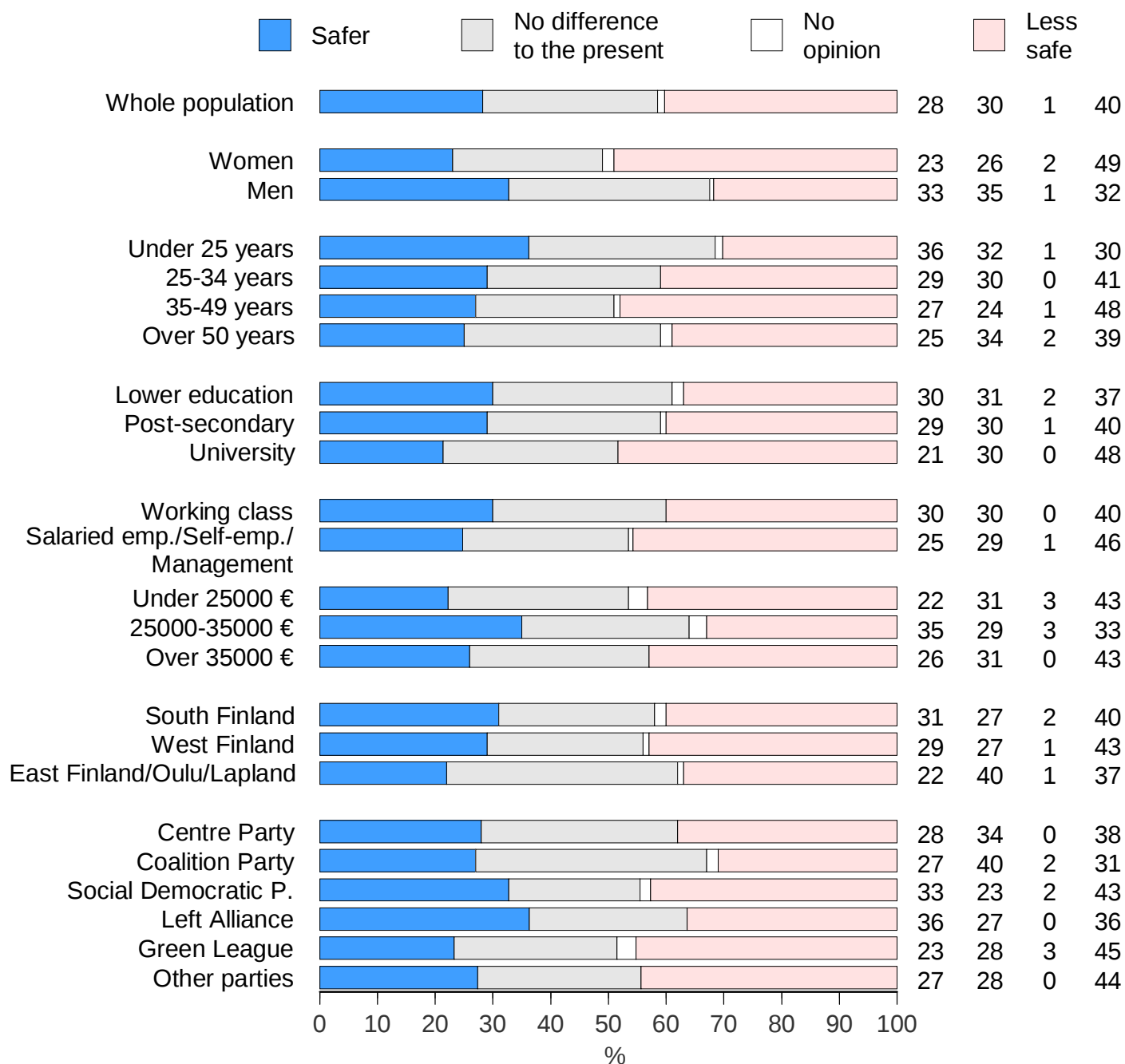


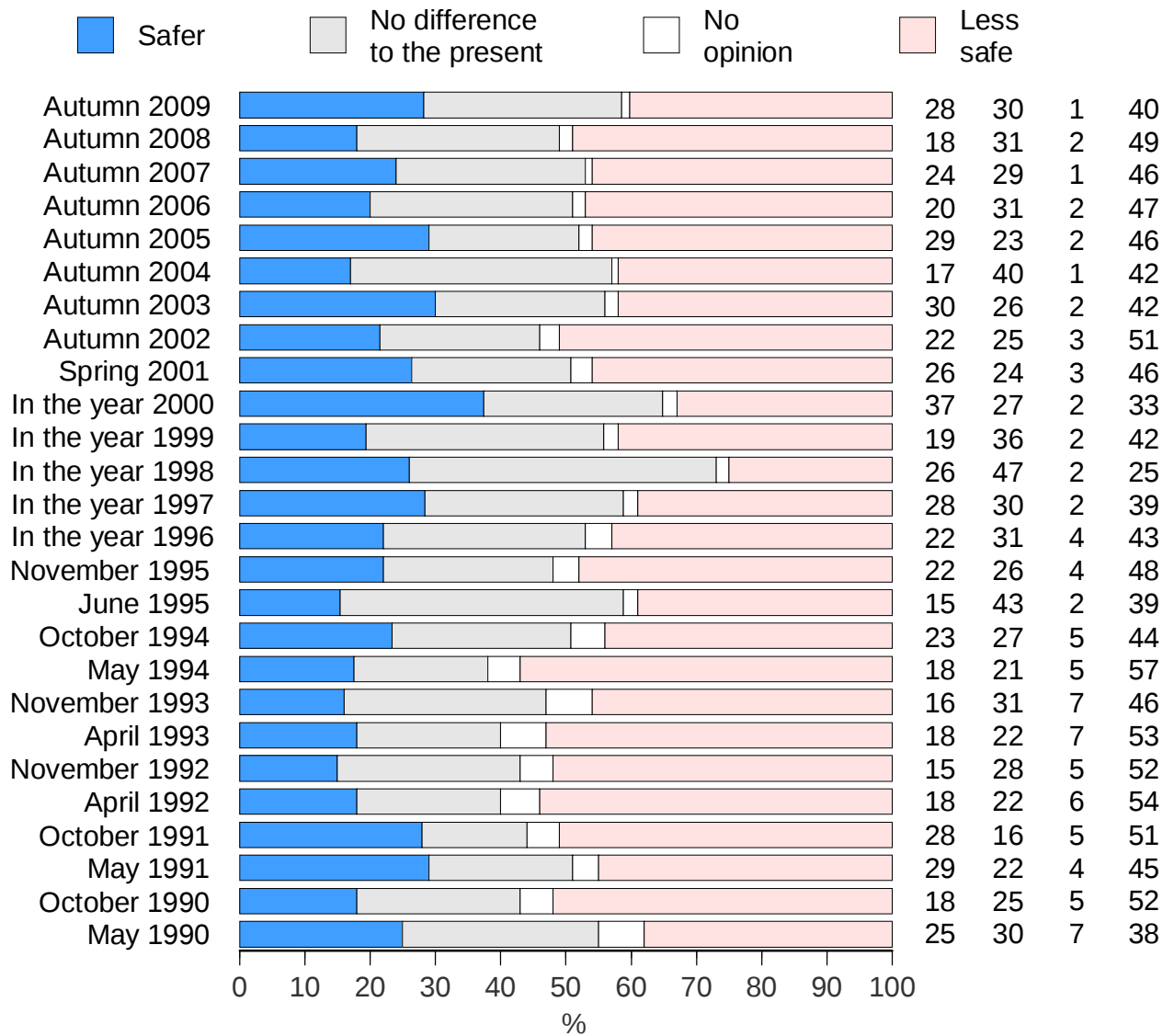
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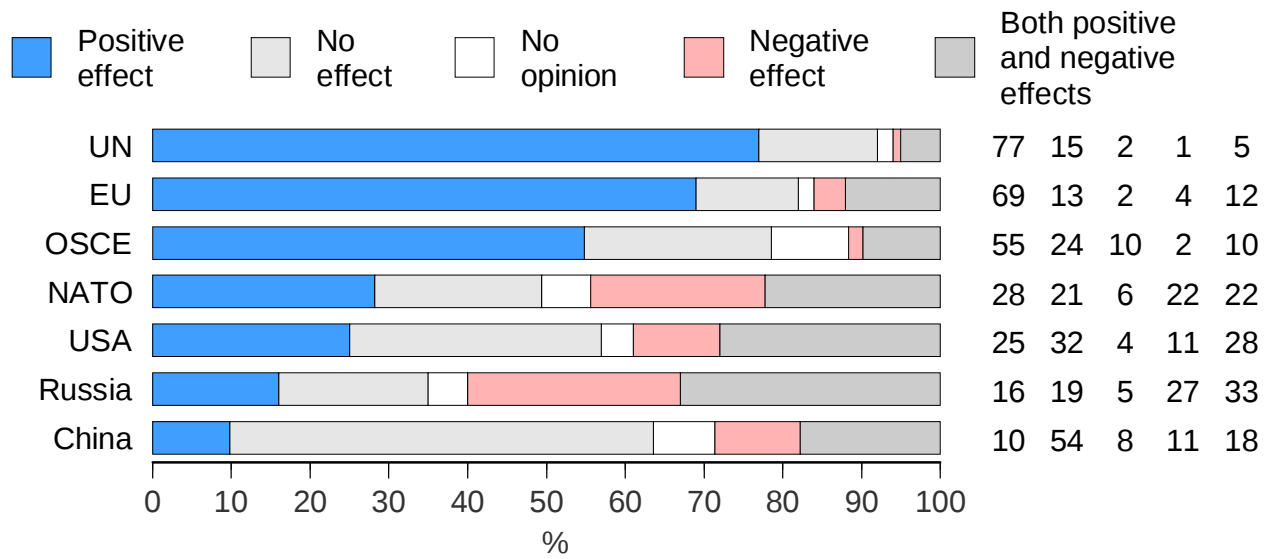
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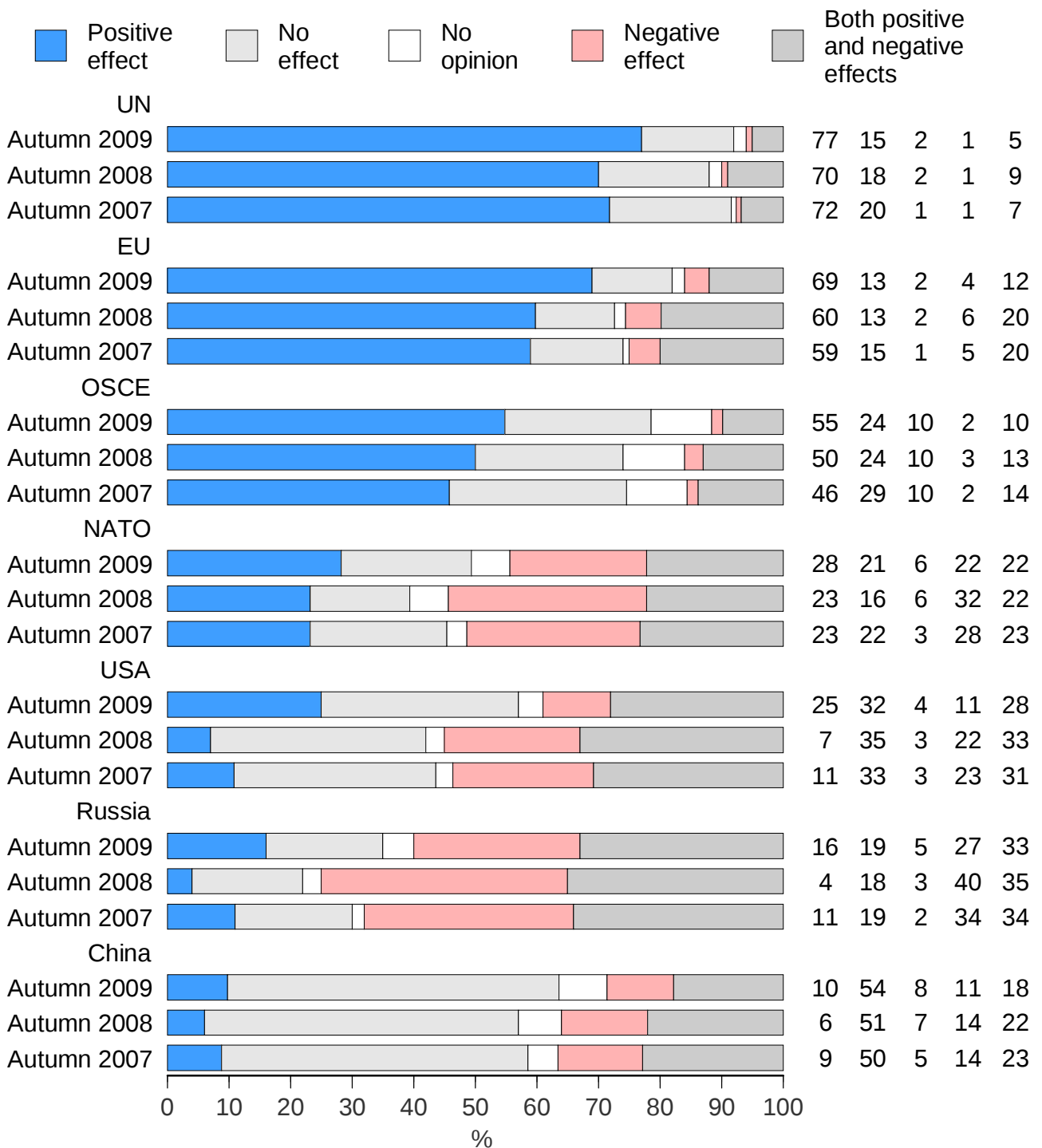
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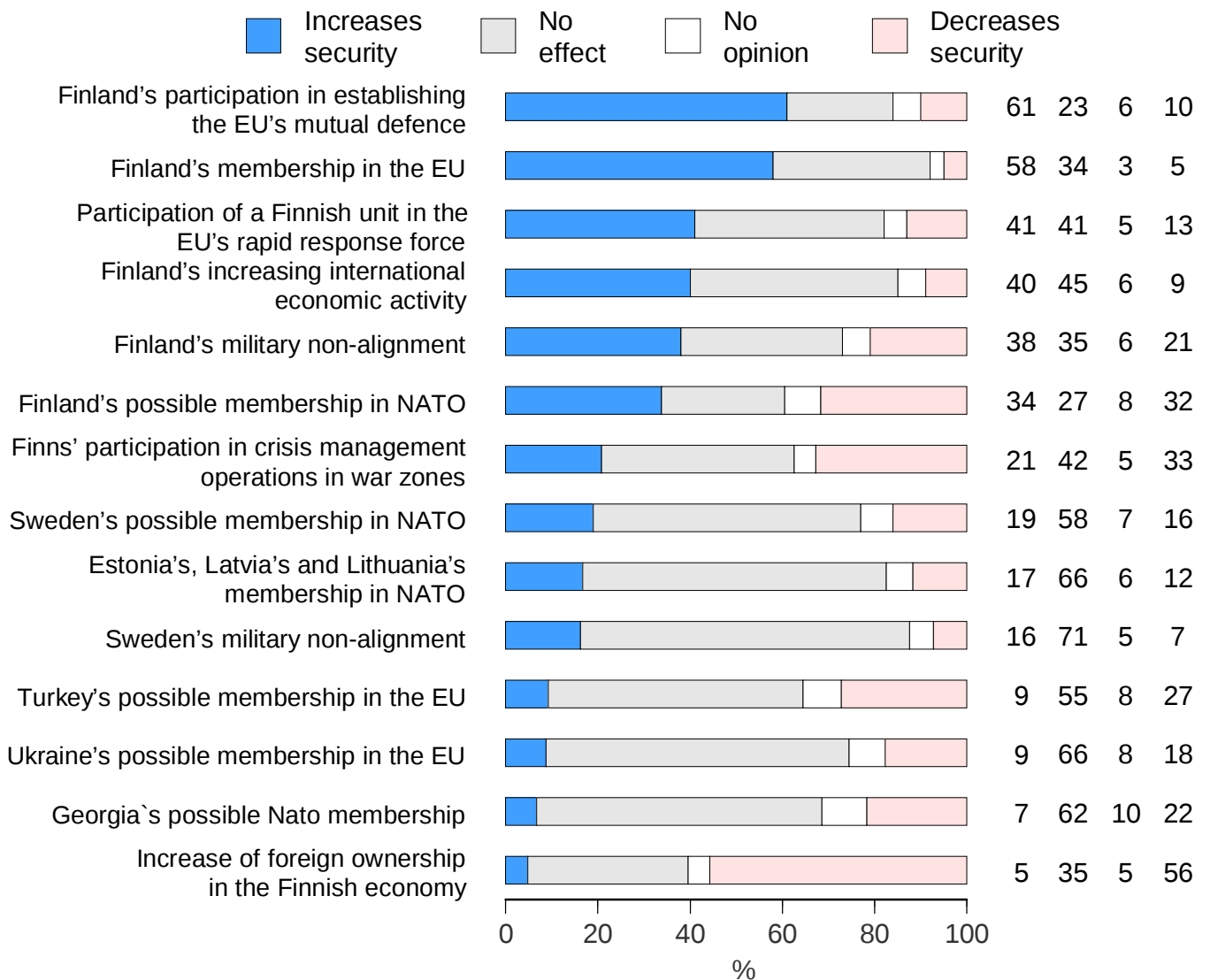
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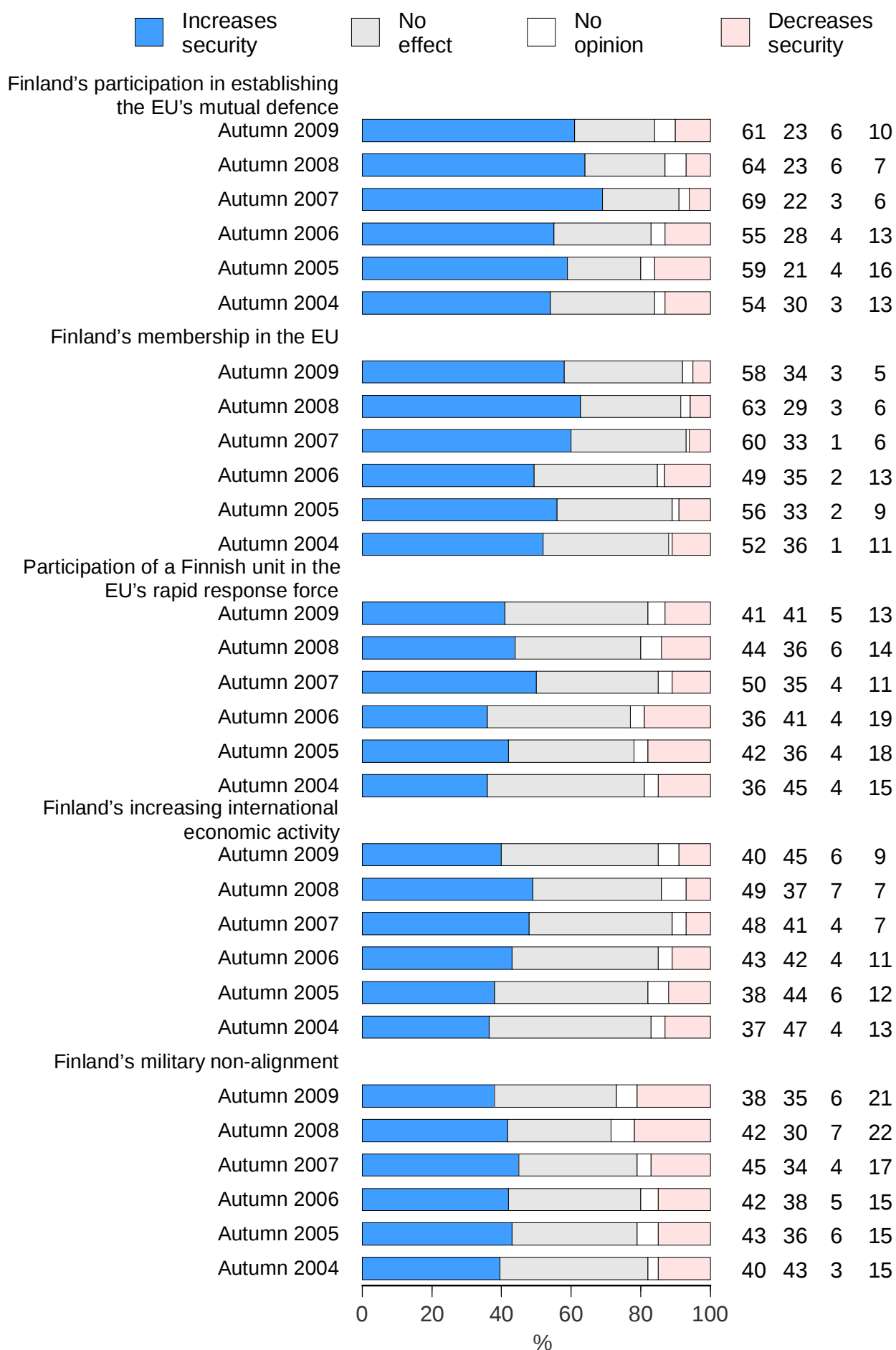
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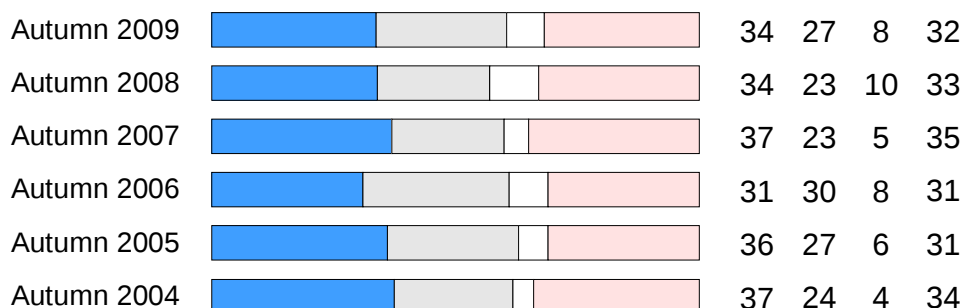
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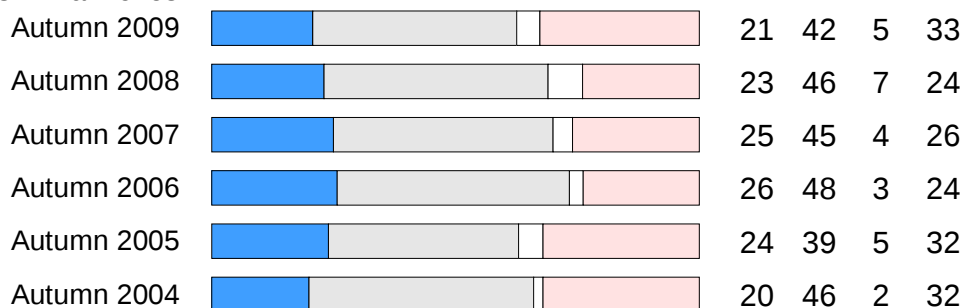
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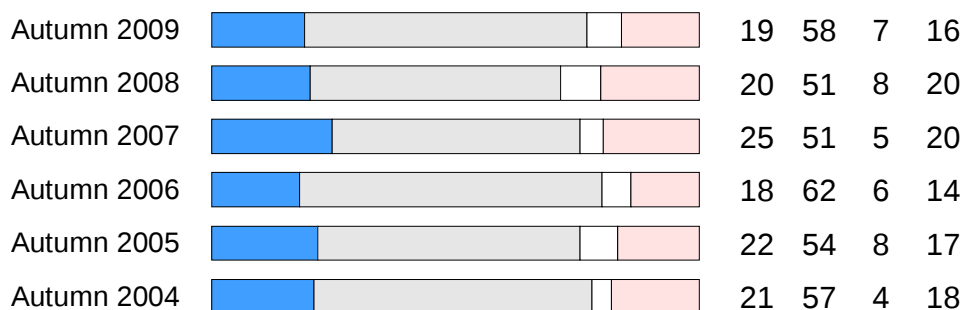
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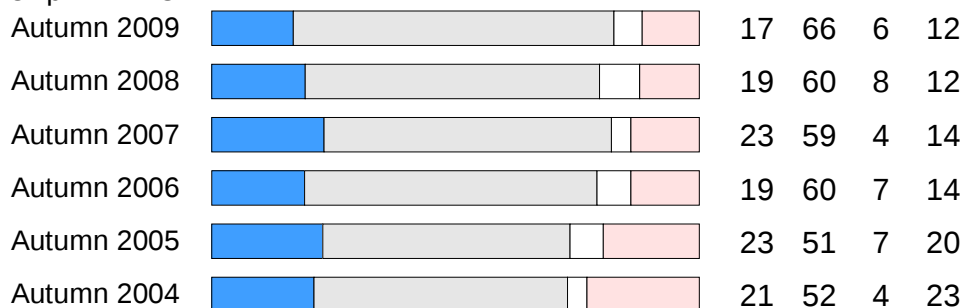
Finns' participation in crisis management operations in war zones



