

# McKinsey Mobility Consumer Pulse

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# McKinsey Mobility Consumer Pulse investigates global consumer perceptions around core future mobility trends

## Regular MCFM consumer survey

5+ years of historic data

**200+**

Questions on the industry-shaping mobility trends & disruptions



30,000+ respondents who regularly use mobility allowing for detailed consumer profiling and segmentation

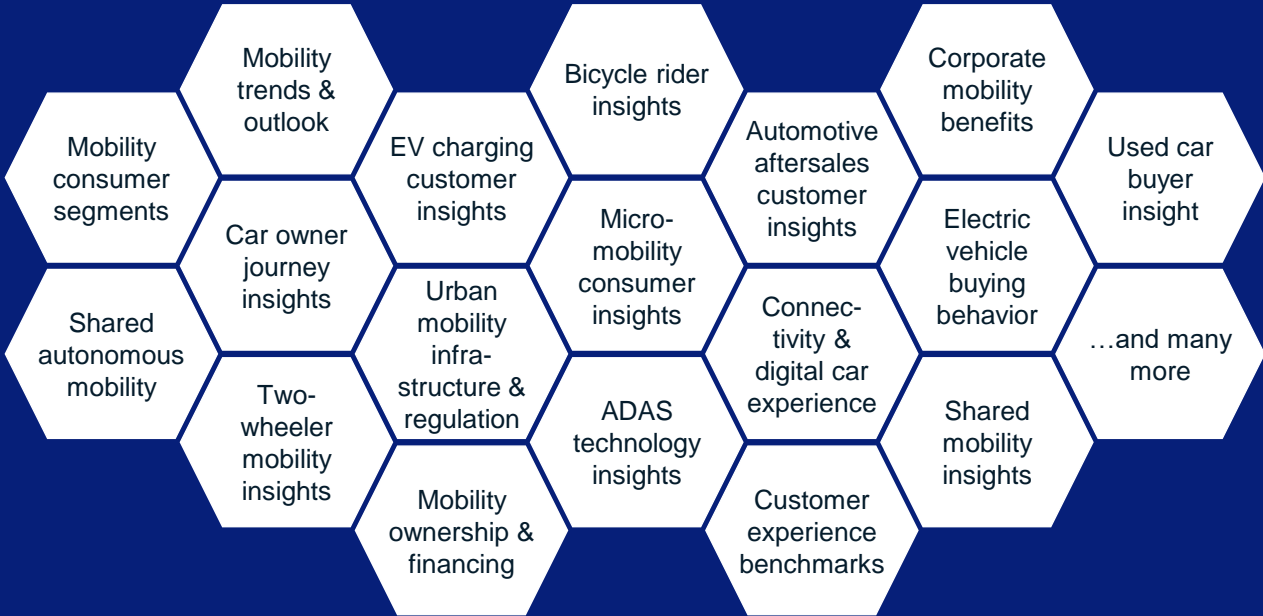


15 countries since 2021 across the globe, covering more than 80% of global sales volumes

Countries in 2024



## The most comprehensive view on mobility consumer trends...



# 10 key numbers from the 2024 McKinsey Mobility Consumer Pulse

Global insights

**38%** Of respondents who do not have an EV yet, consider a BEV<sup>1</sup> or PHEV<sup>2</sup> as next car

**29%** Would like to replace their private vehicle completely with other forms of transport in the next 10 years

**29%** Of electric vehicle owners consider to switch back to a traditional combustion engine car

**21%** Of car buyers consider autonomous driving functionalities as key buying factor for their next car

**27%** Of European EV buyers open to considering a Chinese brand for next purchase

**59%** Of EV buyers want to use more digital connectivity services in the future

**9%** Consider current electric vehicle charging infrastructure to be sufficient

**37%** Of electric vehicle buyers consider to get their next car online

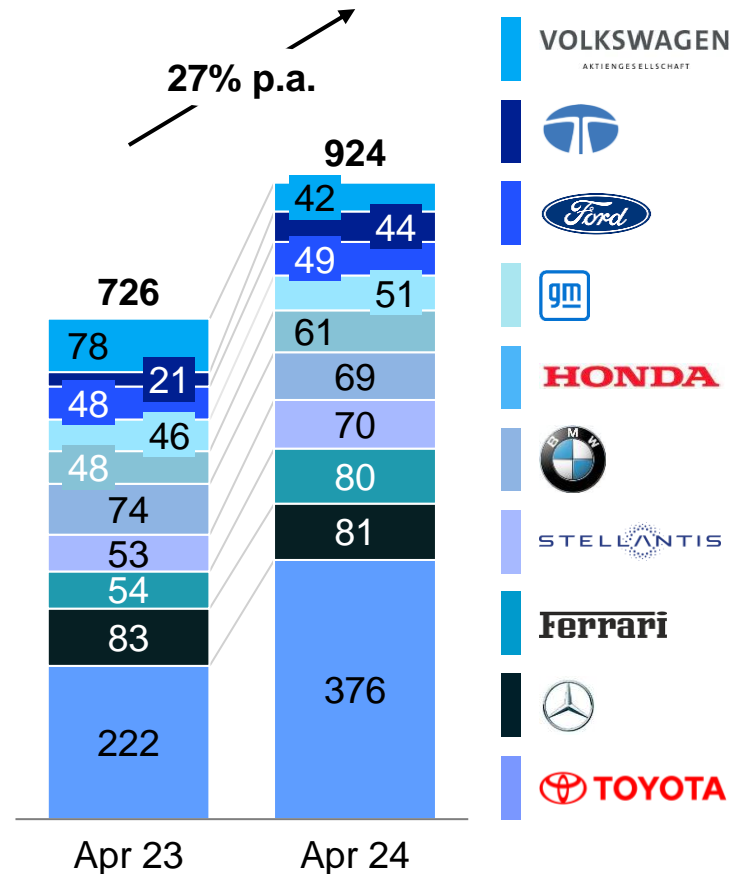
1. BEV = Battery electric vehicle

2. PHEV = Plug-in hybrid electric vehicle

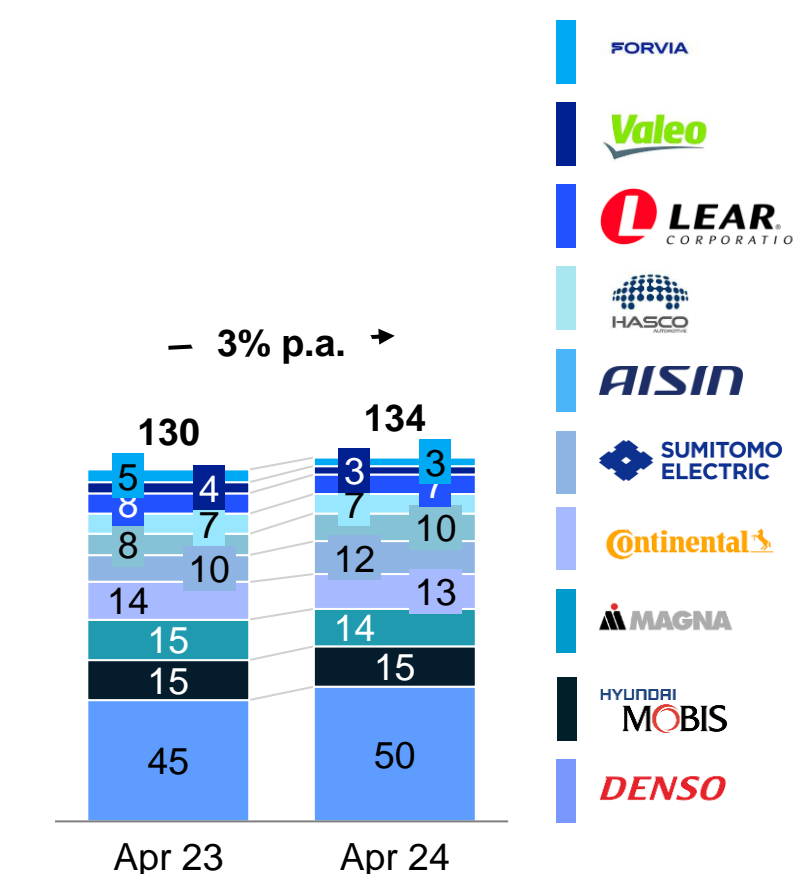
# Over the past 12 months market cap of mobility companies has grown mostly with OEMs

