

Quality of Life for Younger Generations

(Base: All Adults 18+ – 1,000)

Do you think that your children's or younger relatives' quality of life will be better than yours at the age you are now

		GENDER		AGE					REGION			SOCIAL CLASS		
		Male	Female	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55+	Dublin	ROL	Munster	Conn/ Ulster	ABC1	C2DE
	%													
Much better than mine (1)	19	22%	16%	13%	14%	18%	23%	24%	19%	19%	17%	21%	18%	20%
Slightly better than mine (2)	30	32%	29%	32%	28%	26%	37%	31%	29%	31%	32%	29%	29%	31%
About the same as mine (3)	29	25%	32%	39%	38%	30%	22%	21%	31%	29%	26%	29%	29%	29%
Slightly worse than mine (4)	16	15%	17%	14%	12%	20%	14%	17%	16%	14%	17%	15%	19%	13%
Much worse than mine (5)	6	6%	6%	2%	7%	5%	5%	8%	5%	6%	8%	5%	5%	7%

Nearly half (49%) of all respondents thought that the next generation would have a better quality of life than theirs.

Pride in the Economy ...

(Base: All Adults 18+ – 1,000)

I take pride in Ireland's economic recovery

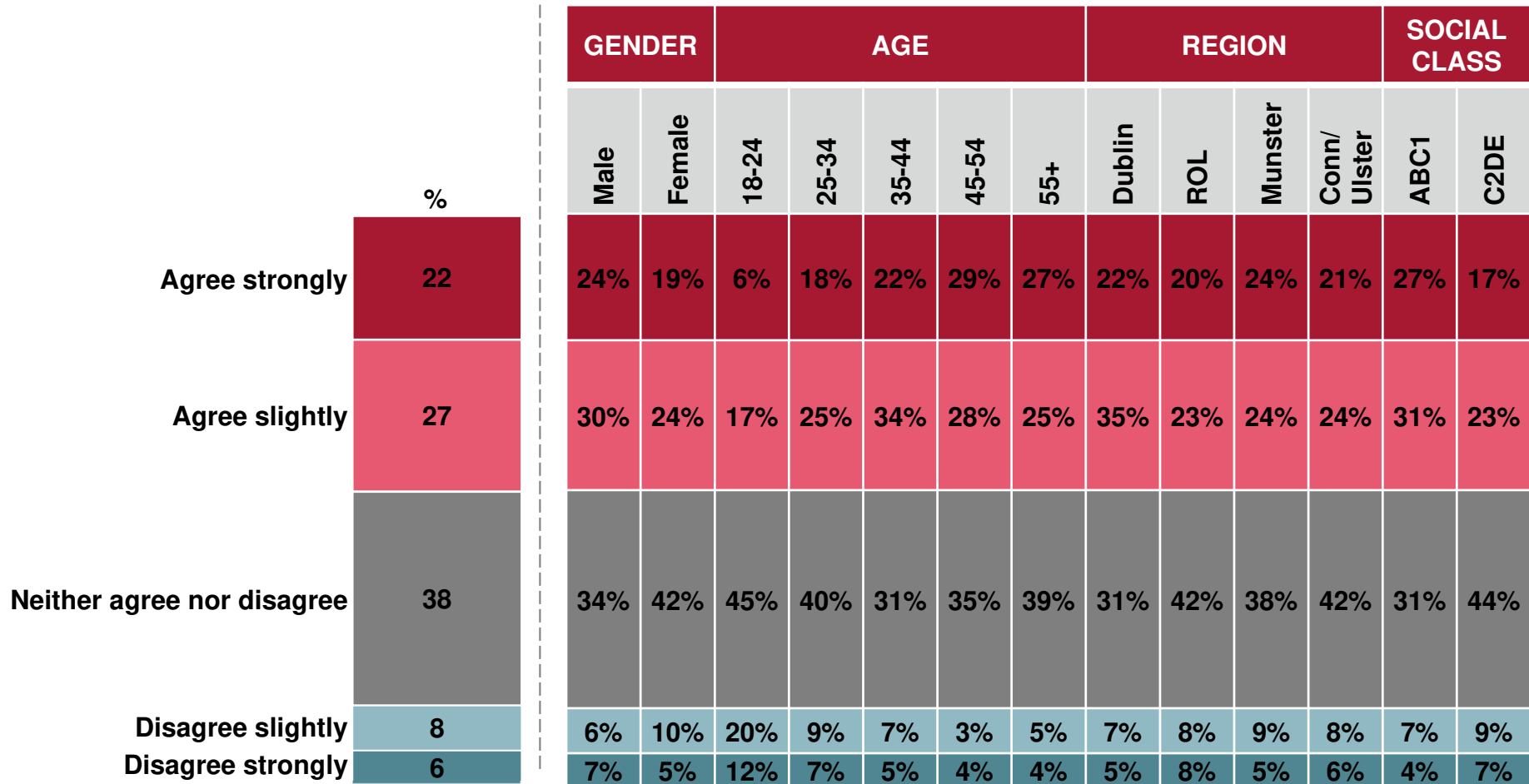
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Agree strongly	18	20%	16%	12%	12%	16%	21%	24%	19%	17%	19%	14%	22%	14%
Agree slightly	29	30%	28%	29%	29%	28%	27%	31%	32%	26%	26%	33%	30%	29%
Neither agree nor disagree	33	32%	35%	35%	39%	41%	31%	25%	33%	35%	34%	31%	30%	36%
Disagree slightly	11	7%	14%	15%	13%	6%	10%	11%	9%	15%	9%	9%	11%	10%
Disagree strongly	9	12%	7%	9%	7%	9%	12%	10%	7%	7%	12%	12%	7%	11%

47% of respondents reported taking pride in the Irish economy. 33% neither Agreed nor Disagreed. There was a slight variation among the respondents from different social classes, with higher levels of agreement among the ABC1 social class.

Personal Contribution to the Economy ...

(Base: All Adults 18+ – 1,000)

I feel that I have made a personal contribution to Ireland's economic recovery



49% of respondents agree that they have made a personal contribution to the Irish economy. This varied somewhat by social class with 58% of ABC1 and only 40% of C2DE reporting this.