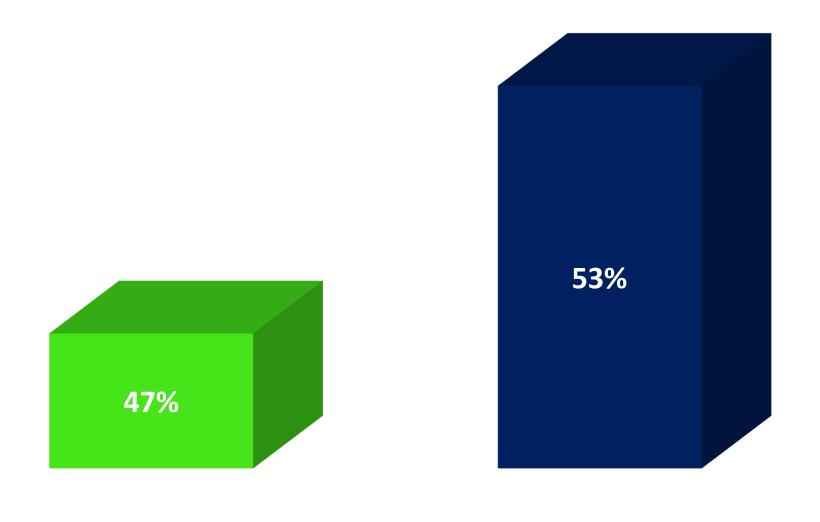
Sample Allocations to constituencies





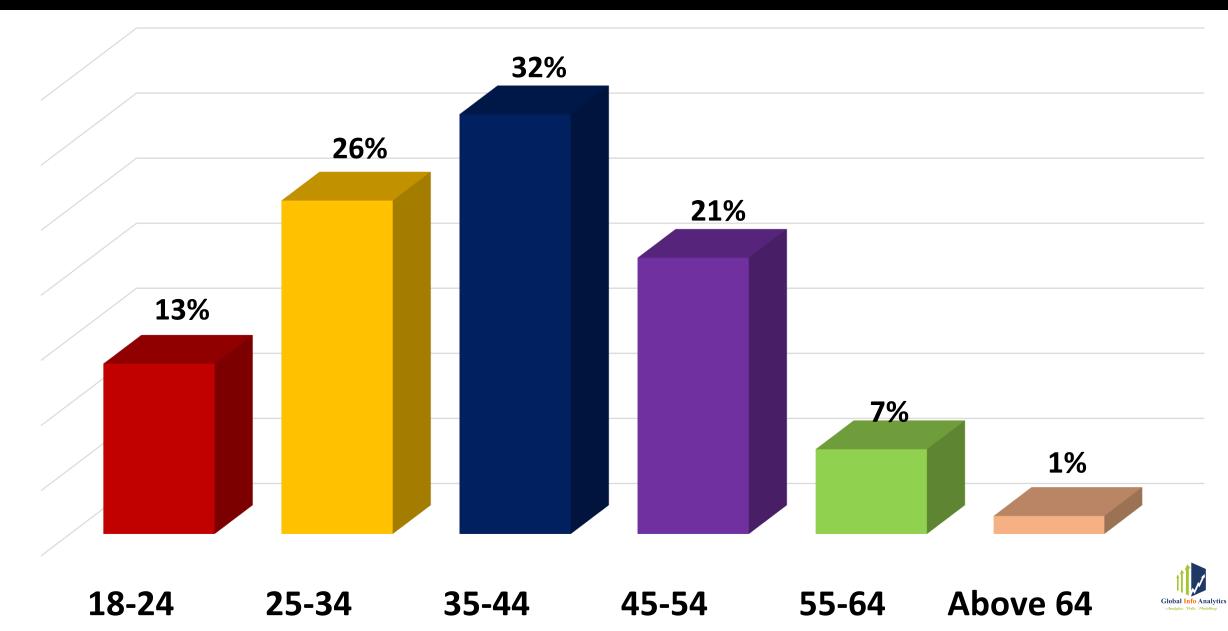
Demographics

Gender

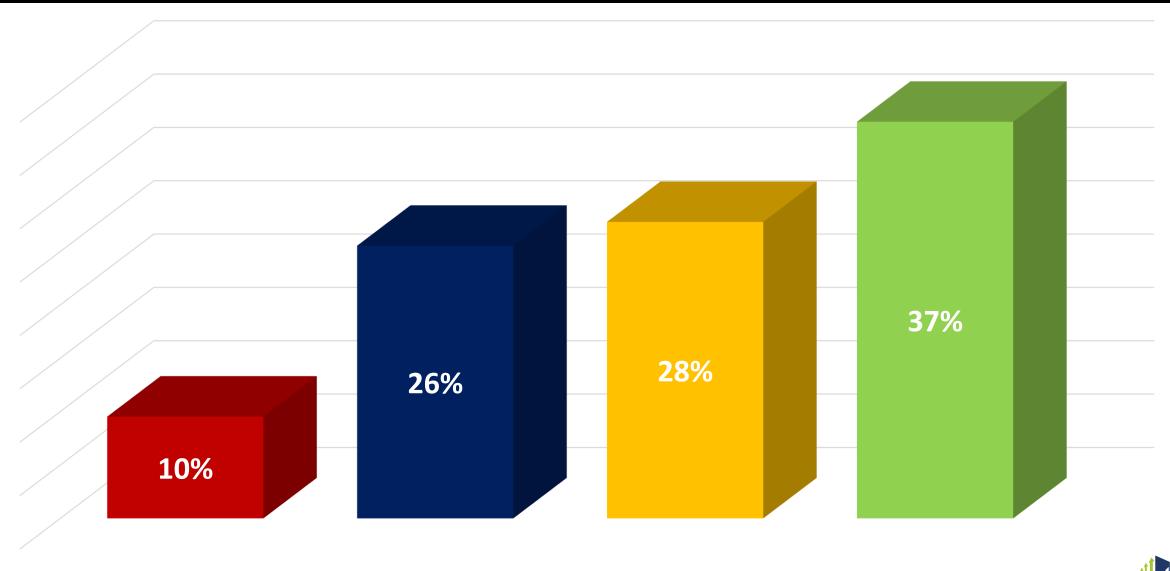




Age Group



Education



Tertiary

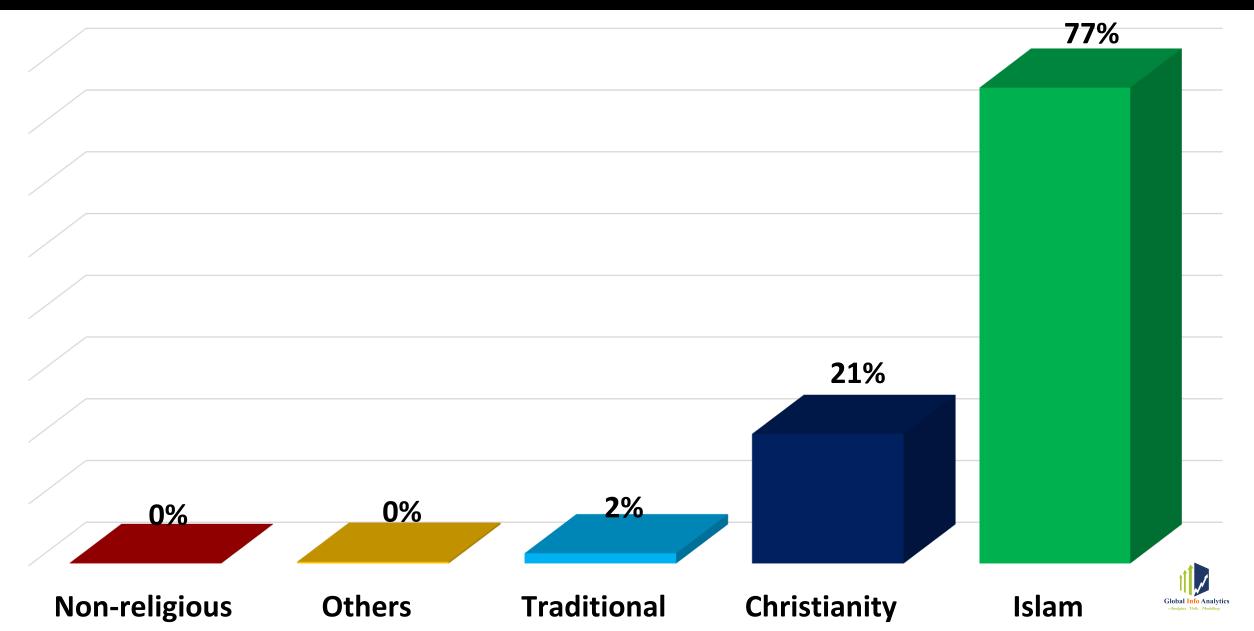
Senior High

Junior High

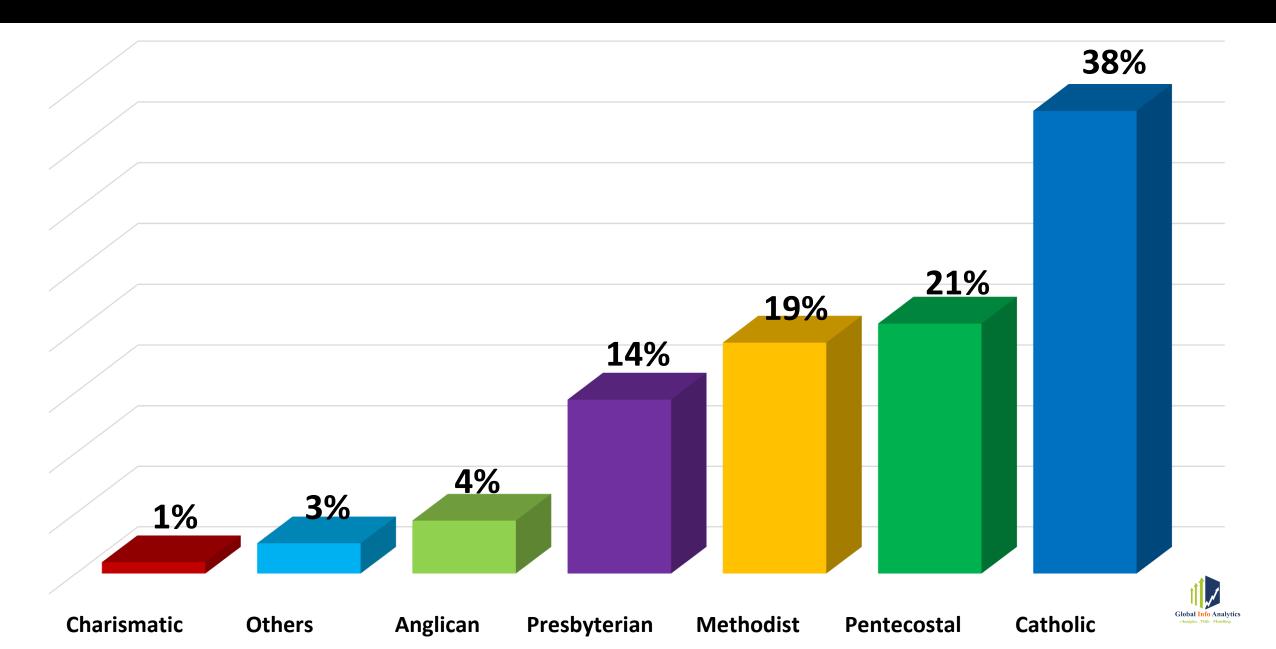


No Education

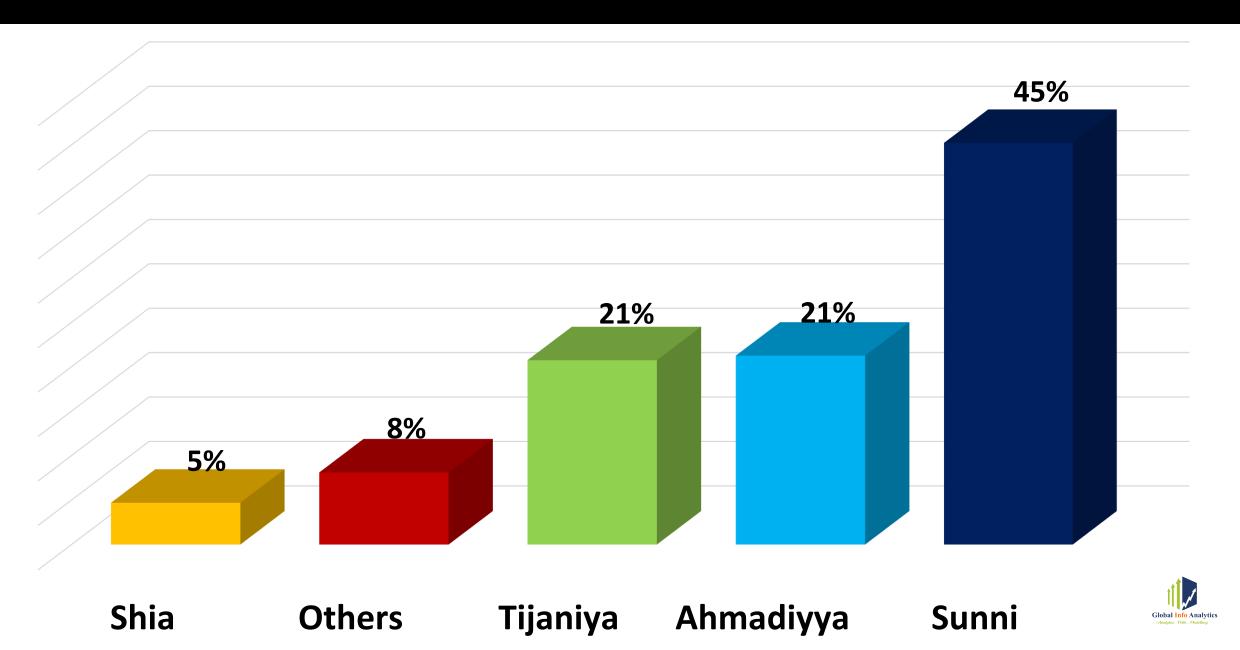
Religion



