

CUSTOMER SERVICES OBSERVATORY 2020



WHICH METHODOLOGICAL DEVICE?



A SURVEY OF 18 QUESTIONS ADMINISTRED ONLINE ON:

- 1. THE QUALITY OF THE CUSTOMER SERVICE
- 2. THE IMPACT OF CUSTOMER SERVICES ON LOYALTY
- 3. THE DRIVERS OF EMOTION IN CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP



A SAMPLE OF 5000

OF THE POPULATION AGED 18
AND OVER, USERS OR NOT OF A
CUSTOMER SERVICE.



≥ 1000 surveys

➤ 1000 surveys

1000 surveys

≥ 1000 surveys



FROM 24 AUGUST TO 2 SEPTEMBER 2020



REDRESSING OF SURVEYS ON

SOCIO-DEMOGRAGRAPHIC

CRITERIA OF

GENDER, AGE, PROFESSIONAL
ACTIVITY AND PLACE OF RESIDENCE.





DIVERSIFICATION IN CONTACT CHANNELS WITH CUSTOMER SERVICES

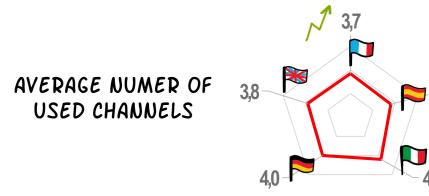


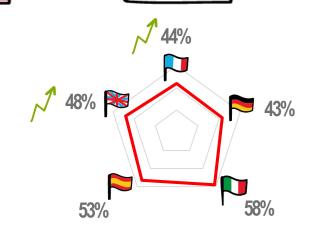
THE CHATBOT AND THE APPS ARE ON THE RISE IN ALL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

CUSTOMER SERVICE CONTACT CHANNELS - PAST 12 MONTHS

EMERGING CHANNELS Q1. In the past 12 months, did you contact a customer relationship department, regardless of the business area concerned? (Base: 5 000 resp.) Fvolution vs 2019 Via a mobile or Via a chat Via a Smartphone Via Click-to-call Via snail mail Via social media Face-to-face Via a Chatbot instant messaging Via the website By email By telephone app 56% 1 55% 15% / 42% 📈 28% 19% 19% 📈 16% 14% 13% 13% 56% 56% 🔪 38% 20% 10% 16% 11% 27% 14% 18... 12% 54% 61% 48% 37% 20% 22% 22% 14% 25% 27% 29% 52% 42% 19% 64% 30% 21% 21% 7% 21% 14% \ 9% 16%/ 48% 8% 18% / 43% 36% 31% 22% 15%

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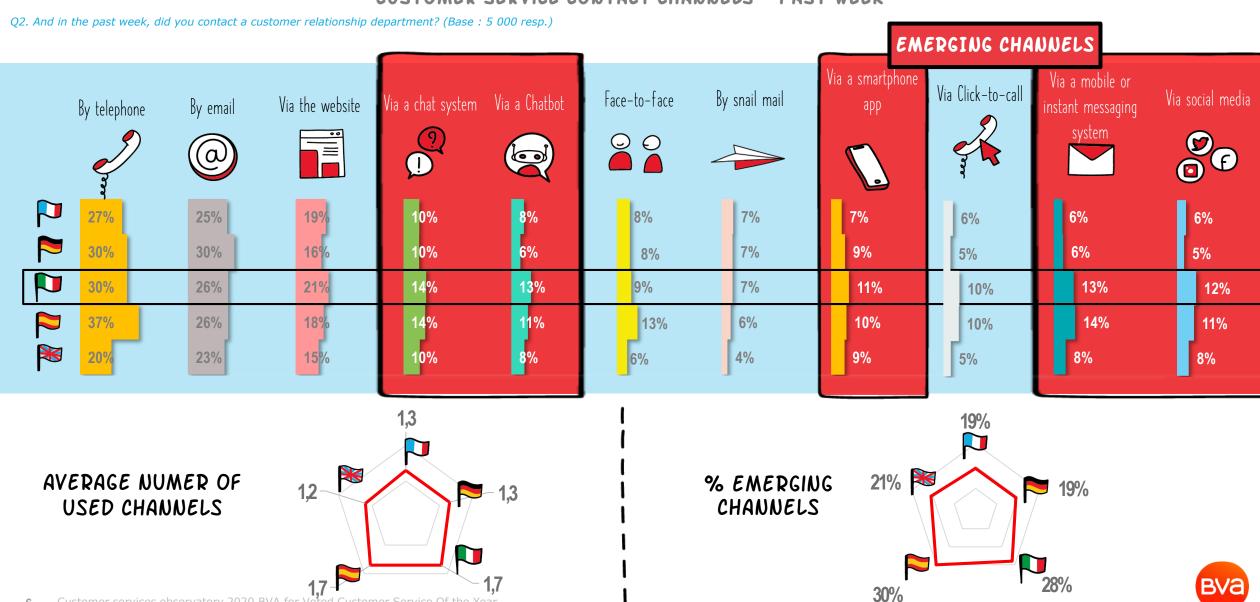


