

RESULTS OF SURVEY
**«YOUTH OF UKRAINE -
2015»**

carried out by GfK Ukraine for the
Ministry of Youth and Sports of Ukraine
with the financial support of the UN
organizations in Ukraine

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ABOUT THE SURVEY

Analytical research «Youth of Ukraine - 2015» was carried out by GfK Ukraine on request of the Ministry of Youth and Sports of Ukraine with the financial support of the UN organizations in Ukraine – members of the UN Working Group on Youth, in particular UN Population Fund (UNFPA), UN Development Programme (UNDP), The UN Children's Fund (UNICEF), UN Volunteers programme (UNV) and Office of UN Resident Coordinator.

The target group of the research is Ukrainian youth – citizens of Ukraine at the age from 14 to 35 years who permanently live on the territory of Ukraine (except for the temporarily occupied and uncontrolled territories).

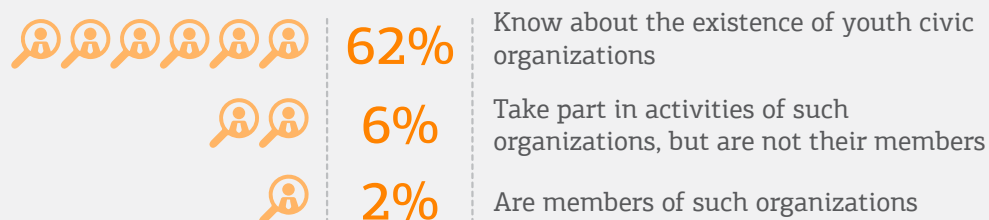
The research was conducted using the methods of online interview (for Internet users) and personal interview at respondent's home (for Internet non-users and village inhabitants). The sample of 2852 respondents is representative for Ukrainian population (except for the temporarily occupied and uncontrolled territories) of the corresponding age group by gender, age, oblast of residence, settlement size and share of Internet users.

The survey was conducted from September 18 till October 7, 2015. Main results of the research are presented in infographics.



CIVIL ACTIVITY OF YOUTH

? Do you know youth civic organizations and their activities in Ukraine?



? Have you participated in any civil initiatives in the last 12 months?

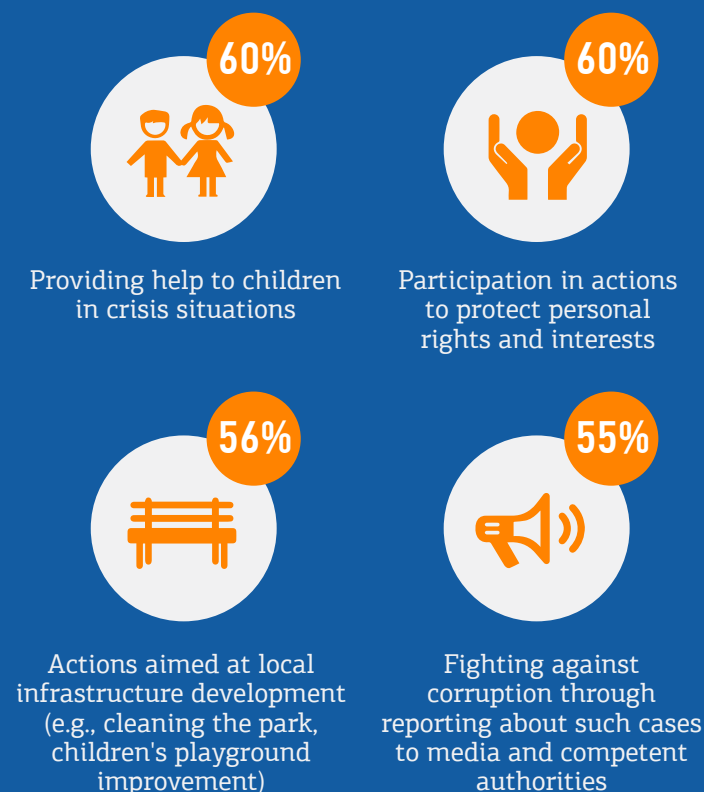
(including financial support of initiatives or direct participation)



? Have you ever volunteered?