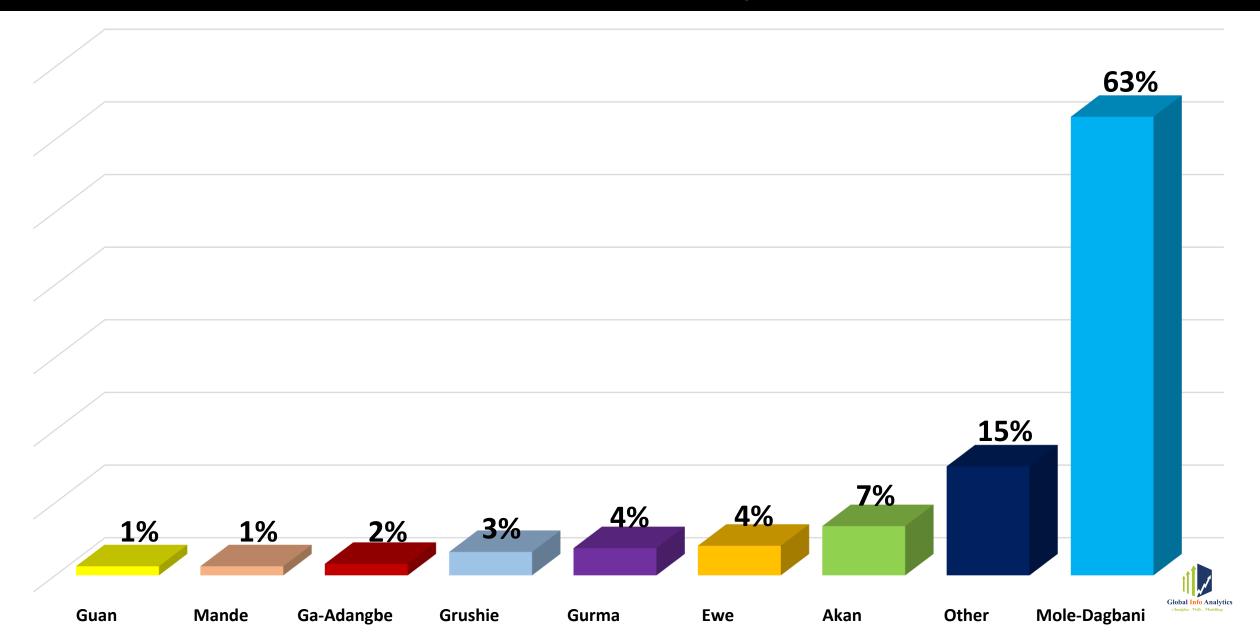
Christian Denominations



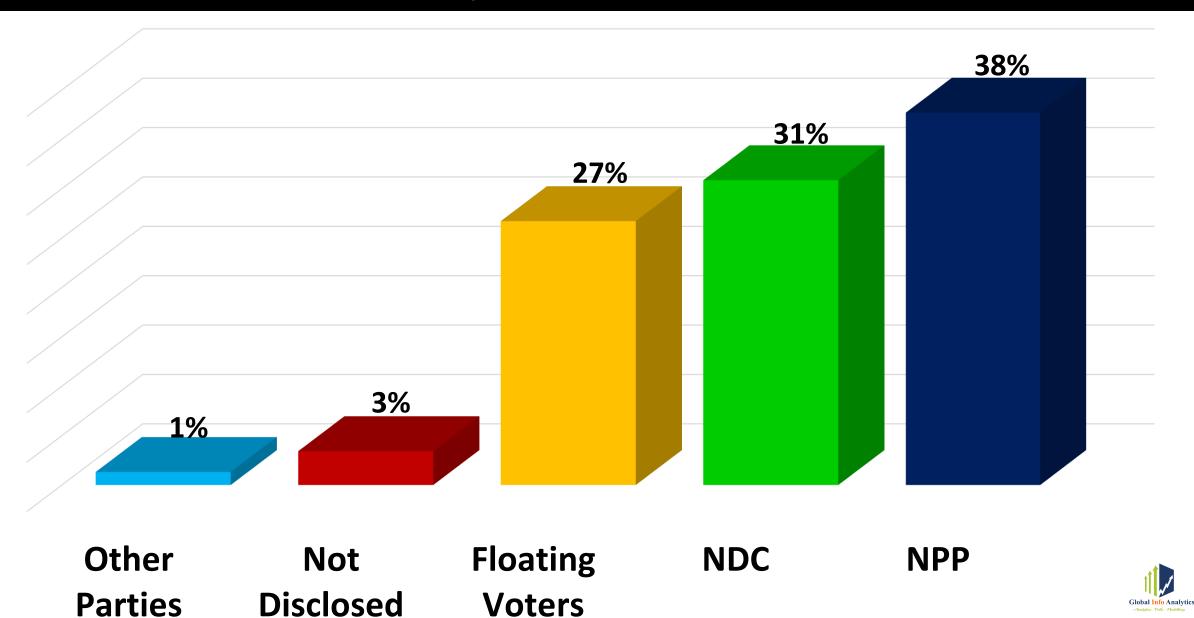
Islamic Sects



Ethnicity



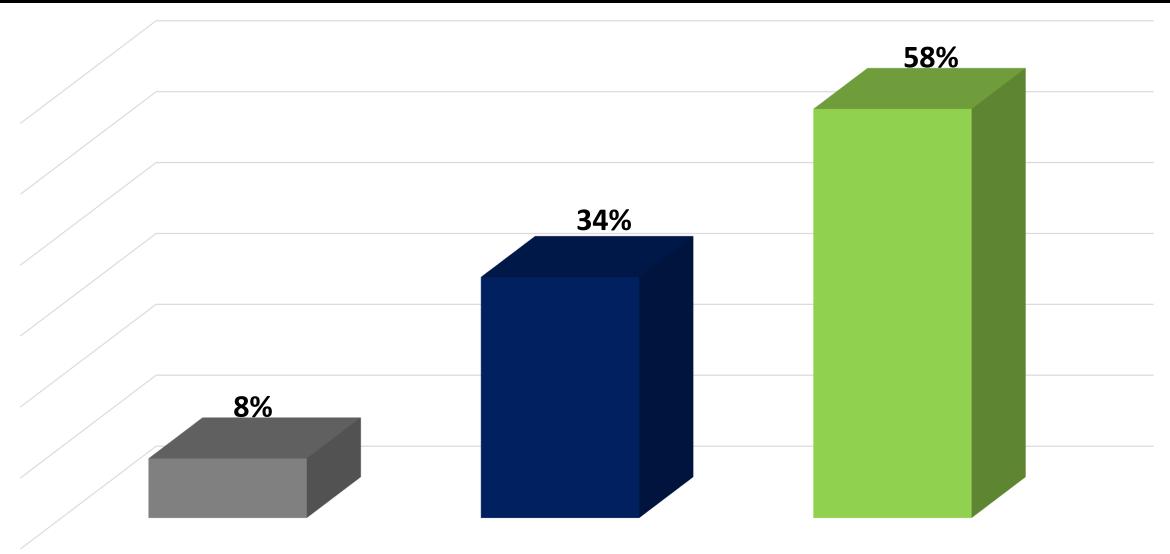
Party Affiliations





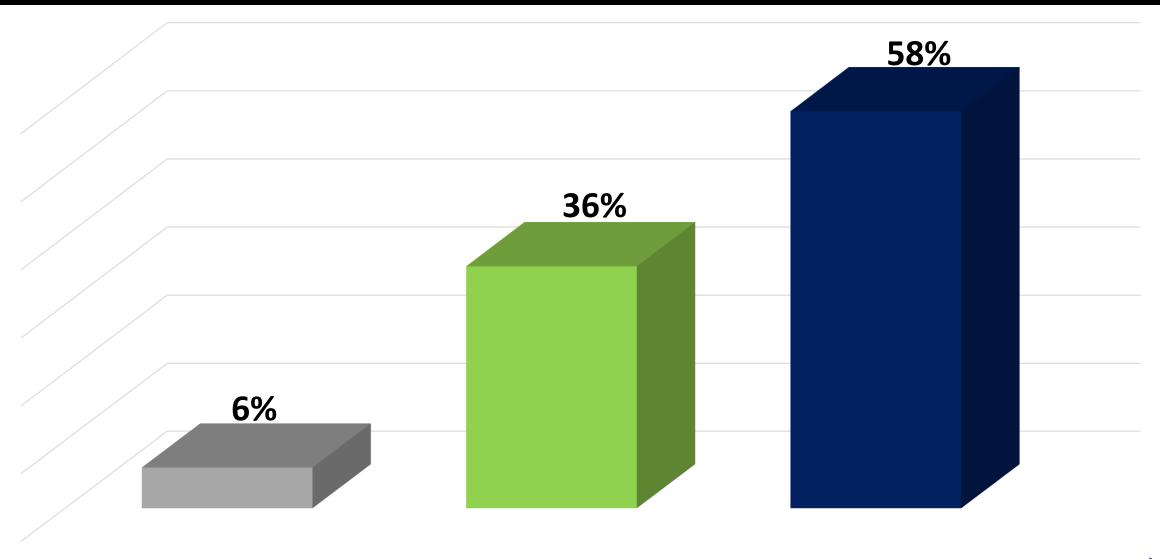
Governance

Direction of the country





President's Job Approval



Approved

No opinion

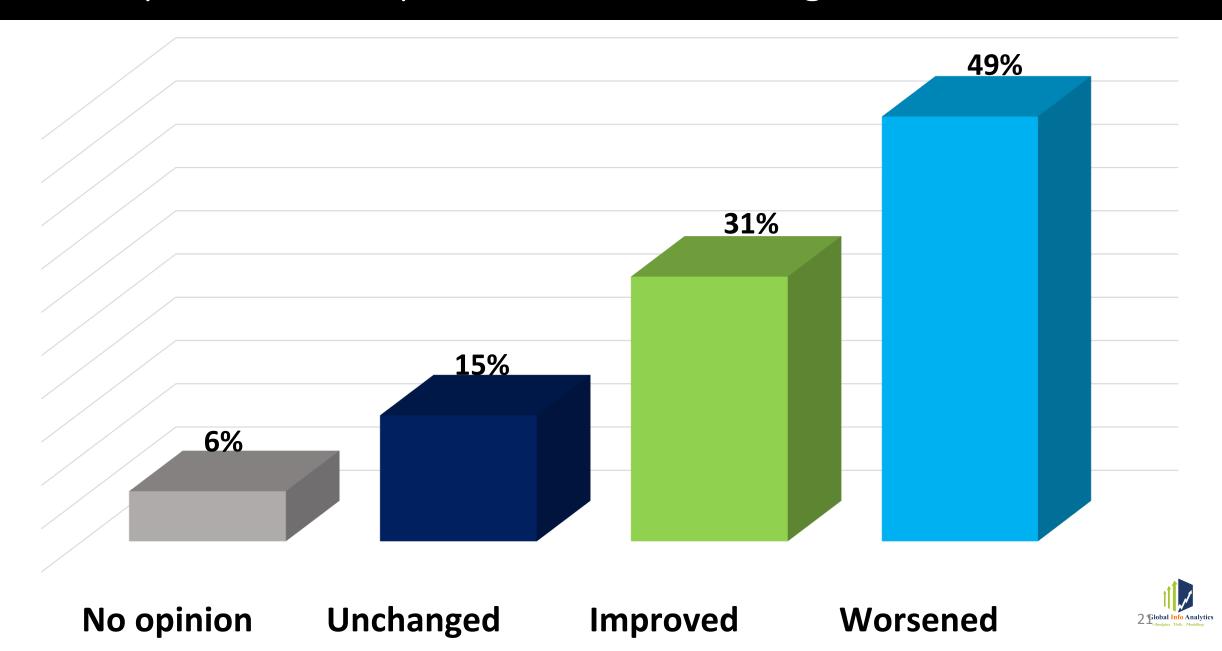


Disapproved

