

What's happening in Venezuela?

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What does Hugo Chavez looks for?

Revolution Consolidation

&

Stay in Power

the Revolutionary Institution excludes:

**IN
CONSOLIDATION**

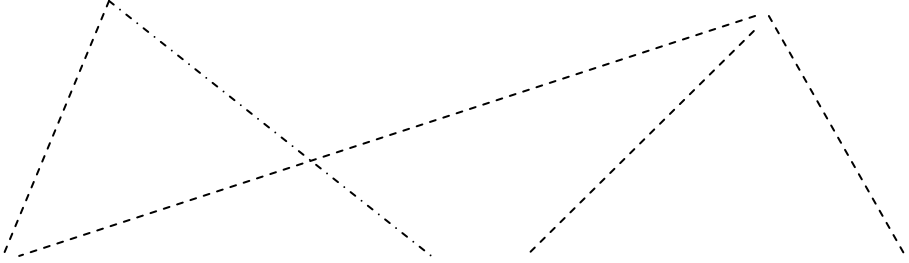
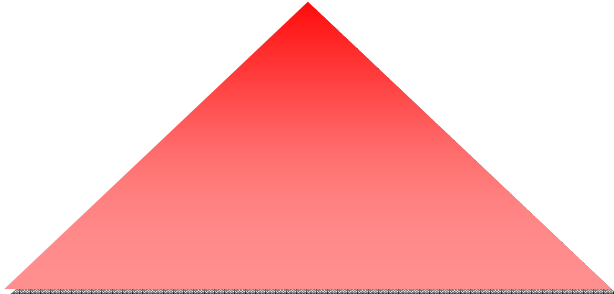
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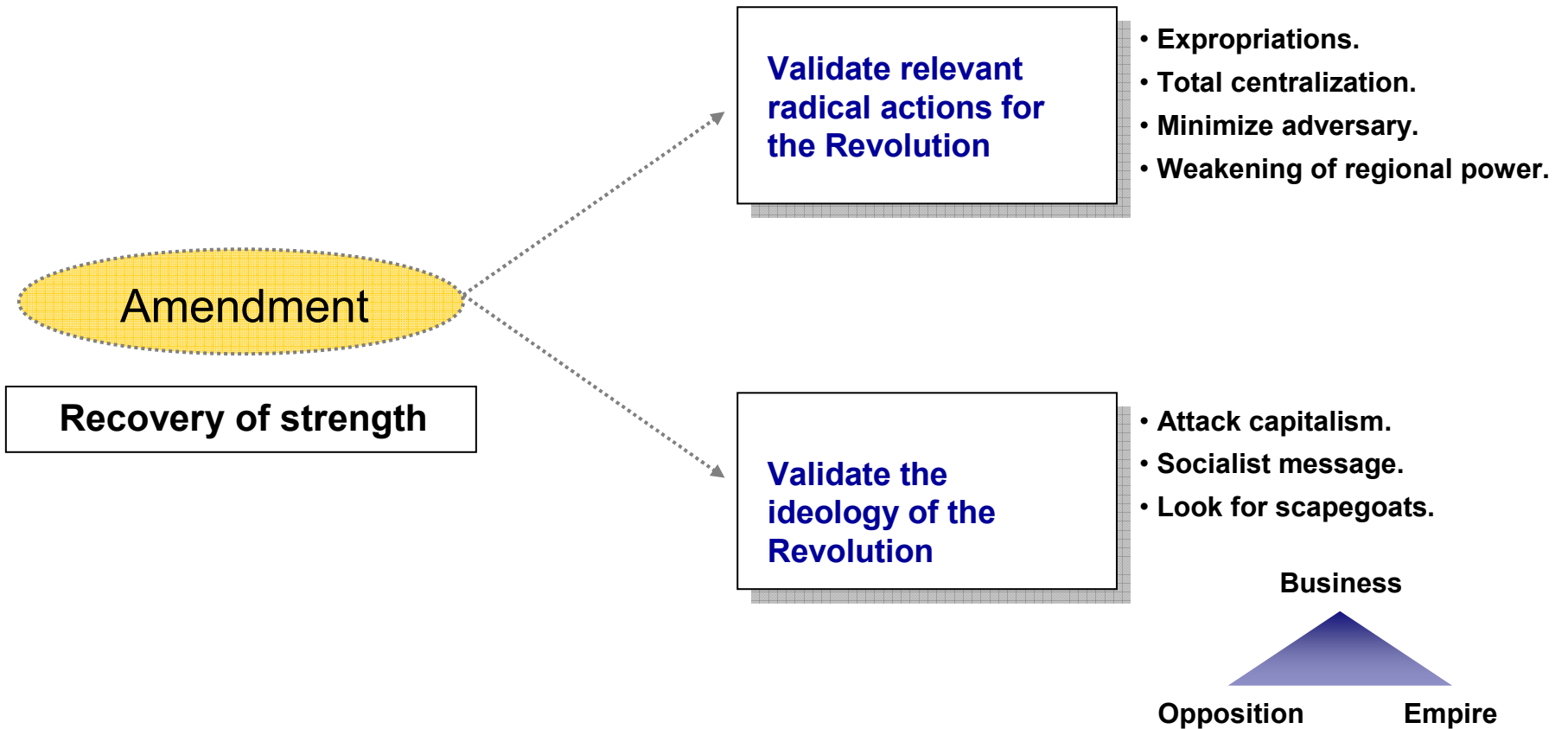
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**IN
DECOMMISSIONING**