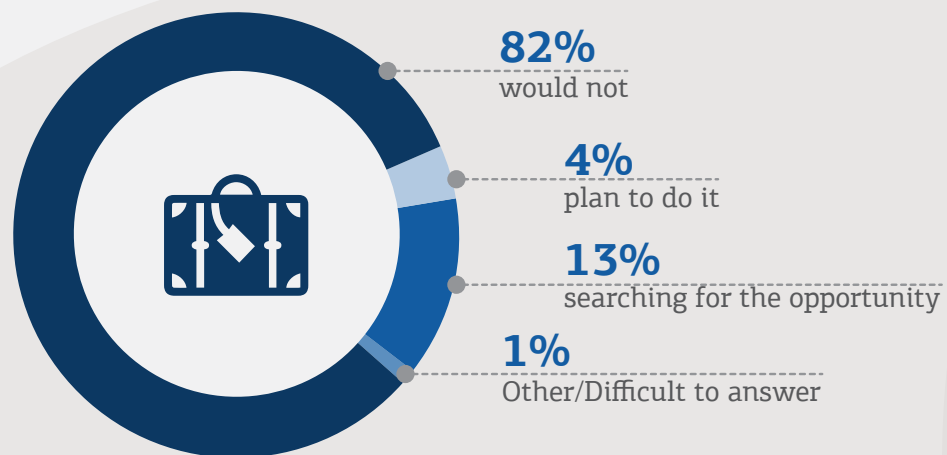


? Share of youth who haven't participated in certain civil initiatives, but are potentially interested in them

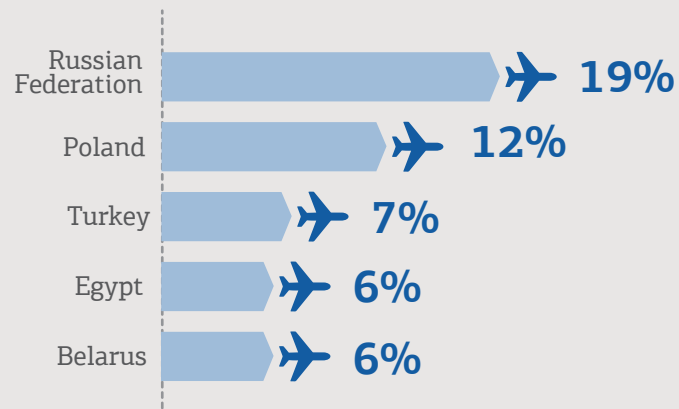


MOBILITY AND WILLINGNESS TO EMIGRATE

Would you like to emigrate from Ukraine?



Countries which have been visited by youth



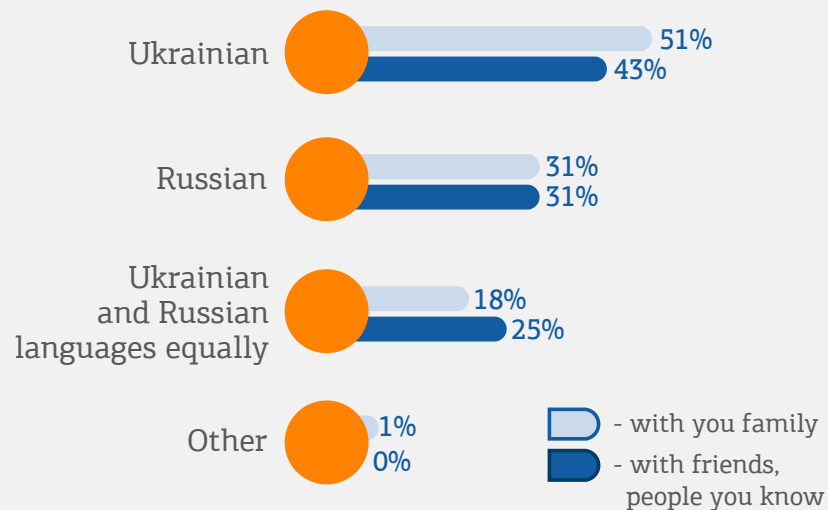
Have you visited other countries?