% EMERGING CHANNELS



MORE FREQUENT USE OF EMERGING CHANNELS FOR SPANISH AND ITALIANS IN THE PAST WEEK

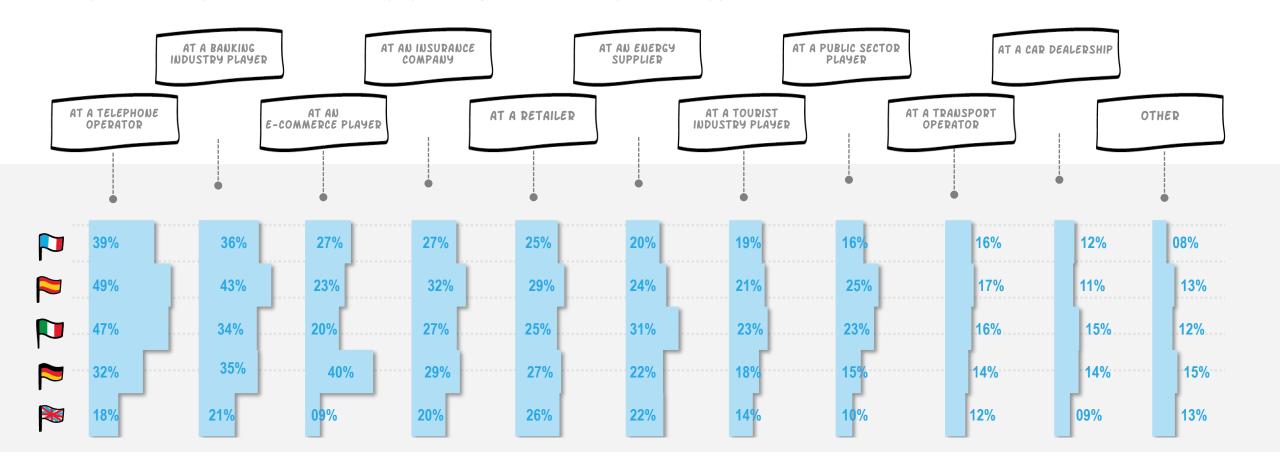
CUSTOMER SERVICE CONTACT CHANNELS - PAST WEEK



FRENCH PEOPLE USUALLY CONTACT THEIR TELEPHONE OPERATOR OR THEIR BANK WHILE E-COMMERCE PLAYERS ARE MORE REQUESTED IN GERMANY

WHICH BUSINESS SECTOR?

Q4. In the past 12 months, did you contact a customer relationship department, regardless of the channel? (Base: 5 000 resp.)