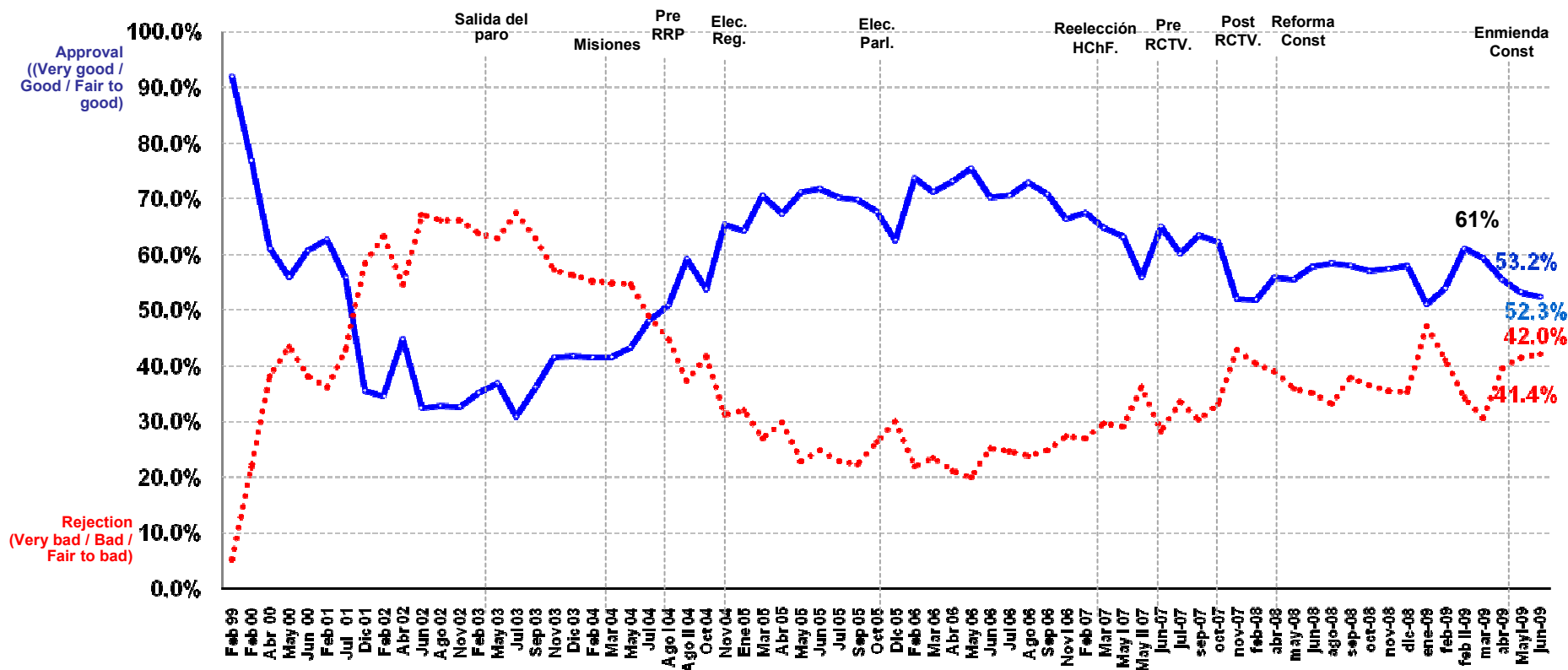
entrepreneurs Workers parties
.....OTHERS.....



