



# “SANT MARAL” Foundation

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The “Sant Maral” foundation presents the results of the October 2010 survey. The representative sample of 1000 respondents from the capital Ulan Bator and Dornod, Umnugovi, Uvs, Huvsgul aymaks (distributed proportionally by 4 regional divisions and Ulan Bator) was collected from October 1 to October 9, 2010. Tabulations are band by Ulan Bator, Countryside and Nationwide areas when necessary.

Director

## Voting intention

### 1. “If elections were held tomorrow, would you participate?”

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
▪ “Yes”	77.3	62.2	71.3
▪ “No”	16.4	33.2	23.1
▪ (No answer)	.3	-	.2
▪ (Don’t know)	6.0	4.5	5.4

### 2. “If Parliament Elections were held tomorrow, which party would you vote<sup>1</sup> for?”

	Nationwide			
	Countryside	Ulan Bator	%	Valid % <sup>2</sup>
MPRP	24.5	15.1	20.8	36.8
Democratic Party	24.5	15.6	21.0	37.2
Motherland Party	.3	.3	.3	.5
Civic Will Party	1.0	3.0	1.8	3.2
Republican Party	.7	.8	.7	1.2
New National Party	.2	-	.1	.2
Green Party	.5	1.0	.7	1.2
Other Party	3.0	4.5	3.6	6.4
Independent	6.5	9.1	7.5	13.3
(No answer)	17.1	13.6	15.7	
(Don’t know)	21.7	37.0	27.8	

<sup>1</sup> In expectations of the coming change in the existing Election law, the distribution in our survey is based on: **one voter - one vote**.

<sup>2</sup> Excluding “No answer” and “Don’t know”



### 3<sup>3</sup>. Voters distribution since Elections 2008 (parties)

	2008 <sup>4</sup>	MPRP	DP	For diff. parties
<b>Next Elections</b>				
MPRP		88.6%	6.2%	17.0%
Democratic Party		3.3%	79.5%	14.9%
Motherland Party			.5%	1.1%
Civil Will Party		.5%	.5%	11.7%
Republican party			.5%	3.2%
NNP			.5%	
Green Party				5.3%
Other party		2.7%	4.1%	17.0%
Independent		4.9%	8.2%	29.8%

### 4. Think about all political parties in Mongolia: In general, do you favour one certain party?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Yes, I favour <u>one</u> certain party	51.1	35.5	44.9
No, I do not favour one party	47.8	63.5	54.0
(No answer)	.2	-	.1
(Don't know)	1.0	1.0	1.0

### 5. "The Favourite one" party

Nationwide for all respondents

Favour strength level by supporters only

	%	Valid %	Rather strong	Average	Rather weak
MPRP	20.5	45.9	48.0%	39.2%	12.7%
Democratic Party	20.0	44.7	37.1%	44.2%	18.8%
Motherland Party	.6	1.3	-	-	-
Civil Will Party	1.7	3.8	47.1%	41.2%	11.8%
Republican Party	1.1	2.5	-	-	-
New National Party	.1	.2	-	-	-
Green Party	.7	1.6	-	-	-
(No answer) <sup>5</sup>	55.3				
Total	100				

<sup>3</sup> In tables 4 and 5 in columns MPRP and DP are those who voted only for one party. In case of mixed choice they are in next columns. Small parties and independents are not present because of small sample size.

<sup>4</sup> The existing Election law gives every voter from 2 to 4 votes that he/she may distribute between various parties and candidates. It means that Elections distribution is based on multiple choices. The Parliament proportion of seats is 20 for UB and 56 for the countryside.

<sup>5</sup> Filtered

## 6. Parties activity evaluation by all respondents

average response on a scale from – 5 (very bad) to +5 (very good)

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
1. MPRP	.56	-.65	.07
2. Democratic Party	.57	-.51	.14
3. Motherland Party	-.99	-1.97	-1.37
4. Civil Will Party	-.46	-1.23	-.78
5. Republican Party	-.92	-1.91	-1.32
6. New National Party	-1.14	-2.25	-1.57
7. Green Party	-.77	-1.65	-1.13

