

Survey on Political Attitudes

June 2018

1. [SHOW CARD 1 (Rotated)] What are the most important national issues facing you and your family? Please name up to three

	<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
1	Corruption	
2	Environment protection	
3	NATO membership	
4	Pensions	
5	Relations with Russia	
6	Property rights	
7	Fair elections	
8	Jobs	
9	Court system	
10	Freedom of speech	
11	Human Rights	
12	Poverty	
13	Territorial integrity	
14	Rising prices / inflation	
15	Affordable healthcare	
16	Wages	
17	Media independence	
18	Education	
19	EU Membership	
20	Crime	

21	Prisons / Prisoners	
22	Minority rights	
23	Restoration of justice	
24	Other (Please specify)_____	

2. [SHOW CARD 2] There are different opinions regarding the direction in which Georgia is going. Using this card, please, rate your answer.

[Interviewer: Only one answer.]

Georgia is definitely going in the <u>wrong</u> direction	1
Georgia is mainly going in the wrong direction	2
Georgia is not changing at all	3
Georgia is going mainly in the right direction	4
Georgia is definitely going in the <u>right</u> direction	5
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

3. [SHOW CARD 3] For each issue, please tell us whether situation is going in the right direction, in the wrong direction or is not changing at all?

		Going in the right direction	Not changing at all	Going in the wrong direction	<i>(don't know)</i>	<i>(refuse to answer)</i>
1	Jobs	3	2	1	-1	-2

2	Poverty	3	2	1	-1	-2
3	Rising prices / inflation	3	2	1	-1	-2
4	Pensions	3	2	1	-1	-2
5	Territorial integrity	3	2	1	-1	-2
6	Affordable healthcare	3	2	1	-1	-2
7	Education	3	2	1	-1	-2
8	Human Rights	3	2	1	-1	-2
9	Crime	3	2	1	-1	-2
10	Fair elections	3	2	1	-1	-2
11	Court system	3	2	1	-1	-2
12	NATO membership	3	2	1	-1	-2
13	Freedom of speech	3	2	1	-1	-2
14	Corruption	3	2	1	-1	-2
15	EU Membership	3	2	1	-1	-2
16	Media independence	3	2	1	-1	-2

4. [SHOW CARD 4] Using this card, please tell me, how would you rate the performance of the current government?

Very badly	1
Badly	2
Well	3
Very well	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

5. [SHOW CARD 5 (rotated card)] What are the most important infrastructural issues in your city/village? [Interviewer! Up to 3 answers]

	<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
1	Trash collection	
2	Clean streets	
3	Availability of cultural facilities (libraries, museums)	
4	Playgrounds	
5	Pollution of environment	
6	Traffic	
7	Parks and green spaces	
8	Public transport	
9	Roads	
10	Sports and leisure facilities	
11	Street lights	
12	Water supply	
13	Gas Supply	
14	Electricity supply	
15	Sewage	
16	Cost of utilities	

17	School infrastructure	
18	Availability of kindergartens	
19	Conditions in Kindergartens	
20	Homeless animals	
21	Parking	
22	<i>Other (Please record)</i> _____	

Elections

6. Did you vote in October 28 Presidential elections?

Yes	1
No	0
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

7. Did you vote in the run-offs on November 28?

Yes	1
No	0
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

8. [SHOW CARD 8] Could you please tell me, were you contacted in any of the following ways by the candidate or representatives of candidate/political party before the October 28 parliamentary elections or runoff?

[Interviewer: Accept all answers]

	<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1	GO TO 10
	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2	
	I was not contacted at all	-5	
1	Someone coming to your home		
2	Someone coming to your workplace		
3	Someone coming to your neighborhood		
4	Phone call/text message		
5	Fliers, door hangers		
6	Mail		
7	Email		
8	Public meeting		
9	Other (Please specify)_____		

9. If contacted, on behalf of which candidate/party was this contact made?

[Interviewer: Do not read. Correspond. Accept all answers.]