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Estonia's, Latvia's and Lithuania's membership in NATO



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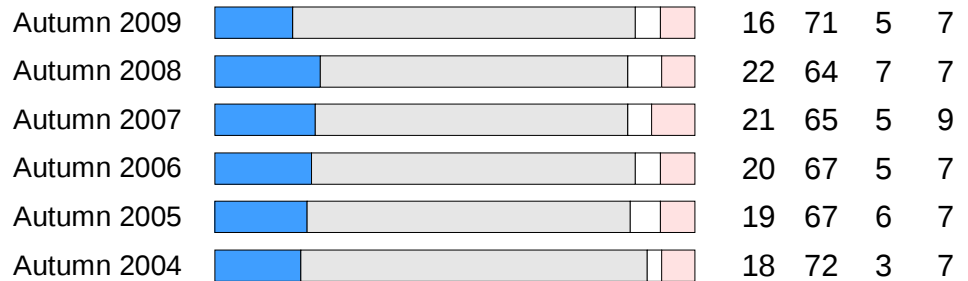
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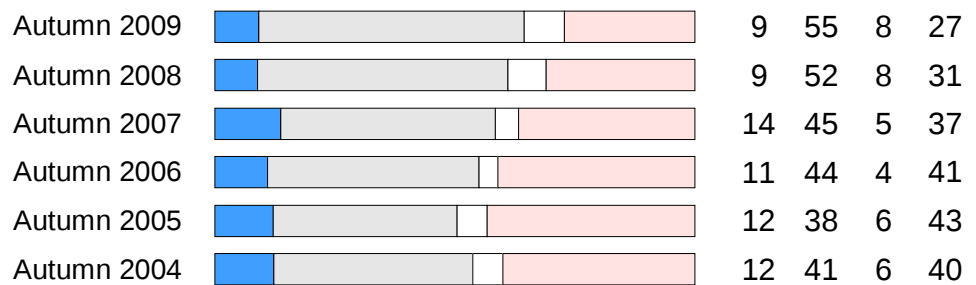
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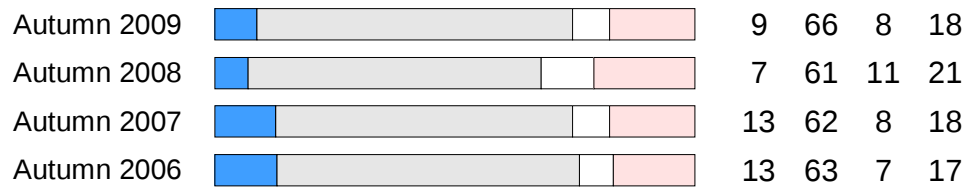
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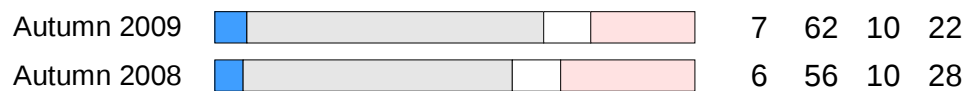
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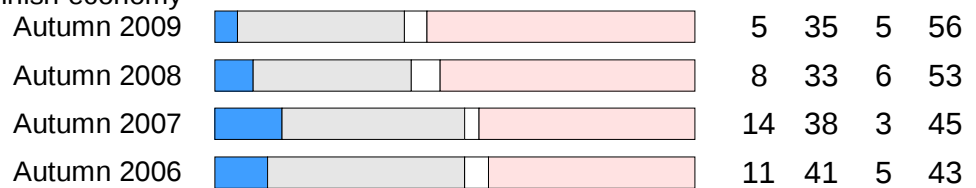
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Increase of foreign ownership in the Finnish economy

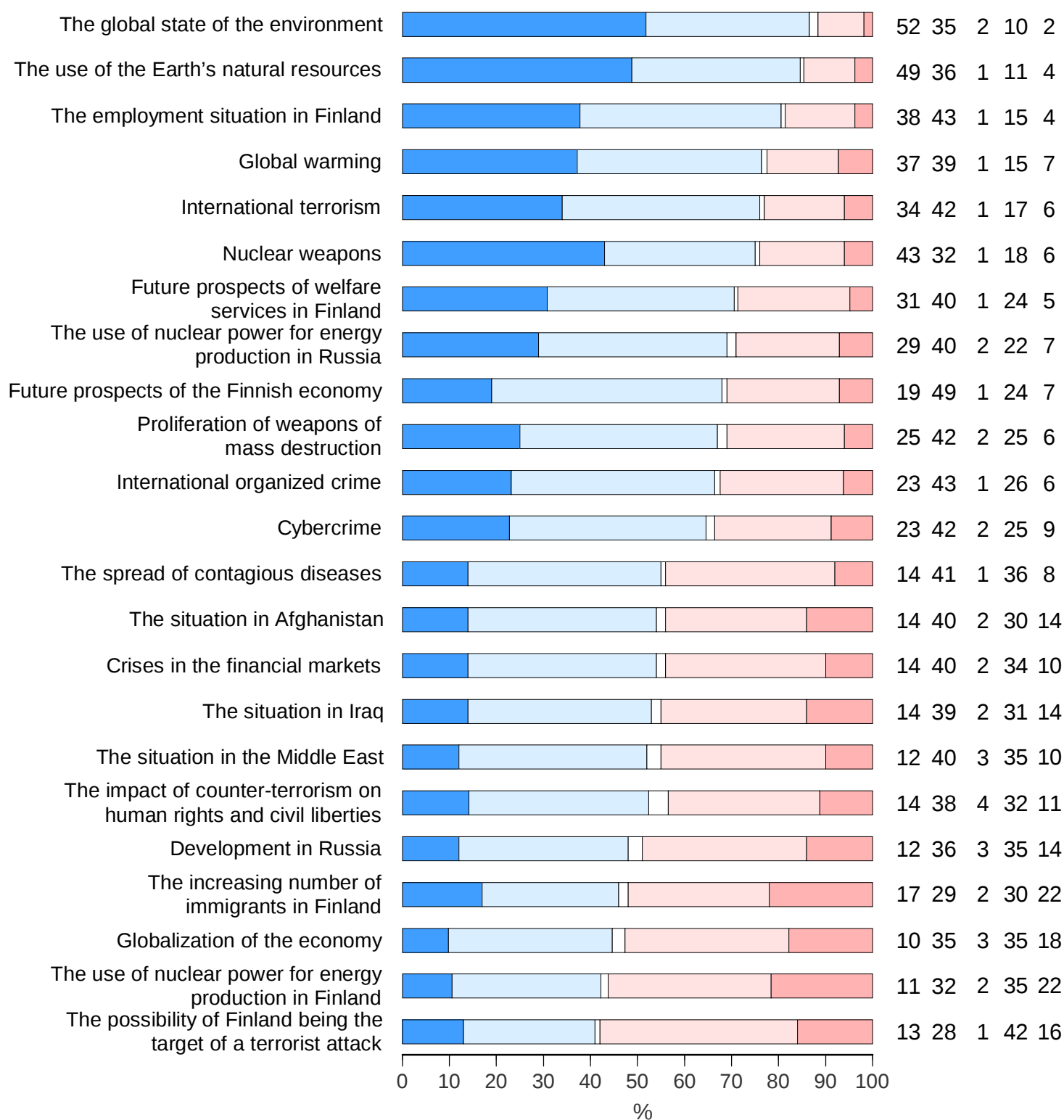


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Factors causing concern among the citizens

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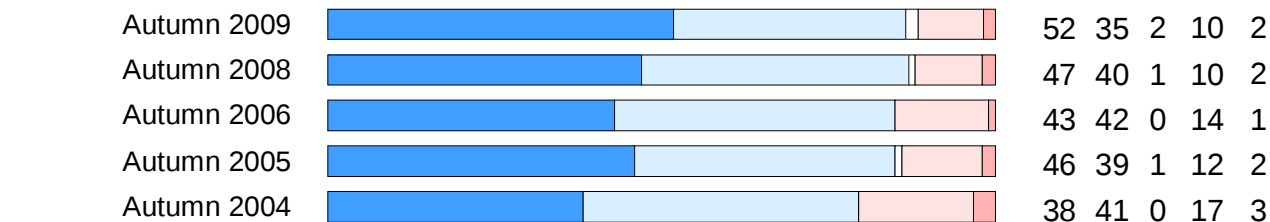