MOMENTUM



Level of assessment in the Presidential Management



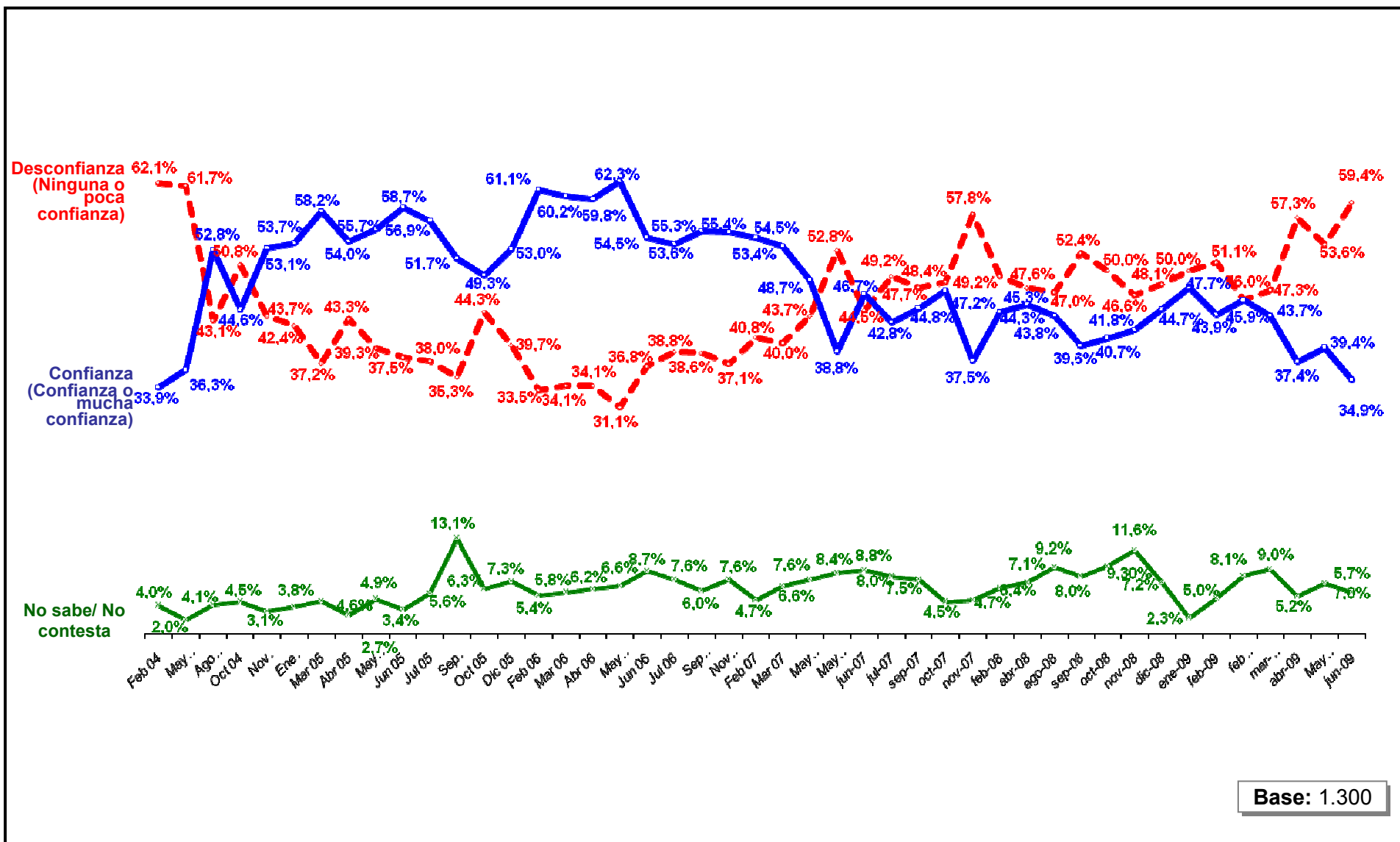
* La diferencia con respecto al 100% se debe al "No sabe/ No contesta"

Desde el mes de septiembre de 2003 la base muestral pasó de 1000 a 1300 hogares entrevistados.