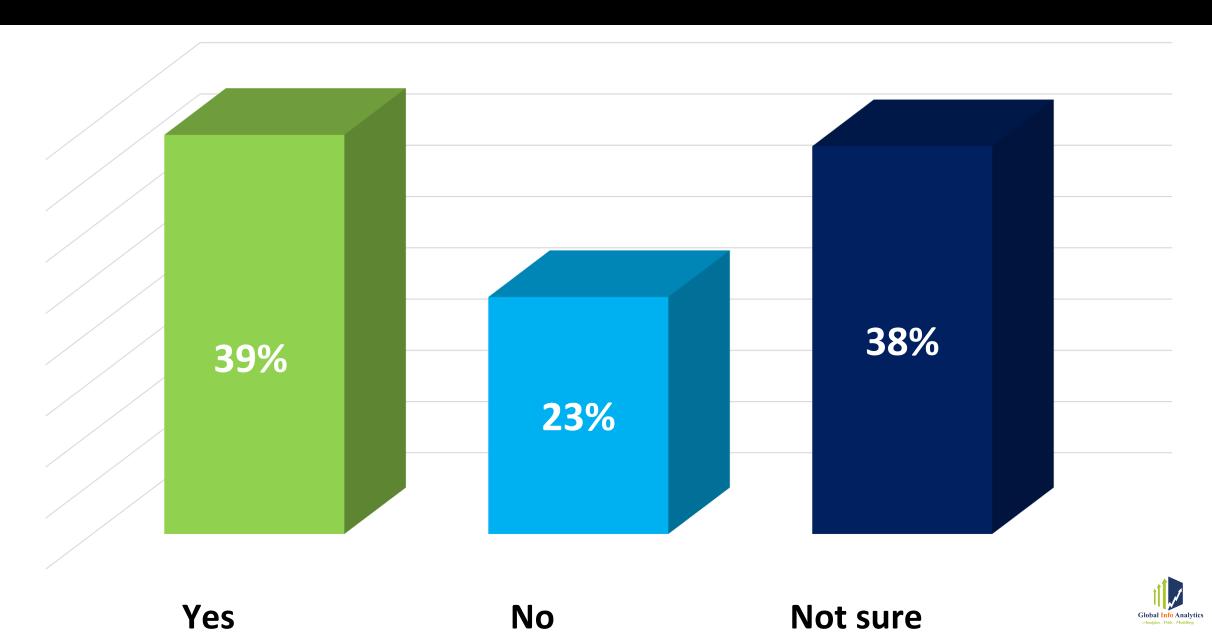


Standard of living

How do you describe your standard of living in the last 12 months



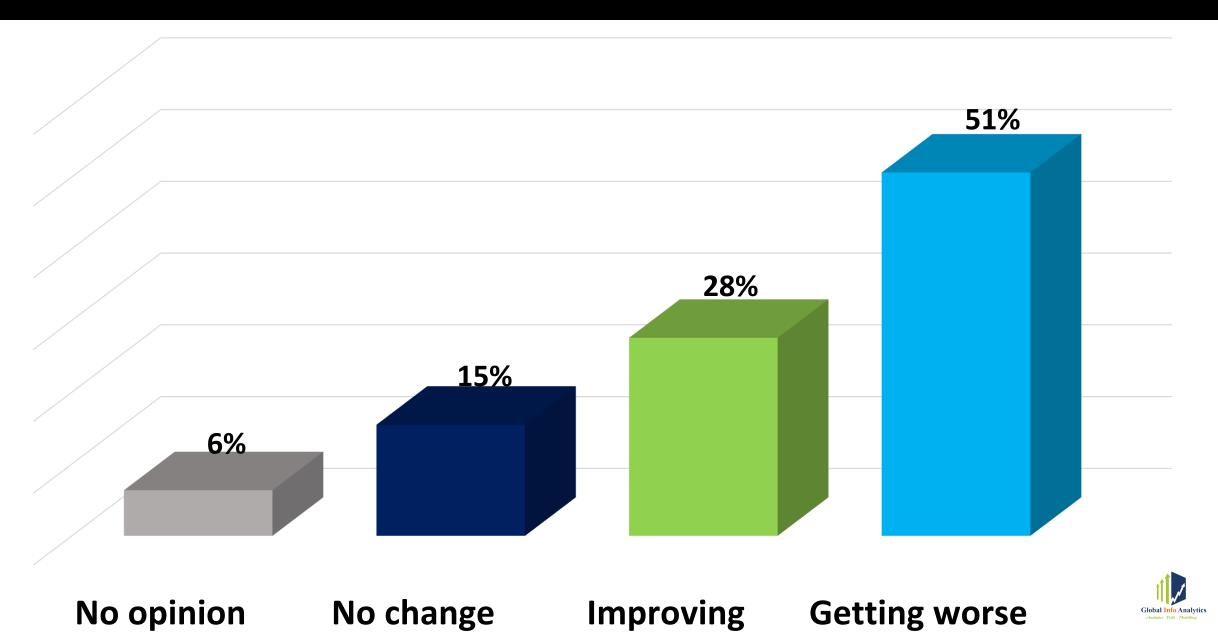
Optimism for improvement in standard of living –Next 12 months



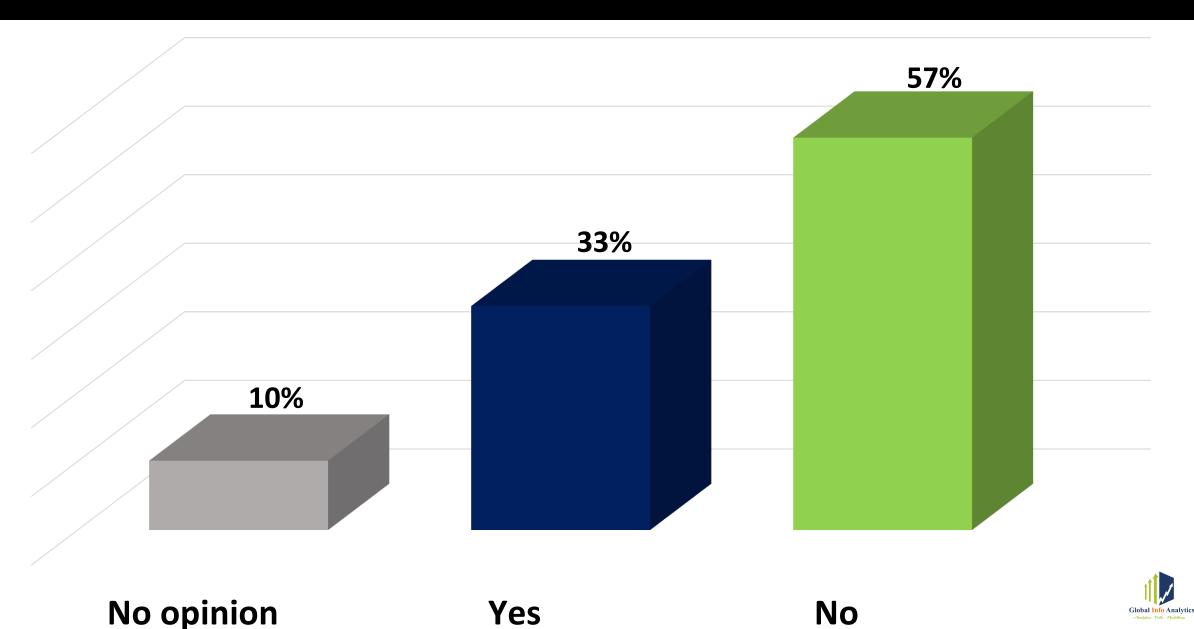


State of Corruption

State of Corruption in Ghana



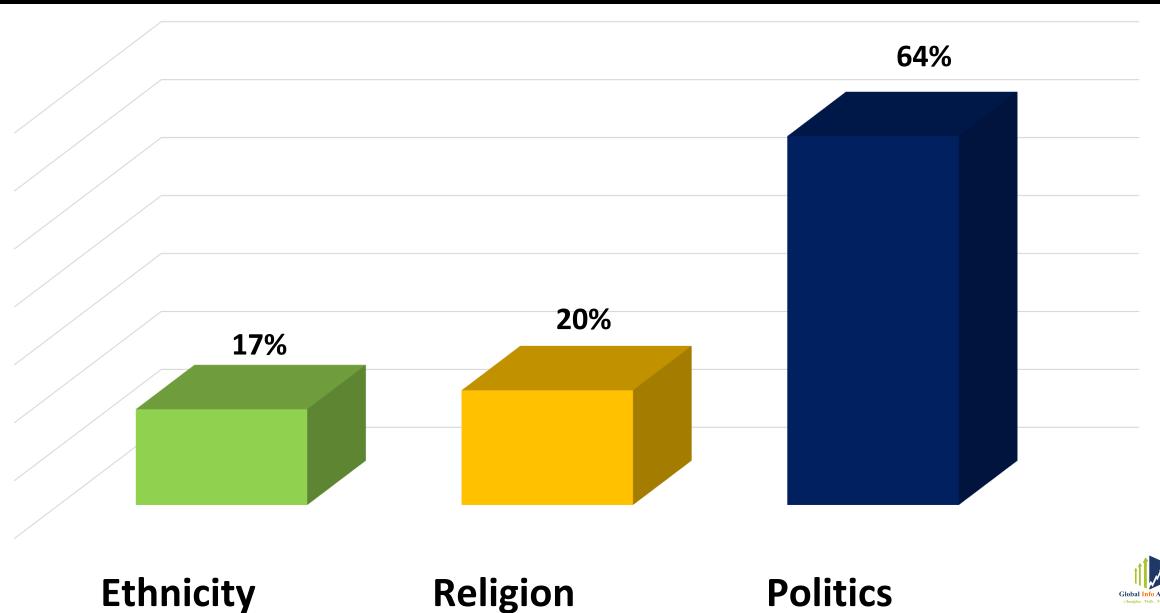
Is the government fighting corruption enough?