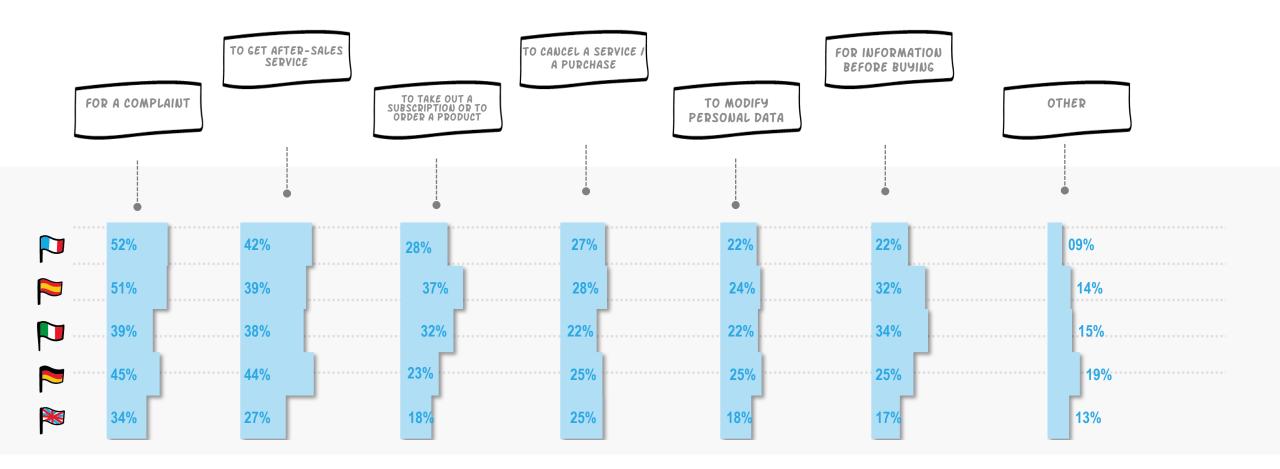




A HIGH CONCENTRATION OF REQUESTS TO CUSTOMER SERVICES FOR COMPLAINTS OR AFTER-SALES SERVICE

REASON TO CONTACT A CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP DEPARTMENT

Q5. In the past 12 months, did you contact a customer relationship department, regardless of channel and sector? (Base: 5 000 resp.)





LESS EFFICIENT CUSTOMER SERVICES IN 2020

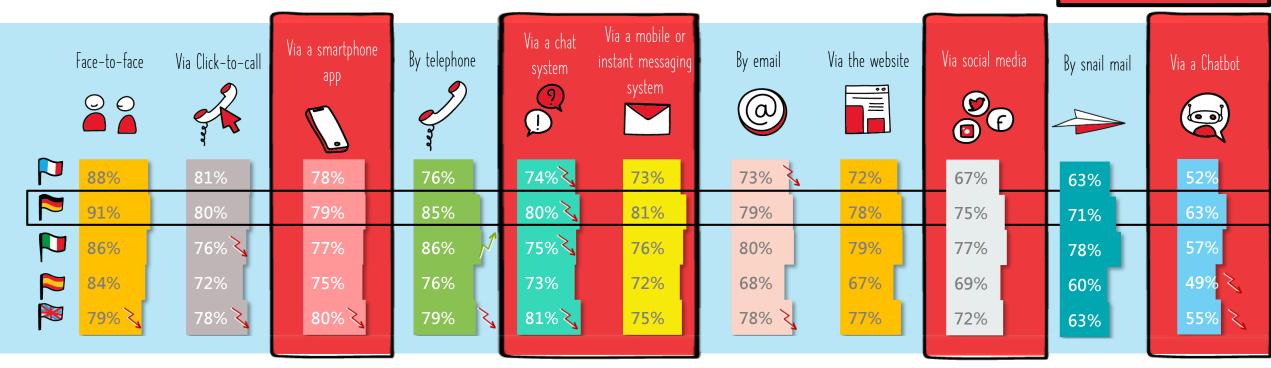


THE CHAT SYSTEM: A MORE SEVERELY JUDGED CHANNEL (VS. 2019) IN ALL COUNTRIES

SATISFACTION TOWARDS CUSTOMER SERVICES

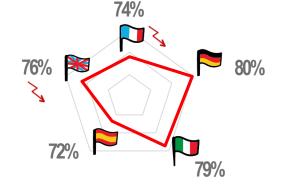
Q3. Overall in the past 12 months, would you say that the quality of your customer relationship has been definitely satisfactory, rather satisfactory, rather satisfactory, or not satisfactory at all? (Base: 1 000 resp.)

