

YouGov European Political Monthly Survey Results

Sample Size: 1112 adults in Italy
Fieldwork: 14th - 22nd January 2026

	Age (1)						Age (2)			Gender		Region					2022 Past Vote					
Total	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65+	18-34	35-54	55+	Male	Female	North West	North East	Centre	South	Islands	Movimento 5 Stelle	Lega	Forza Italia	Fratelli d'Italia'	Partito Democratico	
Weighted Sample 1112	93	126	183	223	187	301	219	405	488	535	577	300	204	230	253	126	97	59	53	159	121	
Unweighted Sample 1112	57	118	182	244	251	260	175	426	511	509	603	363	203	215	210	121	108	64	57	185	137	
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%

In December 2025, the European Commission fined X (previously known as Twitter) for breaching EU data privacy and transparency laws. X is also required to produce an action plan to address the issues around the specific breaches within 90 days. If X does not address these breaches in the required period, do you think the EU should or should not take further action against X?

Should	69	65	69	70	68	68	70	67	69	69	70	68	66	72	71	70	64	81	52	68	70	84
Should not	9	16	9	8	12	6	7	12	10	6	13	5	9	13	11	4	6	7	17	12	11	5
Don't know	22	20	21	22	20	26	23	21	21	24	17	27	24	15	18	26	30	13	31	19	18	11

You previously said that the EU should take further action against X if it does not address the breaches of data privacy and transparency laws in the required period. What action, if any, do you think they should take?

[Shown only to respondents who said that the EU should take further action against X; N=793]

Further fines	29	27	33	32	32	30	26	31	32	27	31	28	27	32	31	27	33	26	37	42	32	29
Refusing X access to the European market	21	22	16	18	18	28	24	19	18	25	22	21	25	22	19	22	14	19	34	26	26	23
Both fines and refusing X access to the European market	41	48	40	38	45	36	43	43	42	40	40	43	37	38	43	46	45	46	29	31	34	42
Something else	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Don't know	7	3	10	12	4	5	8	7	8	7	6	8	10	6	7	5	8	9	0	1	9	6

Thinking about the EU's online safety and digital privacy laws, which of the following comes closest to your view?

It is more important that the EU protects safety online and digital privacy for Europeans, even if this damages the relationship with the USA	61	68	57	63	60	63	58	61	61	60	59	62	62	54	63	60	65	72	58	46	44	72
It is more important that the EU has a good relationship with the USA, even if this means relaxing EU laws on online safety and digital privacy	18	21	16	17	19	16	18	18	18	17	22	14	20	22	17	14	14	9	22	31	26	14
Don't know	22	11	27	20	21	21	24	20	21	23	19	24	19	24	20	26	20	19	20	24	30	14