



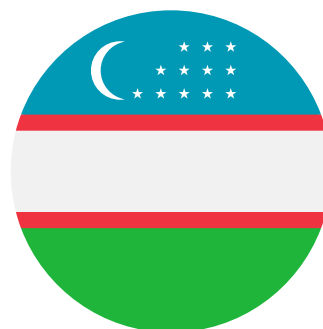
# **RUSSIA-UKRAINE WAR: PUBLIC OPINION IN CENTRAL ASIA**

Public opinion survey  
Spring 2022

- **Attention to the Russia-Ukraine war**
- **Media preferences**
- **Who is responsible for the situation?**
- **What is the impact on Central Asia countries?**
- **What position Kyrgyzstan should take? Why?**
- **How the war will end?**

# How much attention are you paying to the situation in Ukraine?

■ A great deal of attention ■ Some attention ■ Not too much attention ■ None at all ■ Refused (vol.)  
■ Don't Know (vol.)



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# How much attention do you pay to international relations?

■ A great deal of attention   ■ Some attention   ■ Not too much attention   ■ None at all   ■ Refused (vol.)  
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# How concerned, if at all, are you about the current state of international relations?

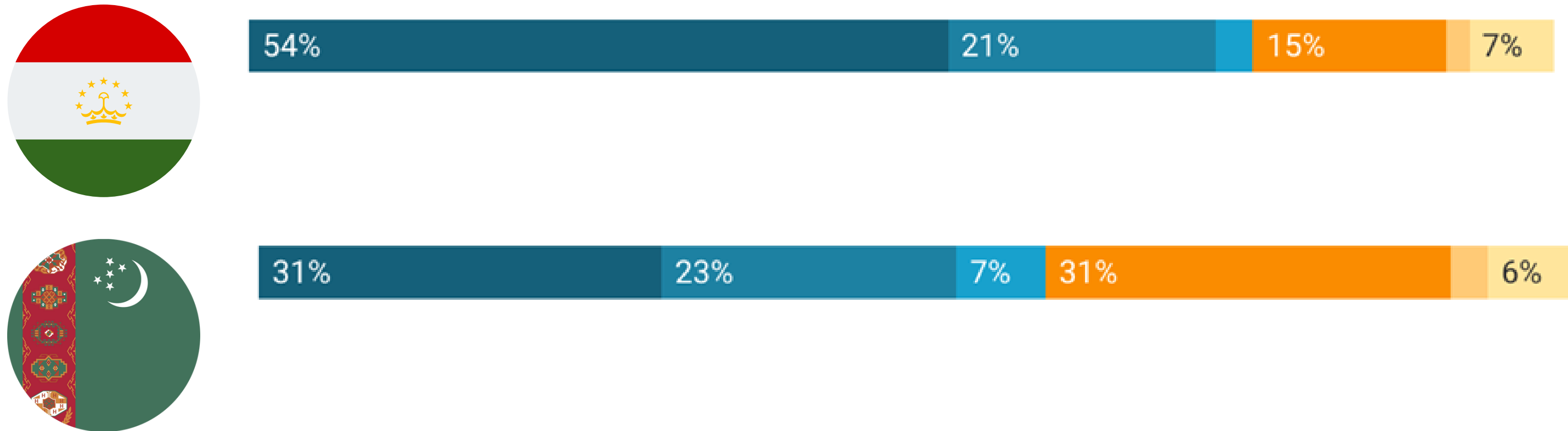
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# How concerned, if at all, are you about conflict in other countries?

