

Gallup International End of Year Survey 2024

RESULTS DISSEMINATION DOCUMENT

GLOBAL OPINION ON RELIGION

QUESTION (10 OF EOY 2024)

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INTRODUCTION

Questions covered in this edition:

- Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

SECTION 1: SURVEY DEMOGRAPHICS

Survey Demographics for Current Report

Sample Size and number of countries covered:
Religion question N=43,250 in 42 countries



Religious Profile of Global Sample



Christian: 50%
Muslim: 19%
Hindu: 2%
All other religions: 6%
No religion: 18%

Education Profile of Global Sample



Low: 13%
Medium: 44%
High: 41%

Low: No education/only basic education / Completed primary

Medium: Completed secondary school

High: Completed High level education (University) / Completed Higher level of education (Masters, PHD, etc.)

Gender Profile of Global Sample



Females: 51% Males: 49%

Employment Profile of Global Sample



Working full: 48%
Working Part-time: 10%
Unemployed: 8%
Student: 6%
Housewife: 11%
Retired/Disabled: 15%

35-54 years: 37%

Age Profile of Global Sample



Under 34 years: 34% 55+ years: 30%

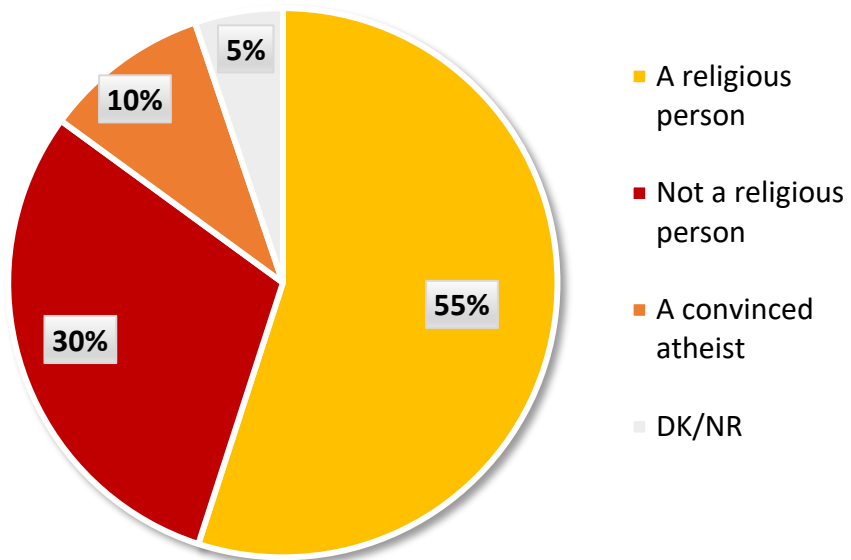
SECTION 2: PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

Table / Figure # 1.1
PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.1 GLOBAL PICTURE

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

2024



TOP 5 RELIGIOUS NATIONS

	A religious person %
Pakistan	94%
Kenya	93%
Georgia	93%
Iraq	92%
Armenia	84%

TOP 5 NON-RELIGIOUS NATIONS

	Not a religious person %
Sweden	59%
Estonia	59%
Denmark	56%
Norway	55%
United Kingdom	50%

TOP 5 ATHEIST NATIONS

	A convinced atheist %
China	58%
Japan	31%
Republic of Korea	23%
Spain	22%
Finland	20%

Table / Figure # 1.2
PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.2 NATIONAL PERSPECTIVE

*Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?
(Countries presented in alphabetical order)*

Serial #		A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR
	Global average	55%	30%	10%	5%
1	Argentina	54%	27%	10%	9%
2	Armenia	84%	13%	2%	1%
3	Austria	43%	39%	12%	6%
4	Azerbaijan	56%	37%	0%	7%
5	Bosnia and Herzegovina	72%	22%	3%	3%
6	Bulgaria	51%	29%	9%	11%
7	China	24%	13%	58%	6%
8	Colombia	65%	29%	5%	1%
9	Denmark	23%	56%	14%	8%
10	Ecuador	76%	20%	3%	2%
11	Estonia	22%	59%	11%	8%
12	Finland	32%	40%	20%	8%
13	Georgia	93%	6%	1%	1%
14	Germany	35%	48%	12%	5%
15	India	82%	7%	4%	6%
16	Indonesia	58%	31%	3%	8%
17	Iran	72%	27%	1%	1%
18	Iraq	92%	7%	1%	0%
19	Italy	66%	23%	8%	3%
20	Japan	16%	41%	31%	12%
21	Kazakhstan	48%	41%	8%	4%