7.	Mean of <b>ALL</b> respondents (as shown in "Barometer")	Only respondents who say that they favour this particular party			
		"rather strong"	"average"	"rather weak"	all who favour
MPRP	.07	1.72	.62	.52	1.08
Democratic Party	.14	1.37	0.99	.82	1.13
Motherland Party	-1.37	not calculated because there are not enough cases			
Civil Will Party	-.78				
Republican Party	-1.32				
New National Party	-1.57				
Green Party	-1.13				

## 8. In your opinion is the MPRP headed in the right or wrong direction?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Right direction	36.7	22.2	30.9
Wrong direction	25.7	34.8	29.3
(No answer)	2.5	3.5	2.9
(Don't know)	35.2	39.5	36.9

## 9. In your opinion is the DP headed in the right or wrong direction?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Right direction	34.7	20.7	29.1
Wrong direction	25.7	33.8	28.9
(No answer)	2.3	3.3	2.7
(Don't know)	37.3	42.3	39.3

## 10. Satisfaction with Government

	Nationwide
very satisfied	10.8
fairly satisfied	47.3
rather not satisfied	29.1

## 11. Satisfaction with Opposition

	Nationwide
very satisfied	10.2
fairly satisfied	34.5
rather not satisfied	26.7

totally unsatisfied	9.2	totally unsatisfied	14.7
(No answer)	.4	(No answer)	2.1
(Don't know)	3.2	(Don't know)	11.8

## 12. How do you evaluate the activity of the Party you voted for?

Party voted for	MPRP	DP	Different parties	Independent
<b>Assessment</b>				
Very good	2.1%	1.7%	-	-
Good	24.1%	15.9%	12.7%	-
Average	47.5%	46.0%	39.7%	60.0%
Bad	18.1%	19.5%	19.1%	20.0%
Very bad	2.8%	12.3%	4.4%	5.0%
(No answer)	1.1%	1.7%	20.6%	10.0%
(Don't know)	4.3%	3.0%	3.4%	5.0%
<b>Total</b>	100%	100%	100%	100%

## 13. Rating of socio-political or economic problems in Mongolia today (nationwide)

Unemployment	35.7
Standard of living\ poverty\ income	18.3
Price increase\ Inflation	9.5
Economy\ manufacturing\ mining	7.6
Law enforcement	6.7
Education	5.4
Corruption	4.2
Ecology\ Environment	4.1
Social Justice	3.4
State administration	2.1

**14. How often do you feel that government policies fail to solve the most important problem you mentioned?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Always	63.3	57.9	61.2
• Often	21.9	24.7	23.0
• Sometimes	7.8	11.1	9.1
• Seldom	1.3	1.8	1.5
• Never	.3	.5	.4
• (No answer)	1.5	.5	1.1
• (Don't know)	3.8	3.5	3.7

**15. Which political party can solve the problem best?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
MPRP	19.9	13.4	17.3
Democratic Party	16.1	14.1	15.3
Motherland Party	1.3		.8
Civil Will Party	.5	2.5	1.3
Republican Party	1.7	.3	1.1
Green Party	.3	.5	.4
Other	4.0	1.3	2.9
Coalition	.2	7.1	2.9
None	40.0	49.6	43.8

**16. Problem solving capacity by two major parties**

(% from responded)

	MPRP	DP
Unemployment	32.4%	33.3%
Standard of living\ poverty\ income	31.2%	22.2%
Price increase\ Inflation	9.8%	11.1%
Education	6.4%	8.5%
Law enforcement	5.2%	3.3%
Corruption	3.5%	8.5%
Economy\ manufacturing\ mining	4.6%	7.2%
State administration	1.7%	-
Ecology\ Environment	1.2%	3.3%
Social Justice	1.7%	2.6%

**17. Which institution should play the leading role in solving this problem?**

	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
• Government	48.9	52.4	50.3
• The Parliament	15.6	19.1	17.0
• The president	8.8	8.6	8.7
• Judiciary	6.0	6.0	6.0
• Political parties	2.7	2.5	2.6
• Civil society	9.6	7.1	8.6
• None	.8	.5	.7
• (No answer)	1.2	1.5	1.3
• (Don't know)	6.5	2.3	4.8

