

ATTITUDES OF THE CITIZENS OF MONTENEGRO ABOUT CLIMATE CHANGE

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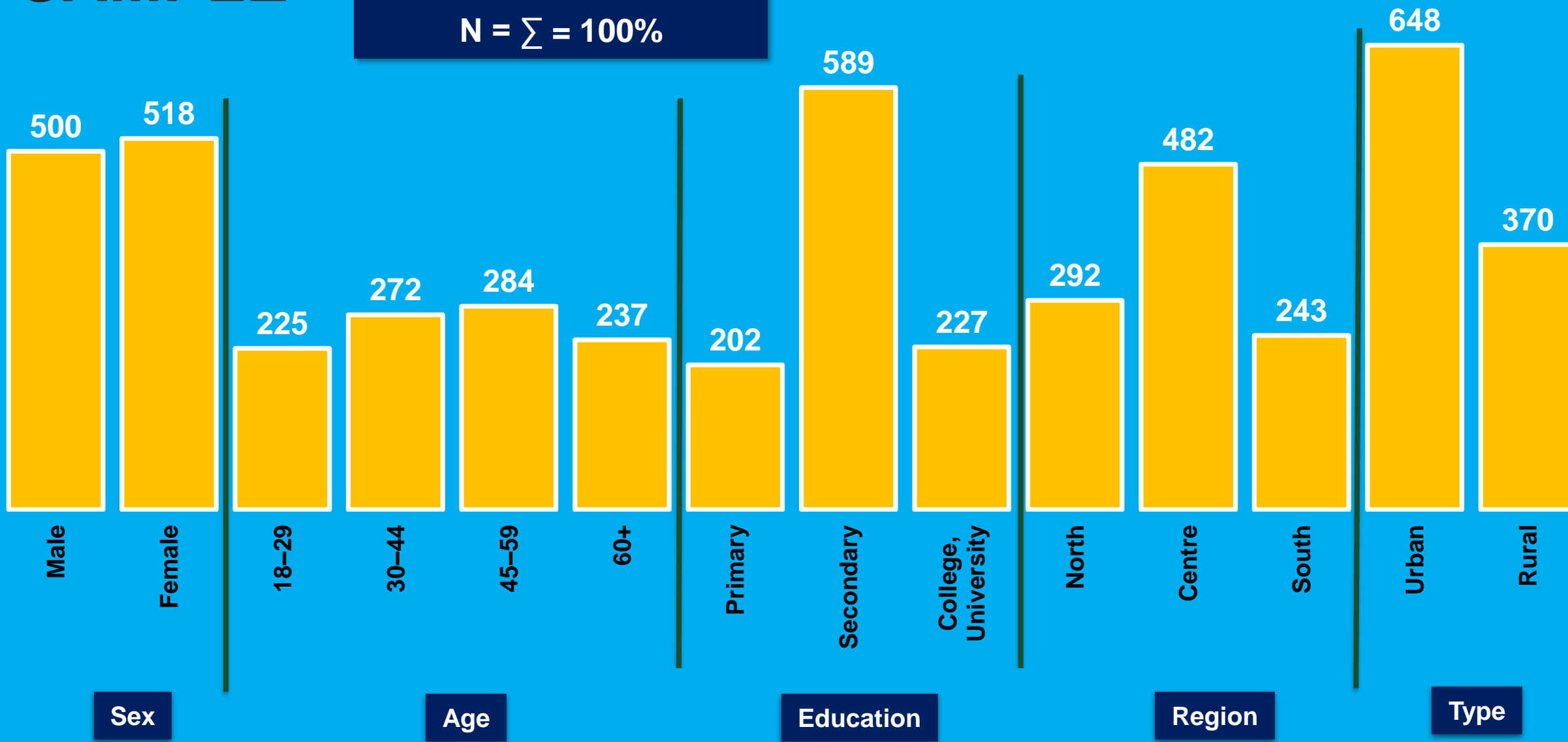
METHODOLOGY