Serial #		A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR
22	Kenya	93%	6%	1%	0%
23	Republic of Korea	30%	42%	23%	5%
24	Kosovo	80%	14%	2%	4%
25	Latvia	30%	49%	9%	11%
26	Lithuania	48%	34%	7%	11%
27	Malaysia	62%	28%	4%	6%
28	Mexico	70%	20%	6%	3%
29	Norway	24%	55%	15%	6%
30	Pakistan	94%	3%	1%	2%
31	Peru	76%	18%	3%	2%
32	Philippines	82%	13%	3%	3%
33	Poland	55%	24%	11%	10%
34	Portugal	52%	33%	11%	4%
35	Russian Federation	61%	26%	10%	3%
36	Serbia	66%	25%	4%	5%
37	Spain	36%	39%	22%	4%
38	Sweden	19%	59%	17%	4%
39	Switzerland	39%	39%	14%	8%
40	Ukraine	62%	29%	7%	2%
41	United Kingdom	37%	50%	9%	4%
42	United States	54%	30%	7%	9%

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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.3 REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

(REGIONAL BREAKDOWN DATA – A RELIGIOUS PERSON FIGURES ONLY)

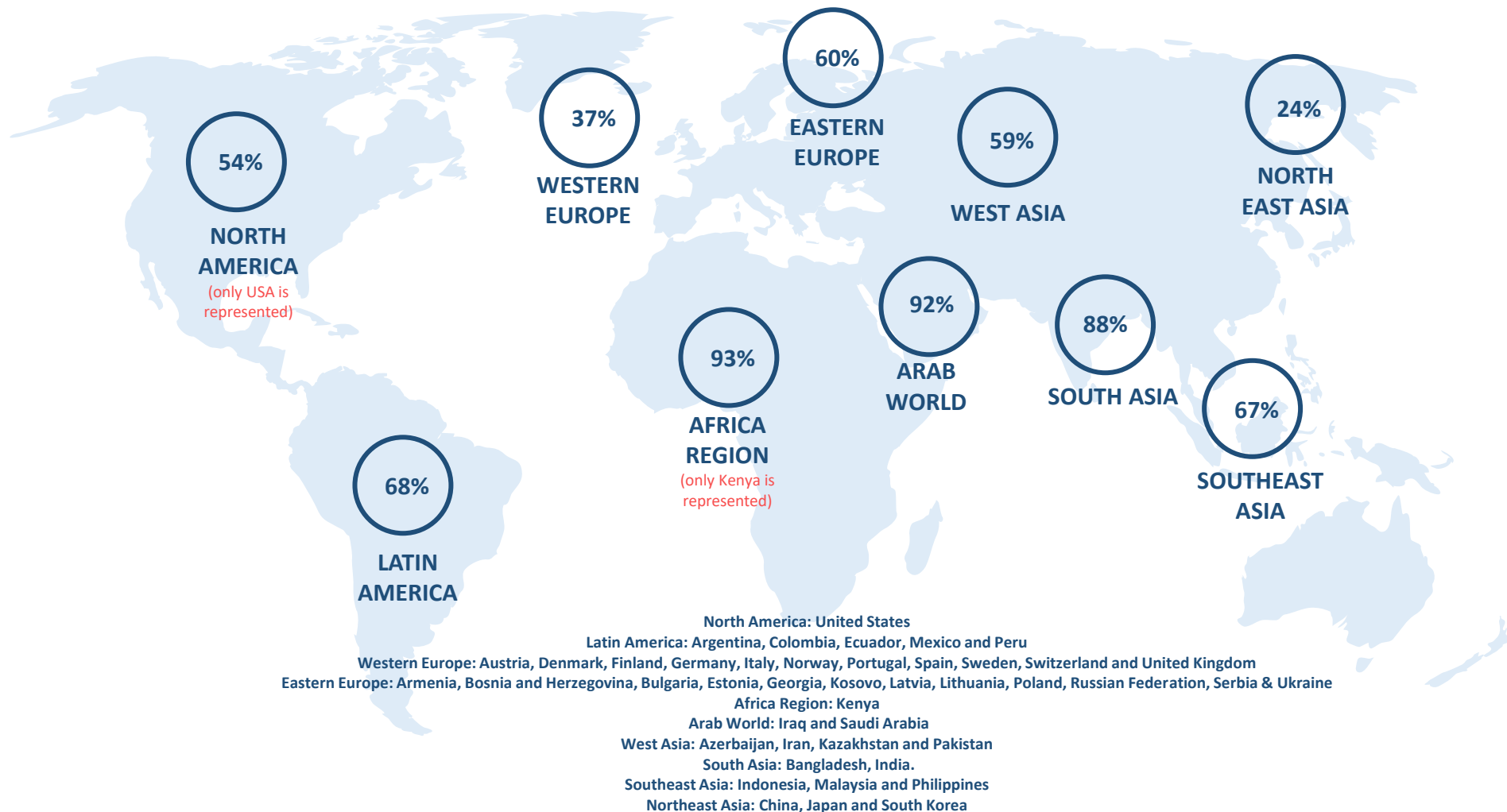


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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.3 REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

(REGIONAL BREAKDOWN DATA – NOT A RELIGIOUS PERSON FIGURES ONLY)