**18. Government greatest success**

Agriculture	25.5
Economy\ manufacturing\mining	17.0
Education	11.5
Reduction of unemployment	3.9
Corruption	2.1
Improving of standard of living	1.8
Price increase\ Inflation	1.7
State administration	1.7
Election promises	1.3
Social Justice	1.0
Law enforcement	.9
Ecology\ Environment	.9

**19. Government biggest failure**

Growing of unemployment	24.0
Declining of standard of living\ poverty\ income	15.8
Price increase\ Inflation	11.7
Corruption	8.8
Law enforcement	8.7
Economy\ manufacturing\mining	8.5
Ecology\ Environment	3.5
State administration	3.3
Social Justice	3.0
Education	1.7
Social security	1.0
Election/Election promises	1.0

**20. How do you approve or disapprove the following statement: "In principal you can trust that the government is doing the right things for citizens"?**

	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
• Fully approve	8.8	5.0	7.3
• Rather approve	49.3	41.6	46.2
• Rather disapprove	25.9	36.3	30.0
• Totally disapprove	12.4	13.9	13.0
• (No answer)	1.0	-	.6
• (Don't know)	2.7	3.3	2.9

**21. Unemployment has been a major problem for many people in past years. Some people think that this is only a temporary matter and that economic progress in the future will take care of the problem. Other people think that the government needs to intervene and take appropriate measures to reduce unemployment. What do you think?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Economic growth will provide sufficient employment in the future	25.2	24.7	25.0
Economic growth alone is not enough - the government has to take action to reduce unemployment.	66.8	70.5	68.3
(No answer)	.8	.3	.6
(Don't know)	7.1	4.5	6.1

**22. Some people think that government should take actions to reduce income differences between the poor and rich, but others think that the government should not interfere. What is your opinion?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
The government has to eliminate income differences	29.4	40.6	33.8
The government has to take moderate action to reduce income differences	50.7	48.1	49.7
The government should not interfere	10.1	3.8	7.6
Spontaneously: ( it may interfere, or may not interfere)	6.6	5.8	6.3
(No answer)	.2	-	.1
(Don't know)	3.0	1.8	2.5

**23. If you think about government policy since its formation, do you think that it was characterized most by:**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Support for the rich (for example through preferential fiscal and land ownership policy that benefit mostly the rich people)	30.0	29.7	29.9
Support for the middle class	6.0	4.5	5.4
Support for the poor (for example through "child money" and other welfare programs that benefit mostly the poor people)	20.1	14.1	17.7
Self-interested politicians and lack of concern for society at large	24.5	34.3	28.4
None of the above: I think that policies were fair and for the benefit of all people	13.1	11.1	12.3
(No answer)	1.0	.5	.8



(Don't know)	5.3	5.8	5.5
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**24. Through recent development of the mining sector Mongolia has gained considerable wealth. How should this money be used?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
There should be increased social programs to give immediate relief to the poor	14.4	19.6	16.5
There should be long-term social programs through more investment in education, health, etc.	30.2	33.0	31.3
All citizen should equally benefit through direct disbursement	15.4	7.6	12.3
Funds should be invested by the state to improve economic development	38.1	38.5	38.3
(No answer)	.8	.3	.6
(Don't know)	1.0	1.0	1.0

**25. Present economic situation in Mongolia**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• very good	-	-	-
• good	12.3	11.6	12.0
• not good, nor bad	53.9	43.8	49.9
• bad	25.2	36.5	29.7
• very bad	4.1	6.8	5.2
• (No answer)	.3	-	.2
• (Don't know)	4.1	1.3	3.0

**26. The economic situation is**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Improving	35.5	37.0	36.1
• Stagnating	44.1	41.1	42.9
• In decline	12.1	12.3	12.2
• (No answer)	.8	3.0	1.7
• (Don't know)	7.5	6.5	7.1

**27. In five years the economic situation will be**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Much better	11.6	10.6	11.2
• Slightly better	53.7	57.9	55.4
• Same	17.4	15.6	16.7
• Slightly worse	3.3	4.0	3.6
• Much worse	1.8	1.3	1.6