EMERGING CHANNELS







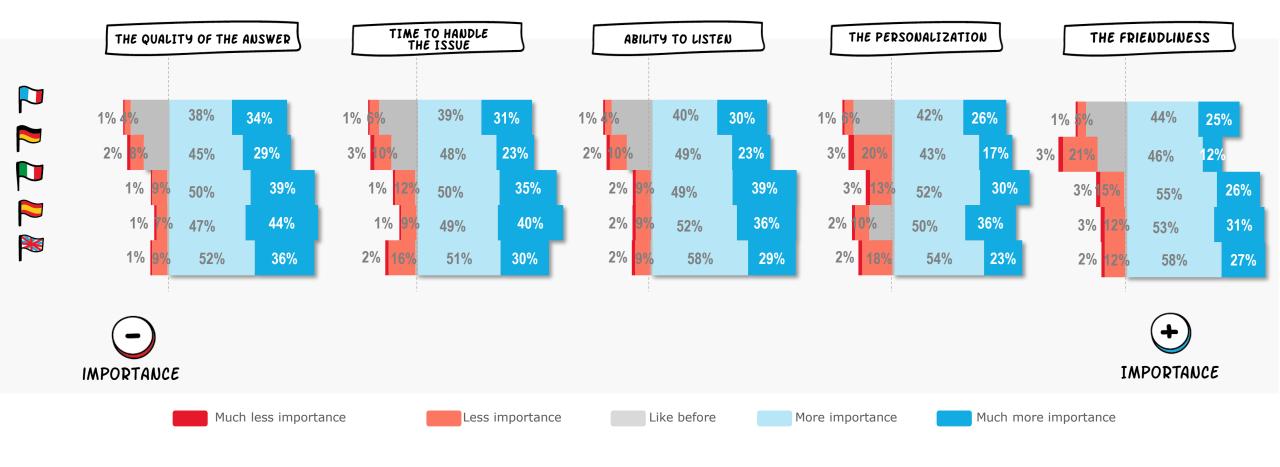




IDENTICAL EXPECTATIONS ON THE BASICS OF CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP IN ALL COUNTRIES: THE QUALITY OF THE ANSWER, TIME TO HANDLE THE ISSUE...

THE MOST IMPORTANT IN A CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP...

Q12. In the current context, do you consider that you attach more importance or less importance than before to...? (Base: 5 000 resp.)

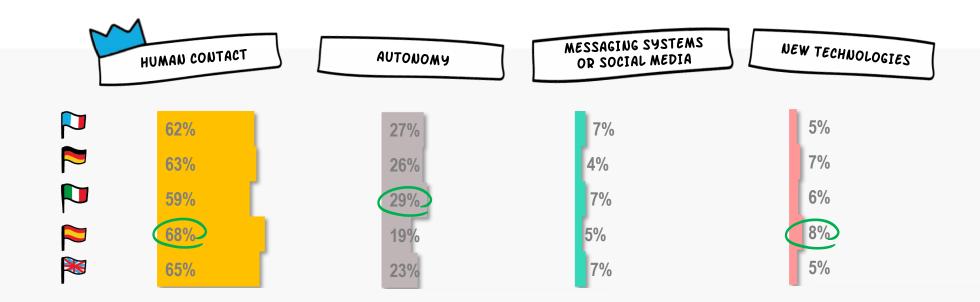




HUMAN CONTACT IS FAVOURED FOR EXCHANGES WITH CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENTS IN ALL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

WHAT PRIVILEGED RELATIONSHIPS WITH CUSTOMER SERVICE?

Q13. In the current context, what type of relationship do you favour for your exchanges with customer service departments? (Base: 5 000 resp.)





THE DRIVERS OF EMOTION IN CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP



NEW MEANS OF CONTACT EXPECTED IN ALL COUNTRIES

IMPACT ON BRANDS

Q8. Here is a list of characteristics relative to the quality of the customer relationship. For each one, do you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree? (Base: 5 000 resp.)

