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# REPORT

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## **PART I**

## **VOTE-BUYING AND THE CONTROLLED VOTE**

# Election monitoring: basic components

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- I. Monitoring diary** – registration of violations and complaints submitted to the Precinct Election Commissions on election day
  - II. Documentary analysis** – of complaints submitted to DEC about election-day violations
  - III. Risk assessment** – monitoring of risk processes during election campaign, including received signals by citizens
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# Election monitoring: outreach

	<b>EP ELECTIONS</b>	<b>BGNA ELECTIONS</b>
<b>Total number of registered observers</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>418</b>
<b>◆observers in PEC</b>	<b>267</b>	<b>387</b>
<b>◆Observers in DEC</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>31</b>
<b>Network of NGOs for risk assessment</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>27</b>
<b>Information channels</b>	<b>Free telephone hotline E-mail</b>	<b>Free telephone hotline E-mail</b>

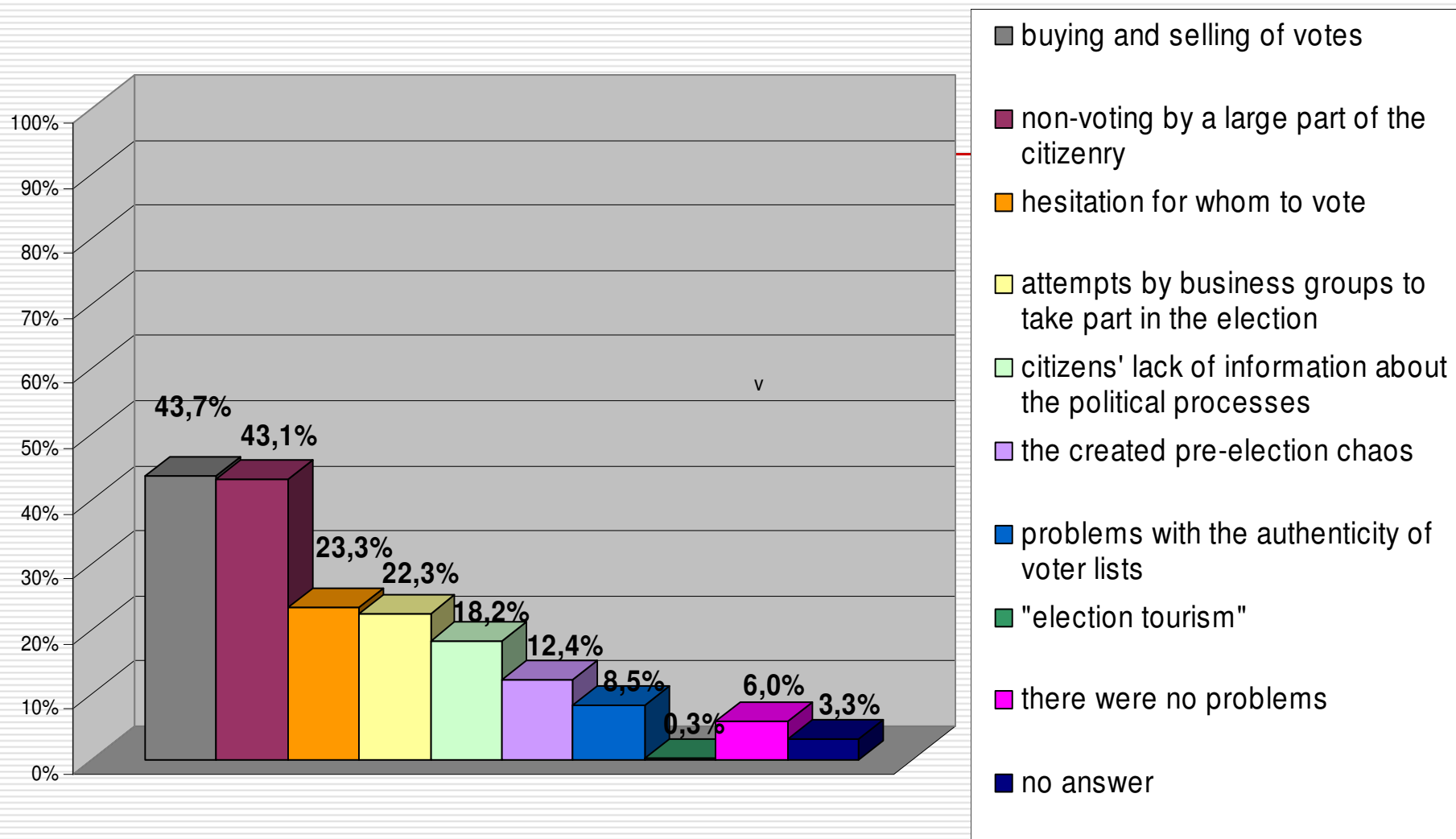
# Election monitoring: registered signals