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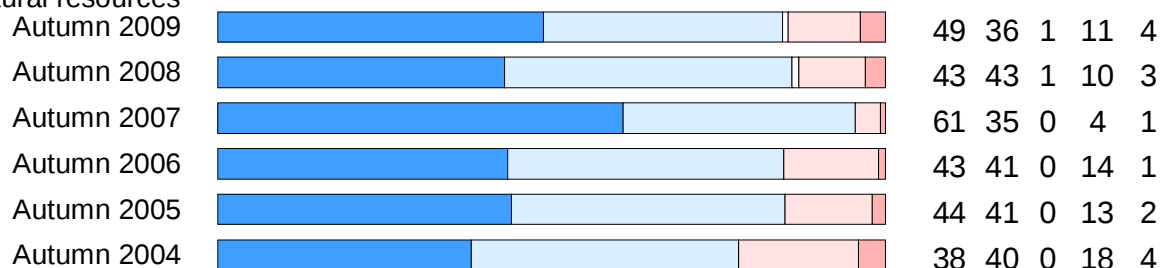
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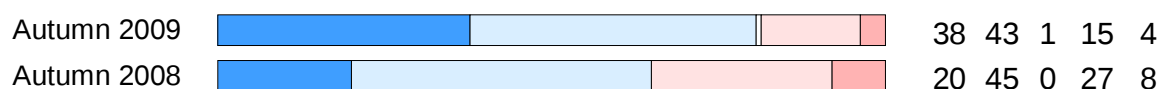
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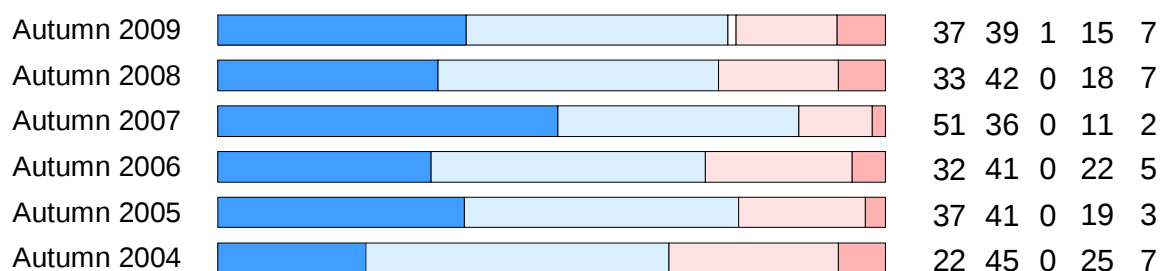
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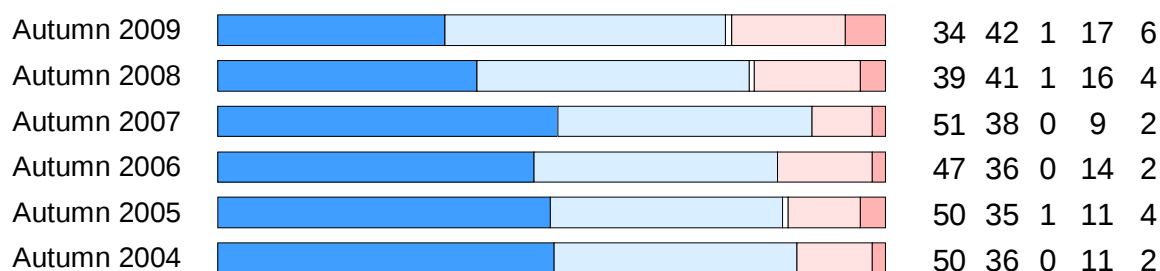
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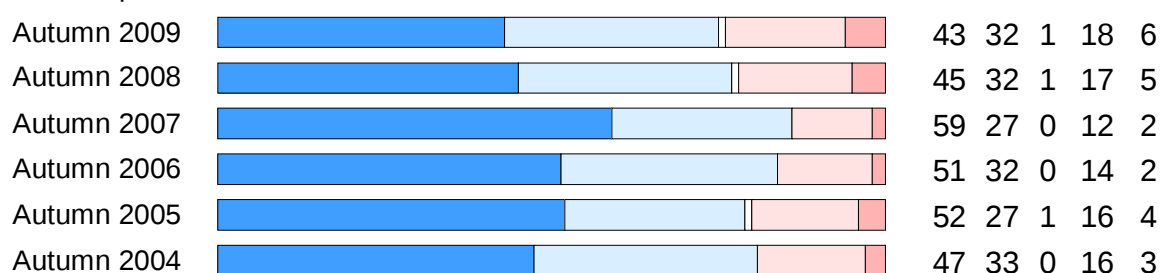
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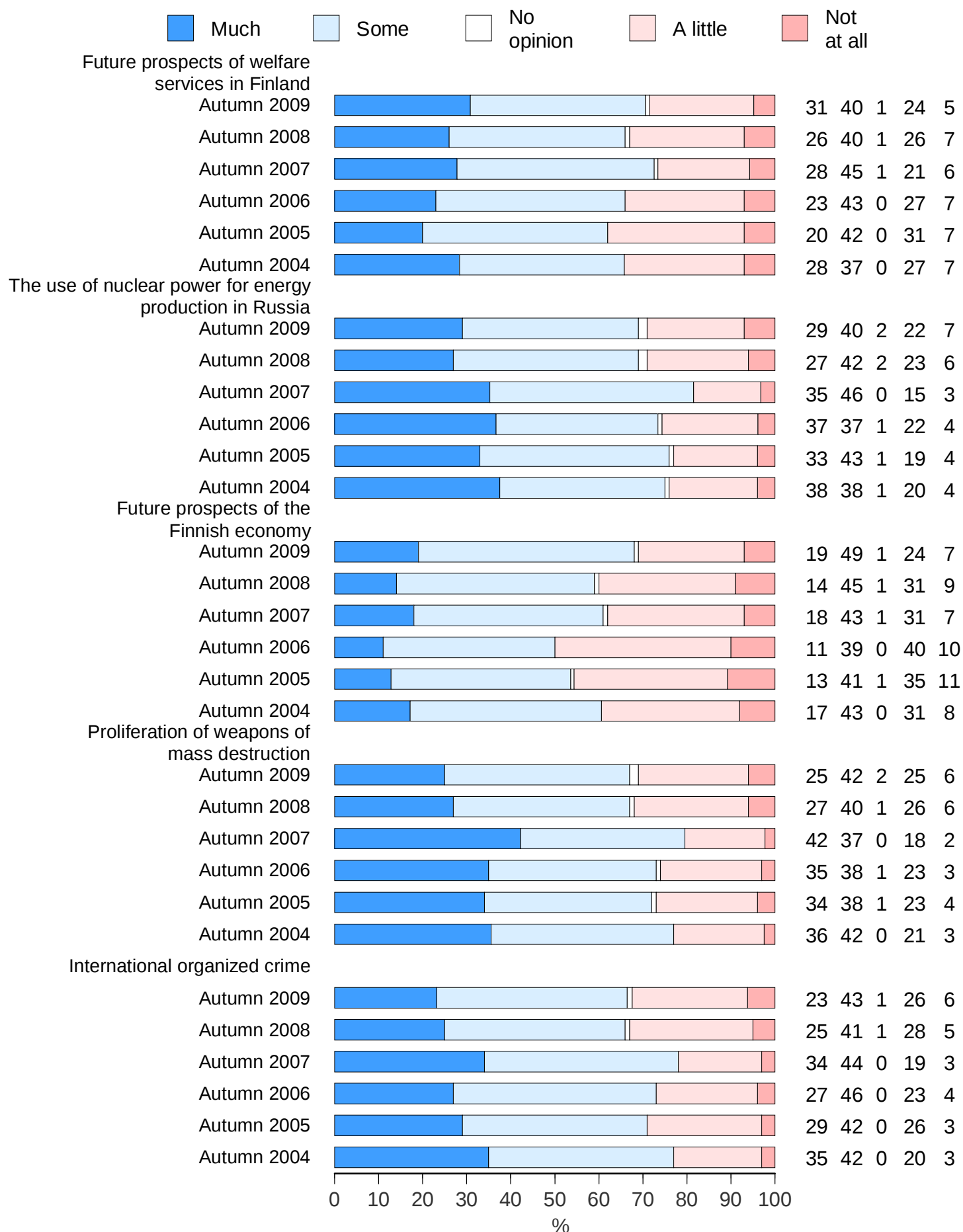
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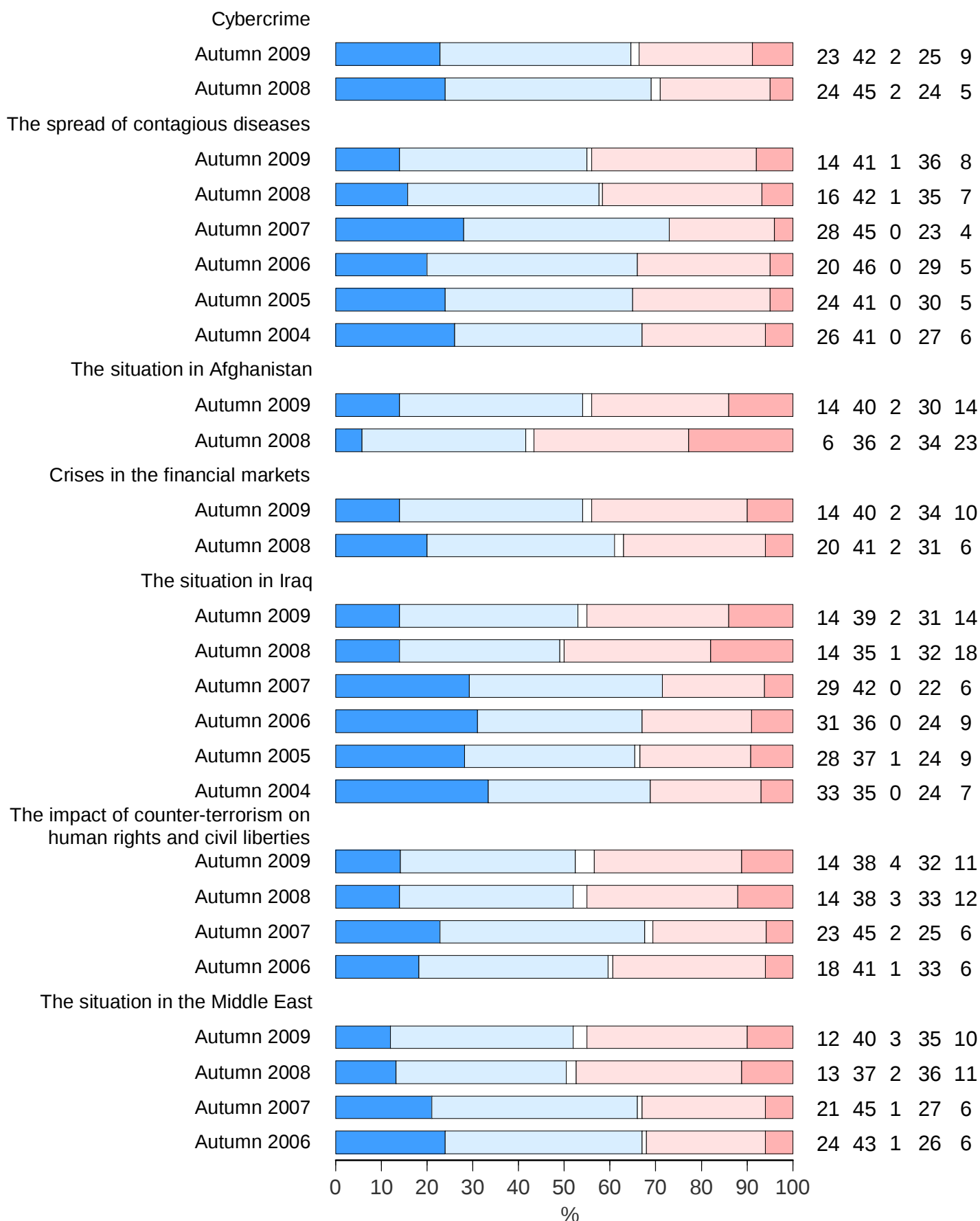
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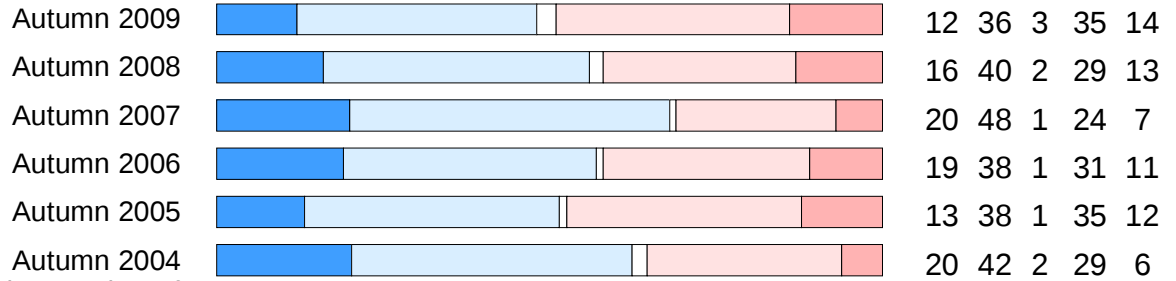


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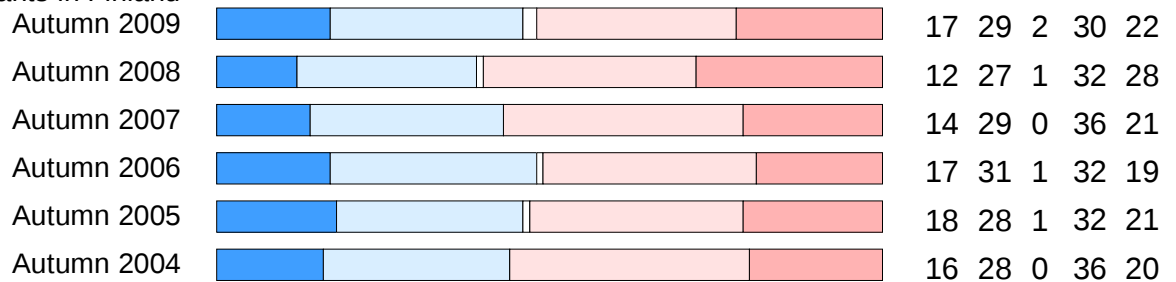
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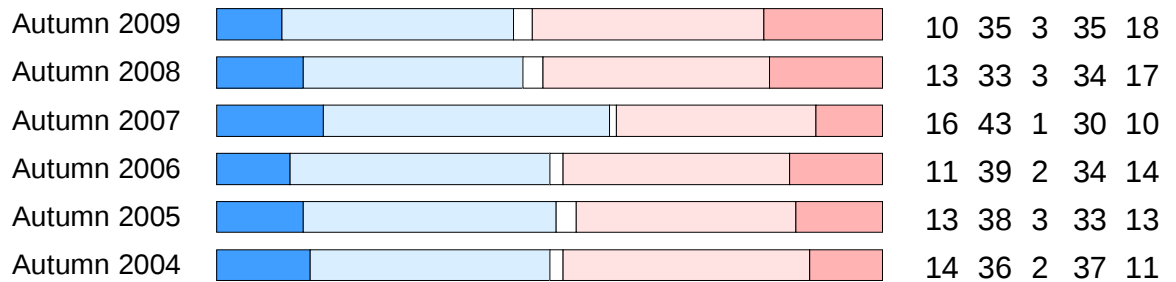
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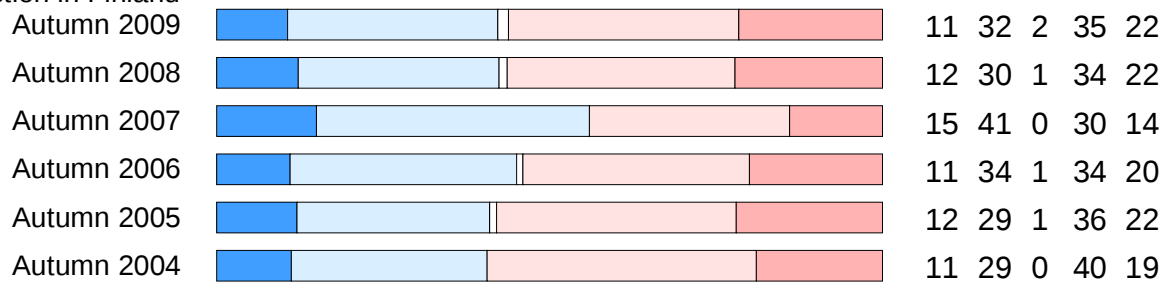
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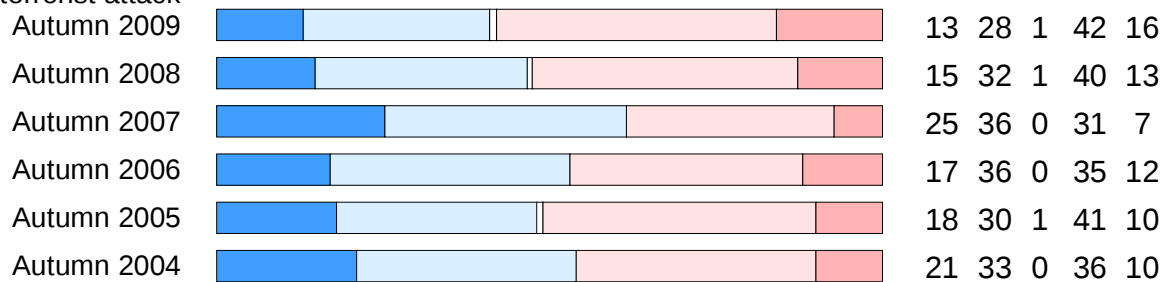
Globalization of the economy