	<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
1	Georgian Dream - Democratic Georgia on behalf of Salome Zourabichvili	
2	Salome Zourabichvili's election staff	
3	Grigol Vashadze (United National Movement)	
4	United opposition on behalf of Grigol Vashadze	
5	David Bakradze (Bakradze-Ugulava - European Georgia)	
6	Shalva Natelashvili (Labour Party)	
7	David Usupashvili (Free Democrats)	

8	Zurab Japaridze (New Political Center - Girchi)	
9	Kakha Kukava (Free Georgia)	
10	Other (please specify)_____	

Ask question 10 and 11 only to those who voted on October 28st and/or runoff elections. In question 10, ask 1st and 3rd to those who voted in the first round, and 2nd and 4th to those who voted in the second round.

10. For each please tell me if you agree or disagree?

	Agree	Disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
I was enthusiastic about the choice I made on election day in the 1st round	1	0	-1	-2
I was enthusiastic about the choice I made on election day in the 2st round	1	0	-1	-2
I voted against rather than for someone in the 1st round	1	0	-1	-2
I voted against rather than for someone in the 2st round	1	0	-1	-2

11. Thinking back to the situation when you voted in the polling station/place (either in the 1st or 2nd round), please say whether you agree or disagree with the following?

	Agree	Disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
It was well ordered	1	0	-1	-2
It was overcrowded	1	0	-1	-2
It was intimidating	1	0	-1	-2

The election officials were well prepared	1	0	-1	-2
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12. Thinking back to election day, have you noticed candidate activists/coordinators near the voting district recording voters' or asking for voters' personal information?

Yes	1	GO TO 14
No	0	
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2	

13. If yes, for each of the following tell us if you agree or disagree:

	Agree	Disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
This creates intimidating environment for voters	1	0	-1	-2
This influences citizens vote choice or intent to vote	1	0	-1	-2
This did not affect the voters	1	0	-1	-2
Such activities encourage people to participate in elections	1	0	-1	-2

14. [SHOW CARD 14] Using this card how do you think the first round of October 28 presidential election was conducted/managed by the election bodies (CEC, PEC, DEC)?

Very well	5
Well	4

Average	3
Badly	2
Very badly	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

15. [SHOW CARD 14] Using this card how do you think the runoff presidential election on November 28 was conducted/managed by the election bodies (CEC, PEC, DEC)?

Very well	5
Well	4
Average	3
Badly	2
Very badly	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

16. [SHOW CARD 16] How confident are you that the votes across the country were accurately counted in the 1st round?

Very confident	4
Somewhat confident	3
Not too confident	2
Not at all confident	1

<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

17. [SHOW CARD 16] How confident are you that the votes across the country were accurately counted in the 2nd round?

Very confident	4
Somewhat confident	3
Not too confident	2
Not at all confident	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

18. For each please tell us whether it occurred or not during the election process:

		Yes	No	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	People voting more than once (including Carousel voting)	1	0	-1	-2
2.	Intimidation of voters or party representatives	1	0	-1	-2
3.	Use of administrative resources to benefit a campaign	1	0	-1	-2
4.	Bribing of voters	1	0	-1	-2
5.	Pressure to donate or not donate to certain candidate/party	1	0	-1	-2
6.	Mobilizing state employees to participate in campaign/vote for certain candidate	1	0	-1	-2

19. [SHOW CARD 19] Thinking about Georgia's new president, please tell me, to what extent do you agree or disagree with following statement?

	Completely agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Completely disagree	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
New president will positively represent Georgia on international stage	4	3	2	1	-1	-2
New president will try to find consensus between various political and social groups	4	3	2	1	-1	-2
New president will have no impact in general as s/he has limited power	4	3	2	1	-1	-2
New President will put forward/raise issues that matter to people like me	4	3	2	1	-1	-2
New President will use Presidential fund to carry out useful projects	4	3	2	1	-1	-2

20. [SHOW CARD 20] Please, tell me, which statement do you agree with?

[Interviewer: AFTER THE RESPONDENT CHOOSES THE STATEMENT, ASK:
 “Do you agree with this statement or do you agree very strongly with this statement?” ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]

Statement 1: The president should be directly elected by Georgian citizens.		Statement 2: The president should be elected by those who are elected by people (for example, Sakrebulo members, parliamentarians)	
<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 2</i>	<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 2</i>
1	2	3	4
<i>[DO NOT READ] Agree with neither</i>		5	
<i>(Don't know)</i>		-1	

(Refuse to answer)

-2

Democracy

21. [SHOW CARD 21] Overall, how important or unimportant is it for you to live in a democratic country?