<b>Total registered signals</b>	<b>EP ELECTIONS</b>	<b>BGNA ELECTIONS</b>
◆ <b>Monitoring in PEC</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>173</b>
◆ <b>Complaints in DEC</b>	<b>211</b>	<b>295</b>
◆ <b>Free telephone hotline</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>111</b>

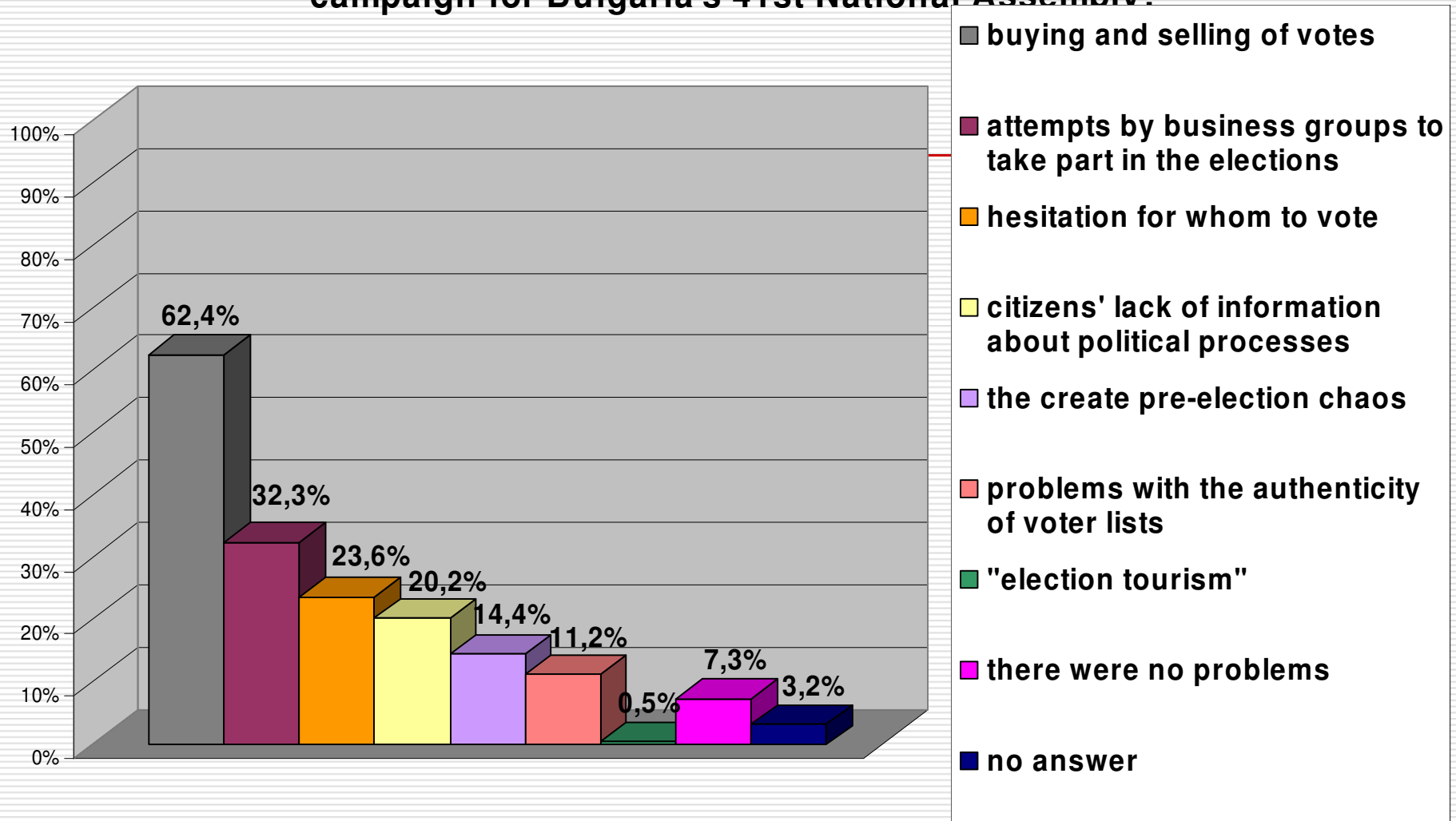
# Typology of registered irregularities and violations