The use of nuclear power for energy production in Finland



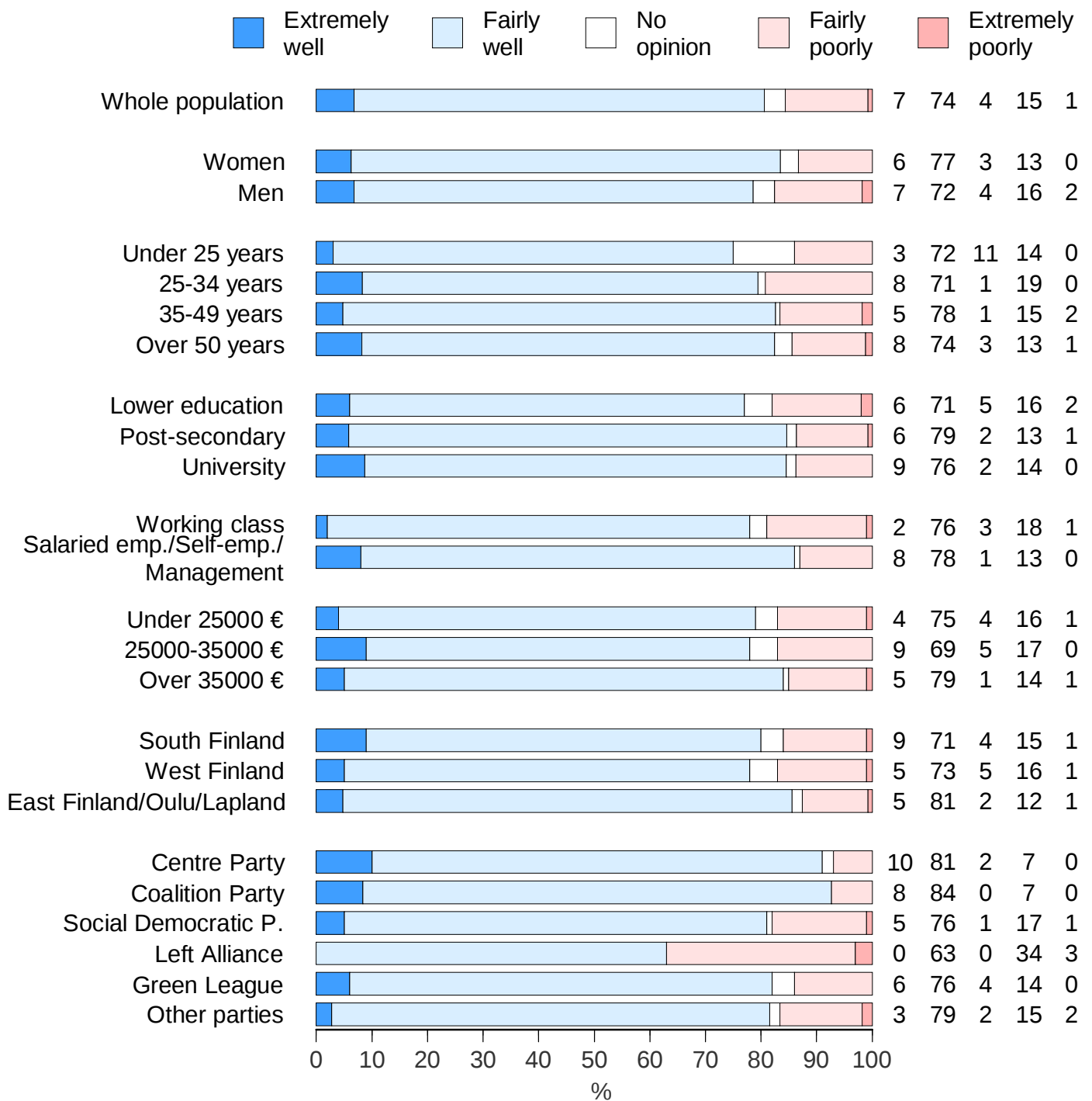
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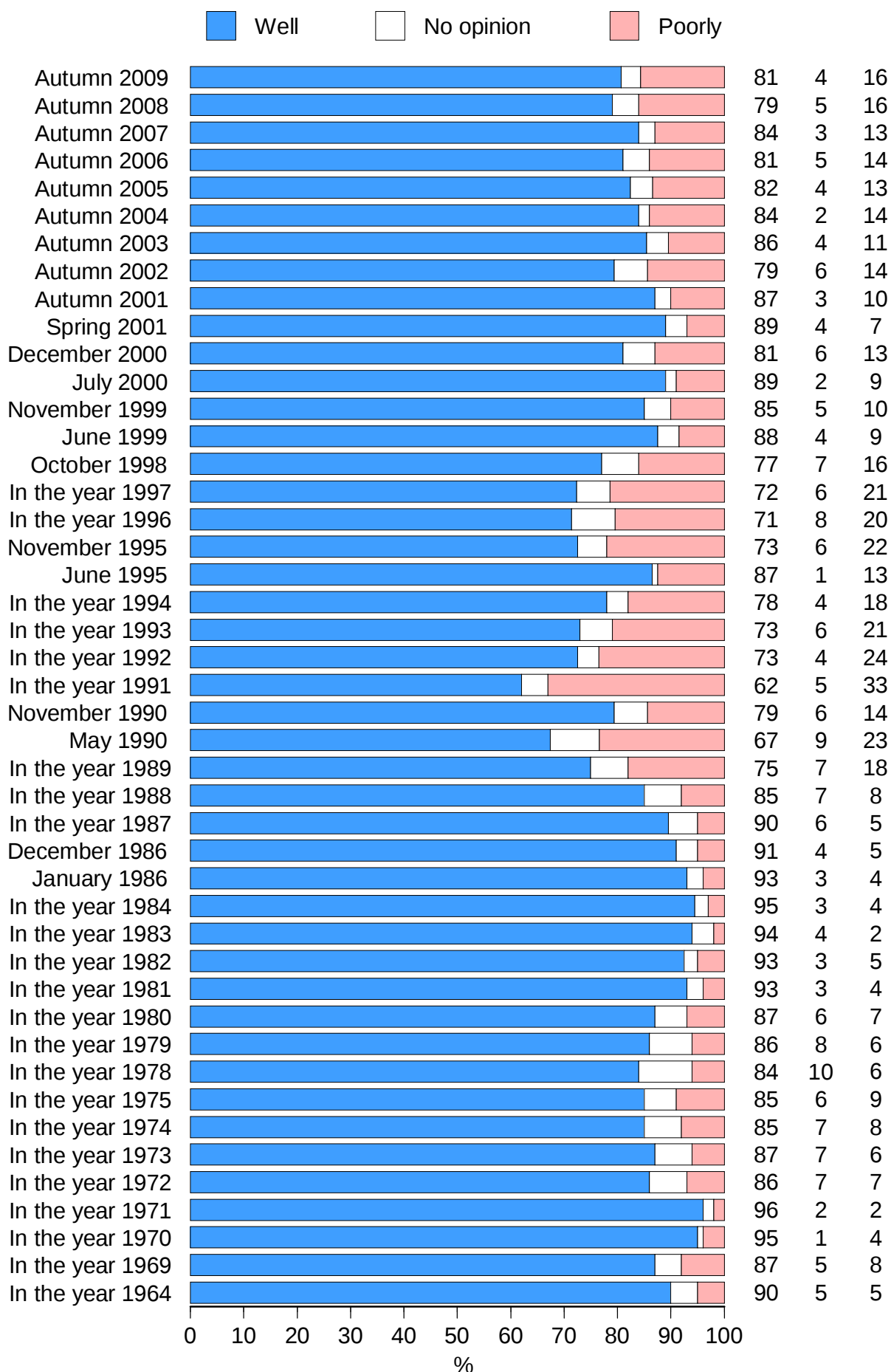
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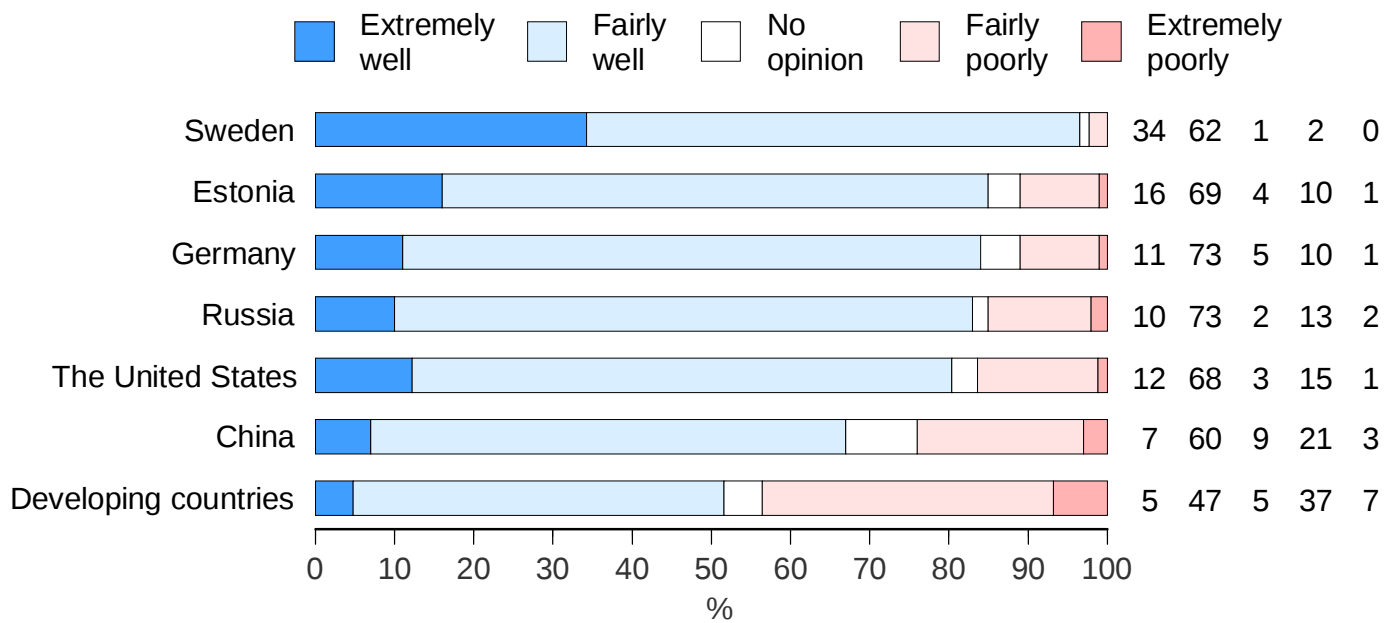
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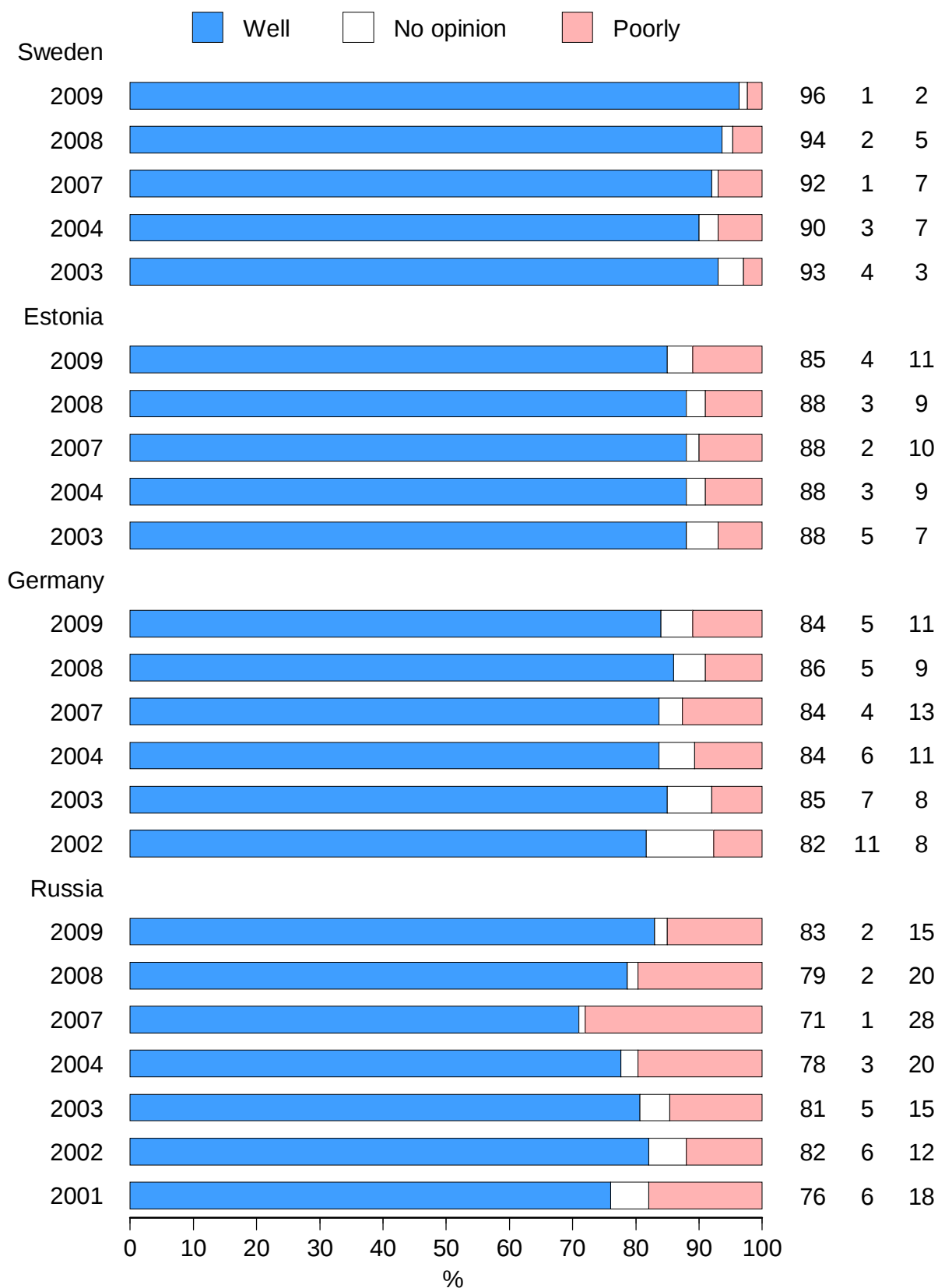
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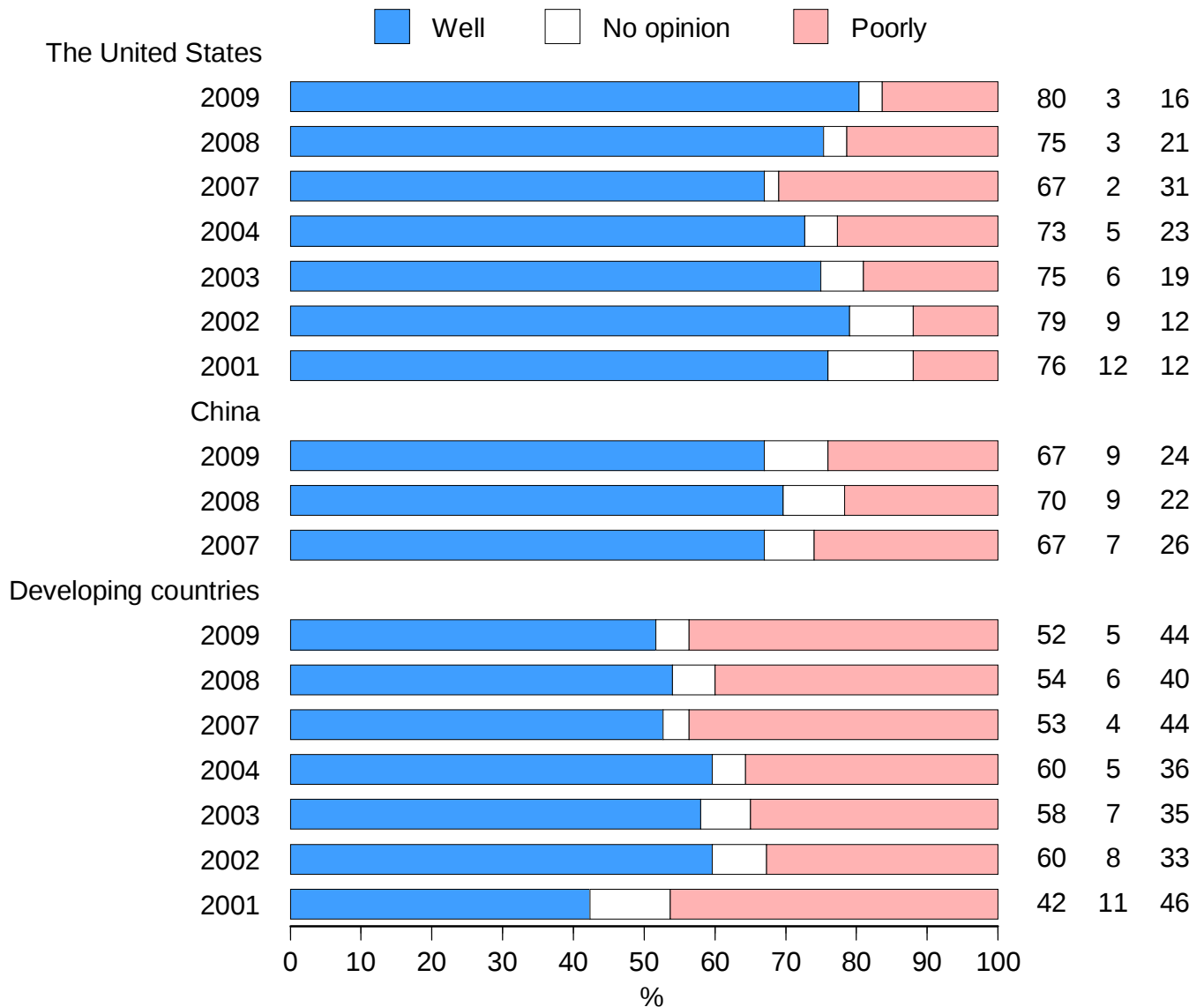
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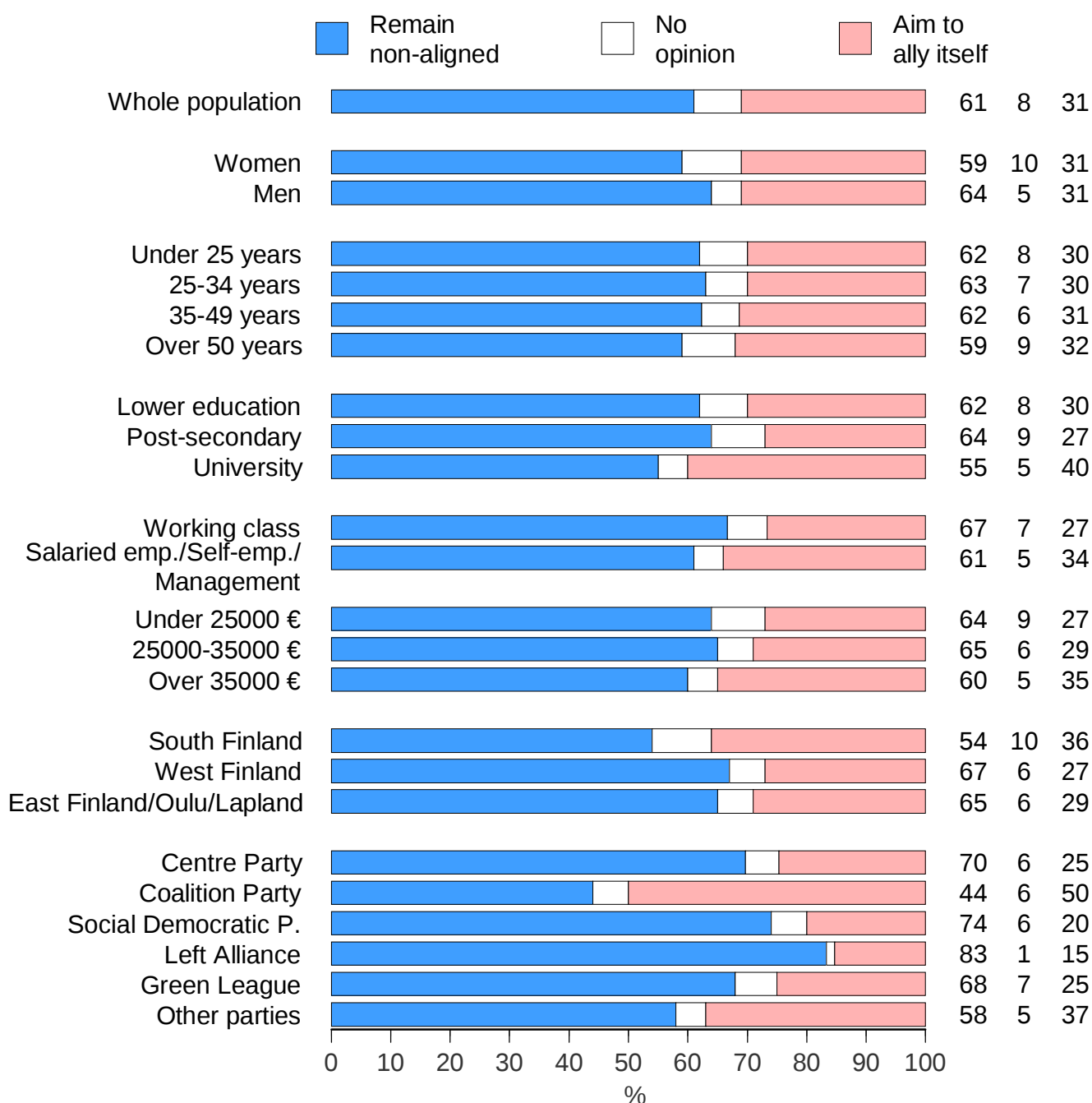
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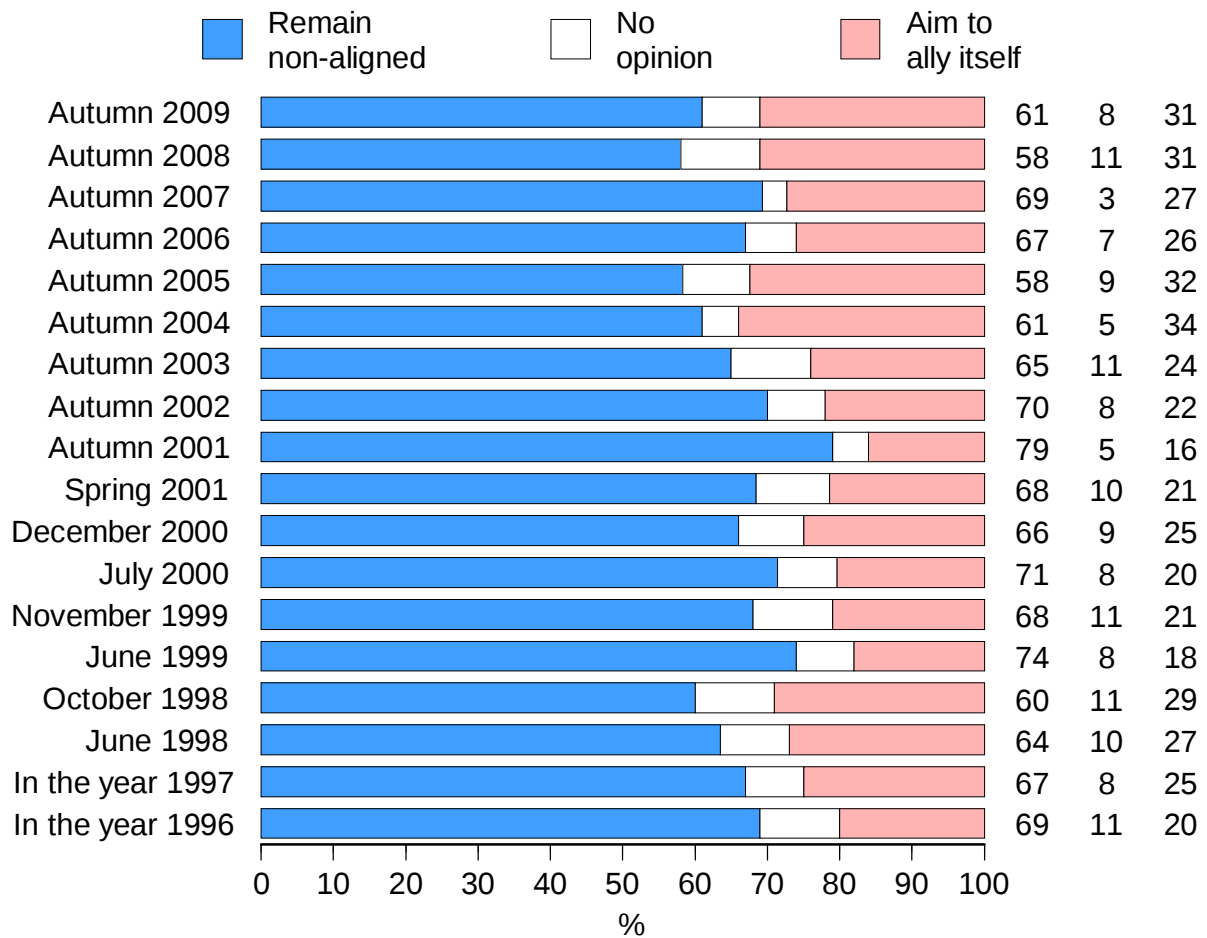
