

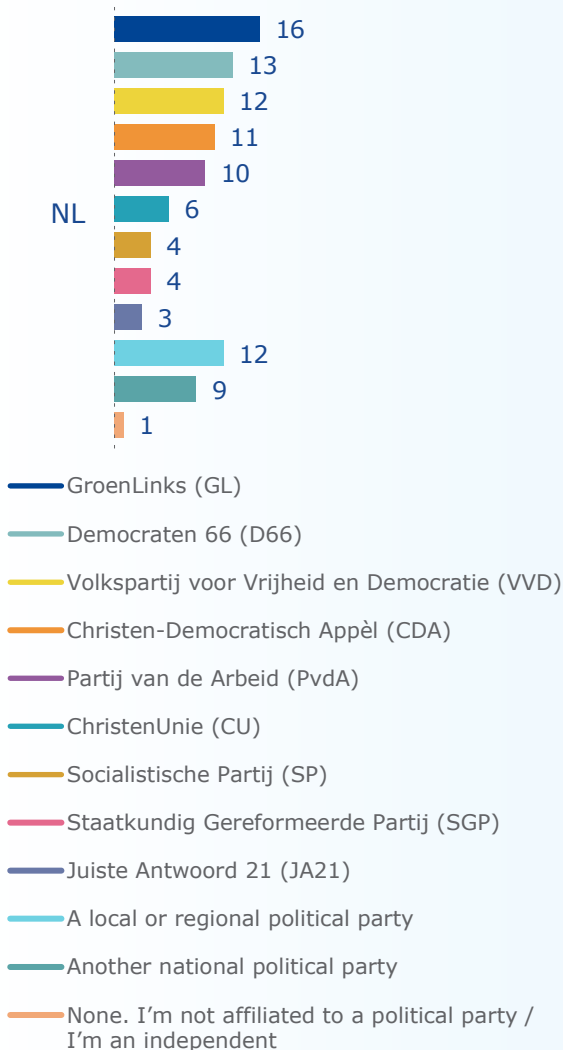


Flash Eurobarometer Local politicians of the EU and the future of Europe

Interviews: EU27 - 3276 | NL - 144 (Fieldwork: 21.7 - 9.9.2021) Methodology*

Profile of surveyed politicians

sd2 Which political party do you represent? (%)



Influence of regions, cities and villages

q1 In general, do you agree or disagree that regions, cities and villages have enough influence on the future of the European Union? (%)



Netherlands (outer circle)

	EU27	Netherlands
Totally agree	11	8
Tend to agree	22	16
Tend to disagree	41	37
Totally disagree	24	33
Don't know	3	7

■ Totally agree ■ Tend to agree
■ Tend to disagree ■ Totally disagree
■ Don't know

q2 Thinking about the current situation in the Netherlands, how important or not important is each of the following...? (%)

Increase the influence of regions and local authorities on EU policymaking



Improve the access of regions and local authorities to EU funding?



Have more cooperation with regions and local authorities in other European countries



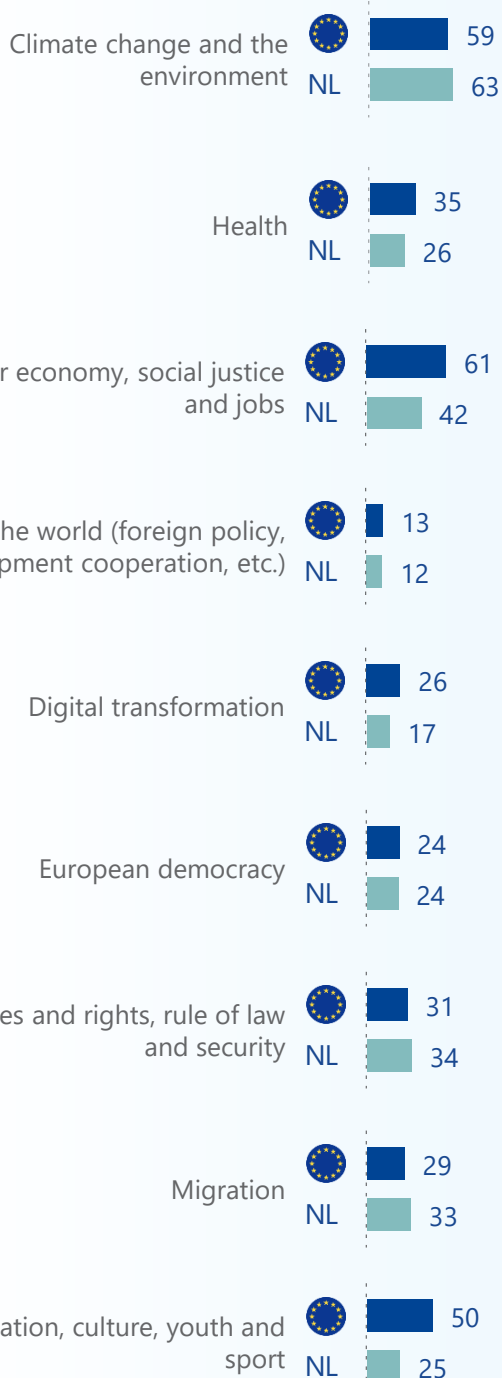
■ Very important ■ Fairly important
■ Fairly not important ■ Not at all important
■ Don't know

*Methodological note

Email invitations were sent to local politicians from all different political levels and affiliations. However, due to variations in available contact details and response rates, as well as limitations in terms of sample size, full representativity cannot be guaranteed.

Key EU topics for regions, cities and villages

q3 On which of these topics would you prefer to see regions and cities to become more influential in EU policy-making? Please select up to four answers.



Awareness about the Conference on the Future of Europe

q4 Are you aware about the Conference on the Future of Europe?



	EU27	Netherlands
Yes, I have been actively involved	3	1
Yes, I'm aware of related activities in my constituency	8	3
Yes, but I'm not aware of any related activities in my constituency	43	28
No, I'm not aware of it	46	68

- Yes, I have been actively involved
- Yes, I'm aware of related activities in my constituency
- Yes, but I'm not aware of any related activities in my constituency
- No, I'm not aware of it

How to improve democracy in the EU?

q7 For each of the following measures, to what extent do you agree or disagree that they would make democracy in the European Union work better? (% Total 'Agree')