Total registered signals	EP ELECTIONS	BGNA ELECTIONS
◆ organisational violations	63%	51,81%
◆ Illegal advertising	17,1%	20,47%
◆ vote-buying	9,3%	11,51%
◆ Other forms of controlled vote	10,6%	16,2%

## Which was the most serious problem during the campaign for the European Parliament election?

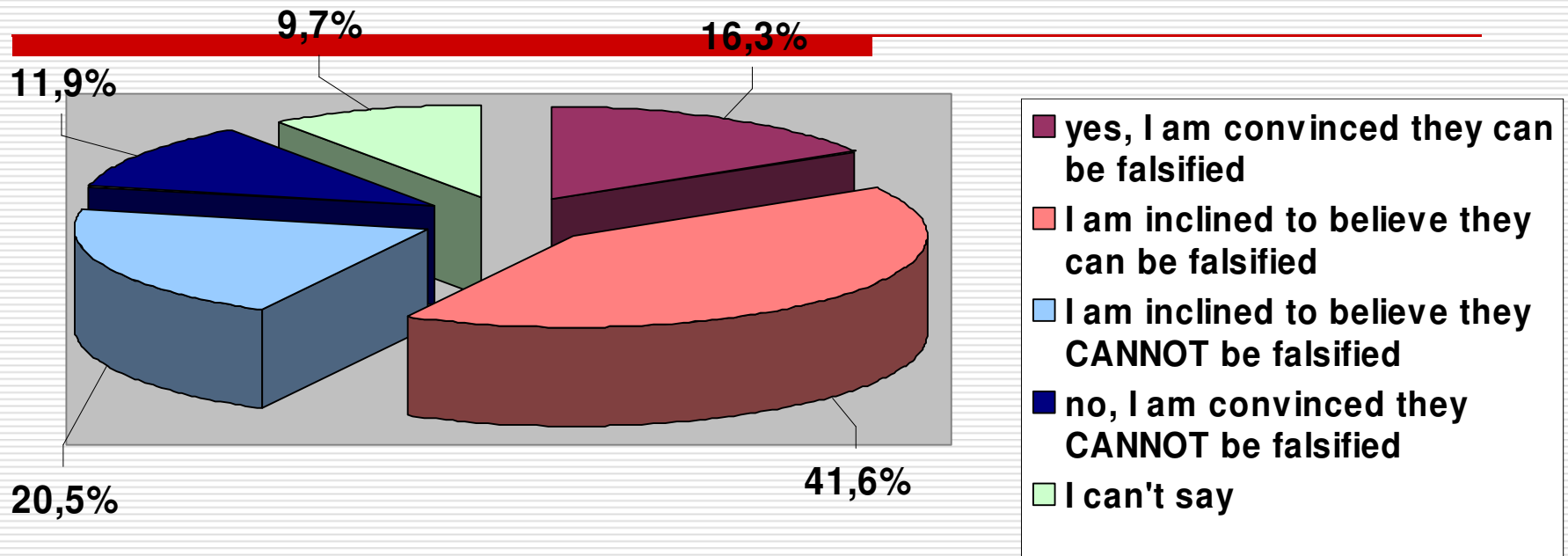