• (No answer)	1.3	1.5	1.4
• (Don't know)	10.8	9.1	10.1

## **Systemic part**

### **28. Importance of democratic values**

	<b>Important<sup>6</sup></b>	<b>Not important</b>
1. All people are equally treated by the law	95.9	1.8
2. The state provides for social justice in a market economy	91.7	5
3. There is a free, democratic market	89.1	7.6
4. Men and women have equal rights	88.6	9.1
5. Social differences are kept as small as possible	87.8	8.4
6. Everybody can express his/her opinion freely	88.4	8
7. Everybody has the right to enter one's desired profession	87.7	9.2
8. Everybody has the freedom to decide about his property	96.1	9.5
9. All people have equal educational opportunities	86.9	9.6
10. Income differences are kept as small as possible	83.4	12.8
11. The state provides as many social security services as possible	80.2	15.5
12. Everybody can participate in the activities of their choice during one's free time	78.1	18.2
13. Everybody can believe in what he/she wants	76.8	18
14. I can travel wherever I want	77.7	19
15. Media and research are uncensored in Mongolia	79.4	20.6
16. All parties have an equal chance to come into government	68.2	33.2

### **29. How much are you satisfied with the Democracy and present political system?**

	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
• Satisfied	30.7	10.6	22.7
• Rather satisfied	41.8	41.1	41.5

<sup>6</sup> **Important** combines both 'very important' and 'rather important' options while **not important** includes 'rather not important' and 'not important'. 'Don't know' and 'no answer' are not included.

• Rather not satisfied	16.3	35.0	23.7
• Not satisfied	7.5	10.3	8.6
• (No answer)	1.0	1.0	1.0
• (Don't know)	2.8	2.0	2.5

### 30. Thinking about...

	Agree	Disagree
1. The state should guarantee the right to a job for everybody	84.9	9.6
2. The state should guarantee a minimal standard of living for everybody, if one wants more, he should provide for himself	63.8	22
3. The key sectors of economy should be state owned	69.9	20.8
4. The rich and powerful prevent other citizens from earning equal benefits from the wealth they created	63.4	20.6
5. The two large political parties, the MPRP and DP, are the same when it comes to self-interest	59	27.8
6. No matter who governs the country, circumstances for the common citizen will remain the same	55.3	29.5
7. Contemporary society no longer has strong ideals that guide the people	45.0	37.1
8. In democracy not all things go the way one would like, but there is no better state model	45.5	31.7
9. It is enough if one participates in election regularly	35.6	47.9
10. I am against dictatorship but support a government with a strong hand	33.3	52.3
11. In every democratic society there are conflicts that can only be solved through violence	27.7	48.7
12. Under certain circumstances dictatorship is better than democracy	28.4	51.9
13. Only through socialism can all problems be solved	26.8	52.3
14. Women should care for the family and household and leave politics to men	16.8	76.1

### 31. Some people think that there is too much democracy in Mongolia and that a dictatorship would make things better. Others think that we have a kind of dictatorship with no real democratic values. In your opinion, where does Mongolia belong on the spectrum?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
We have too much democracy	13.3	9.6	11.8
We have a moderate level of democracy	35.2	18.4	28.5
We are at a crossroads	31.2	29.7	30.6
We have a moderate level of dictatorship	11.4	23.9	16.4
We are too dictatorial	2.2	7.8	4.4
(No answer)	1.5	1.0	1.3
(Don't know)	5.3	9.6	7.0



**32. In your opinion, do political parties represent public opinion?**

	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
• Yes	29.0	16.4	24.0
• No	60.4	78.8	67.7
• (No answer)	1.8	.5	1.3
• (Don't know)	8.8	4.3	7.0

**33. In your opinion, how strong is voters' influence on political decision making?**

	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
• Very strong	15.6	7.3	12.3
• Rather strong	38.0	35.0	36.8
• Rather little	30.3	36.0	32.6
• None	9.0	13.6	10.8
• (No answer)	4.5	3.5	4.1
• (Don't know)	2.7	4.5	3.4

**34. What do you think about our society? In general, is there more justice or more injustice?**

	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
There is more justice	4.1	3.3	3.8
There is more injustice	66.8	74.6	69.9
Spontaneous:(Sometime more justice and other time more injustice)	26.4	19.6	23.7
(No answer)	.5	.3	.4
(Don't know)	2.2	2.3	2.2