Not important at all	1
Not important	2
Important	3
Very important	4
(Don't know)	-1
(Refuse to answer)	-2

22. In your opinion, is Georgia a democracy now?

[Interviewer: If respondents answer that the country is partially a democracy, explain that we need specific yes-no answer.]

Yes	1
No	0
(don't know)	-1
(refuse to answer)	-2

23. [SHOW CARD 23] In your opinion, which political system is most suitable for Georgia?

[Interviewer: One answer only]

The former soviet system	1
A system that has a lot of similarity with the Soviet one, but is more democratic and market-based	2
A strong authoritarian system that places order above freedom	3
A monarchy or autocracy handed down from generation to generation	4

A western-style democratic republic	5
Other	6
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

24. Please tell us, would you say is it a good or bad way of governing the country: having a strong leader who is not accountable to parliament and opposition?

Good way	1
Bad way	0
<i>(don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(refuse to answer)</i>	-2

25. How much would you say the political system in your country allows you to have an influence on government's decisions? [Read out]

A lot,	3
A little,	2
Or no say?	1
<i>(don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(refuse to answer)</i>	-2

26. Do you agree or disagree with the following?

	Agree	Disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>Refuse to answer)</i>
Employers should prioritize hiring Georgians over foreigners regardless of qualifications	1	0	-1	-2
Georgia should limit the number of immigrants to the country	1	0	-1	-2

Immigrants represent an important contribution to Georgia's economy	1	0	-1	-2
Georgia's ethnic diversity is a strength not a weakness	1	0	-1	-2

The Parliament

27. [SHOW CARD 27] **How would you rate the performance of The Speaker of the Parliament Irakli Kobakhidze?**

Very badly	1
Badly	2
Well	3
Very well	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

28. **What do you expect from the member of the Parliament (MP)?**

		Yes	No	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1	He/she will represent your interests	1	0	-1	-2
2	Will only serve his/her own interests	1	0	-1	-2
3	He/she will be active	1	0	-1	-2
4	Will do what the party tells him/her to do	1	0	-1	-2

29. **Overall, do you agree or disagree that majority of MPs in Georgia ...?**

	Agree	Disagree	<i>Don't know</i>	<i>Refuse to answer</i>

1	Are qualified for their job as parliamentarian	1	0	-1	-2
2	Behave in an ethical manner	1	0	-1	-2
3	Take into account interests of minorities (ethnic, sexual, religious and other)	1	0	-1	-2
4	Work hard for the country	1	0	-1	-2

30. [SHOW CARD 30] Please, tell me, which statement do you agree with?

[Interviewer: AFTER THE RESPONDENT CHOOSES THE STATEMENT, ASK:

“Do you agree with this statement or do you agree very strongly with this statement?” ACCEPT ONLY ONE ANSWER.]

Statement 1: In my opinion, MP should always follow decisions made by their party, even if they do not agree with it.		Statement 2: In my opinion, MP should always follow their own judgement, even if they go against their party.	
<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 1</i>	<i>Agree with Statement 2</i>	<i>Agree very strongly with Statement 2</i>
1	2	3	4
<i>[DO NOT READ] Agree with neither</i>		5	
<i>(Don't know)</i>		-1	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>		-2	

31. Please tell me who is your majoritarian member in the Parliament of Georgia?

Record any name the respondent mentions _____	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

32. [SHOW CARD 32] Please, tell me how much do you agree or disagree that Members of parliament take into account opinions of people like you?

Completely agree	4
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Somewhat agree	3
Somewhat disagree	2
Completely disagree	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

33. [SHOW CARD 32] To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement: If you wanted to, you would be able to easily arrange a meeting with the Member of Parliament.