## Which was the most serious problem during the election campaign for Bulgaria's 41st National Assembly?



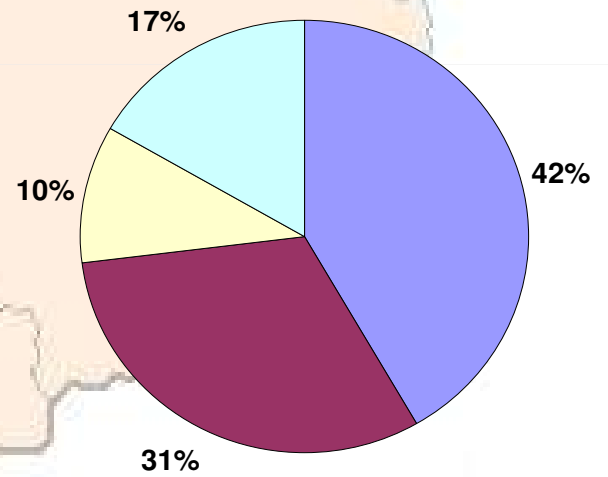
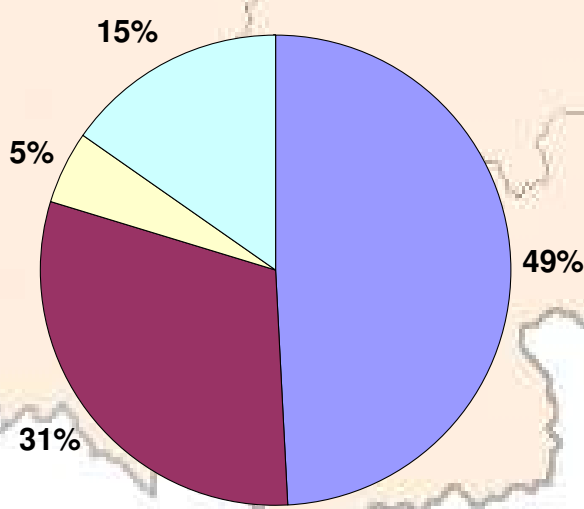
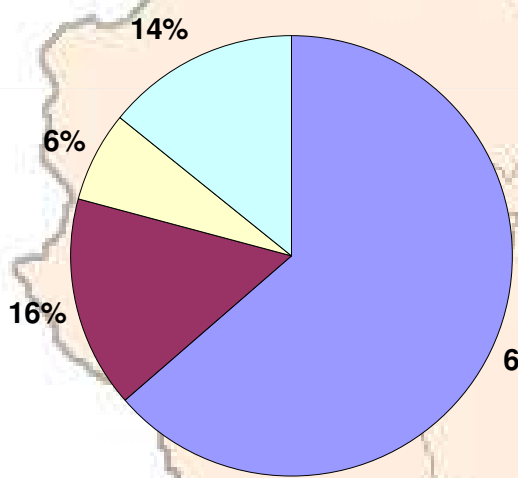
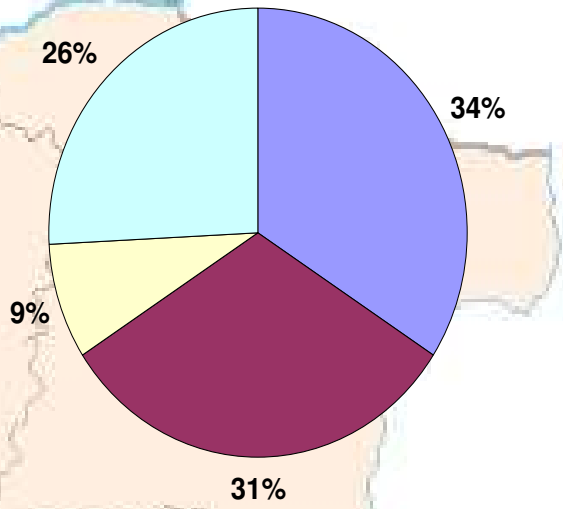
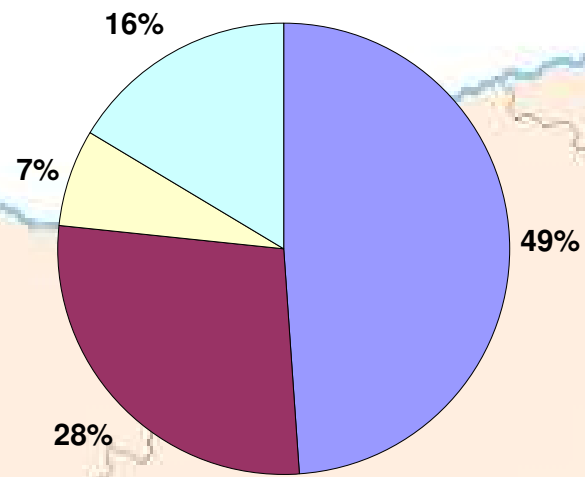
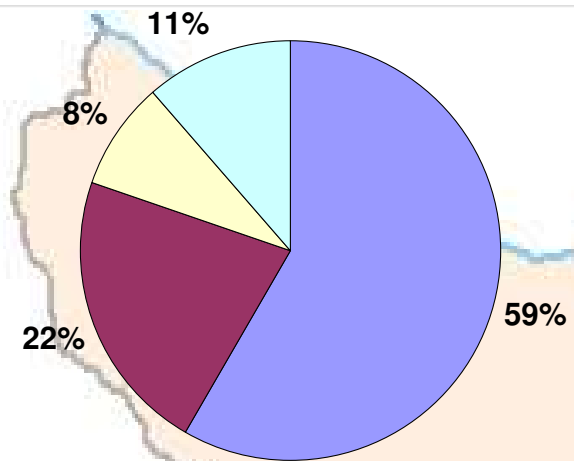


