

Eurobarometer survey on the results of the referendum in the Netherlands (June 2005)

Caption: After the Netherlands' rejection of the Treaty establishing a Constitution for Europe, the Commission conducts a 'post-referendum survey' in June 2005. The aim is to provide an analysis of the results of the referendum held on 1 June.

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PRESENTATION

On October 29th 2004, Heads of State and Government of the 25 EU Member States signed, in Rome, the Treaty establishing a Constitution for Europe. This signature launched the process of national ratifications of the Constitution, to take place, before November 2006 in each Member State. The Netherlands is one of the countries which chose to consult its citizens by referendum in order to ratify this Constitution¹.

The Dutch referendum was held on June 1st 2005. A high turnout rate of 62,8% was observed for this vote. A large majority of voters rejected the Constitution: the « No » obtained 61,6% of votes against only 38,4% for the « Yes ».

Directorate-General Press and Communication of the European Commission conducted a post-electoral survey in order to better understand the factors which determined the result of the referendum, but also the reasons for abstention, the motivations of voters and the possible scenarios following the 1st of June vote.

EOS Gallup Europe, through its partner institute in the Netherlands, TNS NIPO, carried out 2000 interviews from the 2nd to the 4th of June. The methodology used is that of the Flash Eurobarometer (telephone) surveys.

In the following pages the report analyses the following themes:

- Turnout in the referendum : the profile of abstainers, the reasons for abstention, the role of information and the debates;
- Analysis of the results: the motivations leading to the choice of vote;
- The consequences of the "No".

¹ Spain held a referendum on the 20th of February with 76,7% of votes in favour of the "Yes". Voters in France went to the polls on the 29th of May and rejected the Constitution with 54,7% in favour of the "No".

1. Turnout in the referendum

This first part of the report analyses the turnout/abstention rates for the referendum held on June 1st 2005 and more precisely the profile of abstainers. Then this analysis aims to understand the main reasons for abstention but also the influence the level of information of voters had as well as their opinions on the debates concerning the Constitution in the Netherlands.

1.1. The turnout rate

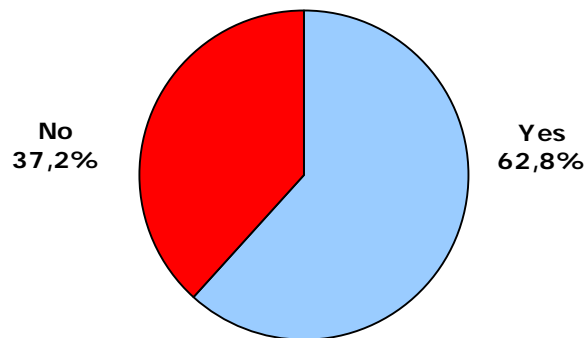
Source questionnaire : Q1

- A very high turnout rate, sign of great interest in this European issue -

Close to two-thirds (62,8%) of Dutch electors participated in this referendum, and marked the first ever nationwide referendum in the modern history of the Netherlands.

The turnout rate was far above the 30 percent threshold set by most political parties in order for the referendum to be considered as valid.

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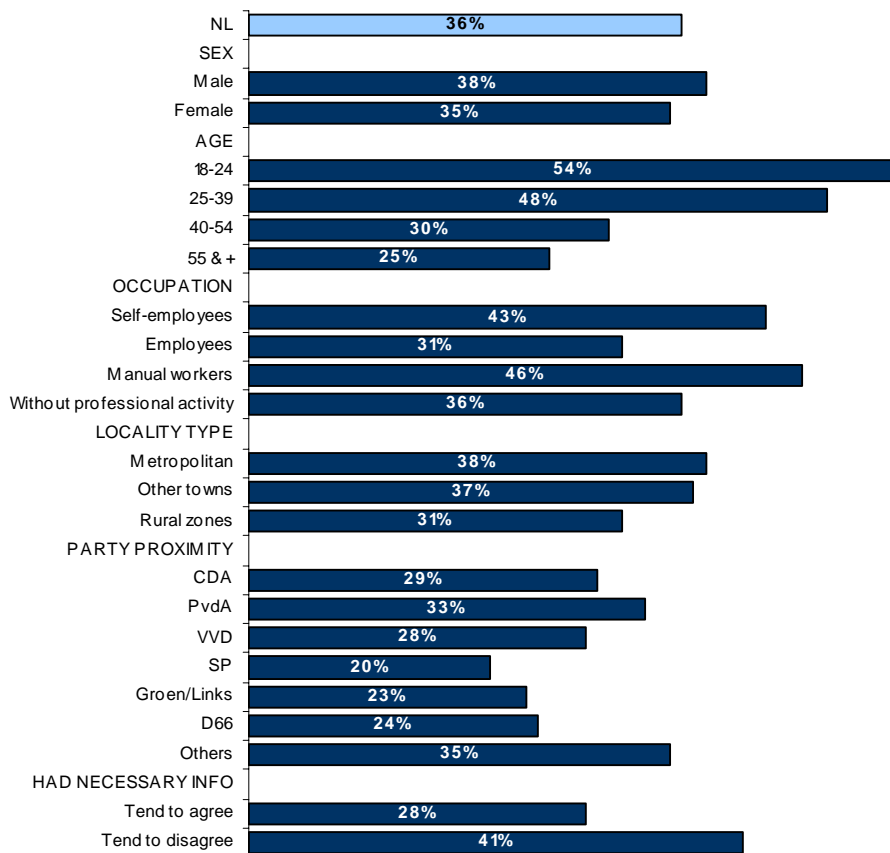
The socio-demographic characteristics of the abstaining voters reveal the following:

- As it was the case in France and Spain, younger voters seem to have been less mobilised to vote than the older population. Over half the Dutch citizens aged 18 to 24 (54%) indicate that they did not vote in this referendum. Furthermore, close to one in two persons aged 25 to 39 (48%) abstained.
- Slightly more men (38%) than women abstained (35%).
- The occupation categories show that manual workers (46%) and the self-employed (43%) were more likely to abstain than those in the other occupational groups.

- People living in rural zones had a lower rate of abstention (31%) than those living in small or large towns
- People claiming that they did not have the necessary information to make their decision are far more likely to have abstained (41%) than those who, on the contrary, felt they were sufficiently informed on the Constitution.

Last Wednesday a Referendum was held on the approval of the Treaty that establishes a Constitution for Europe. Did you vote in that Referendum?

Answers: **NO**



1.2. Reasons for abstaining

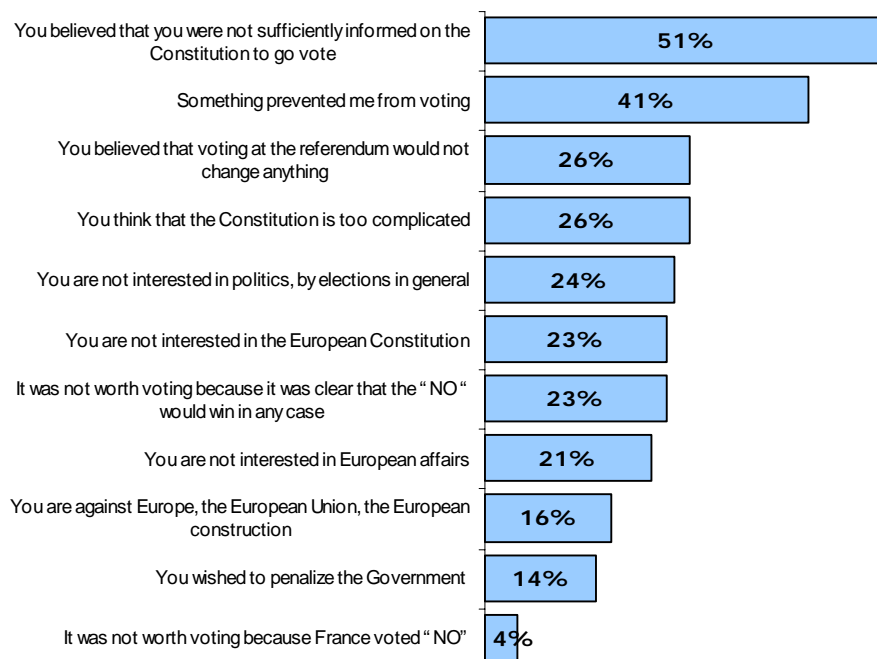
Source questionnaire : Q2

- Lack of information is the main reason for abstaining -

Every second Dutch citizen (51%) who abstained from voting in the referendum indicates that they believe **they were not sufficiently informed on the Constitution to vote**. Women (54%) indicate this reason more than men (49%), corresponding to a difference of 5 points. A significant proportion of manual workers are also of this opinion (62%). On the contrary, fewer people aged 55 years or above and fewer of those with a high level of education cite this as being one of their reasons for abstaining.

Other than the reason that something prevented respondents from voting on the day of the referendum (41%), multiple reasons explain the abstention of these citizens as is illustrated in the graph below.

If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1st of June, is it because ... ? (% Yes)



Abstention due to the fact that **"you are not interested in the European Constitution"** is mentioned by 23% of the interviewees, and by 48% of those who went to school until the age of 15 or less.

People who did not vote because they thought **the Constitution was too complicated** are found more often among women (29%), those aged 25 to 39 years (33%), those with a low level of education (35%) as well as employees (35%) and manual workers (32%).

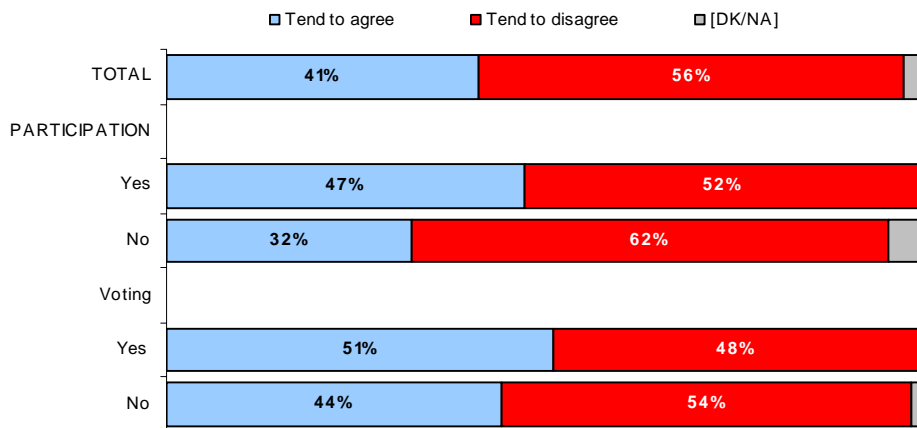
Results also show that people aged 55 years or above (35%) as well as those with a low level of education (39%) have a somewhat greater tendency than the average (26%) to claim that **they believed that voting at the referendum would not change anything**.

1.3. The role of the level of information

Source questionnaire : Q10g

- Lack of information influences the turnout rate -

Before voting in the referendum, you had all necessary information in order to take a decision



In general, among the people who were interviewed, only 41% consider that before voting in the referendum, they had all the necessary information in order to take a decision, against 56% who say that they did not.

This proportion rises to almost two thirds among those who abstained from voting in the referendum (62%) compared to only 32% who affirm that they were sufficiently informed on the Constitution before the vote.

Furthermore, this is also the case for 47% of people who actually say they voted in the referendum, which means that one in two voters did not feel sufficiently informed before they actually voted on the Constitution.

A majority (51%) of those who voted « Yes » in the referendum felt they had all the necessary information to take a decision, while among those who voted « No » a majority (54%) claims that they were not sufficiently informed.

These results clearly point to a lack of information among Dutch citizens on the Constitution before the referendum and we can presume that the role of the level of information played an important part in the outcome of the vote.

1.4. The debates on the Constitution

Source questionnaire : Q9

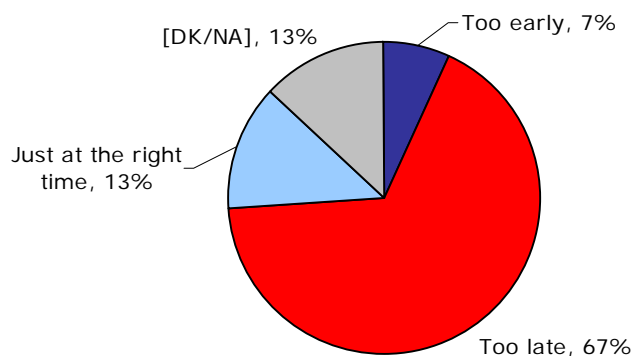
- The debates on the Constitution started too late -

When asked about the timing of the debates on the European Constitution, a clear majority of respondents (67%) indicates that the campaign started too late.

While only 13% of Dutch citizens feel that these debates started at the right time, just 7% indicate that it started too early.

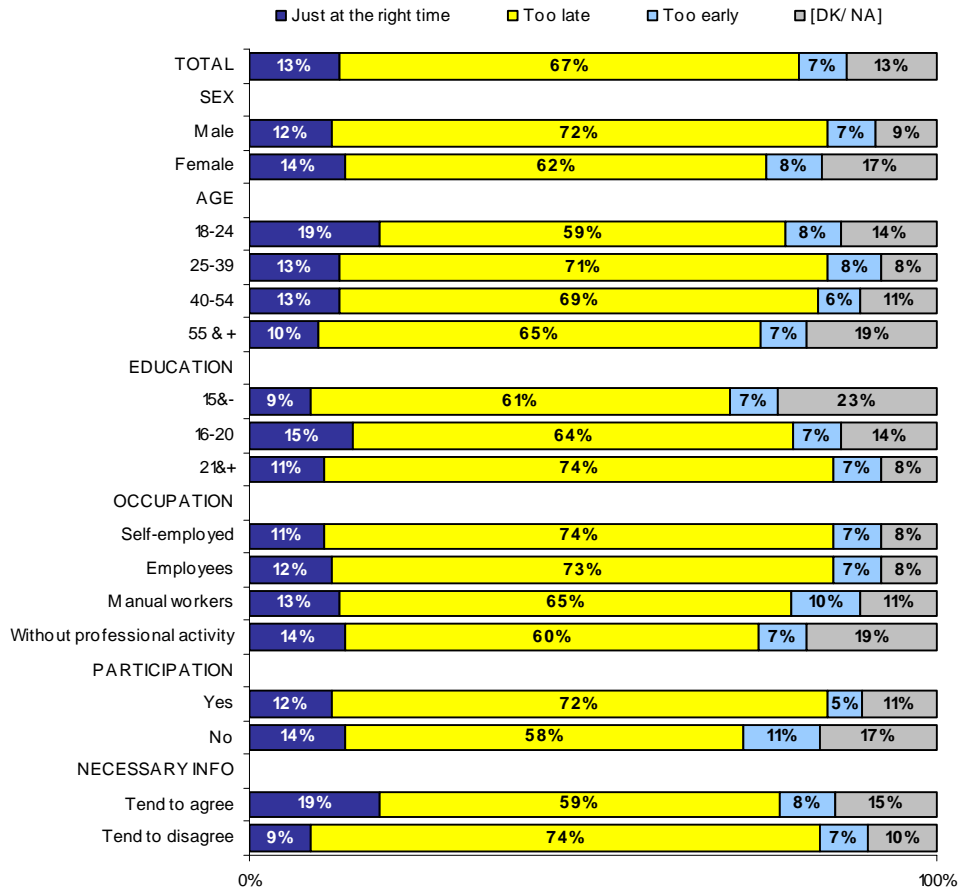
This result could explain why a majority of the Dutch citizens feel that they lacked information before voting. This result differs from the French situation but is, at the same time, similar to that of the Spanish one, where the "Yes" had an overwhelmingly win of 78%..

Would you say that the debates about the European Constitution in the Netherlands started ...



The socio-demographic analysis reveals the following information:

- Considerably more men (72%) than women (62%) feel that the debates on the Constitution started too late in the Netherlands, corresponding to a difference of 10 points.
- People aged 18-24 are less likely than older citizens to consider that the campaign started too late.
- Those with the highest level of education (74%) are considerably more likely than those with lower levels of education to indicate that the debates started too late.
- Citizens who turned out to vote (72%) are far more likely than those who did not (58%) to feel that the campaign did not start on time.
- Finally, those who felt they did not have sufficient information before voting (74%) are more likely to think that the debates started too late.

Would you say that the debates about the European Constitution in the Netherlands started ...


1.5. When did voters make up their minds on how to vote?

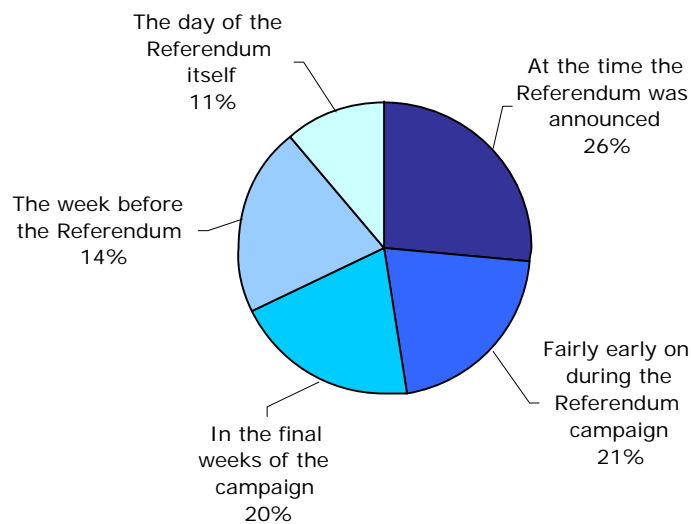
Source questionnaire : Q6

- The choice of vote was made at a very late stage for a significant number of electors -

Contrary to what happened in France, a considerable number of Dutch voters (approximately one third) **made up their mind in the last days before the referendum**. Indeed, while 21% indicate that they made up their mind on how to vote the week before the referendum, a further 11% answer that they made up their mind on the day of the referendum.

This phenomenon can be linked directly to the fact that a majority of the Dutch consider that the debates on the Constitution started too late. The campaign seems to have left a third of the voters doubt their choice of vote until the last days before the referendum.