**35. Confidence in state institutions (nationwide)**

	<b>President</b>	<b>Parliament</b>	<b>Judiciary system</b>	<b>Gvt admin</b>	<b>Political parties</b>	<b>Civil society</b>
confident	26.1	16.0	11.6	18.6	7.2	19.2
rather confident	36.5	36.5	30.3	43.6	29.8	37.9
rather not confident	18.7	28.4	33.5	23.4	30.1	23.1
not confident	14.8	16.2	21.3	11.7	28.4	13.4
(No answer)	.9	.9	1.1	.8	1.2	.9
(Don't know)	3.0	2.0	2.2	1.9	3.3	5.5

**36. Which political system is more suitable for Mongolia? Could you provide your assessment of its governance efficiency?**

**a. Having a strong leader who does not have to bother with the parliament and elections**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Good	28.5	24.7	27.0
Rather good	26.2	36.3	30.2
Rather bad	10.6	11.6	11.0
Bad	13.4	10.8	12.4
(No answer)	3.5	1.0	2.5
(Don't know)	17.7	15.6	16.9

**b. Team of independent from the government professionals or experts developing state policy (elitist governance)**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Good	5.6	18.1	10.6
Rather good	25.0	30.5	27.2
Rather bad	19.9	12.3	16.9
Bad	19.1	17.1	18.3
(No answer)	4.1	1.5	3.1
(Don't know)	26.2	20.4	23.9

**c. Rule by military, intelligence and police forces**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Good	3.6	2.3	3.1
Rather good	11.4	9.8	10.8
Rather bad	17.7	21.4	19.2
Bad	35.2	44.8	39.0
(No answer)	4.1	2.3	3.4
(Don't know)	27.9	19.4	24.5

**d. Democratic system: governance through democratically elected representatives of the people**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Good	36.2	22.9	30.9
Rather good	32.0	44.6	37.0
Rather bad	9.5	10.8	10.0
Bad	6.0	5.8	5.9
(No answer)	4.0	2.0	3.2
(Don't know)	12.4	13.9	13.0

**37. Which form of state is more suitable for Mongolia?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Current semi-parliamentarian with influential president</li> </ul>	35.2	26.4	31.7

• Parliamentary	15.3	16.6	15.8
• Presidential	40.3	41.6	40.8
• DK/missing	9.3	15.4	11.7

### 38. Thinking about parties...

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• There should be many parties representing variety of opinions	30.3	35.8	32.5
• In principal, we don't need any third force – two parties are sufficient	26.2	15.1	21.8
• In principal we don't need parties – to have a strong president is a right thing	36.0	41.6	38.2
• DK	7.5	7.6	7.5

### 39. In your opinion, how strong the role of the religion should be in

	Your life	Education	Politics
• Very strong	5.5	5.3	3.2
• Strong	14.6	7.8	6.2
• Moderate	28.3	17.0	16.5
• Little	23.3	19.9	18.9
• No role	24.2	31.4	33.3
• (No answer)	1.6	2.4	2.5
• (Don't know)	2.5	16.2	19.4

### 40. Which country is the best partner for Mongolia?

No names were suggested, each respondent could mention up to two countries.

	1 choice	2 choice
• Russia	57.2	4.2
• China	3.0	16.1
• USA	9.0	16.4
• European Union <sup>7</sup>	5.2	6.7
• Japan	4.7	8.8
• South Korea	2.1	5.0
• Others	1.5	1.3
• (No answer)	1.4	41.5
• (Don't know)	15.9	-
• Total	100%	100%

<sup>7</sup> Includes all mentioned EU countries



#### 41. Which country is the best partner for Mongolia?

Cumulative percentage, valid cases only.

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
▪ Russia	79.7%	66.9%	74.2%
▪ China	22.2%	24.3%	23.1%
▪ USA	27.5%	35.1%	30.7%
▪ European Union	8.0%	23.1%	14.4%
▪ Japan	14.7%	18.6%	16.3%
▪ South Korea	7.1%	10.6%	8.6%
▪ Others	2.3%	4.9%	3.4%
▪ Total	161.4%	183.4%	170.7%

#### 42. With which country citizens Mongolians are better in communication and cooperation?

No names were suggested, each respondent could mention up to two countries.