Completely agree	4
Somewhat agree	3
Somewhat disagree	2
Completely disagree	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

34. Have you ever been involved in the work of the parliament in following ways...?

	Yes	No	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
Made a comment on legislation	1	0	-1	-2
Attended public discussion organized by Parliament/MP	1	0	-1	-2
Addressed the parliament/MP with a request	1	0	-1	-2
Attended a committee hearing	1	0	-1	-2

35. Do you agree or disagree that since the 2016 parliamentary election ... ?

		Agree	Disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1	Parliament has managed to investigate important matters for the country	1	0	-1	-2
2	Parliament has effectively overseen the government (ministries) to ensure their better performance	1	0	-1	-2
3	Parliament is preoccupied with political bickering	1	0	-1	-2
4	Parliament is well-organized and efficient in getting things done	1	0	-1	-2
5	Parliament has put forward important policies that benefit the country	1	0	-1	-2

Foreign policy

36. Do you approve or disapprove of Georgian government's stated goal to join the EU?

Approve	1
Disapprove	0
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

37. Do you approve or disapprove of Georgian government's stated goal to join NATO?

Approve	1
Disapprove	0
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

Party support

38. [SHOW CARD 38 (Rotated)] Which party is closest to you? And what is your first and second choice?

[Interviewer! One answer in each column. If the respondent names the same option for the second choice, it means he/she has no second choice and circle -5 ('No second choice') in the second column. If the respondent's first choice is "No party", "Don't know" or "Refuse to answer", skip to question 39.]

	First Choice	Second Choice
Alliance of Patriots of Georgia (Davit Tarkhan-Mouravi, Irma Inashvili)	1	1
Free Georgia (Kakha Kukava)	2	2
New Rights (Mamuka Katsitadze)	3	3
Democratic Movement – United Georgia (Nino Burjanadze)	4	4
Left Alliance (Kakhaber Dzaganian, Soso Shatberashvili)	5	5
United National Movement	6	6
Bakradze-Ugulava - European Georgia (Gigi Ugulava, Davit Bakradze)	7	7
Georgian Dream – Democratic Georgia (Bidzina Ivanishvili)	8	8
National Forum (Gubaz Sanikidze)	9	9
Republican Party (Khatuna Samnidze, Tamar Kordzaia)	10	10
Industry will save Georgia/Industrialists (Zurab Tkemaladze)	11	11
Georgian Conservative Party (Zviad Dzidziguri)	12	12
Free Democrats (Shalva Shavgulidze)	13	13
Georgian Labor Party (Shalva Natelashvili)	14	14
New Political Center - Girchi (Zurab Japaridze)	15	15

Movement State for People (Nika Matchutadze)	16	16
New Georgia - Civic Platform (Giorgi Vashadze)	17	17
New Christian Democrats (Nikoloz Joglidze)	18	18
Unity of Georgian Traditionalists (Akaki Asatiani)	19	19
Freedom – Zviad Gamsakhurdia’s Way (Konstantine Gamsakhurdia)	20	20
Tamaz Mechiauri for United Georgia (Tamaz Mechiauri)	21	21
Georgian Troupe (Jondi Baghaturia)	22	22
European Democrats (Paata Davitaia)	23	23
<i>Other (specify)</i> _____	24	
<i>Other (specify)</i> _____		24
No party	25	
<i>(No second choice)</i>		-5
<i>(Don’t know)</i>	-1	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2	-2

39. If Parliamentary elections were held tomorrow, would you say you are decided or undecided about how you would vote?

Decided	1
Undecided	0
<i>(Do not know)</i>	-1

(Refuse to answer)	-2
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40. [SHOW CARD 40] If Parliamentary elections were held tomorrow, would you vote? Please use the 10-point scale where “1” means “I absolutely will not vote” and “10” means “I absolutely will vote”

Absolutely will not vote										Absolutely will vote	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	-1	-2	

If the answer to question 40 is 1, -1 or -2 go to question 42.

41. [SHOW CARD 41 (Rotated)] If parliamentary elections were tomorrow which party would you vote for? Which party would be your first and second choice?

[Interviewer! One answer in each column. If the respondent names the same option for the second choice, it means he/she has no second choice and circle -5 ('No second choice') in the second column. If the respondent's first choice is “No party”, “Don't know” or “Refuse to answer”, skip to question 42.]

