

International levels of trust in individual professional groups

Professional group	All countries 2010	All countries 2009	Country where level of trust is highest	In %	Country where level of trust is lowest	In %
Proportion in % that trust the professional group in question						
Fire service	94	92	Sweden/Czech Republic	98	Romania	91
Teachers	84	85	Spain/Portugal	92	Italy	75
Doctors	84	81	Spain	93	Romania	74
Postal workers	82	81	Hungary	95	Belgium	69
Military	81	81	Romania	88	Belgium	57
Police	75	61	Germany	86	Romania	54
Environmental protection organizations	62	64	Portugal	84	France	57
Judges	62	57	Germany	83	Bulgaria	32
Charities	59	60	Spain	75	Bulgaria	45
Civil servants	58	57	Portugal	70	Italy	38
Clergy	58	66	Romania	86	France	33
Market researchers	55	55	Hungary	79	France	49
Lawyers	46	47	Germany	72	Bulgaria	31
Bankers	42	37	Germany	57	Italy	24
Trade unions	42	43	Netherlands	65	Italy/Bulgaria	31
Journalists	41	41	Portugal	66	UK	21
Marketing specialists	33	39	Portugal	64	France	22
Managers	31	33	Bulgaria	51	Germany	17
Advertising specialists	29	28	Romania	50	Sweden	15
Politicians	14	18	Netherlands	32	Italy	7

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