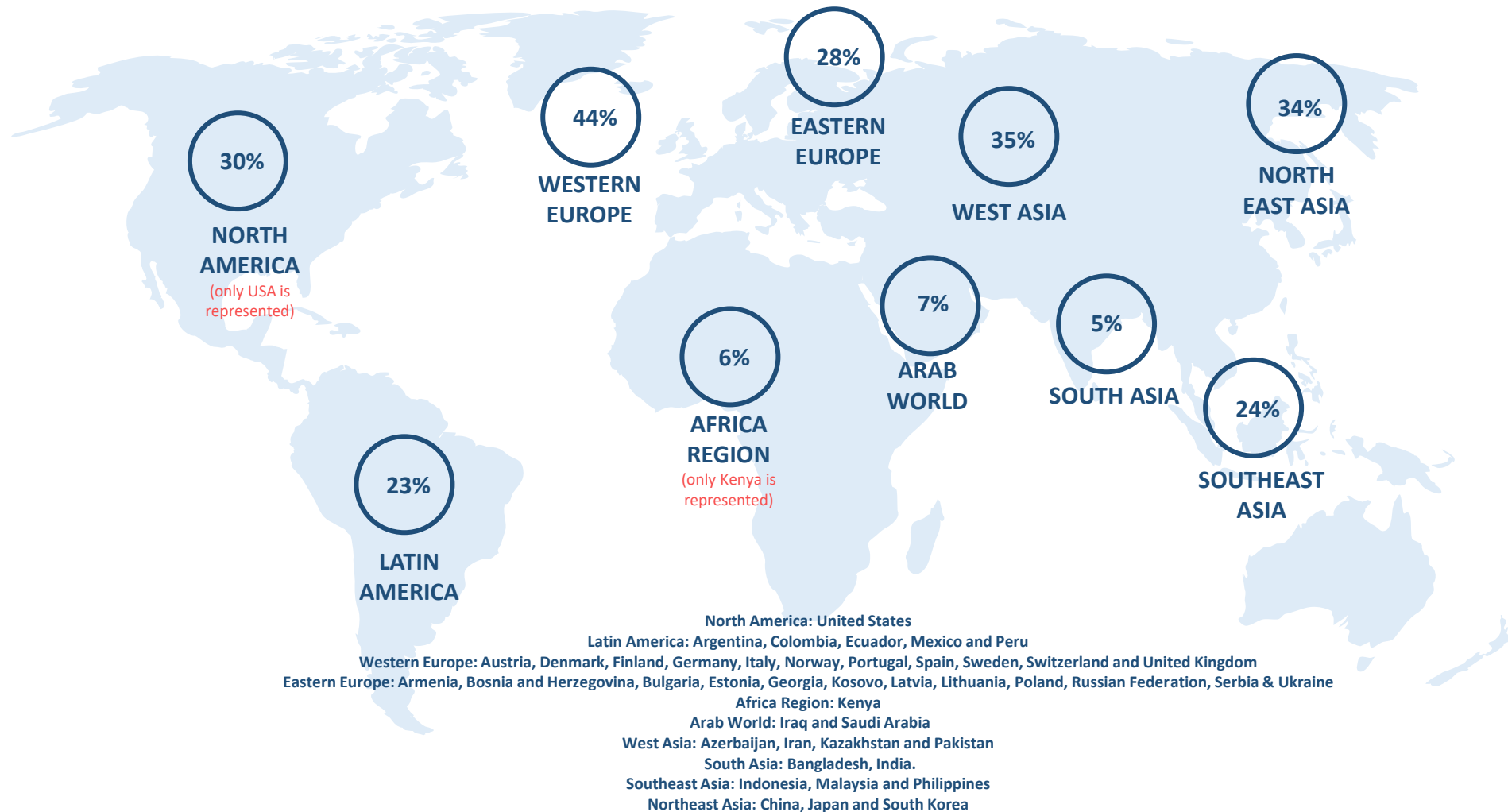


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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.3 REGIONAL PERSPECTIVE

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

(REGIONAL BREAKDOWN DATA – A CONVINCED ATHEIST FIGURES ONLY)