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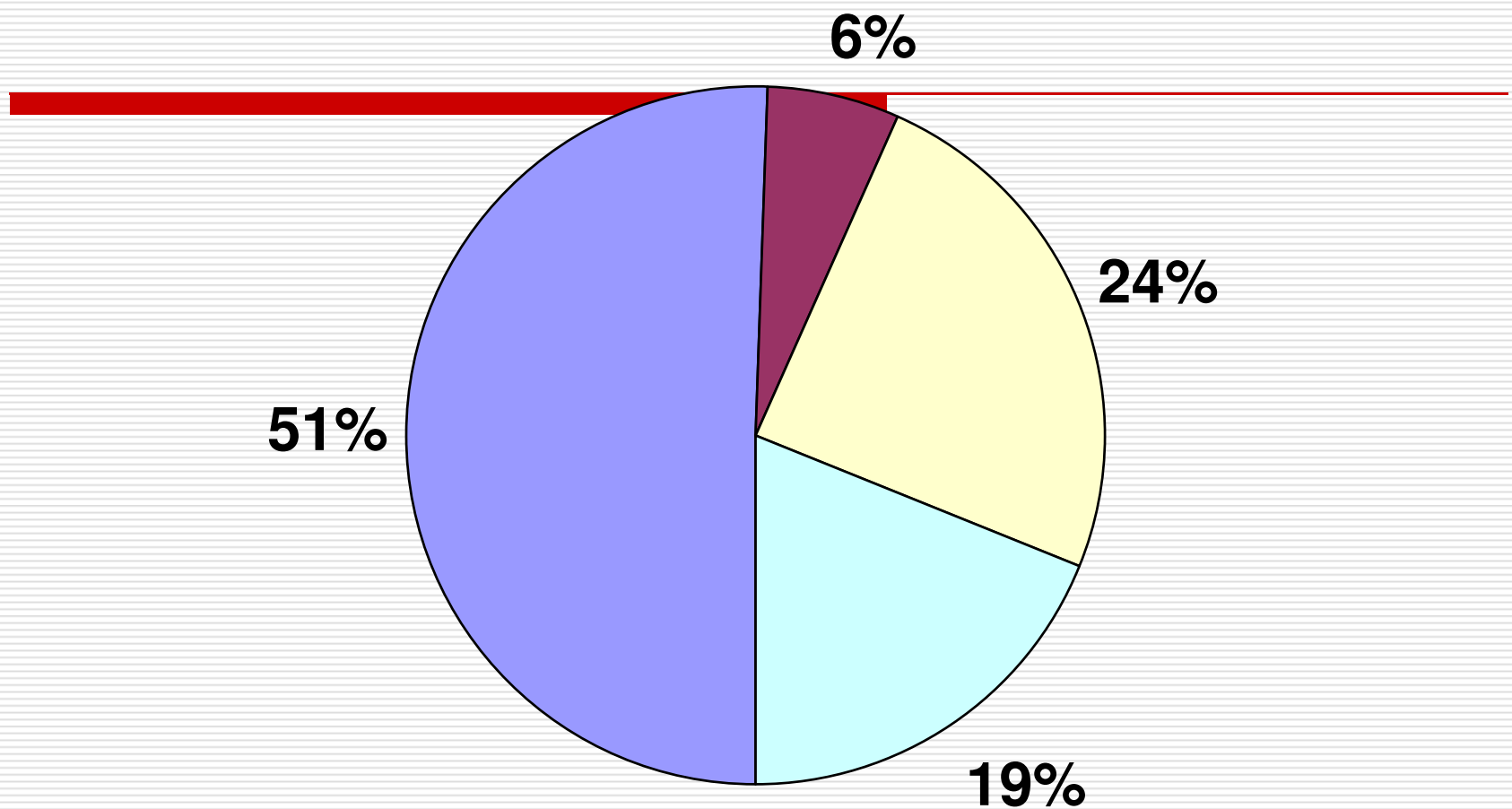