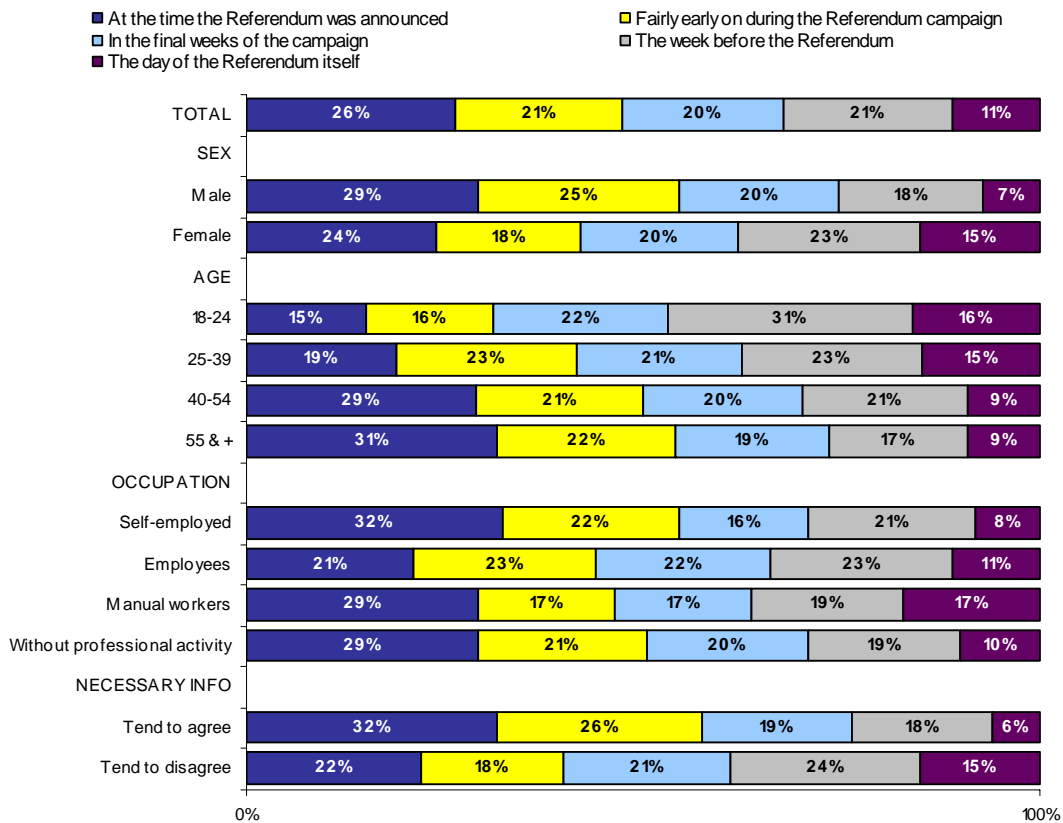
Can you tell me roughly when did you make up your mind on how you would vote in the Referendum on the European Constitution?



The socio-demographic analysis shows us that:

- Considerably more women made up their mind on how to vote in the last days before the referendum (38%) compared to men (25%).
- Close to one out of two voters aged 18 to 24 years (47%) made their choice of vote, either the week before the referendum, or on the day of the vote itself.
- Manual workers are somewhat more likely (17%) than those in the other occupation categories to have made up their minds on the day of the referendum itself.
- Finally, voters who felt that they were not sufficiently informed before the referendum are more likely to have made up their mind in the last days before the referendum (39%) than those who felt they were sufficiently informed (24%).

Can you tell me roughly when did you make up your mind how you would vote in the Referendum on the European Constitution?



2. The analysis of the results

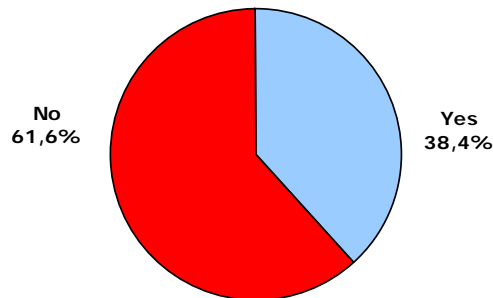
The second part of the report deals with the analysis of the vote itself. First it looks at the results of the referendum through the voters profile, at the motivations of the "yes" and the "no" vote and finally at the key elements which led to the choice of vote.

2.1. The vote

Source questionnaire : Q3

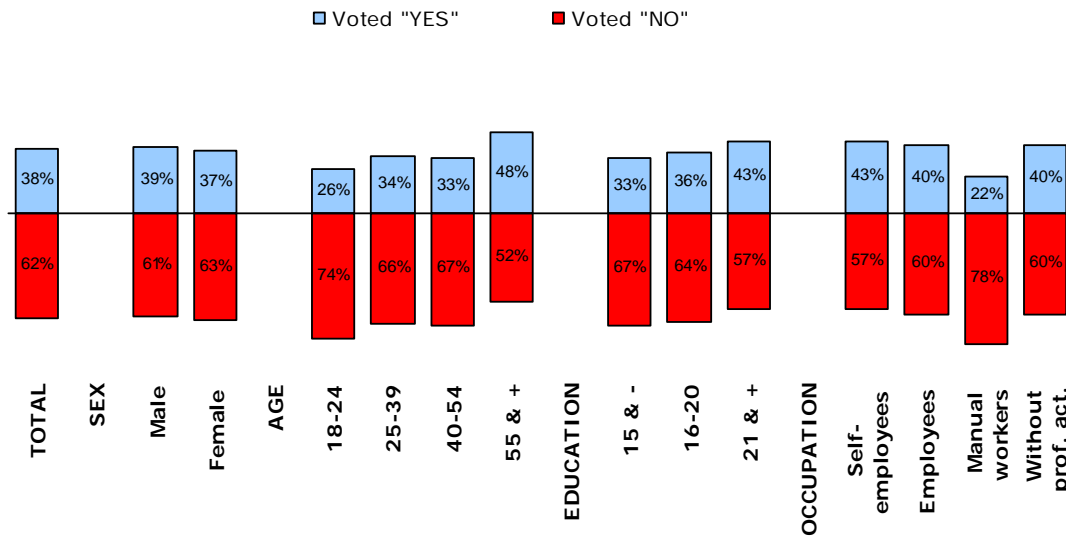
The results of the Dutch referendum show that the European Constitution was overwhelmingly rejected by 61,6% of voters in the Netherlands.

Results of the Referendum on the ratification of the Treaty which establishes a Constitution for Europe



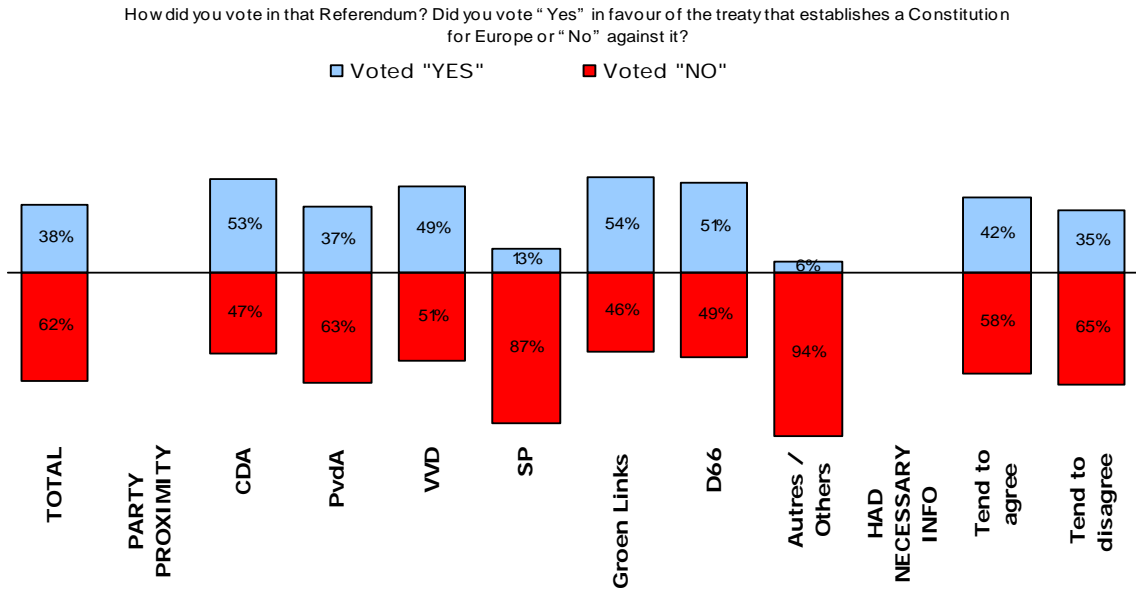
The younger the voter, the more he/she was opposed to the Constitution. 74% of those aged 18 to 24 years voted "No". The oldest group were far more divided since 52% voted "No" and 48% voted "Yes".

How did you vote in that Referendum? Did you vote "Yes" in favour of the treaty that establishes a Constitution for Europe or "No" against it?



Those who were educated until the age of 15 years or less (67%) voted far more strongly in favour of the “No” than those who studied until the age of 21 or older (57%).

Far more manual workers (78%) voted against the Constitution than the other occupation categories. The “No” vote for this category is 16 points above the Dutch average.



Almost all supporters of the “no” political parties followed the voting instructions of their camp. On the contrary, despite the fact that the Government party, CDA, called for a vote in favour of the Constitution, almost half of its sympathisers voted “no”..

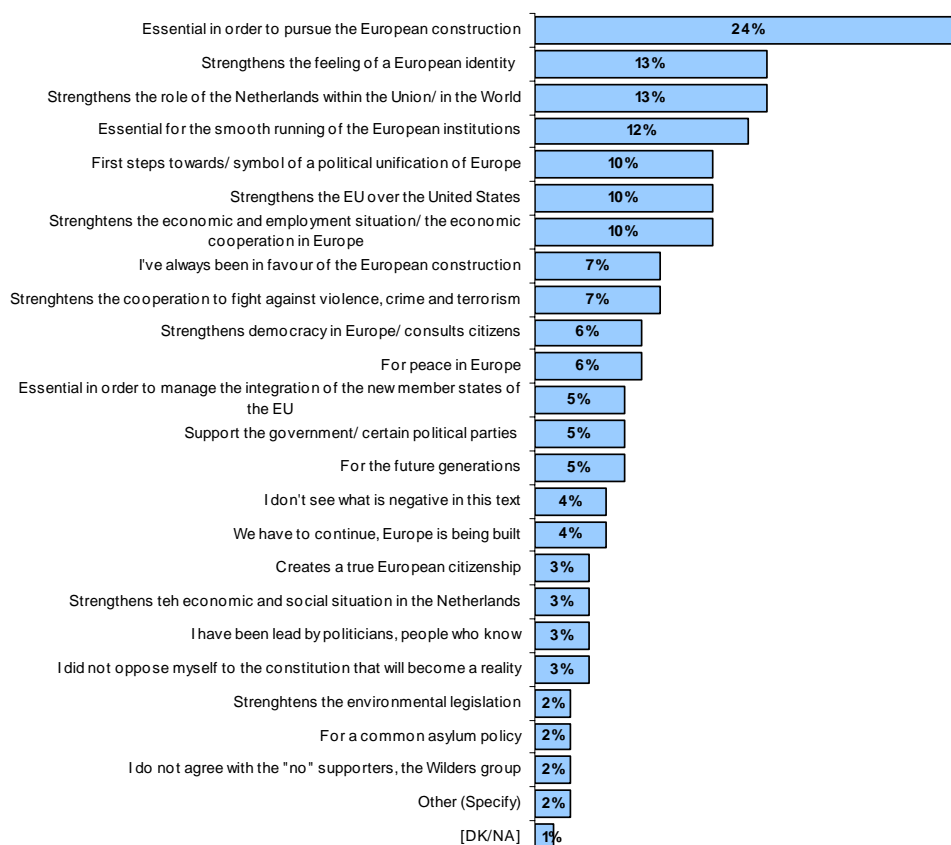
Voters who feel that they did not have all the necessary information in order to make their decision were more likely to vote “no” (65%) compared to those who feel that they were sufficiently informed (58%).

2.2. The motivations of the « Yes » vote

Source questionnaire : Q4

- European construction is the main motivation -

What are all the reasons why you voted "Yes" at the referendum on the European Constitution?



The primary motivation of the "Yes" voters is the fact that they consider that the Constitution is essential in order to pursue European construction (24%). In addition, 13% mention that it strengthens the feeling of a European identity and 13% also mention that it strengthens the role of the Netherlands within the Union and the World.

A motivation that also receives a significant citation rate is the fact that the Constitution is essential for the smooth running of European Institutions (12%).

Other noteworthy reasons, which are ranked further down in the list, are the fact that the Constitution represents the first steps towards/ symbol of a political unification of Europe (10%), that it strengthens the EU over the USA (10%) and that it strengthens the economic and employment situation/ economic cooperation in Europe (10%).

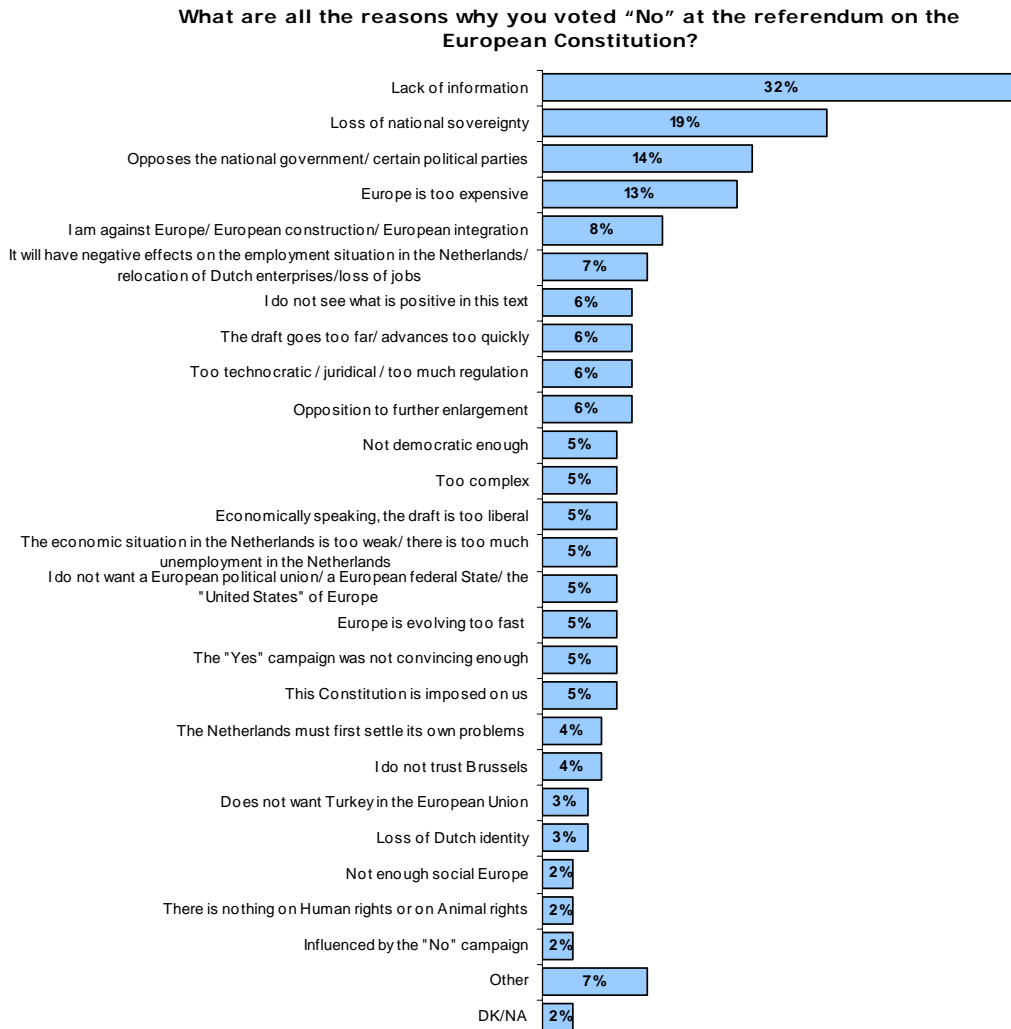
The main motivations of the « yes » vote by socio demographic variables

Q4.	Essential in order to pursue the European construction	Strengthens the feeling of a European identity	Strengthens the role of the Netherlands within the Union/in the world	Essential for the smooth running of the European institutions	First steps towards/ Symbol of a political unification of Europe	Strengthens the European Union over the United States	Strengthens the economic and employment situation/ the economic cooperation in Europe	I've always been in favour of the European construction	Strengthens the cooperation to fight against violence, crime and terrorism	Strengthens democracy in Europe/ consults citizens	For peace in Europe	Essential in order to manage the integration of the new member states of the European Union	Support the president of the Republic/ Government/ certain political parties	Pour les générations futures / For the future generations
NL	24%	13%	13%	12%	10%	10%	10%	7%	7%	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%
Sex														
Male	25%	13%	15%	12%	11%	13%	14%	10%	8%	8%	5%	5%	4%	5%
Female	24%	13%	10%	12%	10%	7%	7%	5%	7%	5%	6%	4%	7%	5%
Age														
18-24	16%	22%	27%	22%	21%	6%	7%	3%	11%	0%	10%	0%	7%	8%
25-39	26%	12%	9%	15%	9%	13%	13%	8%	10%	4%	7%	8%	2%	3%
40-54	20%	12%	17%	15%	11%	12%	13%	6%	9%	7%	5%	5%	3%	3%
55 & +	26%	13%	10%	8%	10%	8%	7%	9%	5%	8%	4%	3%	9%	7%
Education														
15 & -	23%	11%	19%	3%	3%	7%	7%	8%	2%	9%	3%	2%	5%	3%
16-20	22%	11%	9%	9%	9%	8%	12%	7%	9%	4%	5%	4%	8%	6%
21 & +	27%	15%	15%	17%	14%	13%	9%	8%	7%	9%	7%	6%	3%	4%
Occupation														
Self-employees	28%	9%	9%	11%	17%	11%	20%	10%	7%	7%	6%	6%	3%	2%
Employees	22%	14%	15%	16%	11%	13%	13%	6%	10%	5%	5%	6%	2%	3%
Manual workers	24%	17%	19%	4%	2%	9%	4%	7%	10%	0%	1%	3%	5%	5%
Without professional activity	25%	12%	10%	9%	9%	7%	6%	8%	5%	8%	6%	2%	9%	7%
Locality type														
Metropolitan	21%	16%	12%	11%	13%	12%	10%	5%	9%	5%	8%	2%	3%	2%
Other towns	25%	12%	13%	13%	10%	9%	10%	8%	7%	7%	4%	6%	8%	5%
Rural zones	28%	12%	13%	10%	9%	11%	12%	10%	7%	7%	5%	3%	4%	8%
Moment of choice														
Announcement	31%	14%	13%	10%	15%	9%	10%	7%	7%	9%	10%	4%	7%	4%
Early	32%	14%	14%	18%	13%	10%	12%	13%	7%	6%	5%	4%	3%	2%
Final weeks	20%	13%	13%	14%	7%	11%	11%	7%	7%	7%	4%	8%	8%	6%
Week before	17%	14%	10%	10%	10%	9%	9%	6%	8%	4%	5%	4%	4%	7%
The day	18%	7%	12%	5%	4%	12%	8%	3%	8%	5%	4%	3%	6%	5%
Resultat / Result														
Satisfied	21%	16%	10%	10%	10%	11%	15%	3%	11%	6%	6%	3%	5%	6%
Not satisfied	25%	13%	14%	13%	12%	10%	9%	10%	6%	7%	5%	5%	5%	4%
Necessary information														
Tend to agree	27%	15%	11%	13%	10%	9%	10%	10%	7%	8%	6%	5%	4%	4%
Tend to disagree	22%	11%	14%	11%	11%	11%	11%	5%	8%	5%	6%	4%	6%	6%
Party proximity														
CDA	28%	14%	13%	9%	7%	9%	10%	7%	7%	7%	6%	4%	6%	6%
PvdA	24%	12%	13%	12%	13%	8%	8%	8%	9%	7%	6%	7%	5%	5%
VVD	20%	10%	17%	15%	12%	13%	17%	10%	9%	7%	6%	3%	5%	3%
SP	30%	6%	0%	14%	11%	23%	13%	4%	15%	0%	9%	7%	0%	5%
Groen Links	19%	19%	6%	19%	20%	17%	4%	6%	6%	4%	1%	10%	3%	2%
D66	34%	18%	10%	15%	13%	11%	5%	11%	2%	4%	7%	2%	0%	3%
Autres / Others	24%	0%	0%	10%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	14%	45%	22%

2.3. The motivations of the « No » vote

Source questionnaire : Q5

- Lack of information the main explanation for the « No » vote -



The reasons for the « No » vote are very diverse. Nevertheless, it appears that it is the **lack of information** which could be considered as the main reason for voting against the Constitution, with 32% of all "No" voters indicating this reason.