Market capitalization  
\$ Billions

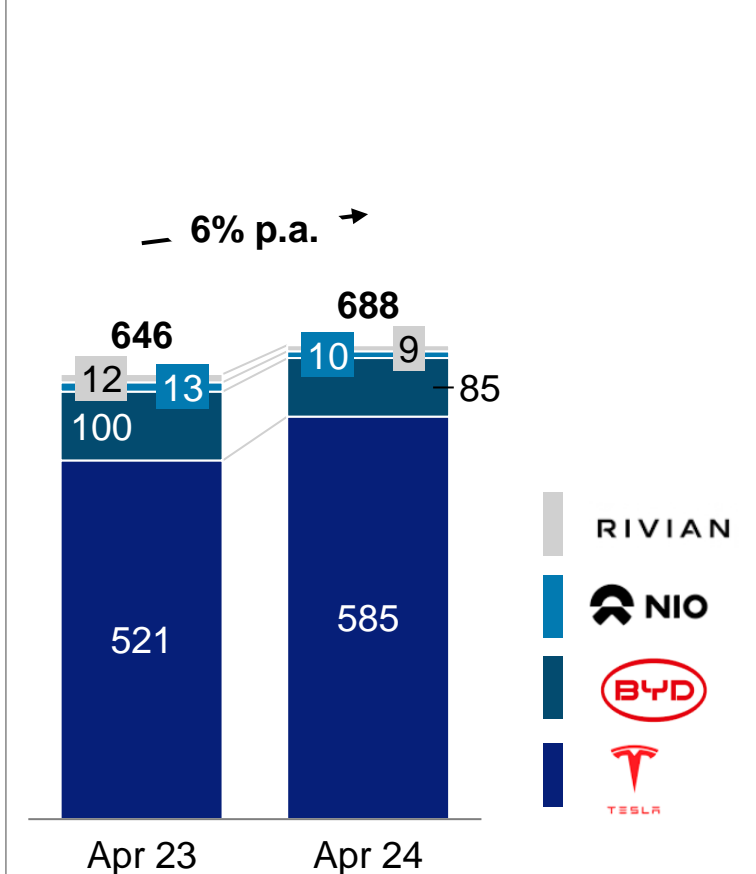
## Top 10 OEMs



## Top 10 suppliers



## New Mobility



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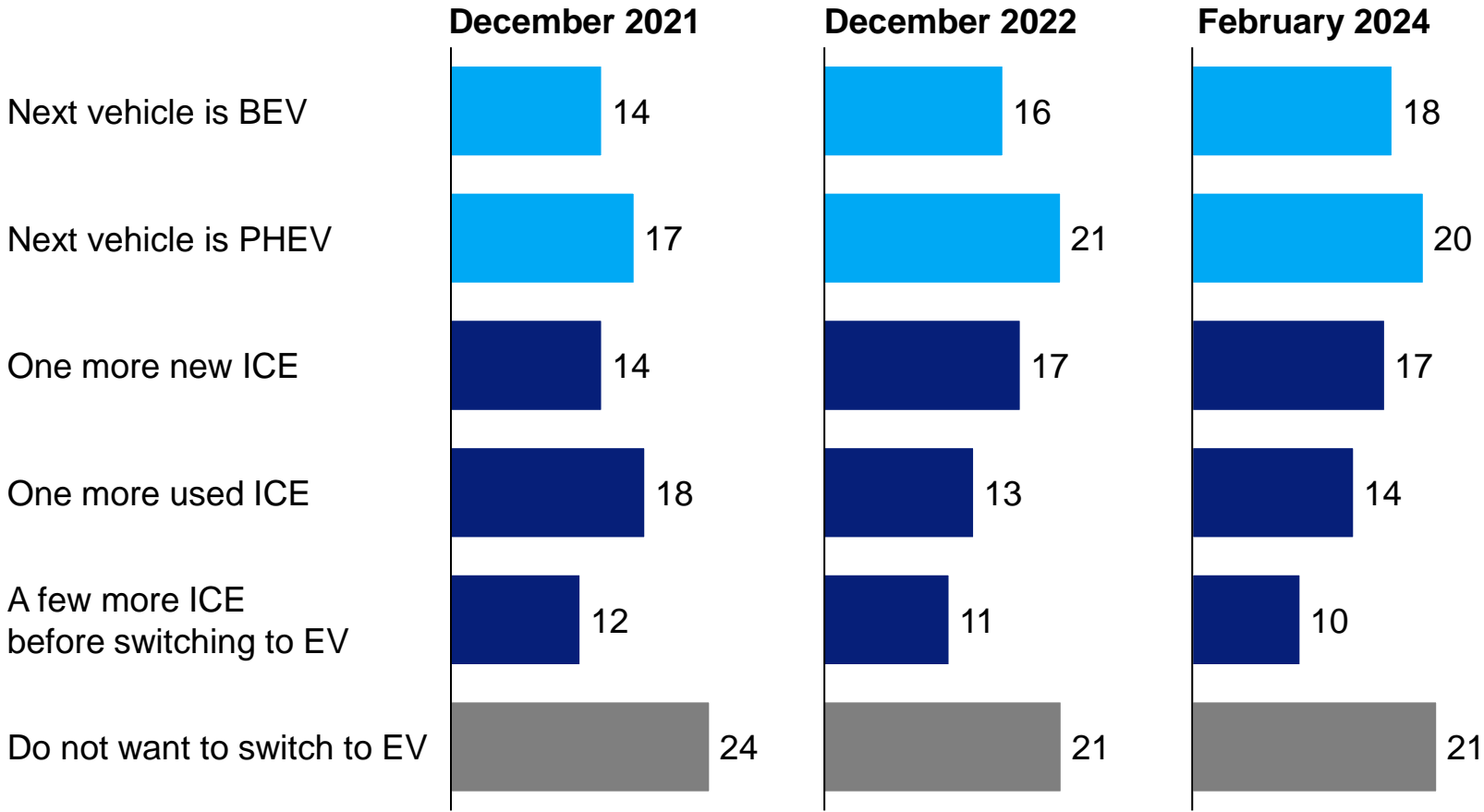
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# Global purchase intent for electric vehicles continues to rise, however more slowly

## Powertrain consideration for current non-EV owners

Share of respondents who do not have an EV yet, globally



## Additional Insights

Top reasons given by people who don't want to switch to EV:

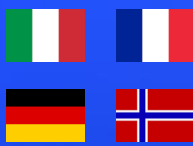
- Too expensive 45%
- Charging concerns 33%
- Driving range concerns 29%

Interest in BEV from respondents who drive **premium/luxury segment** vehicles **~2x higher** than from those who drive volume/entry level cars

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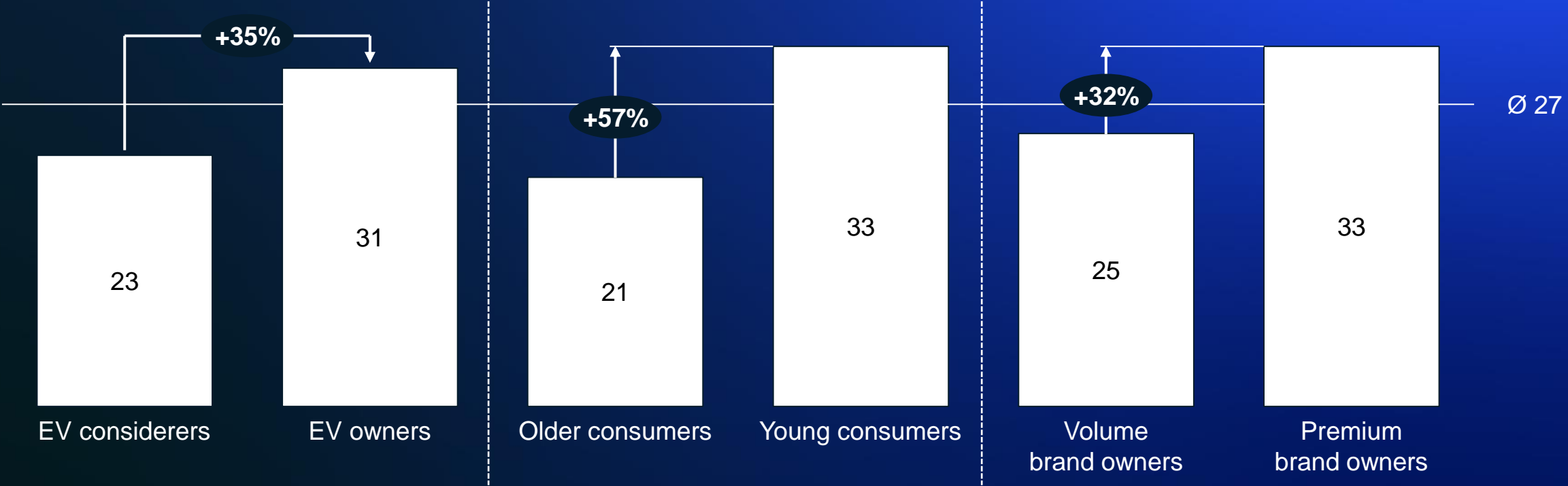
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# 27% of European consumers say they are likely to consider a Chinese electric vehicle brand



## Likelihood to consider purchasing an electric vehicle from a Chinese brand

Share of European respondents who own an EV or consider to do so in the future stating (very) likely



? How likely are you to buy an electric vehicle from a Chinese car brand some time in the future?

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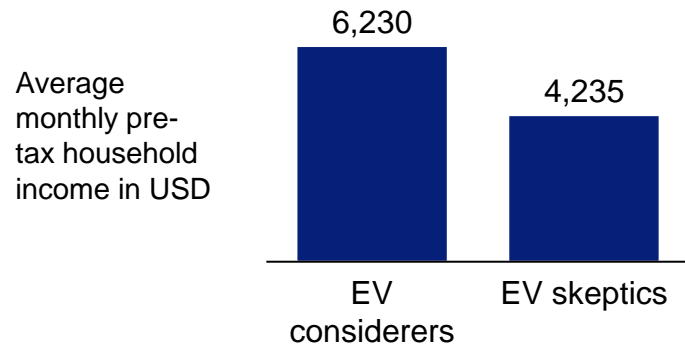
# EV buyers are younger, more urban and more tech-savvy



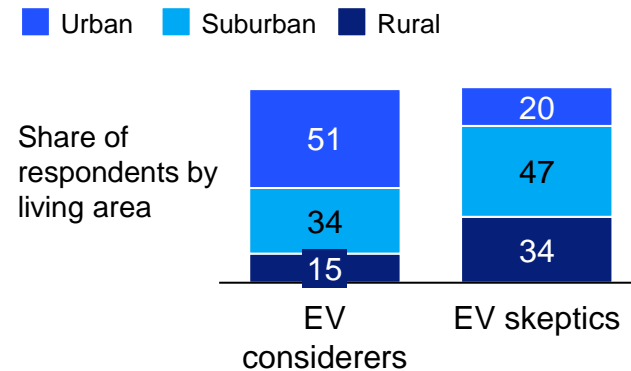
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Buyers who **consider an electric vehicle** at next purchase...

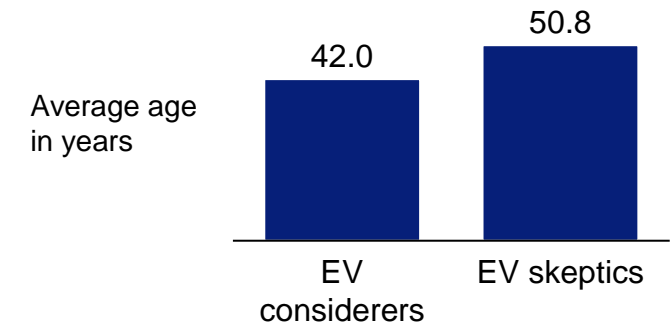
...have **higher disposable income**



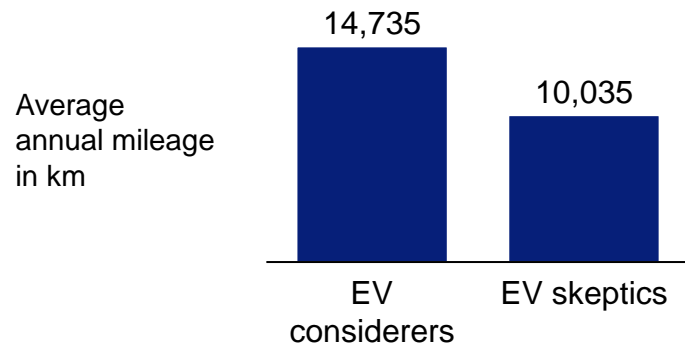
...tend to live **urban/downtown**



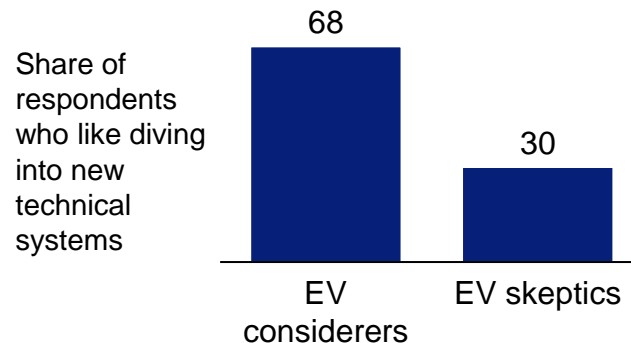
...are significantly **younger**



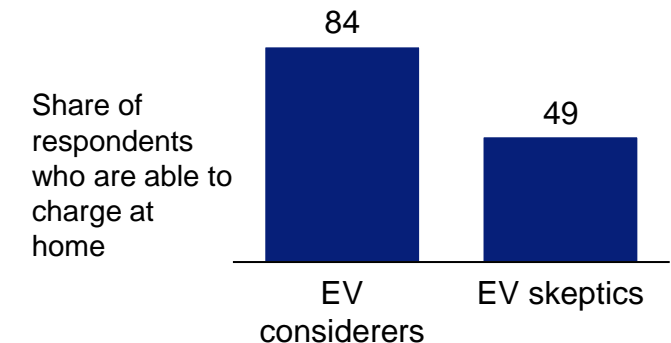
... drive **longer distances**



... are more **tech-savvy** customers



... can **charge at home**





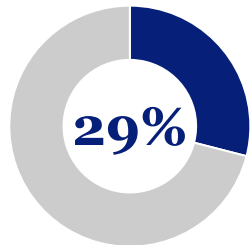
# Highest barriers for electric vehicle adoption are low familiarity with the technology and high perceived cost



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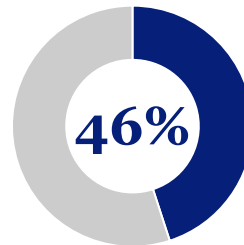
Reasons for consumers **not wanting to buy an electric vehicle**...

