During our REACTION 24 webcast, Rohitesh Dhawan, Director, Geopolitics Center of Excellence, KPMG in the UK, and Andrew D. Bishop, Deputy Director of Research, Eurasia Group, discussed the rise of geopolitical uncertainty.

Throughout the webcast, participants provided their feedback on key industry issues with the results shown below:

**The impact of politics on the business environment in the country I currently live in today is:**

- Positive: 44%
- Negative: 28%
- Neutral: 19%
- Politics does not impact business in any meaningful way: 9%
- Ridiculous, out-of-control, totally mad: 0%

*Number of respondents = 43*

**What current geopolitical issue will have the biggest impact on global politics in the next 12 months?**

- Tension in North Korea: 41%
- Brexit: 27%
- Iran nuclear deal: 25%
- Renegotiation of the North American Free Trade Agreement (NAFTA): 7%
- Something else/not covered above: 0%
- Who will win the Eurovision Song Contest 2018?: 0%

*Number of respondents = 44*
Purely based on current politics, I would rather:

- A. Continue living in the country I currently am
- B. Move to another country
- C. Not answer this question because politics does not affect my decision of where to live
- D. Go hide under a rock while the world sorts itself out

Number of respondents = 42*

Compared to 12 months ago, geopolitics as an issue for the chemicals sector is:

- A. More important
- B. Less important
- C. The same
- D. Hard to judge
- E. Fantastic entertainment value

Number of respondents = 40*

*Source: REACTION 24: Adapting to a changing geopolitical landscape, Global Chemicals Institute webcast, KPMG International
In my company, political matters are dealt with by the following team(s):
tick all that apply

- CEO’s office
- Risk
- Strategy
- Government/Public Affairs (or similar)
- Other
- Everyone is always playing politics

Number of respondents = 41*

**Note: Percentages might not add up to 100% due to rounding.**

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