	1 choice	2 choice
▪ Russia	44.4	2.9
▪ China	12.1	11.2
▪ USA	4.1	5.1
▪ European Union <sup>8</sup>	1.7	2.3
▪ Japan	4.7	5.6
▪ South Korea	7.7	10.5
▪ Others	.8	.3
▪ (No answer)	1.6	62.1
▪ (Don't know)	22.9	-
▪ Total	100%	100%

#### 43. With which country citizens Mongolians are better in communication and cooperation?

Cumulative percentage, valid cases only.

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
▪ Russia	60.5%	65.6%	62.6%
▪ China	32.7%	28.3%	30.9%
▪ USA	12.0%	12.4%	12.2%
▪ European Union	2.5%	9.2%	5.3%
▪ Japan	15.2%	11.5%	13.6%
▪ South Korea	22.0%	27.1%	24.1%
▪ Others	1.4%	1.6%	1.5%

<sup>8</sup> Includes all mentioned EU countries



## Personal part

### 44. How proud are you to be a Mongolian?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Very proud	90.0	83.4	87.4
• Rather proud	8.8	10.1	9.3
• Not that proud	.3	2.8	1.3
• Not proud at all	.3	1.8	.9
• (No answer)	.2	1.0	.5
• (Don't know)	.3	1.0	.6

### 45. How you evaluate your nearest future?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Optimistic	87.2	89.7	88.2
• Pessimistic	5.3	5.0	5.2
• (No answer)	.2	.5	.7
• (Don't know)	.3	4.8	5.9

### 46. Present personal and family's life level situation

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Very good	1.3	1.0	1.2
• Good	11.4	13.9	12.4
• Partly good/partly bad	62.7	61.0	62.0
• Bad	19.4	22.9	20.8
• Very bad	4.5	1.3	3.2
• (No answer)	.3	-	.2
• (Don't know)	.3	-	.2

### 47. Life level development comparing to last year

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• better	17.1	24.7	20.1
• the same	63.2	54.7	59.8
• worsened	19.1	19.9	19.4
• (No answer)	.2	-	.1
• (Don't know)	.5	.8	.6

**48. How much are you interested in politics?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• very much interested	8.5	8.3	8.4
• interested	25.9	26.7	26.2
• somehow interested	28.7	21.9	26.0
• rather not interested	21.7	25.2	23.1
• not interested	13.9	17.4	15.3
• (No answer)	1.0	-	.6
• (Don't know)	.3	.5	.4

**49. What do you think, does your future depend on your own achievements, the State, or on other forces (like churches, trade unions, firms, the press, TV/radio, communities, business relations), that could influence the economy?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• Rather on myself	48.6	46.1	47.6
• Rather on the state	32.3	43.6	36.8
• Rather on other forces	10.4	4.8	8.2
• (No answer)	2.0	2.0	2.0
• (Don't know)	6.6	3.5	5.4

**50. When comparing your life with the life of your parents, what would you say?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
My parents achieved much more than I will be able to do	26.2	16.1	22.2
There is no significant difference, we are almost equal	36.3	40.8	38.1
I will achieve much more than my parents	30.5	27.7	29.4
(No answer)	1.2	1.0	1.1
(Don't know)	5.8	14.4	9.2

**51. Due to both just and unjust circumstances in a society, there are both winners and losers among the different social groups. In your opinion, to which group do you belong?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
I consider myself rather a loser	39.5	31.0	36.1
I consider myself rather a winner	7.3	4.8	6.3
Spontaneous:(Sometimes I am winner, sometimes a loser)	43.4	38.5	41.5
(No answer)	2.7	4.5	3.4
(Don't know)	7.1	21.2	12.7

**52. In times of economic difficulties some people depend on the government to come to their assistance; others believe they can solve the problem by themselves.**

**Do you expect help from the state in solving your problems?**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• I don't need any help	10.9	5.0	8.6
• I need help only to find a job	32.2	22.2	28.2
• I need financial support	33.3	36.3	34.5
• I don't expect anything from the government	16.6	30.2	22.0
• (No answer)	1.8	1.3	1.6
• (Don't know)	5.1	5.0	5.1

**53. If the government fails to meet your expectations, what would you do? (most important)**

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
• I will go to court	1.8	2.3	2.0
• I will join street protests	5.3	6.0	5.6
• I will join/support civil organizations that can protect my rights	18.4	17.4	18.0
• I will vote against the government in elections	14.6	16.4	15.3
• I will join the opposition party	2.2	2.5	2.3
• Do nothing and wait for matters to improve	23.5	27.0	24.9
• (No answer)	18.4	3.5	12.5
• (Don't know)	15.8	24.9	19.4

**54. “Whom of the prominent persons in the country would you like to name; who, in your opinion, should play an important role in politics?”**

(No names were suggested, each respondent could mention up to three persons. Responses are listed here in a ranking order by percentage of cases. The cumulative percentage could be up to 300%.)