Desde el mes de octubre de 2006 la base muestral (Opinión Pública) pasó de 1300 a 1600 hogares entrevistados.

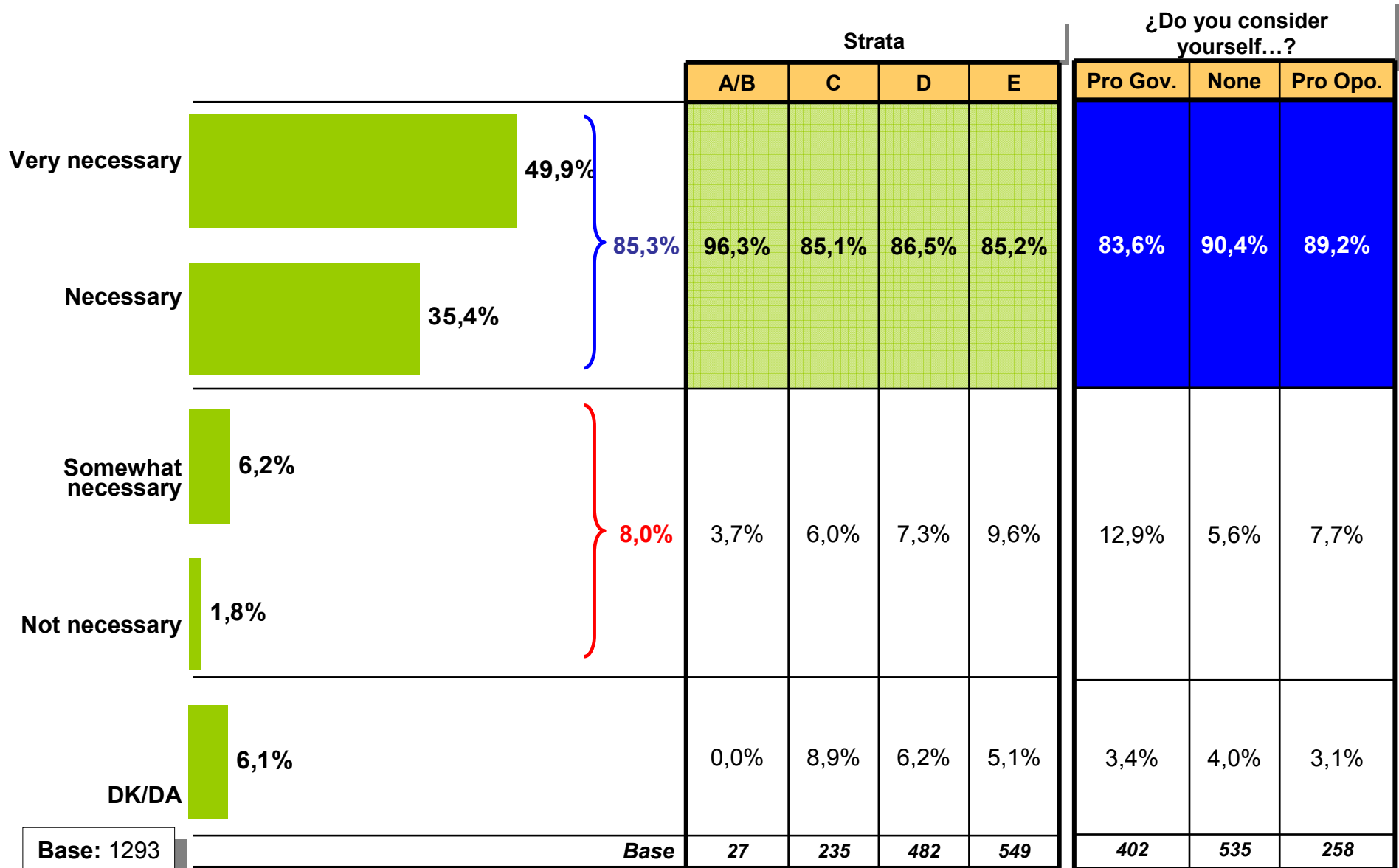
Desde el mes de Febrero 2007 la base muestral (Opinión Pública) pasó de 1600 a 1300 hogares entrevistados.