## Range anxiety



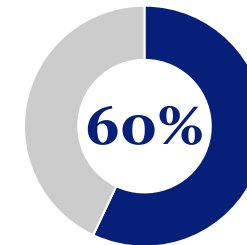
More than 1 in 4 EV skeptics have concerns around **insufficient range or charging infrastructure** – in China 42%

## Cost of ownership



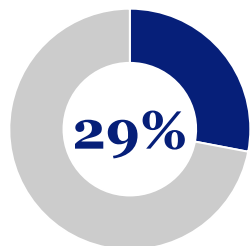
45% of EV skeptics **perceive cost of ownership as too high**, except for customers in Norway (29%) and China (9%)

## Familiarity with EVs



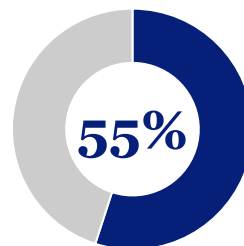
1 in 2 EV skeptics have never heard about EVs or **don't think they can explain what it is**, with lowest familiarity in Japan and France

## Ability to charge at home



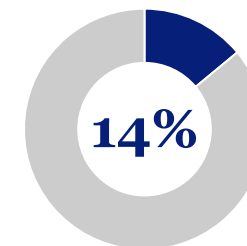
28% of EV skeptics say they have **no ability to charge at home**, highest in Japan (43%) and lowest in Brazil (15%)

## Technology skepticism



More than half of EV skeptics say they **don't like to occupy themselves with new technology**, in Australia even 63%

## Petrol heads

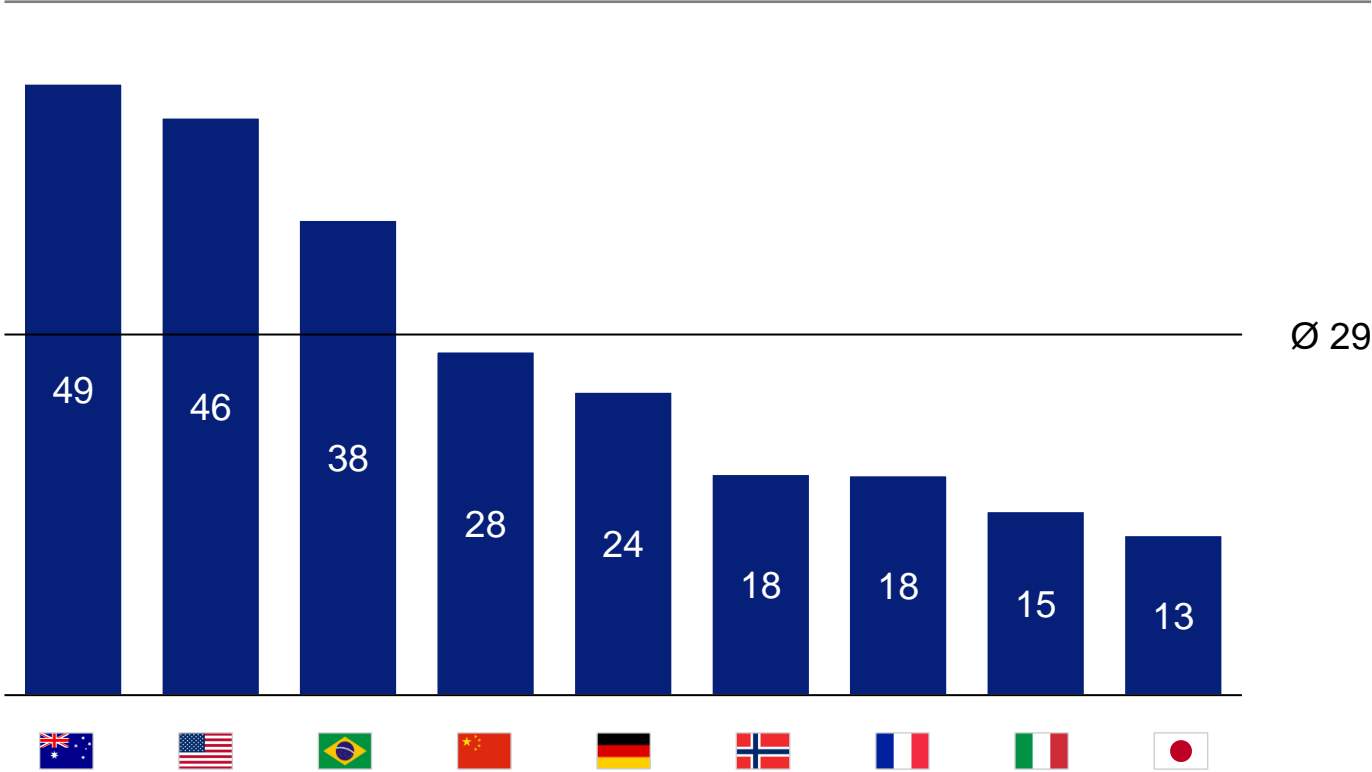


14% of EV skeptics **just enjoy driving a combustion engine car**, mostly in Germany (28%) and US (18%)

# 29% of EV owners globally likely to switch back to ICE, mostly because of difficulties with charging

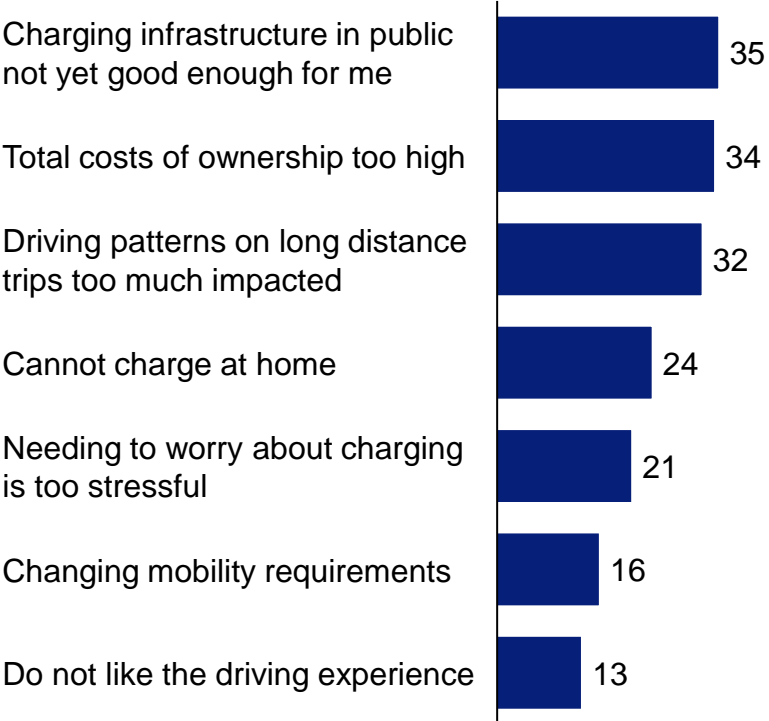
Share of EV owners (very) likely to switch back to ICE

## Likelihood of current EV owners to switch back to ICE



## Reasons to switch back to ICE

Global respondents



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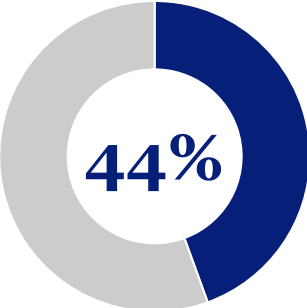
# The current economic situation is heavily impacting car purchase behaviors – online buying is becoming more important



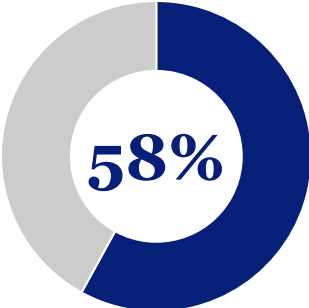
## Expected adjustments to next car purchase given current economic situation

