Safety and Security in Istanbul
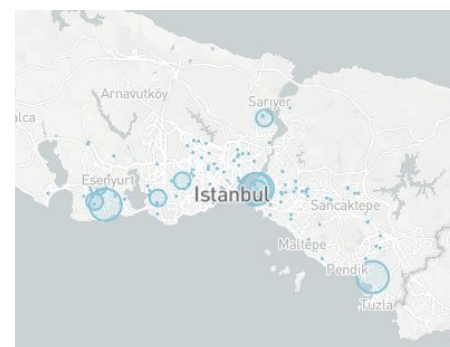
Tracking Global Events | 15 November 2022

On November 15th, a bomb rocked a bustling pedestrian avenue in the heart of Istanbul, killing six people, wounding several dozen and leaving panic across Istanbul. **Premise released a survey gauging sentiment around safety and security in Istanbul on November 15th, 2022.**

Indicators of Voter Suppression and Unrest

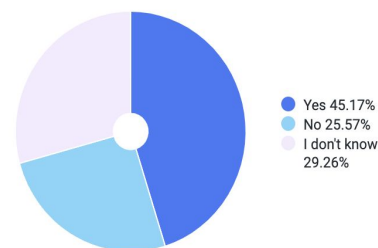*Submissions of current roadblocks in support of Bolsonaro*

- **Before the election, more Bolsonaro voters felt the national military would remain impartial than Lula voters.** 46% of all respondents either 'Strongly Agreed' or 'Agreed' that the national military would remain impartial during the presidential elections. However, 61% of Bolsonaro supporters agreed at some level with this statement, while just 33% of Lula supporters believed this would be the case.

- **Bolsonaro voters had greater faith that the national military would keep them safe.** 50% of all respondents either 'Strongly Agreed' or 'Agreed' that the national military would keep them safe from internal security threats. But responses fell hard on party lines, with 69% of Bolsonaro supporters agreeing at some level with the statement, while just 29% of Lula supporters believed this would be the case.

- **Over half of Brazilians polled believed that there would be unrest and violence if Lula won, whereas less than half believed that to be true if Bolsonaro won.** 54% of respondents felt it was "very likely" or "likely" that there would be violence and unrest if Lula won. Meanwhile, only 42% believed this to be true if Bolsonaro won.

In your opinion, will this event increase ethnic, religious, cultural, or racial tensions in Turkey?

- Yes 45.17%
- No 25.57%
- I don't know 29.26%

Submissions of post-election protests from contributors in Fortaleza, Curitiba, and Brusque

Methodology

On November 14th, Premise surveyed 352 adults, aged 18+, residing in Istanbul, Turkey. Premise launched this survey utilizing a convenience sampling, a type of nonprobability sampling that is hyper efficient in dynamic events, involving the sample being drawn from the population that is ready to assist.

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