

**Table 36a.1.** Gender distribution in question 36a: “Do you think the conversation is comprehensible?”

	Total respondents	Gender		p
		Male	Female	
		n=725	n=731	
	n=1456			
	%	%	%	
1. Totally comprehensible	86.0	83.4	88.6	0.006
2. Fairly comprehensible	10.8	13.4	8.1	
3. Not at all comprehensible	3.2	3.2	3.3	

**Table 36a.2.** Age group distribution in question 36a: “Do you think the conversation is comprehensible?”

	Total respondents	Age				p
		15–24	25–44	45–64	65–79	
		n=229	n=515	n=550	n=162	
	n=1456					
	%	%	%	%	%	
1. Totally comprehensible	86.0	96.3	97.4	80.0	56.0	< 0.001
2. Fairly comprehensible	10.8	3.7	2.4	15.4	31.5	
3. Not at all comprehensible	3.2	0	0.2	4.6	12.5	

**Table 36a.3.** Residential distribution in question 36a: “Do you think the conversation is comprehensible?”  
1: city with over 50 000 inhabitants, 2: town with less than 50 000 inhabitants, 3: rural centre, 4: countryside.

	Total respondents	Area				p
		1	2	3	4	
		n=627	n=317	n=248	n=264	
	n=1456					
	%	%	%	%	%	
1. Totally comprehensible	86.0	91.0	86.9	83.6	75.5	< 0.001
2. Fairly comprehensible	10.8	6.8	10.9	12.7	18.0	
3. Not at all comprehensible	3.2	2.1	2.2	3.7	6.6	

**Table 36a.4.** Educational distribution in question 36a: “Do you think the conversation is comprehensible?”

1: Primary school (grades 1-6 in the Finnish system), 2: Lower secondary school (grades 7-9/10 in the Finnish system), 3: Upper secondary school, upper secondary school graduate or vocational education graduate, 4: Polytechnic degree, 5: University degree.

	Total respondents	Education					p
		1	2	3	4	5	
		n=1456	n=152	n=246	n=672	n=146	
	%	%	%	%	%		
1. Totally comprehensible	86.0	40.4	81.4	92.7	97.2	96.4	< 0.001
2. Fairly comprehensible	10.8	46.7	14.8	6.0	0.8	2.4	
3. Not at all comprehensible	3.2	12.9	3.8	1.3	2.0	1.2	

**Table 36a.5.** Occupation distribution in question 36a: “Do you think the conversation is comprehensible?”

1: Managers, 2: Experts, 3: Office and customer service workers, 4: Healthcare workers, 5: Manual workers.

	Total respondents	Occupation					p
		1	2	3	4	5	
		n=1456	n=76	n=399	n=337	n=86	
	%	%	%	%	%		
1. Totally comprehensible	86.0	88.5	95.9	89.3	87.4	72.0	< 0.001
2. Fairly comprehensible	10.8	9.4	3.7	8.1	9.9	21.4	
3. Not at all comprehensible	3.2	2.1	0.5	2.5	2.6	6.6	

**Table 36b.1.** Gender distribution in question 36b: “How do you react to such language use?”

	Total respondents	Gender		p
		Male	Female	
		n=1455	n=723	
	%	%	%	
1. Very positively	12.9	9.6	16.1	0.002
2. Fairly positively	44.2	44.9	43.5	
3. Rather negatively	25.2	25.6	24.8	
4. Very negatively	8.0	8.3	7.7	
5. No opinion	9.7	11.6	7.9	

**Table 36b.2.** Age group distribution in question 36b: “How do you react to such language use?”

	Total respondents	Age				p
		15–24	25–44	45–64	65–79	
		n=1455	n=229	n=515	n=548	
	%	%	%	%	%	
1. Very positively	12.9	27.0	14.5	7.1	7.1	< 0.001
2. Fairly positively	44.2	37.9	55.4	40.4	30.3	
3. Rather negatively	25.2	22.0	18.5	30.3	33.4	
4. Very negatively	8.0	2.5	5.0	12.2	11.0	
5. No opinion	9.7	10.5	6.5	9.9	18.3	

**Table 36b.3.** Residential distribution in question 36b: “How do you react to such language use?”

1: city with over 50 000 inhabitants, 2: town with less than 50 000 inhabitants, 3: rural centre, 4: countryside.

	Total respondents	Area				p
		1	2	3	4	
		n=1455	n=625	n=315	n=248	
	%	%	%	%	%	
1. Very positively	12.9	13.4	15.3	11.8	9.6	0.131
2. Fairly positively	44.2	44.8	42.5	45.5	43.5	
3. Rather negatively	25.2	25.5	26.0	26.3	22.4	
4. Very negatively	8.0	7.0	9.4	6.9	9.9	
5. No opinion	9.7	9.3	6.8	9.5	14.5	

**Table 36b.4.** Educational distribution in question 36b: “How do you react to such language use?”

1: Primary school (grades 1-6 in the Finnish system), 2: Lower secondary school (grades 7-9/10 in the Finnish system), 3: Upper secondary school, upper secondary school graduate or vocational education graduate, 4: Polytechnic degree, 5: University degree.

	Total respondents	Education					p
		1	2	3	4	5	
		n=1455	n=152	n=247	n=669	n=146	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	
1. Very positively	12.9	10.5	15.0	14.1	12.5	8.3	< 0.001
2. Fairly positively	44.2	31.3	42.4	46.8	49.6	44.9	
3. Rather negatively	25.2	26.3	25.9	23.5	25.0	30.0	
4. Very negatively	8.0	12.4	6.9	7.1	6.0	10.3	
5. No opinion	9.7	19.5	9.8	8.4	6.9	6.5	

**Table 36b.5.** Occupation distribution in question 36b: “How do you react to such language use?”

1: Managers, 2: Experts, 3: Office and customer service workers, 4: Healthcare workers, 5: Manual workers.

	<b>Total respondents</b>	<b>Occupation</b>					<b>p</b>
		<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b>	
	<b>n=1455</b>	<b>n=76</b>	<b>n=399</b>	<b>n=337</b>	<b>n=85</b>	<b>n=384</b>	
	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>	<b>%</b>	
1. Very positively	12.9	20.5	8.0	14.5	18.5	10.4	< 0.001
2. Fairly positively	44.2	42.1	44.0	51.3	44.5	41.7	
3. Rather negatively	25.2	24.2	30.6	24.0	20.7	22.6	
4. Very negatively	8.0	6.9	8.6	6.2	4.7	10.7	
5. No opinion	9.7	6.4	8.7	4.0	11.6	14.6	