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THE QUALITY OF A COMPANY'S CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP INFLUENCES THE OVERALL IMAGE YOU HAVE OF IT.	91%	93%	88%	93%	91%
IF YOU ARE DISAPPOINTED WITH THE QUALITY OF THE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP, YOU CAN CHANGE YOUR MIND AND NOT PURCHASE OR INTERRUPT YOUR SUBSCRIPTION.	88%	76%	86%	89%	83%
THE QUALITY OF THE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP INFLUENCES YOUR DECISION TO PURCHASE OR RE-PURCHASE.	88%	85%	84%	90%	87%
IN CASE A CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENT OFFERS A GOOD EXPERIENCE, YOU ARE WILLING TO SPEND MORE OR TO BE MORE LOYAL	74%	74%	83%	79%	80%
YOU HAVE A BETTER IMAGE OF COMPANIES THAT OFFER NEW MEANS OF CONTACT SUCH AS SOCIAL MEDIA, INSTANT MESSAGING, ETC	61%	55%	75%	77%	68%



GERMANY IS THE ONLY COUNTRY THAT MANAGES TO GENERATE DELIGHT IN THE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP

DELIGHT OR DISAPPOINTMENT

Q9. Overall, is the quality of the REMOTE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP with the brands... (Base: 5 000 resp.)

Q10. Overall, is the quality OF THE FACE TO FACE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP with the brands... (Base : 5 000 resp.)

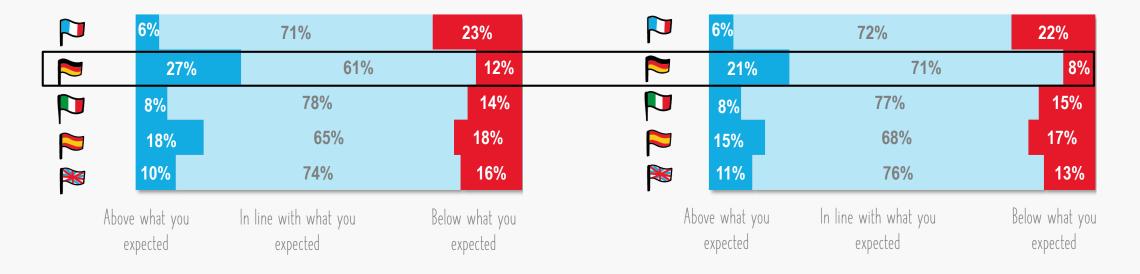


THE REMOTE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP





THE FACE-TO-FACE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP





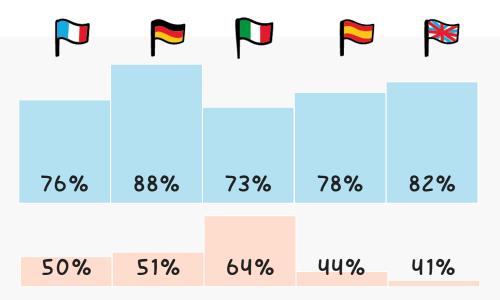
GREATER EFFORTS TO RESPOND TO REMOTE REQUESTS IN GERMANY AND THE UK

IMPACT ON BRANDS

Q8. Here is a list of characteristics relative to the quality of the customer relationship. For each one, do you strongly agree, agree, disagree, or strongly disagree? (Base: 5 000 resp.)

COMPANIES ARE MAKING MORE AND MORE EFFORTS TO RESPOND TO YOUR REQUESTS REMOTELY (TELEPHONE, E-MAIL, CHAT, WEBSITE, ETC) *

