1. HUMANITARIAN AID

**QA1** Are you aware or not that the EU funds humanitarian aid activities? (%)

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<td>Yes</td>
<td>71</td>
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<td>No</td>
<td>27</td>
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**QA2** How important or not do you think it is that the EU funds humanitarian aid activities? (%)

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<td>Total 'Important'</td>
<td>88</td>
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<td>7</td>
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<td>It depends on the country (SPONTANEOUS)</td>
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**QA7** Europe is experiencing considerable pressure on its public finances. Nevertheless, the EU continues to fund humanitarian aid to provide assistance to people in urgent need around the world. Is this something that you?

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<td>Totally support</td>
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<td>Tend to support</td>
<td>50</td>
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<td>Tend to oppose</td>
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**QA8** The EU is one of the world's major donors of humanitarian aid, channeling its support through the European Commission. Is this something that you?

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<td>Very positive</td>
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<td>Fairly positive</td>
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<td>Neutral</td>
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**QA5** Would you say that humanitarian aid is more efficient if provided by each Member State of the EU separately, or if it is provided by the EU as a whole, coordinated by the European Commission?

- More efficient if provided by each Member State of the EU separately
- More efficient if provided by the EU as a whole, coordinated by the European Commission
- Neither the one, nor the other (SPONTANEOUS)
- Don’t know

**QA3** How important or not is it that the EU provides humanitarian aid to fund education for children and young people caught up in crises so that they can continue their studies?

- Very important
- Fairly important
- Not very important
- Not at all important
- It depends on the country (SPONTANEOUS)
- Don’t know

**QA4** The EU is sending volunteers from across the EU to carry out humanitarian aid actions in other parts of the world. To what extent do you support or oppose this initiative?

- Totally support
- Tend to support
- Tend to oppose
- Totally oppose
- It depends on the country to which the volunteers are sent (SPONTANEOUS)
- Don’t know

**QA6** If you wanted information about EU humanitarian aid policy, which information sources would you prefer? (MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

- TV
- The Internet (websites, blogs)
- Written press
- Radio
- Online social media
- Information or awareness campaigns
- Books, brochures, information leaflets
- Other (SPONTANEOUS)
- None! Never look for such information, not interested (SPONTANEOUS)
- Don’t know

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27,929 interviews
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1,009 interviews
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Methodology: face-to-face
2. CIVIL PROTECTION

QB1 Are you aware or not that the EU helps to coordinate the response to disasters in the EU? (%)

QB2 How important or not do you think it is that the EU helps to coordinate the response to disasters in the EU? (%)

QB3 Please tell me to what extent you agree or disagree with each of the following statements (%)

- If a disaster happens in (OUR COUNTRY), you would expect other EU countries to provide help
- The EU should help in a coordinated manner any country worldwide hit by disasters by sending experts and equipment to affected areas
- Coordinated EU action in dealing with disasters is more effective than actions by individual countries
- (OUR COUNTRY) has sufficient means to deal with all major disasters on its own
- The EU needs a civil protection policy because major disasters can have cross-border effects

EU28 FR

Totally agree Tend to agree Tend to disagree Totally disagree Don't know
2. CIVIL PROTECTION

QB5. Do you think enough is being done to prevent or prepare for disasters in...? (%)

- Your region
  - EU28: 35%
  - FR: 38%
  - Don’t know: 16%

- Our country
  - EU28: 37%
  - FR: 40%
  - Don’t know: 13%

- The European Union
  - EU28: 33%
  - FR: 30%
  - Don’t know: 24%

Methodology: face-to-face

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