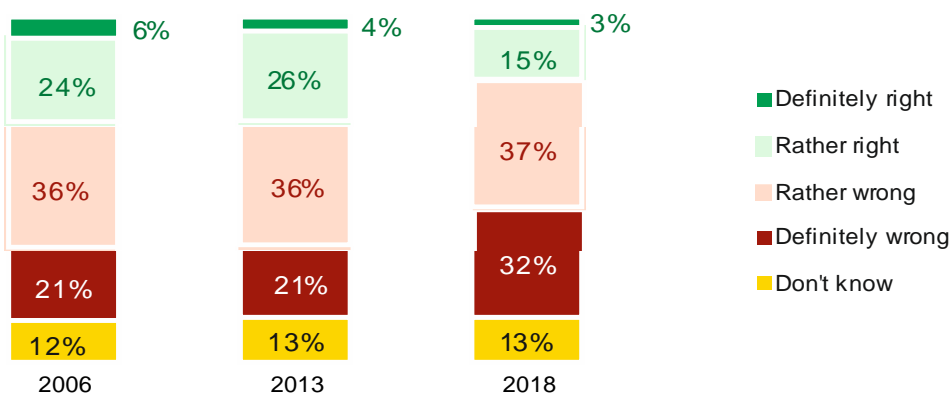


Attitudes towards animals

In recent years, the attitudes of Poles towards animals have changed, sensitivity to their fate and suffering is clearly increasing.

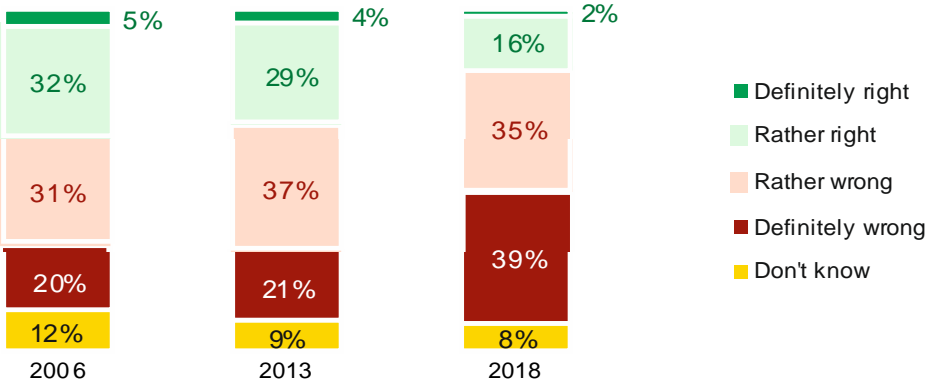
In the last five years, there has been a significant reduction (drop from 30% to 18%) of social approval for animal testing of cosmetics and cleaning products for people. Thus, opposition to this type of practice has clearly strengthened. Currently it is expressed by over two-thirds of respondents (69%).

Do you think that animal testing of cosmetics and cleaning products for people is right or wrong?



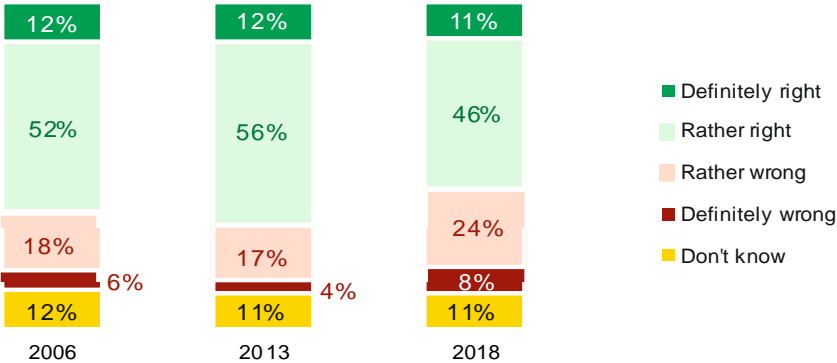
Decreased acceptance for testing cosmetics and cleaning products on animals is accompanied by a significant (from 33% to 18%) decrease in consent for training and showing animals in circuses. The percentage of opponents of using animals in circuses is expressed by three-quarters of all respondents (74%).

Do you think that training and showing animals in circuses is right or wrong?



At the same time, the acceptance for keeping animals in zoological gardens has also decreased. However, it still has the support of the majority of respondents (57%).

Do you think that keeping animals in zoological gardens is right or wrong?



More information about this topic can be found in CBOS report in Polish: "Attitudes Toward Animals", September 2018. Fieldwork for national sample: August 2018, N=1066. The random address sample is representative for adult population of Poland.