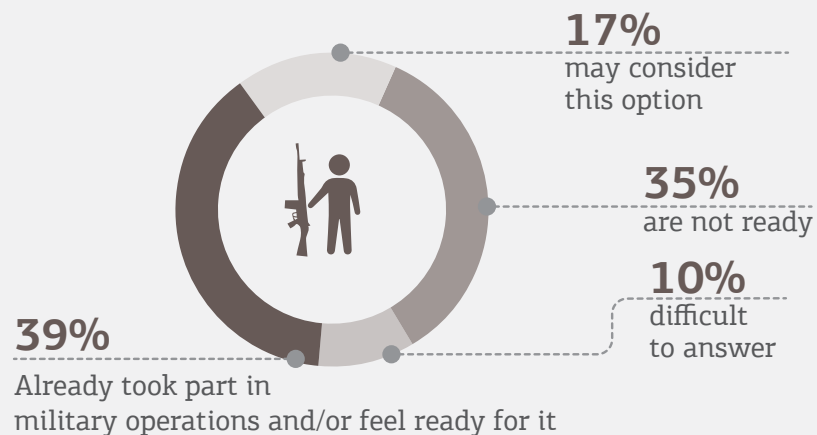
Do you know about possibilities for youth provided by the EU youth program 'Erasmus+'?

NATIONAL AND PATRIOTIC ORIENTATIONS

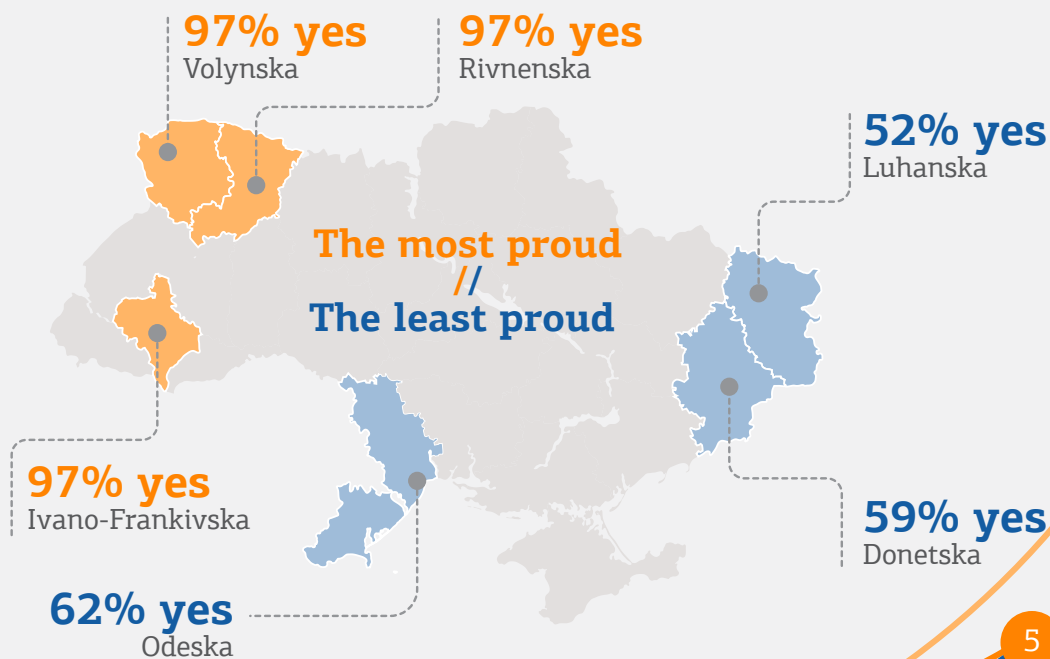
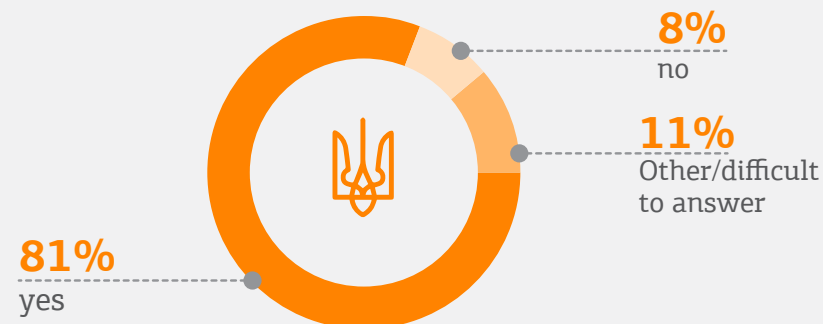
What language do you usually speak...



