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# Caucasus 2009

CRRC-Armenia  
December 1st, 2010

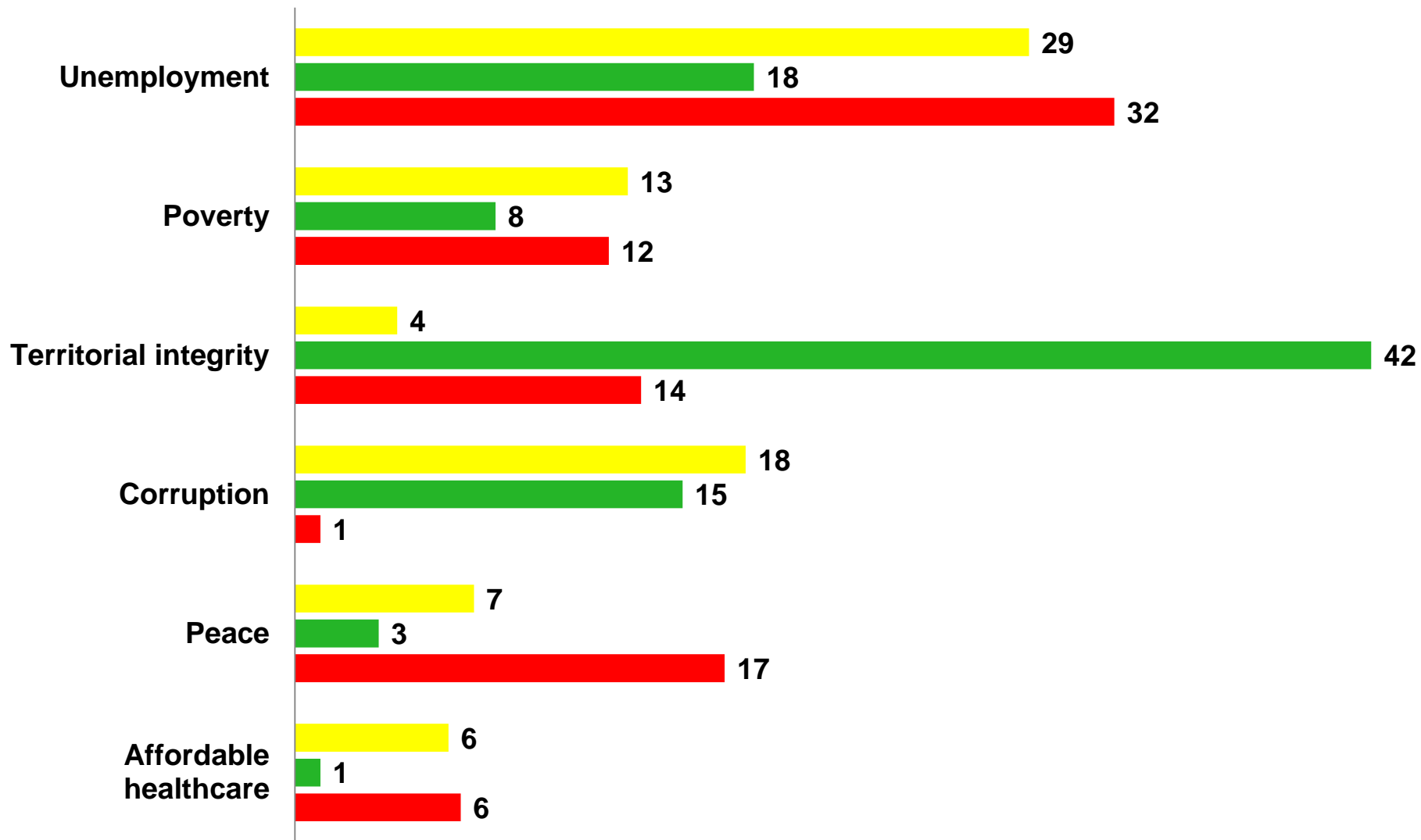
# Background Information

- Data Initiative => Caucasus Barometer
- A representative nationwide survey carried out in Armenia, Azerbaijan and Georgia
- Annual, general focus on various (social, economic, political opinions, etc) issues
- Core (repeating) questions and rotating blocks
- Since 2003

# Socio-economic Situation: overview

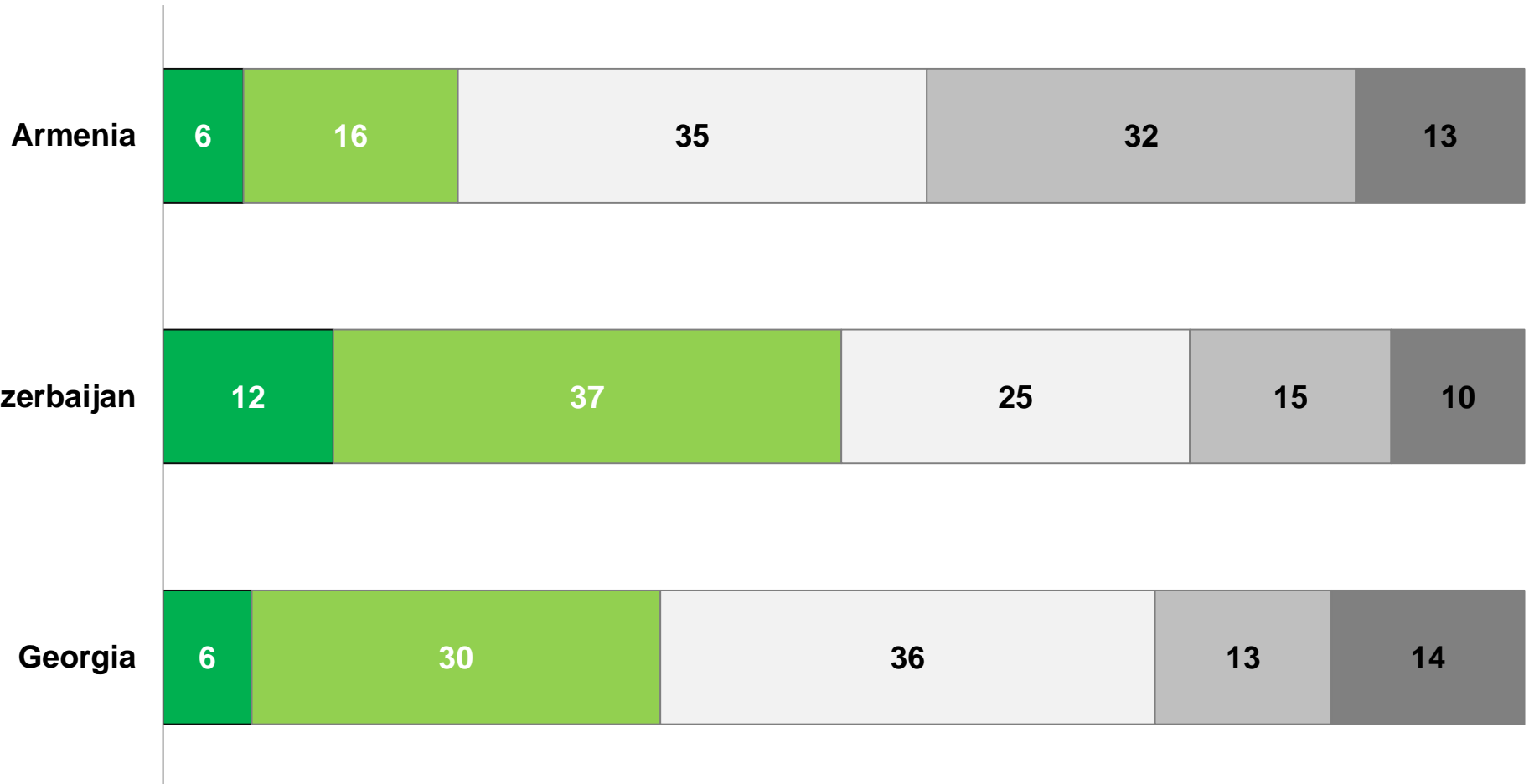
# Most important issue facing county CRRC DI 2009

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia



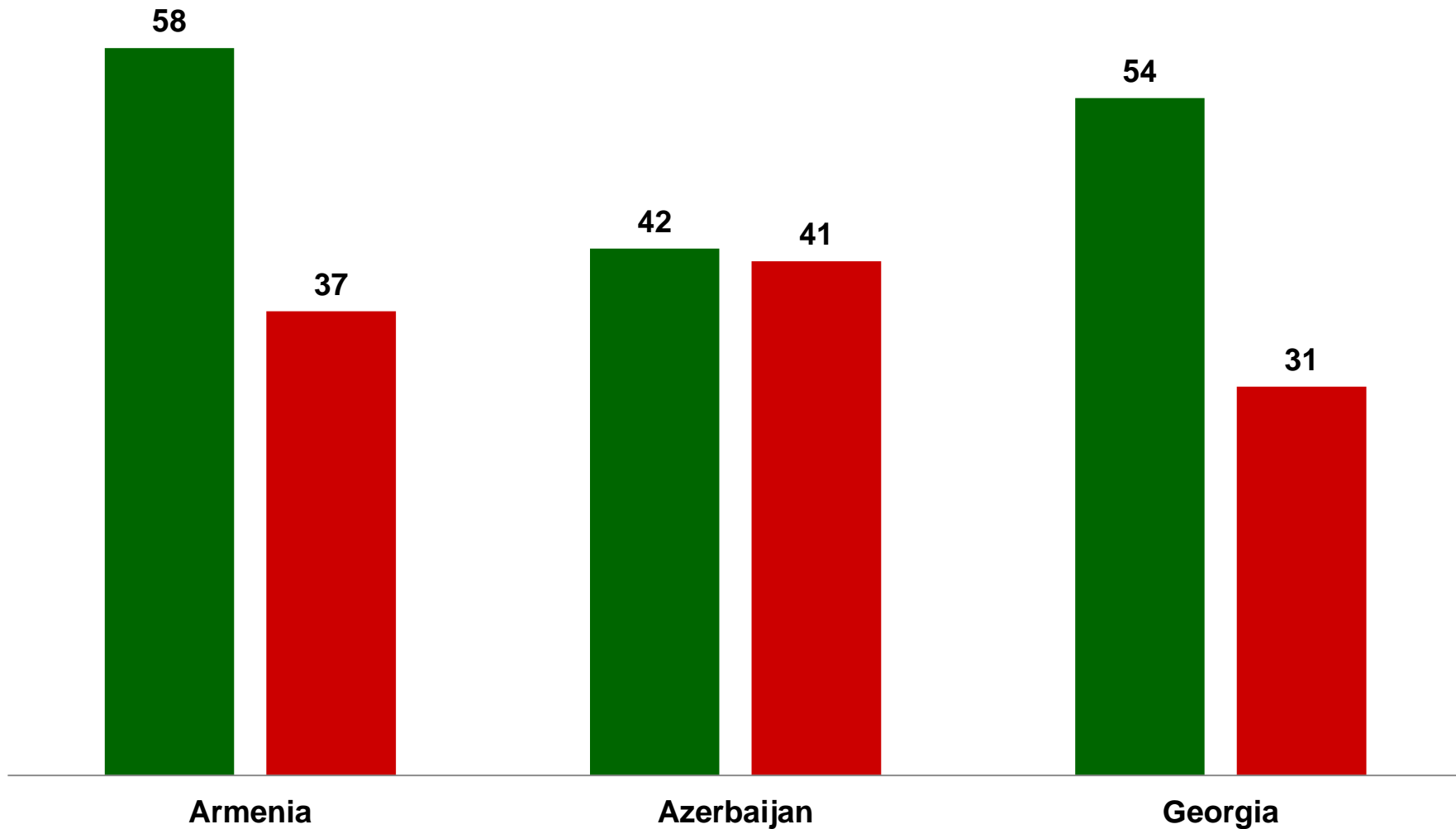
**Under the present system of government in your country, to which extent do you agree or disagree that people like yourself are treated fairly by the government? (%) [P7]**

■ Completely agree ■ Somewhat agree □ Somewhat disagree ■ Completely disagree ■ DK



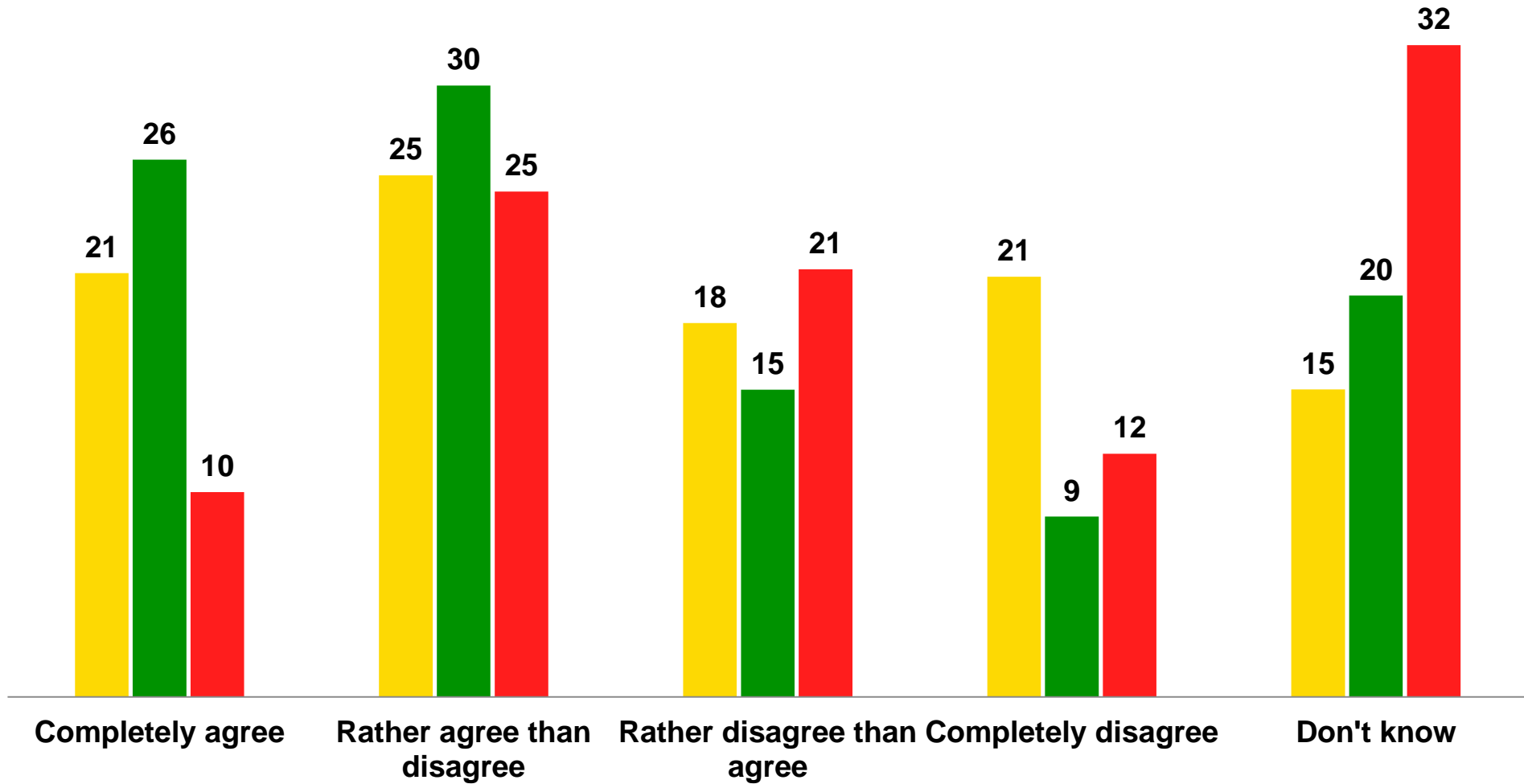
**In country today, people like yourself have the right to say  
openly what they think? (%) [P8]**