	First Choice	Second Choice
Alliance of Patriots of Georgia (Davit Tarkhan-Mouravi, Irma Inashvili)	1	1
Free Georgia (Kakha Kukava)	2	2
New Rights (Mamuka Katsitadze)	3	3
Democratic Movement – United Georgia (Nino Burjanadze)	4	4
Left Alliance (Kakhaber Dzaganian, Soso Shatberashvili)	5	5
United National Movement	6	6
Bakradze-Ugulava - European Georgia (Gigi Ugulava, Davit Bakradze)	7	7

Georgian Dream – Democratic Georgia (Bidzina Ivanishvili)	8	8
National Forum (Gubaz Sanikidze)	9	9
Republican Party (Khatuna Samnidze, Tamar Kordzaia)	10	10
Industry will save Georgia/Industrialists (Zurab Tkemaladze)	11	11
Georgian Conservative Party (Zviad Dzidziguri)	12	12
Free Democrats (Shalva Shavgulidze)	13	13
Georgian Labor Party (Shalva Natelashvili)	14	14
New Political Center - Girchi (Zurab Japaridze)	15	15
Movement State for People (Nika Matchutadze)	16	16
New Georgia - Civic Platform (Giorgi Vashadze)	17	17
New Christian Democrats (Nikoloz Joglidze)	18	18
Unity of Georgian Traditionalists (Akaki Asatiani)	19	19
Freedom – Zviad Gamsakhurdia’s Way (Konstantine Gamsakhurdia)	20	20
Tamaz Mechiauri for United Georgia (Tamaz Mechiauri)	21	21
Georgian Troupe (Jondi Baghaturia)	22	22
European Democrats (Paata Davitaia)	23	23
<i>Other (specify)_____</i>	24	
<i>Other (specify)_____</i>		24
No party	25	
<i>(No second choice)</i>		-5
<i>(Don’t know)</i>	-1	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2	-2

42. [SHOW CARD 42 (Rotated)] Which party/bloc you would never vote for?
[Interviewer: One answer only!]

Alliance of Patriots of Georgia (Davit Tarkhan-Mouravi, Irma Inashvili)	1
Free Georgia (Kakha Kukava)	2
New Rights (Mamuka Katsitadze)	3
Democratic Movement – United Georgia (Nino Burjanadze)	4
Left Alliance (Kakhaber Dzaganian, Soso Shatberashvili)	5
United National Movement	6
Bakradze-Ugulava - European Georgia (Gigi Ugulava, Davit Bakradze)	7
Georgian Dream – Democratic Georgia (Bidzina Ivanishvili)	8
National Forum (Gubaz Sanikidze)	9
Republican Party (Khatuna Samnidze, Tamar Kordzaia)	10
Industry will save Georgia/Industrialists (Zurab Tkemaladze)	11
Georgian Conservative Party (Zviad Dzidziguri)	12
Free Democrats (Shalva Shavgulidze)	13
Georgian Labor Party (Shalva Natelashvili)	14
New Political Center - Girchi (Zurab Japaridze)	15
Movement State for People (Nika Matchutadze)	16
New Georgia - Civic Platform (Giorgi Vashadze)	17
New Christian Democrats (Nikoloz Joglidze)	18
Unity of Georgian Traditionalists (Akaki Asatiani)	19
Freedom – Zviad Gamsakhurdia’s Way (Konstantine Gamsakhurdia)	20
Tamaz Mechiauri for United Georgia (Tamaz Mechiauri)	21
Georgian Troupe (Jondi Baghaturia)	22
European Democrats (Paata Davitaia)	23
<i>Other (specify)</i> _____	24
No such party	25
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1

<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
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43. Do you believe Georgian political parties mostly represent ... [Read out]

[Interviewer: One answer only!]

The interests of people like you,	1
Their own interests,	2
Interests of their leaders/donors,	3
Or interests of a foreign entity?	4
[Do not read] Other	5
<i>(don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(refuse to answer)</i>	-2

Corruption

44. [SHOW CARD 44] Using this scale of 1 to 5, where 1 is not widespread at all and 5 is very widespread, in your opinion, how widespread is corruption in Georgia?