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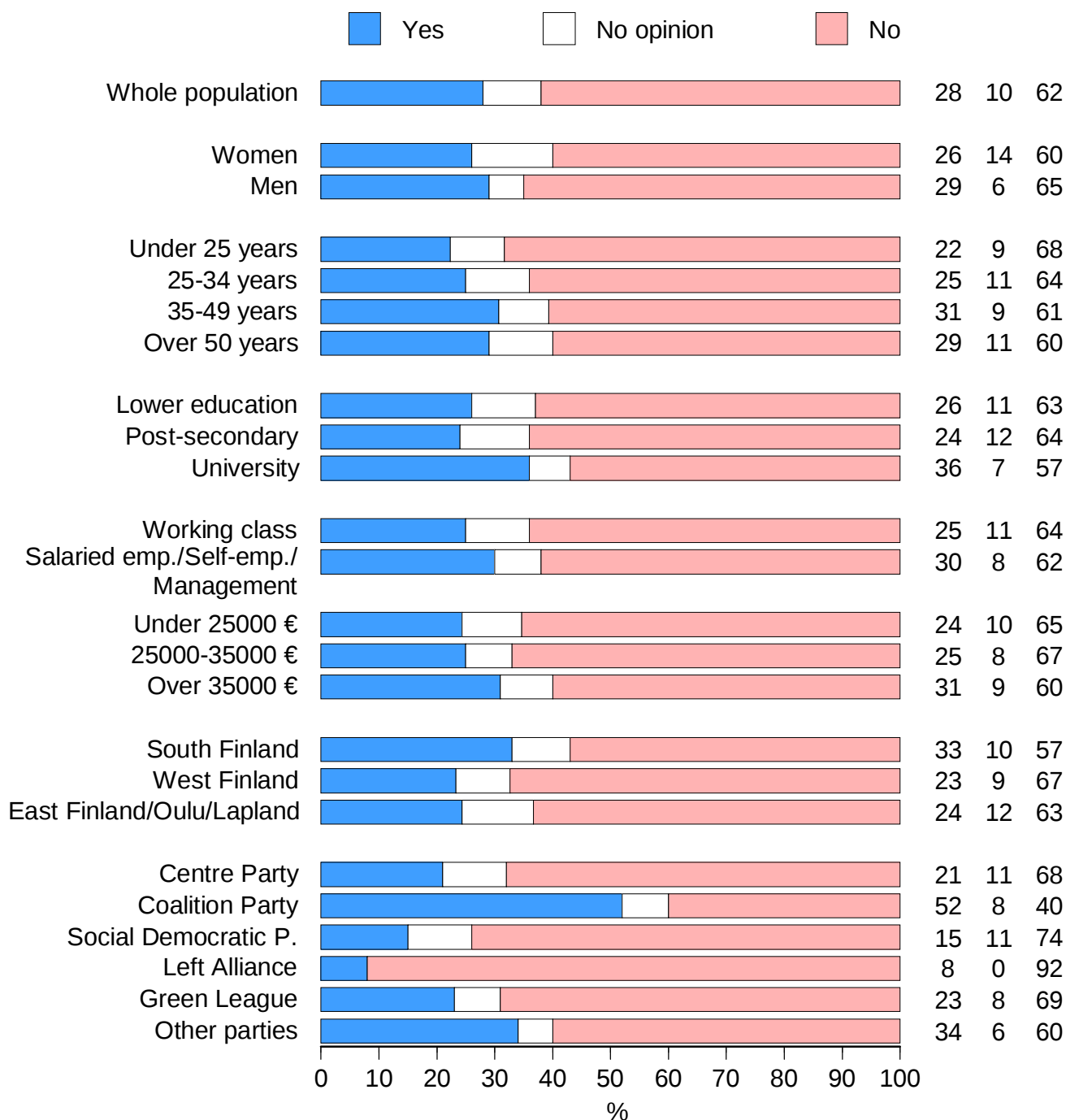
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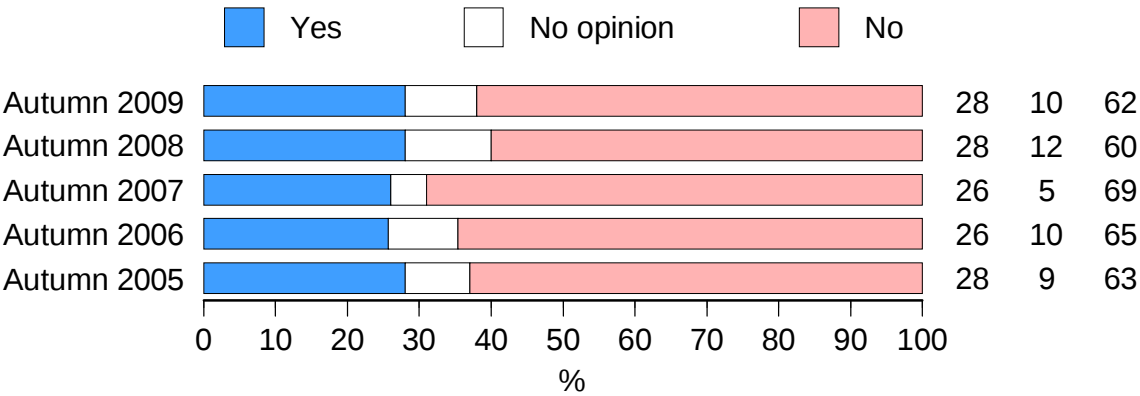
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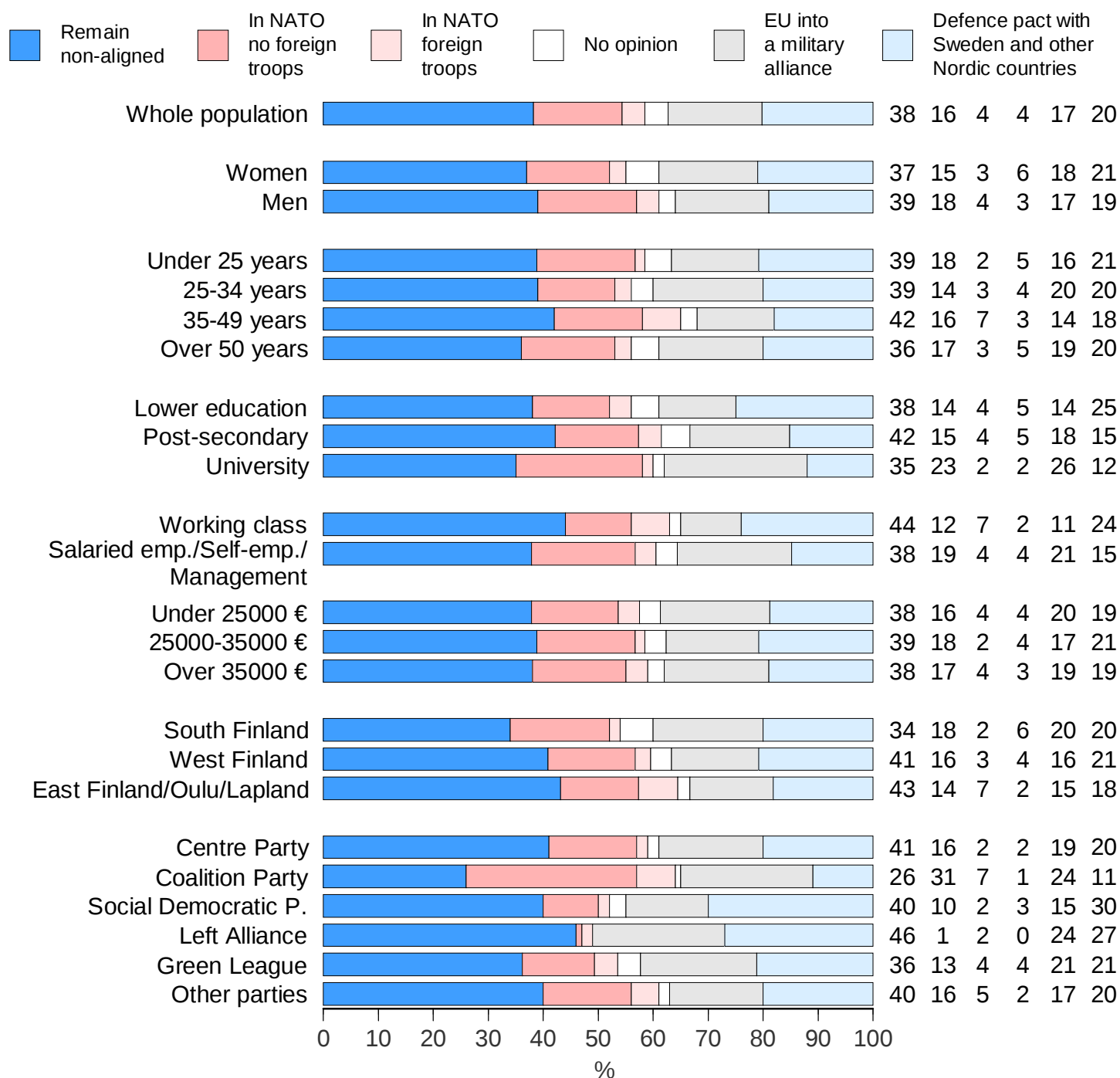
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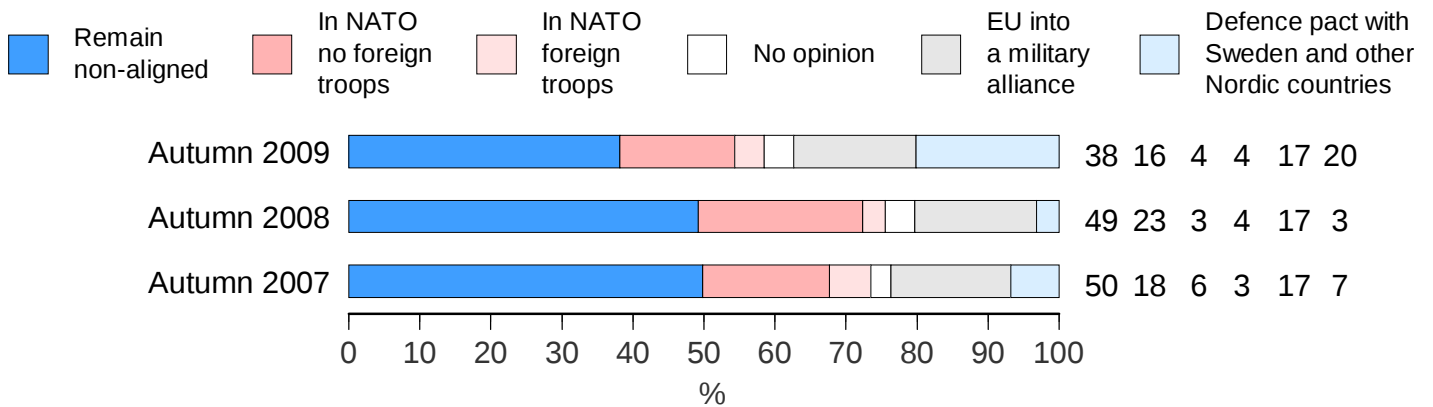
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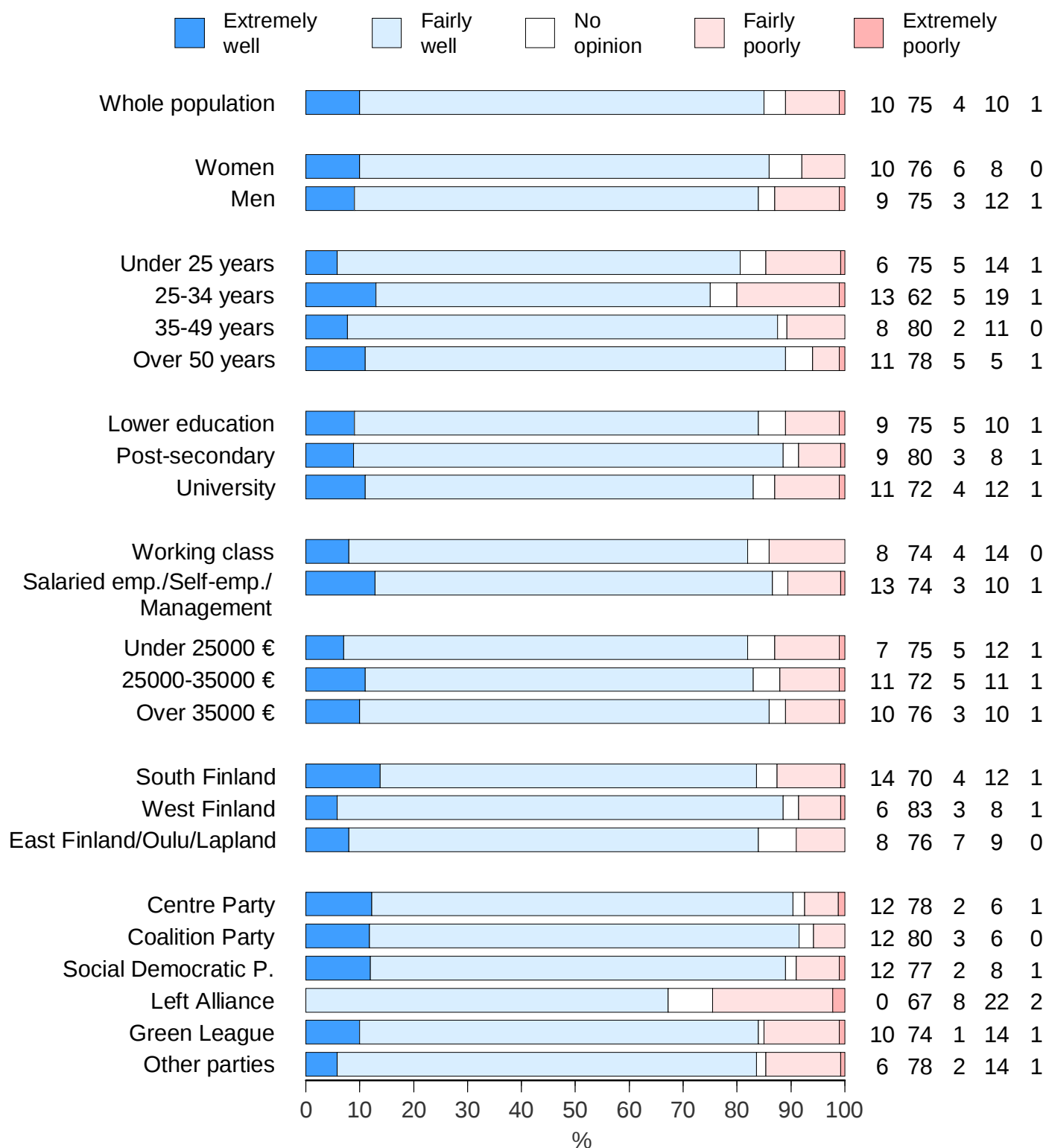
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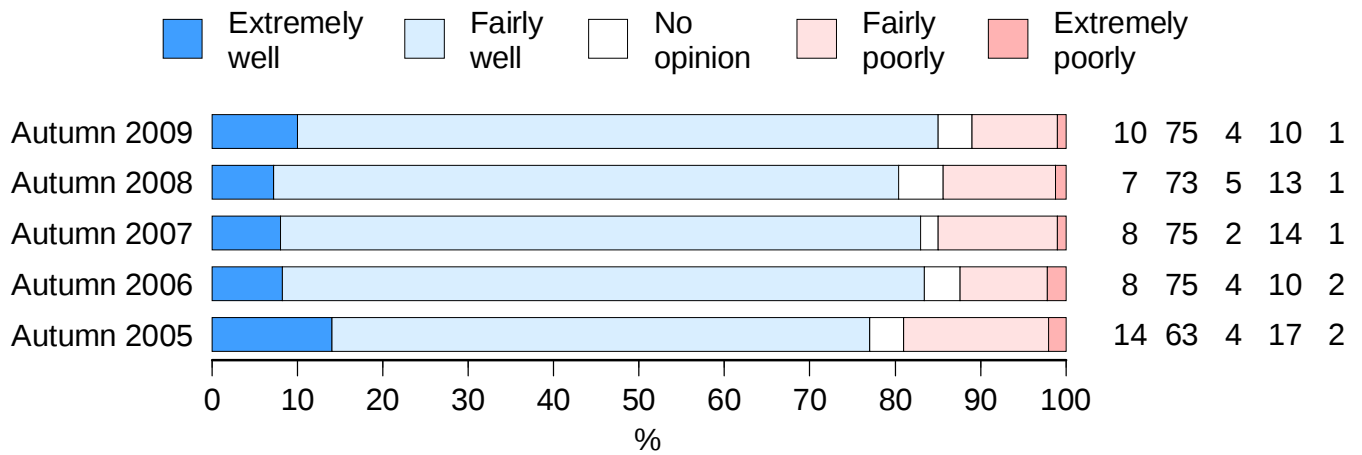