■ Yes ■ No



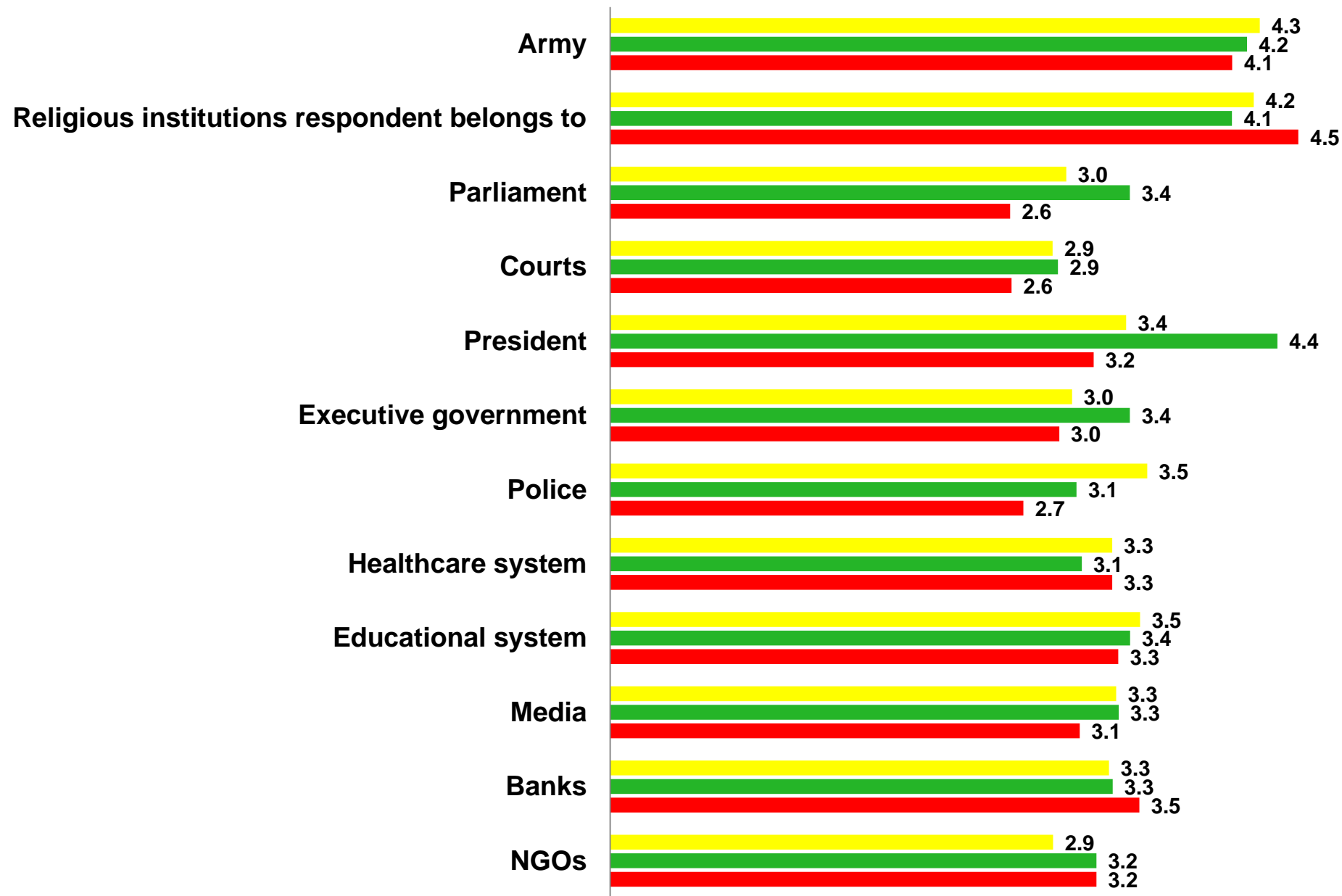
## Country is governed by the rule of law (%)

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia



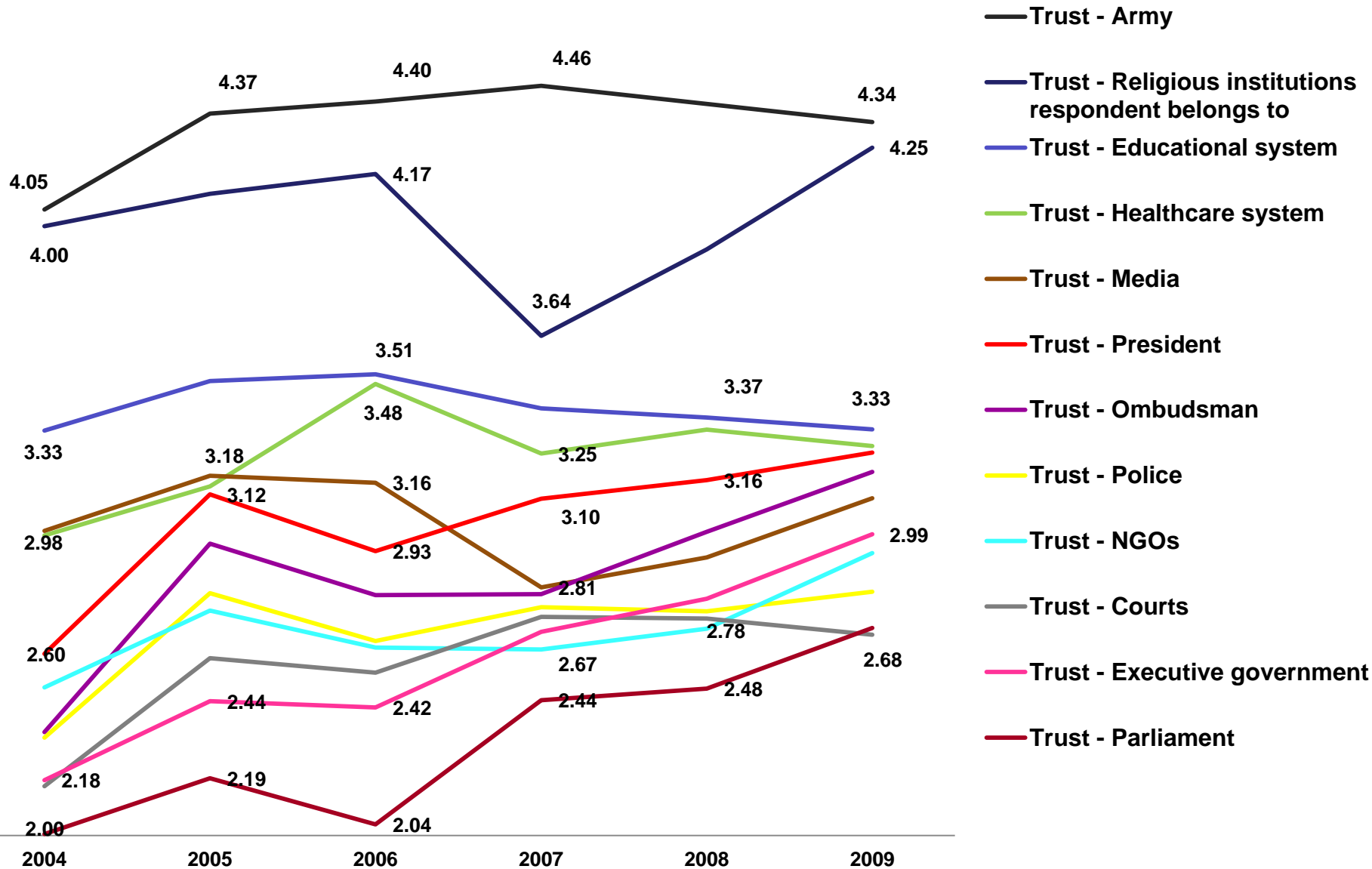
# Trust in Institutions (average rank from 1 to 5 highest)