Level of confidence in Presidente Chávez



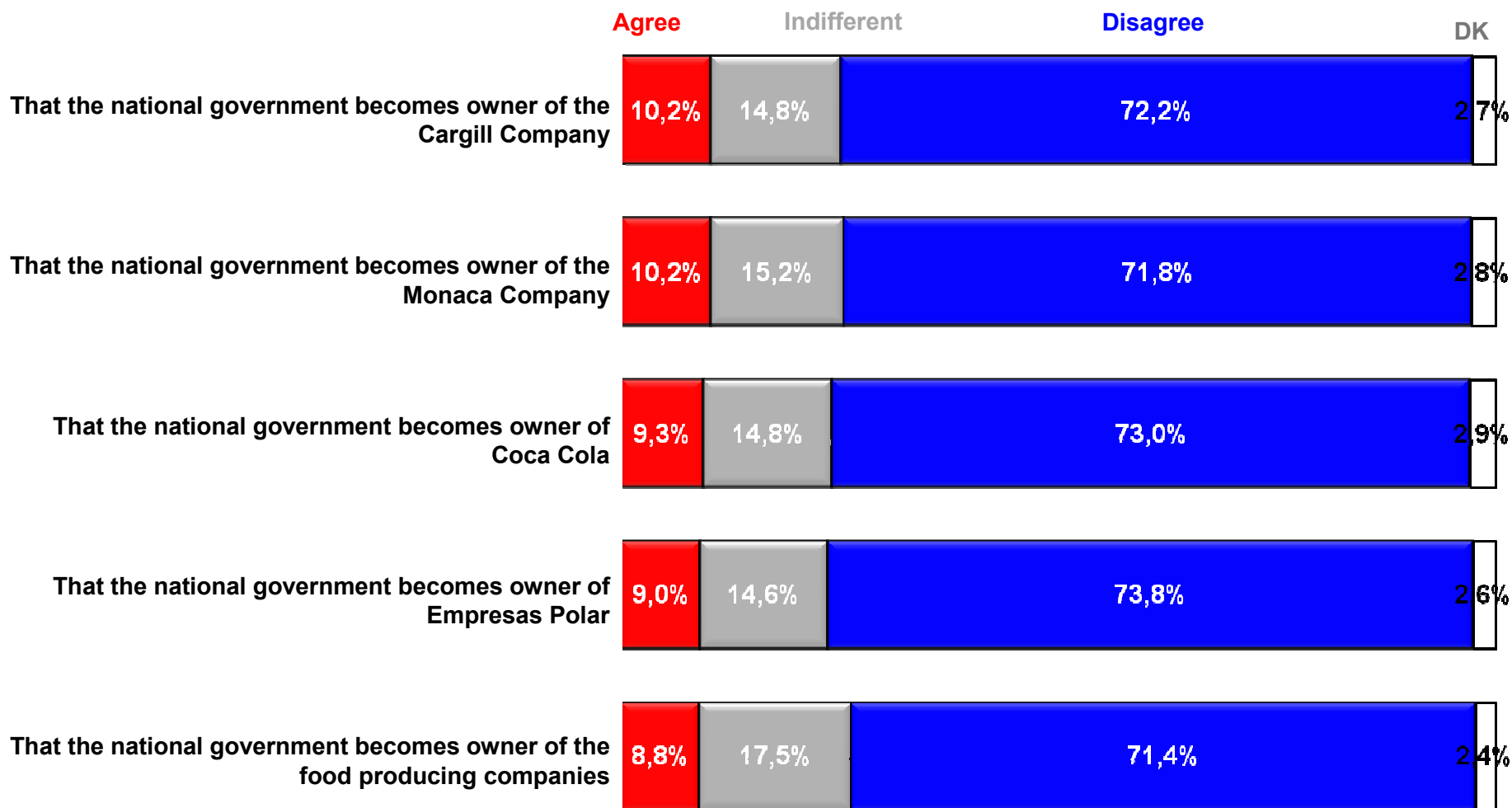
Why?

How necessary do you think is the private industry in order to create jobs?



