

Survey TNS Ilres Part 4: The right to vote



Political Process: Granting foreigners the right to vote

completely agree	rather agree	rather not ag	ree do not agree	■ do not agree at all		do not know		
a. The voting community does not reflect the current societal structure in Luxembourg, hence foreigners should be permitted to cast their vote at the legislative elections after having lived a certain period of time in Luxembourg		20	32	18	10	10	9	2
c. A better integration of foreigners int decision making process would help fac challenges of Luxembourg	cing the future	18	31	18	11	10	9	3
b. Granting the right to vote to foreigners wor the social cohesion in Luxembou		16	28	19	13	10	9	4

Nb: Survey among the residents



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c. A better integration of foreigners into the political decision making process would help facing the future challenges of Luxembourg

2/3 of the residents are positive about the idea of granting the right to vote to foreigners Luxembourg nationals are more dubious about 67

b. Granting the right to vote to foreigners would strengthen the social cohesion in Luxembourg

63

Nb: Survey among the residents

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The right to vote

 \checkmark In order to guarantee a more representative electorate, 70% of the residents believe that foreigners should be granted the right to vote after having lived a certain period in Luxembourg. The results are different based on their nationality, e.g. 59% of the Luxembourg nationals respectively 85% of the foreigners are in favour.

 \checkmark The young Luxembourg nationals are more open about the idea of granting the right to vote to foreigners than the old generation.

 \checkmark 67% of the residents believe that granting the right to vote to foreigners would help to face the future challenges of Luxembourg. Again, only 54% of the Luxembourg nationals agreed with this statement against 84% of the foreigners.

 \checkmark 63 % o the residents believe that granting the right to vote to foreigners would strengthen the social cohesion. Again, we can observe an important discrepancy between nationals and foreigners: 50% of the nationals against 80% of the foreigners.

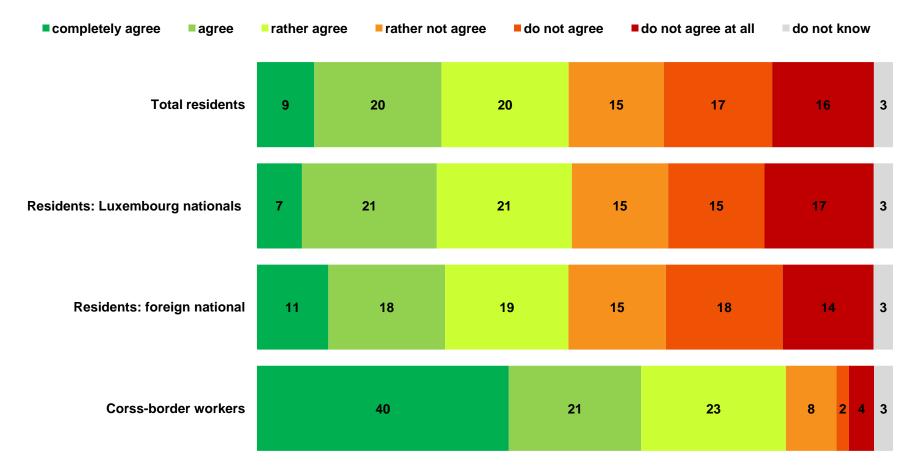
 \checkmark The opinions stated by the foreigners are generally shared by the cross-border community.



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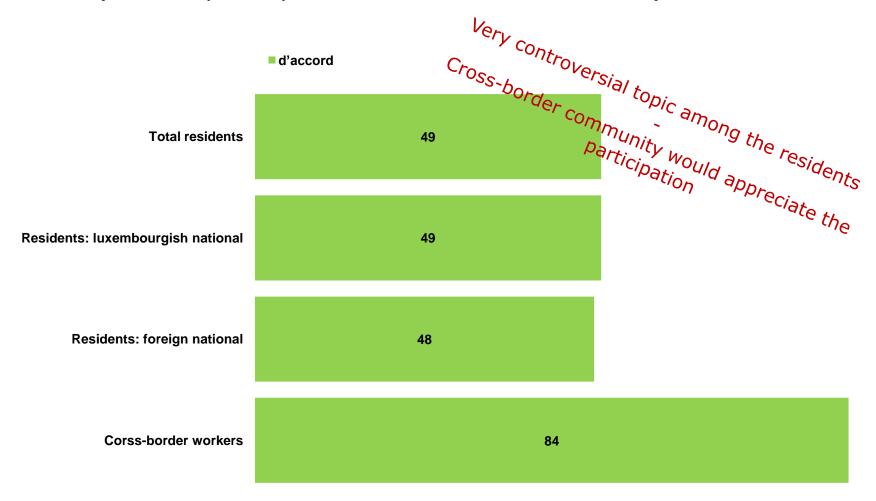
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 \checkmark This question seems to divide the opinion of the residents. 49% are in favour while 48% of the residents are against such a measure

 \checkmark These scores control for all socio-demographic profile

 \checkmark A big majority of the cross-border community think that their participation in the political debate would strengthen the social cohesion in Luxembourg.



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Results for cross-border workers







Political process: Do you agree or do you not agree with the following statements

■ completely agree ■ agree ■ rather agree	■ rather not agree ■ do not agree ■ do not agree at all ■ do not know					know	
a. The voting community does not reflect the current societal structure in Luxembourg, hence foreigners should be permitted to cast their vote at the legislative elections after having lived a certain period of time in Luxembourg	20	32	21	13	4	9 2	2
c. A better integration of foreigners into the political decision making process would help facing the future challenges of Luxembourg	17	27	26	13	5	10 3	3
b. Granting the right to vote to foreigners would strengthen the social cohesion in Luxembourg	14	28	24	15	8	7 3	8
Nb: Survey among the cross-border workers							

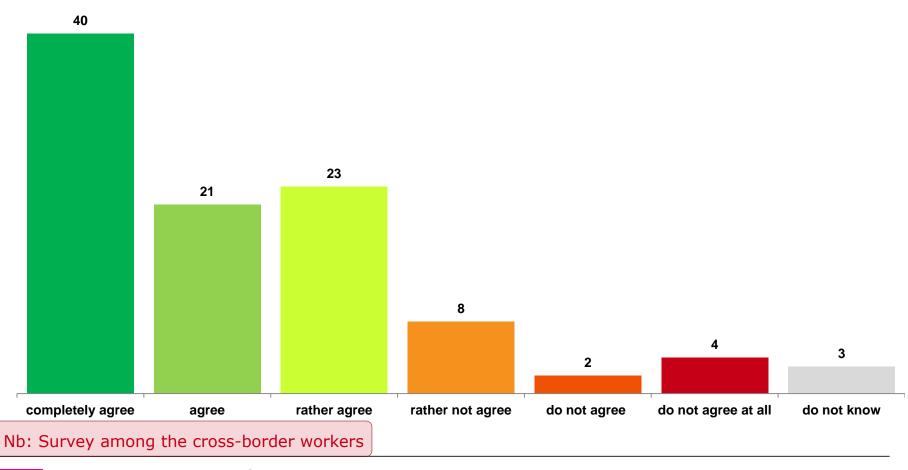
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