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia



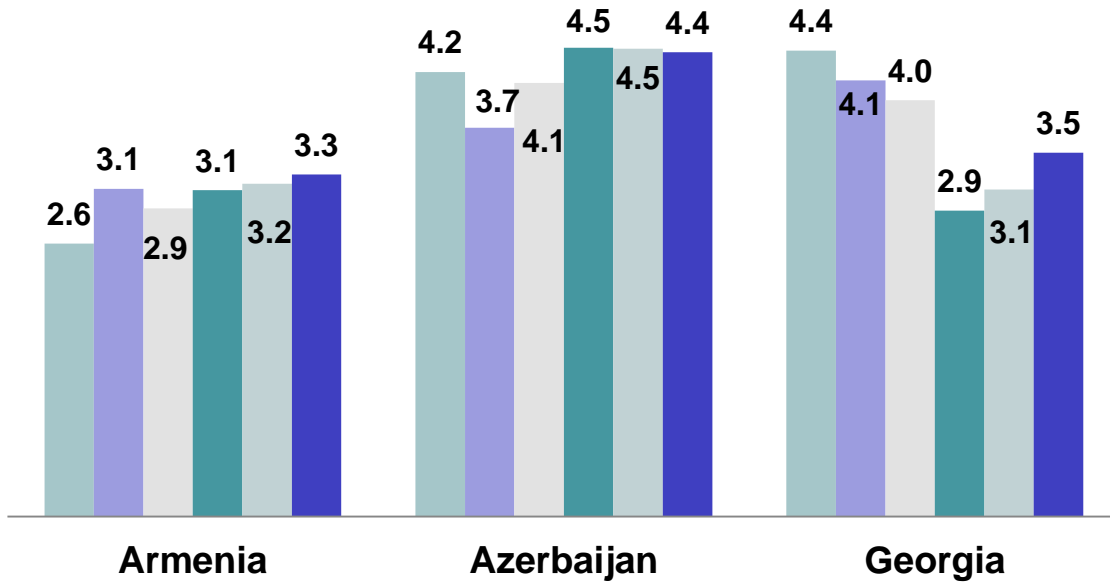


# Trust Institutions: trend for 2004-2009 Armenia



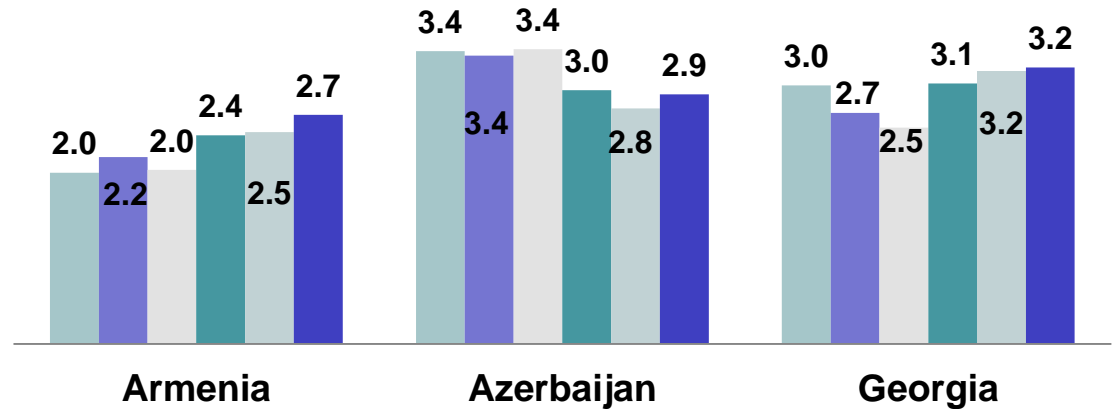
# Trust country President

2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009



# Trust country Parliament

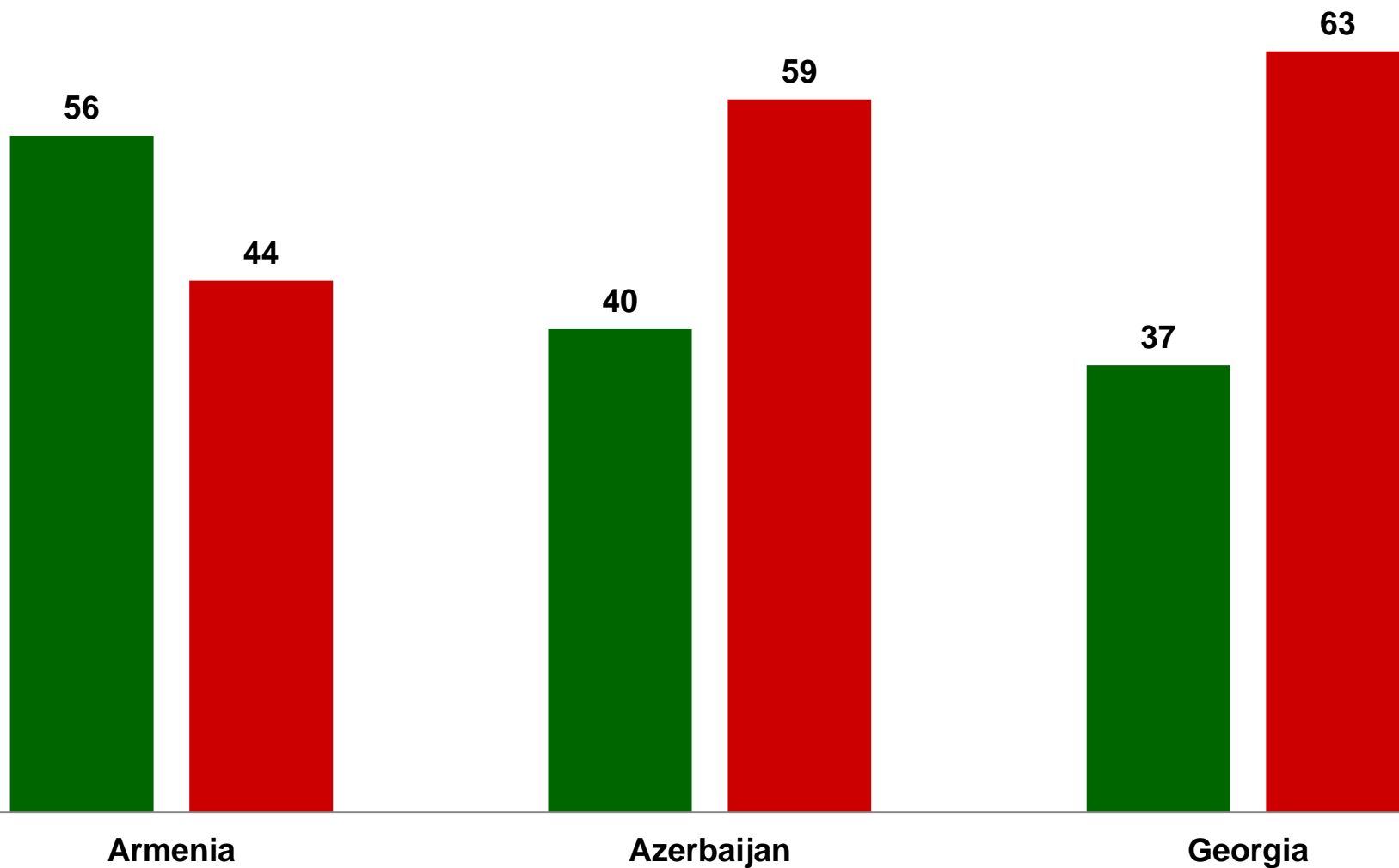
2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009



- 5- Fully trust
- 4- Somewhat trust
- 3- Neutral
- 2- Somewhat distrust
- 1- Fully distrust

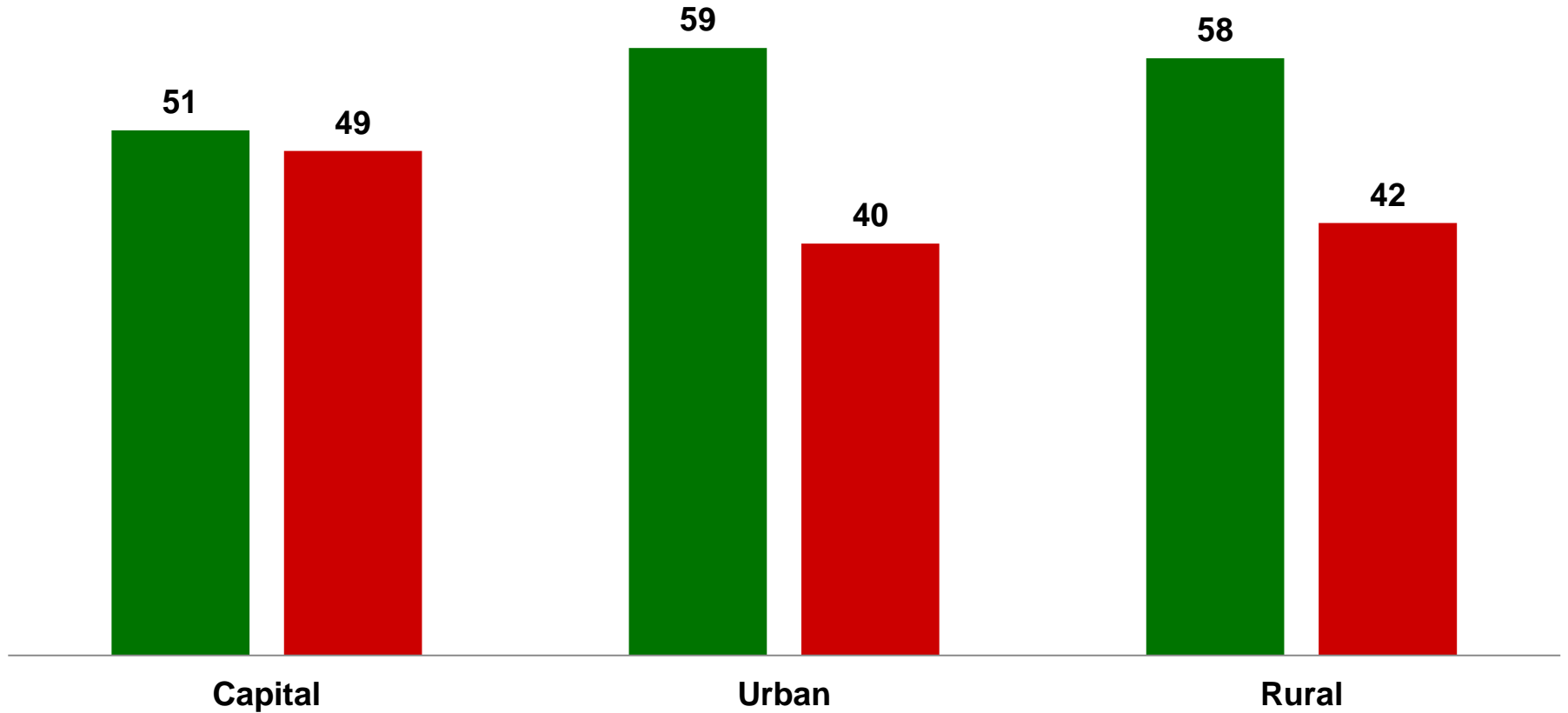
# Do you have a family member or close relative currently living abroad? (%) [N12]

■ Yes ■ No



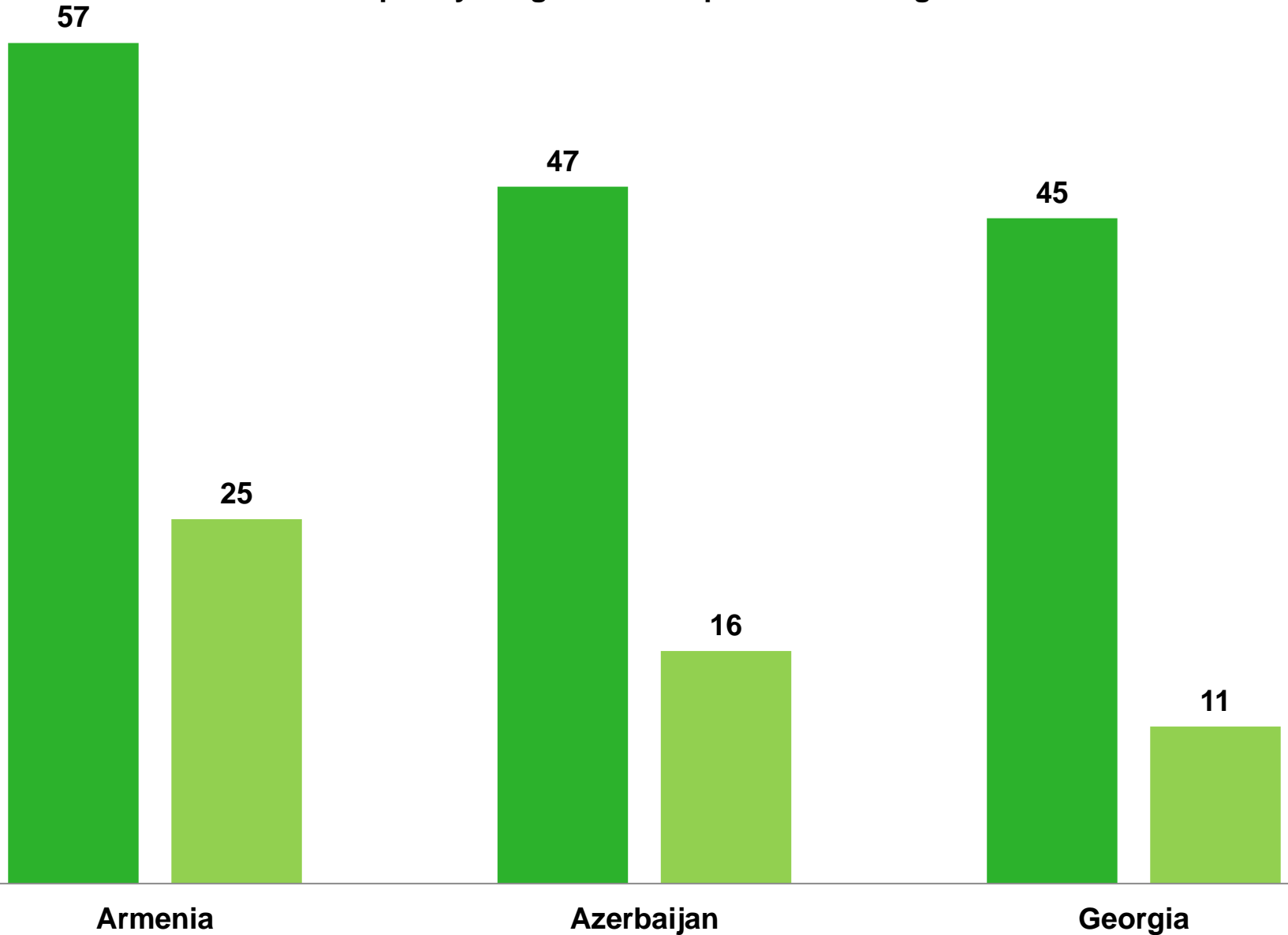
**Do you have a family member or close relative currently living  
abroad? (%)**  
**By settlement type**  
**Armenia**