Is not widespread at all	1
2	2
3	3
4	4
Very widespread	5
<i>(don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(refuse to answer)</i>	-2

45. [SHOW CARD 45] Thinking about following institutions, how widespread, if at all, is corruption there?

		There is no corruption	There is some corruption	Corruption is widespread	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1	Ministries	1	2	3	-1	-2
2	Public institutions (state hospitals, state schools, state kindergartens, state universities, public service agencies etc)	1	2	3	-1	-2
3	Local government (Sakrebulo, Mayor's office, Gamgeoba)	1	2	3	-1	-2
4	Courts	1	2	3	-1	-2
5	Police	1	2	3	-1	-2
6	Prosecutor's office	1	2	3	-1	-2
7	Parliament	1	2	3	-1	-2
8	Political Parties	1	2	3	-1	-2

ASK QUESTION 46 ONLY ABOUT INSTITUTIONS WHERE THERE IS SOME CORRUPTION OR CORRUPTION IS WIDESPREAD

46. [SHOW CARD 46] What does this corruption involve?

[Interviewer! Ask for each institution. Accept up to 3 answers for each]

		Nepotism (the practice among those with power or influence of favoring relatives or friends, especially by giving them jobs.)	Accepting or giving bribes	Conflicts of interest (favoring one business over another)	Taking money from budget for personal use	Misappropriation of budget to specific projects	Serving political parties' or candidates' interests	Manipulating information or reports	Other	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1	Ministries									-1	-2
2	Public institutions (state hospitals, state schools, state kindergartens, state universities, public service agencies etc)									-1	-2
3	Local government (Sakrebulo, Mayor's office, Gamgeoba)									-1	-2
4	Courts									-1	-2
5	Police									-1	-2
6	Prosecutor's office									-1	-2
7	Parliament									-1	-2

47. [SHOW CARD 47] Which of the following factors do you consider most important for building a successful business in Georgia?

[Interviewer! One answer only.]

Political Connections	1
Education	2
Professional skills / experience	3
Hard work	4
Sex	5
Luck	6
Talent	7
Doing favors for the 'right' people	8
Other	9
<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>-1</i>
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	<i>-2</i>

48. [SHOW CARD 48] **How would you rate the performance of Chief Prosecutor's office (Shalva Tadumadze)?**

Very badly	1
Badly	2
Well	3
Very well	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>-1</i>
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	<i>-2</i>

Education

49. [SHOW CARD 49] **How good or bad is the government at providing high quality education to all citizens?**

Very good	4
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Somewhat good	3
Somewhat bad	2
Very bad	1
<i>(Don't Know)</i>	<i>-1</i>
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	<i>-2</i>

50. Do you have a family member who currently goes to ...?

	Yes	No	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
Public school in Georgia	1	0	-1	-2
Private school in Georgia	1	0	-1	-2
Public university in Georgia	1	0	-1	-2
Private university in Georgia	1	0	-1	-2
Vocational education institution in Georgia	1	0	-1	-2

Ask 51 and 52 only to those who has a child in household who goes to public or private school.

51. Do you think that the school that your children attend is ... [Read out]

Very good	5
Good	4
Average	3
Bad	2
Very bad	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>-1</i>
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	<i>-2</i>

52. What was the most important criteria when selecting school for your child?

[Interviewer! Do not read! Correspond! One answer only.]

Vicinity to home	1
Education fee	2
Prestige	3
Gives good opportunities	4
Family members go to the same school	5
I went to this school	6
Vicinity to my work place	7
Quality of education	8
Infrastructure	9
It was the only school in my area	10
Other	11
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

53. [SHOW CARD 53] Generally how would you assess the professionalism (knowledge and skills) of public school teachers in Georgia?

Very well	5
well	4
Average	3
Badly	2
Very badly	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1

<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
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54. If you think about public and private schools in Georgia, which do you think better provides the following: Public, private, both or neither?