Private Enterprise

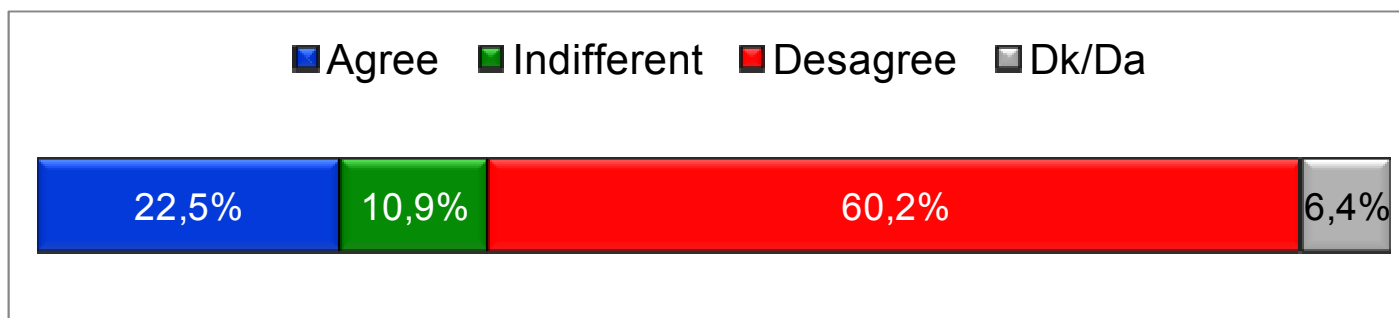
With which of the following phrases that I'm going to show you agree more?



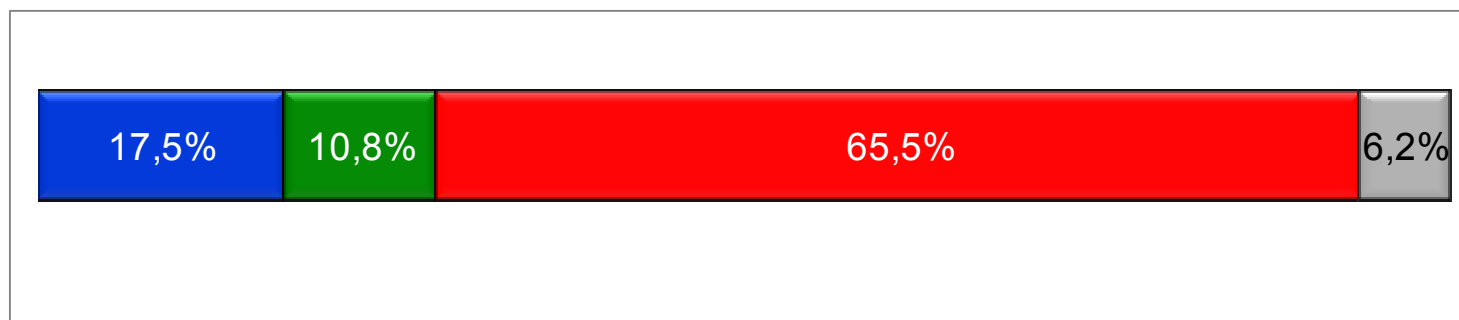
Base: 1.300

How much do you agree or disagree with each of the following phrases?

The federal government should take control over what and how much to produce in the private food companies, but they should still be private



That the government expropriate large private food production and distribution companies such as Monaca, Cargill, or Polar



Base 1.300

¿Está usted de acuerdo o en desacuerdo con que el gobierno nacional del Presidente Chávez expropie tierras aunque estén siendo trabajadas por sus dueños?

		A/B	C	D	E	Pro Gob	Ni Ni	Pro Opo	Ns/Nc
Muy en desacuerdo	31,5%	64,3%	40,2%	30,9%	26,8%	10,5%	33,6%	53,7%	23,8%
En desacuerdo	41,4%	17,9%	40,6%	39,2%	44,8%	38,0%	44,5%	39,8%	14,3%
Ni de acuerdo ni en desacuerdo	12,8%	14,3%	12,8%	13,3%	12,4%	16,9%	14,0%	3,9%	23,8%
De acuerdo	7,2%	0,0%	2,6%	8,6%	8,3%	22,3%	2,6%	0,8%	0,0%
Muy de acuerdo	2,9%	0,0%	0,4%	3,4%	3,7%	8,4%	1,3%	0,4%	0,0%
Ns/Nc	4,2%	3,6%	3,5%	4,7%	3,9%	3,9%	4,1%	1,6%	38,1%
Base: 1.300		28	234	475	563	332	688	259	21