■ Yes ■ No



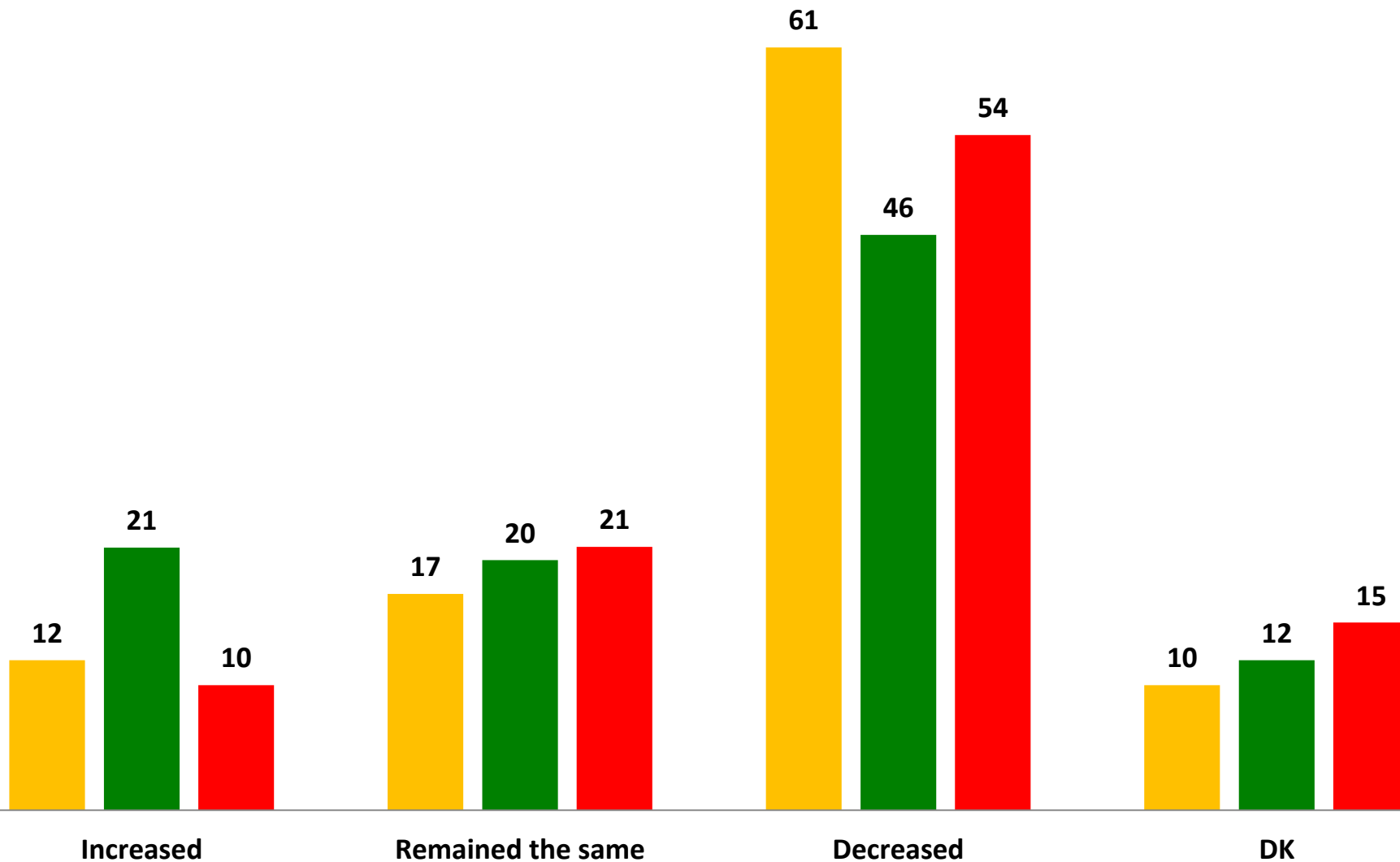
# Interest in Emigration

■ temporary emigration    ■ permanent emigration



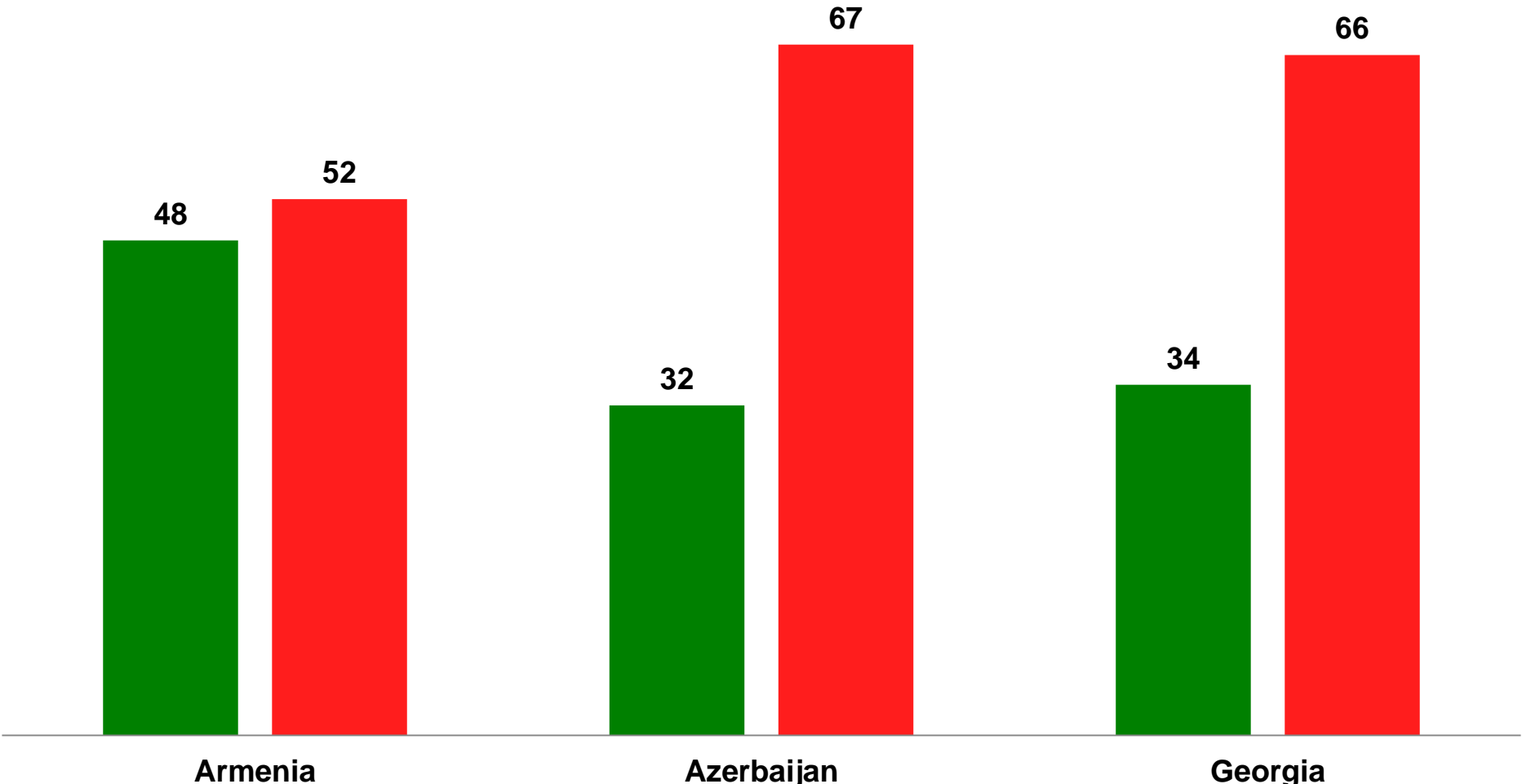
# Compared to the situation 12 month ago how the number of jobs available in country is changed? (%) [J11]

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia



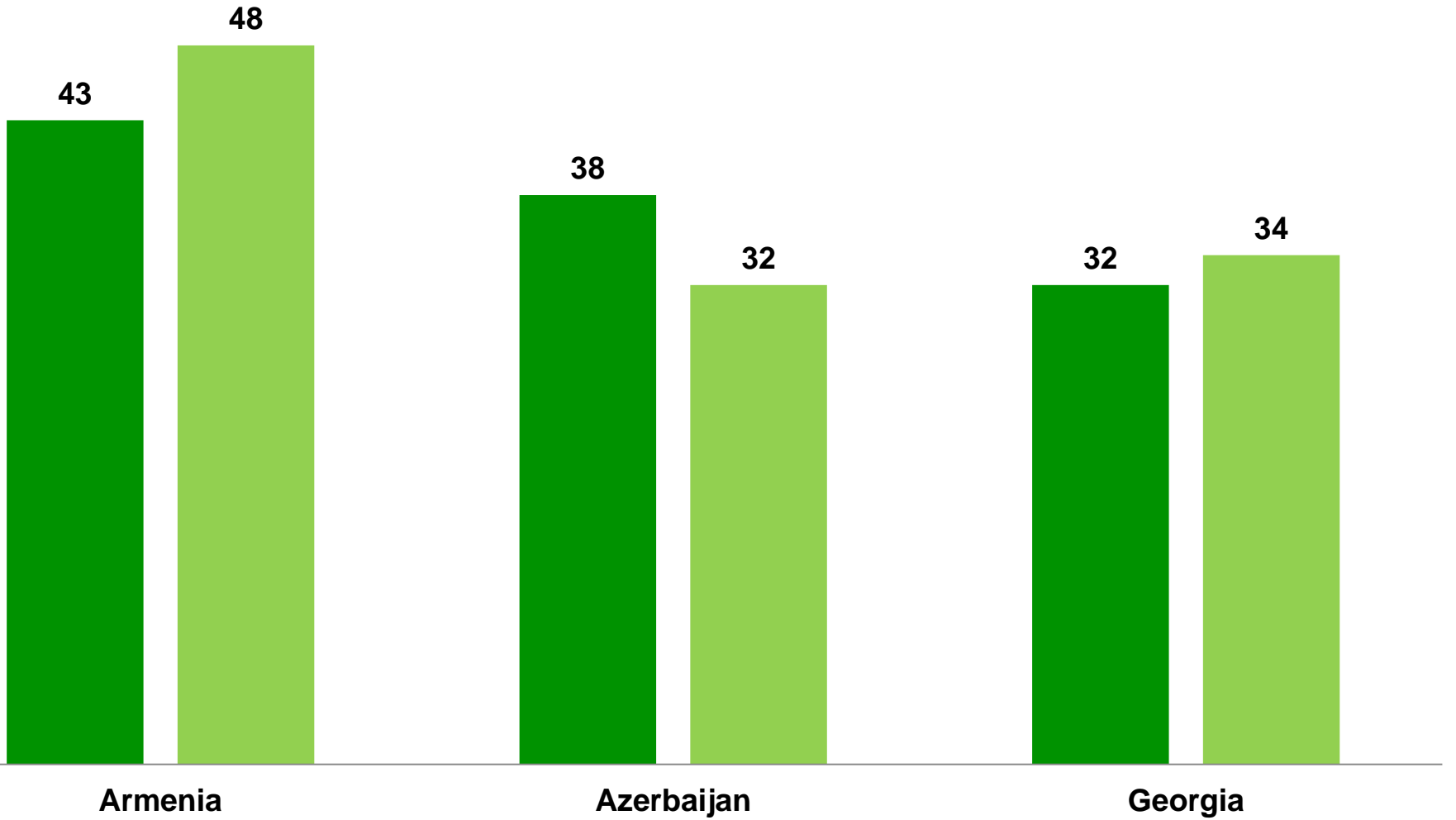
**Do you have a job that brings monetary income (part-time or full-time, officially employed, informally employed, or self-employed, etc)? (%) [J2]**

■ Yes ■ No



# Do you have a job? (Yes)

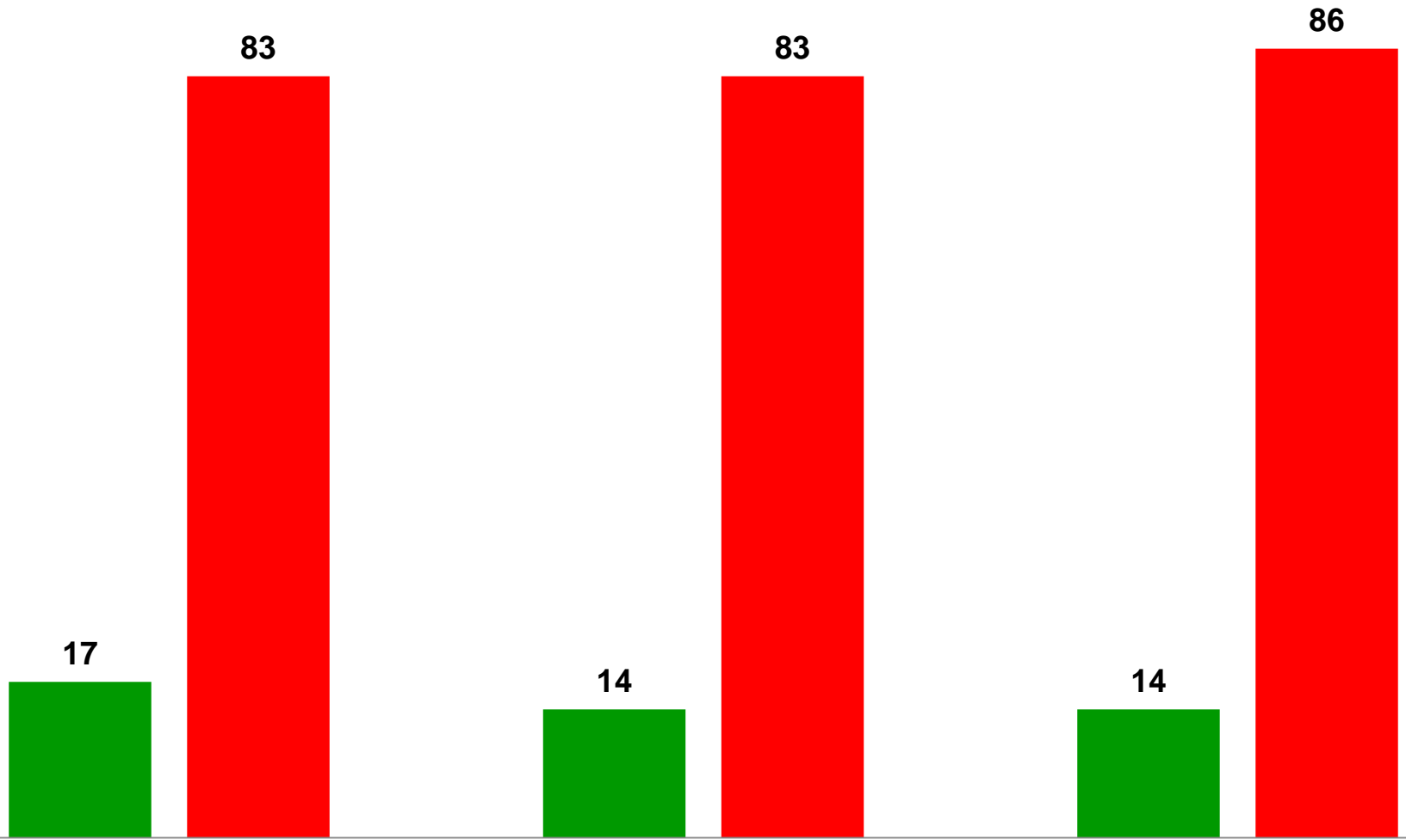
■ 2008 ■ 2009





**Has anybody in your household lost his/her job  
during the last 12 months? (%)**  
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■ Yes ■ No