Share of respondents (very) likely

### Postpone switch to electric vehicle



### Extend holding period of current car

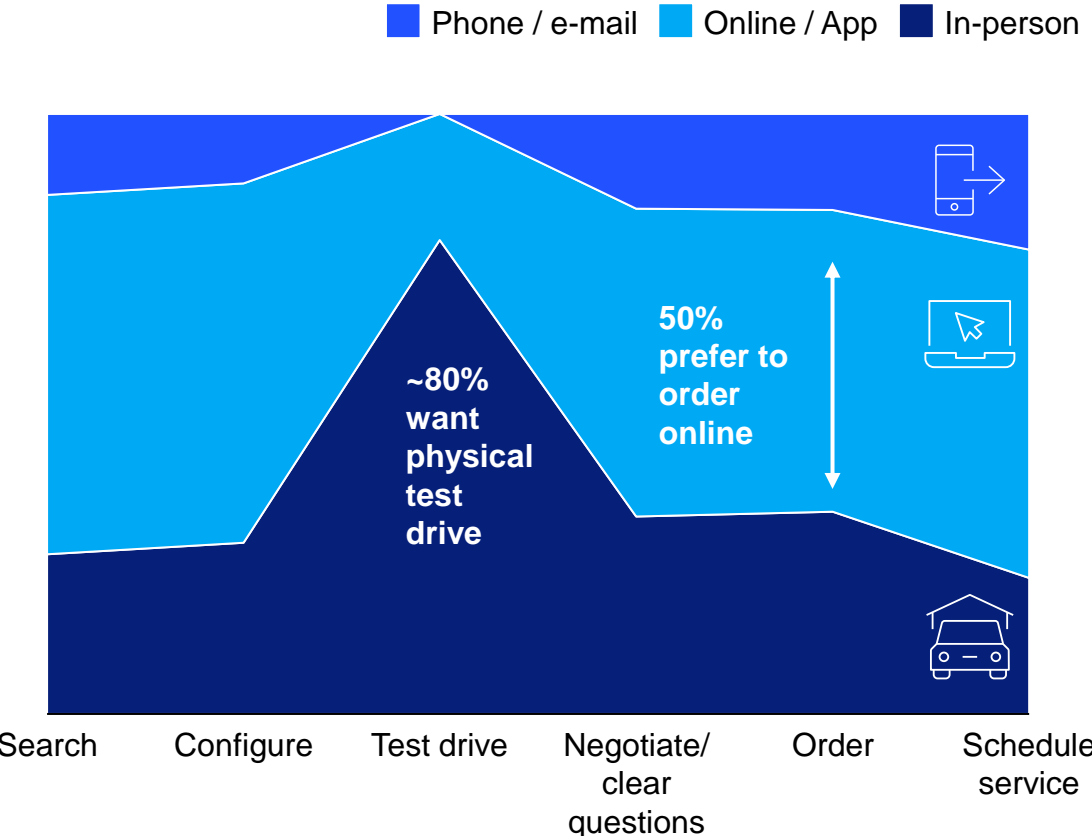


### Trade down at next purchase



## Preferred purchase channel for next electric vehicle

Share of US respondents who consider to own an electric vehicle in the future



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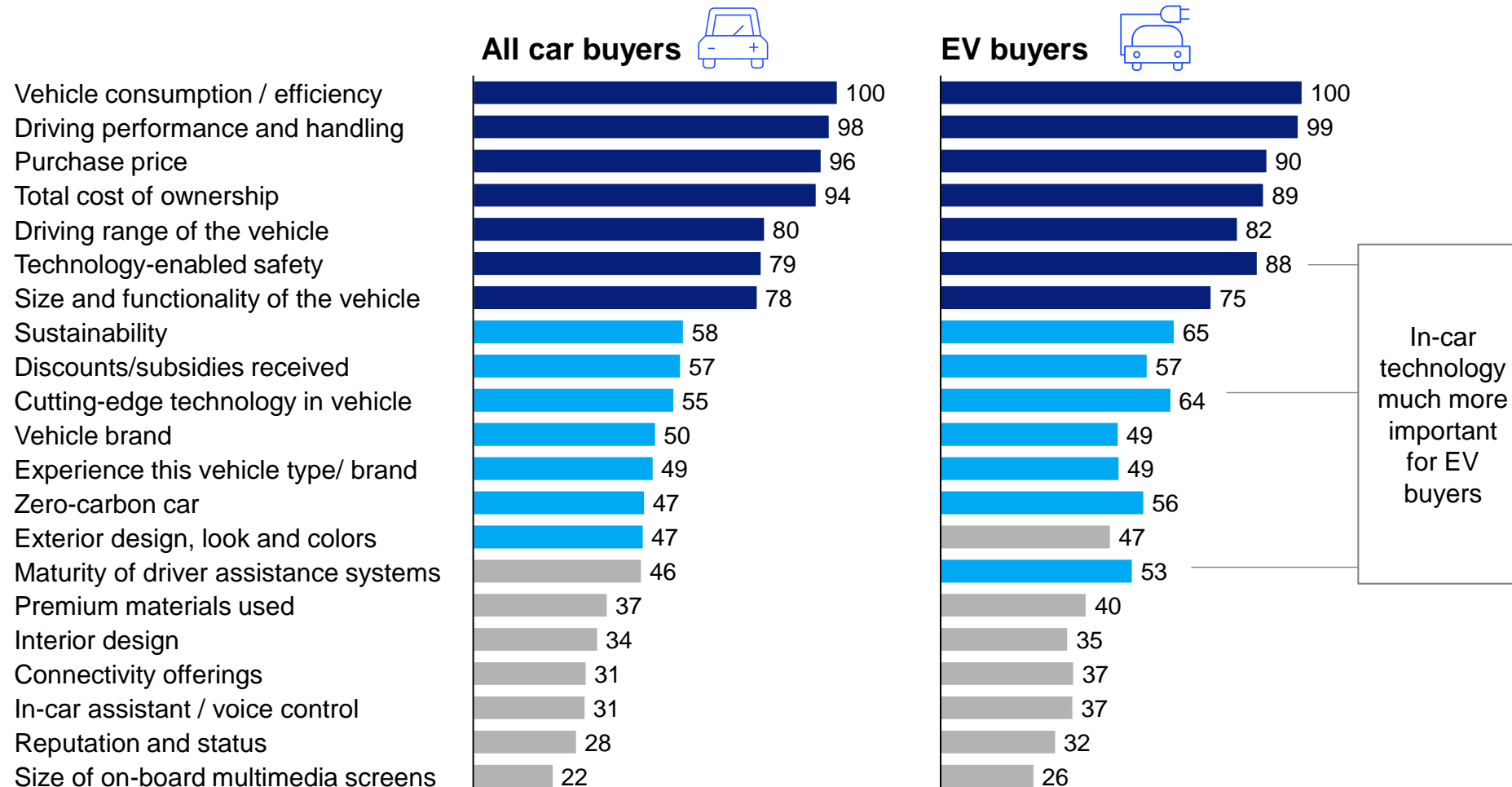
# Electric vehicle buyers consider in-car technology more important than the average car buyer



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## Key decision factors for next car purchase

Relative importance of factor indexed to 100



### Main purchase factors

Most important factors for car purchase decision, often driven by external constraints such as budget (price/ cost of ownership) and needs (vehicle size, range)

### Rounding out factors

Factors that influence the purchase decision, after basic requirements are met → central playing field for differentiation

### Non-essential factors

Elements that do not influence car purchase decision

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# Satisfaction with charging availability has improved slightly, but still has a long way to go

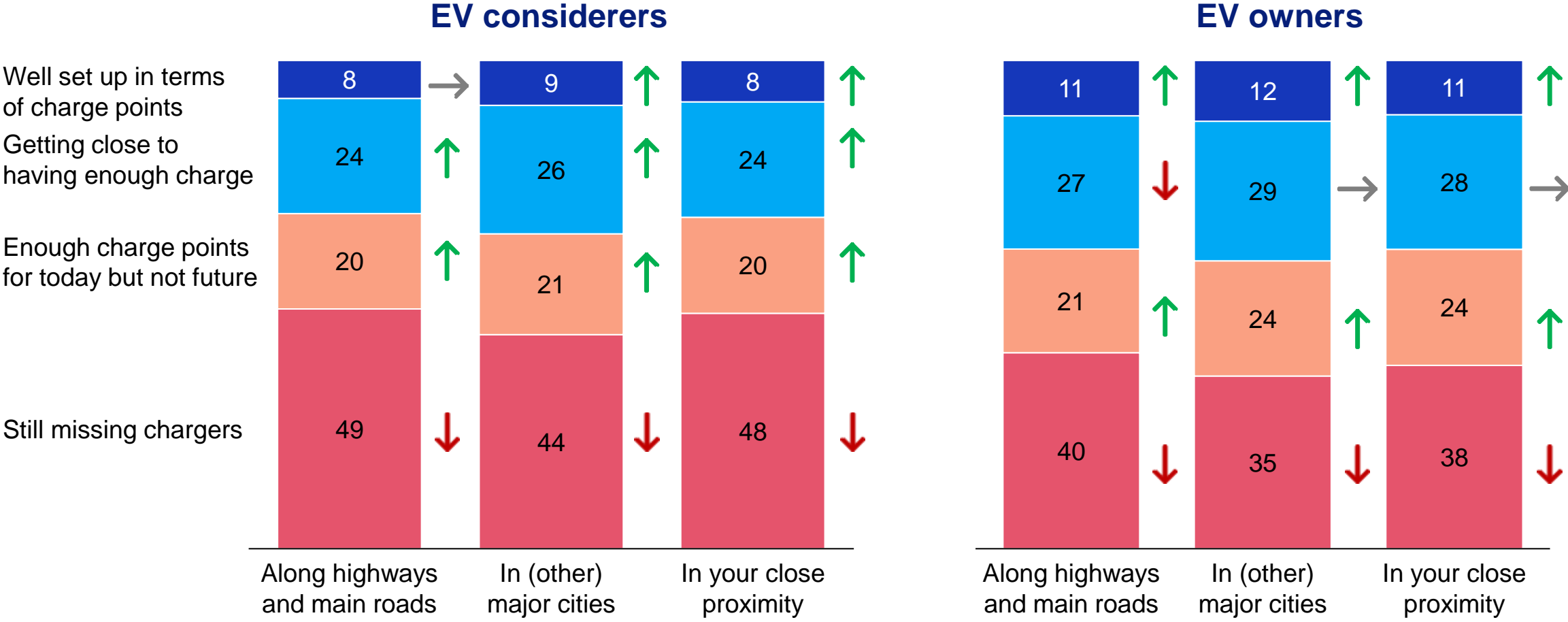


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↑↓ Trend since 2022

## Perception of charging infrastructure readiness

Share of respondents globally



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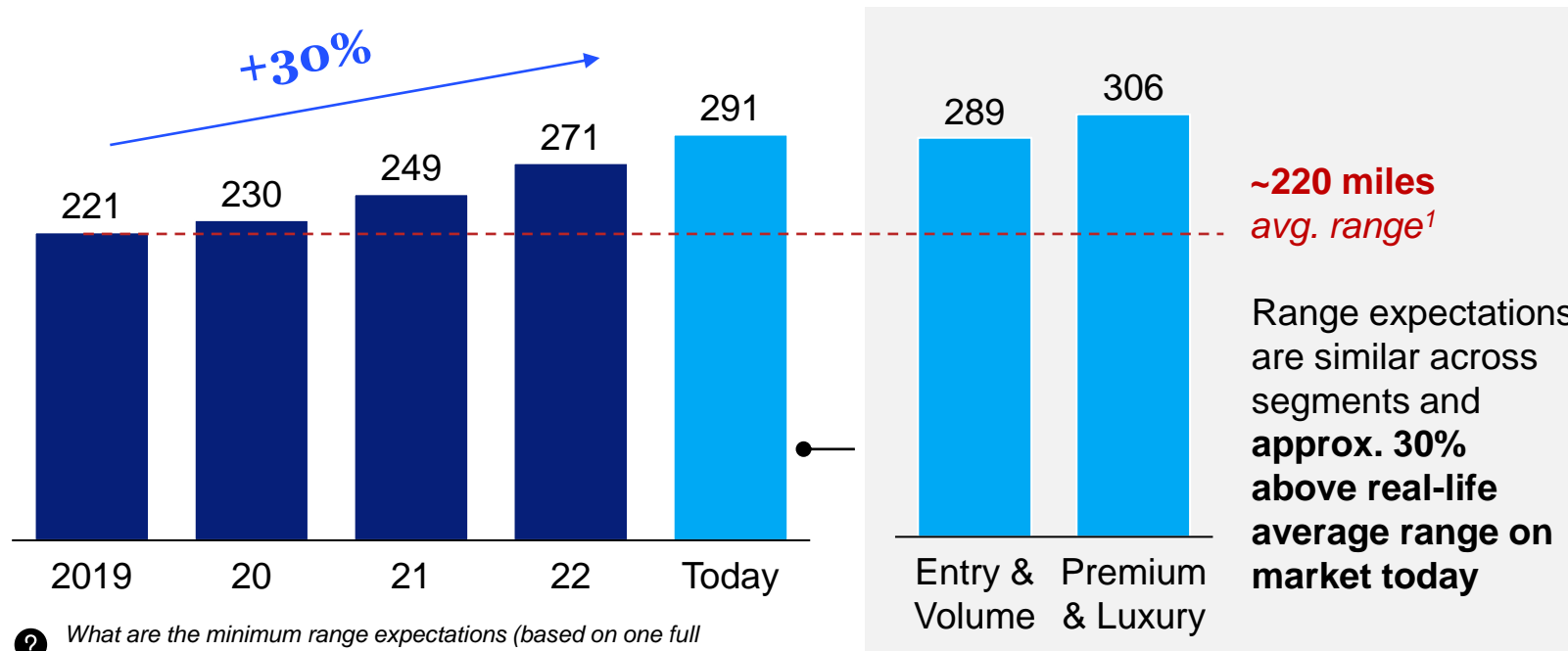
# Battery range expectations have been increasing over time – up 30% over last 5 years



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## BEV battery range expectations historically and by segment

For respondents considering to get an electric vehicle, in miles



1. Real life range with assumed mix of city, country and highway driving

## Additional Insights

Range expectations have been increasing over time (+ ~30% in the past 5 years) and are **outpacing actual range improvements**: Since 2022 consumers demand 5% more range, while actual range increased by only 2%

Consumers who want to buy an EV as a secondary vehicle have almost **identical range expectations as those who are looking for a primary vehicle**

47%

of EV considerers say that current EV driving range prevents them from purchasing one