Issues Dividing Ghanaians

What Divides Ghanaians?



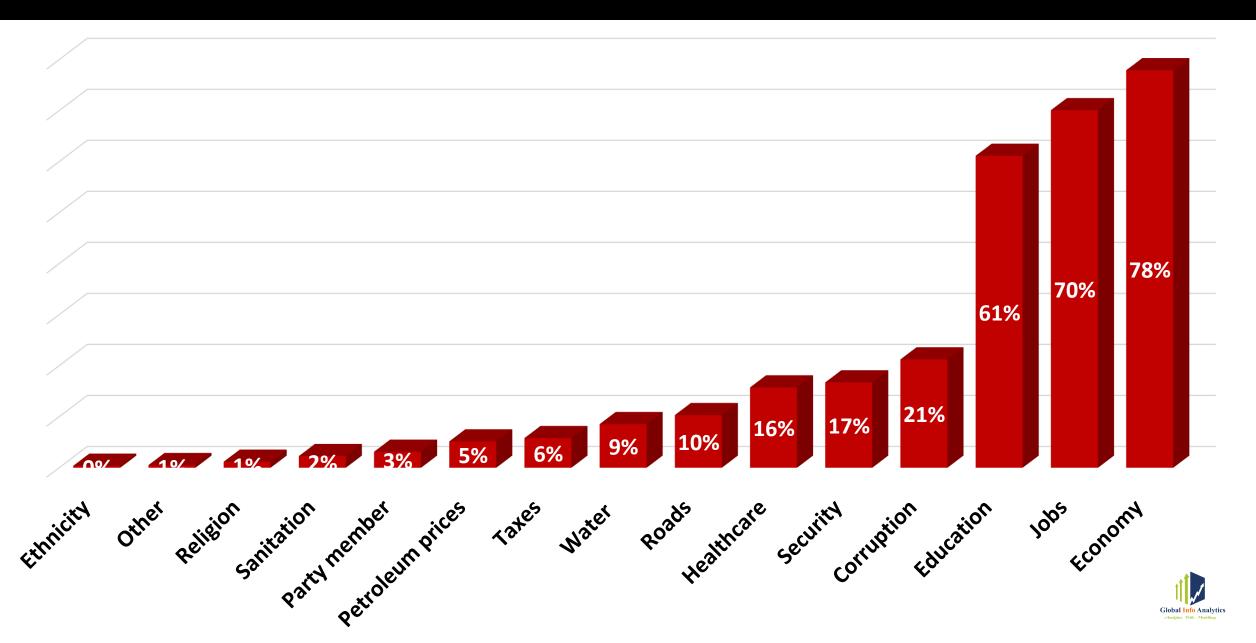




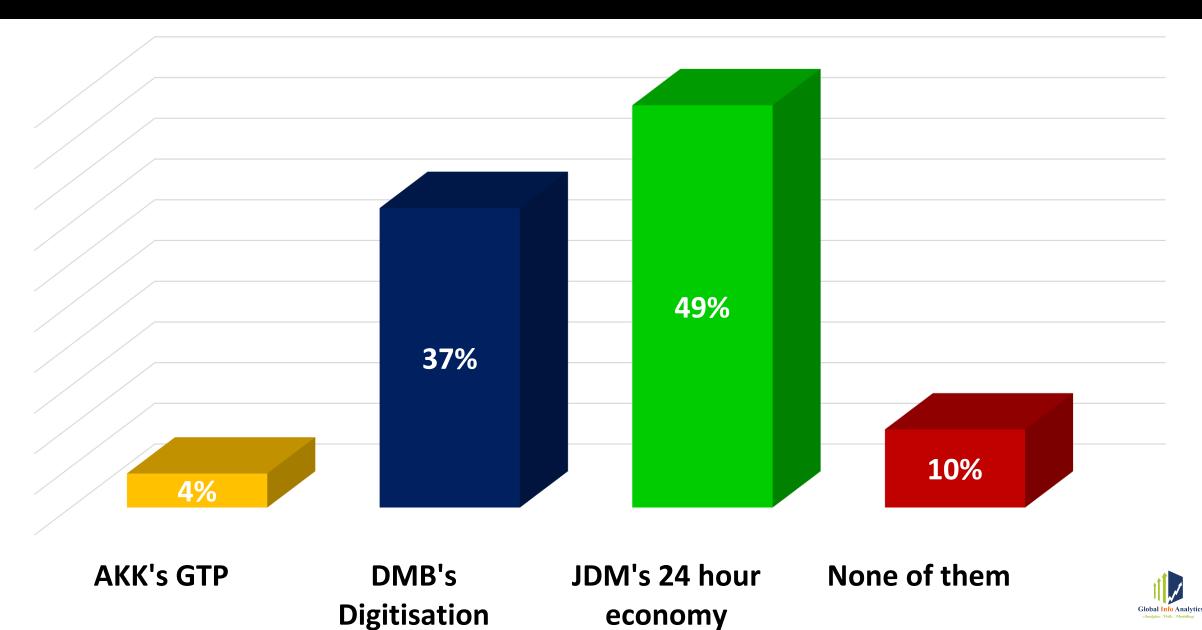
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2024 General Election

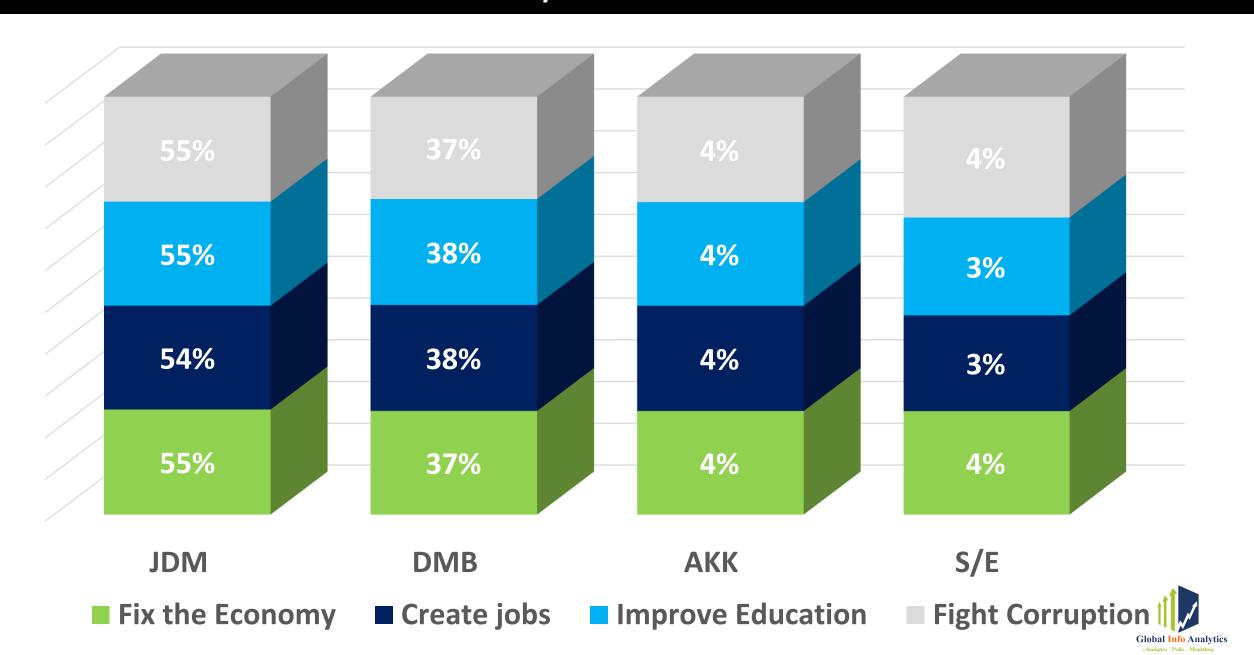
Top Election Issues



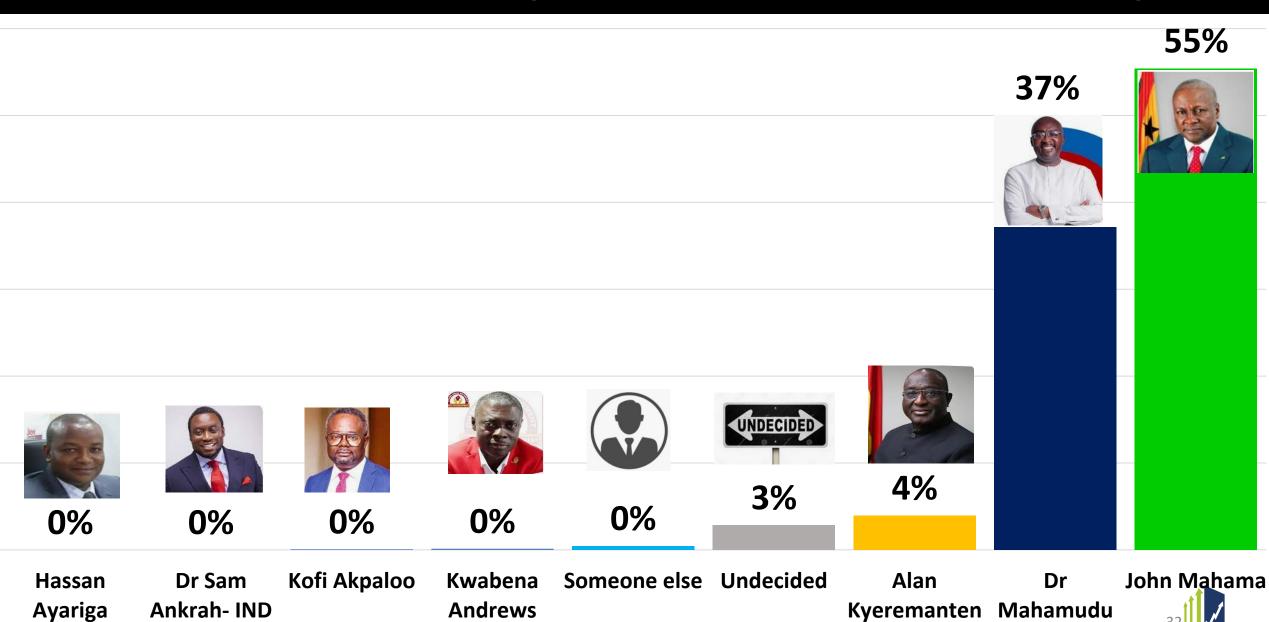
Most Popular Campaign Policy



Trust on Key Elections Issues



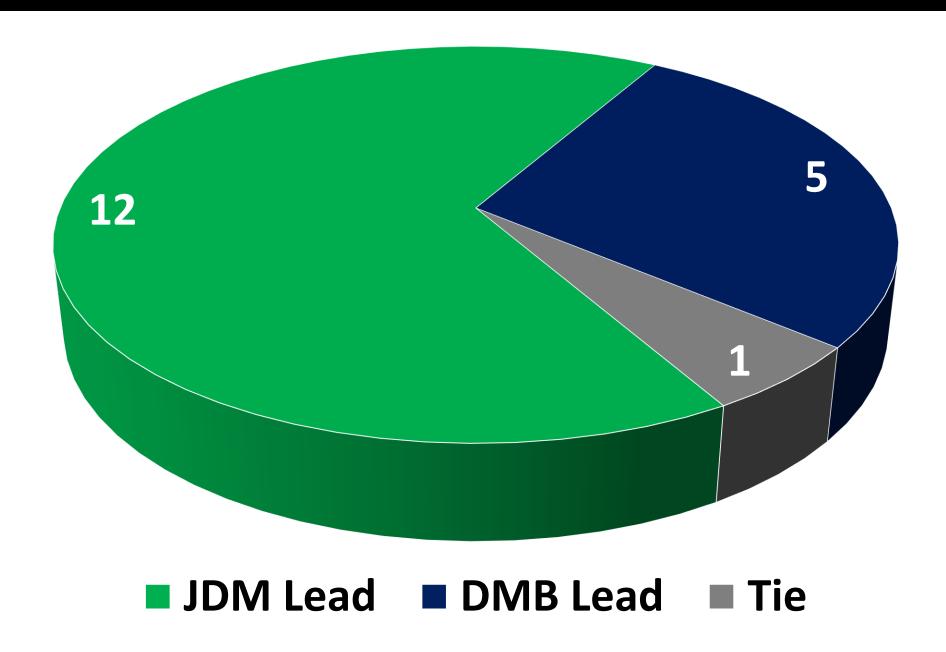
2024 Elections-Voting Intensions (Northern Region)