The second most mentioned reason is the **loss of national sovereignty** (cited by 19% of the "No" voters), followed by opposition to the **national government or certain political parties** (14%) and by the references to the "cost" Europe has for Dutch tax-payers (13% indicated that they were motivated by the fact that **Europe is too expensive**).

The motivations of the « No » vote by socio-demographic variables

Q5.	Lack of information	Loss of national sovereignty	Opposes the national government / certain political parties	Europe is too expensive	I am against Europe / European construction / European integration	It will have negative effects on the employment situation in the Netherlands / relocation of Dutch enterprises/ loss of jobs	I do not see what is positive in this text	The draft goes too far/ advances too quickly	Too technocratic / juridical / too much regulation	Opposition to further enlargement	Not democratic enough	Too complex	Economically speaking, the draft is too liberal	The economic situation in the Netherlands is too weak/there is too much unemployment in the Netherlands	I do not want a European political union/ a European federal State/ the « United States » of Europe	Europe is evolving too fast	The "Yes" campaign was not convincing enough	This constitution is imposed on us
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Education																		
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21 & +	35%	22%	13%	10%	8%	5%	5%	6%	7%	7%	5%	6%	6%	4%	7%	8%	6%	4%
Occupation																		
Self-employees	27%	19%	12%	12%	7%	12%	7%	4%	6%	9%	6%	6%	6%	12%	1%	6%	6%	2%
Employees	38%	18%	13%	13%	8%	4%	5%	6%	8%	6%	4%	7%	4%	5%	6%	6%	6%	4%
Manual workers	26%	20%	15%	10%	7%	10%	8%	7%	1%	6%	5%	3%	5%	7%	3%	1%	3%	5%
Without professional activit	29%	19%	15%	14%	8%	7%	5%	6%	4%	5%	6%	4%	4%	3%	6%	5%	4%	5%
Locality type																		
Metropolitan	36%	19%	10%	13%	8%	6%	4%	5%	7%	5%	5%	4%	6%	4%	5%	4%	6%	4%
Other towns	29%	19%	15%	12%	9%	7%	5%	6%	5%	7%	6%	6%	4%	6%	5%	6%	4%	4%
Rural zones	33%	18%	16%	12%	6%	7%	8%	8%	4%	5%	4%	5%	4%	6%	4%	3%	5%	6%
Moment of choice																		
Announcement	24%	23%	16%	20%	7%	7%	5%	8%	6%	6%	8%	5%	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%
Early	31%	25%	16%	10%	7%	12%	6%	4%	4%	8%	6%	5%	3%	6%	4%	6%	3%	5%
Final weeks	35%	17%	12%	9%	10%	5%	5%	7%	7%	8%	7%	4%	8%	3%	6%	4%	5%	5%
Week before	37%	14%	12%	11%	5%	7%	7%	4%	7%	3%	0%	6%	3%	6%	6%	3%	7%	4%
The day	37%	8%	12%	7%	15%	3%	5%	7%	3%	5%	3%	6%	0%	4%	2%	3%	6%	2%
Result																		
Satisfied	31%	19%	14%	13%	8%	7%	6%	6%	5%	6%	6%	5%	5%	6%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Not satisfied	38%	19%	11%	13%	22%	6%	6%	0%	21%	0%	2%	7%	0%	3%	0%	3%	9%	3%
Necessary information																		
Tend to agree	21%	21%	14%	16%	8%	7%	5%	6%	7%	8%	6%	3%	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Tend to disagree	42%	18%	13%	10%	8%	7%	6%	6%	4%	5%	5%	7%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%
Party proximity																		
CDA	30%	22%	9%	12%	6%	8%	5%	5%	7%	8%	4%	5%	7%	6%	4%	6%	4%	3%
PvdA	36%	17%	17%	12%	6%	8%	4%	7%	2%	5%	6%	4%	3%	5%	5%	4%	5%	4%
VVD	40%	13%	9%	12%	9%	7%	6%	6%	11%	10%	7%	6%	6%	9%	3%	7%	3%	5%
SP	37%	13%	15%	13%	13%	5%	9%	7%	6%	2%	6%	6%	3%	2%	6%	3%	9%	6%
Groen Links	38%	22%	18%	8%	4%	0%	11%	10%	5%	3%	2%	9%	15%	0%	4%	9%	15%	7%
D66	35%	21%	11%	6%	4%	9%	3%	4%	2%	0%	3%	8%	0%	7%	2%	11%	0%	5%
Others	23%	26%	17%	15%	10%	9%	5%	6%	8%	5%	5%	5%	5%	4%	9%	1%	2%	2%

Socio-demographic analysis:

The main reason for voting « No » namely the **lack of information**, raises some discrepancies among the different socio-demographic categories:

People aged 18 to 24 (27%) seem to have been less motivated by this factor than all the other age groups.

Persons with a high level of education also mention this reason more than the average.

Among the occupation categories, employees have by far the highest rate indicating that they voted "No" due to a lack of information on the Constitution equivalent to 38%. This rate is 6 points above the Dutch average.

If we look at when people made up their mind, we can see that those who decided in the final days before the referendum (37%) tend to mention this reason more than those who had made up their minds earlier on.

More respondents who are dissatisfied with the outcome of the result chose to vote "No" due to a lack of information than those who are satisfied with the result of the vote.

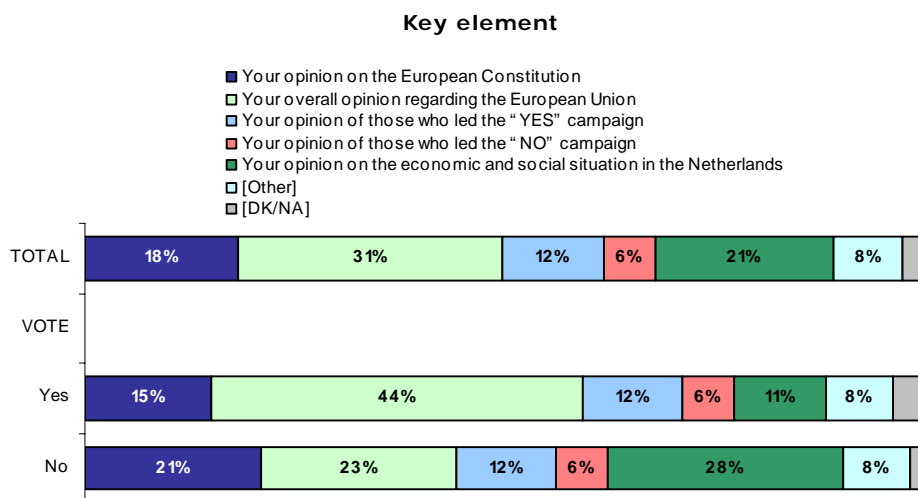
Party proximity shows that those who are closer to the VVD party (40%) indicate this reason more than other respondents.

2.4. The key elements leading to the vote

Source questionnaire : Q7

- The European aspect was the key element -

All in all, regardless of whether voters said yes or no to the Constitution, **the overall opinion the Dutch share on the European Union was the key factor for their choice of vote (31%)**. The economic situation in the Netherlands (21%) and **the opinion on the European Constitution (18%)** follow in the ranking of reasons.



The graph shows that a relative majority of the "Yes" voters put forward the European aspect (44%), while those who voted "No" were divided on the key elements leading to their vote. Indeed, while 28% indicate that the key factor was their opinion on the economic and social situation in the Netherlands, 23% indicate that it was their overall opinion on the European Union and a further 21% that it was their opinion on the European Constitution.

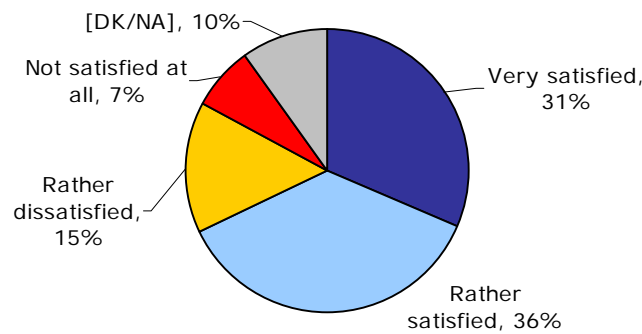
3. After June 1st – What next ?

3.1. Satisfaction regarding the final result

Source questionnaire : Q8

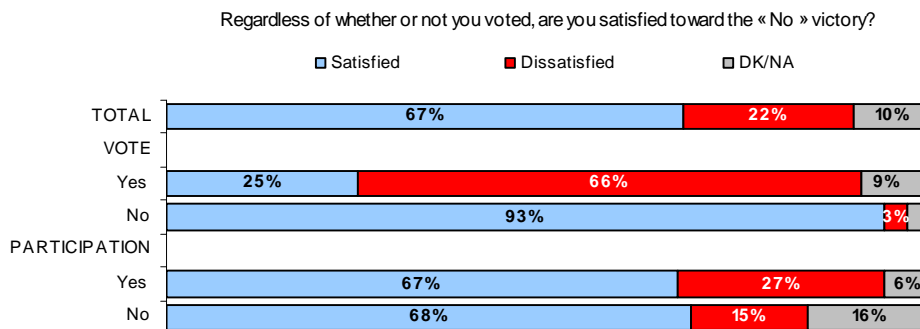
Regardless of whether or not they voted, respondents were asked to indicate whether they were satisfied with the outcome of the referendum. The results of the survey show that **voters and non-voters seem to be satisfied with the victory of the "No"**. 67% indicate that they are satisfied with this result against only 22% who are dissatisfied.

Regardless of whether or not you voted, are you satisfied toward the « No » victory?



The « Yes/No » division is significant in this case and influences the distribution of answers in the different socio-demographic categories. 25% of those in favour of the Constitution indicate that they are satisfied with the outcome of the referendum and the victory of the "No".

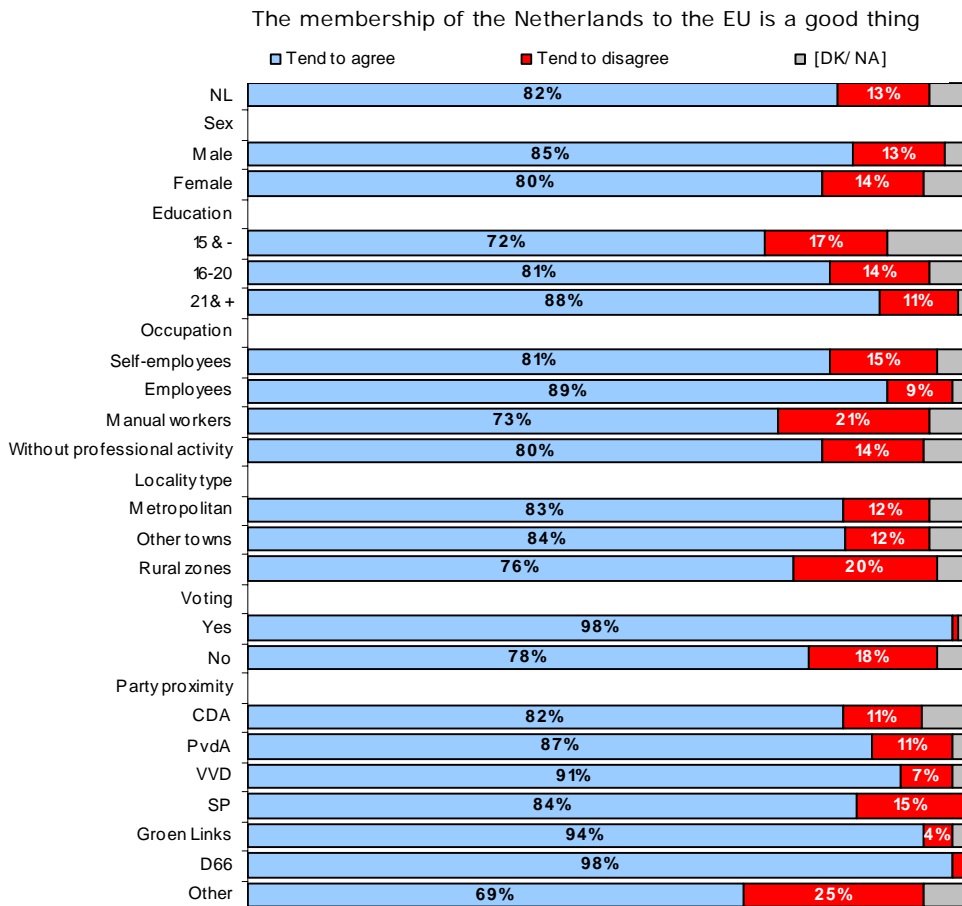
68% of those who abstained are satisfied with this result, which theoretically leads us to conclude that they place themselves in the "No" camp.



3.2. The stakes of the referendum for the European Union

Source questionnaire : Q10 d, j, a

- A vast majority of Dutch citizens support the membership of the Netherlands to the EU -



Although the « No » vote clearly won in the referendum, the Dutch do not question their country's membership of the European Union. On the contrary, in the opinion of 82% of Dutch citizens, the Netherlands membership of the European Union is a good thing. This opinion is not only present among citizens who voted « Yes » but also among a clear majority (78%) of those who voted "No" to the Constitution.

Slightly more men (85%) than women (80%) agree with this statement.

The education level of respondents shows that people with a low level of education (72%) are significantly less likely to agree with this statement than those with the highest level of education (88%).

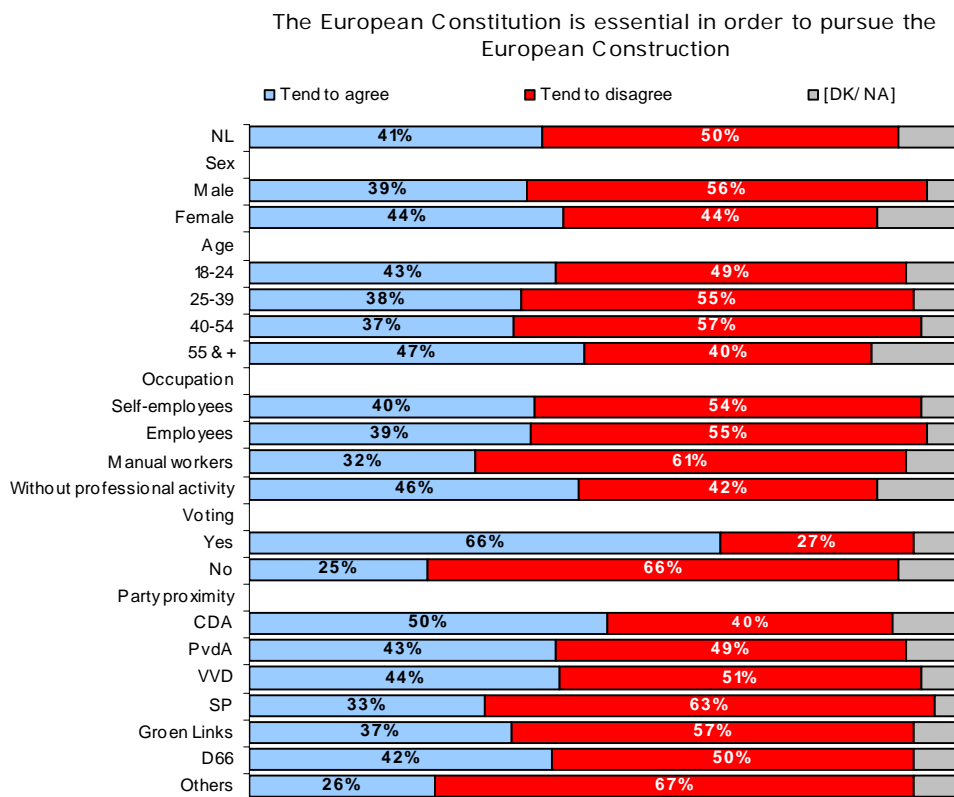
Compared to other occupation categories, far less manual workers (73%) tend to agree that the Dutch membership of the EU is a good thing. 89% of the employees agree with this opinion.

The locality type reveals that people living in rural zones (76%) are somewhat less enthusiastic about the Dutch membership of the EU than people living in small or large towns.

Finally, people who consider themselves close to the Green Party as well as the D66 Party have the highest rates agreeing that EU membership is a good thing.

-A majority do not consider the Constitution to be essential -

Every second Dutch citizen (50%) does not think that the European Constitution is essential in order to pursue European construction.



Women (44%) are somewhat more likely than men (39%) to agree that the European Constitution is essential in order to pursue European construction.

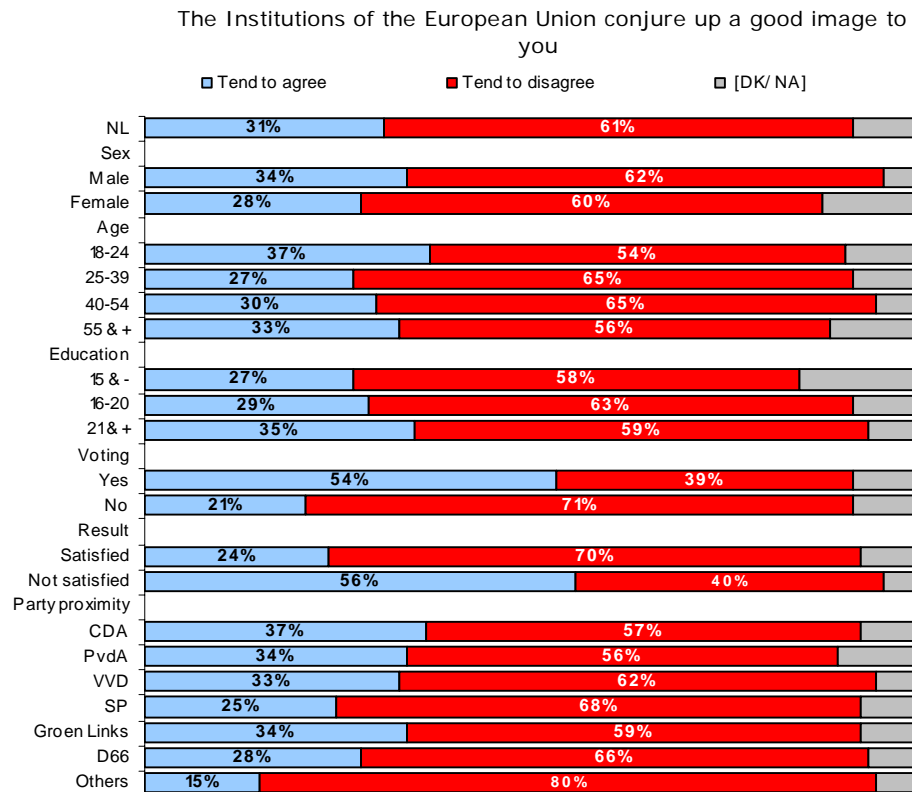
The population aged 55 years and above (47%) also tends to agree more with this statement than those who are younger, especially those aged 25 to 54.

