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Perceived independence of the national justice systems in the EU among the general public

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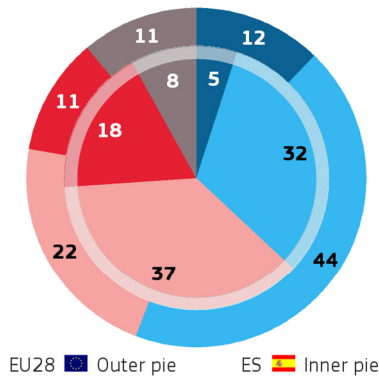
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Methodology: telephone

1. PERCEIVED INDEPENDENCE OF COURTS AND JUDGES AMONG THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Q1 From what you know, how would you rate the justice system in (OUR COUNTRY) in terms of the independence of courts and judges? Would you say it is very good, fairly good, fairly bad or very bad? (%)



EU28 Outer pie ES Inner pie

	EU28		ES	
	2019	2019-2018	2019	2019-2018
Very good	12	+ 1	5	- 2
Fairly good	44	- 1	32	=
Fairly bad	22	=	37	+ 5
Very bad	11	+ 1	18	+ 1
Don't know	11	- 1	8	- 4

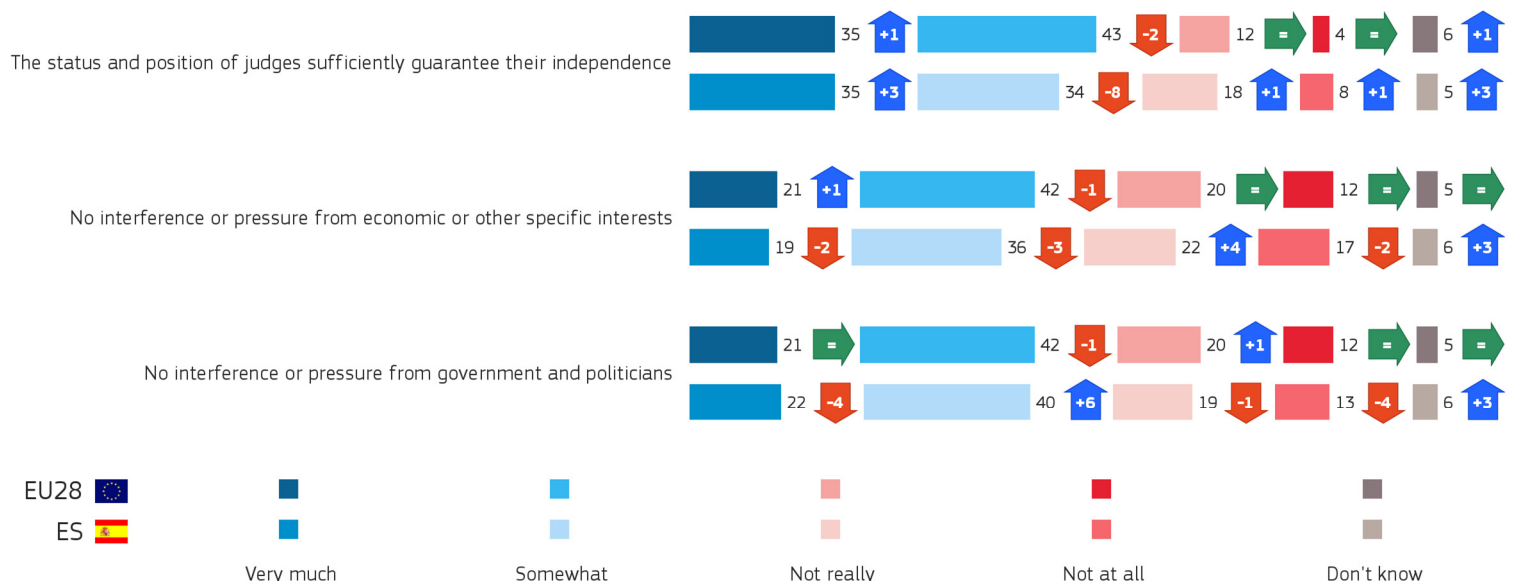
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	EU28	ES
Answer: Total 'Good'	56	37
Gender		
Male	57	42
Female	54	32
Age		
15-24	61	42
25-39	56	33
40-54	56	37
55+	54	37
Education (End of)		
15-	43	28
16-19	51	37
20+	62	38
Still studying	65	43
Involved in a dispute which has gone to court		
Yes	50	30
No	56	37