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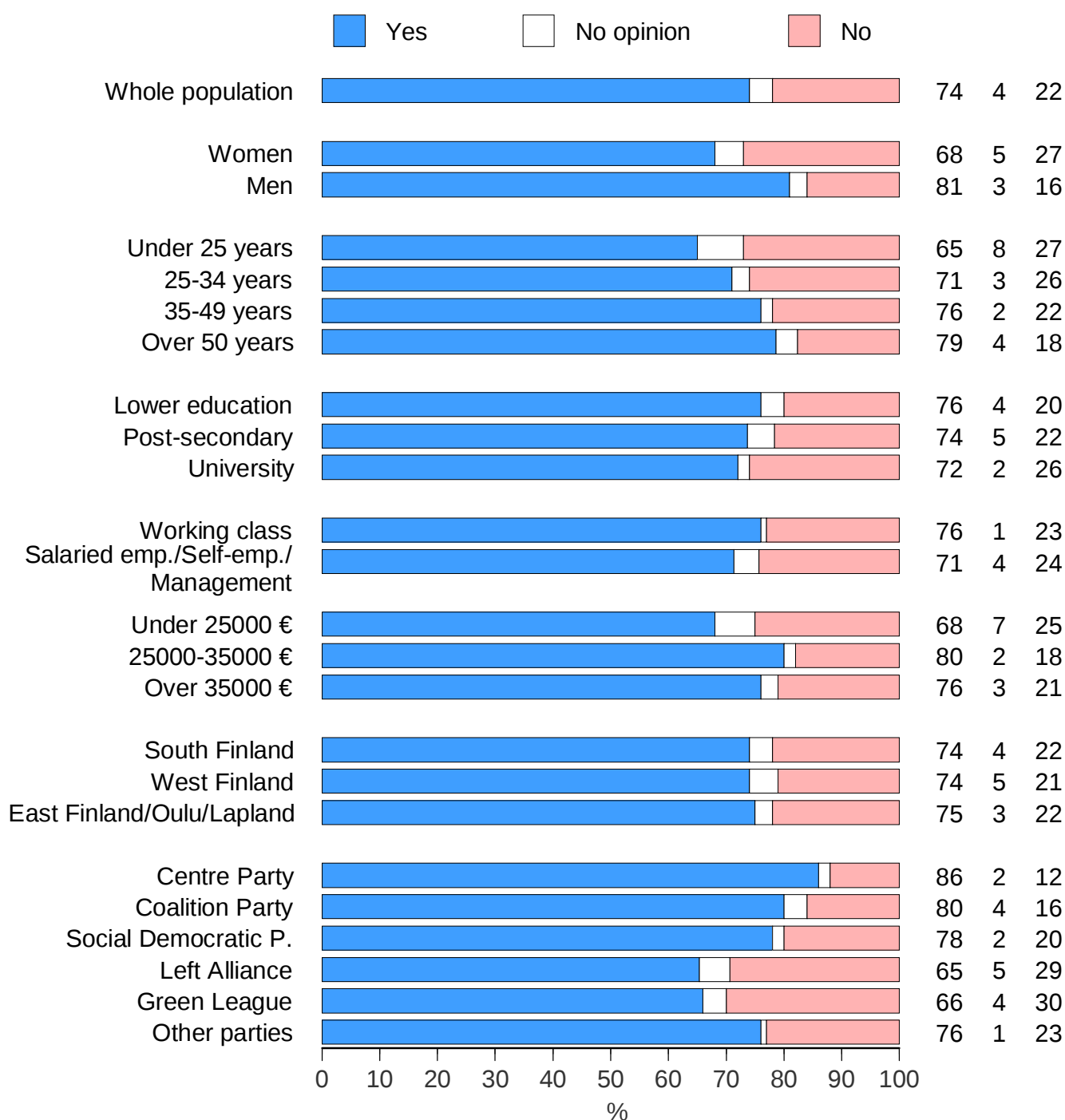
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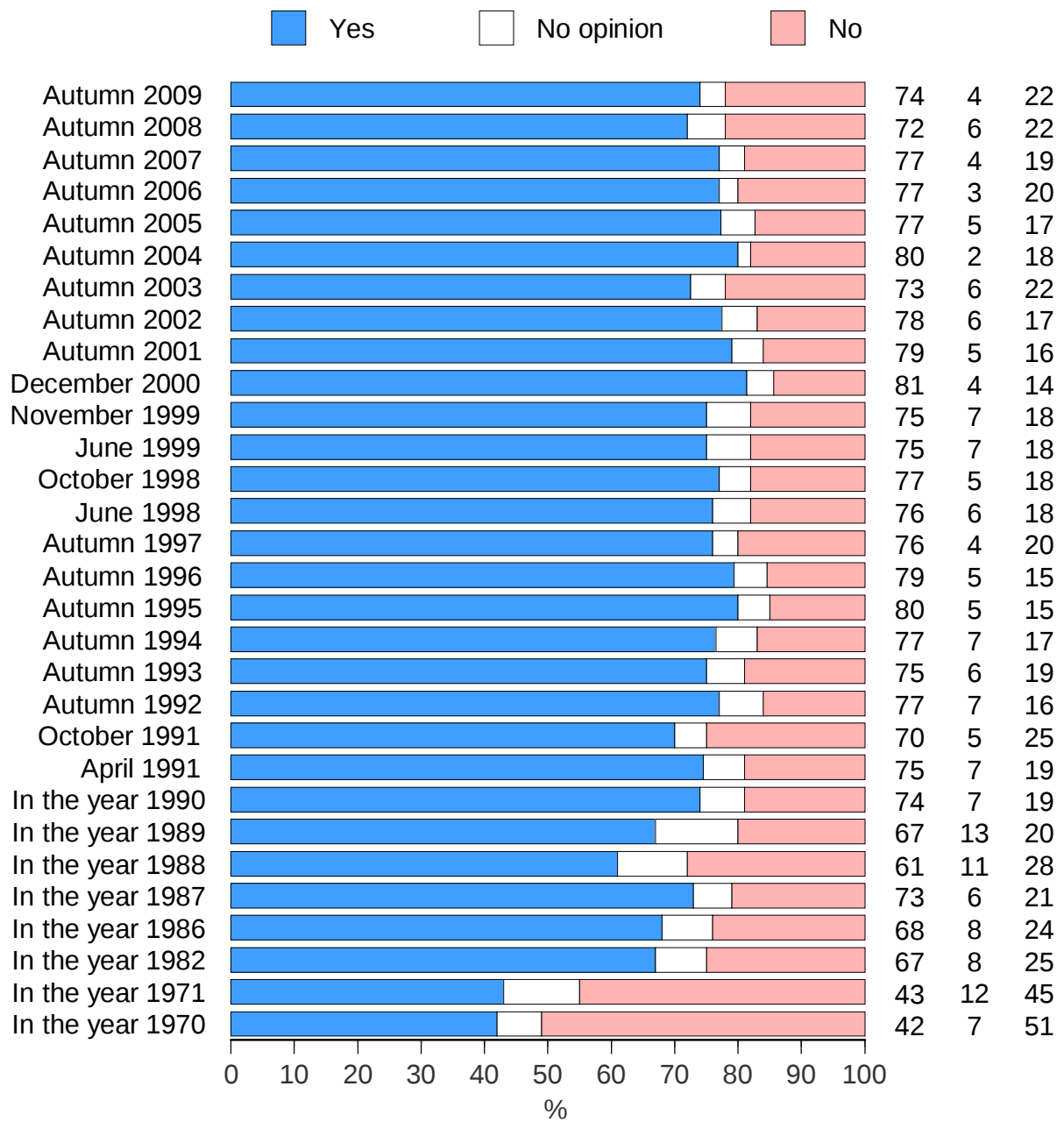
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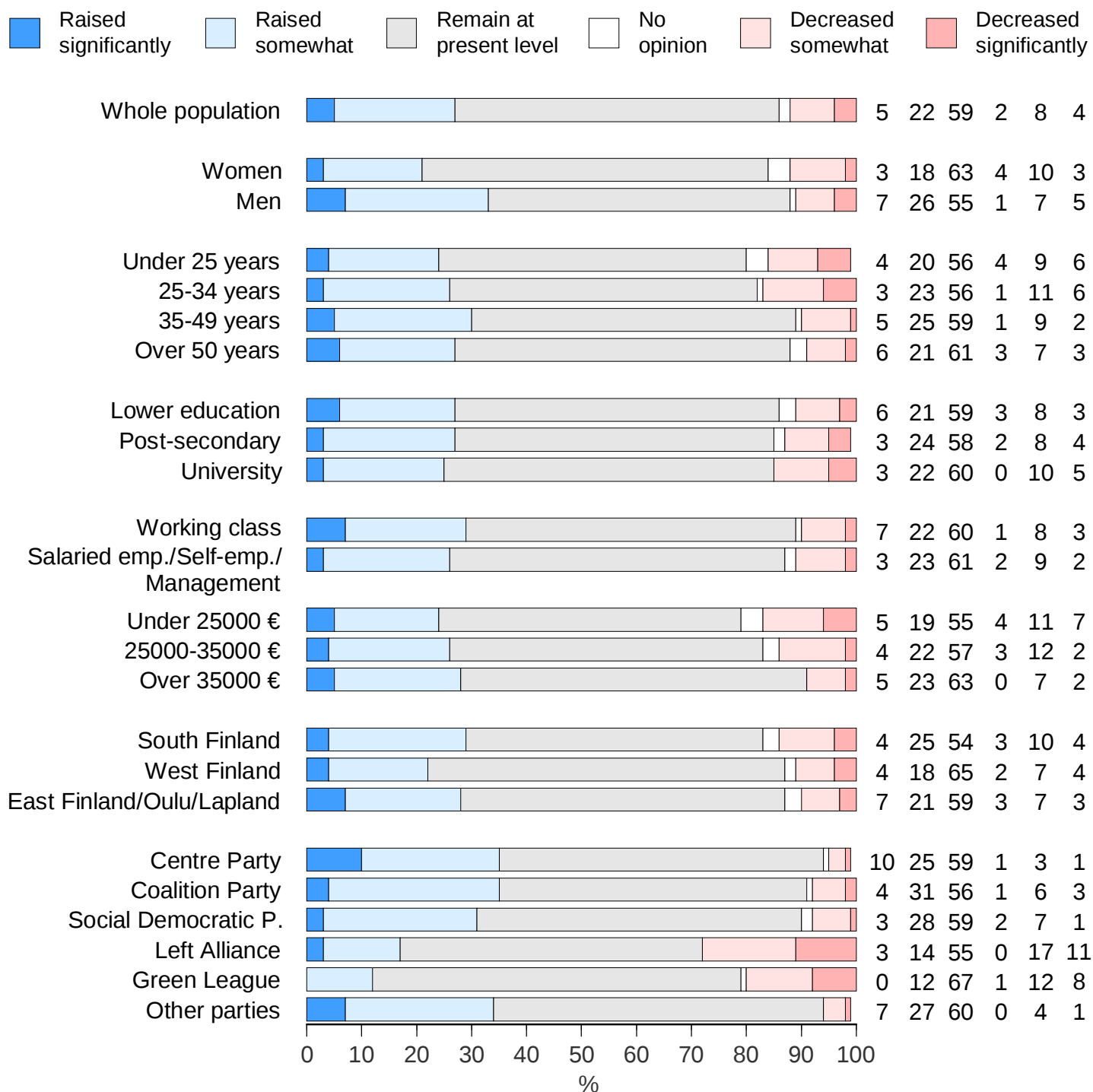
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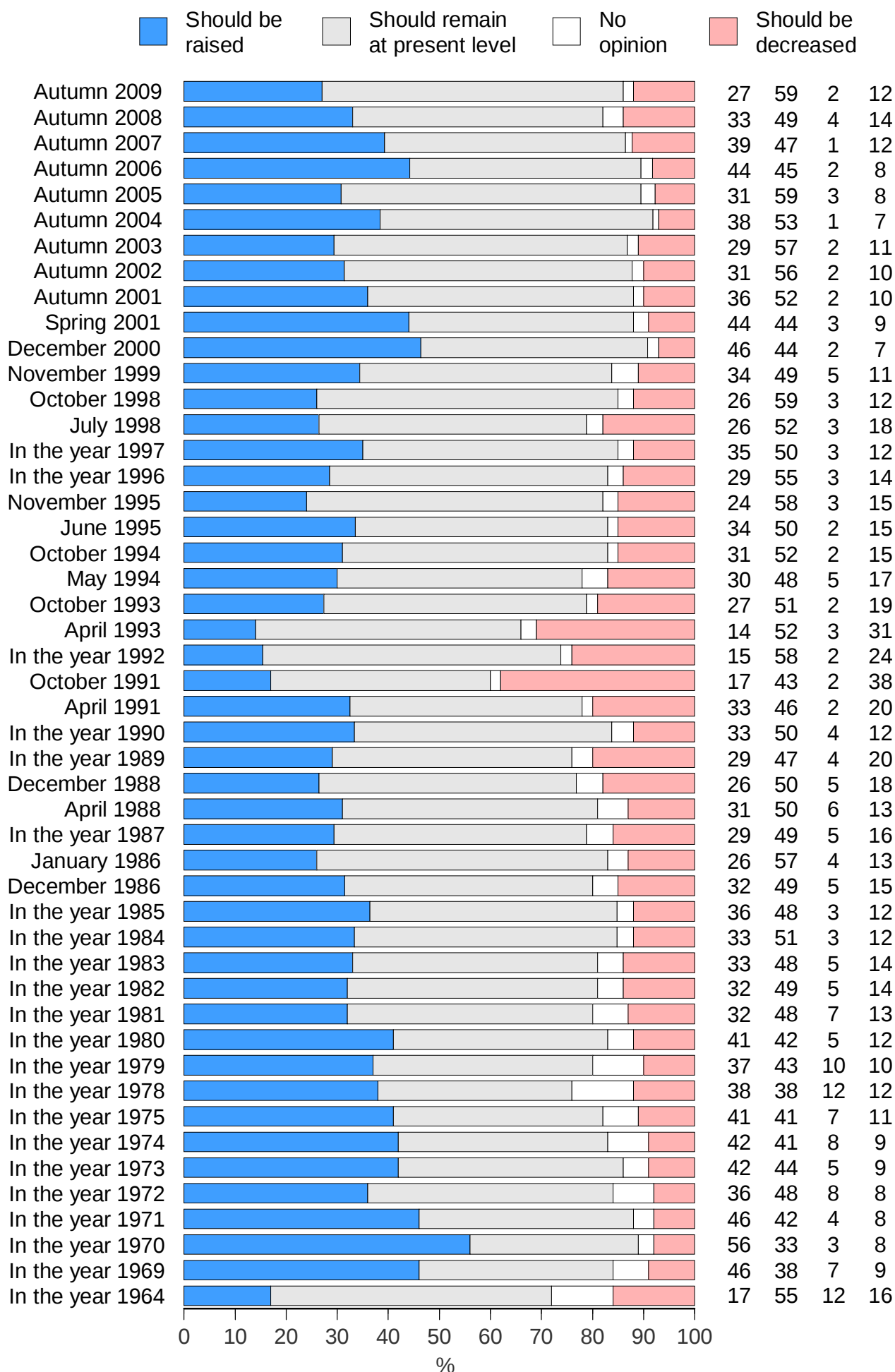
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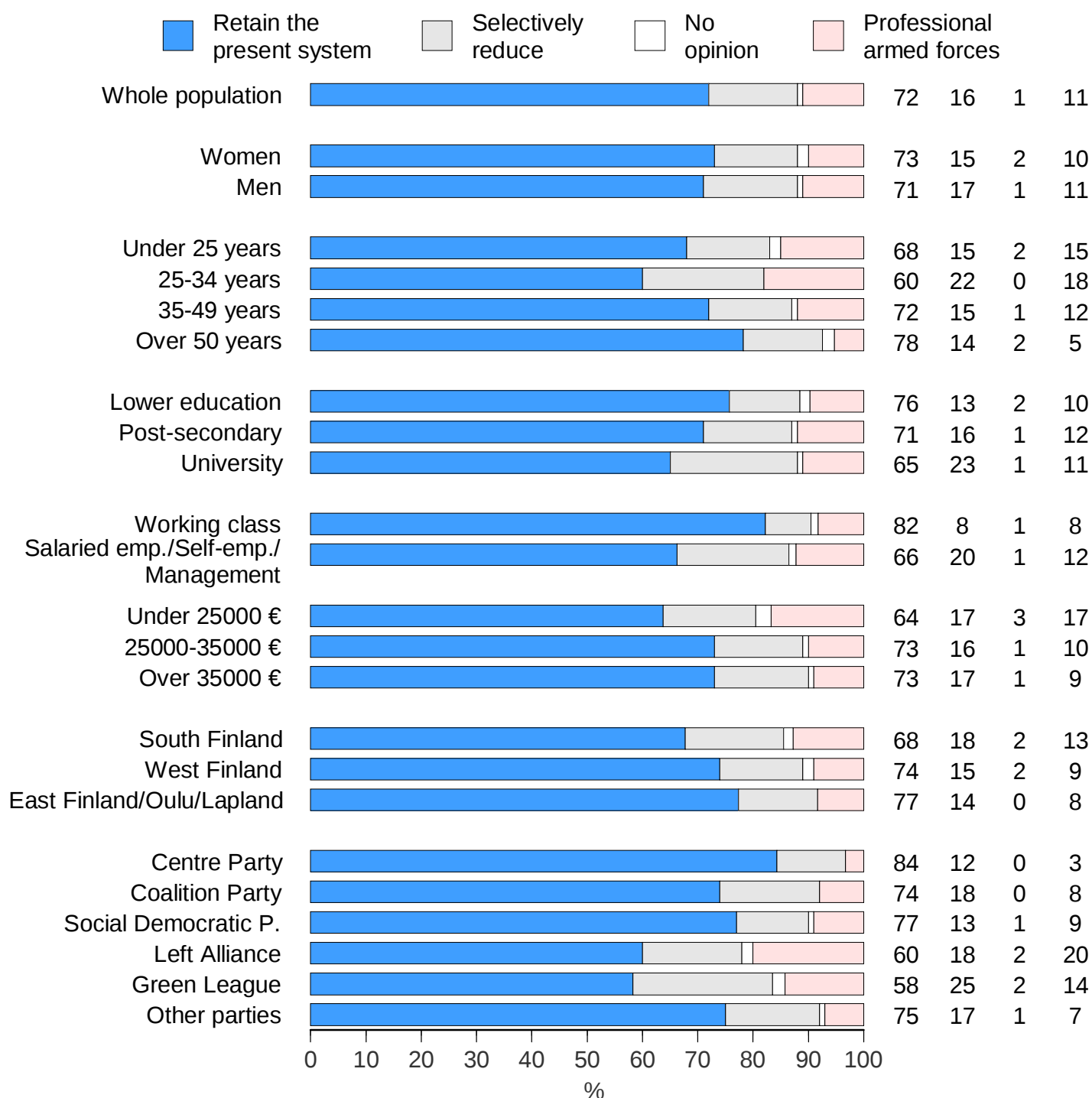
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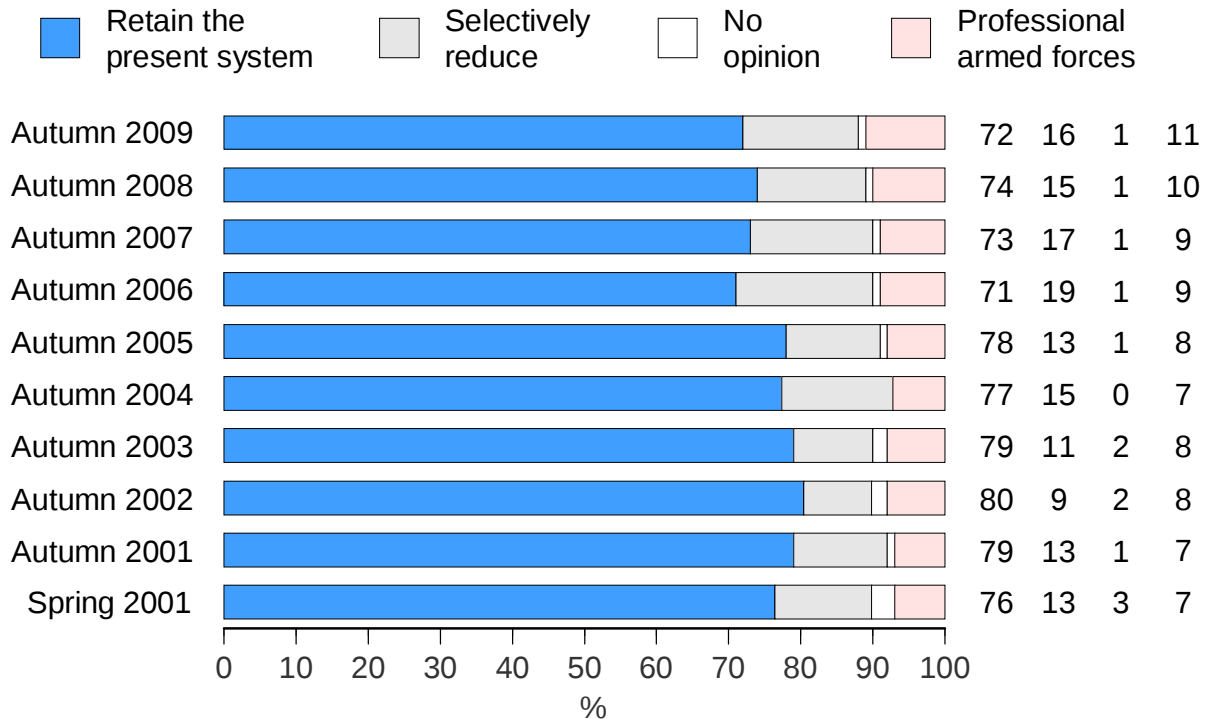
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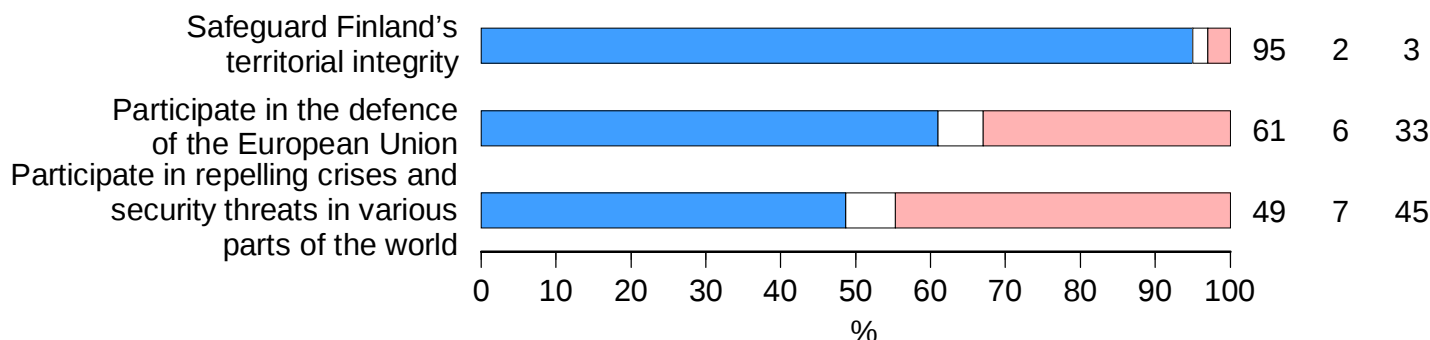