COMPANIES ARE MAKING MORE AND MORE EFFORTS TO RESPOND TO YOUR REQUESTS FACE-TO-FACE (BRANCH, SHOP, COUNTER, ETC) *

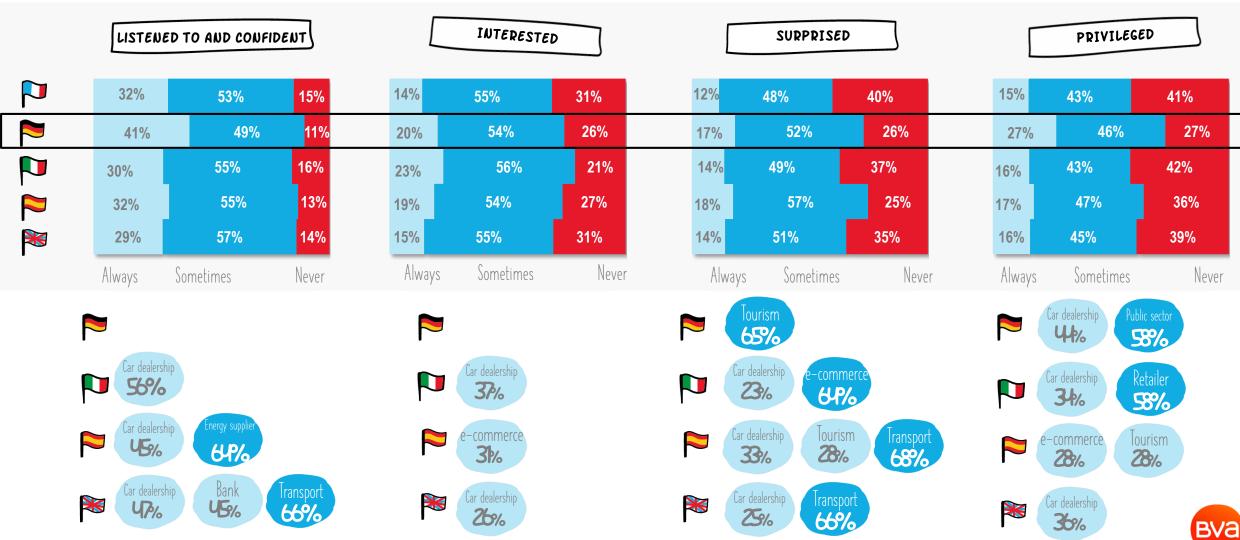




GERMANY IS ALSO THE COUNTRY THAT GENERATES THE MOST EMOTIONAL DRIVERS

CUSTOMER FEELINGS TOWARDS CUSTOMER DEPARTMENTS - PAST 12 MONTHS

Q6. When you think of your past experiences with the customer departments in the past 12 months, how often do you have the following feelings? (Base: 3772 resp.)



GERMANS, SPANISH AND BRITISH HAVE THE MOST POSITIVE EMOTIONAL EXPERIENCES

CUSTOMER FEELINGS WHEN DEALING WITH CUSTOMER DEPARTMENTS - PAST 12 MONTHS

Q7. Overall, which term(s) best describes how you felt when dealing with customer departments in the past 12 months? (Base: 3685 resp.)

	Suspicious	Disappointed	Powerless	Anguished	Annoyed	Pleasantly surprised	Full of gratitude	Нарру	Serene	Delighted
	24%	23%	20%	09%	28%	26%	06%	04%	25%	<mark>11</mark> %
P	<mark>11</mark> %	18%	11%	03%	24%	38%	13%	<mark>13%</mark>	38%	10%
	<mark>13%</mark>	19%	16%	16%	21%	25%	11%	09%	19%	07%
~	15%	21%	19%	10%	18%	25%	18%	27%	41%	08%
	<mark>0</mark> 7%	24%	15%	0 7%	24%	33%	10%	30%	37%	09%



A REMOTE CUSTOMER RELATIONSHIP THAT IS GOING TO INTENSIFY FOR ALL EUROPEAN COUNTRIES

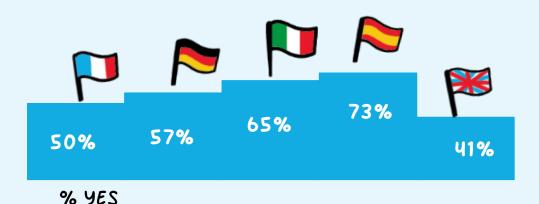
THE BEHAVIOUR TOWARDS REMOTE CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENTS IN THE FUTURE

Q14. Are you going to contact remote customer service departments more and more before you go to a shop, branch or any other business...?

(Base: 5 000 resp.)

Q15. If yes, for which request(s) (Base: 2 839 resp.)

IS GOING TO CONTACT REMOTE CUSTOMER SERVICE DEPARTMENTS MORE AND MORE BEFORE TO GO TO A SHOP



FOR WHICH RESQUET(S)? To get information on the availability of a product To make an appointment To book a product Other 40% 9% 54% 51% 8% 69% 66% 35% 6% 50% 43% 10% 54%

46%



4%

36%