Significantly fewer manual workers (32%) compared to the Dutch average (-9 points) think that the Constitution is essential.

Finally, people close to the CDA party have the highest rate agreeing that the European Constitution is essential. This is the only category of party proximity where a majority of respondents agree with this statement.

- Most Dutch do not have a good image of the European Institutions-

Following the referendum, **opinions on the European Institutions are fairly negative**: for 61% of the Dutch people the European Institutions do not conjure up a good image.



The analysis by socio-demographic results shows that men have a somewhat better image of the European Institutions than women, at respectively 34% against 28%.

The age categories reveal that the youngest citizens (37%) are the most likely to have a good image of these institutions.

Those with a high level of education also tend to view the European Institutions in a more positive manner than those with a lower level of education.

People close to the CDA party are the most likely to have a good image of the institutions.

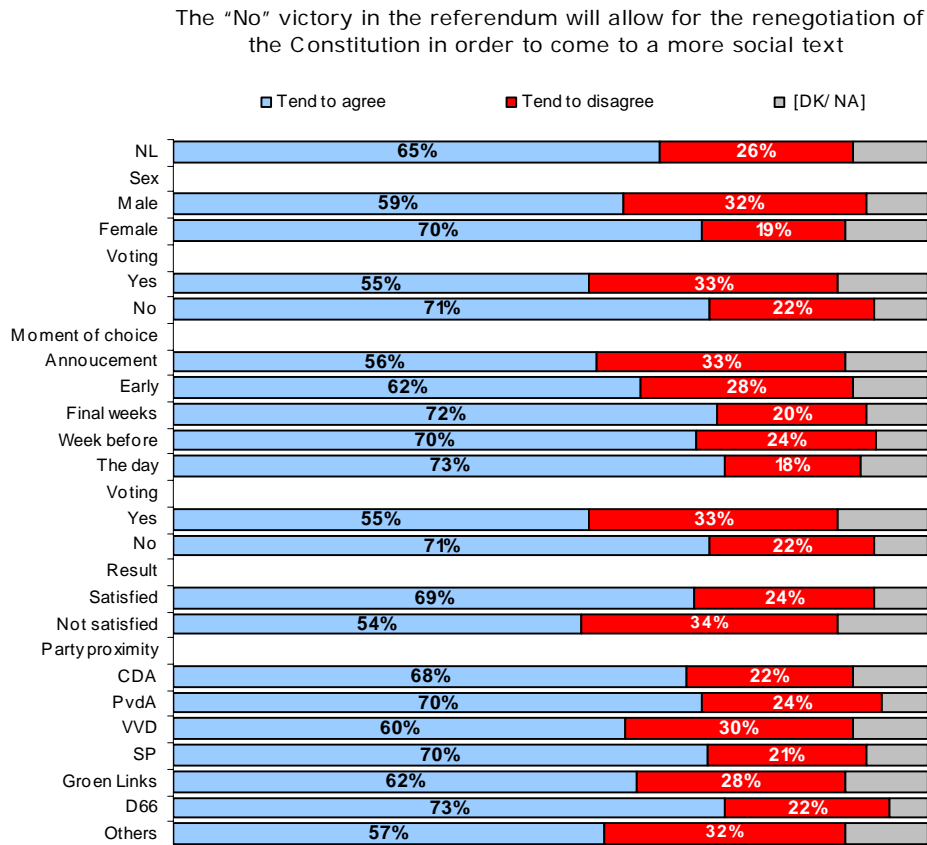
3.3. The consequences of the vote

3.3.1. Renegotiation of the Constitution

Source questionnaire : Q10 b,c

- « No » voters believe in a renegotiation towards a more social Constitution -

A clear majority of Dutch respondents (65%) agrees that the rejection of the Constitution would allow for a renegotiation of the Constitution in order to place greater emphasis on the more social aspects.



71% of the "No" voters share this view, while it is the case for only 55% of the "Yes" voters.

Significantly more women (70%) agree with this statement than men (59%).

- Most Dutch citizens believe a new renegotiated Constitution could better defend the interests of the Netherlands -

Two thirds of Dutch citizens (66%) also agree that the "No" victory will allow for a renegotiation of the Constitution in order to better defend the interests of the Netherlands.

Among the "No" voters (73%) a clear majority believe that the Constitution can be renegotiated in favour of Dutch interests. Only 53% of the "Yes" voters share that view.

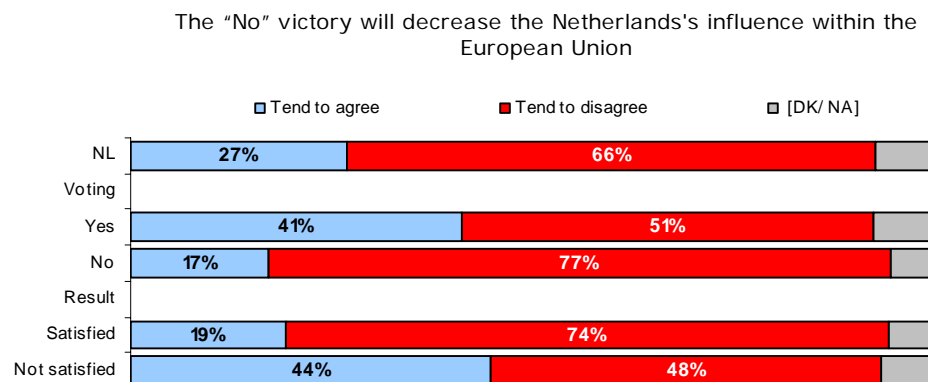
3.3.2. The influence of the Dutch « No »

Source questionnaire: Q10 e,i

- 4 out of 10 « Yes » voters fear that the Netherlands will lose its influence within the EU -

Respondents were asked whether or not they agree that the rejection of the Constitution puts the Netherlands in a weaker position within the European Union. Two thirds of Dutch citizens do not agree with this opinion.

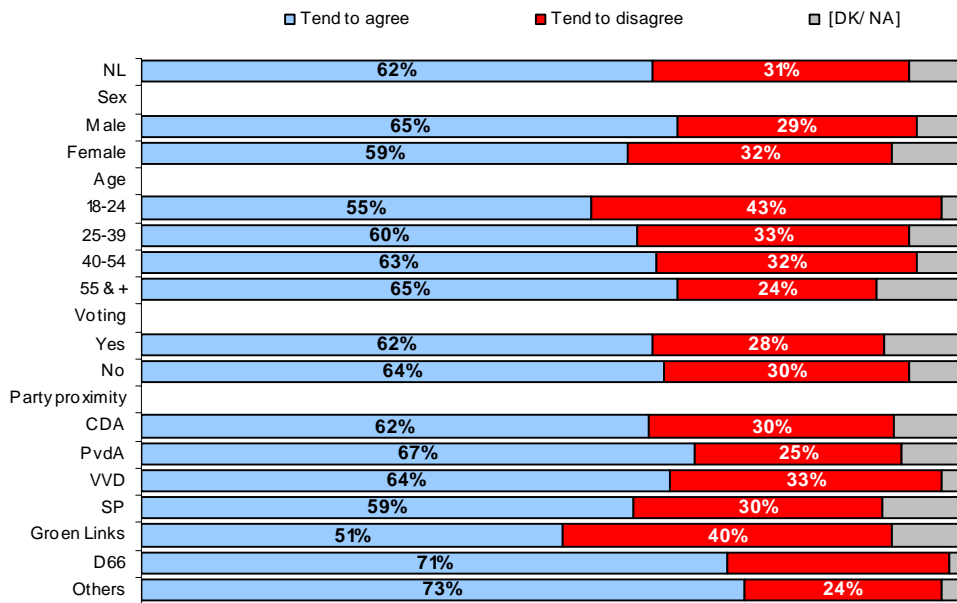
However, this disagreement rate is far higher among the "No" voters (77%) than among the "Yes" voters (51%).



- The Dutch believe their choice will influence the other Member States -

62% of Dutch citizens believe that the victory of the « No » in the referendum will lead the other EU Member States holding a similar referendum to vote « No ».

The "No" victory in the referendum in the Netherlands and in France will lead the rest of the countries that will hold a similar Referendum to vote « No »



Looking at the socio-demographic results, men (65%) agree more with this scenario than women (59%)

The older the population the more the respondents tend to agree that the French and Dutch "No" victories will influence the referenda in the rest of the countries where such a vote will take place.

Respondents who are close to the Green Party have the lowest proportion (51%) to believe that the rejection in France and the Netherlands of the Constitution will influence the other countries in their vote.

3.4. The future of the Constitution

Source questionnaire : Q11

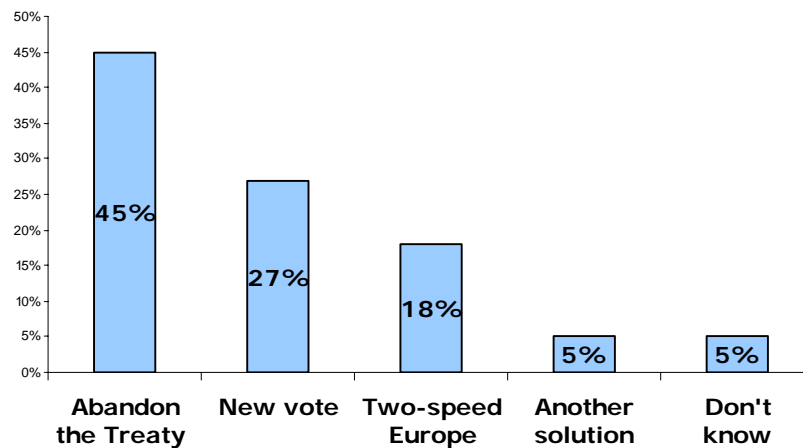
- Abandon the Constitution or a second chance? -

Declaration 30 of the Constitution foresees that "if, two years after the signature of the Treaty establishing a Constitution for Europe, four fifths of the Member States have ratified it and one or more Member States have encountered difficulties in proceeding with ratification, the matter will be referred to the European Council".

In such a scenario, close to one in two Dutch citizens (45%) would like to see the Constitution abandoned. This rate is clearly higher than that observed in France (36%).

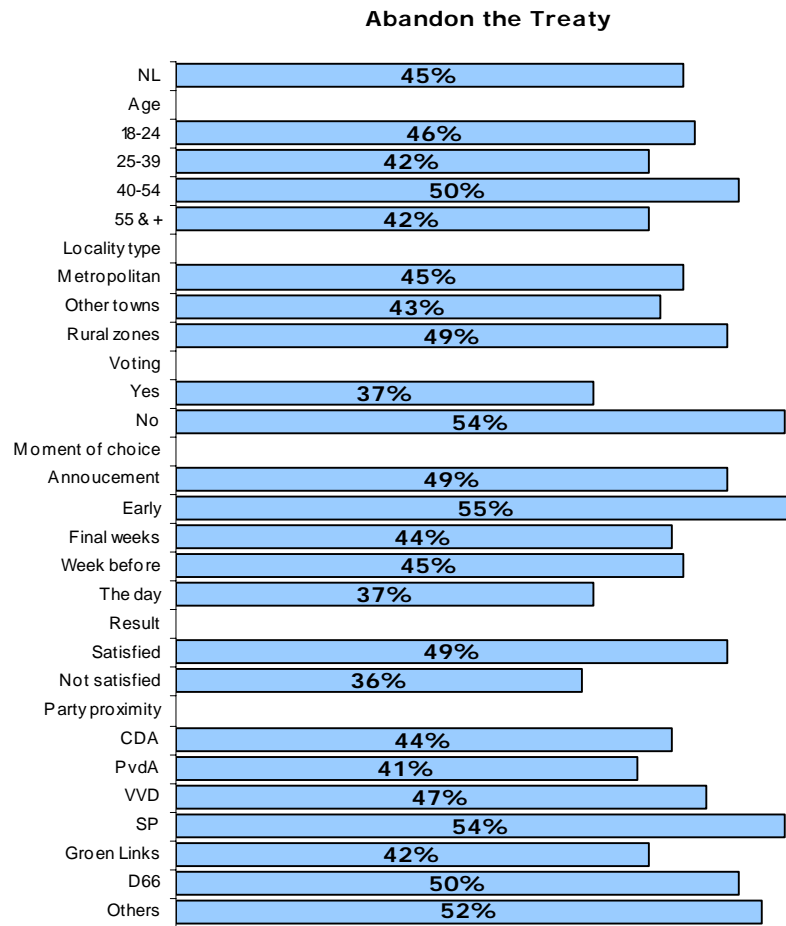
A further 27% indicate that a new vote should be organised in the countries where the Constitutional Treaty has not been ratified (against 35% in France).

If between now and Nov. 2006, at least 20 of the 25 MS ratify the Constitutional Treaty, the European Council should decide on the procedure regarding the application of the Treaty within the EU. Which of the following propositions would you prefer?



If we look more closely at the type of respondents who believe that the Constitution should be abandoned even if at least 20 Member States have ratified it, we can note that those aged 40 to 54 years have a greater tendency to be of this opinion compared to the other age categories (50%).

A majority (54%) of those who voted "No" believe the Constitution should be abandoned. Furthermore, a significant number of people who voted in favour of the Constitution (36%) also agree that since it was rejected by the Dutch people, it should now be abandoned.



CONCLUSION

The turnout of 62,8% was indicative of the relevance of the European Constitution for the Dutch population, surpassing the turnout rate recorded in the last European Elections (39,3%).

Although citizens complain about the lack of information on the Constitution and the fact that debates started too late, the reasons for the overwhelming rejection of the Constitution (at 61.6%) are more complicated than a simple lack of information. Indeed in **the Netherlands**, the referendum has not only been used as a channel for criticising the Government (14%) but it has also shown that **"no" voters are worried about a loss of sovereignty within a political union (19%) and also complain about the cost of Europe for tax-payers (13%)**.

On the other hand, the main motivation of the "Yes" vote was to further the process of European construction, as was the case for Spain and France. Indeed, 24% of all respondents who voted "Yes" in the referendum cite this reason. The fact that 'it strengthens the feeling of a European identity' and that 'it strengthens the role of the Netherlands within the Union and in the World' are motivations which come in second place with an equal result of 13% of respondents mentioning these.

One out of four of those who were in favour of the Constitution indicate that they are satisfied with the outcome of the referendum i.e. the "No" victory. Furthermore, more than two thirds of those who abstained are satisfied with this result.

Regardless of whether or not citizens voted and whether or not they expressed their support or rejection of the Constitution, **their country's membership of the European Union is far from being questioned**: 82% consider EU membership as being a good thing.

However, while **the Spanish and French widely support the notion of a Constitution** for Europe being essential for European construction, the **Dutch are far less convinced and most of them disagree**.

For a majority of respondents, EU Institutions do not conjure up a good image. EU institutions have an image problem even among groups which have historically supported European construction, that is to say, the Government coalition (CDA, VVD and D66) and the Social-Democrats (PvdA).

As far as the consequences of the "No" victory are concerned, **a clear majority of Dutch respondents (65%) agree that the rejection of the Constitution will allow for its renegotiation in order to place greater emphasis on the social aspects**. Moreover, two in three (66%) **also believe that the "No" victory will allow for the renegotiation of the Constitution in order to better defend Dutch interests**. A majority of those who supported the Constitution at the polling stations share this opinion and believe in a renegotiation in both directions.

Conduction of this survey details

This telephone survey FLASH EUROBAROMETRE 172 "The European Constitution: Post-referendum in the Netherlands" was conducted for the European Commission, Directorate-General "Press and Communication".

Il s'agit d'un FLASH EUROBAROMETRE STG (*Group cible spécifique*), organisé et géré par la Direction Générale PRESS, Unité B/1.

The interviews were conducted between the 02/06/2005 and the 04/06/2005 by the EOS GALLUP EUROPE Institute in the Netherlands : TNS-NIPO

Representativity of the results

The national sample is representative of the population of 18 y.o. and above registered to vote.

Sample size

The sample size amounts to 2000 respondents

A weighting factor has been applied on the national result in order to represent the national population of the Netherlands, the result in the Referendum and the vote results in the last European Elections

In the report we have presented side by side the number of interviews:

- 1) Actually conducted in this country
- 2) Derived from the weighting in proportion of the population of the Netherlands, the result in the Referendum

Interviews			
Conducted (1)		Weighted (2)	
2000	100%	2000	100%

Questionnaires

- 1) The questionnaire prepared for this survey is reproduced at the end of this results volume in French, English and Dutch (see hereafter)
- 2) The translation has been revised by EOS Gallup Europe.

Tables of results

* VOLUME C :

The VOLUME C presents the results with the following personal characteristics of respondents as breakdowns:

- Sex (Men, Women)
- Age (15-24, 25-39, 40-54, 55 +)
- Education (15&-, 16-20, 21&+)
- Occupation
- Locality type
- Participation
- Vote
- Moment of choice
- Result
- Necessary information
- Party proximity
- Vote in the European Elections

Statistical significance of the results

The results in a survey are valid only between the limits of a **statistical margin** caused by the sampling process. This margin varies with three factors :

1. The sample size (or the size of the analysed part in the sample) : the greater the number of respondents is, the smaller the statistical margin will be;
2. The result in itself : the closer the result approaches 50%, the wider the statistical margin will be ;
3. The desired degree of confidence: the more "strict" we are, the wider the statistical margin will be.

As an example, examine this illustrative case :

1. One question has been answered by 500 people ;
2. The analysed result is around 50%;
3. We choose a significance level of 95 % (it is the level most often used by the statisticians, and it is the one chosen for the Table hereafter);

In this illustrative case the statistical margin is : (+/- 4.4%) around the observed 50%. And as a conclusion : the result for the whole population lies between 45.6% and 54.4 %.

Hereafter, the statistical margins computed for various observed results are shown, on various sample sizes, at the 95% significance level.