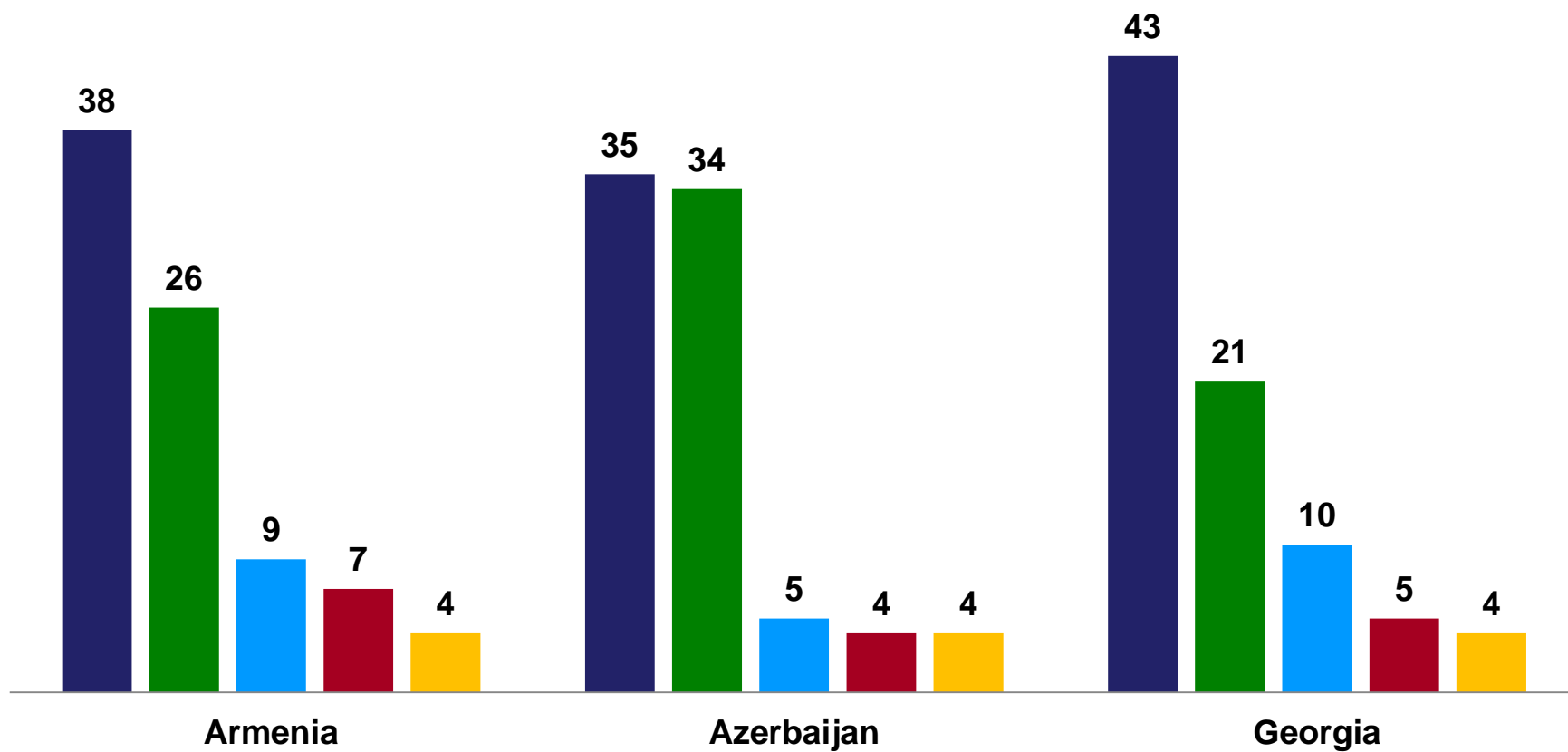
Armenia

Azerbaijan

Georgia

# Which of the following factors do You consider most important for getting a job? (%) [J12]

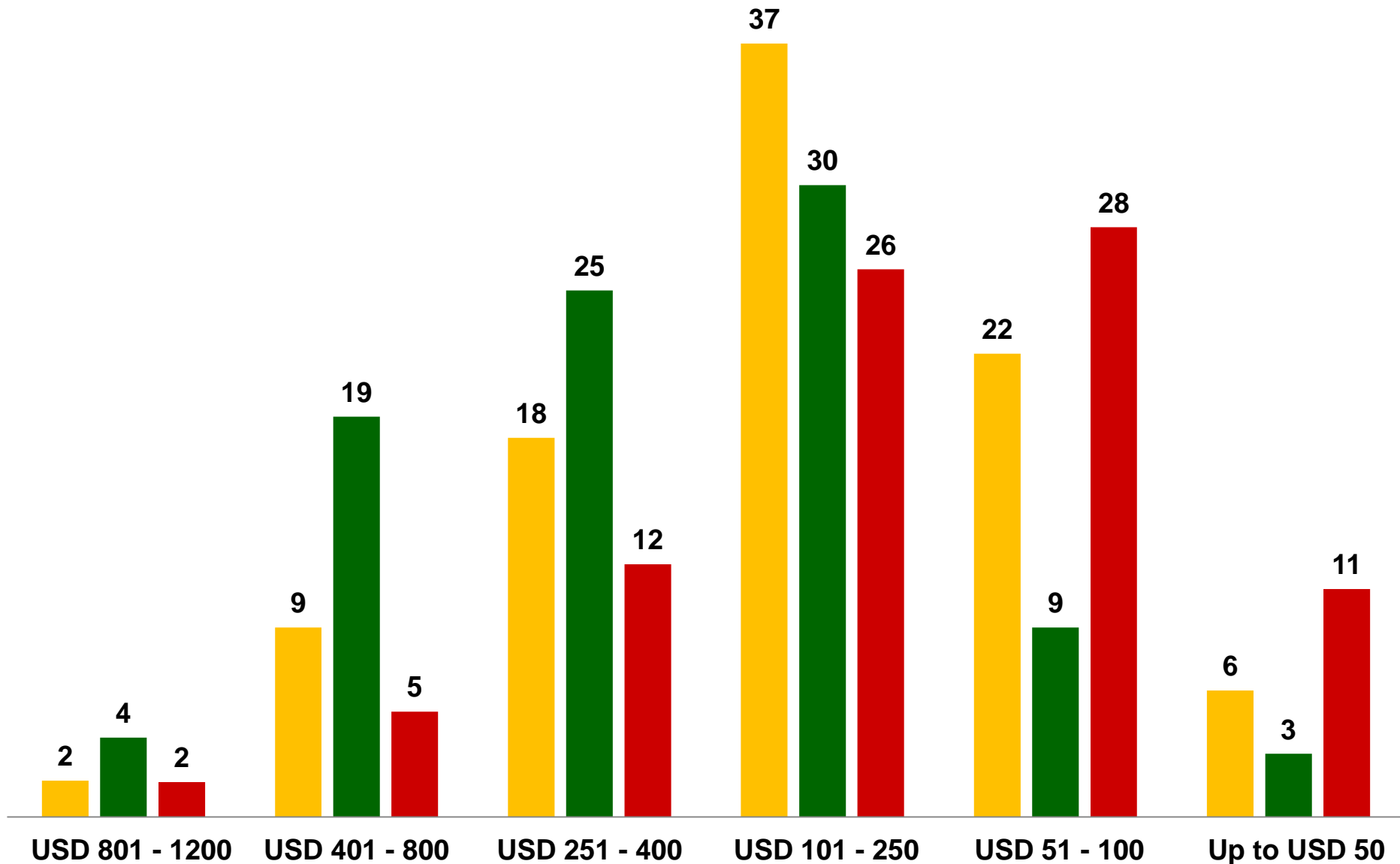
■ Connections ■ Education ■ Professional abilities ■ Hard work ■ Work experience



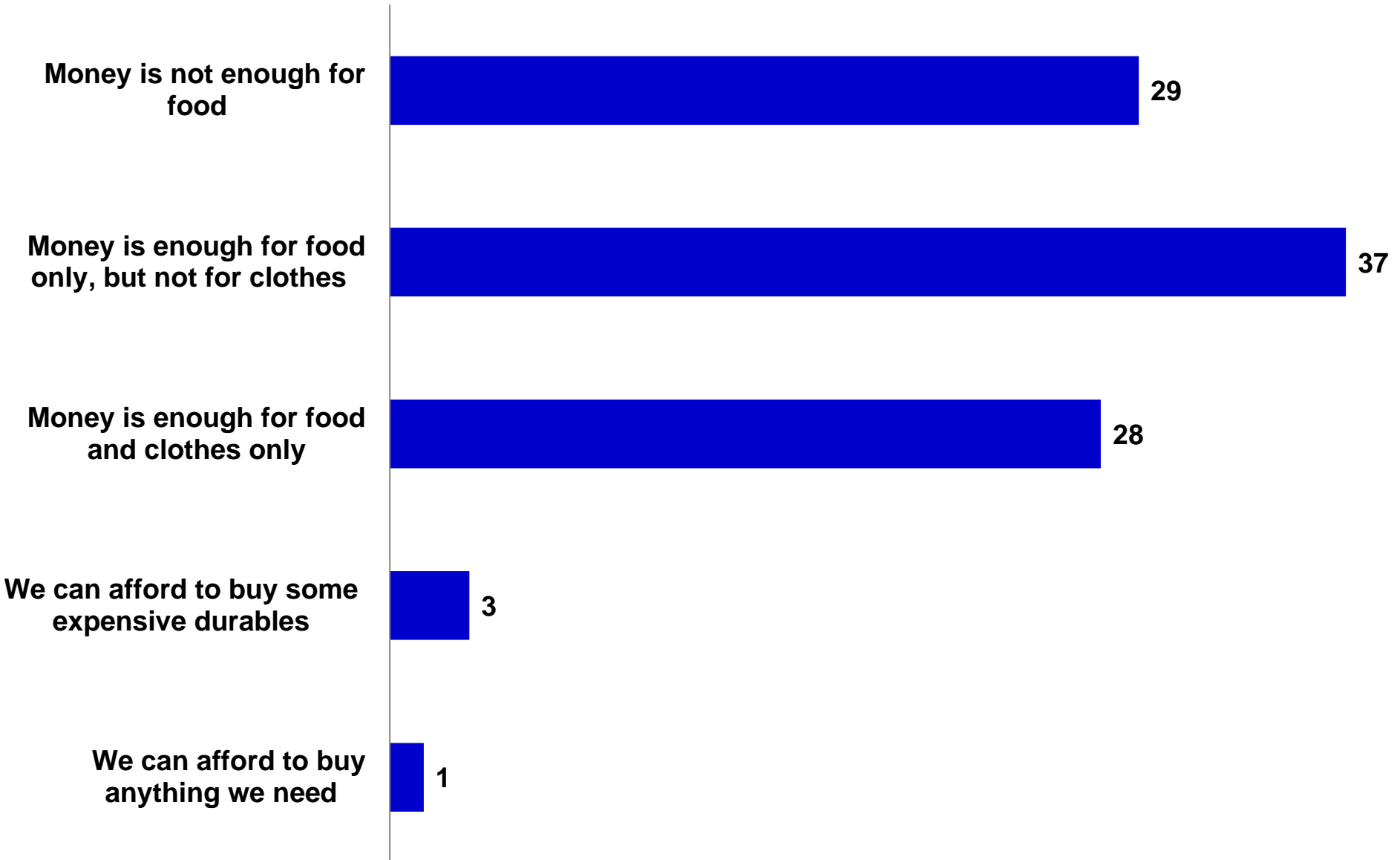
# Crisis and Economic behavior or well-being