Bawumia

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Number of Constituencies JDM & DMB currently lead





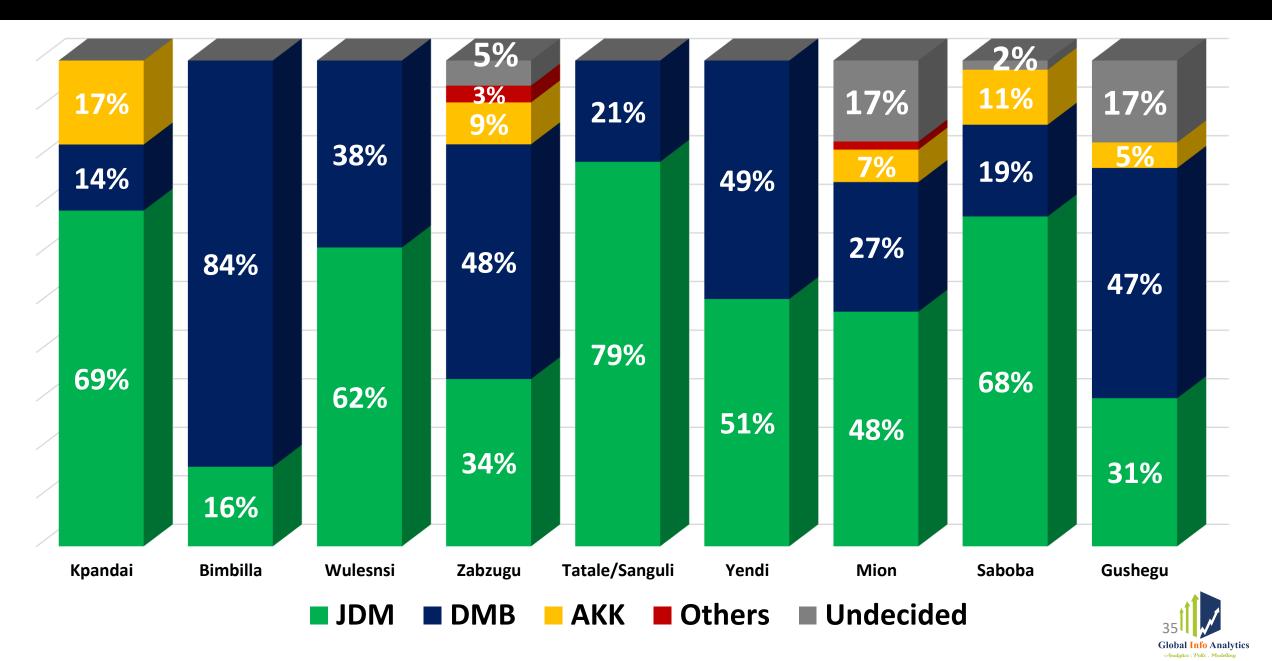
Constituencies Candidates Lead

John Mahama Leads	Dr M. Bawumia Leads	Tie
Kpandai	Bimbila	Tolon
Wulensi	Gushiegu	
Tatale/Sanguli	Karaga	
Mion	Zabzugu	
Saboba	Tamale Central**	
Savelugu		
Nanton		
Tamale South		
Sagnarigu		
Tamale North		
Kumbungu		
Yendi**		

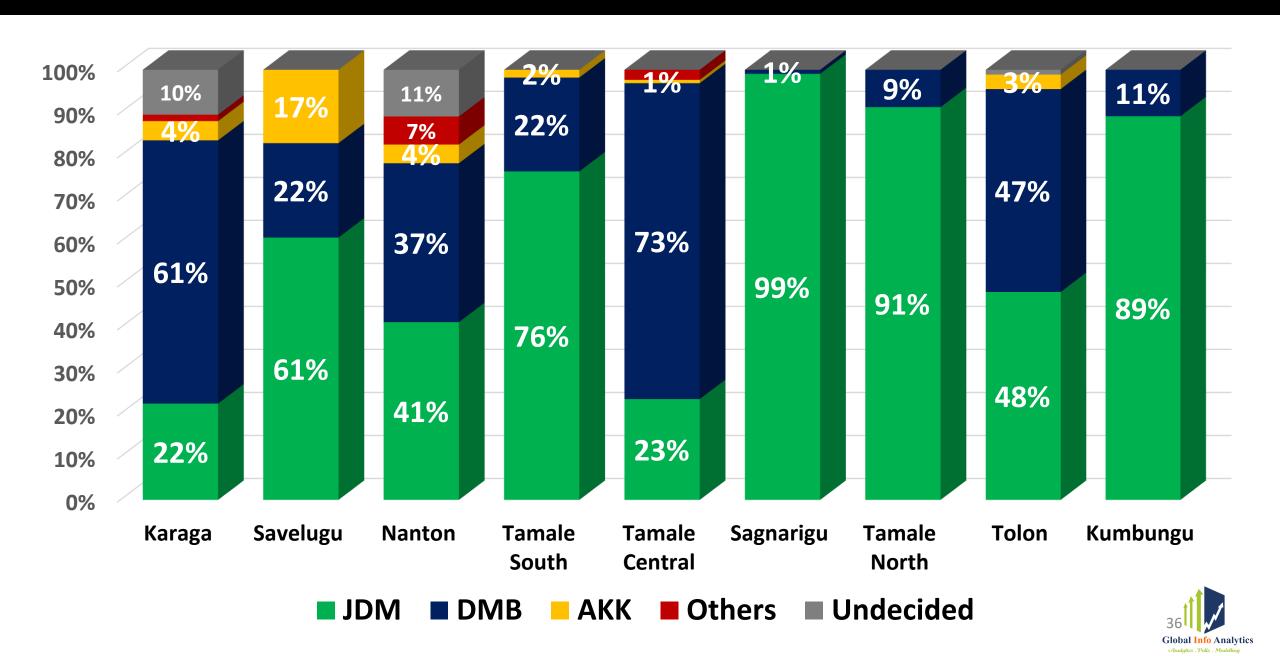
*We consider the results in Tamale Central and Yendi as outliers