	Public	Private	Both	Neither	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
Safety	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Infrastructure	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Quality of education	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Professionalism of teachers (knowledge and skills)	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Extracurricular activities	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Chances of getting into good university	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Prepare for professional career	1	2	3	4	-1	-2

55. Agree or disagree that having a private tutor is essential to ...?

	Agree	Disagree	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
Study well at school	1	0	-1	-2
To pass final high school exams	1	0	-1	-2
To pass Unified National Exams (State Entry Exams)	1	0	-1	-2

56. If you think about state and private universities in Georgia, which do you think better provides the following: state, private, both or neither?

	State	Private	Both	Neither	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
Safety	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Infrastructure	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Quality of education	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Professionalism of lecturers (Knowledge and skills)	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Extracurricular activities	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
Chances of getting into good job	1	2	3	4	-1	-2

57. [SHOW CARD 57] Which of the following factors do you consider most important for getting a good job in Georgia?

[Interviewer! One answer only.]

Connections	1
Education received in Georgia	2
Professional skills / experience	3
Hard work	4
Sex	5
Education received abroad	6
Luck	7
Talent	8
Age	9
Doing favors for the 'right' people	10
Other	11
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1

<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
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Environment protections

58. [SHOW CARD 58] How would you rate the performance of the Ministry of Environment Protection and Agriculture of Georgia (Levan Davitashvili)?

Very badly	1
Badly	2
Well	3
Very well	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

59. [SHOW CARD 59] Which of these environmental issues on the card do you think are the most problematic for Georgia?

[Interviewer! Accept up to 3 answers.]

Pollution of rivers, lakes and reservoirs	
Air pollution	
Global warming/climate change	
Pollution of drinking water	
Extinction of plant and animal species	
Contamination of soil and water by toxic waste	
Unprocessed/poorly managed garbage, waste, and landfills	
Inefficient or wasteful use of energy	
Food safety	

Natural disasters such as landslides, floods, hail etc.	
Littering	
Existence of materials hazardous to health (in the air, food, toys etc.)	
Other	
None	-5
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

60. Would you approve or disapprove of an initiative, according to which every household would separate their waste in categories (for example, plastic bottles in one bag and glass bottle in another)?

Approve	1
Disapprove	0
<i>(don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

Crime and police

61. [SHOW CARD 61] How would you rate the performance of the Ministry of Internal Affairs of Georgia (Giorgi Gakharia)?

Very badly	1
Badly	2
Well	3
Very well	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1

<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2
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62. [SHOW CARD 61] How would you rate the performance of Georgian police?

Very badly	1
Badly	2
Well	3
Very well	4
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

**64. How do you think the criminal situation has changed in Georgia in the last 10 years?
Has it gotten worse, stayed the same or gotten better?**

Got worse	1
Stayed the same	2
Got better	3
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

66. Have you referred to the police in the last 2 years?

Yes	1	GO TO 69
No	0	
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1	
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2	

67. If yes, in which capacity, as ... [Read out]

A victim	1
Or a witness of violation of law?	2

[Do not read] Other	3
<i>(don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(refuse to answer)</i>	-2

68. [SHOW CARD 68] How satisfied or dissatisfied were you with the police's handling of your call/case?

Very satisfied	4
Somewhat satisfied	3
Somewhat dissatisfied	2
Very dissatisfied	1
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

69. [SHOW CARD 69] In your opinion, out of the following which is the most widespread crime in Georgia?

[Interviewer! One answer only.]

Theft/burglary/robbery	1
Drug-related crimes	2
Domestic violence	3
Sexual assault	4
Juvenile crimes	5
Illegal migration	6
Murder	7
Physical assault	8
Cybercrimes	9
Car accidents/traffic collisions	10

Other	11
<i>(Don't know)</i>	-1
<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>	-2

MEDIA

71. Do you watch coverage of Georgian politics and current events on the following channels?

		Yes	No	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1	Imedi	1	0	-1	-2
2	Kavkasia	1	0	-1	-2
3	Rustavi 2	1	0	-1	-2
4	TV Pirveli	1	0	-1	-2
5	GPB	1	0	-1	-2
6	Maestro	1	0	-1	-2
7	Adjara TV	1	0	-1	-2
8	Obiektivi	1	0	-1	-2
9	Palitra TV	1	0	-1	-2

72. [SHOW CARD 72] In general, how much do you trust or distrust coverage of news and current affairs on the following TV channels? Please use this card.