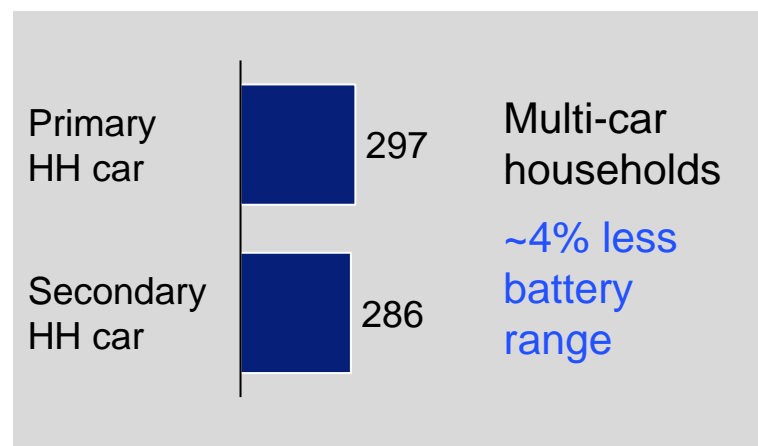
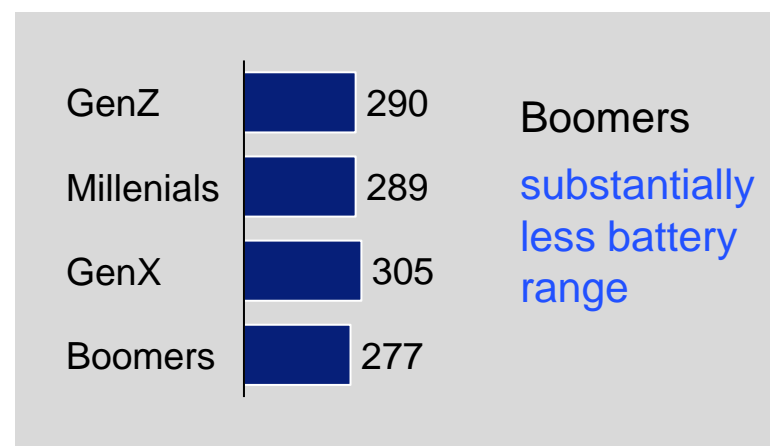
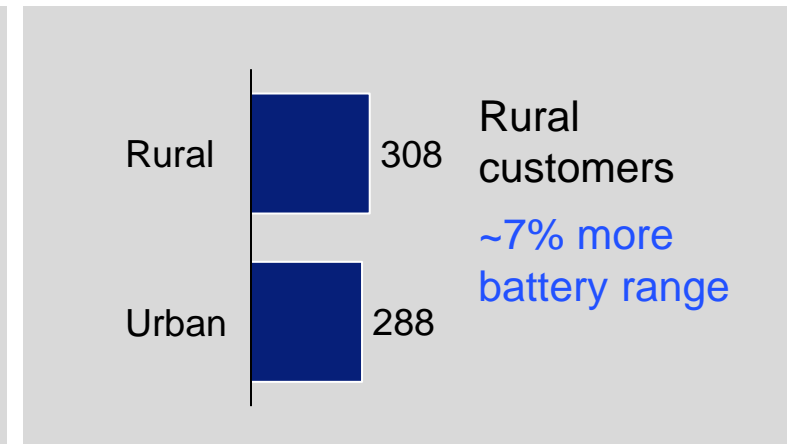
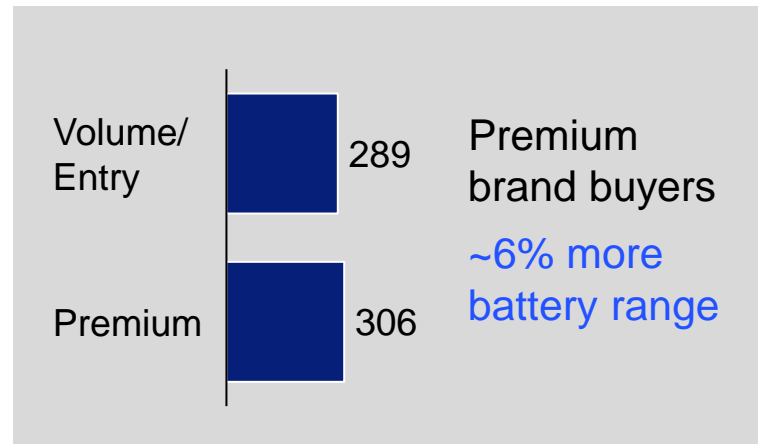
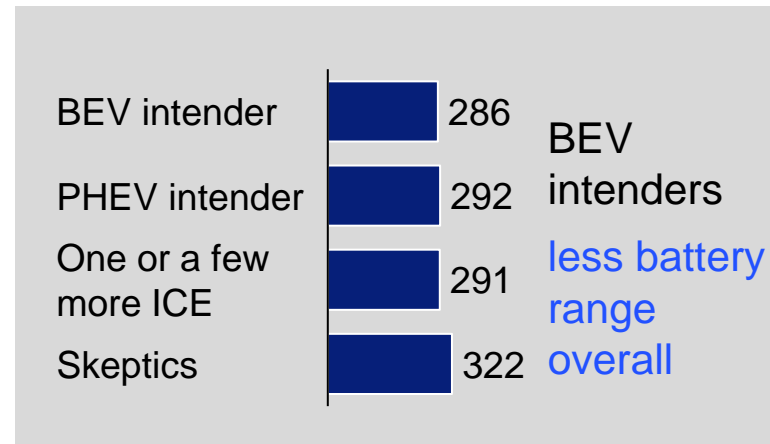
# EV skepticism and age are strongest influencing factors for battery range expectations



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## Battery range requirements for customers to be willing to switch from ICE to EV

Battery range in miles, global average battery range requirement of 291 miles



**1 of 2**

*of EV considerers says they are anxious about buying an EV because of limited driving range*

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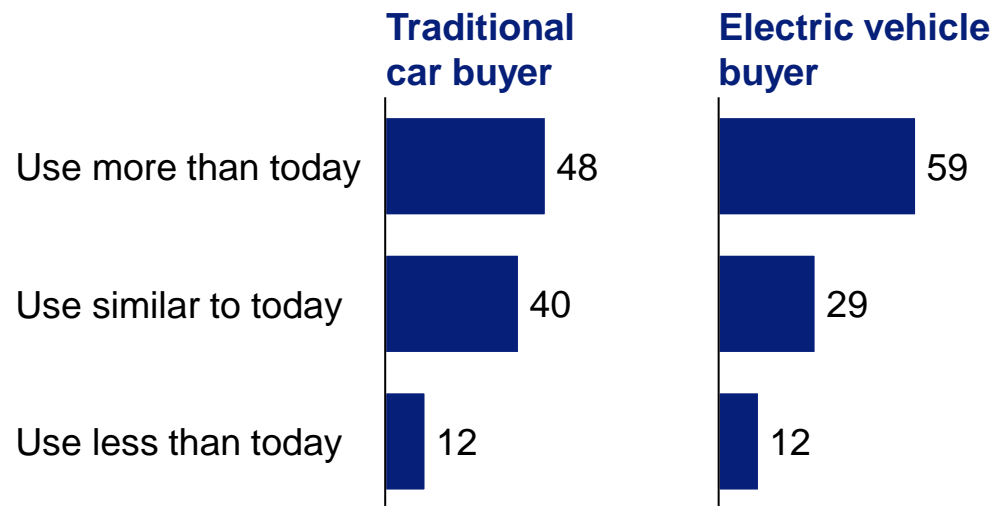
# Consumers looking to increase usage of digital services in their car significantly – yet only 20% are satisfied with today’s offering



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## Future usage of in-car connectivity solutions