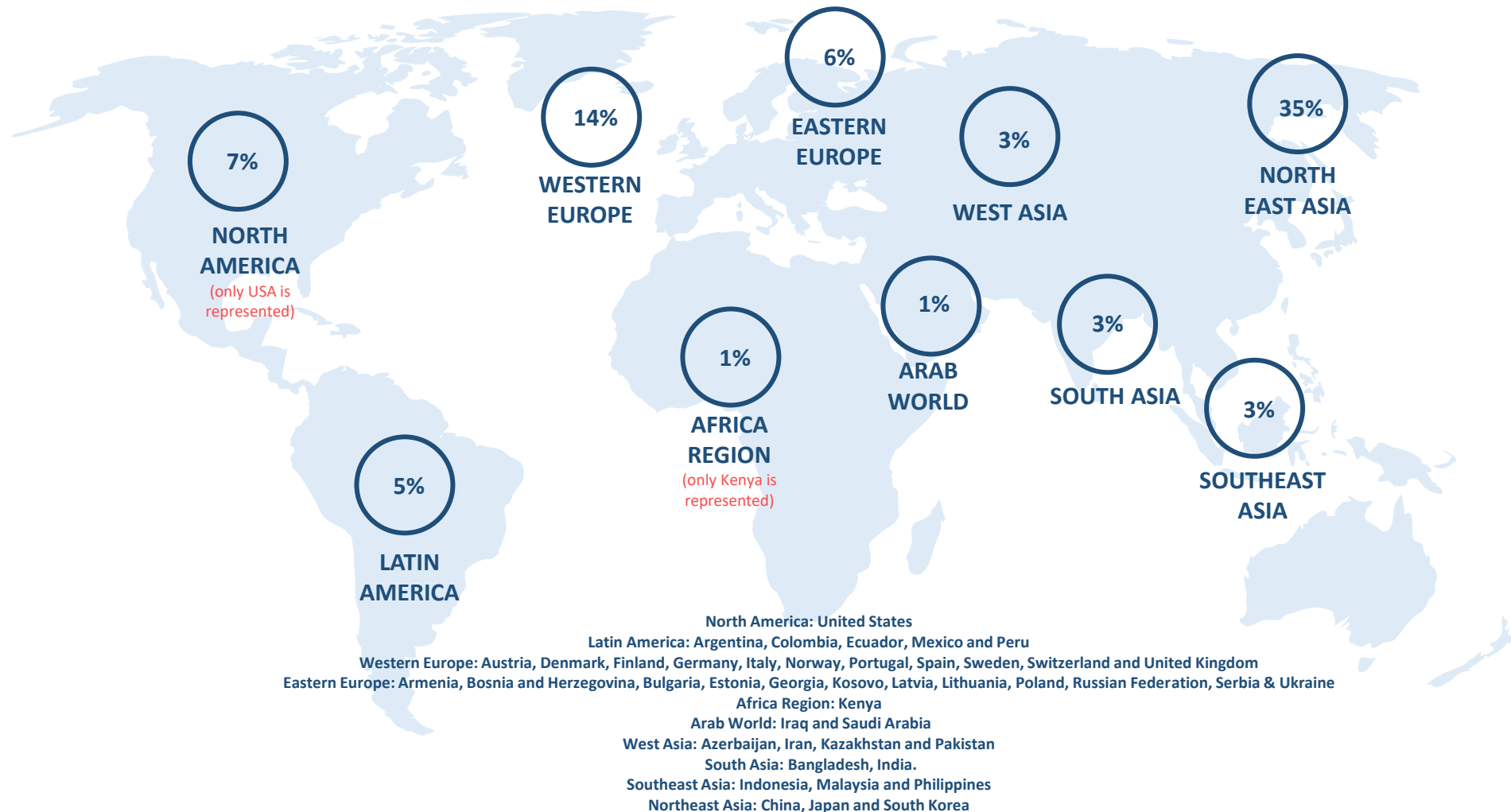


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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.4 GLOBAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

(DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN DATA – A RELIGIOUS PERSON FIGURES ONLY)

1. GENDER



Females: 58%

Males: 51%



2. EDUCATION

Low

Medium

High

67%

56%

50%



3. AGE

Under 34
58%

35 - 54

55%

55+

52%



4. RELIGION

Christian

Muslim

Hindu

All other Religions

No Religion

71%

76%

78%

42%

3%



5. AVERAGE NATIONAL INCOME

Lower-Middle Income Economies (\$1,086 to \$4,255)

Upper-Middle-Income Economies (\$4,256 to \$13,205)

High-Income Economies (\$13,205 or more)

78%

67%

36%



6. EMPLOYMENT STATUS

51%

59%

63%

53%

72%

53%

Working full (include self-employed)

Working Part-time

Unemployed

Student

Housewife

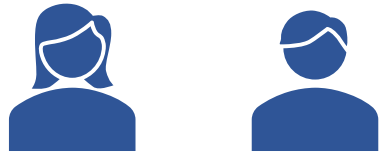
Retired/Disabled

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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.4 GLOBAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

(DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN DATA – NOT A RELIGIOUS PERSON FIGURES ONLY)

1. GENDER



Females: 28%

