More than eight in ten (86%) respondents in Poland say climate change is a serious problem, with 56% saying it is "very serious". Only 7% of those surveyed think they themselves are responsible for tackling climate change, one of the lowest scores in the EU, while a much larger proportion believe governments (40%) and the EU (35%) are responsible.

However, while less likely than respondents in other EU countries to say they have personally taken some action to fight climate change in the past six months (30%, EU average: 49%), when asked about specific practical measures, much greater involvement is revealed (85%). The survey shows that:

- Almost two-thirds (62%, +3 percentage points since 2013) try to reduce waste and regularly separate it for recycling
- 45% (+9 percentage points since 2013) try to cut down consumption of disposable items whenever possible
- 35% now buy local food products whenever possible, a 13 percentage point rise since 2013

There is considerable support for national action on improving energy efficiency (85%) and increasing the use of renewable energy by 2030 (83%). Close to nine in ten respondents (89%) agree that fighting climate change will only be effective if all countries of the world act together.
3. EUROPEAN PERCEPTIONS OF CLIMATE CHANGE 2/2

QA2 And how serious a problem do you think climate change is at this moment? Please use a scale from 1 to 10, with '1' meaning it is "not at all a serious problem" and '10' meaning it is "an extremely serious problem".

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4. TAKING ACTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE 1/2

QA3 In your opinion, who within the EU is responsible for tackling climate change? (MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

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QA5 Have you personally taken any action to fight climate change over the past six months?

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5. TAKING ACTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE 2/2

QA6 Which of the following actions, if any, apply to you? (MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- You try to reduce your waste and you regularly separate it for recycling
- You try to cut down on your consumption of disposable items whenever possible, e.g. plastic bags from the supermarket, excessive packaging
- You buy locally produced and seasonal food whenever possible
- When buying a new household appliance e.g. washing machine, fridge or TV, you choose it mainly because it is more energy efficient than other models
- You regularly use environmentally-friendly alternatives to using your private car such as walking, biking, taking public transport or car-sharing
- You have insulated your home better to reduce your energy consumption
- You avoid taking short-haul flights whenever possible
- You have bought a new car and its low fuel consumption was an important factor in your choice
- You have switched to an energy supplier which offers a greater share of energy from renewable sources than your previous one
- You have installed equipment in your home (e.g. solar panels) to generate renewable electricity
- You have bought a low-energy home

None (SPONTANEOUS)

6. ATTITUDES TO FIGHTING CLIMATE CHANGE

QA4.1 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?
Fighting climate change and using energy more efficiently can boost the economy and jobs in the EU (%)

- Totally agree: 37
- Tend to agree: 44
- Tend to disagree: 10
- Totally disagree: 11
- Don't know: 6

QA4.2 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?
Fighting climate change will only be effective if all countries of the world act together (%)

- Totally agree: 51
- Tend to agree: 27
- Tend to disagree: 38
- Totally disagree: 6
- Don't know: 66

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7. ATTITUDES TO REDUCING FOSSIL FUEL IMPORTS

7A. To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?
Reducing fossil fuel imports from outside the EU can benefit the EU economically (%)

8. LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

8A. How important do you think it is that the (NATIONALITY) government sets targets to increase the amount of renewable energy used, such as wind or solar power, by 2030? (%)

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