Implementation:	Data collected in the period 8–16 October 2021
Sample frame:	Population of Montenegro, age 18+
Sample size :	1,018 respondents
Sample type:	One-stage representative stratified sample Respondents from households
Survey type:	Telephone survey with an average questionnaire lasting 3 minutes
Survey locations:	23 municipalities from Montenegro, urban, suburban and rural areas
Poststratification:	By sex, age
Error:	±1.41% for occurrences with an incidence of 5% ±2.78% for occurrences with an incidence of 25% ±3.22% for occurrences with an incidence of 50% (<i>marginal error</i>)

SAMPLE

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$N = \sum = 100\%$



Base: Total target population, N=1,018

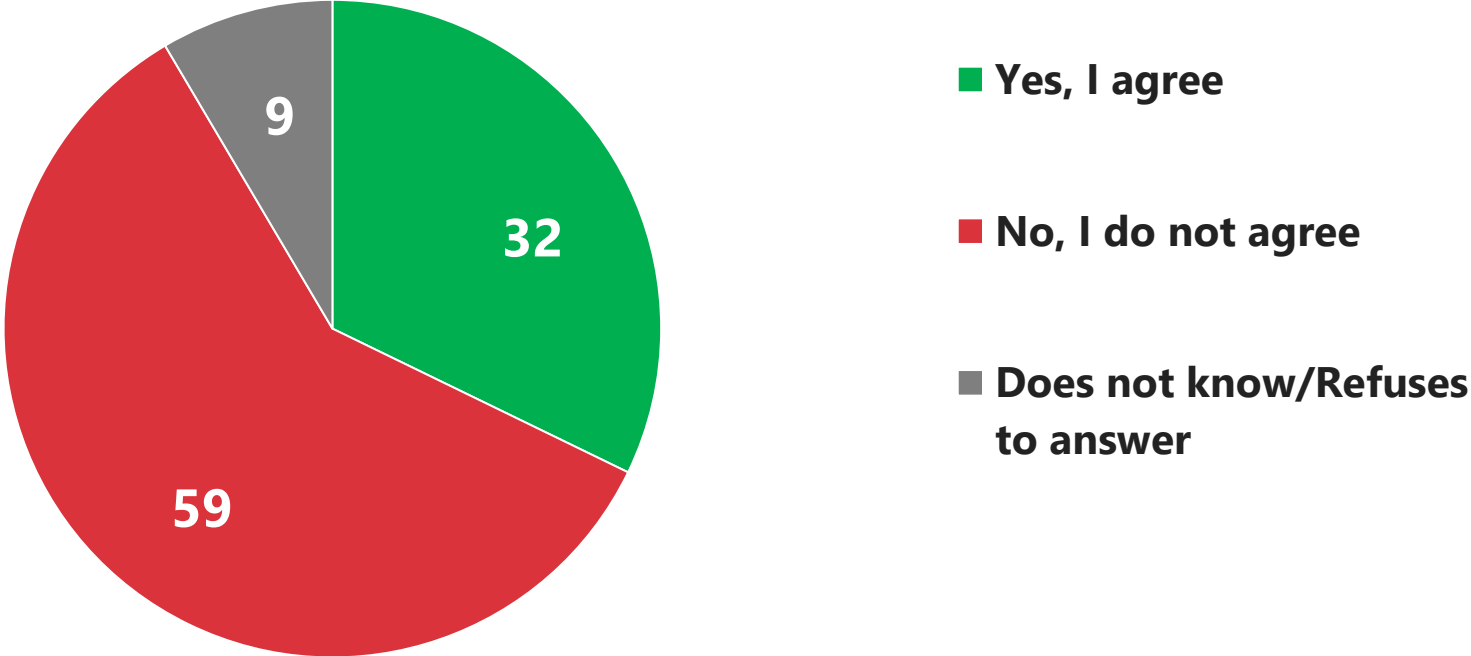
RESULTS



Do the citizens agree with the statement: “THE IDEA THAT HUMANS CAUSE CLIMATE CHANGE IS A LIE INTENDED TO DECEIVE PEOPLE”?

One third of Montenegrin citizens believe that the idea of human impact on climate change is a lie.