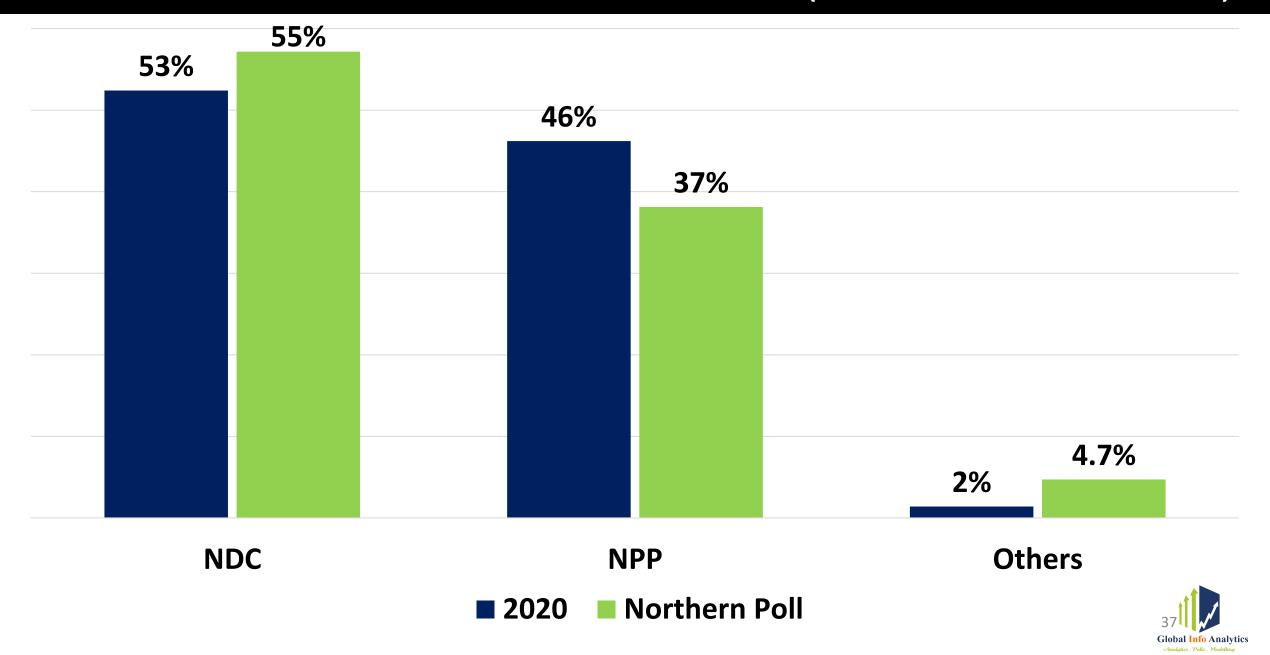
2024 Elections-Constituencies



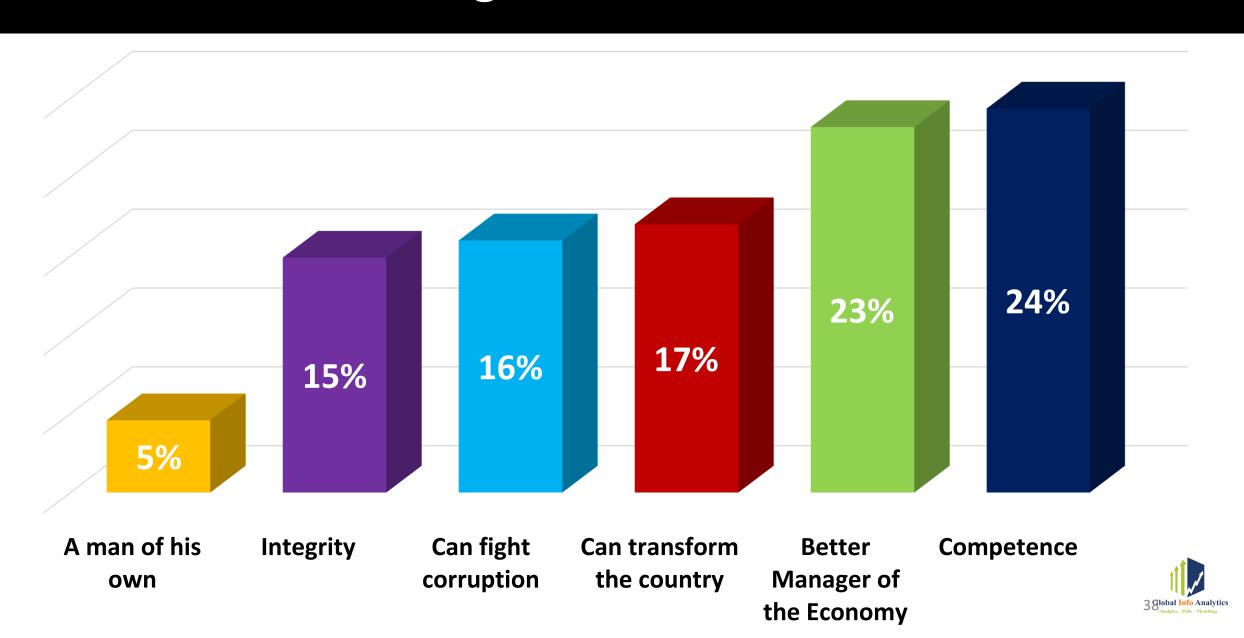
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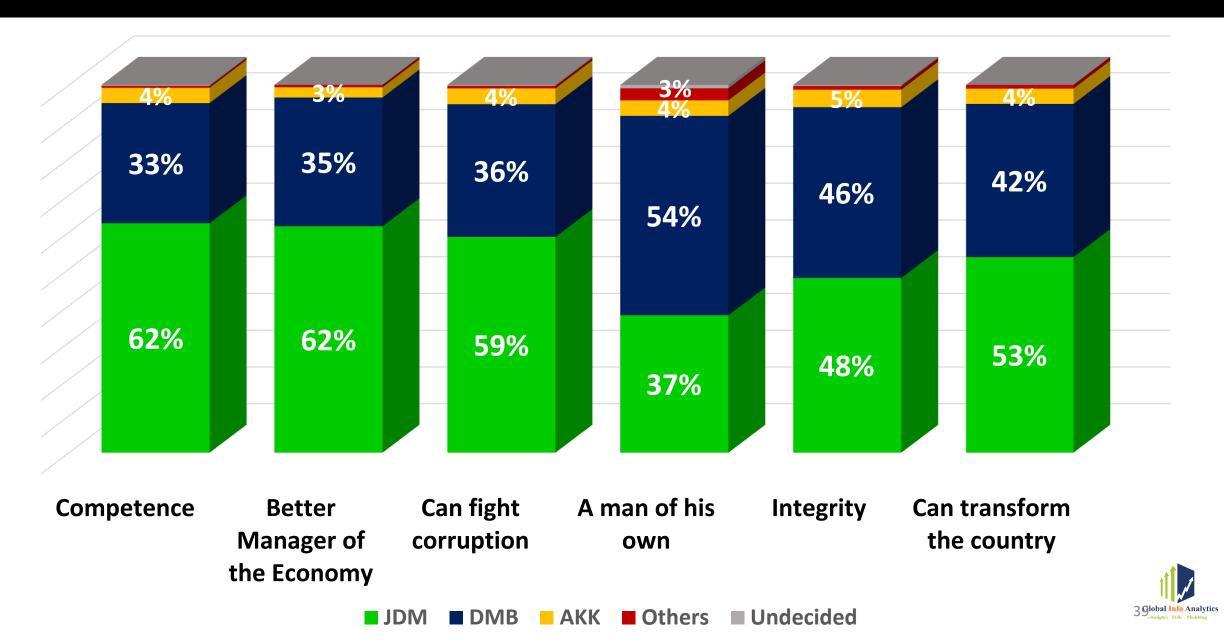
2020 Results vs Northern Poll (Excl. undecided)



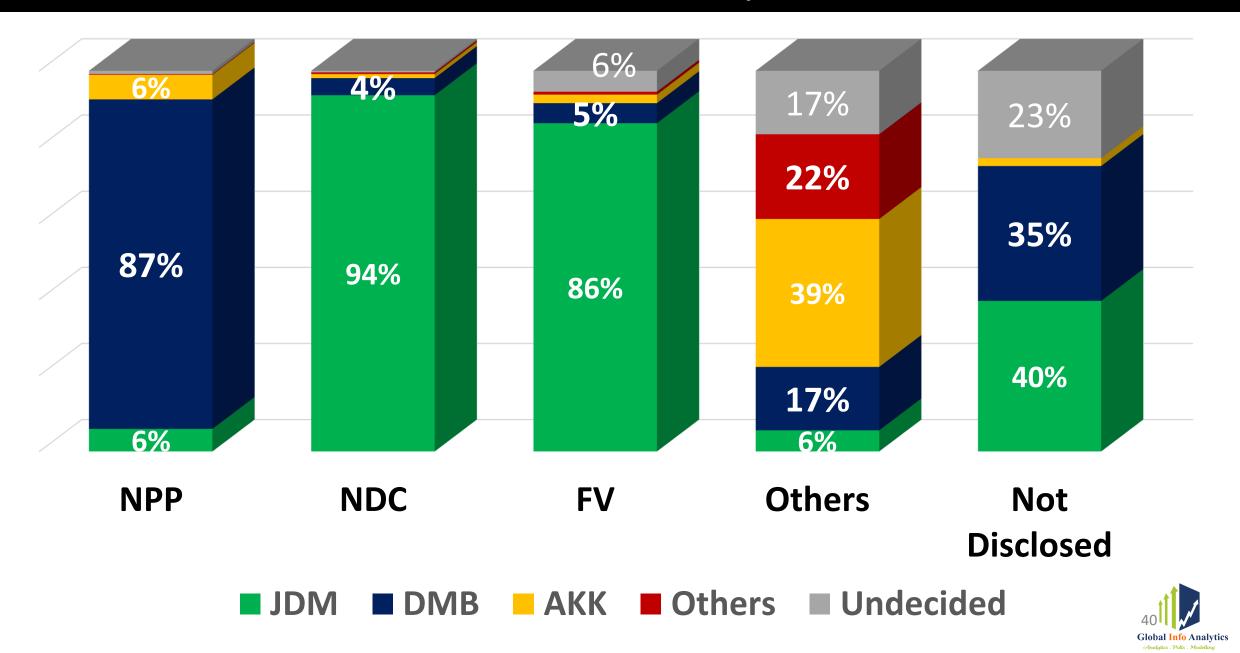
Reasons Informing Voters Choice of Candidates



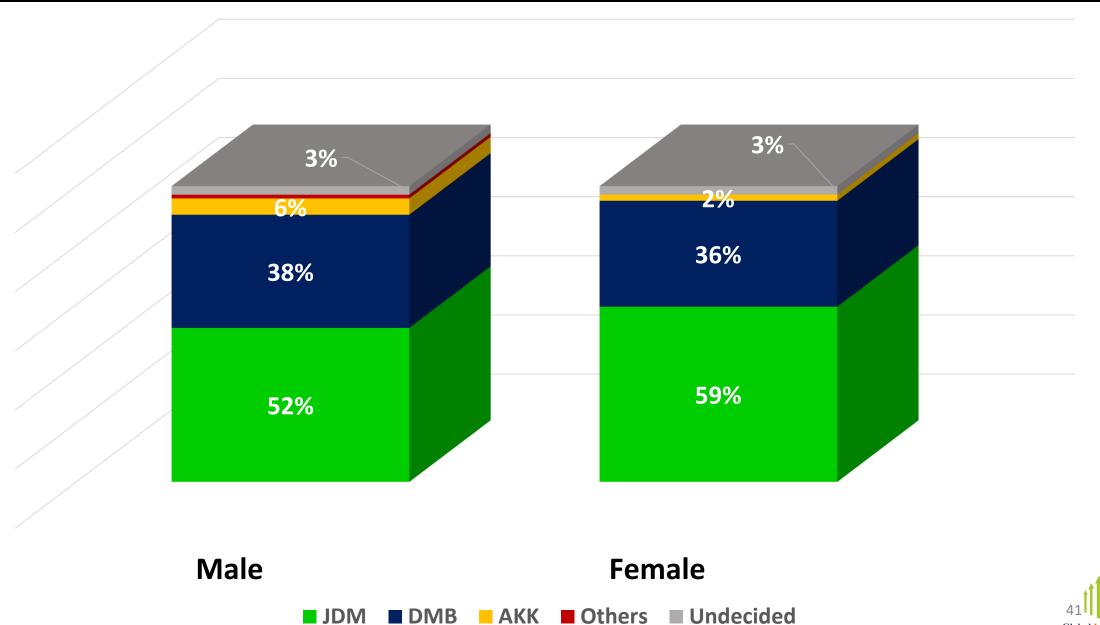
Reasons for Choice of Candidate- JDM-DMB-AKK