STATISTICAL MARGINS DUE TO THE SAMPLING PROCESS (AT THE 95 % LEVEL OF CONFIDENCE)
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Various sample sizes are in rows ;
Various observed results are in columns :

	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%	30%	35%	40%	45%	50%	
	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%	60%	55%	50%	
N=50	6.0	8.3	9.9	11.1	12.0	12.7	13.2	13.6	13.8	13.9	N=50
N=500	1.9	2.6	3.1	3.5	3.8	4.0	4.2	4.3	4.4	4.4	N=500
N=1000	1.4	1.9	2.2	2.5	2.7	2.8	3.0	3.0	3.1	3.1	N=1000
N=1500	1.1	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5	2.5	2.5	N=1500
N=2000	1.0	1.3	1.6	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.2	N=2000
N=3000	0.8	1.1	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	N=3000
N=4000	0.7	0.9	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.4	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5	N=4000
N=5000	0.6	0.8	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	N=5000
N=6000	0.6	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.2	1.2	1.2	1.3	1.3	N=6000
N=7000	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.2	1.2	N=7000
N=7500	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	N=7500
N=8000	0.5	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	N=8000
N=9000	0.5	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	N=9000
N=10000	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.9	0.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	N=10000
N=11000	0.4	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	N=11000
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N=15000	0.3	0.5	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.7	0.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	N=15000
	5%	10%	15%	20%	25%	30%	35%	40%	45%	50%	
	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%	70%	65%	60%	55%	50%	

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Q1. Mercredi dernier a été organisé un référendum pour l'adoption du Traité qui établit une Constitution pour l'Europe. Avez- vous voté lors de ce référendum?

Q1. Last Wednesday a Referendum was held on the approval of the treaty that establishes a Constitution for Europe. Did you vote in that Referendum?

Q1.Last	Total	Oui, vous avez voté / Yes, you voted	Non, vous n'avez pas voté / No, you did not vote
Nederland			
NL	2000	64%	36%
Sexe / Sex			
Homme / Male	980	62%	38%
Femme / Female	1020	65%	35%
Age			
18-24	131	46%	54%
25-39	492	52%	48%
40-54	706	70%	30%
55 & +	671	75%	25%
Education			
15 & -	196	68%	32%
16-20	1029	61%	39%
21 & +	760	66%	34%
Profession / occupation			
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	57%	43%
Employés / Employees	759	69%	31%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	54%	46%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	64%	36%
Habitat / Locality type			
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	62%	38%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	63%	37%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	69%	31%
Participation			
Oui / Yes	1670	100%	0%
Non / No	330	0%	100%
Vote / Voting			
Oui / Yes	677	100%	0%
Non / No	963	100%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice			
Annonce / Announcement	438	100%	0%
Début / Early	363	100%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	100%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	100%	0%
Le jour / The day	184	100%	0%
Resultat / Result			
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	63%	37%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	75%	25%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information			
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	72%	28%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	59%	41%

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Proximité partisane / Party proximity			
CDA	392	71%	29%
PvdA	472	67%	33%
VVD	348	72%	28%
SP	139	80%	20%
Groen Links	116	77%	23%
D66	96	76%	24%
Autres / Others	126	65%	35%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^{er} juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because...?

a) Vous n'êtes pas intéressé par la politique, par les élections en général
a) You are not interested in politics, by elections in general

a)	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	24%	76%	1%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	25%	74%	1%
Femme / Female	165	22%	77%	1%
Age				
18-24	39	24%	76%	0%
25-39	119	20%	79%	2%
40-54	95	29%	70%	1%
55 & +	77	24%	76%	0%
Education				
15 & -	31	27%	73%	0%
16-20	185	26%	74%	1%
21 & +	111	18%	80%	1%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	23%	77%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	23%	75%	2%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	26%	74%	0%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	23%	76%	1%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	21%	79%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	26%	73%	2%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	23%	77%	0%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	24%	76%	1%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annnonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	25%	74%	1%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	14%	86%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	29%	70%	1%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	22%	77%	1%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	12%	86%	2%
PvdA	64	13%	87%	0%
VVD	43	15%	83%	2%
SP	10	0%	93%	7%
Groen Links	12	35%	65%	0%
D66	9	12%	88%	0%
Autres / Others	22	34%	66%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^{er} juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 b) Vous n'êtes pas intéressé par la Constitution européenne
 b) You are not interested in the European Constitution

b)You	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	23%	74%	2%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	23%	74%	2%
Femme / Female	165	23%	74%	2%
Age				
18-24	39	21%	79%	0%
25-39	119	18%	79%	3%
40-54	95	27%	71%	3%
55 & +	77	31%	67%	3%
Education				
15 & -	31	48%	48%	4%
16-20	185	28%	70%	2%
21 & +	111	9%	88%	3%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	21%	79%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	18%	77%	5%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	26%	70%	4%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	27%	72%	1%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	25%	75%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	21%	74%	4%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	25%	73%	1%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	23%	74%	2%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annnonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	25%	73%	2%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	13%	84%	3%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	25%	72%	3%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	23%	76%	2%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	26%	72%	2%
PvdA	64	12%	88%	0%
VVD	43	16%	82%	2%
SP	10	23%	77%	0%
Groen Links	12	34%	66%	0%
D66	9	12%	88%	0%
Autres / Others	22	34%	66%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^{er} juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?

c) Vous pensiez que voter à ce Référendum ne changerait rien
c) You believed that voting at the referendum would not change anything

c)You	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	26%	71%	3%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	26%	71%	4%
Femme / Female	165	26%	71%	3%
Age				
18-24	39	15%	81%	4%
25-39	119	22%	75%	3%
40-54	95	30%	67%	3%
55 & +	77	35%	61%	4%
Education				
15 & -	31	39%	57%	4%
16-20	185	28%	70%	2%
21 & +	111	18%	77%	5%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	18%	78%	4%
Employés / Employees	97	27%	70%	3%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	28%	69%	4%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	27%	71%	3%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	27%	71%	2%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	26%	70%	4%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	23%	75%	3%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	26%	71%	3%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	30%	68%	2%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	14%	84%	1%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	29%	71%	0%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	26%	70%	4%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	30%	66%	4%
PvdA	64	21%	77%	2%
VVD	43	19%	79%	2%
SP	10	16%	84%	0%
Groen Links	12	13%	77%	10%
D66	9	20%	80%	0%
Autres / Others	22	26%	74%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^e juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 d) Vous n'êtes pas intéressé par les affaires européennes
 d) You are not interested in European affairs

d)	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	21%	78%	2%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	20%	78%	2%
Femme / Female	165	22%	78%	1%
Age				
18-24	39	13%	87%	0%
25-39	119	23%	75%	2%
40-54	95	20%	80%	0%
55 & +	77	23%	74%	3%
Education				
15 & -	31	25%	68%	8%
16-20	185	23%	77%	0%
21 & +	111	15%	83%	2%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	13%	87%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	20%	76%	4%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	25%	73%	2%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	23%	77%	0%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	21%	78%	1%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	22%	76%	2%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	18%	82%	0%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	21%	78%	2%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	23%	75%	2%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	9%	91%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	24%	75%	1%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	19%	80%	1%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	22%	74%	4%
PvdA	64	18%	82%	0%
VVD	43	13%	87%	0%
SP	10	16%	84%	0%
Groen Links	12	21%	79%	0%
D66	9	0%	100%	0%
Autres / Others	22	33%	67%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^{er} juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 e) Vous êtes contre l'Europe, l'Union européenne, la construction européenne
 e) You are against Europe, the European Union, the European construction

e)You	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	16%	81%	4%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	19%	79%	2%
Femme / Female	165	12%	82%	6%
Age				
18-24	39	6%	92%	2%
25-39	119	16%	80%	4%
40-54	95	20%	78%	2%
55 & +	77	18%	75%	7%
Education				
15 & -	31	18%	69%	13%
16-20	185	18%	80%	2%
21 & +	111	12%	84%	4%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	19%	79%	2%
Employés / Employees	97	14%	81%	5%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	20%	80%	0%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	13%	82%	5%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	15%	80%	4%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	14%	82%	4%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	22%	76%	2%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	16%	81%	4%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	18%	77%	5%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	12%	87%	2%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	19%	80%	2%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	15%	80%	5%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	14%	84%	2%
PvdA	64	7%	89%	3%
VVD	43	16%	79%	5%
SP	10	9%	91%	0%
Groen Links	12	26%	74%	0%
D66	9	14%	74%	12%
Autres / Others	22	29%	71%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^e juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 f) Vous pensiez que vous n'étiez pas assez informé sur la Constitution pour aller voter
 f) You believed that you were not sufficiently informed on the Constitution to go vote

f)You	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	51%	48%	1%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	49%	50%	1%
Femme / Female	165	54%	45%	1%
Age				
18-24	39	50%	48%	2%
25-39	119	53%	46%	2%
40-54	95	56%	43%	1%
55 & +	77	45%	55%	0%
Education				
15 & -	31	53%	47%	0%
16-20	185	57%	42%	1%
21 & +	111	43%	56%	2%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	52%	46%	2%
Employés / Employees	97	49%	49%	2%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	62%	37%	2%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	49%	51%	0%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	50%	50%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	52%	47%	1%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	52%	44%	4%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	51%	48%	1%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	52%	47%	1%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	47%	53%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	27%	71%	2%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	64%	35%	1%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	43%	53%	4%
PvdA	64	55%	45%	0%
VVD	43	55%	45%	0%
SP	10	38%	62%	0%
Groen Links	12	47%	53%	0%
D66	9	35%	65%	0%
Autres / Others	22	59%	41%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^{er} juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?

g) Vous souhaitiez sanctionner le Gouvernement
g) You wished to penalize the Government

g)You	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	14%	86%	0%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	18%	82%	1%
Femme / Female	165	10%	90%	0%
Age				
18-24	39	5%	95%	0%
25-39	119	15%	84%	1%
40-54	95	20%	80%	0%
55 & +	77	11%	89%	0%
Education				
15 & -	31	4%	96%	0%
16-20	185	19%	81%	0%
21 & +	111	8%	90%	1%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	13%	87%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	12%	87%	1%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	23%	77%	0%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	10%	90%	0%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	14%	86%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	14%	85%	1%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	12%	88%	0%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	14%	86%	0%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	16%	83%	1%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	7%	93%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	13%	87%	0%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	14%	85%	1%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	11%	87%	2%
PvdA	64	12%	88%	0%
VVD	43	8%	92%	0%
SP	10	23%	77%	0%
Groen Links	12	16%	84%	0%
D66	9	0%	100%	0%
Autres / Others	22	37%	63%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1e juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 h) Vous avez eu un empêchement ce jour là
 h) Something prevented me from voting

h)	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	41%	59%	0%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	41%	59%	0%
Femme / Female	165	41%	59%	0%
Age				
18-24	39	55%	45%	0%
25-39	119	44%	56%	1%
40-54	95	34%	66%	0%
55 & +	77	33%	67%	0%
Education				
15 & -	31	42%	58%	0%
16-20	185	41%	59%	0%
21 & +	111	42%	58%	0%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	47%	53%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	41%	59%	0%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	45%	54%	1%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	38%	62%	0%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	37%	63%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	44%	55%	0%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	39%	61%	0%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	41%	59%	0%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	42%	58%	0%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	46%	54%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	45%	54%	1%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	40%	60%	0%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	55%	45%	0%
PvdA	64	55%	45%	0%
VVD	43	34%	66%	0%
SP	10	56%	44%	0%
Groen Links	12	14%	86%	0%
D66	9	31%	69%	0%
Autres / Others	22	39%	61%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^e juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 i) Vous pensez que la Constitution est trop compliqué
 i) You think that the Constitution is too complicated

i)	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	26%	67%	6%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	24%	69%	8%
Femme / Female	165	29%	66%	5%
Age				
18-24	39	10%	83%	7%
25-39	119	33%	59%	8%
40-54	95	28%	67%	4%
55 & +	77	25%	70%	5%
Education				
15 & -	31	35%	56%	8%
16-20	185	27%	67%	7%
21 & +	111	23%	71%	5%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	20%	74%	6%
Employés / Employees	97	35%	61%	4%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	32%	58%	10%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	21%	73%	7%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	24%	72%	5%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	29%	63%	8%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	22%	72%	5%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	26%	67%	6%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	27%	66%	7%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	22%	74%	4%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	15%	78%	7%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	32%	62%	7%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	21%	73%	6%
PvdA	64	38%	60%	2%
VVD	43	28%	66%	6%
SP	10	32%	61%	7%
Groen Links	12	45%	55%	0%
D66	9	38%	50%	12%
Autres / Others	22	21%	74%	5%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^e juin, est-ce parce que ... ?

Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?

j) Cela ne valait pas la peine de voter car il était évident que le « non » l'emporterait dans tous les cas

j) It was not worth to vote because it was clear that the « no » would win in any case

j)It	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	23%	76%	1%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	25%	73%	2%
Femme / Female	165	20%	79%	1%
Age				
18-24	39	17%	83%	0%
25-39	119	23%	73%	3%
40-54	95	24%	76%	0%
55 & +	77	24%	75%	1%
Education				
15 & -	31	25%	75%	0%
16-20	185	26%	72%	2%
21 & +	111	15%	84%	1%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	23%	77%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	16%	82%	2%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	39%	58%	3%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	21%	79%	1%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	25%	74%	1%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	21%	78%	2%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	24%	75%	1%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	23%	76%	1%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	26%	73%	1%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	17%	80%	3%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	24%	76%	0%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	23%	75%	2%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	20%	80%	0%
PvdA	64	20%	79%	1%
VVD	43	20%	80%	0%
SP	10	0%	100%	0%
Groen Links	12	10%	90%	0%
D66	9	0%	100%	0%
Autres / Others	22	40%	60%	0%

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Q2. Si vous n'êtes pas allé voter au référendum du 1^{er} juin, est-ce parce que ... ?
 Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 j) It was not worth voting because France voted "NO"

j)	Total	Oui / Yes	Non / No	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	330	4%	95%	0%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	165	4%	95%	0%
Femme / Female	165	5%	95%	0%
Age				
18-24	39	8%	92%	0%
25-39	119	5%	95%	1%
40-54	95	4%	96%	1%
55 & +	77	2%	98%	0%
Education				
15 & -	31	5%	95%	0%
16-20	185	6%	93%	1%
21 & +	111	2%	98%	0%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	48	2%	98%	0%
Employés / Employees	97	4%	96%	0%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	55	5%	93%	1%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	127	5%	95%	0%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	89	5%	95%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	182	4%	96%	0%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	59	4%	95%	1%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	330	4%	95%	0%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annnonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%
Début / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	0%	0%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	222	5%	95%	0%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	51	4%	96%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	102	1%	99%	0%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	212	6%	93%	1%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	50	4%	96%	0%
PvdA	64	4%	96%	0%
VVD	43	0%	100%	0%
SP	10	9%	91%	0%
Groen Links	12	0%	100%	0%
D66	9	0%	100%	0%
Autres / Others	22	6%	94%	0%

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Q3. Qu'avez-vous voté lors de ce référendum? Avez-vous voté "Oui" en faveur du Traité qui établit une Constitution pour l'Europe ou "Non", contre celui-ci?

Q3. How did you vote in that Referendum? Did you vote "Yes" in favour of the treaty that establishes a Constitution for Europe or "No" against it?

Q3.How	Total	Vous avez voté "OUI" / You voted "YES"	Vous avez voté "NON" / You voted "NO"	[Vous avez voté "Blanc" / [Voted "Blank"]]	[NSP/SR] / [DK/NA]
Nederland					
NL	1640	38%	62%	0%	0%
Sexe / Sex					
Homme / Male	801	39%	61%	0%	0%
Femme / Female	839	37%	63%	0%	0%
Age					
18-24	91	26%	74%	0%	0%
25-39	369	34%	66%	0%	0%
40-54	606	33%	67%	0%	0%
55 & +	574	48%	52%	0%	0%
Education					
15 & -	159	33%	67%	0%	0%
16-20	833	36%	64%	0%	0%
21 & +	637	43%	57%	0%	0%
Profession / occupation					
Indépendants / Self-employees	184	43%	57%	0%	0%
Employés / Employees	654	40%	60%	0%	0%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	192	22%	78%	0%	0%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	601	40%	60%	0%	0%
Habitat / Locality type					
Grands centres / Metropolitan	409	37%	63%	0%	0%
Autres villes / Other towns	884	39%	61%	0%	0%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	347	38%	62%	0%	0%
Participation					
Oui / Yes	1640	38%	62%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Vote / Voting					
Oui / Yes	677	100%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	963	0%	100%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice					
Annnonce / Announcement	437	35%	65%	0%	0%
Début / Early	355	36%	64%	0%	0%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	323	39%	61%	0%	0%
Semaine avant / Week before	340	40%	60%	0%	0%
Le jour / The day	177	45%	55%	0%	0%
Resultat / Result					
Satisfait / Satisfied	1066	14%	86%	0%	0%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	485	93%	7%	0%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information					
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	766	42%	58%	0%	0%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	854	35%	65%	0%	0%

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Proximité partisane / Party proximity

CDA	337	53%	47%	0%	0%
PvdA	405	37%	63%	0%	0%
VVD	302	49%	51%	0%	0%
SP	127	13%	87%	0%	0%
Groen Links	102	54%	46%	0%	0%
D66	85	51%	49%	0%	0%
Autres / Others	104	6%	94%	0%	0%

Q4. Quelles sont toutes les raisons pour lesquelles vous avez voté « Oui » au référendum sur la Constitution européenne?
 Q4. What are all the reasons why you voted "Yes" at the referendum on the European Constitution?