Are you ready for armed defense of your country? % among men

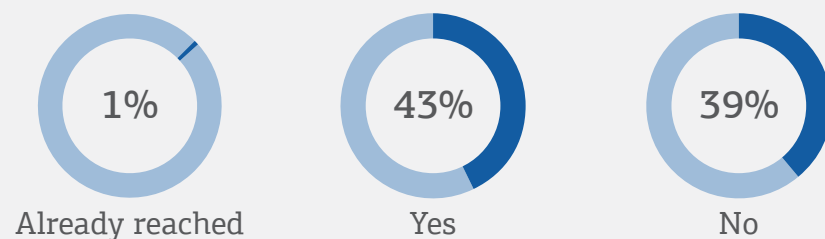


Are you proud to be a citizen of Ukraine?



FINANCIAL NEEDS AND FINANCIAL OPTIMISM

? Will you be able to reach a desired financial status in Ukraine?



Lack money even for necessary foodstuff



9%

34%

68%

82%

88%

67%

among them are sure that they will not be able to buy it in the next 5 years

49%

in the 30-34 age group don't have their own housing

Most often youth lack money for travelling abroad

62%

or within Ukraine

50%

Mentioned, that in the last 12 months they lacked money for medical treatment for themselves/ spouse/children



Don't have their own housing



Lack money for leisure (mostly for travelling)



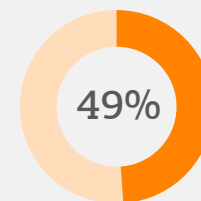
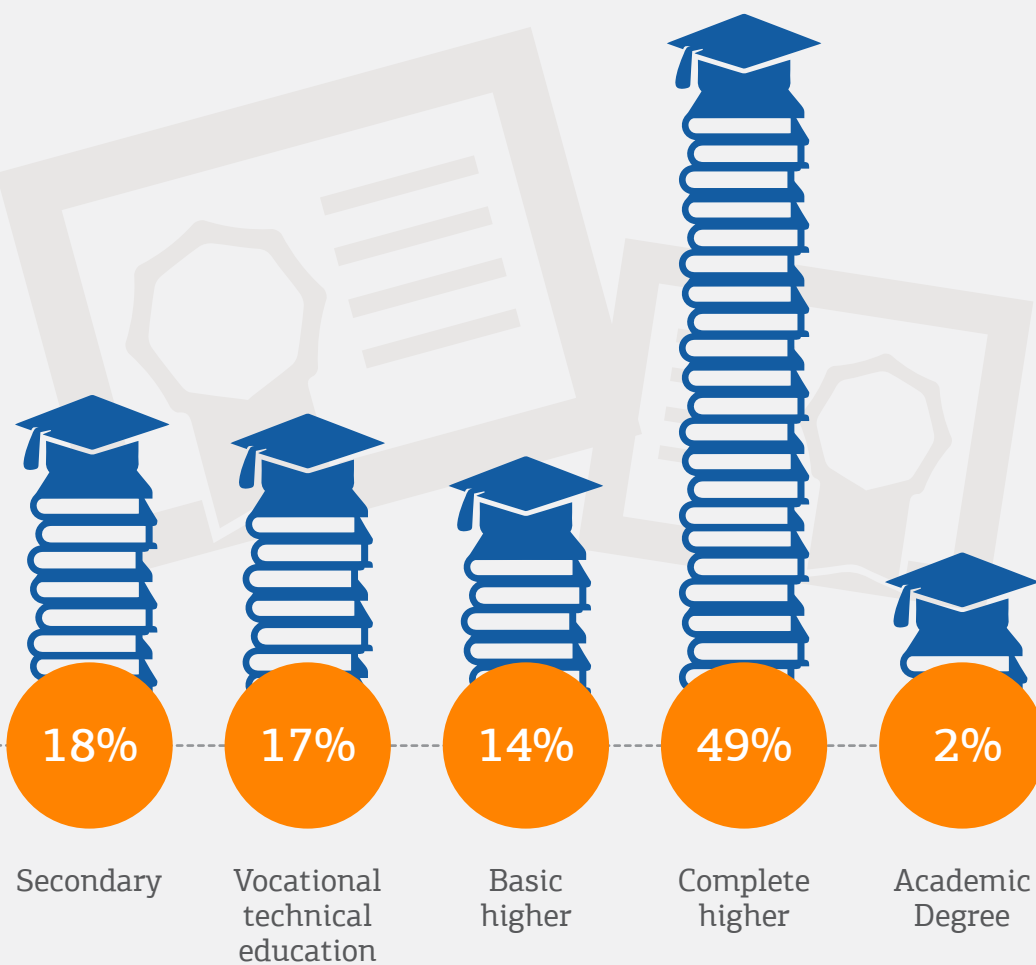
Lack money for purchasing durables such as furniture, refrigerator, TV