General Election- Party Affiliations

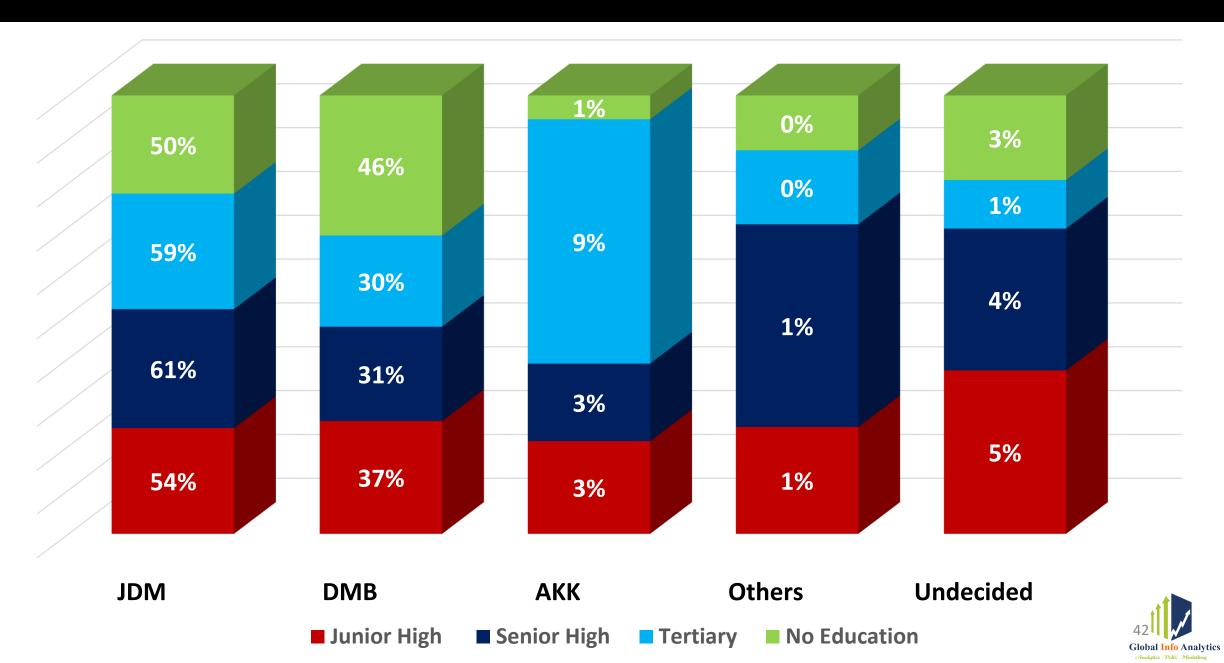


General Election- Gender

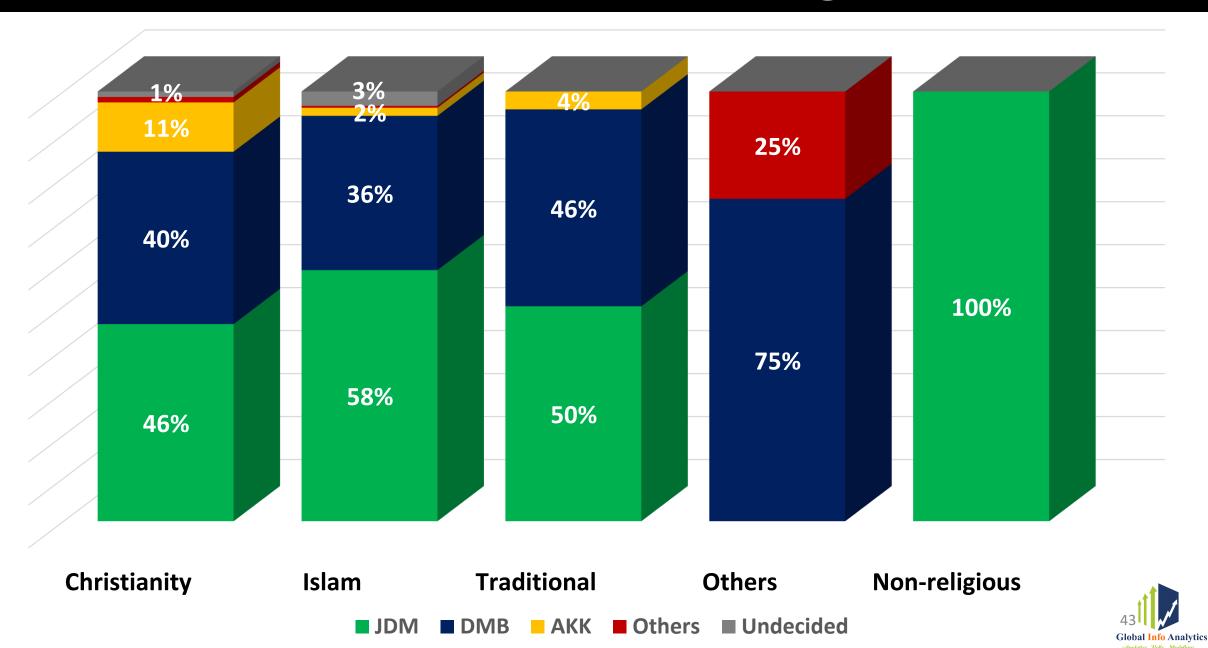




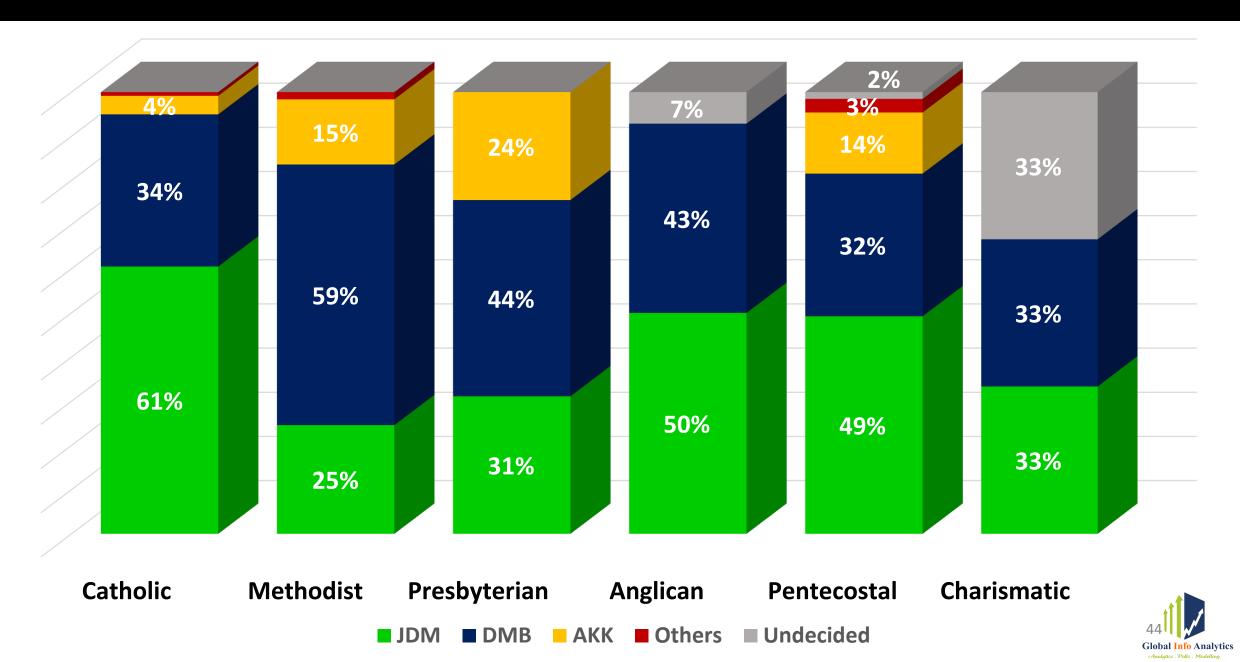
General Election- Education



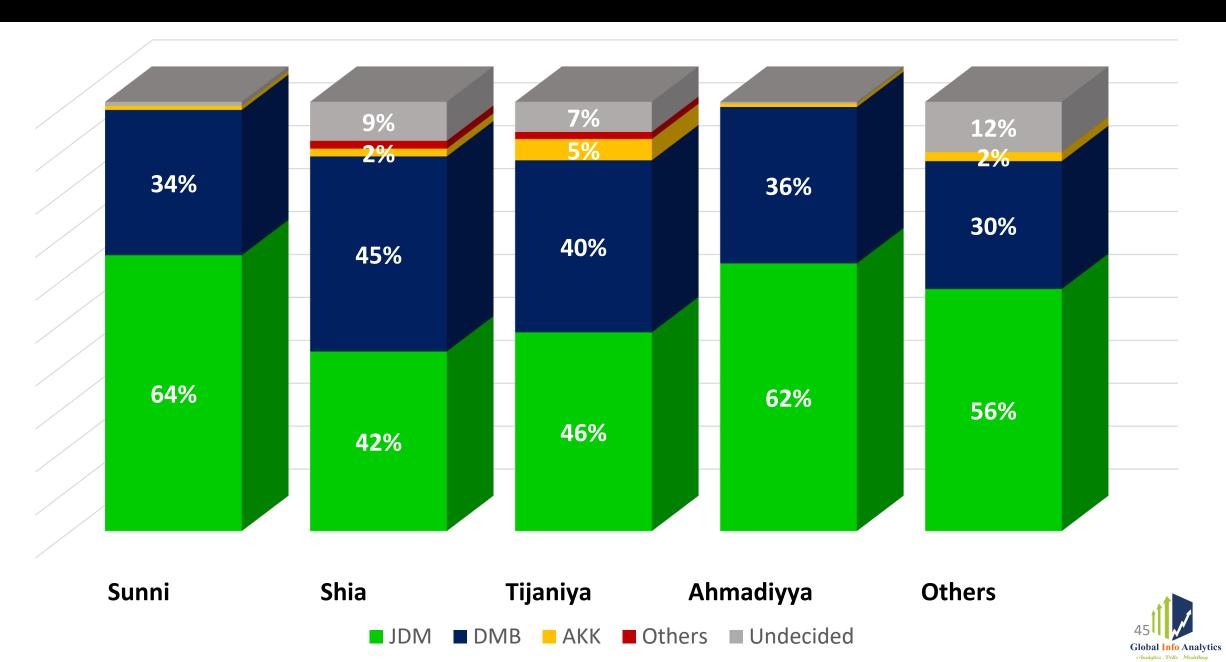
General Election- Religion



General Election- Christian Denominations



General Election- Muslim Sects

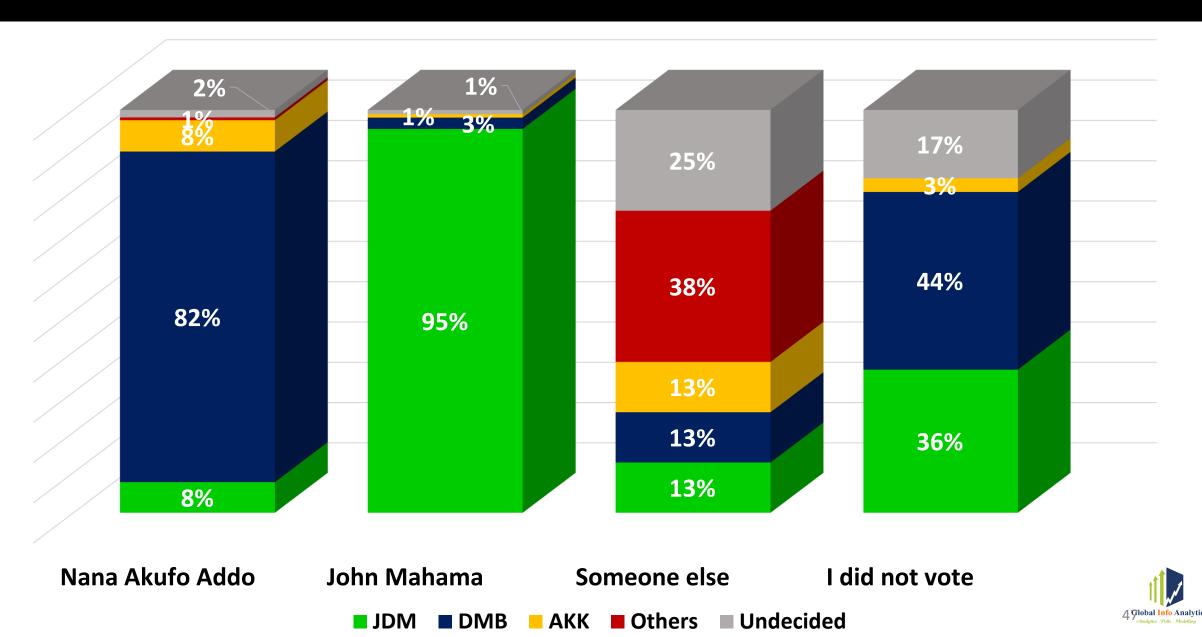


2020 Elections vs 2024 Voting Intensions

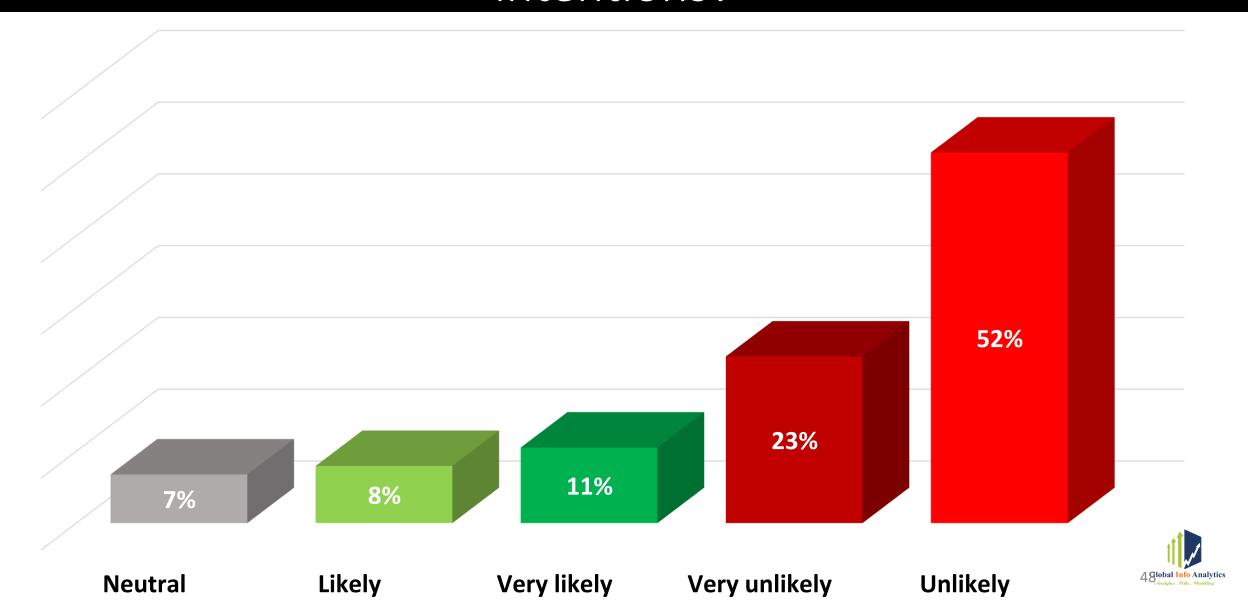


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How 2020 voters intend to vote in 2024