	Indispensable pour gérer l'intégration des nouveaux Etats membres de l'Union européenne / Indispensable pour poursuivre la construction européenne / Essential in order to pursue the European construction of the new member states of the European Union	Indispensable pour le bon fonctionnement d'une identité européenne / Indispensable pour le bon fonctionnement des institutions européennes / Essential for running of the European institutions	Renforce le sentiment d'une identité européenne / Renforce le sentiment de la citoyenneté européenne / Creates a true European citizenship	Premier pas vers / Renforce l'Union européenne / Symbolise l'Union européenne / Face aux consultations en Europe / Renforce la démocratie	Strengthening / Always been in favour of the European Union over the United States	Strengthening / Always been in favour of the European Union over the United States	Strengthening / Always been in favour of the European Union over the United States	Strengthening / Always been in favour of the European Union over the United States	Strengthening / Always been in favour of the European Union over the United States	Strengthening / Always been in favour of the European Union over the United States
NL	24%	5%	12%	13%	3%	10%	10%	10%	7%	6%
Sexe / Sex										
Homme / Male	25%	5%	12%	13%	1%	11%	13%	13%	10%	8%
Femme / Female	24%	4%	12%	13%	4%	10%	7%	7%	5%	5%
Age										
18-24	16%	0%	22%	22%	5%	21%	6%	6%	3%	0%
25-39	26%	8%	15%	12%	3%	9%	13%	13%	8%	4%
40-54	20%	5%	15%	12%	2%	11%	12%	12%	6%	7%
55 & +	26%	3%	8%	13%	3%	10%	8%	8%	9%	8%
Total	24%	5%	12%	13%	3%	10%	10%	10%	7%	6%

Education	15 & -	16-20	21 & +	Profession / occupation	Indépendants / Self-employees	Employés / Employees	Ouvriers / Manual workers	Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	Habitat / Locality type	Grandes centres / Metropolitan	Autres villes / Other towns	Zones rurales / Rural zones
	56	318	299	299	89	284	45	253	162	368	147	
	23%	22%	27%	27%	28%	22%	24%	25%	21%	25%	28%	
	2%	4%	6%	6%	6%	3%	2%	2%	2%	6%	3%	
	3%	9%	17%	17%	11%	16%	4%	9%	11%	13%	10%	
	11%	11%	15%	15%	9%	14%	17%	12%	16%	12%	12%	
	5%	2%	3%	3%	1%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	
	3%	9%	14%	14%	17%	11%	2%	9%	13%	10%	9%	
	7%	8%	13%	13%	11%	13%	9%	7%	12%	9%	11%	
	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	6%	7%	8%	5%	8%	8%	
	9%	4%	9%	9%	7%	5%	0%	8%	5%	7%	7%	

Q4.	Total	Indispensable des nouveaux Etats membres	de l'Union européenne / Essential in order to pursue the European construction	Essential for order to manage the integration of the new member states of the European Union	fonctionnement / des institutions européennes / Essential for running of the institutions	Renforce le sentiment d'une identité européenne / Strengthens the feeling of a European identity	Crée une vraie citoyenneté / Creates a true European citizenship	Premier symbole de l'Union européenne / First steps towards/ Symbol of the United States	Renforce l'Union européenne / Strengthen the European Union over the States	Renforce la démocratie en Europe / Construction européenne / Always been in favour of the European construction	Renforce la démocratie en Europe / Construction européenne / Always been in favour of the European construction	Renforce la démocratie en Europe / Construction européenne / Always been in favour of the European construction
	56	318	299	299	89	284	45	253	162	368	147	
	23%	22%	27%	27%	28%	22%	24%	25%	21%	25%	28%	
	2%	4%	6%	6%	6%	3%	2%	2%	2%	6%	3%	
	3%	9%	17%	17%	11%	16%	4%	9%	11%	13%	10%	
	11%	11%	15%	15%	9%	14%	17%	12%	16%	12%	12%	
	5%	2%	3%	3%	1%	3%	4%	3%	3%	3%	3%	
	3%	9%	14%	14%	17%	11%	2%	9%	13%	10%	9%	
	7%	8%	13%	13%	11%	13%	9%	7%	12%	9%	11%	
	8%	7%	8%	8%	10%	6%	7%	8%	5%	8%	8%	
	9%	4%	9%	9%	7%	5%	0%	8%	5%	7%	7%	

Question	Yes / Oui	No / Non	Don't know / Je ne sais pas	Refused to answer / Refusé de répondre	Other / Autre
Participation	677	0%	24%	5%	12%
Vote / Voting	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Non / No	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Oui / Yes	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Oui / Yes	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice	165	31%	4%	10%	14%
Announce / Annonce	165	31%	4%	10%	14%
Début / Early	138	32%	4%	18%	14%
Derrières semaines / Final weeks	136	20%	8%	14%	13%
Semaine avant / Week before	147	17%	4%	10%	14%
Le jour / The day	87	18%	3%	5%	7%

Question	Yes / Oui	No / Non	Don't know / Je ne sais pas	Refused to answer / Refusé de répondre	Other / Autre
Indispensable pour gérer l'intégration des nouveaux Etats membres	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Indispensable pour le bon fonctionnement des institutions européennes / Indispensable for the smooth running of the European institutions	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essentiel in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%
Essential in order to pursue the European construction	677	24%	5%	12%	13%

Question	Response	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage	Percentage
Q4. Indispensable pour gérer l'intégration des nouveaux Etats membres de l'Union européenne / Essential in order to pursue the European construction of the new member states of the European Union	Indispensable	166	21%	3%	10%	16%	4%	10%	11%	10%
	Satisfait / Satisfied	455	25%	5%	13%	13%	2%	12%	10%	10%
	Information nécessaire / Necessary information	344	27%	5%	13%	15%	3%	10%	9%	10%
	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	327	22%	4%	11%	11%	3%	11%	11%	5%
	Proximité partisane / Party proximity	191	28%	4%	9%	14%	3%	7%	9%	7%
	CDA	160	24%	7%	12%	12%	3%	13%	8%	7%
	PvdA	156	20%	3%	15%	10%	1%	12%	13%	10%
	VVD	18	30%	7%	14%	6%	0%	11%	23%	4%
	SP	58	19%	10%	19%	3%	3%	20%	17%	6%
	Green Links	48	34%	2%	15%	18%	7%	13%	11%	4%
	D66	6	24%	14%	10%	0%	22%	0%	0%	0%
	Autres / Others									

Nederland		NL		677		3%	
Sexe / Sex							
Homme / M		339		2%		4%	
Femme / Fe		338		2%		1%	
Age							
18-24		26		4%		3%	
25-39		140		1%		5%	
40-54		227		3%		4%	
55 & +		284		5%		2%	
Education							
15 & -		56		2%		6%	
16-20		318		5%		3%	
21 & +		299		2%		3%	
Profession / occupation							
Indepandan		89		5%		1%	
Employés / I		284		1%		4%	
Ouvriers / N		45		3%		3%	
Sans activite		253		5%		2%	
Habitat / Locality type							
Grands cent		162		3%		2%	
Autres villes		368		3%		4%	
Zones rurale		147		5%		2%	
Participation							
Oui / Yes		677		3%		3%	
Non / No		0%		0%		0%	
Vote / Voting							
Oui / Yes		677		3%		3%	
Non / No		0%		0%		0%	
Moment du choix / Moment of choice							
Annonce / A		165		3%		2%	
Debut / Start		138		3%		4%	
Dernieres se		136		2%		0%	
Semaine av		147		3%		5%	
Le jour / Th		87		6%		2%	
Resultat / Result							
Sans statut / S		455		2%		3%	
Pluot d'acc		344		4%		3%	
Pluot pas d'		327		2%		2%	
Proximité partisane / Party proximity							
CDA		191		6%		2%	
PvdA		160		2%		3%	
VVD		156		2%		1%	
SP		18		0%		0%	
Green Links		58		1%		4%	
D66		48		2%		2%	
Vote aux elections europeennes 2004 / Vote european elections 2004							
CDA		167		6%		1%	
PvdA		116		3%		2%	
VVD		125		1%		5%	
SP		12		0%		0%	
Green Links		56		1%		0%	
D66		35		0%		3%	
Autres / oth		24		4%		0%	

Q4. Quelles sont toutes les raisons pour lesquelles vous avez voté « Oui » au référendum sur la Constitution européenne? / What are all the reasons why you voted "Yes" at the referendum on the European Constitution?

Total		NL		677		3%	
Je me suis laissé guider par les politiciens, les gens qui s'y connaissent / I was lead by politicians, people who know							
Je ne me suis pas opposé à la constitution qui "non", le groupe / Wilders / (SPECIFY [NSP/SR] / ER) / Other [DK/ NA]		339		2%		3%	
Je ne me suis pas opposé à la constitution qui "non", le groupe / Wilders / (SPECIFY [NSP/SR] / ER) / Other [DK/ NA]		338		2%		3%	
Je ne suis pas d'accord avec les partisans							
Je ne suis pas d'accord avec les partisans		339		2%		3%	
Je ne suis pas d'accord avec les partisans		338		2%		3%	
Je ne supporte pas, the Wilders group							
Je ne supporte pas, the Wilders group		339		2%		3%	
Je ne supporte pas, the Wilders group		338		2%		3%	

	FR	NL	693	2%	5%	5%	6%	3%	6%	5%	3%	6%	5%	13%	5%	3%	4%
Nederland			693	2%	5%	5%	6%	3%	6%	5%	3%	6%	5%	13%	5%	3%	4%
Sexe / Sex			462	2%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	15%	5%	5%	4%	3%
Homme / M			462	2%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	15%	5%	5%	4%	3%
Femme / Fe			501	2%	5%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	5%	11%	5%	2%	4%	4%
Age			65	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	12%	10%	4%	5%	6%
18-24			65	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	1%	2%	2%	12%	10%	4%	5%	6%
25-39			229	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	9%	4%	2%	3%	3%
40-54			379	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	15%	7%	3%	4%	4%
55 & +			290	2%	4%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	13%	5%	3%	5%	5%
Education			103	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	16%	3%	3%	3%	5%
15 & +			103	1%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	3%	16%	3%	3%	3%	5%
16-20			515	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	13%	3%	3%	5%	5%
21 & +			338	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	10%	8%	4%	2%	2%
Profession / occupation			95	3%	12%	6%	6%	6%	6%	1%	9%	1%	12%	6%	2%	7%	7%
Indépendant			95	3%	12%	6%	6%	6%	6%	1%	9%	1%	12%	6%	2%	7%	7%
Employés / I			370	2%	5%	5%	3%	3%	3%	6%	6%	6%	13%	6%	4%	6%	4%
Ouvriers / M			147	2%	7%	7%	3%	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	10%	3%	1%	2%	2%
Sans activité			348	2%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%	14%	5%	2%	5%	5%
Habitat / Locality type			247	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	14%	5%	2%	5%	5%
Grands centres			247	2%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	14%	5%	2%	5%	5%
Autres villes			516	2%	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%	7%	7%	7%	12%	5%	4%	3%	3%
Autres zones rurales			200	1%	6%	6%	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	12%	4%	3%	4%	4%
Participation			963	2%	6%	6%	6%	6%	6%	3%	3%	3%	13%	5%	3%	4%	4%
Oui / Yes			963	2%	6%	6%	6%	6%	6%	3%	3%	3%	13%	5%	3%	4%	4%
Non / No			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Vote / Voting			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Oui / Yes			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information			30	8%	3%	3%	21%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	13%	3%	0%	7%	7%
Pas satisfait			30	8%	3%	3%	21%	2%	0%	0%	0%	0%	13%	3%	0%	7%	7%
Satisfait / Satisfied			900	2%	6%	6%	5%	3%	6%	5%	5%	5%	13%	5%	3%	4%	4%
Le jour / The day			90	4%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	7%	3%	3%	7%	7%
Semaine avant / Last week			193	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	6%	6%	6%	11%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Dernières semaines / Last few days			187	1%	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	6%	6%	6%	11%	3%	3%	4%	4%
Debut / Start			217	2%	6%	6%	4%	4%	4%	8%	8%	8%	10%	4%	3%	2%	2%
Arrivée / Arrival			222	3%	6%	6%	4%	4%	4%	8%	8%	8%	10%	4%	3%	2%	2%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice			693	2%	5%	5%	6%	3%	6%	5%	5%	5%	13%	3%	0%	4%	4%
Oui / Yes			693	2%	5%	5%	6%	3%	6%	5%	5%	5%	13%	3%	0%	4%	4%
Non / No			0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity			527	2%	5%	5%	7%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	16%	5%	2%	4%	4%
Pièce d'accueil / Welcome			527	2%	5%	5%	7%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	16%	5%	2%	4%	4%
Autres / Other			91	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	15%	3%	2%	2%	2%
CD			146	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%	12%	2%	2%	1%	5%
PvdA			245	2%	5%	5%	2%	2%	2%	5%	5%	5%	12%	2%	2%	1%	5%
VVD			146	2%	5%	5%	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%	12%	2%	2%	1%	5%
SP			109	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	4%	4%	4%	12%	2%	2%	1%	5%
Green Links			44	0%	5%	5%	0%	0%	0%	3%	3%	3%	8%	0%	0%	0%	0%
D66			37	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	15%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Autres / Other			88	2%	4%	4%	8%	8%	8%	5%	5%	5%	15%	1%	1%	2%	2%
Voix aux élections européennes 2004 / Vote european election 2004			100	1%	6%	6%	10%	1%	2%	6%	6%	6%	15%	3%	3%	3%	2%
CD			139	3%	1%	1%	10%	2%	2%	6%	6%	6%	15%	3%	3%	3%	2%
PvdA			139	3%	1%	1%	10%	2%	2%	6%	6%	6%	15%	3%	3%	3%	2%
VVD			94	2%	6%	6%	4%	4%	4%	8%	8%	8%	10%	4%	4%	2%	2%
SP			62	0%	5%	5%	7%	7%	7%	9%	9%	9%	7%	2%	2%	1%	1%
Green Links			40	0%	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%	8%	8%	8%	7%	2%	2%	0%	0%
D66			28	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	10%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Autres / Other			91	1%	6%	6%	10%	1%	2%	6%	6%	6%	15%	3%	3%	3%	2%

b5. Quelles sont toutes les raisons pour lesquelles vous avez voté « Non » au référendum sur la Constitution européenne? / What are all the reasons why you voted "No" at the referendum on the European Constitution?

FR	963	2%	5%	5%	5%	4%	2%	7%	2%
Nederland									
NL	963	2%	5%	5%	5%	4%	2%	7%	2%
Sexe / Sex									
Homme / M	462	1%	5%	4%	4%	3%	1%	9%	3%
Femme / Fe	501	3%	5%	4%	3%	3%	2%	5%	3%
Age									
18-24	65	8%	5%	2%	0%	5%	8%	1%	2%
25-39	229	2%	6%	4%	3%	2%	7%	3%	1%
40-54	379	1%	4%	5%	4%	1%	7%	2%	2%
55 & +	290	3%	5%	5%	5%	2%	7%	1%	1%
Education									
15 & -	103	5%	4%	5%	8%	0%	8%	3%	3%
16-20	515	2%	4%	5%	3%	2%	6%	3%	3%
21 & +	338	2%	6%	4%	3%	2%	8%	1%	1%
Profession / occupation									
Indépendant	95	1%	6%	2%	2%	1%	8%	1%	1%
Employés / I	370	1%	6%	4%	4%	1%	8%	1%	1%
Ouvriers / M	147	1%	3%	4%	3%	1%	4%	1%	1%
Sans activité	348	4%	4%	5%	4%	3%	8%	3%	3%
Habitat / Locality type									
Grands cent	247	2%	6%	4%	4%	2%	10%	2%	2%
Autres villes	516	2%	4%	3%	3%	2%	8%	2%	2%
Zones rurales	200	3%	5%	6%	5%	1%	2%	3%	3%
Participation									
Oui / Yes	963	2%	5%	5%	4%	2%	7%	2%	2%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Vote / Voting									
Oui / Yes	963	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice									
Annonce / A	272	2%	5%	6%	3%	1%	7%	2%	2%
Debut / Start	217	3%	5%	5%	5%	1%	8%	1%	1%
Derrière se	187	1%	5%	5%	3%	0%	2%	4%	2%
Le jour / The	90	2%	6%	7%	4%	5%	10%	3%	3%
Resultat / Result									
Pas satisfait	900	2%	5%	4%	2%	5%	7%	2%	0%
Satisfait / S	30	10%	9%	3%	3%	3%	0%	2%	0%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information									
Plutôt pas d'	527	1%	5%	5%	5%	1%	9%	2%	2%
Plutôt pas d'	422	4%	5%	5%	5%	3%	9%	2%	2%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity									
CDA	146	2%	4%	4%	3%	4%	2%	8%	2%
PVDA	245	2%	5%	4%	3%	3%	1%	8%	2%
VVD	146	2%	5%	4%	3%	1%	1%	8%	2%
SP	109	2%	9%	6%	3%	1%	7%	2%	2%
Groen Links	44	2%	15%	7%	2%	0%	4%	0%	3%
D66	37	5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	2%	0%	3%
Autres / Oth	98	6%	2%	2%	2%	9%	8%	2%	2%
Vote aux élections européennes 2004 / Vote european elections 2004									
CDA	100	1%	6%	4%	5%	2%	1%	8%	2%
PVDA	139	2%	6%	5%	4%	5%	1%	8%	2%
VVD	94	3%	5%	5%	3%	0%	3%	1%	1%
SP	62	2%	5%	6%	3%	0%	4%	4%	4%
Groen Links	40	3%	9%	7%	2%	0%	3%	0%	0%
D66	28	6%	0%	4%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
Autres / Oth	91	6%	1%	5%	5%	7%	6%	2%	2%

Q5.	Total	5%	4%	5%	8%	0%	8%	3%	3%
Il n'y a rien sur les droits de l'homme et des animaux / There is nothing on Human rights or Animal rights									
La campagne du constituant n'a pas influencé la campagne du "Non" / The "Yes" / "No" campaign was not convincing enough on us									
Infligée / en confiance campagne du "Non" / This Bruxelles I do not trust on is imposed Brussels									
Influencé par la campagne du "Non" / Influenced by the "No" campaign									
Autre (SPECIFI) / [DK/NA]									

Q5. Quelles sont toutes les raisons pour lesquelles vous avez voté « Non » au Référendum sur la Constitution européenne? OS. What are all the reasons why you voted "No." at the referendum on the European Constitution?

	Le jour même référendum / [NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]	La semaine avant le référendum / The week before the Referendum	Au cours des dernières semaines de la campagne / In the final campaign / weeks of the Referendum	Assez tôt, au début de la campagne sur le référendum / Fairly early on during the Referendum campaign	Au moment de l'annonce du référendum / At the time of the Referendum was announced	Total	O6.Can	
Nederland								
NL	11%	21%	20%	21%	26%	1670		
Sexe / Sex								
Homme / Male	7%	18%	20%	25%	29%	815		
Femme / Female	15%	23%	20%	18%	24%	855		
Age								
18-24	1%	16%	22%	16%	15%	92		
25-39	0%	15%	23%	21%	19%	373		
40-54	0%	9%	21%	20%	29%	611		
55 & +	1%	9%	17%	22%	31%	594		
Education								
15 & -	1%	11%	23%	16%	29%	165		
16-20	0%	12%	20%	20%	28%	844		
21 & +	0%	10%	22%	20%	24%	649		
Profession / occupation								
Independants / Self-employees	0%	8%	21%	16%	32%	185		
Employés / Employees	0%	11%	23%	22%	21%	662		
Ouvriers / Manual workers	1%	17%	19%	17%	29%	193		
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	1%	10%	19%	21%	29%	621		

O6.Pouvez-vous me dire approximativement quand avez-vous décidé ce que vous allez voter au référendum sur la Constitution européenne? O6.Can you tell me roughly when did you make up your mind on how you would vote in the Referendum on the European Constitution?