Share of respondents

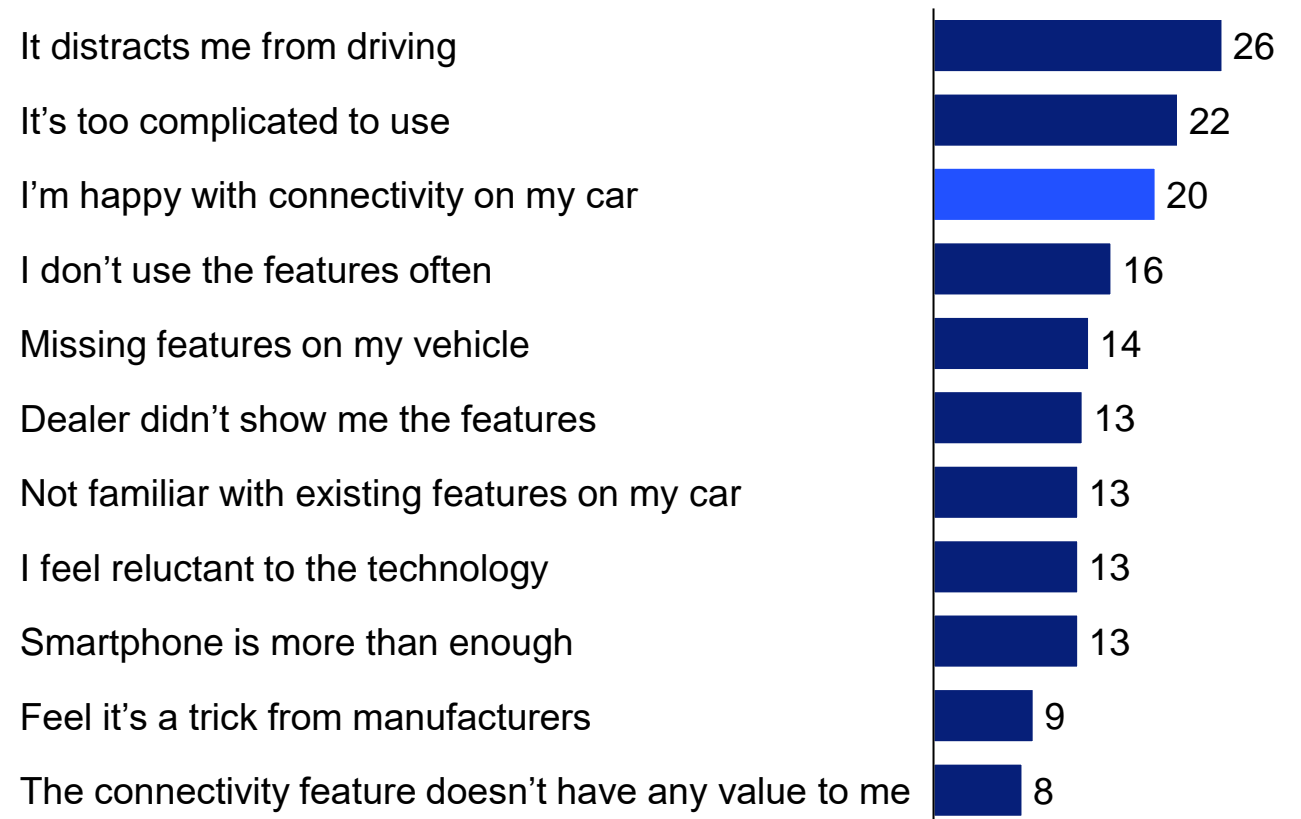


**only 20%**

of consumers are satisfied with their current in-car connectivity offerings

## Pain points of digital car solutions and connectivity offers

Share of respondents

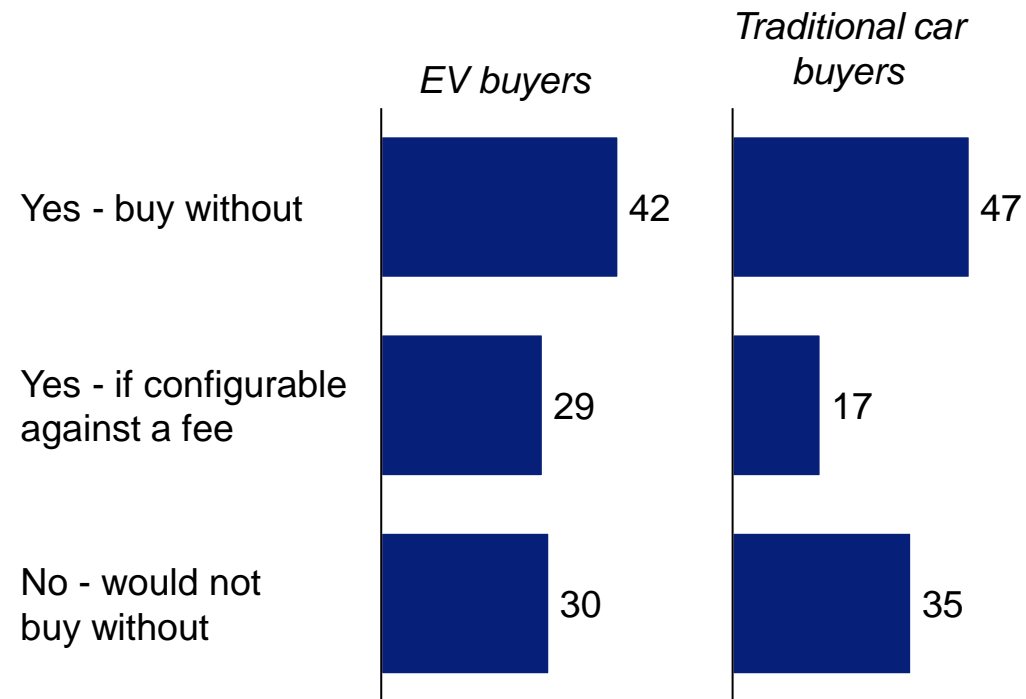


# Majority of car buyers anchors on smartphone integration systems as default connectivity experience



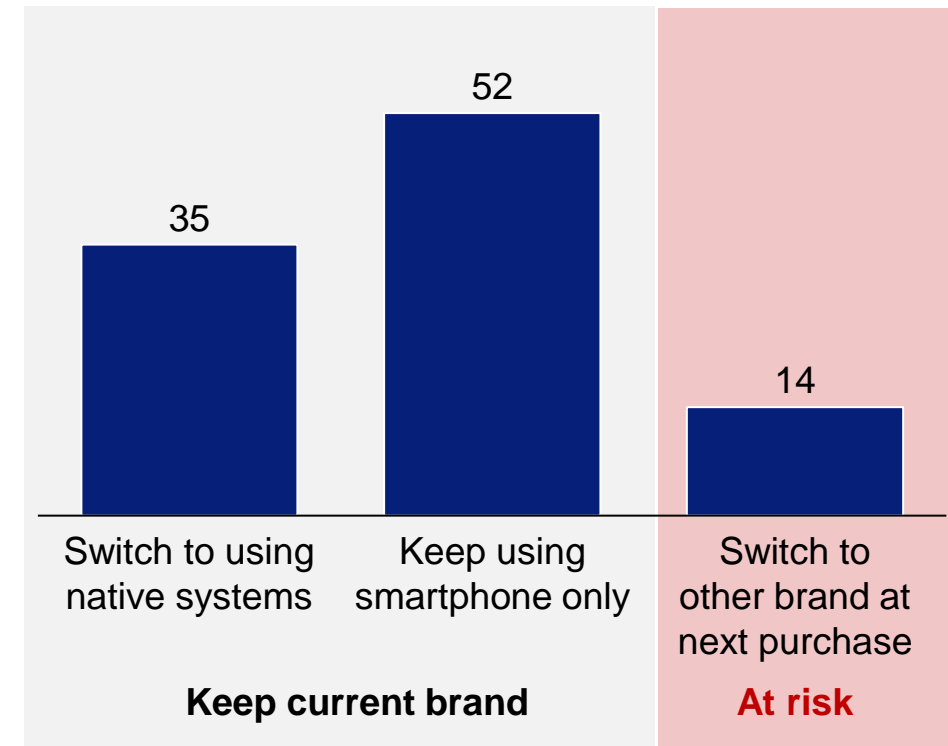
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1 out of 3 car buyers **would not buy a car without smartphone integration**, another 20-30% is open to pay for it



? Would you buy a car that has no automatic smartphone integration interface as part of its base vehicle specification?

Only **35% of customers** would **switch to using native system** if smartphone integration was cut – **14% at risk for switching brand**



? What would you do, if smartphone integration was no longer available in your car to project your smartphone content?

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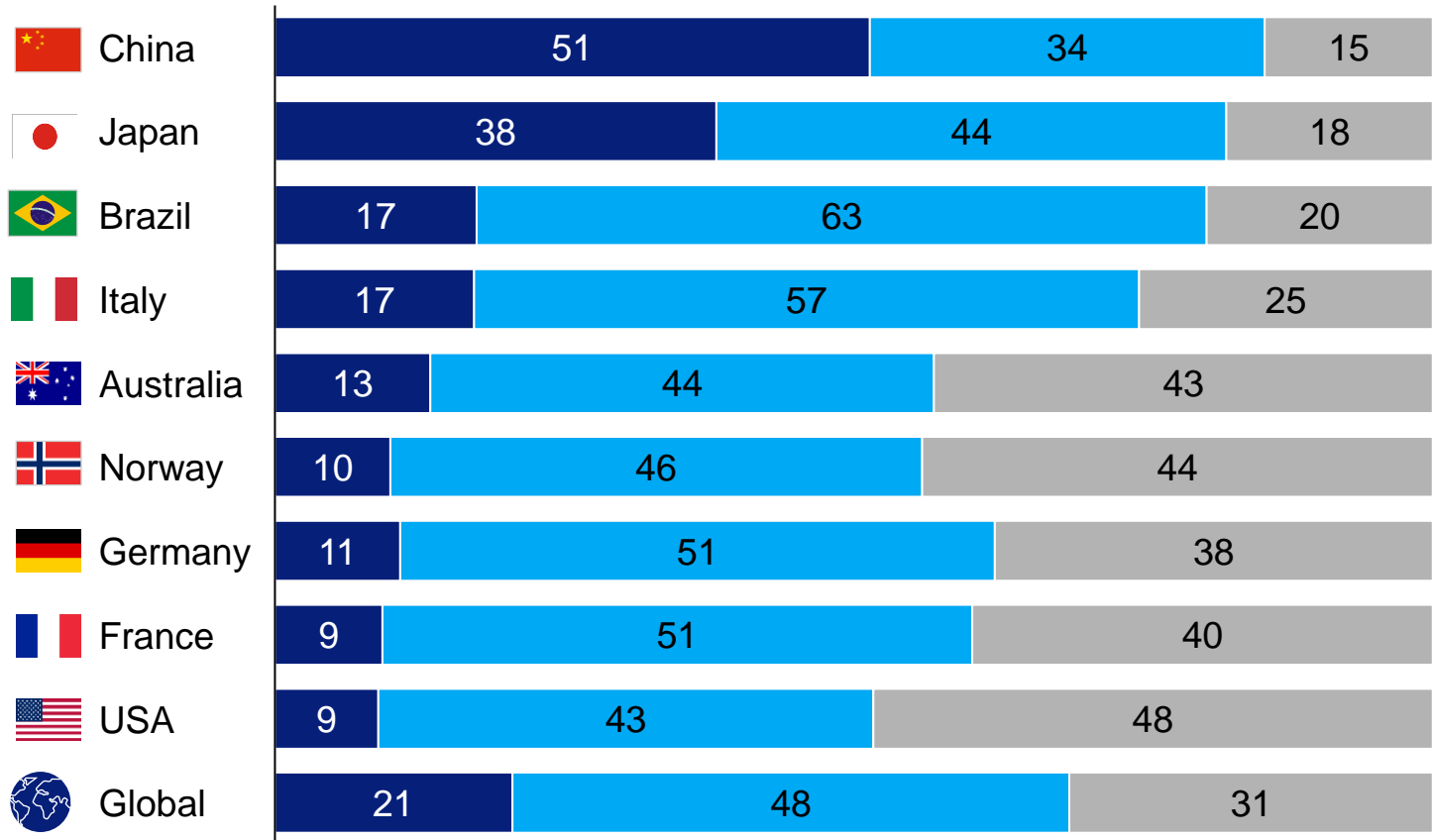
General mobility patterns, urban and micromobility

# Driver assistance features as core purchase factor for 21% of global car buyers

■ Main purchase factor (1-7) 
 ■ Rounding-out purchase factor (8-14) 
 ■ Non-essential purchase factor (15-21)

## Importance of driver assistance features for car purchase

Share of respondents



## 3 groups of car buyers regarding driver assistance features

### Fans

Mature driver assistance features are among **main purchase factors**

### Considerers

Driver assistance features are **rounding out purchase factors**, car purchase decision is determined by other factors

### Agnostics

Driver assistance features are **non-essential purchase factors**

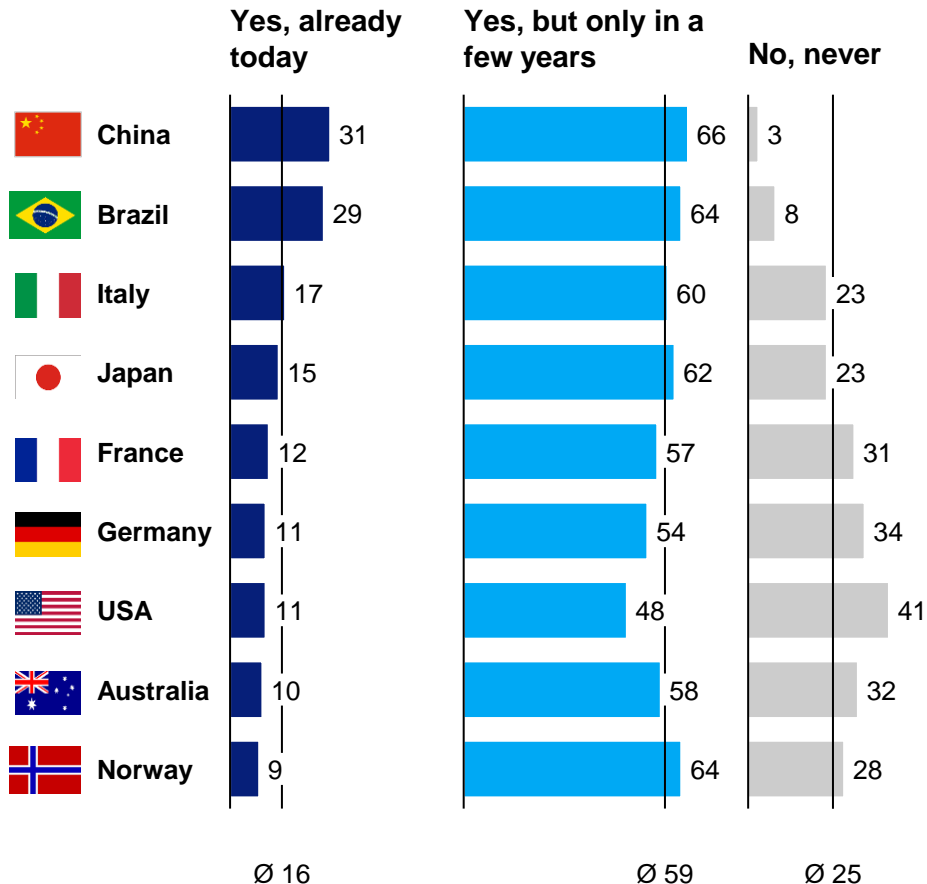
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# Overall readiness to adopt autonomous driving technology varies across markets, safety is the biggest concern