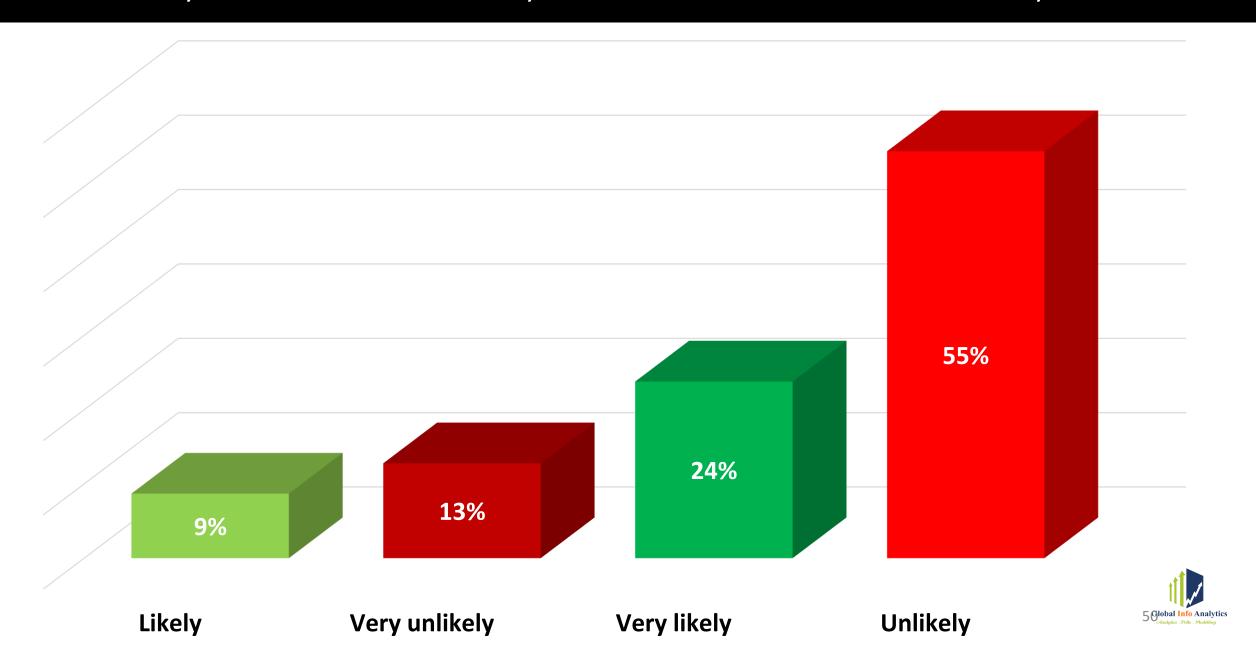
How likely would you change your mind about your voting intentions?



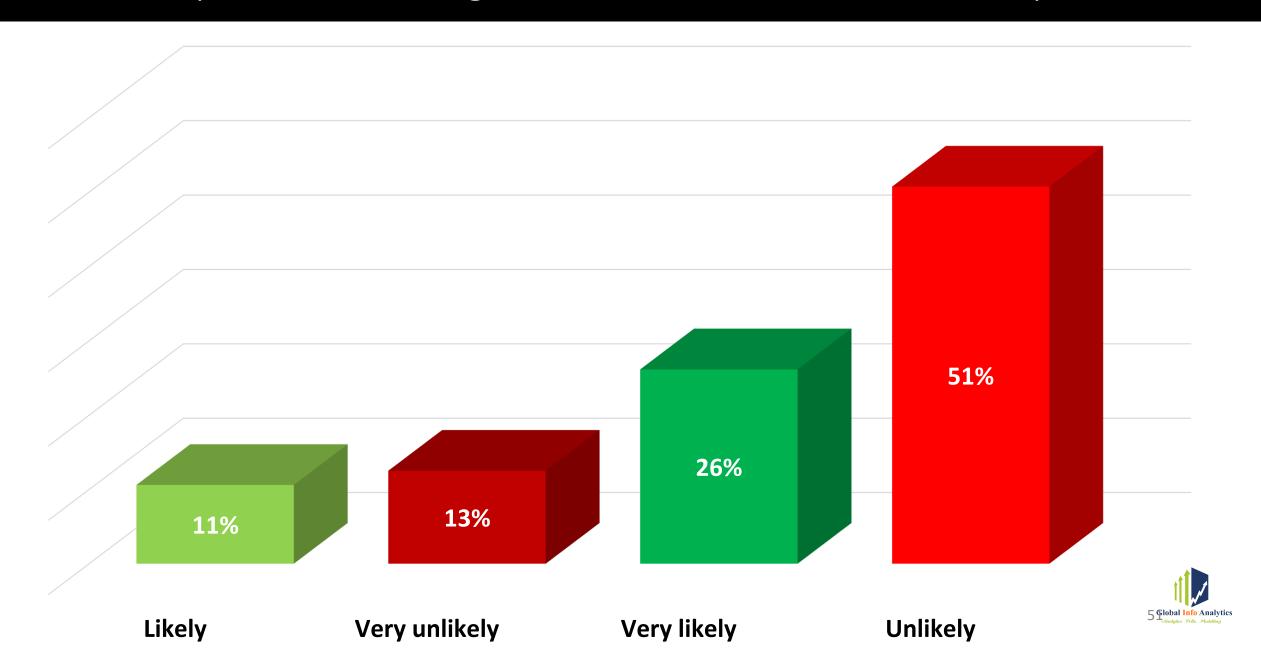
Influence of Ethnicity & Religion



How Likely would the Ethnicity of the Candidates Influence your vote?



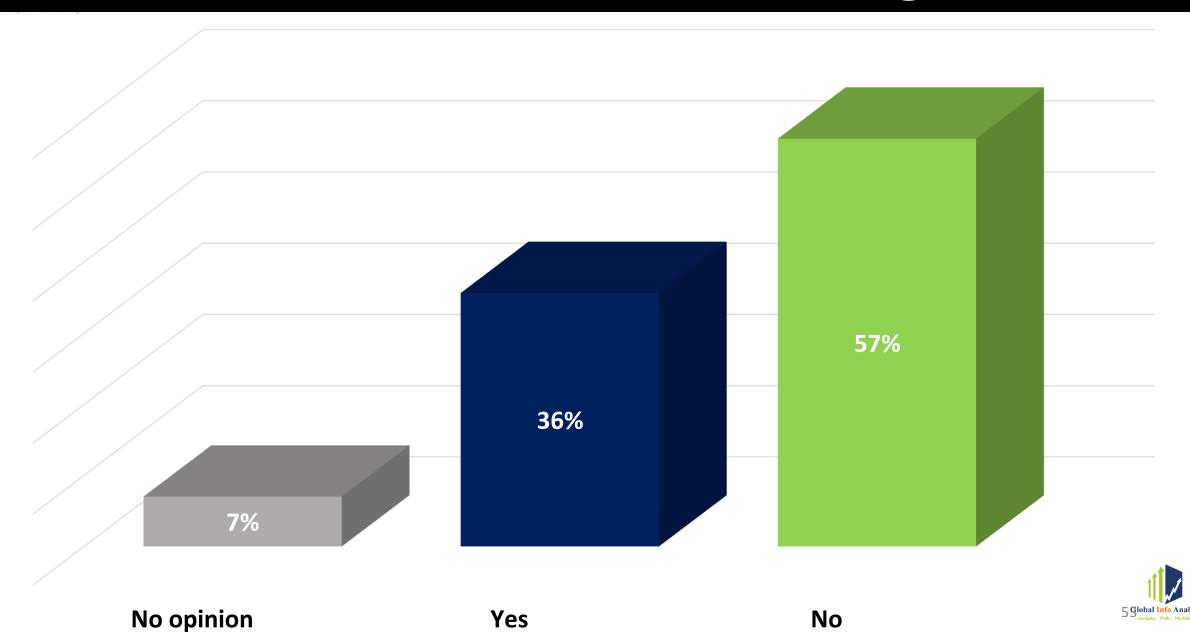
How Likely would the Religion of the Candidates Influence your vote?



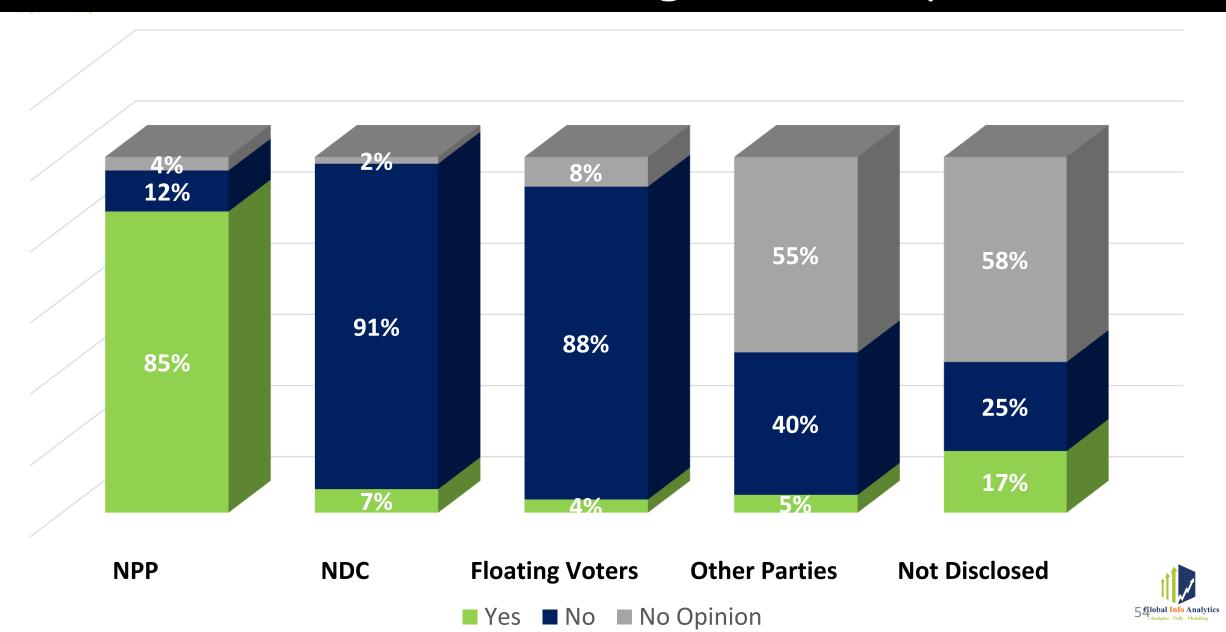
"Breaking the Eight"



Can the NPP Break the "Eight"?



Can the NPP Break the "Eight"?-Party Affiliations





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