# What was your household's income last month, in USD? (% of total) [C14]

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia

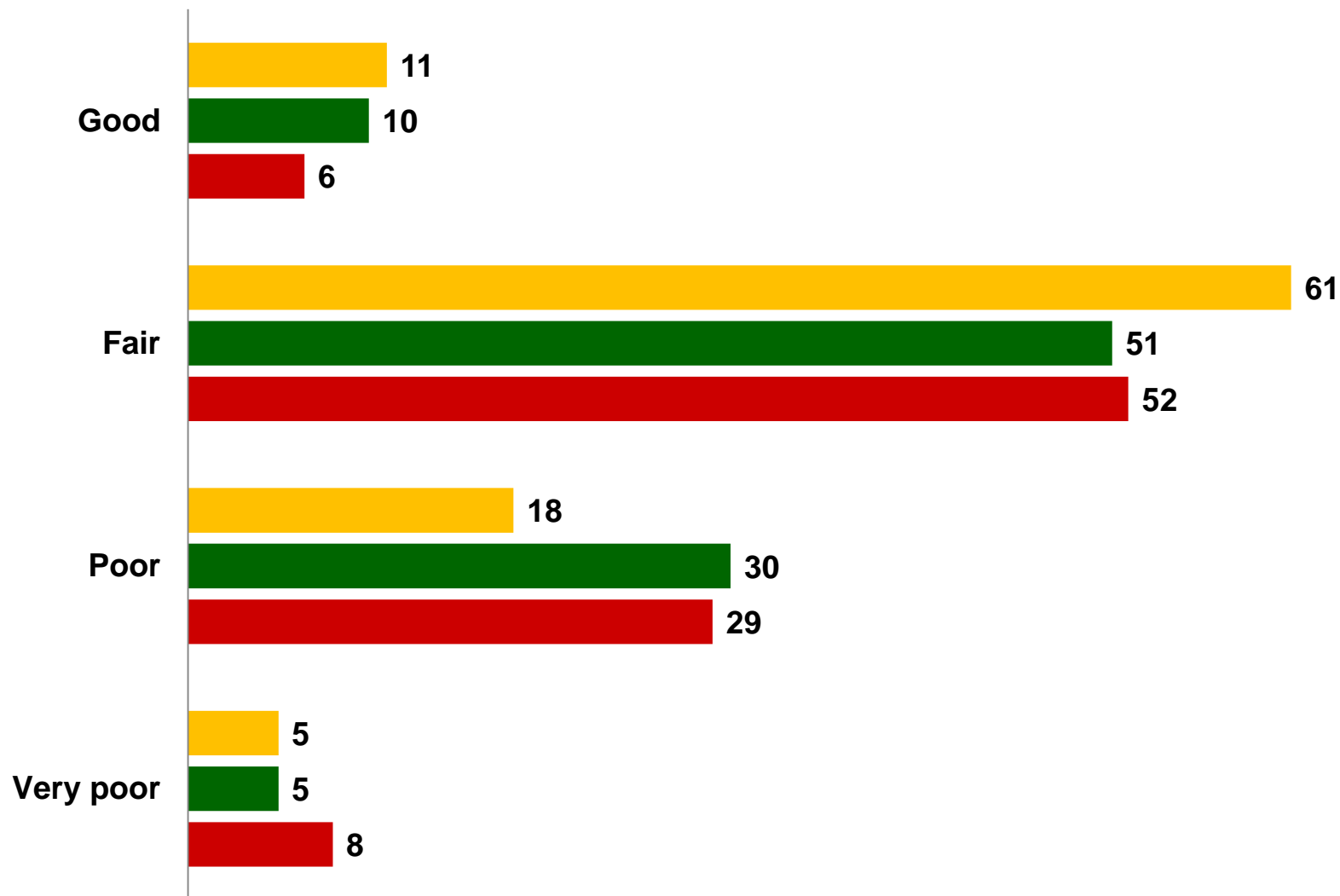


**Which statement best describes the present economic situation of  
your household? (%) [C7]  
Armenia**



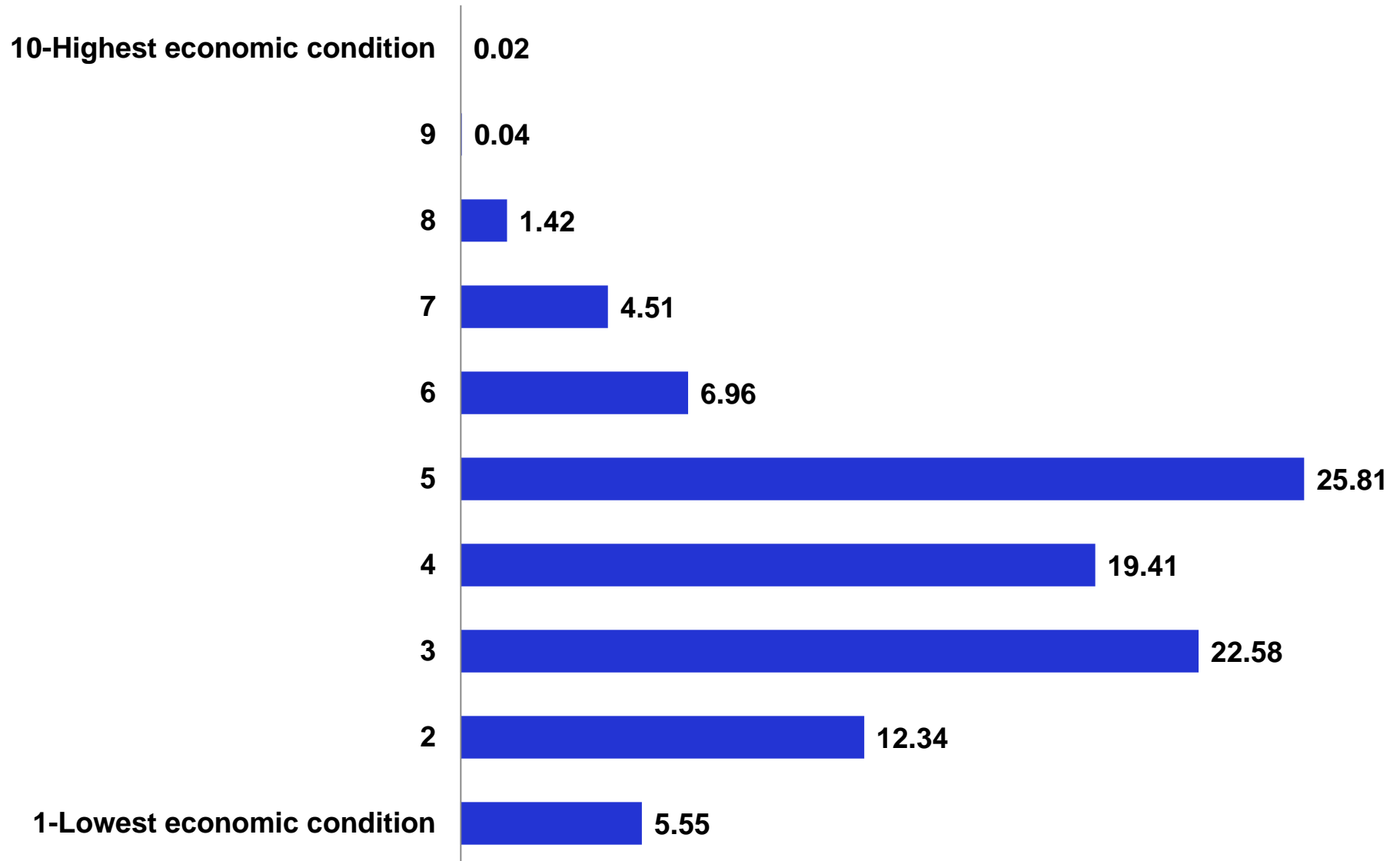
**Relative to most of the households around you, would you describe the current economic condition of your household as... (%) [C 24]**

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia



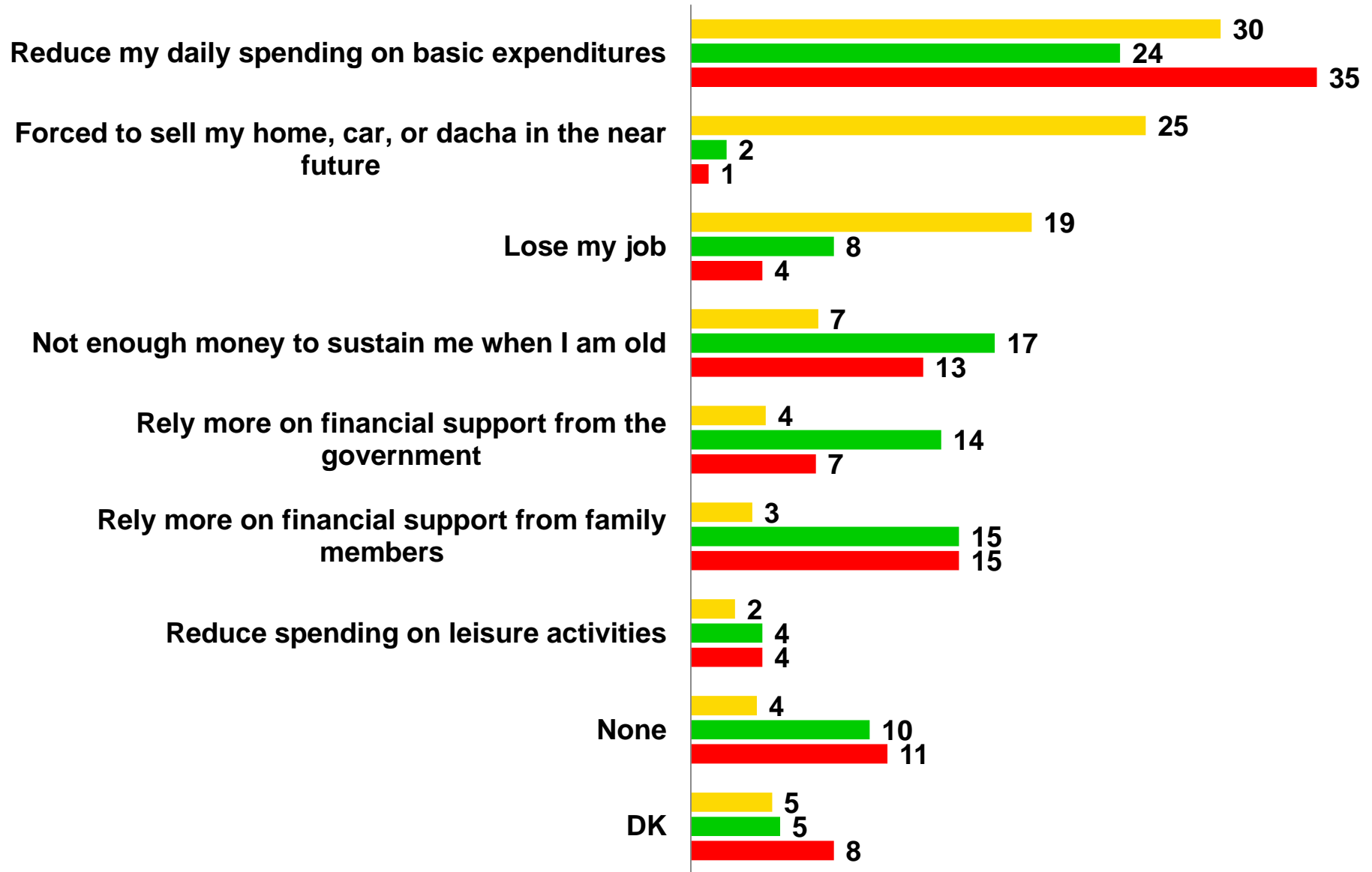
# Which rung do you think your household stands on currently? (%)

## Armenia [C22]



# Which of the issues from the list would you say is the biggest concern for you at this point in time?

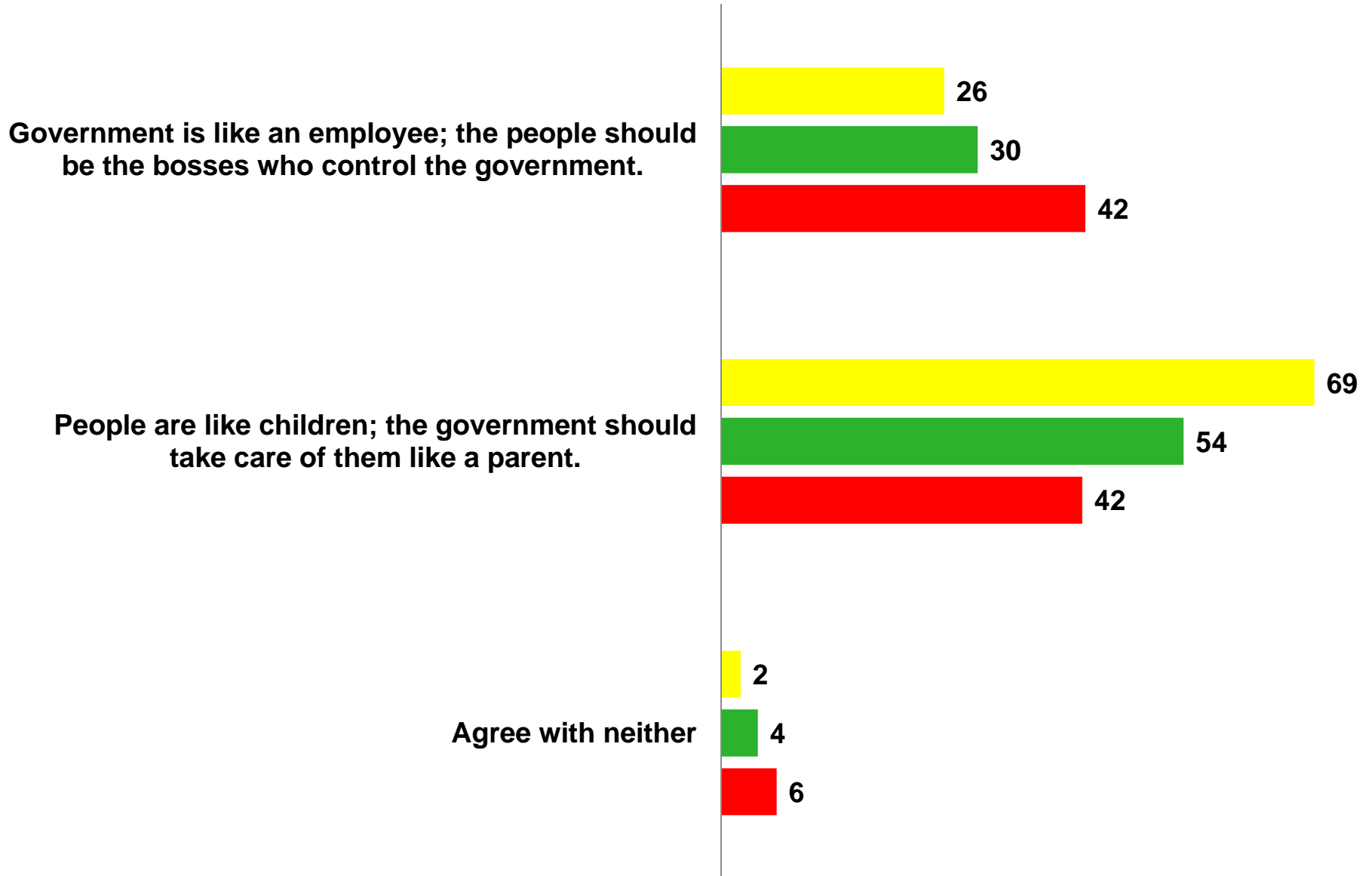
■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia





# Which of the following statements you agree with?

■ Armenia ■ Azerbaijan ■ Georgia

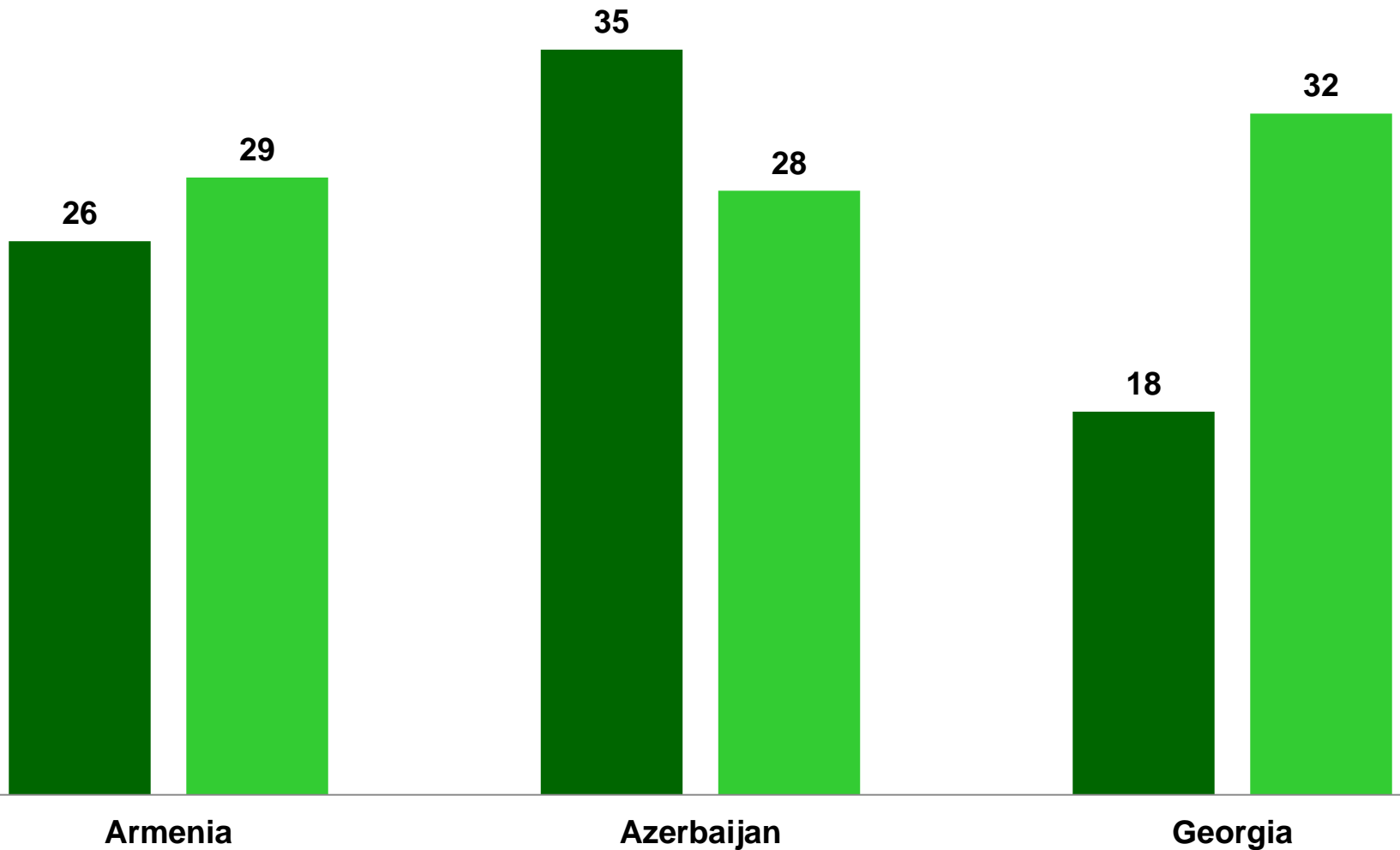


# Perceptions of International Environment

**Our way of life needs to be protected against European influences. (positive answers only; %)**

**CRRC DI 2009 [IR1]**

■ **Strongly agree** ■ **Rather agree**

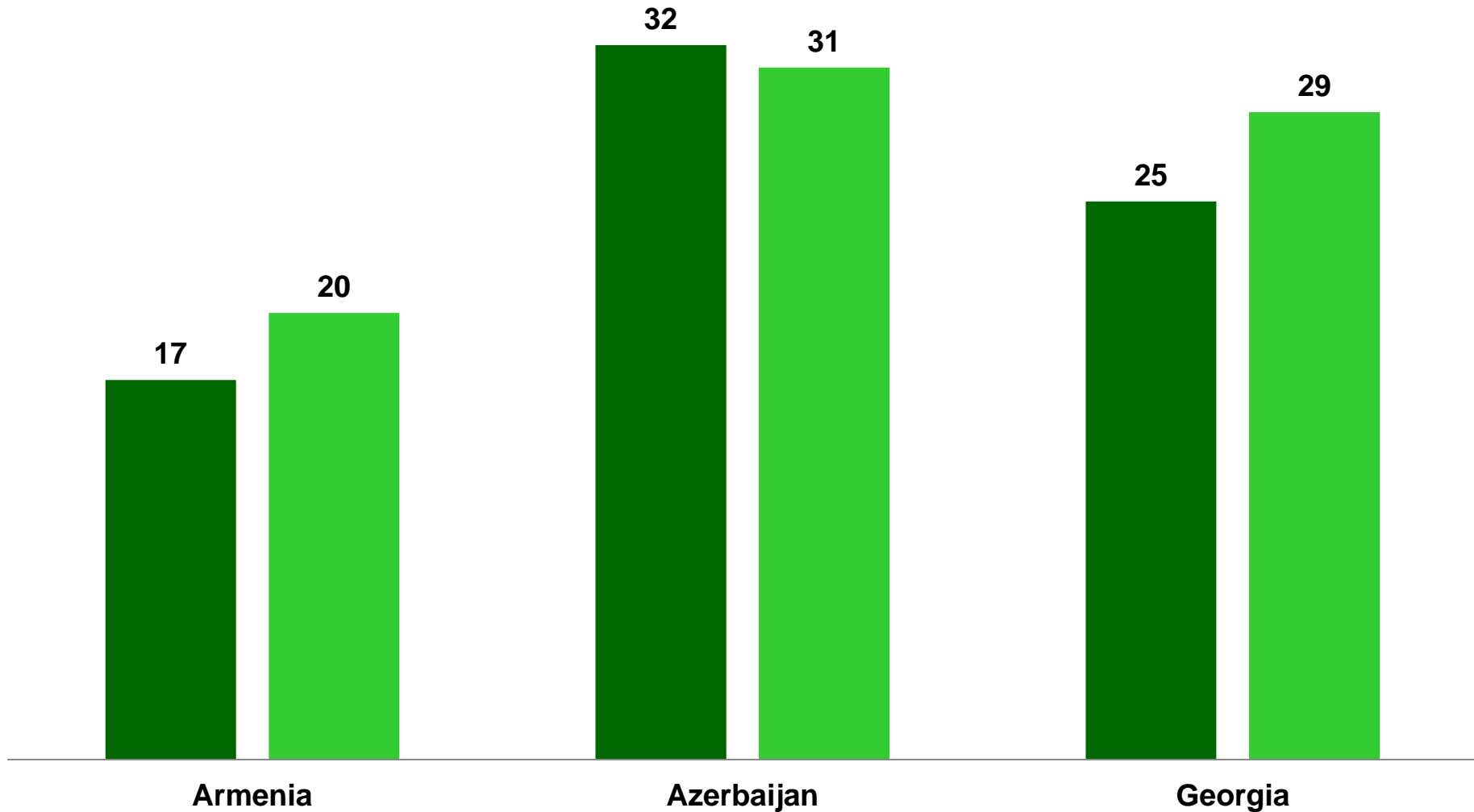


# Our way of life needs to be protected against Russian influences.

*(positive answers only; %)*

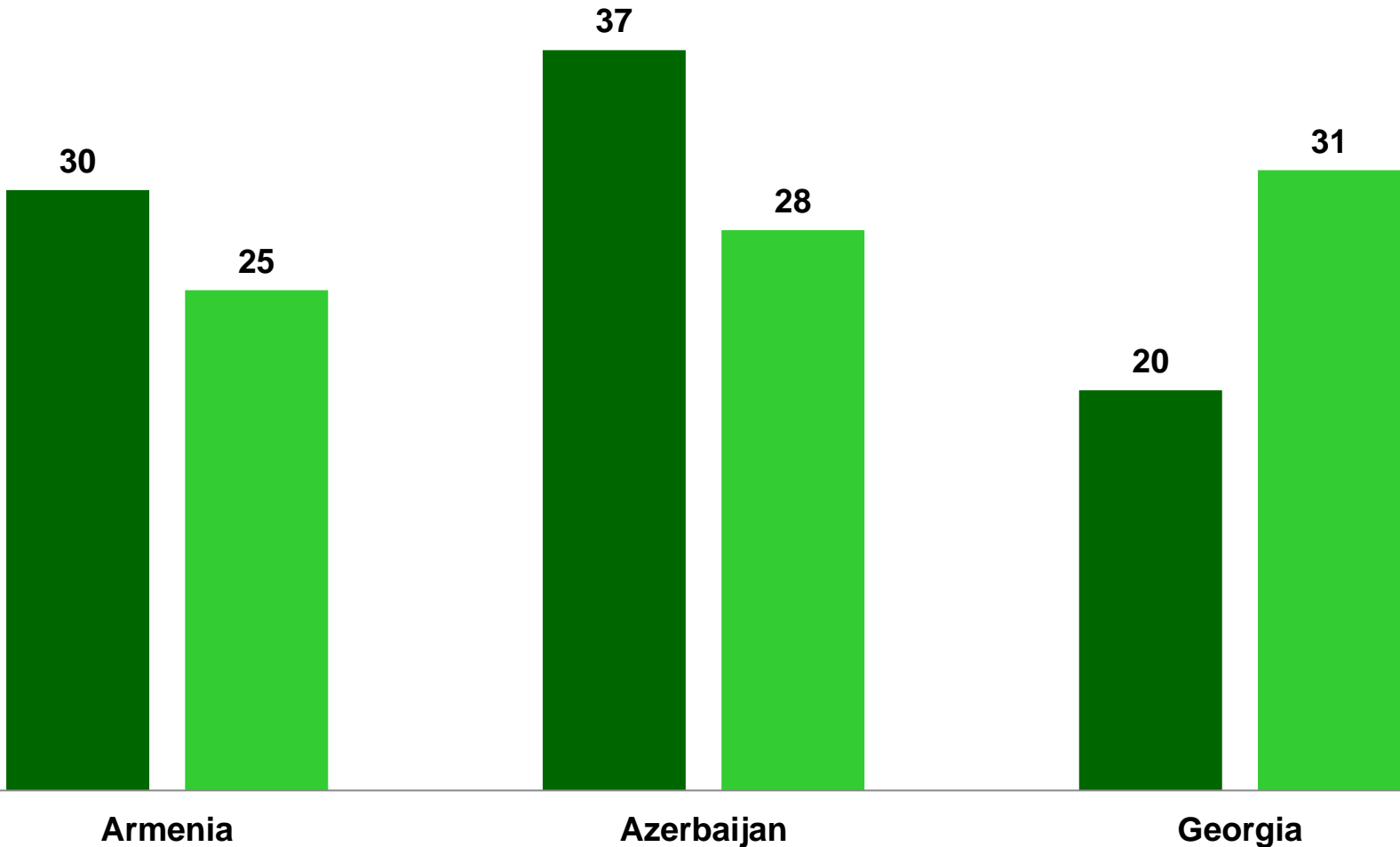
**CRRC DI 2009 [IR2]**

■ Strongly agree ■ Rather agree



**Our way of life needs to be protected against American influences. (positive answers only; %)**  
**CRRC DI 2009 [IR3]**