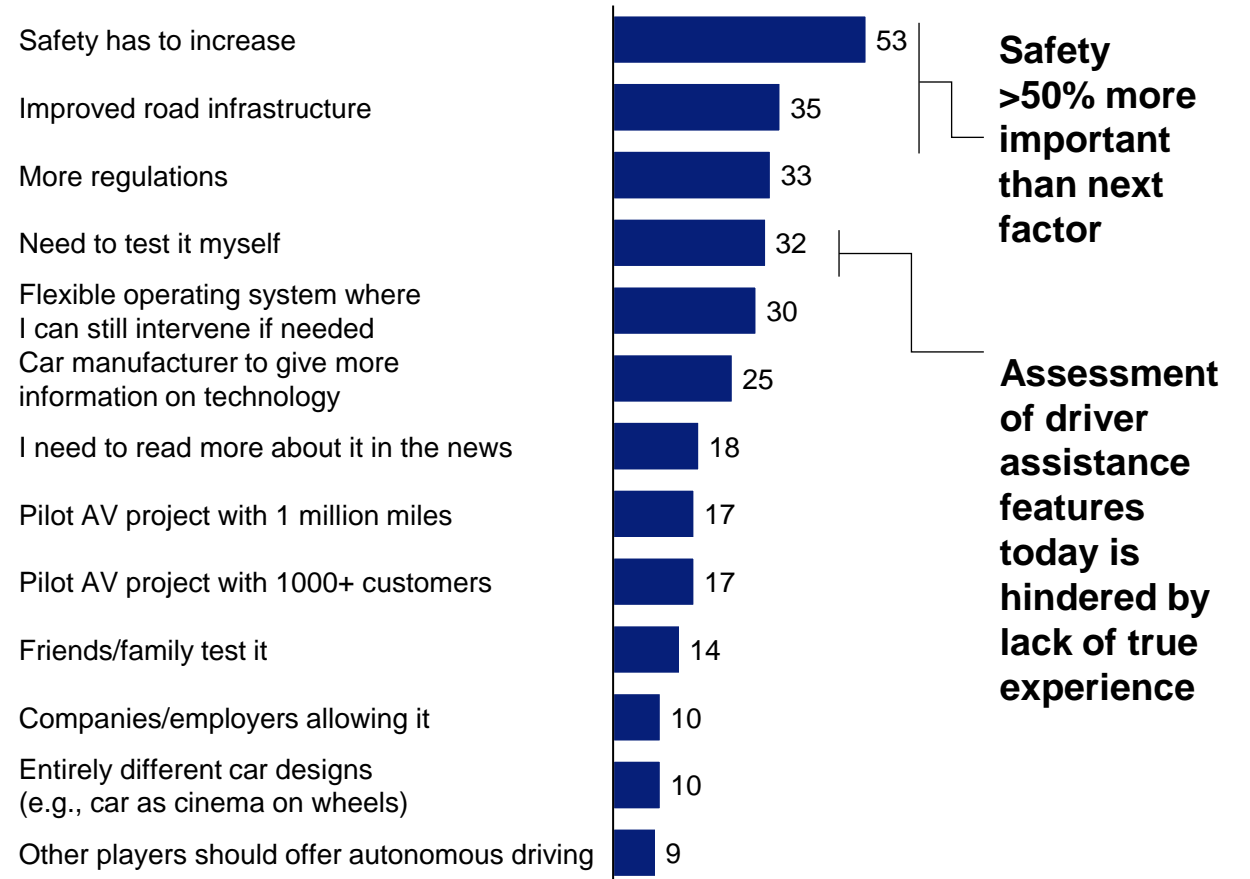
## Agreement to government legalization of fully autonomous cars on the roads

Share of respondents



## Main roadblocks to adopt autonomous driving technology

Share of global respondents



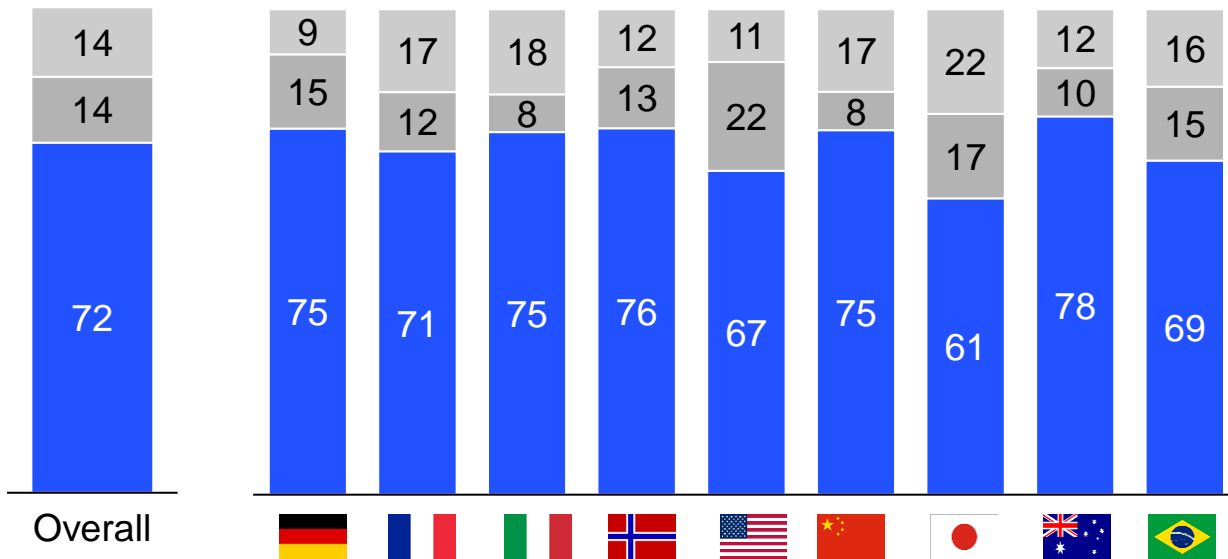


# Majority of urban mobility users is open to using shared autonomous shuttles

## Consideration to use shared autonomous shuttles

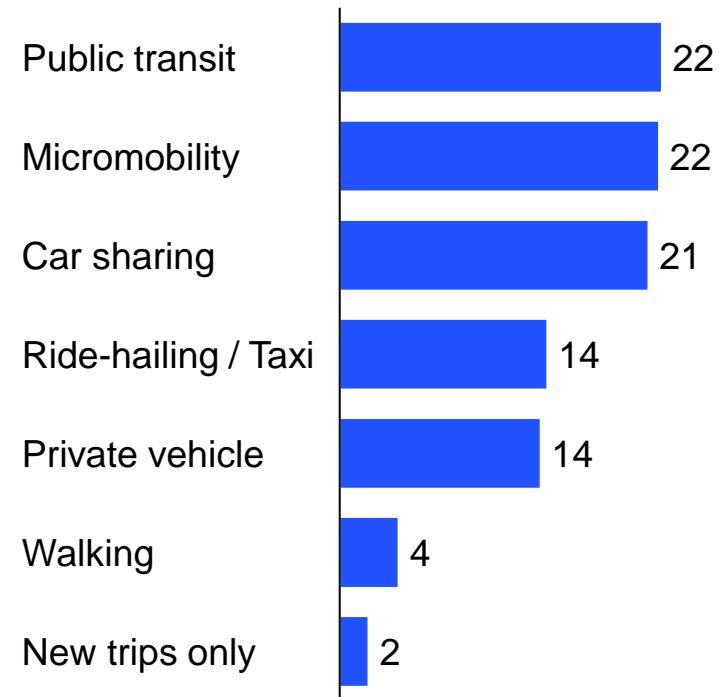
Share of urban respondents

■ Yes 
 ■ No - privacy concern 
 ■ No - travel time concern



## Mobility mode replaced by shared AV shuttles

Share of global urban respondents who consider using AV shuttles



? Would you share a Robo-shuttle service with 4-8 passengers if it would add not more than 10-15% to your travel time and saved you 50% of the cost?

? Which transport mode are you currently using for the trips that you plan to use a robo-shuttle for in the future?

# Consumers are open towards autonomous taxi services and most expect to pay less than for a traditional taxi

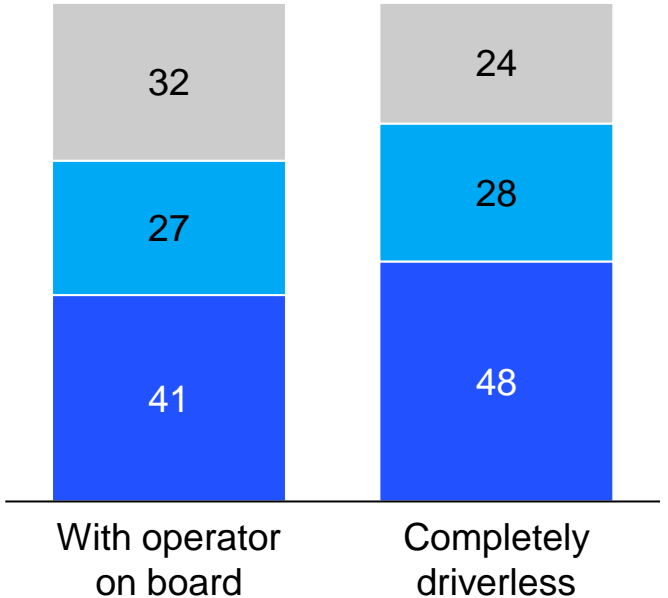


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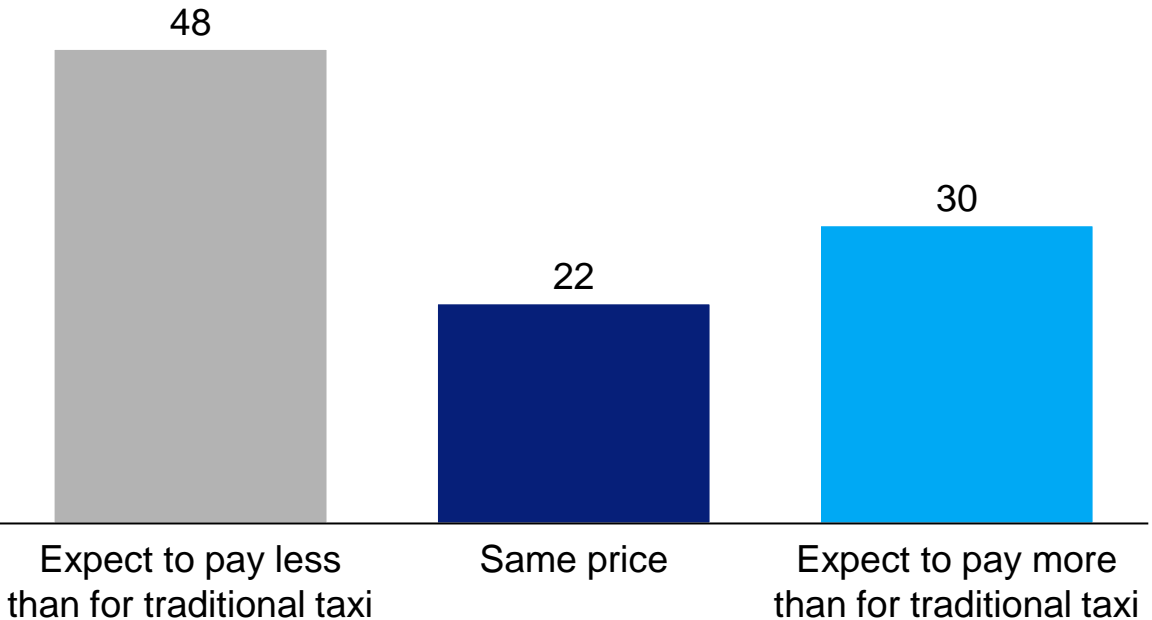
Share of respondents

(Very) likely   Rather likely   Not likely



## Price expectation for autonomous taxis vs. traditional taxi

Share of respondents who consider using



? Provided the technology is safe and service operations are reliably established, how likely are you to use autonomous taxi services?