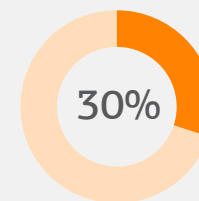
EDUCATION



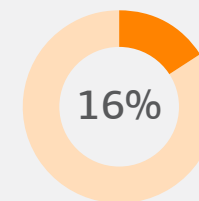
Education level
(already obtained or acquiring)



Speciality meets
interests, hobbies,
skills

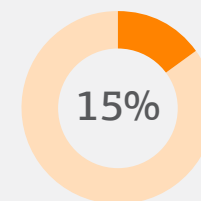


Speciality will
provide a decent
income

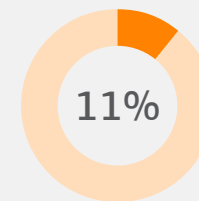


According to the
advice of parents,
relatives

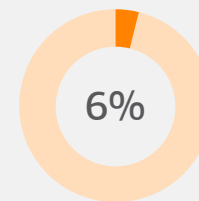
**How are you going to choose your
speciality?** / *(for those who've finished education)*
**How have you chosen your last
speciality?** *(multiple choice)*



Prestigious
speciality



Education for this
speciality can (could) be
obtained for free



As a result of
professional
orientation test

EMPLOYMENT



9%
unemployed and
searching for a job



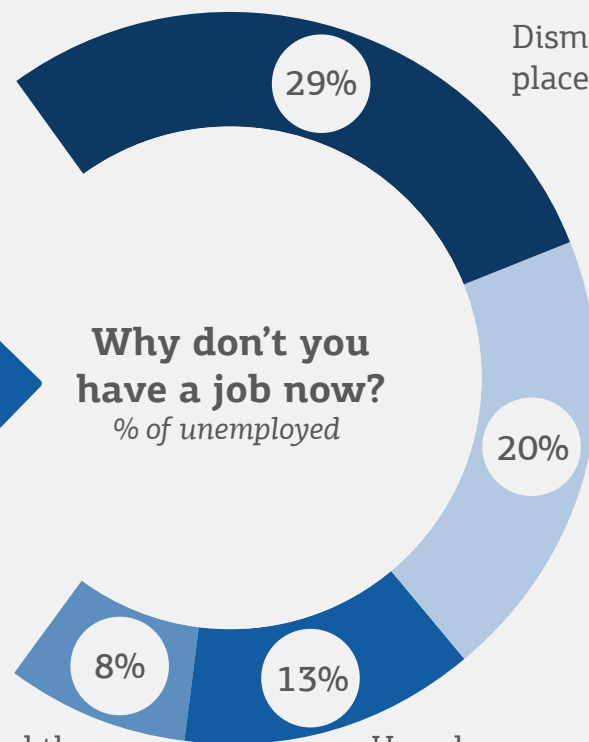
60%
Have a job



among them
51%
have job
relevant to
their speciality



**Why don't you
have a job now?**
% of unemployed



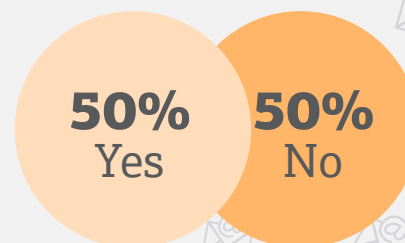
Dismissed from previous
place of employment

Recently finished
studying

Have been on
maternity leave

Have changed the
place of residence

**Do you have a
CV that you
send to
employers?**
% of unemployed



50%
Yes

50%
No

HEALTH AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY



59%

played sports or did
physical exercises in the
last 7 days



44%

don't have harmful
habits



19%

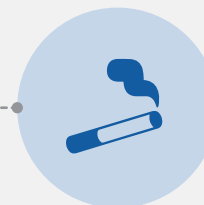
quit smoking

WHEREAS



27%

drank alcoholic beverages
in the last week



27%

smoke

among them
67%
would like
to quit



26%

haven't played sports or
had any physical activity
over the last year



10%

used drugs at least once

MOST POPULAR SPORTS AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES

30%

Fitness/physical exercises



20%

Jogging



17%

Football



15%

Swimming



14%

Cycling



4%

Basketball



4%

Yoga

3%

Boxing



8%

Volleyball



Belonging to youth subcultures related to sports or physical activities

8%

football fans

3%

«street workout»