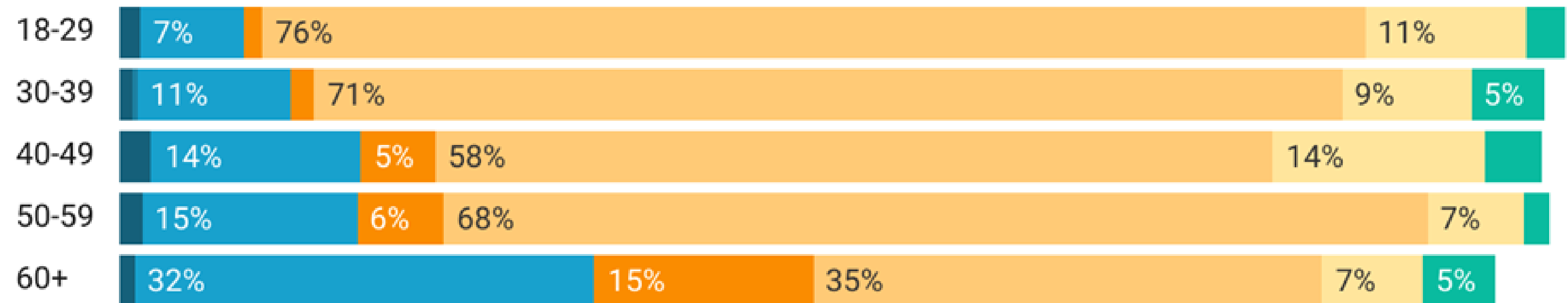
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# What would you say is your main source of news about what is going on outside of Kazakhstan?

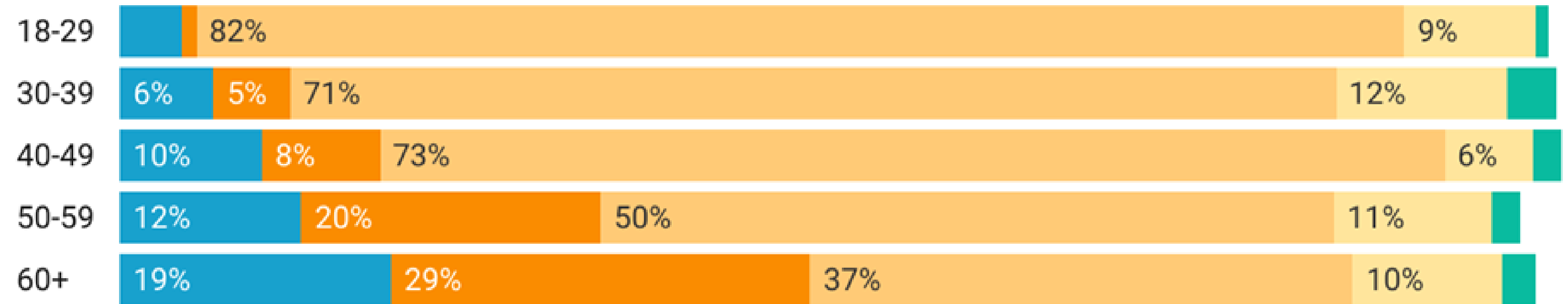
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# What would you say is your main source of news about what is going on outside of Kyrgyzstan?

■ Our country's national television stations ■ Russian television stations ■ Internet ■ None / Not interested in news (vol.) ■ Don't Know (vol.)

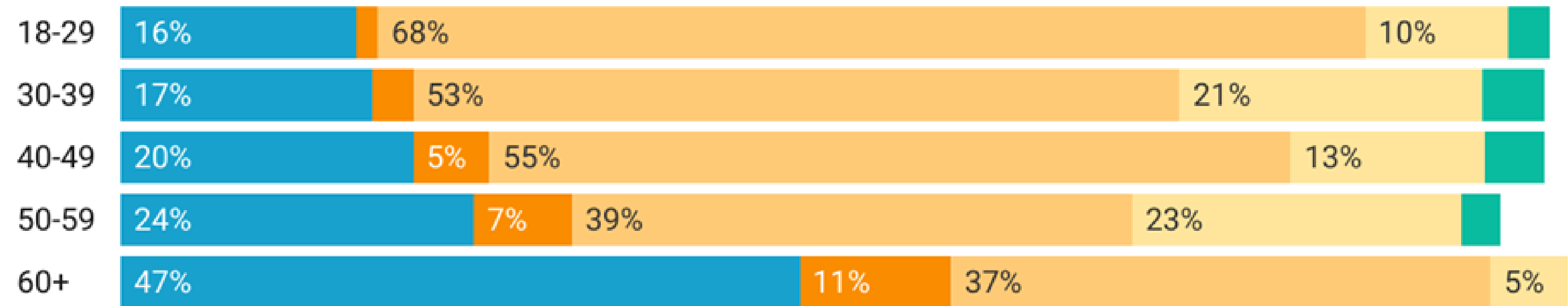


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# What would you say is your main source of news about what is going on outside of Uzbekistan?