	Le jour même du référendum / [NSP/SR]	The day of the referendum / [DK/ NA]	Referendum itself	Au cours des dernières semaines avant le référendum / La semaine avant le référendum	In the final week before the referendum / The week before the referendum	Referendum weeks of the campaign	on during the Referendum campaign	Fairly early / le référendum / début de la campagne sur	Referendum was announced	Total	O6.Can
Habitat / Locality type	0%	11%	0%	19%	22%	20%	20%	29%	23%	418	
Grands centres / Metropolitan	0%	10%	0%	22%	21%	23%	23%	23%	23%	895	
Autres villes / Other towns	0%	10%	0%	22%	21%	23%	23%	23%	23%	895	
Zones rurales / Rural zones	1%	12%	1%	20%	16%	22%	22%	29%	29%	357	
Participation											
Oui / Yes	0%	11%	0%	21%	20%	21%	21%	26%	26%	1670	
Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	
Vote / Voting											
Oui / Yes	1%	13%	1%	22%	20%	20%	20%	24%	24%	677	
Non / No	0%	10%	0%	20%	19%	22%	22%	28%	28%	963	
Moment du choix / Moment of choice											
Annonce / Announcement	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	100%	438	
Debut / Early	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	100%	363	
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	0%	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	331	
Semaine avant / Week before	0%	0%	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	346	
Le jour / The day	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	184	
Resultat / Result											
Satisfait / Satisfied	0%	10%	0%	21%	19%	22%	22%	27%	27%	1083	
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	0%	9%	0%	20%	22%	23%	23%	26%	26%	489	

		Information nécessaire / Necessary information					
		Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree					
		Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree					
		Proximité partisane / Party proximity					
		Vote aux élections européennes 2004 / Vote european elections 2004					
O6.Can	Total	777	32%	26%	19%	18%	6%
		872	22%	18%	21%	24%	15%
Total	Au moment de l'annonce du référendum / At the time the referendum was announced	342	23%	21%	24%	10%	0%
	Assez tôt, au début de la campagne sur le référendum / Fairly early on during the referendum campaign	408	28%	18%	18%	14%	0%
	Referendum / fairly early / Fairly early	305	27%	23%	16%	7%	1%
	Referendum was announced	129	30%	24%	20%	9%	0%
	Green Links	104	28%	18%	18%	7%	0%
	D66	87	18%	24%	22%	13%	0%
	Autres / Others	104	34%	29%	13%	20%	5%
	CDA	342	23%	21%	24%	10%	0%
	PvDA	408	28%	18%	18%	14%	0%
	VVD	305	27%	23%	16%	7%	1%
Total	Au cours des dernières semaines avant le référendum / In the final weeks of the referendum campaign	268	24%	22%	19%	22%	13%
	Assez tôt, au début de la campagne sur le référendum / Fairly early on during the referendum campaign	259	28%	20%	22%	18%	12%
	Referendum / fairly early / Fairly early	222	29%	27%	21%	16%	7%
	Referendum was announced	74	25%	28%	25%	6%	2%
	Green Links	98	27%	16%	17%	8%	0%
	D66	64	24%	29%	15%	21%	12%
	Autres / Others	117	34%	26%	16%	16%	7%
	CDA	268	24%	22%	19%	22%	13%
	PvDA	259	28%	20%	22%	18%	12%
	VVD	222	29%	27%	21%	16%	7%

Age	18-24	25-39	40-54	55 & +
18-24	92	373	611	594
25-39	32%	21%	19%	14%
40-54	20%	29%	32%	33%
55 & +	10%	8%	15%	12%
Sexe / Sex	815	855	855	855
Homme / Male	19%	18%	18%	18%
Femme / Female	35%	27%	27%	27%
NL	1670	1670	1670	1670
	31%	12%	6%	21%
	18%	8%	3%	8%

Education	15 & -	16-20	21 & +
15 & -	165	844	649
16-20	9%	17%	24%
21 & +	23%	28%	36%
	15%	12%	11%
	4%	7%	5%
	30%	25%	15%
	9%	9%	8%
	9%	2%	1%

Q7: Pourriez-vous me dire quel fut l'élément clef qui vous a conduit à voter lors de ce Référendum? / O7: Could you tell me what was the key element that led to your vote in this Referendum?

Q7: Could you tell me what was the key element that led to your vote in this Referendum?	Total
Votre opinion sur la Constitution européenne / Your opinion on the European Constitution	18%
Votre opinion générale sur l'Union européenne / Your overall opinion regarding the European Union	31%
Votre opinion sur ceux qui ont mené la campagne pour le "Oui" / Your opinion of those who led the "YES" campaign	12%
Votre opinion sur ceux qui ont mené la campagne pour le "Non" / Your opinion of those who led the "NO" campaign	6%
Votre opinion sur la situation économique et sociale aux Pays-Bas / Your opinion on the economic and social situation in the Netherlands	21%
[AUCUNE DES RAISONS MAIS CELLE-CI - SPECIFIER] / [NONE OF THESE BUT THIS ONE SPECIFY]	8%
[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]	3%

Profession / occupation	Independants / Self-employees	185	18%	34%	12%	4%	24%	8%	1%
	Employees / Employees	662	22%	34%	11%	5%	19%	8%	1%
	Ouvriers / Manual workers	193	12%	26%	12%	9%	29%	9%	3%
	Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	621	17%	29%	13%	7%	21%	8%	5%
Habitat / Locality type									
	Grands centres / Metropolitan	478	20%	29%	12%	5%	22%	10%	2%
	Autres villes / Other towns	895	18%	31%	12%	6%	21%	8%	3%
	Zones rurales / Rural zones	357	17%	33%	13%	8%	20%	6%	4%
Participation									
	Oui / Yes	1670	18%	31%	12%	6%	21%	8%	3%
	Non / No	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%
Vote / Voting									
	Oui / Yes	677	15%	44%	12%	6%	11%	8%	4%
	Non / No	963	21%	23%	12%	6%	28%	8%	2%

	Moment du choix / Moment of choice																			
	Announce / Annonce		Debut / Early		Dernières semaines / Final weeks		Semaine avant / Week before		Le jour / The day											
	1%	7%	1%	6%	1%	2%	8%	2%	10%	2%										
	438		363		331		346		184											
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	5%		4%		8%		8%		7%											
	20%		23%		22%		24%		16%											
	7%		6%		8%		10%		14%											
	3%		8%		3%		27%		8%											
	1083		19%		25%		12%		6%											
	Pas satisfait / Not satisfied		489		19%		44%		13%											
	Information nécessaire / Necessary information		777		20%		34%		11%											
	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree		872		17%		29%		13%											
	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree		342		15%		33%		13%											
	Proximité partisane / Party proximity		408		17%		30%		13%											
	CDA		408		17%		30%		13%											
	PvDA		408		17%		30%		13%											
	VVD		305		19%		35%		11%											
	SP		129		22%		26%		14%											
	Green Links		104		21%		47%		8%											
	Total		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	Q7. Could		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	Votre opinion sur la Constitution européenne / Your opinion on the European Constitution		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	Votre opinion générale sur l'Union européenne / Your overall opinion regarding the European Union		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	Votre opinion sur ceux qui ont mené la campagne pour le "Oui" / Your opinion of those who led the "YES" campaign		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	Votre opinion sur ceux qui ont mené la campagne pour le "Non" / Your opinion of those who led the "NO" campaign		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	[AUCUNE DES RAISONS MAIS CELLE-CI - SPECIFIER] / [NONE OF THESE BUT THIS ONE SPECIFY]		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	
	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]		1083		19%		25%		12%		6%		27%		8%		10%		14%	

D66
Autres / Others

87	25%	42%	10%	6%	11%	4%	1%
104	20%	21%	10%	13%	25%	9%	2%

Q8. Indépendamment du fait que vous ayez voté ou pas, êtes-vous satisfait à l'égard de la victoire du « Non » ?
 Q8.Regardless of whether or not you voted, are you satisfied toward the « No » victory?

Nederland		NL		Total		Très satisfait / Very satisfied		Plutôt satisfait / Rather satisfied		Plutôt pas satisfait / Rather dissatisfied		Pas satisfait du tout / Not satisfied at all		[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]		Satisfait / Satisfied		Pas satisfait / Not satisfied																																																																																	
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	Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	Satisfait / Satisfied	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]	Pas satisfait du tout / Not satisfied at all	Plutôt pas satisfait / Rather dissatisfied	Plutôt satisfait / Rather satisfied	Tres satisfait / Very satisfied	Total	08.Regardless
Vote / Voting									
Oui / Yes	66%	25%	9%	2%	43%	22%	3%	67	
Non / No	3%			1%	2%	39%	54%	963	
Moment du choix / Moment of choice									
Annonce / Annonce	27%	69%	4%	12%	15%	21%	49%	438	
Début / Early	29%	67%	3%	13%	17%	30%	38%	363	
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	30%	64%	6%	8%	22%	35%	29%	331	
Semaine avant / Week before	25%	69%	6%	7%	18%	44%	24%	346	
Le jour / The day	21%	63%	16%	2%	19%	44%	20%	184	
Resultat / Result									
Satisfait / Satisfied	0%	100%	0%	0%	0%	54%	46%	1 305	
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	100%	0%	0%	32%	68%	0%	0%	540	
Information nécessaire / Necessary information									
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	27%	66%	8%	10%	16%	31%	35%	879	
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	20%		11%	5%	15%	40%	29%	1 084	
Proximité partisane / Party proximity									
CDA	32%	59%	9%	10%	23%	38%	21%	392	
PvdA	24%	69%	7%	8%	16%	39%	30%	472	
VVD	30%	60%	10%	10%	20%	34%	25%	348	
SP	9%	78%	13%	2%	8%	27%	51%	139	
Groen Links	33%	51%	17%	12%	21%	34%	17%	116	
D66	31%	65%	5%	15%	15%	40%	25%	96	
Autres / Others	10%	85%	5%	1%	8%	28%	57%	126	
Vote aux élections européennes 2004 / Vote european elections 2004									
CDA	36%	53%	11%	11%	24%	31%	23%	296	
PvdA	29%	65%	6%	10%	18%	37%	28%	291	
VVD	33%	54%	13%	12%	21%	29%	25%	248	
SP	9%	79%	12%	3%	6%	21%	58%	79	
Groen Links	36%	55%	9%	8%	27%	34%	21%	104	
D66	37%	59%	4%	12%	25%	35%	24%	66	
Autres / Others	12%	83%	5%	5%	8%	36%	47%	135	

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Q9. Diriez-vous que les débats sur la Constitution européenne aux Pays-Bas ont commencé...
 Q9. Would you say that the debates about the European Constitution in the Netherlands started ...

Q9. Would	Total	Trop tôt / Too early	Trop tard / Too late	Au bon moment / Just at the right time	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland					
NL	2000	7%	67%	13%	13%
Sexe / Sex					
Homme / Male	980	7%	72%	12%	9%
Femme / Female	1020	8%	62%	14%	17%
Age					
18-24	131	8%	59%	19%	14%
25-39	492	8%	71%	13%	8%
40-54	706	6%	69%	13%	11%
55 & +	671	7%	65%	10%	19%
Education					
15 & -	196	7%	61%	9%	23%
16-20	1029	7%	64%	15%	14%
21 & +	760	7%	74%	11%	8%
Profession / occupation					
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	7%	74%	11%	8%
Employés / Employees	759	7%	73%	12%	8%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	10%	65%	13%	11%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	7%	60%	14%	19%
Habitat / Locality type					
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	8%	69%	10%	12%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	6%	68%	14%	12%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	8%	62%	13%	16%
Participation					
Oui / Yes	1670	5%	72%	12%	11%
Non / No	330	11%	58%	14%	17%
Vote / Voting					
Oui / Yes	677	4%	74%	14%	8%
Non / No	963	5%	72%	11%	12%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice					
Annonce / Announcement	438	7%	70%	12%	12%
Début / Early	363	4%	75%	11%	10%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	4%	71%	13%	12%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	5%	74%	14%	7%
Le jour / The day	184	4%	72%	11%	13%
Resultat / Result					
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	8%	66%	13%	13%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	5%	72%	14%	10%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information					
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	8%	59%	19%	15%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	7%	74%	9%	10%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity					
CDA	392	6%	68%	13%	13%
PvdA	472	7%	69%	12%	12%
VVD	348	5%	79%	11%	5%
SP	139	2%	78%	11%	9%
Groen Links	116	3%	69%	13%	15%
D66	96	6%	75%	11%	8%
Autres / Others	126	6%	76%	11%	6%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

a) Les Institutions européennes vous évoquent une bonne image

a) The Institutions of the European Union conjure up a good image to you

a)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	31%	61%	8%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	34%	62%	4%
Femme / Female	1020	28%	60%	12%
Age				
18-24	131	37%	54%	9%
25-39	492	27%	65%	8%
40-54	706	30%	65%	5%
55 & +	671	33%	56%	11%
Education				
15 & -	196	27%	58%	15%
16-20	1029	29%	63%	8%
21 & +	760	35%	59%	6%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	26%	71%	3%
Employés / Employees	759	30%	63%	6%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	28%	67%	5%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	34%	54%	12%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	31%	60%	9%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	31%	61%	8%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	32%	62%	6%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	34%	59%	8%
Non / No	330	26%	65%	9%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	54%	39%	8%
Non / No	963	21%	71%	8%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	32%	61%	7%
Début / Early	363	33%	63%	4%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	34%	56%	10%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	35%	57%	8%
Le jour / The day	184	35%	52%	13%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	24%	70%	7%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	56%	40%	4%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	38%	56%	6%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	25%	66%	9%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	37%	57%	7%
PvdA	472	34%	56%	10%
VVD	348	33%	62%	5%
SP	139	25%	68%	7%
Groen Links	116	34%	59%	7%
D66	96	28%	66%	6%
Autres / Others	126	15%	80%	5%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

- b) La victoire du « Non » au référendum permettra de renégocier la Constitution pour arriver à un texte plus social
 b) The "No" victory in the referendum will allow for the renegotiation of the Constitution in order to come to a more social text

b)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	65%	26%	10%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	59%	32%	8%
Femme / Female	1020	70%	19%	11%
Age				
18-24	131	66%	29%	4%
25-39	492	66%	27%	7%
40-54	706	62%	28%	10%
55 & +	671	65%	21%	14%
Education				
15 & -	196	64%	17%	18%
16-20	1029	68%	24%	8%
21 & +	760	61%	30%	9%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	60%	30%	10%
Employés / Employees	759	65%	27%	8%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	63%	29%	9%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	66%	23%	11%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	65%	25%	10%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	64%	25%	10%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	64%	28%	8%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	65%	26%	9%
Non / No	330	64%	26%	11%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	55%	33%	12%
Non / No	963	71%	22%	7%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	56%	33%	11%
Début / Early	363	62%	28%	10%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	72%	20%	8%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	70%	24%	7%
Le jour / The day	184	73%	18%	9%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	69%	24%	7%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	54%	34%	12%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	62%	27%	11%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	66%	26%	8%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	68%	22%	10%
PvdA	472	70%	24%	6%
VVD	348	60%	30%	10%
SP	139	70%	21%	8%
Groen Links	116	62%	28%	11%
D66	96	73%	22%	5%
Autres / Others	126	57%	32%	11%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

- c) La victoire du « Non » permettra de renégocier la Constitution pour arriver à un texte qui défendra mieux les intérêts des Pays-Bas
- c) The "No" victory in the referendum will allow for the renegotiation of the Constitution in order to come to a text which will better defend the Netherlands's interests

c)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	66%	27%	7%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	64%	31%	5%
Femme / Female	1020	67%	24%	9%
Age				
18-24	131	72%	21%	7%
25-39	492	66%	30%	4%
40-54	706	64%	30%	6%
55 & +	671	65%	24%	11%
Education				
15 & -	196	67%	22%	11%
16-20	1029	68%	25%	7%
21 & +	760	62%	32%	6%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	66%	29%	5%
Employés / Employees	759	65%	30%	5%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	68%	28%	4%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	66%	24%	10%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	69%	25%	6%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	64%	28%	7%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	63%	28%	8%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	65%	28%	7%
Non / No	330	66%	27%	7%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	53%	39%	9%
Non / No	963	73%	21%	6%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	60%	32%	8%
Début / Early	363	65%	28%	7%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	64%	28%	7%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	71%	25%	4%
Le jour / The day	184	72%	19%	9%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	73%	22%	5%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	49%	44%	7%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	65%	28%	7%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	67%	27%	6%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	65%	27%	8%
PvdA	472	67%	27%	6%
VVD	348	69%	26%	5%
SP	139	69%	25%	5%
Groen Links	116	61%	34%	5%
D66	96	69%	27%	4%
Autres / Others	126	62%	31%	7%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

d) L'appartenance des Pays-Bas à l'Union européenne est une bonne chose

d) The Netherlands's membership to the EU is a good thing

d)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	82%	13%	5%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	85%	13%	3%
Femme / Female	1020	80%	14%	6%
Age				
18-24	131	84%	15%	1%
25-39	492	82%	13%	4%
40-54	706	81%	15%	5%
55 & +	671	83%	11%	6%
Education				
15 & -	196	72%	17%	11%
16-20	1029	81%	14%	5%
21 & +	760	88%	11%	1%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	81%	15%	4%
Employés / Employees	759	89%	9%	2%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	73%	21%	5%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	80%	14%	6%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	83%	12%	5%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	84%	12%	5%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	76%	20%	4%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	85%	12%	3%
Non / No	330	76%	16%	7%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	98%	1%	1%
Non / No	963	78%	18%	4%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	81%	17%	3%
Début / Early	363	89%	9%	2%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	84%	14%	2%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	88%	9%	4%
Le jour / The day	184	89%	6%	5%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	78%	18%	5%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	96%	3%	1%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	82%	14%	4%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	83%	13%	4%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	82%	11%	6%
PvdA	472	87%	11%	2%
VVD	348	91%	7%	2%
SP	139	84%	15%	0%
Groen Links	116	94%	4%	2%
D66	96	98%	2%	0%
Autres / Others	126	69%	25%	6%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

e) La victoire du « Non » diminuera l'influence des Pays Bas au sein de l'Union européenne

e) The "No" victory will decrease the Netherlands's influence within the European Union

e)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	27%	66%	8%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	28%	69%	4%
Femme / Female	1020	25%	63%	12%
Age				
18-24	131	31%	63%	5%
25-39	492	26%	69%	6%
40-54	706	26%	69%	5%
55 & +	671	27%	61%	12%
Education				
15 & -	196	25%	55%	20%
16-20	1029	28%	67%	5%
21 & +	760	25%	68%	7%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	28%	69%	3%
Employés / Employees	759	25%	70%	5%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	27%	68%	5%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	27%	62%	11%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	24%	68%	9%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	28%	65%	7%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	29%	64%	7%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	26%	67%	7%
Non / No	330	28%	64%	8%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	41%	51%	8%
Non / No	963	17%	77%	6%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	29%	64%	7%
Début / Early	363	27%	68%	5%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	24%	67%	9%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	24%	70%	6%
Le jour / The day	184	24%	66%	10%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	19%	74%	6%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	44%	48%	7%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	27%	66%	7%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	26%	66%	7%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	30%	61%	9%
PvdA	472	22%	69%	9%
VVD	348	31%	66%	3%
SP	139	23%	73%	4%
Groen Links	116	31%	60%	9%
D66	96	27%	68%	6%
Autres / Others	126	23%	72%	5%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

f) La victoire du « Non » rendra difficile le fonctionnement des institutions européennes

f) The "No" victory will make the running of the European Institutions difficult

f)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	49%	45%	7%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	49%	47%	4%
Femme / Female	1020	48%	42%	10%
Age				
18-24	131	48%	45%	7%
25-39	492	47%	49%	4%
40-54	706	49%	47%	4%
55 & +	671	50%	38%	11%
Education				
15 & -	196	40%	43%	17%
16-20	1029	49%	45%	6%
21 & +	760	50%	46%	4%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	46%	50%	4%
Employés / Employees	759	51%	46%	3%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	46%	50%	4%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	49%	40%	11%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	49%	47%	5%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	48%	45%	7%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	51%	41%	8%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	49%	44%	7%
Non / No	330	49%	45%	7%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	67%	26%	6%
Non / No	963	37%	56%	7%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	51%	42%	6%
Début / Early	363	46%	47%	7%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	49%	44%	7%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	46%	47%	7%
Le jour / The day	184	50%	41%	9%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	41%	52%	7%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	70%	25%	5%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	49%	45%	6%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	48%	45%	6%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	54%	36%	10%
PvdA	472	47%	48%	5%
VVD	348	54%	43%	3%
SP	139	42%	56%	2%
Groen Links	116	54%	42%	4%
D66	96	57%	38%	5%
Autres / Others	126	42%	50%	8%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