Males: 32%



2. EDUCATION

Low

Medium

High

22%

30%

33%



3. AGE

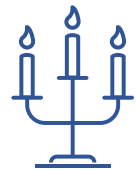
Under 34

35 - 54

55+
33%

28%

30%



4. RELIGION

Christian

Muslim

Hindu

All other Religions

No Religion

24%

20%

11%

43%

49%



5. AVERAGE NATIONAL INCOME

Lower-Middle Income Economies (\$1,086 to \$4,255)

Upper-Middle-Income Economies (\$4,256 to \$13,205)

High-Income Economies (\$13,205 or more)

17%

22%

42%



6. EMPLOYMENT STATUS

33%

28%

25%

29%

20%

32%

Working full (include self-employed)

Working Part-time

Unemployed

Student

Housewife

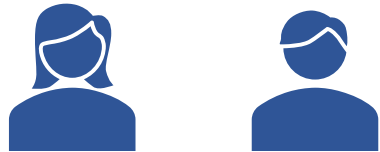
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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.4 GLOBAL DEMOGRAPHICS

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

(DEMOGRAPHIC BREAKDOWN DATA – A CONVINCED ATHEIST FIGURES ONLY)

1. GENDER



Females: 8%

Males: 11%



2. EDUCATION

Low

Medium

High
12%

6%

9%



3. AGE

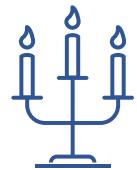
Under 34

35 - 54

55+
10%

9%

10%



4. RELIGION

Christian

Muslim

Hindu

All other Religions

No Religion

2%

1%

6%

7%

45%



5. AVERAGE NATIONAL INCOME

Lower-Middle Income Economies (\$1,086 to \$4,255)