Socio-demographic breakdown

2. MAIN REASONS AMONG THE GENERAL PUBLIC FOR THE PERCEIVED INDEPENDENCE OF COURTS AND JUDGES: POSITIVE ASSESSMENTS*

Q2b Could you tell me to what extent each of the following reasons explains your rating of the independence of the justice system in (OUR COUNTRY): (%)



* Base: those rating the independence of their national justice system as good

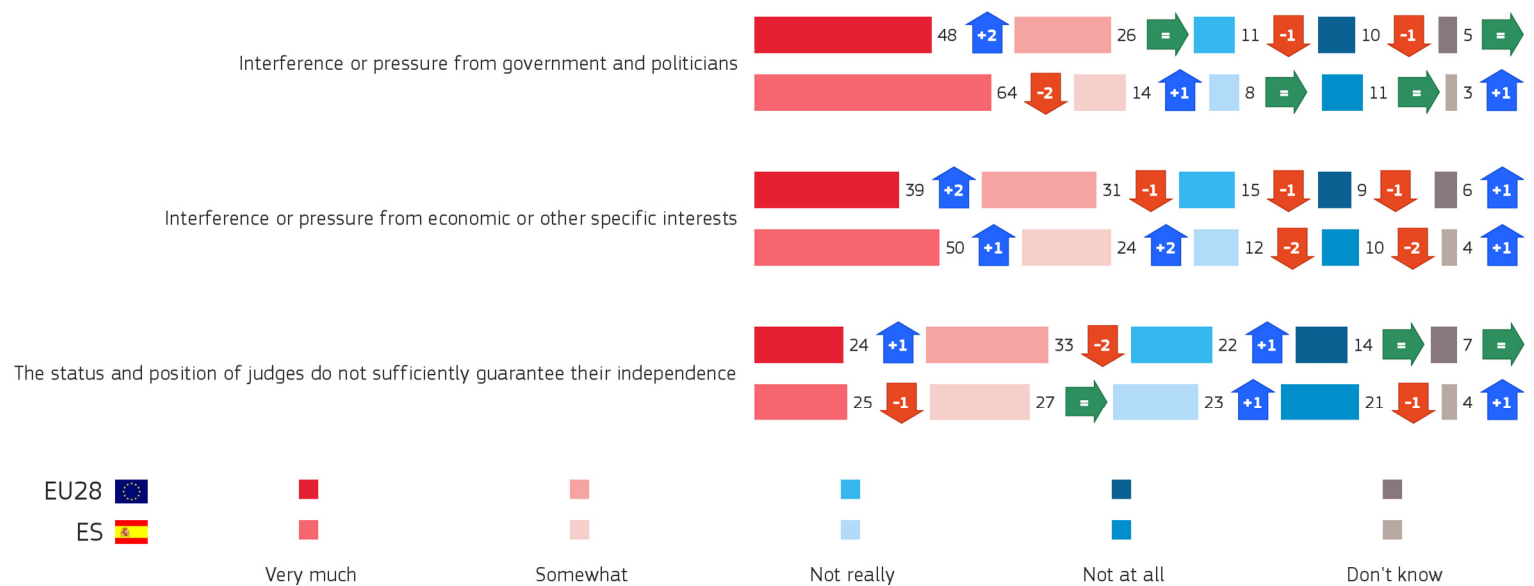
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3. MAIN REASONS AMONG THE GENERAL PUBLIC FOR THE PERCEIVED LACK OF INDEPENDENCE OF COURTS AND JUDGES: NEGATIVE ASSESSMENTS**

Q2a Could you tell me to what extent each of the following reasons explains your rating of the independence of the justice system in (OUR COUNTRY): (%)



** Base: those rating the independence of their national justice system as bad