g) Avant de voter au référendum, vous aviez toute l'information nécessaire pour prendre une décision

g) Before voting in the referendum, you had all necessary information in order to take a decision

g)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	41%	56%	3%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	43%	54%	2%
Femme / Female	1020	39%	57%	4%
Age				
18-24	131	36%	61%	3%
25-39	492	37%	60%	3%
40-54	706	42%	57%	1%
55 & +	671	46%	49%	5%
Education				
15 & -	196	35%	59%	6%
16-20	1029	41%	56%	2%
21 & +	760	43%	55%	2%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	44%	55%	1%
Employés / Employees	759	42%	56%	2%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	35%	65%	0%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	42%	53%	5%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	42%	53%	4%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	41%	57%	2%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	40%	58%	2%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	47%	52%	1%
Non / No	330	32%	62%	5%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	51%	48%	1%
Non / No	963	44%	54%	2%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	56%	43%	1%
Début / Early	363	56%	44%	1%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	44%	55%	1%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	40%	59%	1%
Le jour / The day	184	23%	73%	4%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	40%	57%	3%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	48%	49%	2%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	100%	0%	0%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	0%	100%	0%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	46%	52%	2%
PvdA	472	40%	58%	3%
VVD	348	44%	56%	1%
SP	139	38%	59%	3%
Groen Links	116	35%	65%	0%
D66	96	37%	62%	1%
Autres / Others	126	43%	54%	3%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

h) La victoire du « Non » rendra plus difficile l'entrée de nouveaux pays dans l'Union européenne

h) The "No" victory will make it more difficult for new countries to join the European Union

h)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	54%	36%	10%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	56%	38%	6%
Femme / Female	1020	52%	35%	13%
Age				
18-24	131	44%	44%	12%
25-39	492	51%	42%	8%
40-54	706	54%	37%	10%
55 & +	671	60%	28%	11%
Education				
15 & -	196	58%	28%	13%
16-20	1029	56%	34%	10%
21 & +	760	50%	42%	8%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	56%	37%	7%
Employés / Employees	759	51%	42%	7%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	59%	33%	8%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	55%	32%	13%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	54%	36%	10%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	55%	36%	9%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	52%	37%	11%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	53%	37%	9%
Non / No	330	55%	34%	11%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	54%	36%	10%
Non / No	963	53%	39%	8%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	55%	36%	9%
Début / Early	363	55%	39%	6%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	53%	37%	10%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	52%	38%	10%
Le jour / The day	184	48%	39%	12%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	55%	37%	8%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	54%	36%	10%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	59%	33%	8%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	50%	39%	11%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	62%	29%	8%
PvdA	472	48%	44%	8%
VVD	348	52%	39%	9%
SP	139	52%	42%	7%
Groen Links	116	51%	39%	10%
D66	96	60%	30%	11%
Autres / Others	126	60%	34%	6%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

i) La victoire du « Non » au référendum en France conduira les autres pays qui vont organiser un référendum semblable à voter « Non »

i) The "No" victory in the referendum in France will lead the rest of the countries that will hold a similar Referendum to vote « Non »

i)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	62%	31%	7%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	65%	29%	6%
Femme / Female	1020	59%	32%	9%
Age				
18-24	131	55%	43%	3%
25-39	492	60%	33%	7%
40-54	706	63%	32%	6%
55 & +	671	65%	24%	11%
Education				
15 & -	196	59%	27%	15%
16-20	1029	64%	30%	6%
21 & +	760	60%	34%	7%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	58%	37%	5%
Employés / Employees	759	64%	29%	7%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	63%	33%	4%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	61%	30%	10%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	59%	32%	9%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	65%	29%	6%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	59%	34%	7%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	63%	29%	8%
Non / No	330	60%	34%	6%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	62%	28%	10%
Non / No	963	64%	30%	7%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	65%	28%	7%
Début / Early	363	62%	30%	8%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	64%	29%	8%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	66%	28%	5%
Le jour / The day	184	55%	28%	16%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	63%	30%	7%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	64%	30%	6%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	63%	29%	8%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	62%	32%	6%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	62%	30%	9%
PvdA	472	67%	25%	8%
VVD	348	64%	33%	3%
SP	139	59%	30%	10%
Groen Links	116	51%	40%	9%
D66	96	71%	27%	2%
Autres / Others	126	73%	24%	3%

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Q10. Pour chacune des opinions suivantes, dites- moi si vous êtes plutôt d'accord ou plutôt pas d'accord... ?

Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements ...

j) La Constitution européenne est indispensable à la poursuite de la construction européenne

j) The European Constitution is essential in order to pursue the European Construction

j)	Total	Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	[NSP/SR] / [DK/ NA]
Nederland				
NL	2000	41%	50%	9%
Sexe / Sex				
Homme / Male	980	39%	56%	5%
Femme / Female	1020	44%	44%	12%
Age				
18-24	131	43%	49%	8%
25-39	492	38%	55%	7%
40-54	706	37%	57%	6%
55 & +	671	47%	40%	13%
Education				
15 & -	196	39%	40%	20%
16-20	1029	41%	50%	8%
21 & +	760	42%	53%	5%
Profession / occupation				
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	40%	54%	6%
Employés / Employees	759	39%	55%	5%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	32%	61%	8%
Sans activité professionnelle / Without professional activity	748	46%	42%	12%
Habitat / Locality type				
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	41%	52%	8%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	42%	48%	10%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	41%	53%	6%
Participation				
Oui / Yes	1670	40%	52%	8%
Non / No	330	42%	48%	10%
Vote / Voting				
Oui / Yes	677	66%	27%	7%
Non / No	963	25%	66%	9%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice				
Annonce / Announcement	438	39%	54%	7%
Début / Early	363	40%	53%	6%
Dernières semaines / Final weeks	331	38%	54%	8%
Semaine avant / Week before	346	45%	50%	6%
Le jour / The day	184	42%	41%	17%
Resultat / Result				
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	32%	60%	8%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	67%	28%	5%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information				
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	45%	49%	6%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	38%	52%	10%
Proximité partisane / Party proximity				
CDA	392	50%	40%	10%
PvdA	472	43%	49%	8%
VVD	348	44%	51%	6%
SP	139	33%	63%	4%
Groen Links	116	37%	57%	7%
D66	96	42%	50%	7%
Autres / Others	126	26%	67%	7%

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Q11. Si d'ici novembre 2006, au moins 20 des 25 Etats membres ratifient le Traité constitutionnel, le Conseil européen composé des Chefs d'Etat et de Gouvernement des Etats membres devra décider de la marche à suivre concernant l'application du Traité au sein de l'Union européenne. Parmi les propositions suivantes, quelle est celle qui aurait votre préférence :

Q11. If between now and November 2006, at least 20 of the 25 Member States ratify the Constitutional Treaty, the European Council, composed of Heads of State and Government of the Member States, should decide on the procedure regarding the application of the Treaty within the European Union. Which of the following propositions would you prefer?

	Total	Que l'on organise un nouveau vote dans les pays qui n'ont pas ratifié le Traité / That a new vote be organised in the countries which have not ratified the Treaty	Que l'on applique le Traité uniquement dans les pays qui l'ont ratifié / That the Treaty be applicable only in the countries which ratified it	Que l'on abandonne ce Traité pour tous les Etats membres / That this Treaty be abandoned for all Member States	Une autre solution [Spécifier] / Another solution [Specify]	[NSP / SR] /	[DK / NA]
NL	2000	27%	18%	45%	5%		5%
Sexe / Sex							
Homme / Male	980	26%	17%	48%	5%		3%
Femme / Female	1020	29%	19%	41%	4%		7%
Age							
18-24	131	28%	16%	46%	6%		4%
25-39	492	26%	24%	42%	4%		3%
40-54	706	25%	16%	50%	5%		4%
55 & +	671	31%	15%	42%	4%		9%
Education							
15 & -	196	25%	17%	41%	3%		14%
16-20	1029	25%	20%	45%	5%		4%
21 & +	760	31%	16%	45%	5%		4%
Profession / occupation							
Indépendants / Self-employees	233	33%	15%	46%	4%		1%
Employés / Employees	759	29%	17%	44%	6%		4%
Ouvriers / Manual workers	248	20%	24%	48%	3%		5%
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Habitat / Locality type							
Grands centres / Metropolitan	507	26%	21%	45%	3%		4%
Autres villes / Other towns	1077	29%	17%	43%	5%		5%
Zones rurales / Rural zones	416	24%	16%	49%	5%		6%
Participation							
Oui / Yes	1670	28%	15%	47%	5%		5%
Non / No	330	27%	23%	41%	4%		5%
Vote / Voting							
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Non / No	963	21%	16%	54%	5%		5%
Moment du choix / Moment of choice							
Annonce / Announcement	438	26%	16%	49%	5%		4%
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Resultat / Result							
Satisfait / Satisfied	1305	23%	20%	49%	4%		4%
Pas satisfait / Not satisfied	540	40%	14%	36%	7%		3%
Information nécessaire / Necessary information							
Plutôt d'accord / Tend to agree	879	27%	17%	46%	5%		4%
Plutôt pas d'accord / Tend to disagree	1084	28%	19%	45%	4%		5%

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Proximité partisane / Party proximity

CDA	392	27%	18%	44%	4%	6%
PvdA	472	33%	16%	41%	4%	6%
VVD	348	33%	13%	47%	4%	3%
SP	139	11%	28%	54%	5%	2%
Groen Links	116	37%	13%	42%	5%	2%
D66	96	31%	14%	50%	4%	1%
Autres / Others	126	13%	25%	52%	5%	5%

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Proximité partisane / Party proximity

CDA	392	27%	18%	44%	4%	6%
PvdA	472	33%	16%	41%	4%	6%
VVD	348	33%	13%	47%	4%	3%
SP	139	11%	28%	54%	5%	2%
Groen Links	116	37%	13%	42%	5%	2%
D66	96	31%	14%	50%	4%	1%
Autres / Others	126	13%	25%	52%	5%	5%

Socio Demographics

- D1. Sex [1] Male
 [2] Female
- D2. Exact Age: [][] Years old
 [00] [REFUSAL/NO ANSWER]
- D3. Age when finished full time education : [EXACT AGE IN 2 DIGITS]
 [][] years old
 [00] [REFUSAL/ NO ANSWER]
 [01] [NEVER BEEN IN FULL TIME EDUCATION]
 [99] [STILL IN FULL TIME EDUCATION]
- D4. As far as your current occupation is concerned, would you say you are self-employed, an employee, a manual worker or would you say that you are without a professional activity ?
 [READ OUT LEFT ITEMS - THEN ASK TO SPECIFY ("that is to say") - ONLY ONE ANSWER]
- **Self-employed**
 - i.e. : - farmer, forester, fisherman..... 11
 - owner of a shop, craftsman..... 12
 - professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect,...)13
 - manager of a company 14
 - other (SPECIFY) 15
 - **Employee**
 - i.e. : - professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect) 21
 - general management, director or top management..... 22
 - middle management, 23
 - civil servant 24
 - office clerk..... 25
 - other employee (salesman, nurse, etc...) 26
 - other (SPECIFY) 27
 - **Manual worker**
 - i.e. : - supervisor / foreman (team manager, etc ...) 31
 - manual worker 32
 - unskilled manual worker 33
 - other (SPECIFY) 34
 - **Without a professional activity**
 - i.e. : - looking after the home 41
 - student (full time) 42
 - retired 43
 - seeking a job..... 44
 - other (SPECIFY) 45
 - **(Refusal)** 99
- D5. Region = "European Administrative Regional Unit" (N.U.T.S. 2)
 [2 DIGITS]
- D6. Type of Locality?
 - metropolitan zone1
 - other town/urban centre.....2
 - rural zone 3

Participation in the Referendum

Q1. Last Wednesday a Referendum was held on the approval of the treaty that establishes a Constitution for Europe. Did you vote in that Referendum?

[READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]

- Yes, you voted..... 1
- No, you did not vote 1

Reasons why you did not vote in this Referendum

IF DID NOT VOTE IN Q1

Q2. If you did not go to vote in the Referendum held on the 1 of June, is it because ... ?
 [READ OUT – ROTATION OF THE ITEMS – ONLY ONE ANSWER PER LINE]

- Yes 1
 - No..... 2
 - [DK/NA] 3
- a) You are not interested in politics, by elections in general..... 1 2 3
 - b) You are not interested in the European Constitution..... 1 2 3
 - c) You believed that voting at the referendum would not change anything..... 1 2 3
 - d) You are not interested in European affairs 1 2 3
 - e) You are against Europe, the European Union, the European construction..... 1 2 3
 - f) You believed that you were not sufficiently informed on the Constitution to go vote.... 1 2 3
 - g) You wished to penalize the Government..... 1 2 3
 - h) You have been held up that day 1 2 3
 - i) You think that the text is too complicated 1 2 3
 - j) It was not worth voting because it was clear that the "NO " would win in any case 1 2 3
 - k) It was not worth voting because France voted "NO" 1 2 3

Recall of vote at the referendum

IF YES IN Q1

Q3. How did you vote in that Referendum? Did you vote "Yes" in favour of the treaty that establishes a Constitution for Europe or "No" against it?

[READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]

- You voted "YES"..... 1
- You voted "NO" 2
- [Voted "Blank"]..... 3
- [DK/NA] 4

Reasons « Voted YES »

[ASK ONLY IF Q3= 1]

Q4. What are all the reasons why you voted "Yes" at the referendum on the European Constitution?
[DO NOT READ OUT – CODE ALL SPONTANEOUS ANSWERS]

- a) Essential in order to pursue the European construction.....1
- b) Essential in order to manage the integration of the new member states of the European Union.....1
- c) Essential for the smooth running of the European institutions1
- d) First steps towards/ Symbol of a social Europe.....1
- e) Strengthens the feeling of a European identity.....1
- f) Creates a true European citizenship1
- g) First steps towards/ Symbol of a political unification of Europe.....1
- h) Strengthens the European Union over the United States.....1
- i) I've always been in favour of the European construction1
- j) Strengthens democracy in Europe/ consults citizens1
- k) Support the Government/ certain political parties.....1
- l) Strengthens the economic and social situation in the Netherlands1
- m) Strengthens the role of the Netherlands within the Union/ in the world.....1
- n) For peace in Europe1
- o) For the future generations1
- p) Because France voted no.....1
- q) I don't see what is negative in this text1
- r) Other (SPECIFY).....1
- s) [DK/NA].....1

Reasons « Voted NO »

[ASK ONLY IF Q3= 2]

Q5. What are all the reasons why you voted "No" at the referendum on the European Constitution?
[DO NOT READ OUT – CODE ALL SPONTANEOUS ANSWERS]

- a) Loss of national sovereignty.....1
- b) Lack of information1
- c) I am against Europe / European construction / European integration.....1
- d) I do not see what is positive in this text1
- e) Not democratic enough1
- f) It will have negative effects on the employment situation in the Netherlands/
 relocation of Dutch enterprises/loss of jobs1
- g) Too complex.....1
- h) Opposes the national government/ certain political parties.....1
- i) Economically speaking, the draft is too liberal1
- j) The draft goes too far/ advances too quickly1
- k) Not enough social Europe1
- l) The economic situation in the Netherlands is too weak/
 there is too much unemployment in the Netherlands.....1
- m) Too technocratic / juridical / too much regulation1
- n) Does not want Turkey in the European Union1
- o) Opposition to further enlargement.....1
- p) Because France voted "NO".....1
- q) The result of this referendum is not binding1
- r) I do not want a European political union/ a European federal State/
 the « United States » of Europe1
- s) Other (SPECIFY).....1
- t) [DK/NA]1

The moment of choice

IF YES IN Q1

Q6. Can you tell me roughly when did you make up your mind how you would vote in the Referendum on the European Constitution?
 [READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]

- At the time the Referendum was announced 1
- Fairly early on during the Referendum campaign 2
- In the final weeks of the campaign 3
- The week before the Referendum 4
- the day of the Referendum itself 5
- [DK/NA]..... 6

The key-element to vote

IF YES IN Q1

Q7. Could you tell me what was the key element that led to your vote in this Referendum?

[READ OUT – ROTATE PER BLOCK OF TWO ITEMS – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]

- Your opinion on the European Constitution..... 1
- Your overall opinion regarding the European Union 2
- Your opinion of those who led the “YES” campaign..... 3
- Your opinion of those who led the “NO” campaign..... 4
- Your opinion on the economic and social situation in the Netherlands 5
- [NONE OF THESE BUT THIS ONE – SPECIFY] 6
- [DK/NA]..... 7

Feeling with regard to the result

TO ALL

Q8. Regardless of whether or not you voted, are you satisfied toward the « No » victory?
 [READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]

- Very satisfied 1
- Rather satisfied 2
- Rather dissatisfied..... 3
- Not satisfied at all 4
- [DK/NA] 5

The debates about the European Constitution

TO ALL

Q9. Would you say that the debates about the European Constitution in the Netherlands started ...
 [READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]

- Too early 1
- Too late 2
- Just at the right time 3
- [DK/NA] 4

Consequences of the vote

- Q10. Please tell me if you tend to agree or tend to disagree with each of the following statements...
 [READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]
- Tend to agree1
 - Tend to disagree2
 - [DK]3
- a) The Institutions of the European Union conjure up a good image to you 1 2 3
- b) The "No" victory in the referendum will allow for the renegotiation of the Constitution in order to come to a more social text..... 1 2 3
- c) The "No" victory in the referendum will allow for the renegotiation of the Constitution in order to come to a text which will better defend the Netherlands's interests 1 2 3
- d) The Netherlands's membership to the EU is a good thing 1 2 3
- e) The "No" victory will decrease Netherlands's influence within the European Union..... 1 2 3
- f) The "No" victory will make the running of the European Institutions difficult 1 2 3
- g) Before voting in the referendum, you had all necessary information in order to take a decision..... 1 2 3
- h) The "No" victory will make it more difficult for new countries to join the European Union..... 1 2 3
- i) The "No" victory in the referendum in the Netherlands and in France will lead the rest of the countries that will hold a similar Referendum to vote « Non » 1 2 3
- j) The European Constitution is essential in order to pursue the European Construction 1 2 3
- Q11. If between now and November 2006, at least 20 of the 25 Member States ratify the Constitutional Treaty, the European Council, composed of Heads of State and Government of the Member States, should decide on the procedure regarding the application of the Treaty within the European Union.
 Which of the following propositions would you prefer?
- [READ OUT – ONLY ONE ANSWER POSSIBLE]
- That a new vote be organised in the countries which have not ratified the Treaty 1
 - That the Treaty be applicable only in the countries which ratified it..... 2
 - That this Treaty be abandoned for all Member States..... 3
 - Another solution [Specify] 4
 - [DK]..... 5