The military tasks of the Defence Forces

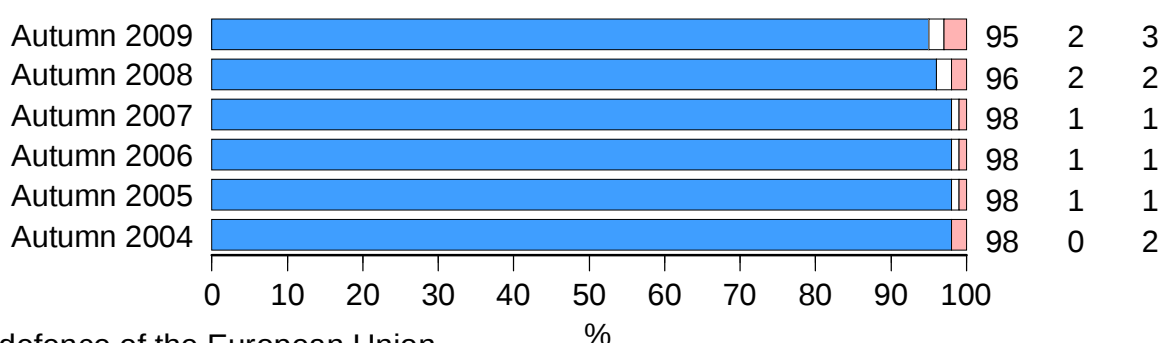
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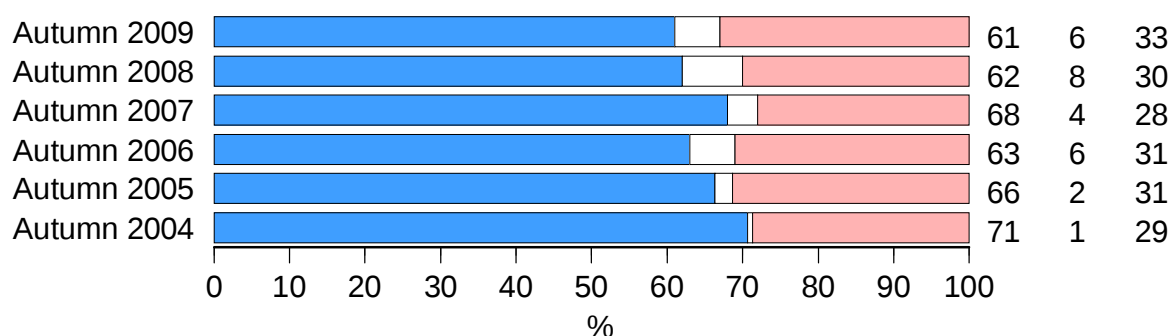
Yes No opinion No



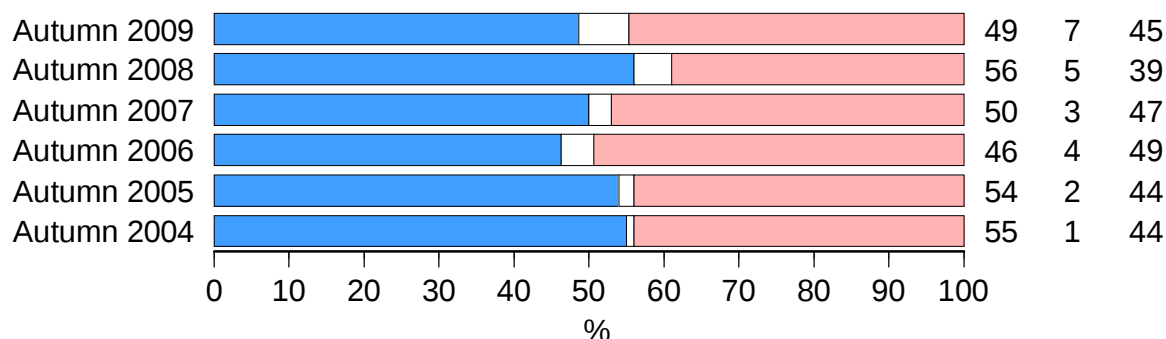
Safeguard Finland's territorial integrity



Participate in the defence of the European Union

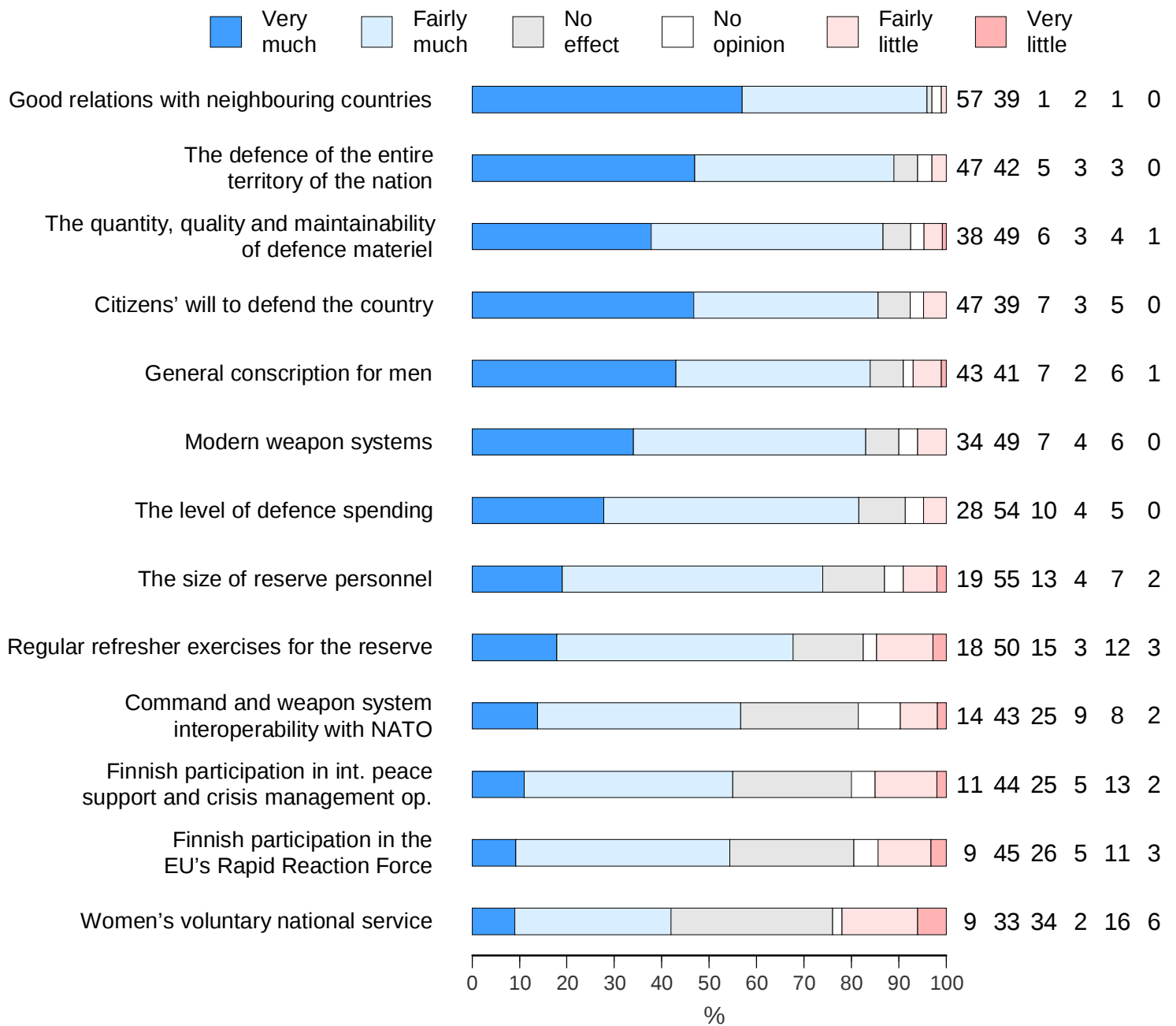


Participate in repelling crises and security threats in various parts of the world



Credible defence

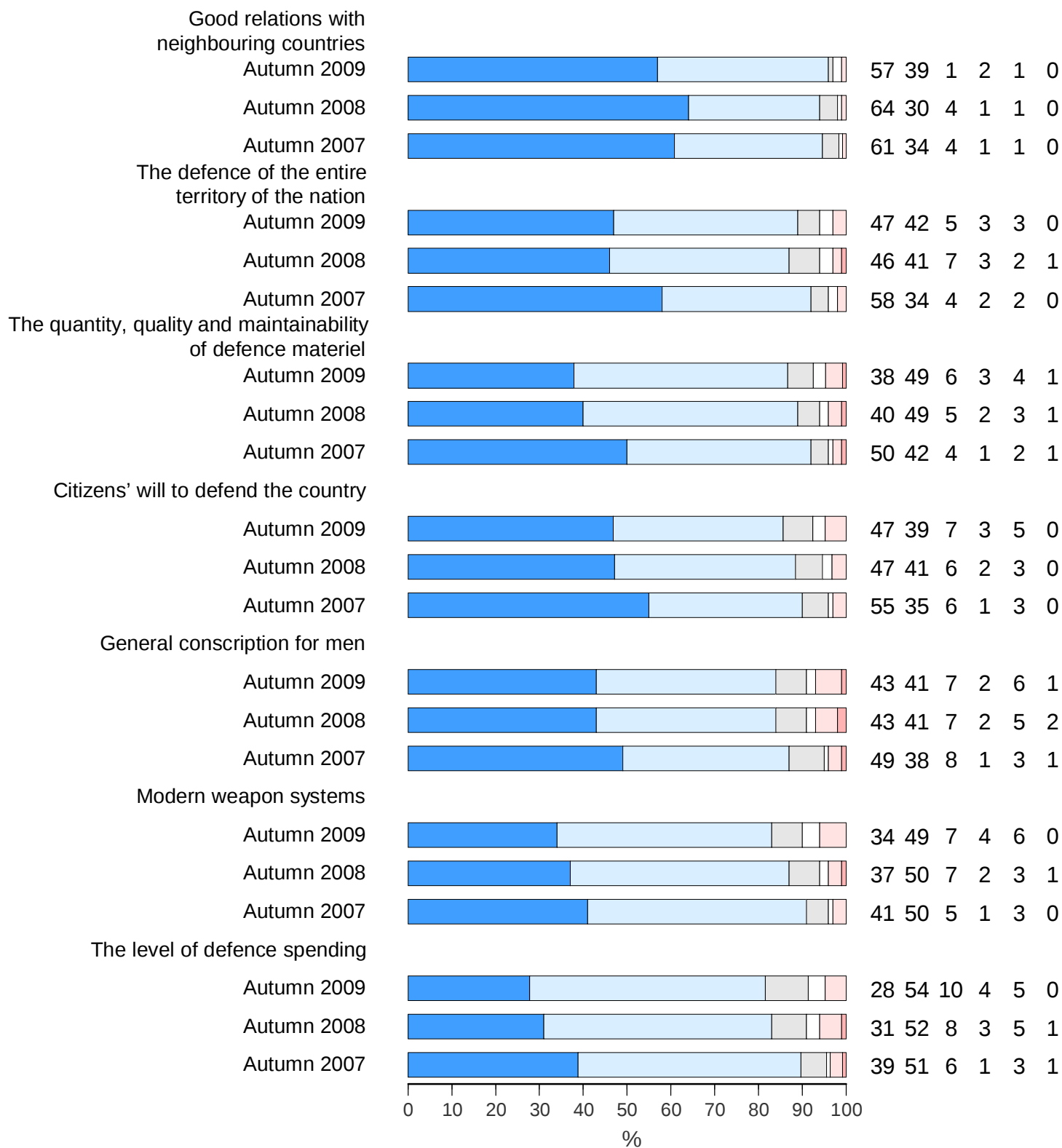
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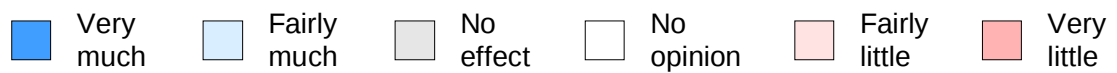
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■ Very much
 ■ Fairly much
 ■ No effect
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 ■ Fairly little
 ■ Very little

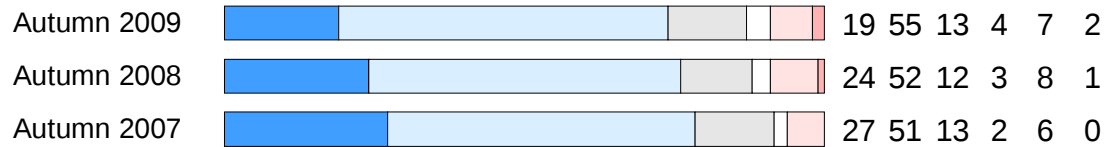


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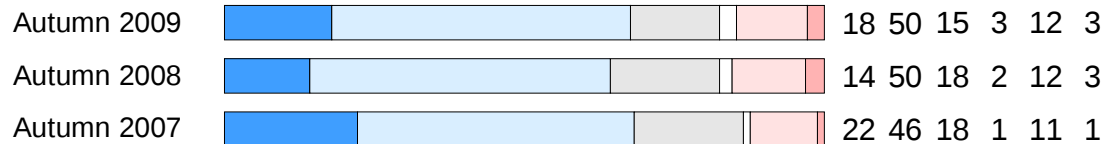
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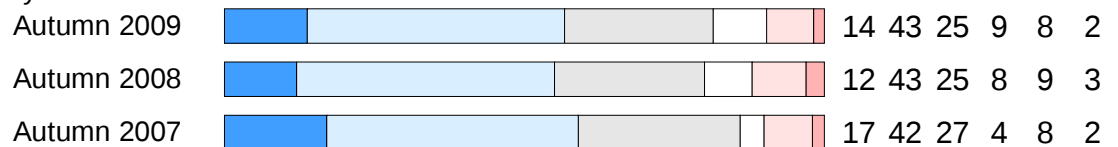
The size of reserve personnel



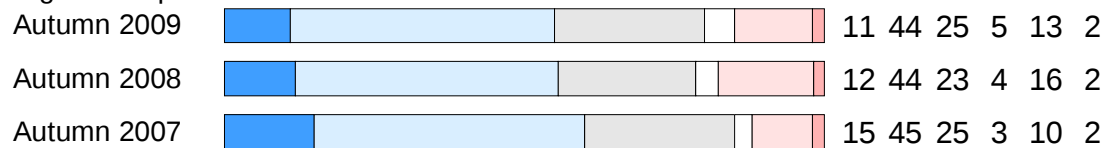
Regular refresher exercises for the reserve



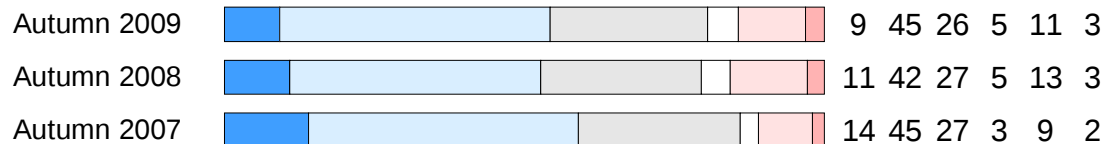
Command and weapon system interoperability with NATO



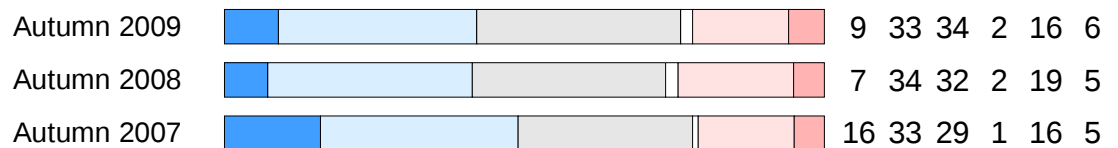
Finnish participation in int. peace support and crisis management op.