Upper-Middle-Income Economies (\$4,256 to \$13,205)

High-Income Economies (\$13,205 or more)

3%

8%

14%



6. EMPLOYMENT STATUS

11%

8%

8%

12%

4%

10%

Working full (include self-employed)

Working Part-time

Unemployed

Student

Housewife

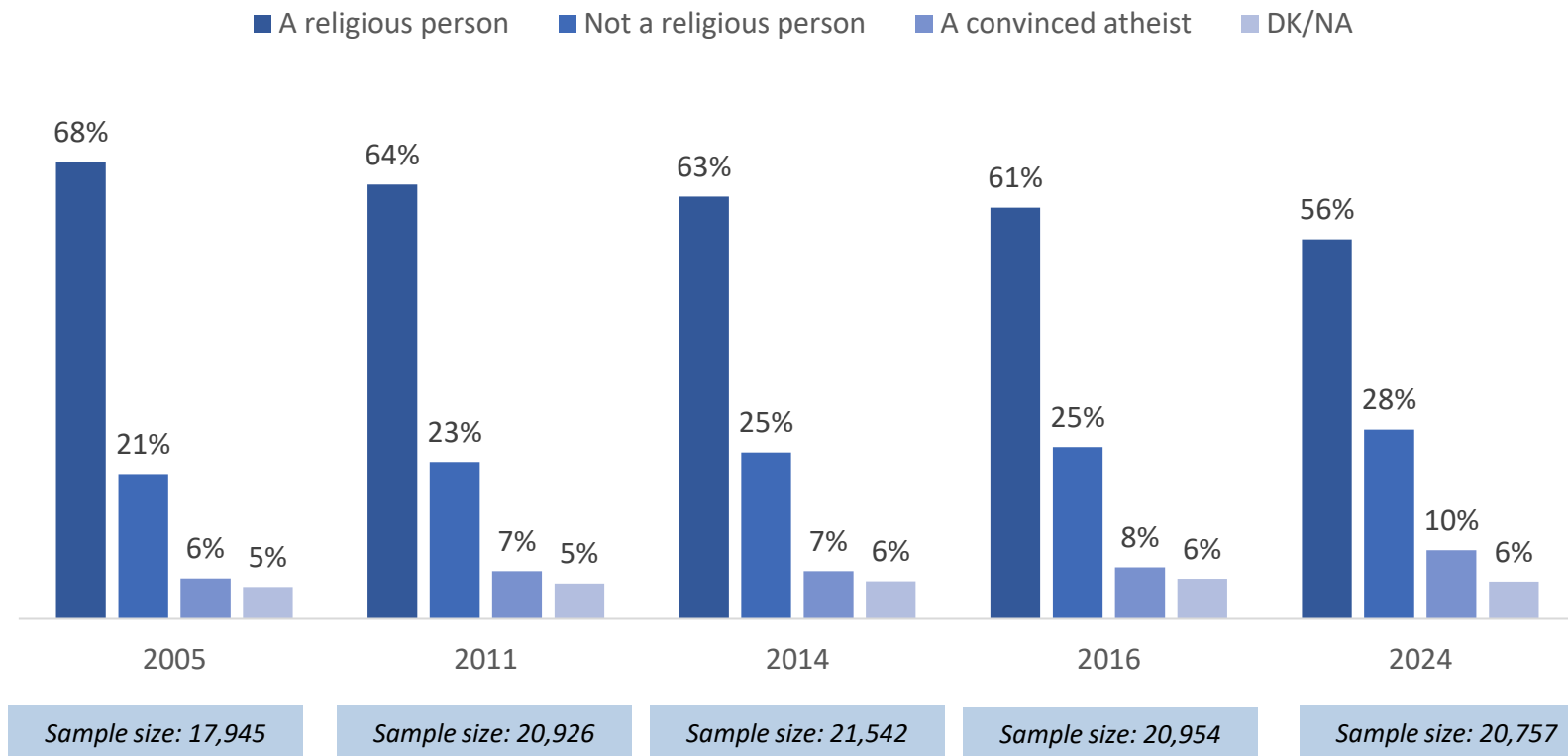
Retired/Disabled

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PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.5 TREND DATA

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

GLOBAL AVERAGE COMPARISON AMONG 20 COMMON COUNTRIES POLLED 2005, 2011, 2014, 2016 and 2024



20 common countries polled in 2005, 2011, 2014, 2016 and 2024 reported

Minor deviations due to rounding are possible

Table / Figure # 1.10
PERCEPTIONS ABOUT RELIGION
2.5 TREND DATA

Irrespective of whether you attend a place of worship or not, would you say you are?