EMBED Unknown \s

**Top 10 politicians**

<b>55. in Ulan Bator</b>		<b>56. in Countryside</b>	
1. Batbold S.	18.0	1. Elbegdorj	22.7
2. Bayar S.	16.0	2. Bayar S.	17.8
3. Elbegdorj	15.7	3. Niamdorj	17.4
4. Enhbayar	12.7	4. Gundalay	15.
5. Oyun	11.3	5. Batbold S.	14.6
6. Bagabandi	10.5	6. Enhbayar	11.8
7. Altay	10.2	7. Hurelbaatar	11.8
8. Jargalsaihan	8.3	8. Bagabandi	8.9
9. Temuujin	8.0	9. Oyun	6.7
10. Gundalay	8.0	10. Bat Uul	5.5

# EXTENSION

## I. In your opinion is it the right time for MPRP to reform?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Yes	75.6	88.4	80.7
No	5.3	3.8	4.7
(No answer)	.7	.8	.7
(Don't know)	18.4	7.1	13.9
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

## II. In your opinion is it the right time for MPRP to reform?

	DP supporters	MPRP supporters	DP voters	MPRP voters
Yes	82.5%	80.5%	81.4%	79.8%
No	5.0%	9.3%	2.4%	9.6%
(No answer)	.5%	.5%	.5%	.5%
(Don't know)	12.0%	9.8%	15.7%	10.1%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

## III. In your opinion is it the right time for the DP to reform?

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Yes	61.2	80.1	68.7
No	12.4	6.0	9.9
(No answer)	1.2	1.0	1.1
(Don't know)	25.2	12.8	20.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

## IV. In your opinion is it the right time for DP to reform?

	DP supporters	MPRP supporters	DP voters	MPRP voters
Yes	58.5%	68.8%	59.5%	69.2%
No	23.0%	7.8%	19.0%	8.2%
(No answer)	.5%	2.0%		2.4%
(Don't know)	18.0%	21.5%	21.4%	20.2%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

## V. If MPRP change its name, your opinion about this party

	Countryside	Ulan Bator	Nationwide
Will improve	13.4	7.3	11.0
Stay the same	64.2	69.8	66.4
Will worsen	5.0	7.6	6.0
(No answer)	1.3	1.8	1.5
(Don't know)	16.1	13.6	15.1

Total	100.0	100.0	100.0
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<b>VI. If MPRP change its name, your opinion about this party</b>			
	<b>DP supporters</b>	<b>MPPR supporters</b>	<b>MPRP voters</b>
Will improve	11.0%	17.6%	19.7%
Stay the same	66.0%	68.3%	68.3%
Will worsen	6.5%	5.9%	4.8%
(No answer)	1.0%	.5%	.5%
(Don't know)	15.5%	7.8%	6.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

<b>VII. If MPRP change its ideology, your opinion about this party</b>			
	<b>Countryside</b>	<b>Ulan Bator</b>	<b>Nationwide</b>
Will improve	24.5	19.1	22.4
Stay the same	43.8	47.9	45.4
Will worsen	6.3	6.5	6.4
(No answer)	2.7	2.3	2.5
(Don't know)	22.7	24.2	23.3
Total	100.0	100.0	100.0

<b>VIII. If MPRP change its ideology, your opinion about this party</b>			
	<b>DP supporters</b>	<b>MPPR supporters</b>	<b>MPRP voters</b>
Will improve	18.5%	29.8%	30.3%
Stay the same	48.5%	52.2%	51.4%
Will worsen	8.0%	5.9%	7.2%
(No answer)	3.0%	1.5%	2.4%
(Don't know)	22.0%	10.7%	8.7%
Total	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%