Finnish participation in the EU's Rapid Reaction Force



Women's voluntary national service

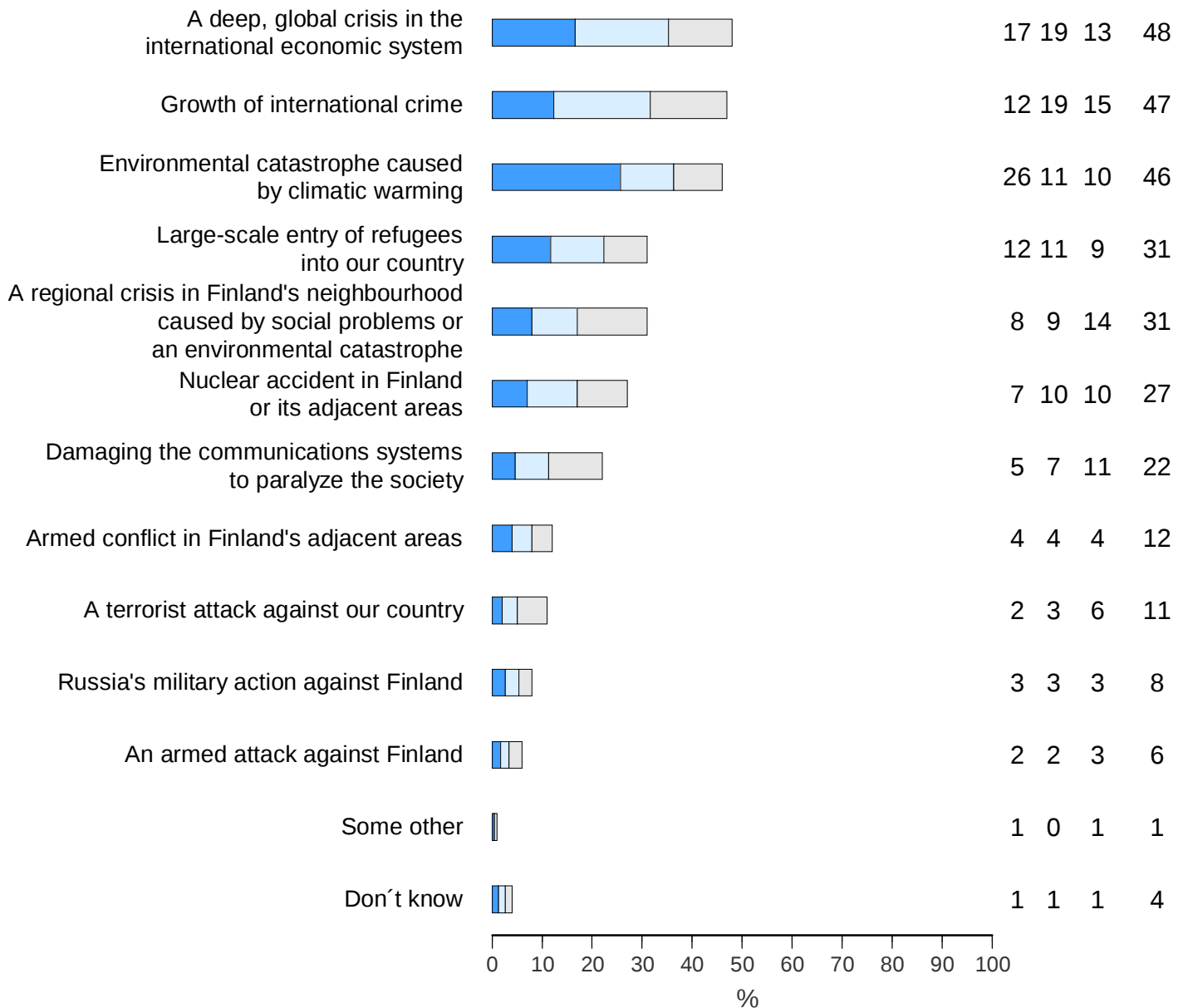


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Threat scenarios

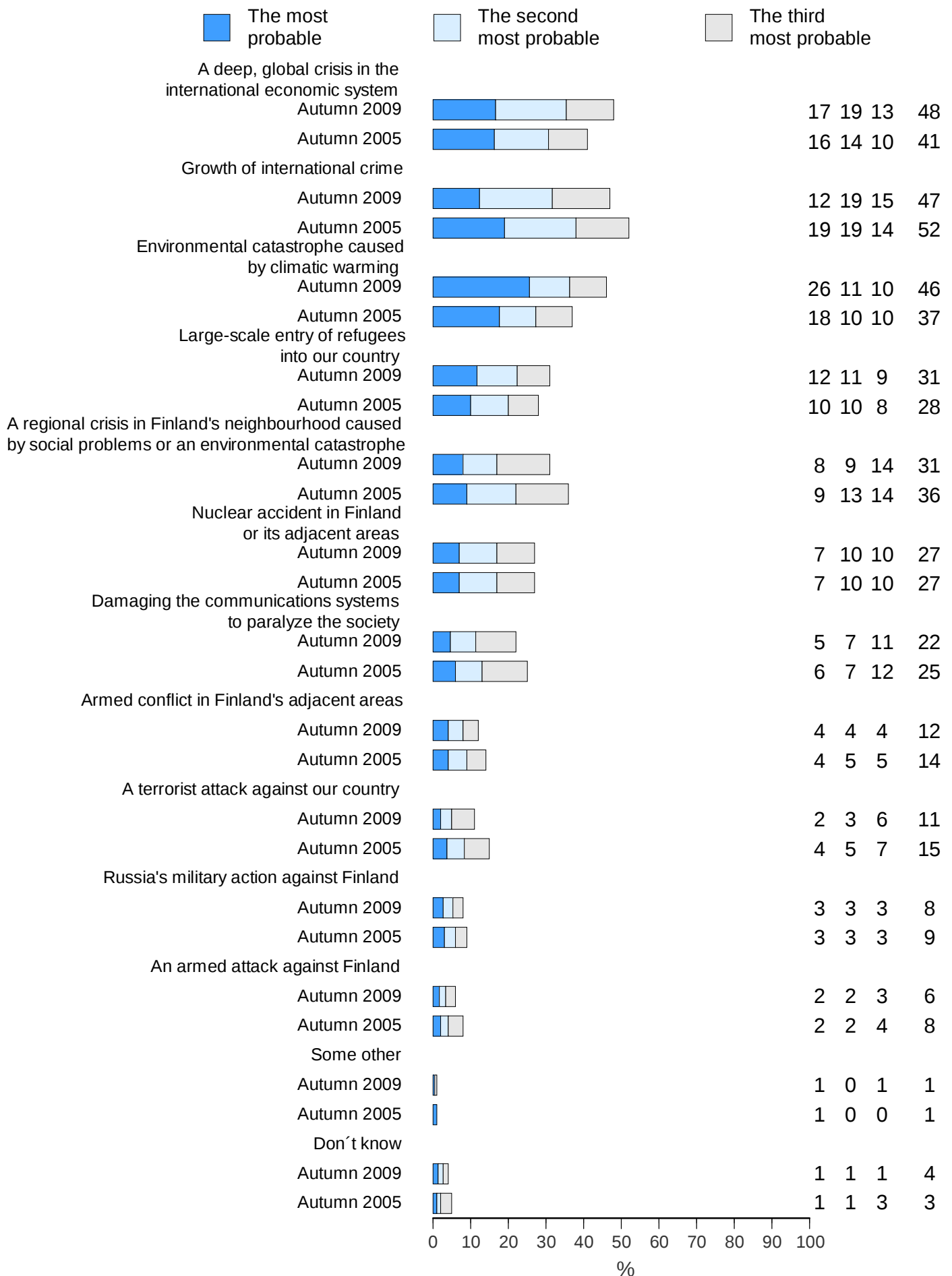
"In your opinion, what kind of threats should Finland primarily prepare itself for?"

■ The most probable
 ■ The second most probable
 ■ The third most probable



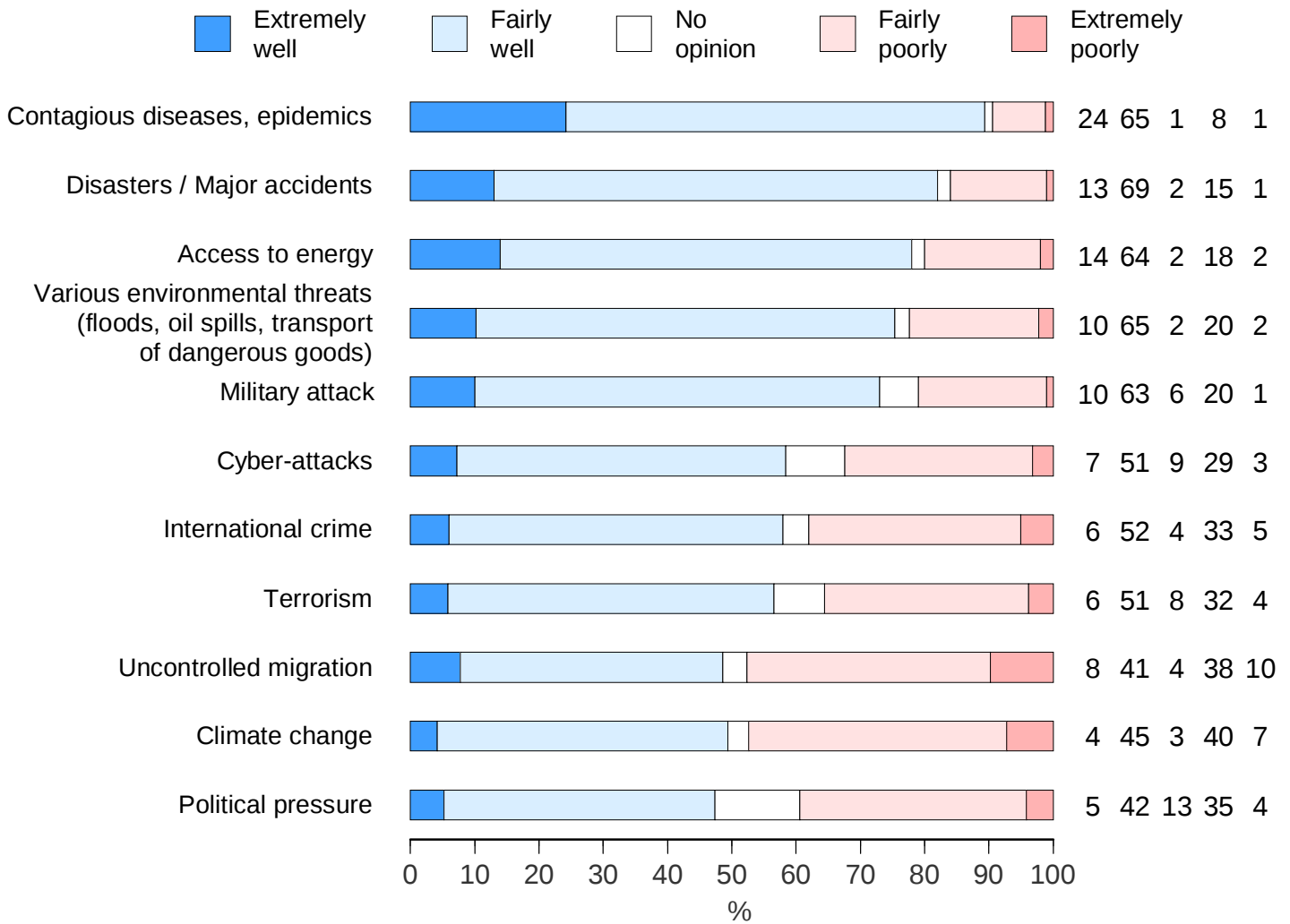
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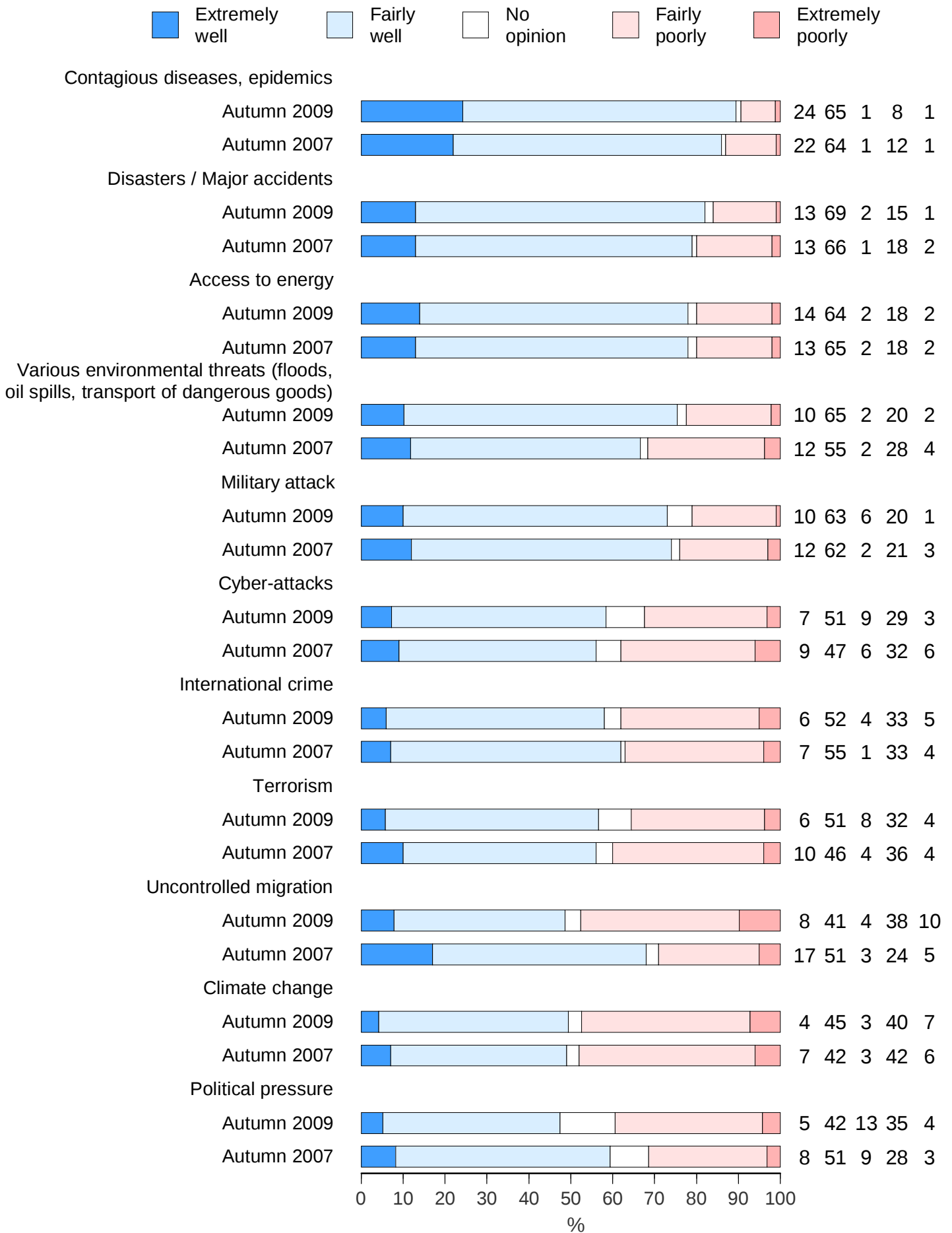
Preparing for new threats

"In your opinion, how well has Finland prepared for the following threats?"



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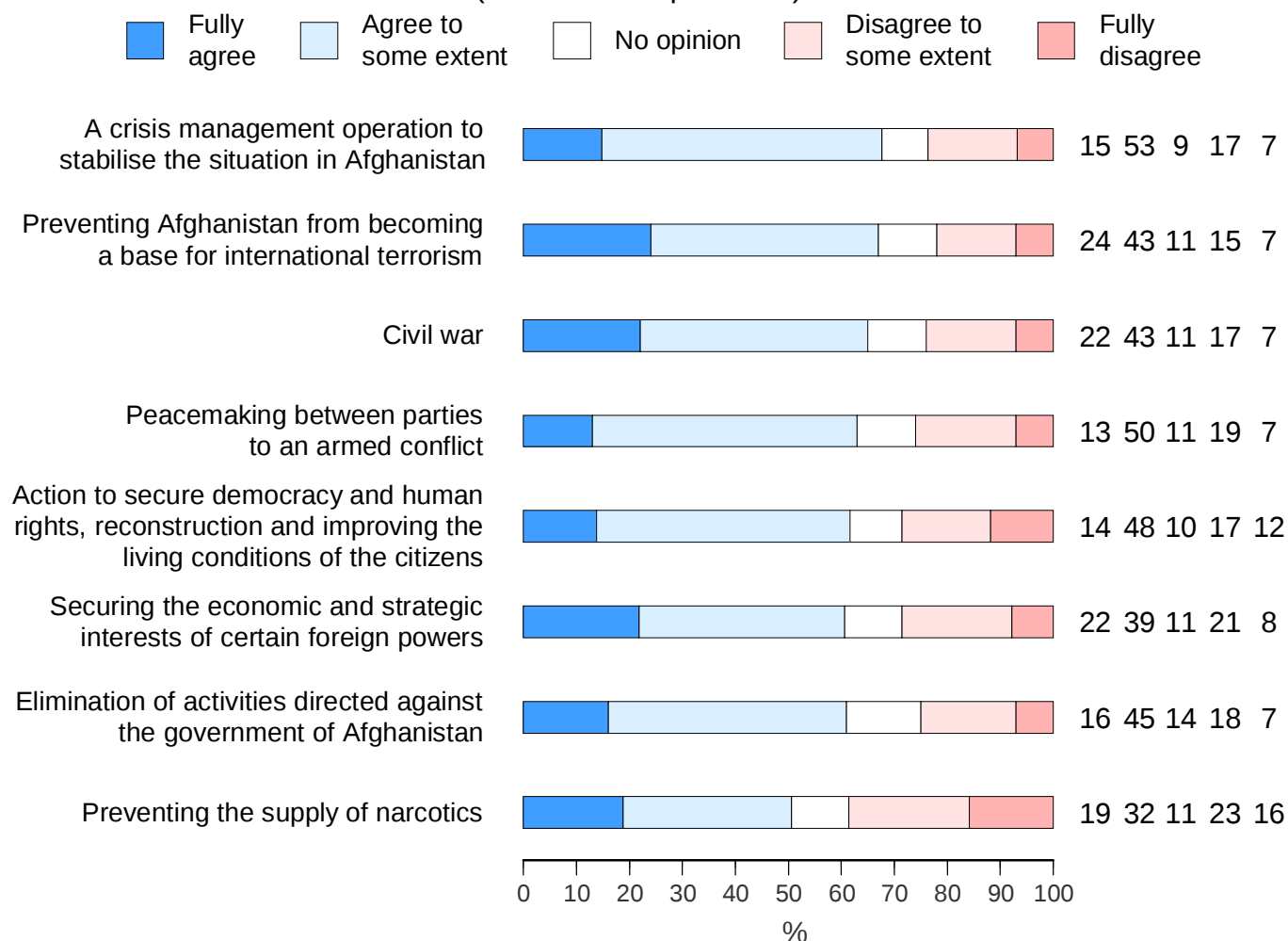
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Opinion over the situation in Afghanistan

"What is your opinion regarding the situation in Afghanistan?
In your opinion, what does the situation in Afghanistan primarily concern?"

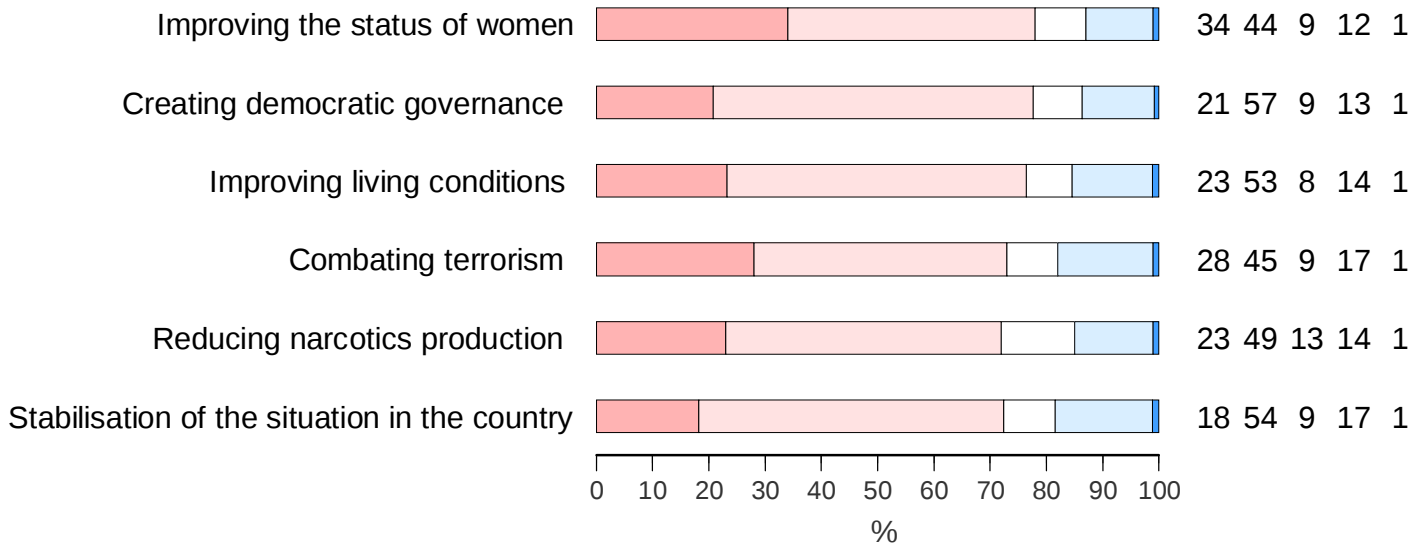
(Half of the respondents)



In your opinion, how successful has the international community been in Afghanistan?

"In your opinion, how successful has the international community been in supporting the government of Afghanistan in achieving the following objectives?"

■ Poorly
 ■ Fairly poorly
 ■ No opinion
 ■ Fairly well
 ■ Well



How should Finland act in Afghanistan?

"In your opinion, as regards the situation in Afghanistan, should Finland:"