		2005				2011				2014				2016				2024			
Serial #		A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR	A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR	A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR	A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR	A religious person	Not a religious person	A convinced atheist	DK / NR
	Global average	68%	21%	6%	5%	64%	23%	7%	5%	63%	25%	7%	6%	61%	25%	8%	6%	56%	28%	10%	6%
1	Argentina	80%	13%	2%	5%	72%	19%	7%	1%	72%	16%	4%	8%	78%	16%	4%	2%	54%	27%	10%	9%
2	Austria	52%	29%	10%	9%	42%	43%	10%	5%	39%	44%	10%	6%	41%	43%	9%	6%	43%	39%	12%	6%
3	Bosnia and Herzegovina	74%	13%	9%	3%	67%	25%	4%	4%	65%	29%	3%	4%	75%	21%	1%	2%	72%	22%	3%	3%
4	Bulgaria	63%	23%	5%	9%	58%	28%	2%	11%	52%	36%	3%	8%	51%	36%	3%	11%	51%	29%	9%	11%
5	Colombia	83%	11%	3%	3%	83%	12%	3%	2%	82%	14%	3%	2%	84%	11%	3%	2%	65%	29%	5%	1%
6	Ecuador	85%	12%	1%	1%	69%	27%	2%	2%	68%	27%	1%	5%	78%	16%	2%	4%	76%	20%	3%	2%
7	Finland	51%	31%	7%	10%	54%	37%	6%	3%	56%	32%	10%	3%	39%	47%	8%	7%	32%	40%	20%	8%
8	Germany	60%	28%	10%	1%	53%	30%	14%	2%	34%	42%	17%	7%	34%	47%	14%	6%	35%	48%	12%	5%
9	India	87%	9%	4%	1%	83%	11%	3%	3%	91%	6%	2%	1%	94%	3%	2%	1%	82%	7%	4%	6%
10	Italy	72%	21%	6%	1%	73%	15%	7%	4%	74%	18%	6%	3%	69%	18%	8%	5%	66%	23%	8%	3%
11	Japan	17%	59%	23%	1%	16%	30%	31%	23%	13%	31%	31%	25%	13%	31%	29%	26%	16%	41%	31%	12%
12	Republic of Korea	58%	29%	11%	2%	56%	28%	14%	2%	44%	49%	6%	1%	35%	37%	23%	5%	30%	42%	23%	5%
13	Pakistan	78%	9%	1%	12%	83%	8%	4%	5%	88%	10%	1%	1%	93%	5%	1%	1%	94%	3%	1%	2%
14	Peru	84%	11%	2%	3%	86%	8%	3%	3%	82%	11%	2%	6%	72%	20%	3%	6%	76%	18%	3%	2%
15	Poland	85%	10%	2%	3%	81%	9%	5%	6%	86%	10%	2%	2%	82%	9%	1%	8%	55%	24%	11%	10%
16	Russian Federation	57%	36%	4%	3%	55%	25%	6%	14%	70%	18%	5%	8%	61%	23%	7%	9%	61%	26%	10%	3%
17	Serbia	72%	18%	4%	5%	75%	18%	3%	4%	72%	18%	3%	7%	75%	17%	4%	4%	66%	25%	4%	5%
18	Spain	55%	20%	10%	15%	52%	38%	9%	1%	37%	35%	20%	8%	37%	41%	16%	6%	36%	39%	22%	4%
19	Ukraine	70%	21%	4%	5%	73%	19%	3%	5%	73%	17%	7%	3%	53%	36%	6%	4%	62%	29%	7%	2%
20	United States	73%	25%	1%	1%	58%	32%	5%	5%	56%	33%	6%	5%	56%	32%	7%	4%	54%	30%	7%	9%

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