# TYOLOGY OF VIOLATIONS: 41<sup>ST</sup> NATIONAL ASSEMBLY ELECTIONS

TYPES OF VIOLATIONS	TOTAL	REGISTERED COMPLAINTS PEC AND DEC	SIGNALS
Organisational violations	51,81%	52,23%	50,45%
Illegal advertising and campaigning	20,47%	24,86%	6,31%
Vote-buying	11,51%	7,54%	24,32%
Other forms of controlled vote	16,20%	15,36%	18,92%



## Типология на подадените сигнали от граждани



■ Организационни нарушения

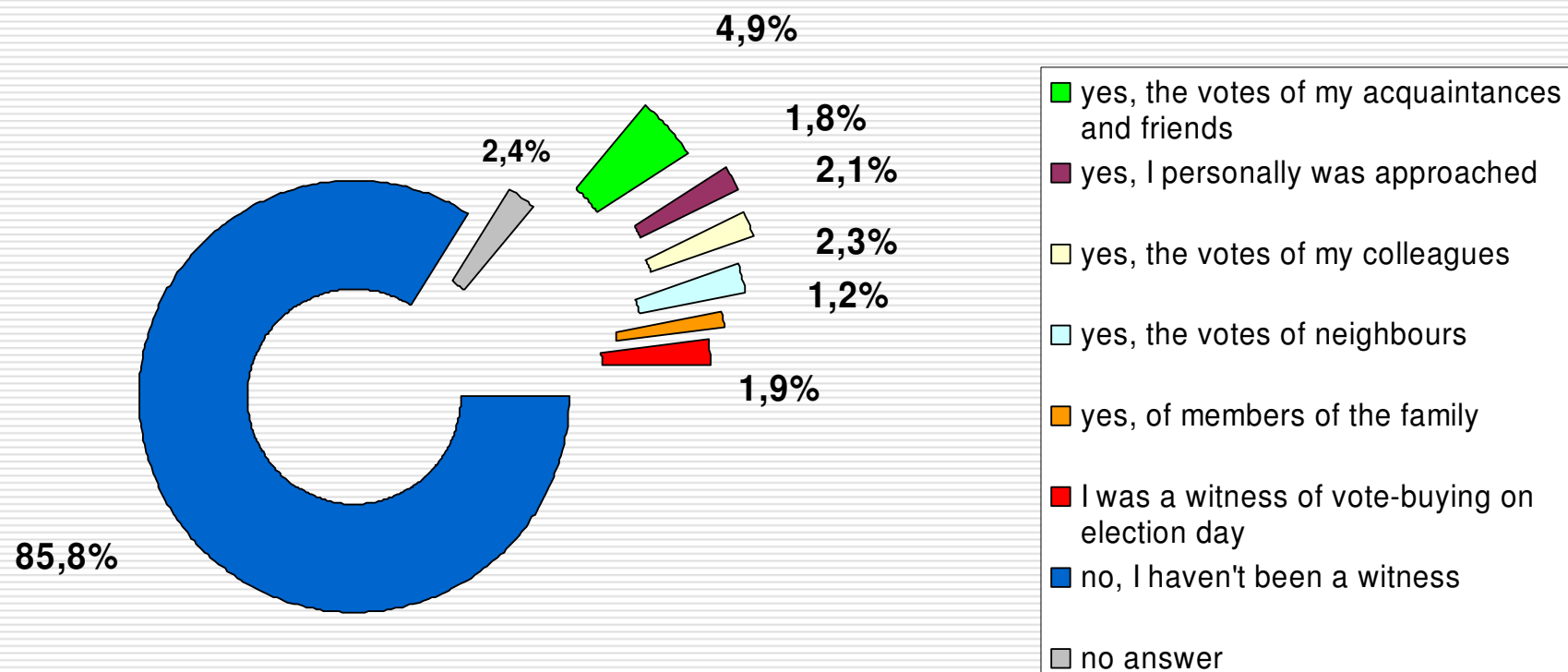