Data presented in %



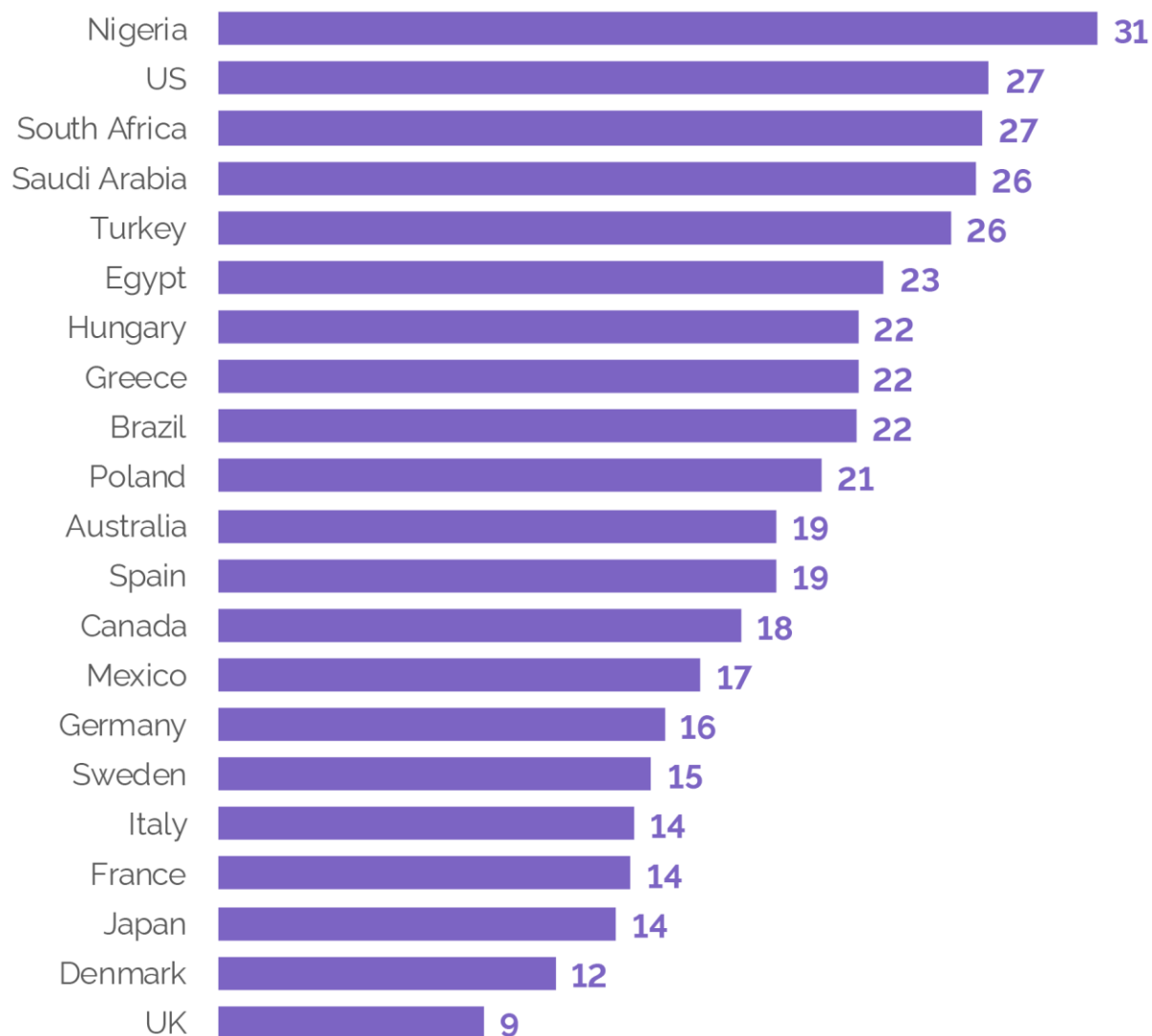
Do you agree with the following statement: “The idea that humans are causing climate change is a lie designed to deceive people”?
Base: Total target population, N=1,018

While 32% of people in Montenegro believe that the idea of human impact on climate change is a lie, the same opinion is shared by only 9% of UK nationals, 12% of the citizens of Denmark and 14% of the citizens of Japan, France and Italy.