		Do not trust at all	Do not trust	Neutral	Trust	Fully trust	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1	Imedi	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
2	Kavkasia	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
3	Rustavi 2	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
4	TV Pirveli	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
5	GPB	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
6	Maestro	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
7	Adjara TV	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
8	Obiektivi	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2
9	Palitra TV	1	2	3	4	5	-1	-2

73. Disinformation is false news, which is spread deliberately with the purpose to mislead and deceive people. Do you agree or disagree that Georgian TV stations often spread disinformation?

Agree	1
Disagree	0
(Don't know)	-1
(Refuse to answer)	-2

74. [SHOW CARD 74] For each of the following TV stations, please tell me, how often, if at all, do you think, they spread disinformation?

		Never	Someti mes	Often	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1.	Imedi	1	2	3	-1	-2

2.	Kavkasia	1	2	3	-1	-2
3.	Rustavi 2	1	2	3	-1	-2
4.	TV Pirveli	1	2	3	-1	-2
5.	GPB	1	2	3	-1	-2
6.	Maestro	1	2	3	-1	-2
7.	Adjara TV	1	2	3	-1	-2
8.	Obiektivi	1	2	3	-1	-2
9.	Palitra TV	1	2	3	-1	-2

Demographic questions:

I will ask you questions about yourself and your household.

75. [SHOW CARD 75] What is the highest level of education you have achieved to date?

[Interviewer: One answer only.]

Did not obtain a nine year diploma	1
Nine year diploma	2
High school diploma (11 or 12 years)	3
Vocational/technical degree	4
Bachelor's degree/5 years diploma	5
Any degree above bachelor's	6
(Don't know)	-1
(Refuse to answer)	-2

76. How often do you use the Internet? Do you use the Internet ... [Read out]

Every day,	1
At least once a week,	2
At least once a month,	3
Less often,	4
or Never?	5
[DO NOT READ] I don't know what the Internet is.	6
(Don't know)	-1
(Refuse to answer)	-2

77. Do you consider yourself to be employed? This employment may be part-time or full-time, you may be officially employed, informally employed, or self-employed, but it brings you monetary income.

Yes	1	Go To Q79
No	0	
(Don't know)	-1	
(Refuse to answer)	-2	

78. [SHOW CARD 78] Which of the following best describes your situation?

Unemployed and looking for a job.	1
Unemployed and interested in a job, but currently NOT looking for a job.	2
Unemployed and not interested in looking for a job (if not a housewife).	3
Student.	4

Housewife.	5
Retired and looking for a job.	6
Retired and interested in a job, but currently NOT looking for one.	7
Retired and NOT interested in looking for a job.	8
Disabled	9
Other (Please record)_____	10
(Don't know)	-1
(Refuse to answer)	-2

79. [SHOW CARD 79] Using this CARD, please tell me which one of these levels best describes your ability in the following:

		No basic knowledge	Beginner	Intermediate	Advanced	<i>(Don't know)</i>	<i>(Refuse to answer)</i>
1.	Russian	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
2.	English	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
3.	Georgian (only for non-Georgian)	1	2	3	4	-1	-2
4.	Turkish	1	2	3	4	-1	-2

80. Now, I will read you a series of household items. Please note that we are only interested in items that your household owns and that are in normal working order. Please tell me whether or not your household owns ...?

		Owens	Does not own	(Don't know)	(Refuse to answer)
1	Refrigerator	1	0	-1	-2
2	Color TV	1	0	-1	-2
3	Smartphone (a phone with color display and with internet connection)	1	0	-1	-2
4	Tablet computer (e.g. iPad, Galaxy Tab, Lenovo etc.)	1	0	-1	-2
5	Car	1	0	-1	-2
6	Air conditioner	1	0	-1	-2
7	Automatic washing machine	1	0	-1	-2
8	Personal computer, including laptop	1	0	-1	-2
9	Hot water	1	0	-1	-2
10	Central heating	1	0	-1	-2

T3. Interview end time
Hour Minute

[Interviewer: Use the 24-hour format. Be attentive and write the exact end time of the interview, refer to your watch.]