■ Strongly agree ■ Rather agree

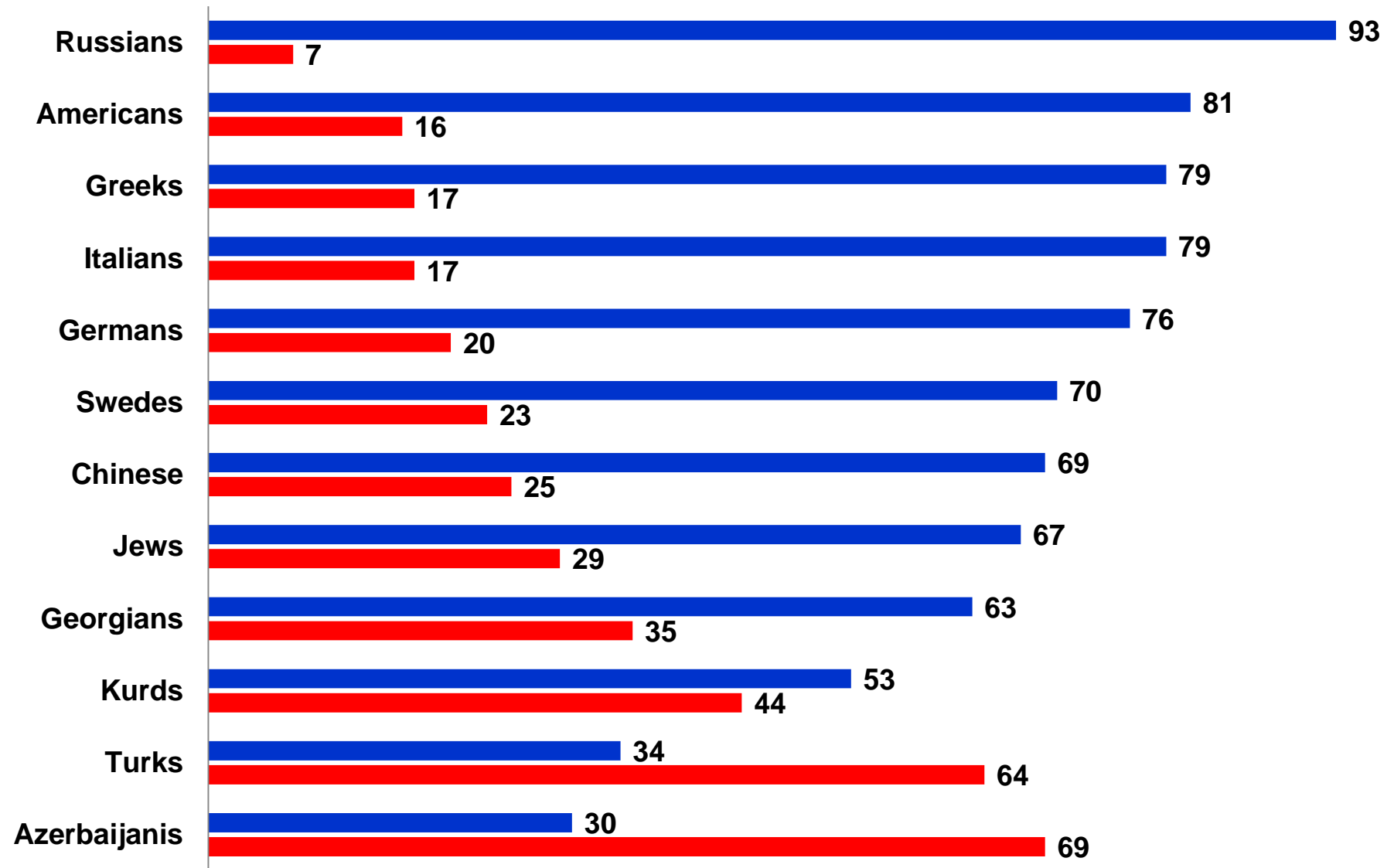


# Would you approve or disapprove of being friends with... (%)

Armenia

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■ Approve ■ Disapprove

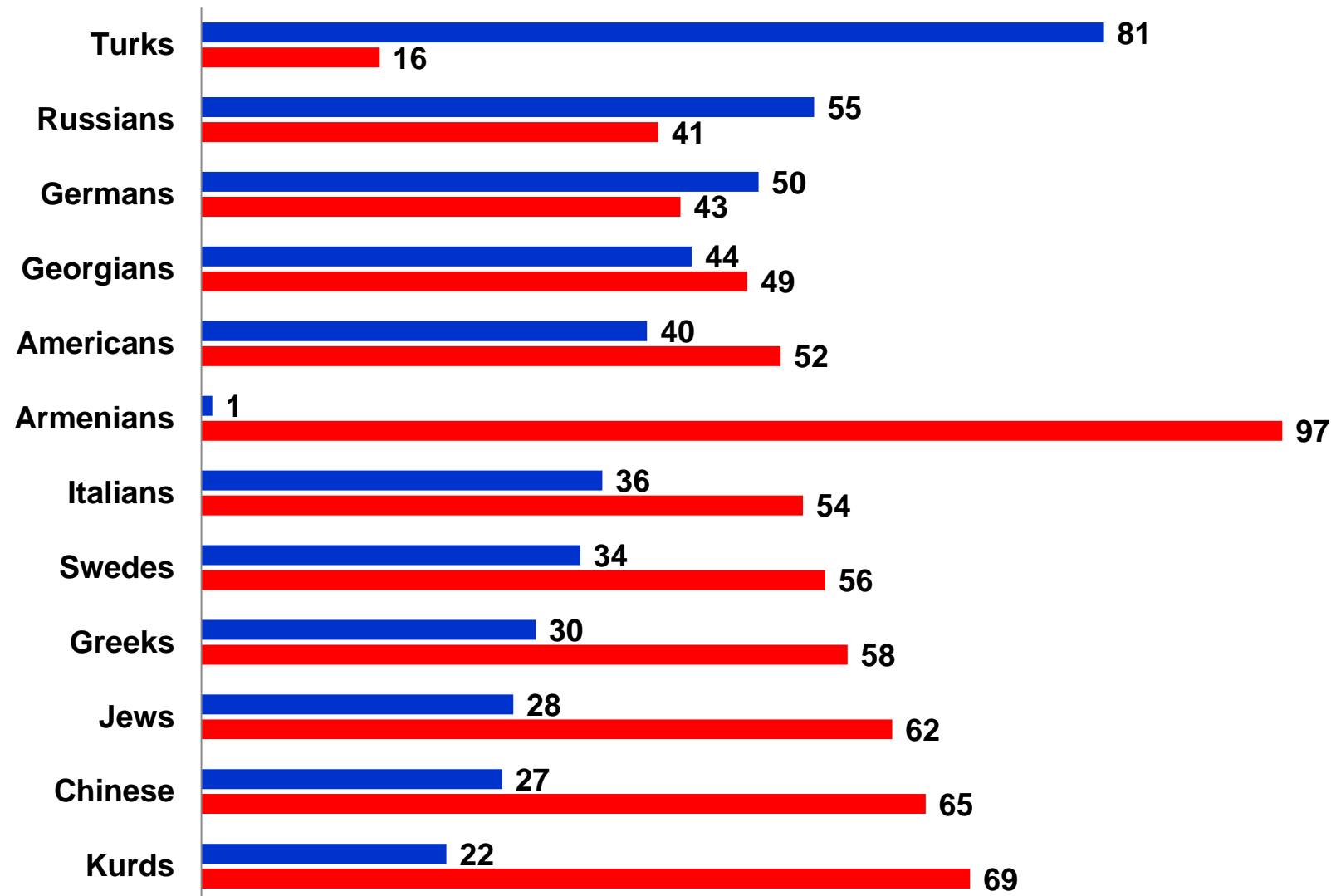


# Would you approve or disapprove of being friends with... (%)

Azerbaijan

CRRC DI 2009 [N18]

■ Approve ■ Disapprove

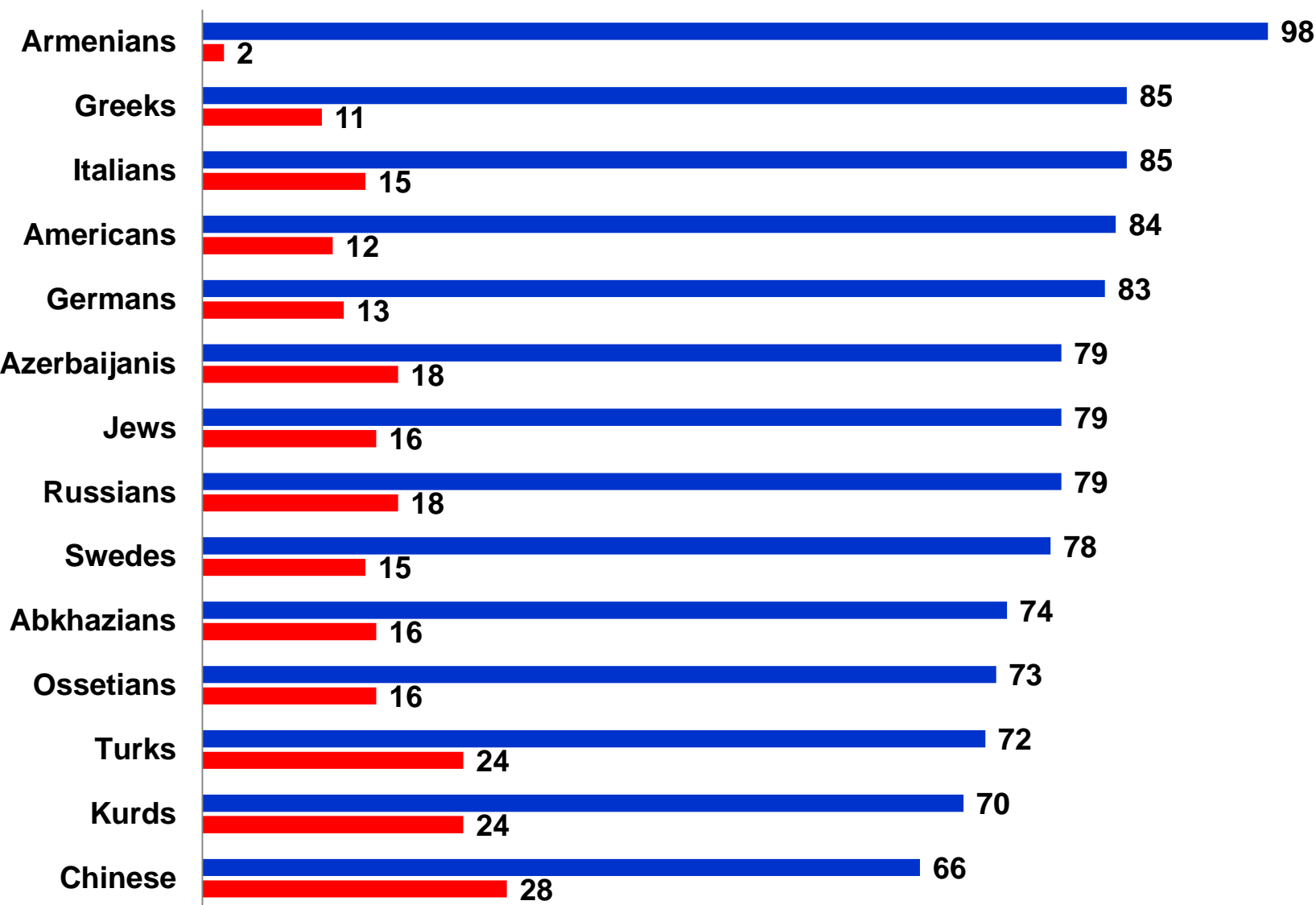


# Would you approve or disapprove of being friends with... (%)

Georgia

CRRC DI 2009 [N18]

■ Approve ■ Disapprove





# Media and Freedom of Expression

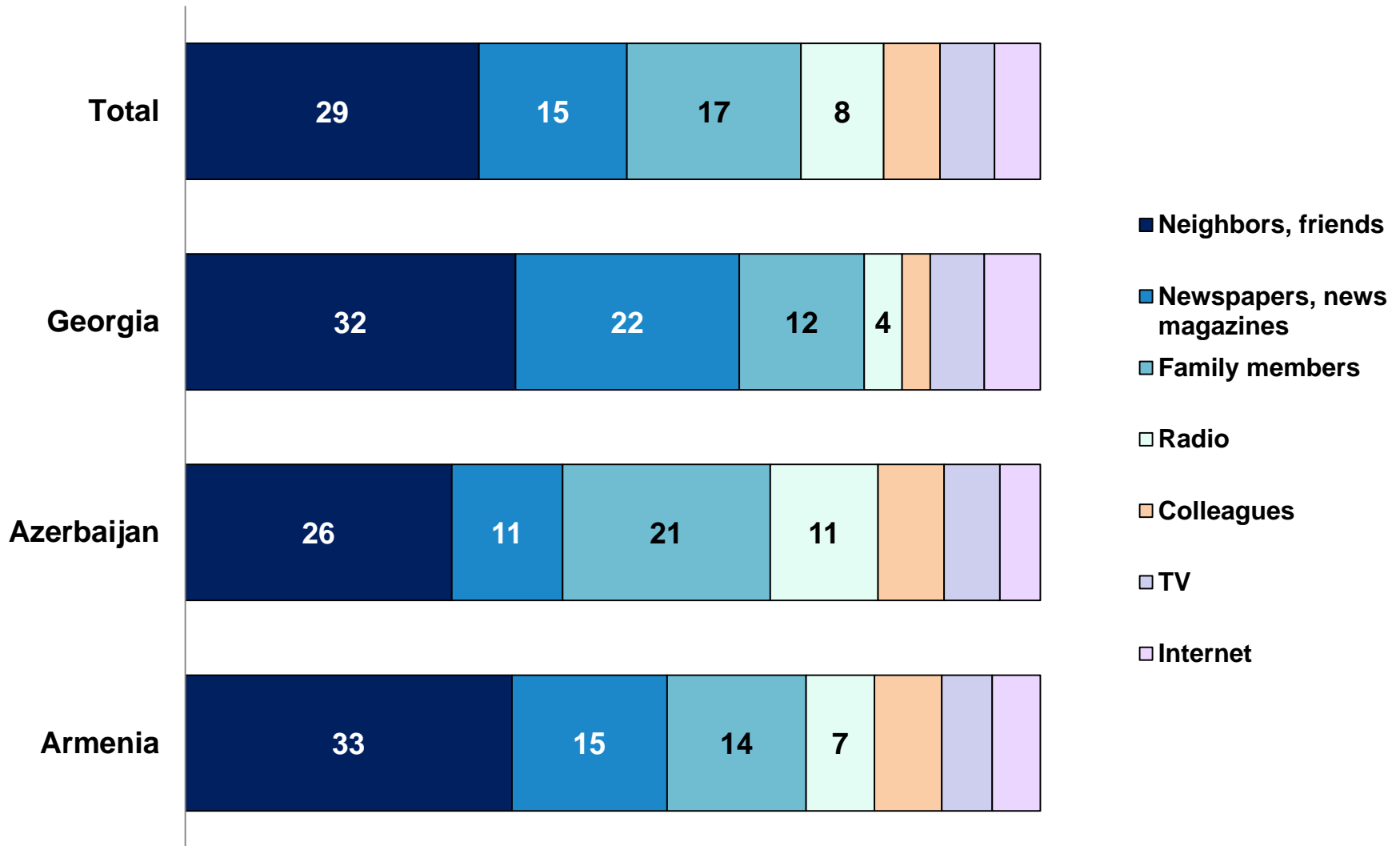
**What are your main sources of information for receiving news about /country's/ current events? Which is your first main source of information (%)**

■ TV      ■ Neighbors, friends      □ Other



# And what is your second main source of information about /country's/ current events?

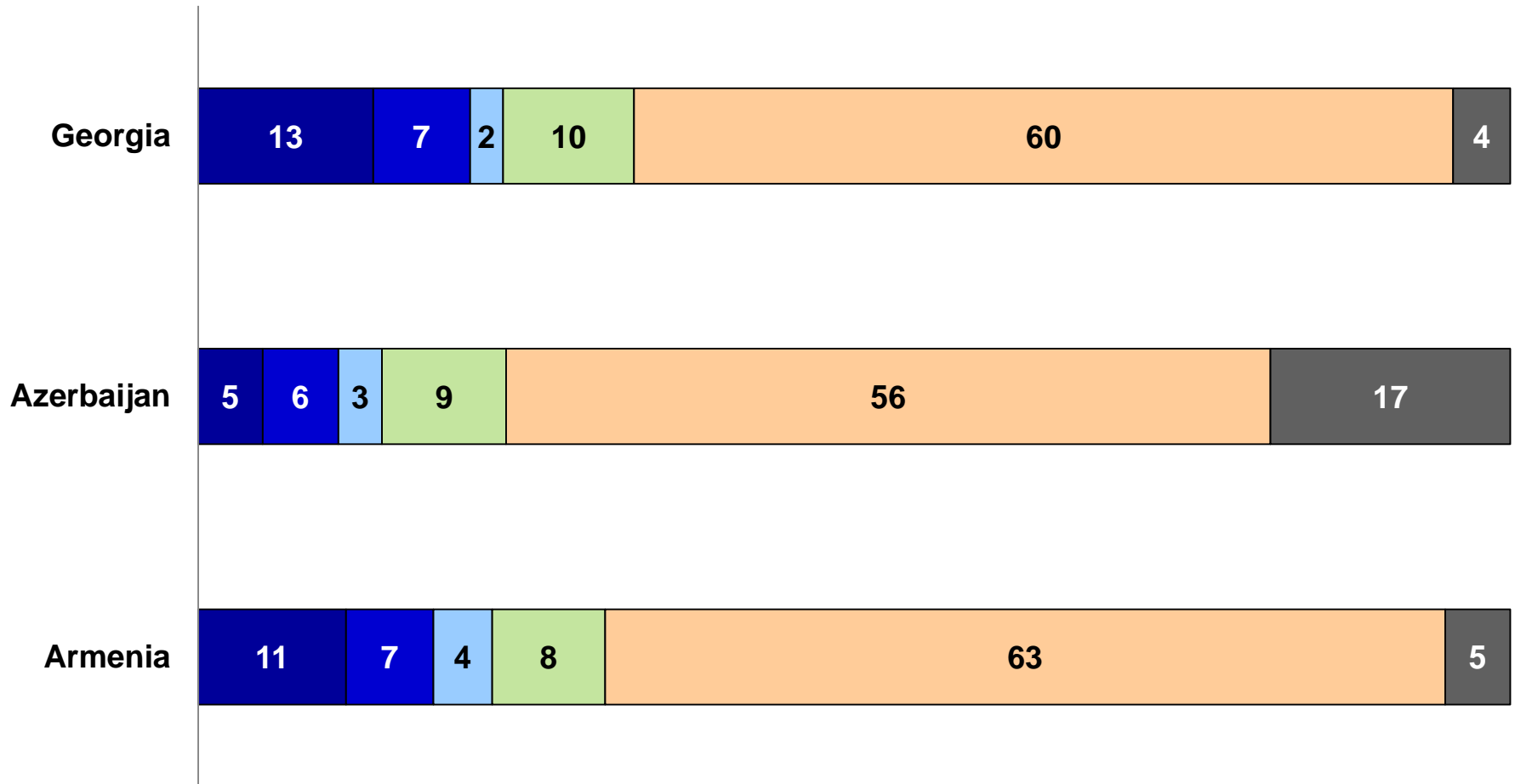
Armenia  
CRRC DI 2009



# How frequently do you use the internet? (%)

[D13]

- Every day
- At least once a week
- At least once a month
- Less often
- Never
- I don't know what the Internet is



# ...and much more

- ask us!
- let others know!
- There is a store of data waiting to be explored 😊