Nigeria has a similar percentage of citizens as Montenegro who believe that human activities do not cause climate change – in Nigeria it is 1% less than in Montenegro.

Which nations are the most likely to believe that global warming and climate change is a hoax?

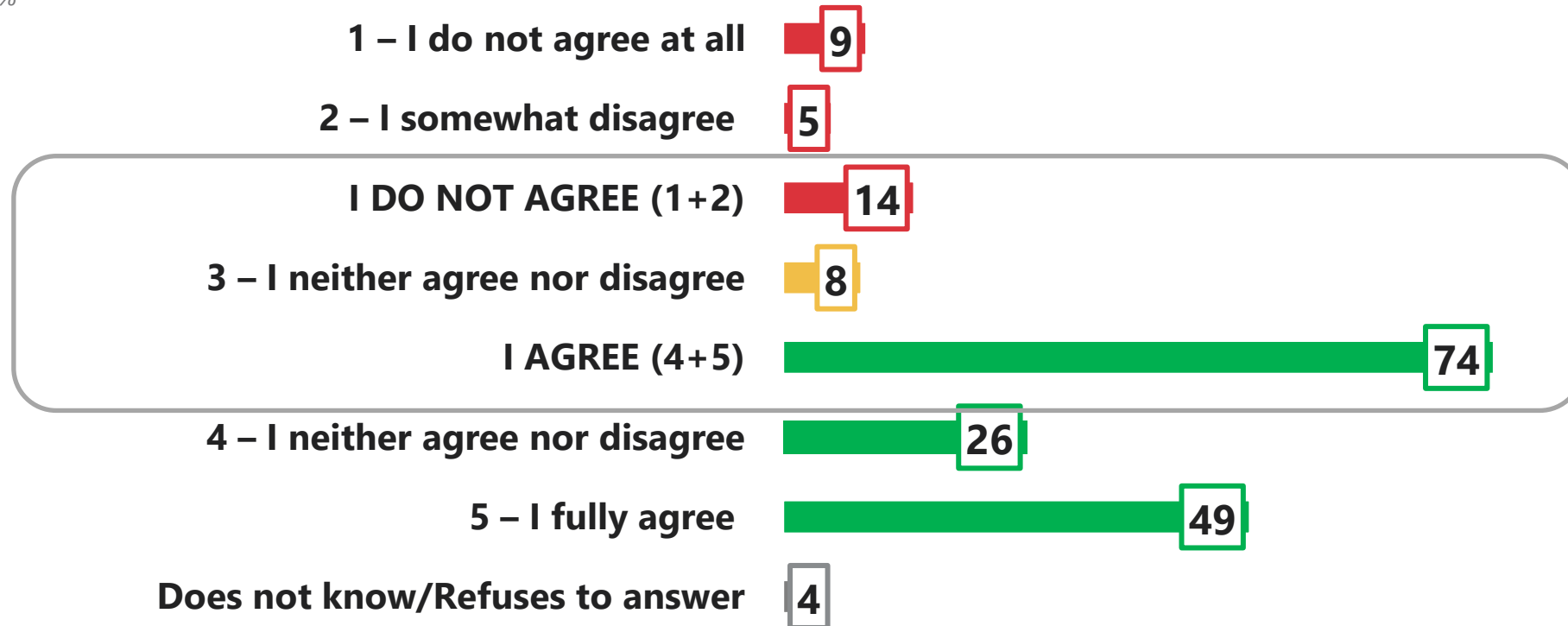
Would you say the following statement is true or false? (Answers for "The idea of man-made global warming is a hoax that was invented to deceive people" shown % of adults in each country who answered either "definitely true" or "probably true")



DO CITIZENS AGREE WITH THE CLAIM THAT CLIMATE CHANGE IS A THREAT TO THE FUTURE OF HUMANITY?