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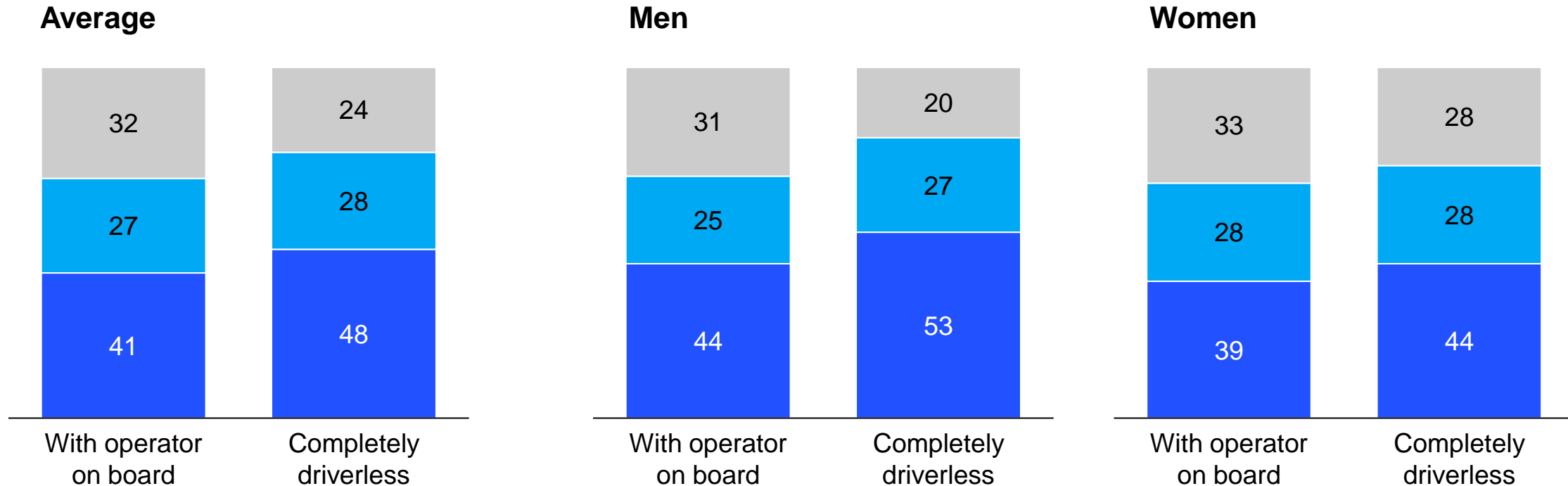


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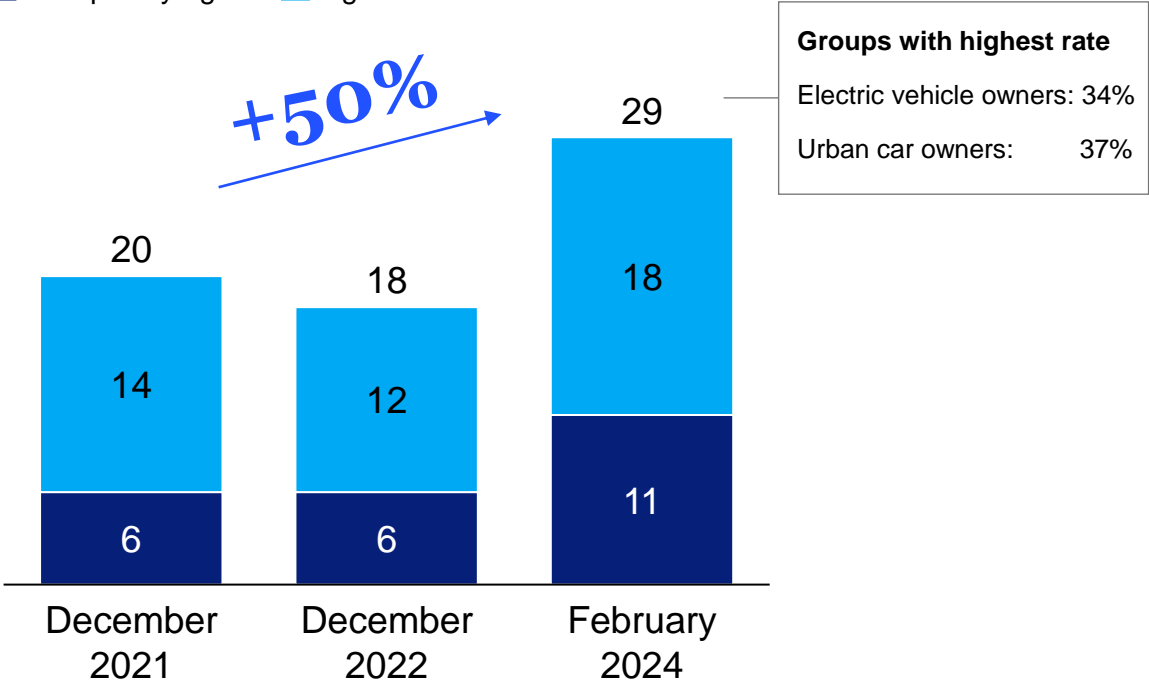


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“Within the next 10 years, I will **replace my private vehicle completely** with other forms of transport.”

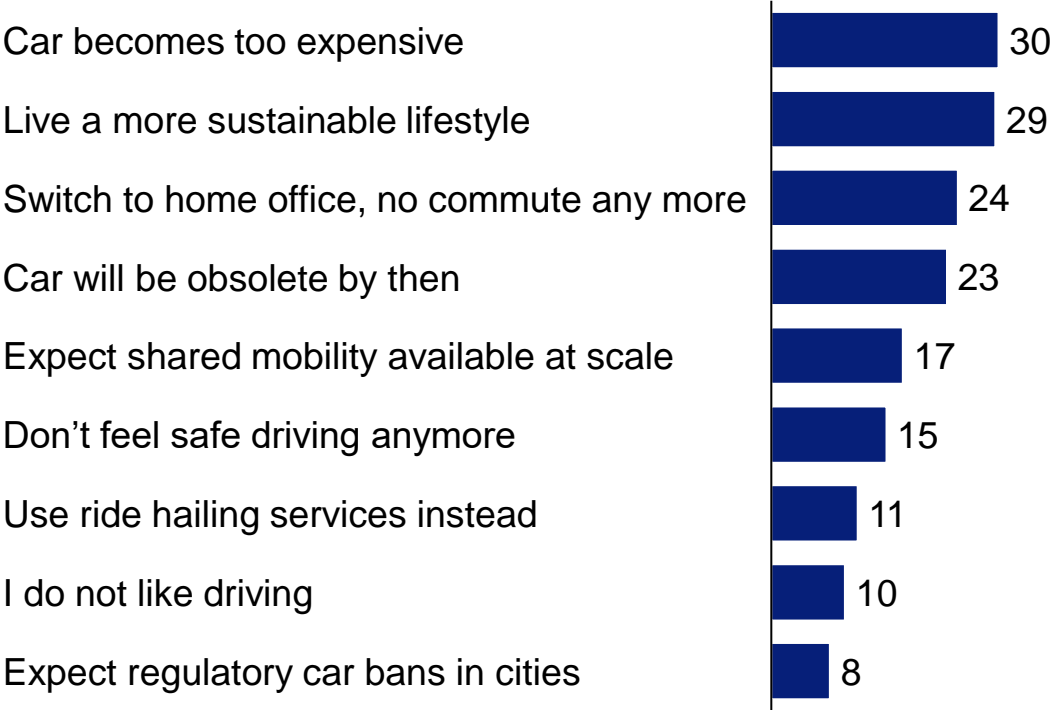
Share of respondents, who own a car

■ Completely agree ■ Agree



## Main reasons to replace car entirely in the future

Share of respondents, who own a car



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# Stop counting cars and start counting users – classical ownership shifts to an access and usership mindset



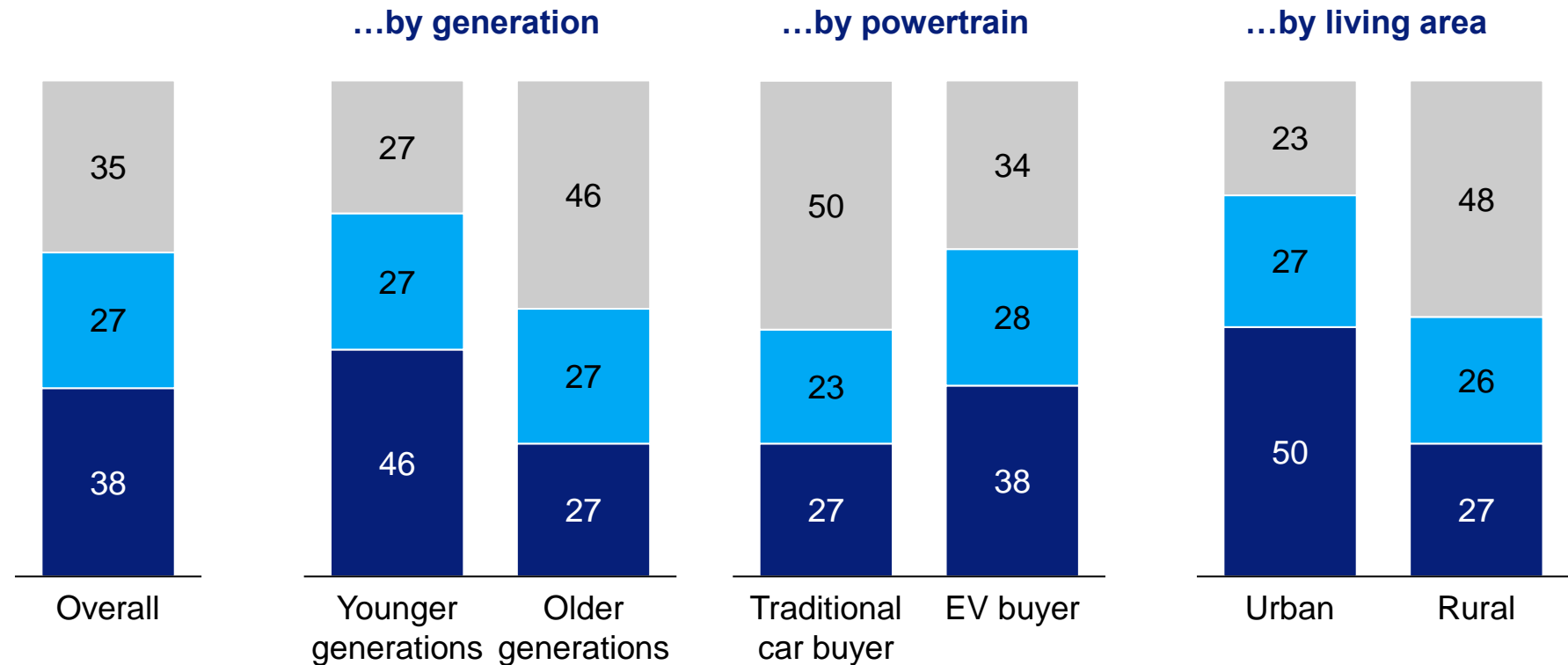
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## Consumer sentiment on flexible mobility ownership

Share of respondents

■ Do not agree 
 ■ Rather agree 
 ■ (Completely) agree

*Within the next 10 years, I want **flexible usership models** to be in place so that I **only pay for the rides I take with a private vehicle.***



# The McKinsey Mobility Consumer Pulse listens to the consumer heartbeat across the main future mobility themes

## On-demand mobility consumer insights

100,000+ consumer data points each year to gauge future mobility consumer sentiment

### Regular global mobility consumer pulse

Regular primary consumer research using online panels: thematic deep dives every two months, one big annual survey

Collecting more than 100,000 consumer data points each year – covering wide range of mobility topics across B2C/B2B ecosystem

Working together with world-class consumer research agencies

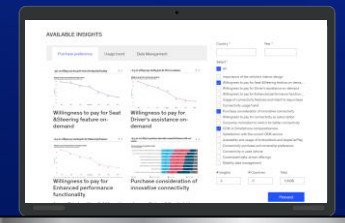
### Integrated MCFM consumer data lake

One data lake with harmonized data structure and labeling across the best of our MCFM consumer knowledge

Central access to historic trajectories of more than 5 years on selected dimensions to capture consumer trends and speed of mobility evolution

### Tableau-based analytics interfaces for rapid data access

Tableau Workbench tools as flexible data exploration and analytics interface to rapidly work with mobility consumer data



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