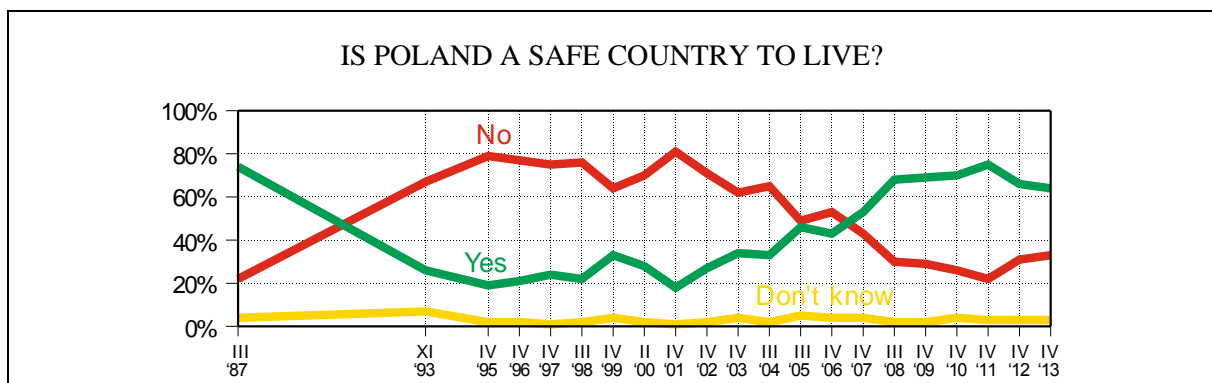
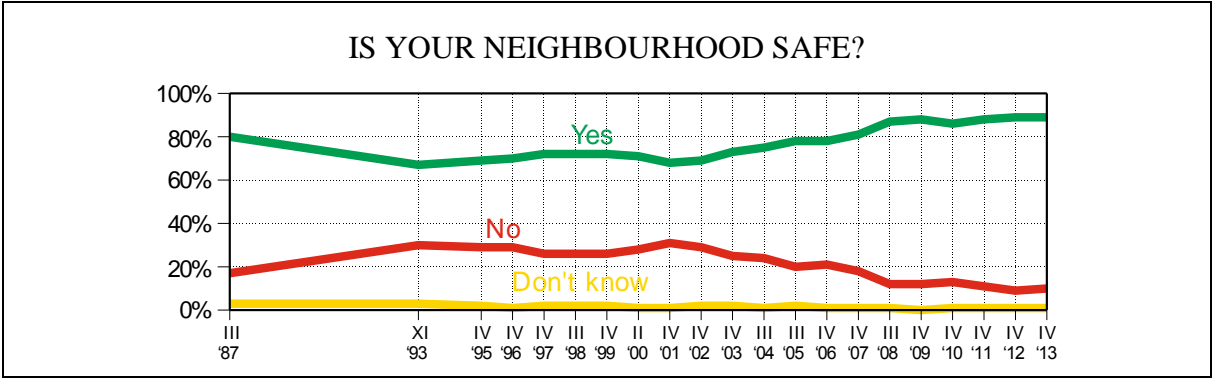


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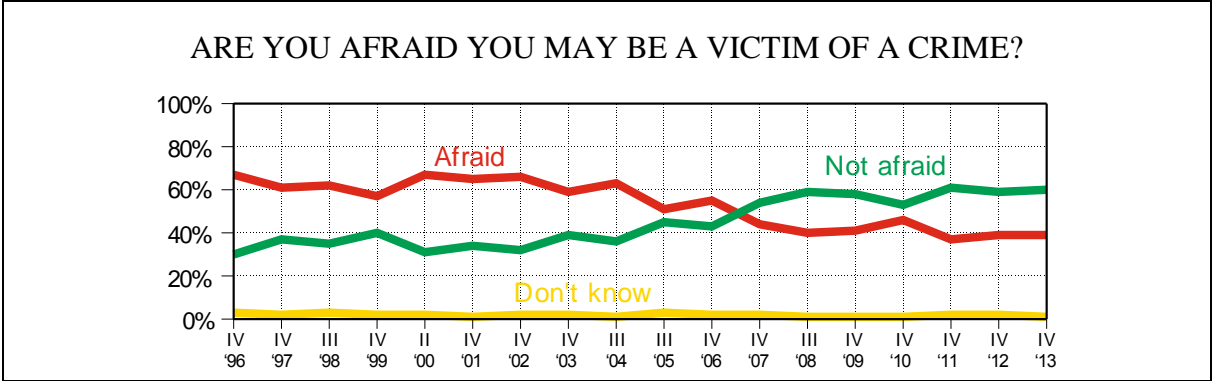
In the opinion of almost two-thirds of respondents (64%) Poland is a safe country to live. In the middle of the previous decade, after a long period of negative assessment, subjective safety started to improve. The peak was noted two years ago, when three quarters gave positive ratings. At present the opinions are slightly worse, comparable with last year's.



In the last twelve months, the opinions about safety in the place of residence have not changed. Satisfaction is almost universal, as it is expressed by 89% of respondents. The ratings are highest since the late 1980s.



The perceived threat of crime is stable. Two-fifths of respondents (39%) are afraid that they may be victims of a crime, while three-fifths (60%) have no such fear.



More information about this topic can be found in CBOS report in Polish: "Public safety", May 2013. Fieldwork for national sample: April 2013, N=1150. The random address sample is representative for adult population of Poland.