Three quarters of Montenegrin citizens agree that climate change is a threat to the future of humanity. On the other hand, only one in 10 totally disagree with this statement. Thirty-two percent of those people who believe that it is a lie that humans are causing climate change are significantly less concerned about climate change than the general population in Montenegro.

Data presented in %



To what extent do you agree with the claim that climate change poses a threat to the future of humanity?

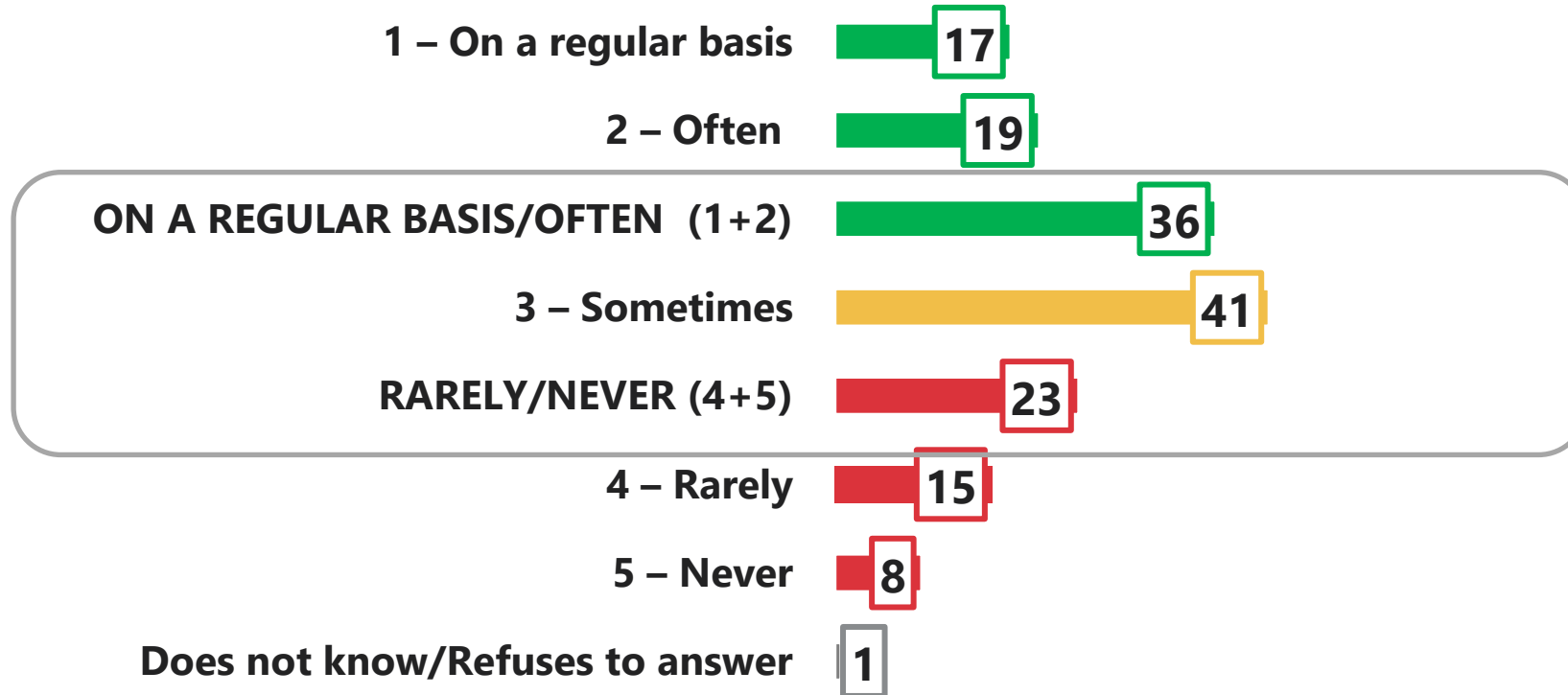
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FOLLOWING CLIMATE CHANGE NEWS

Slightly more than a third of Montenegrin citizens say that they often or regularly follow the news on climate change, while a quarter of them never or rarely do so.

Thirty-two percent of those people who believe it is a lie that humans are causing climate change follow the news on this topic more rarely than others.

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