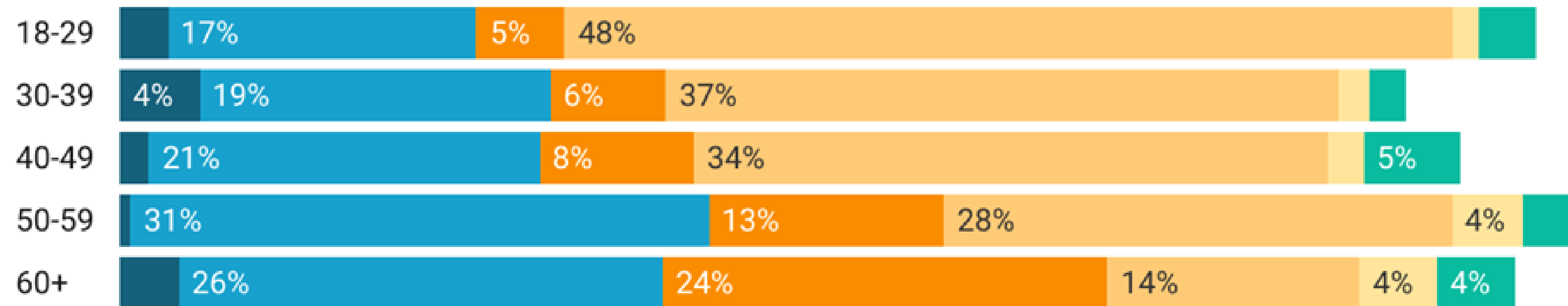
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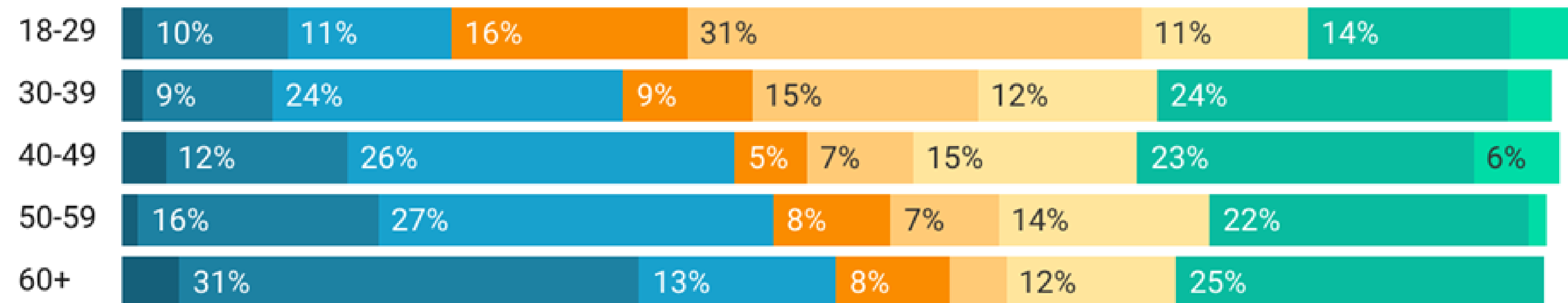
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Internet   Other television stations   Don't Know (vol.)



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# What would you say is your main source of news about what is going on outside of Turkmenistan?