■ Незаконна реклама и агитация

■ Купуване на гласове

■ Други форми на контролиран вот

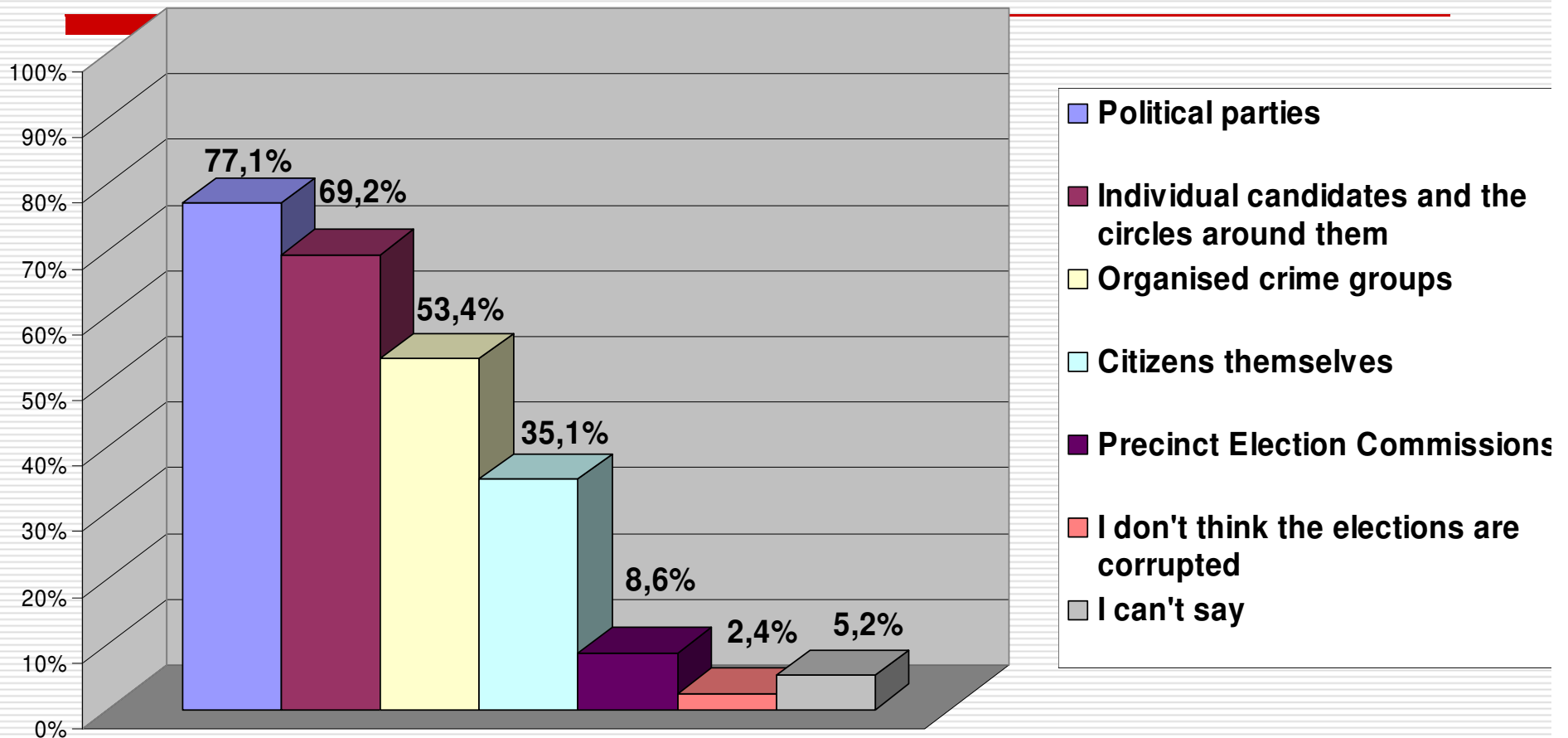
# Occurrence of vote-buying

Have you personally been a witness of vote-buying?



# Who is responsible for the corruption of elections through vote-buying?

*(more than one answer possible)*



# Index of the controlled vote

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