3%

extremals

2%

breakdancers

2%

rollers

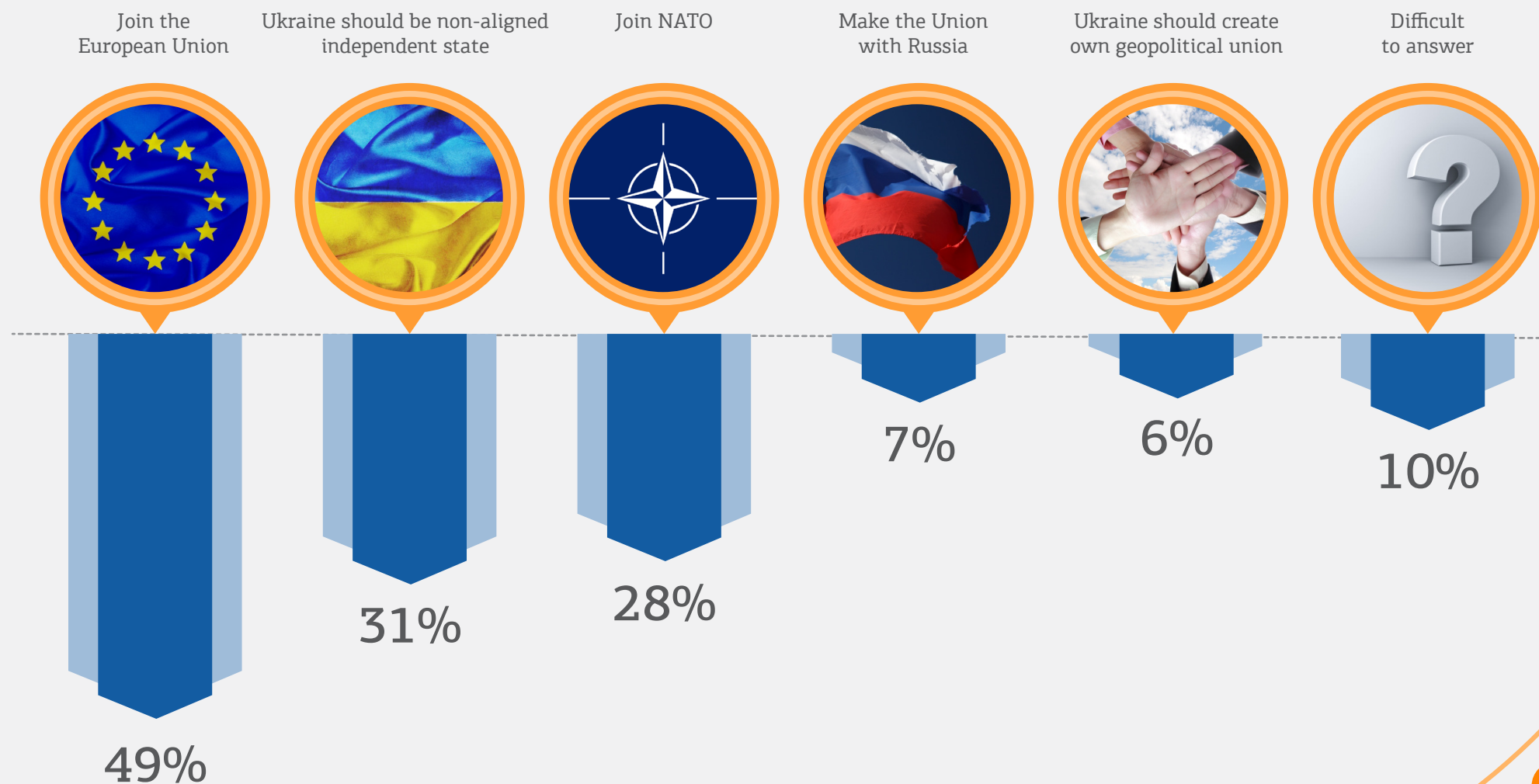
2%

tracers (parkour)

10

GEOPOLITICAL ORIENTATIONS

In your opinion, Ukraine should...
(multiple choice)



PRIORITIES OF STATE YOUTH POLICY