Family, friends, or neighbors   Our country's national television stations   Russian television stations  
Other foreign news sources   Internet   Other television stations   None / Not interested in news  
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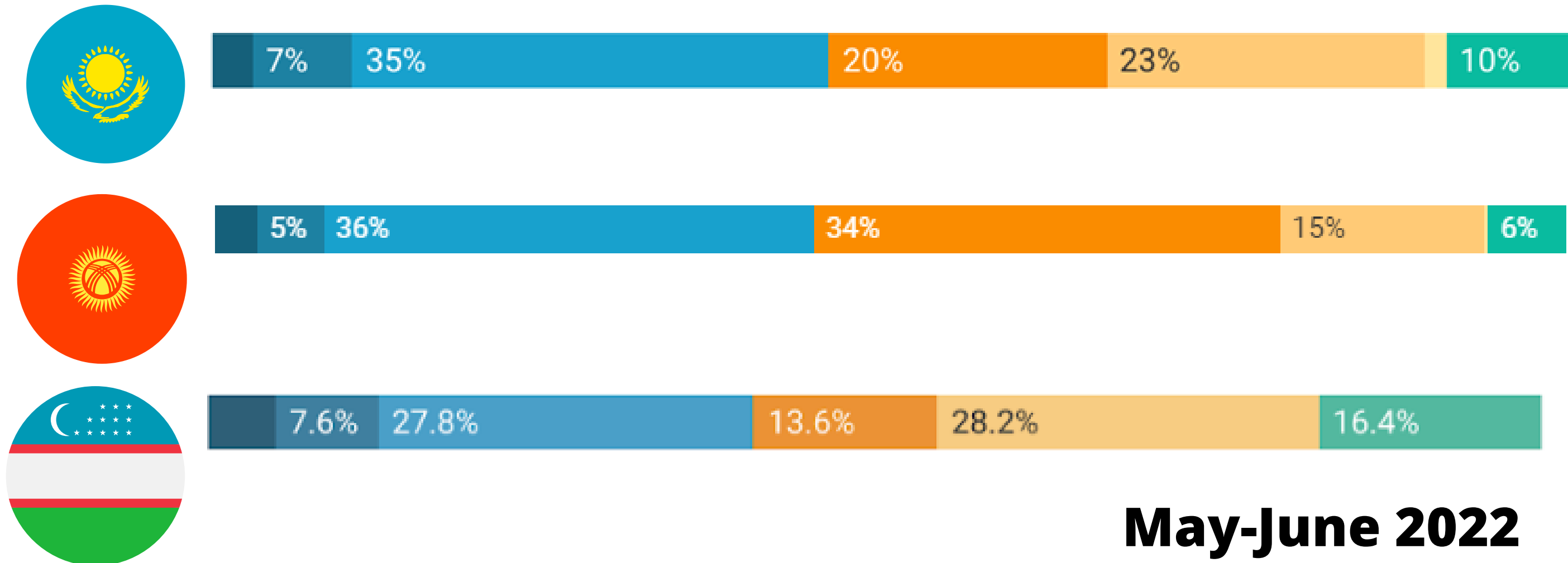
## In your view, who is mainly responsible for the situation in Ukraine?

■ Russia ■ Ukraine ■ The United States ■ NATO ■ Europe / the EU ■ Both (Ukraine and Russia)  
■ Other (specify) (vol.) ■ Refused (vol.) ■ Don't Know (vol.)



# Do you think the situation in Ukraine will have a positive impact on our country, a negative impact, or no impact at all?

Very positive impact   Somewhat positive impact   Somewhat negative impact   Very negative impact   No impact at all   Refused (vol.)   Don't Know (vol.)



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**In your opinion, what negative consequences for our country may arise from the situation in Ukraine?**

**Increase prices for basic necessities (food, clothing, gas, etc)**

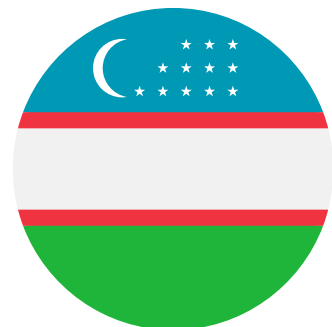
**Other negative impact on the economy**

**Growing tensions in international relations / business**

**War might come to our country / our country might go to war**

# How do you think the conflict in Ukraine will end:

■ Diplomatic negotiations will reach a mutually beneficial peace agreement ■ Ukraine will be forced to accept Russian terms ■ Russia will be forced to retreat ■ The conflict will not end (vol.) ■ Refused (vol.) ■ Don't know (vol.)



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