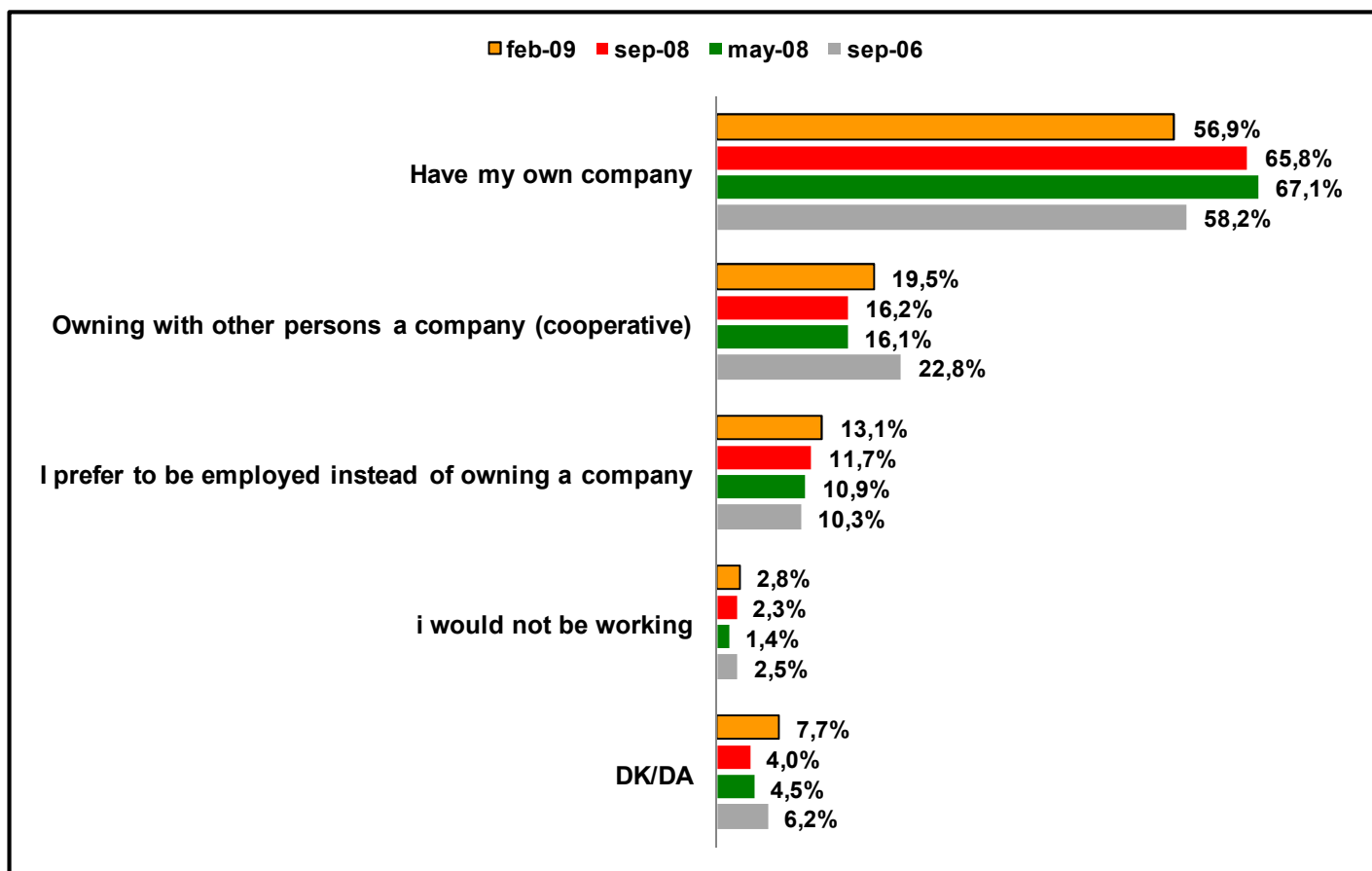
¿Y su evaluación del Presidente Chávez cambiaría si...?

Que el gobierno nacional expropie terrenos que estén produciendo

		A/B	C	D	E	Pro Gob	Ni Ni	Pro Opo	Ns/Nc
Empeoraría	53,6%	78.6%	63.2%	50.3%	51.2%	24.4%	57.7%	81.9%	33.3%
Mejoraría	12,6%	0.0%	4.3%	15.2%	14.6%	35.5%	5.4%	3.1%	4.8%
No cambiaría	18,5%	14.3%	15.4%	20.0%	18.7%	27.7%	18.0%	7.3%	23.8%
Ns/Nc	15,3%	7.1%	17.1%	14.5%	15.6%	12.3%	18.9%	7.7%	38.1%
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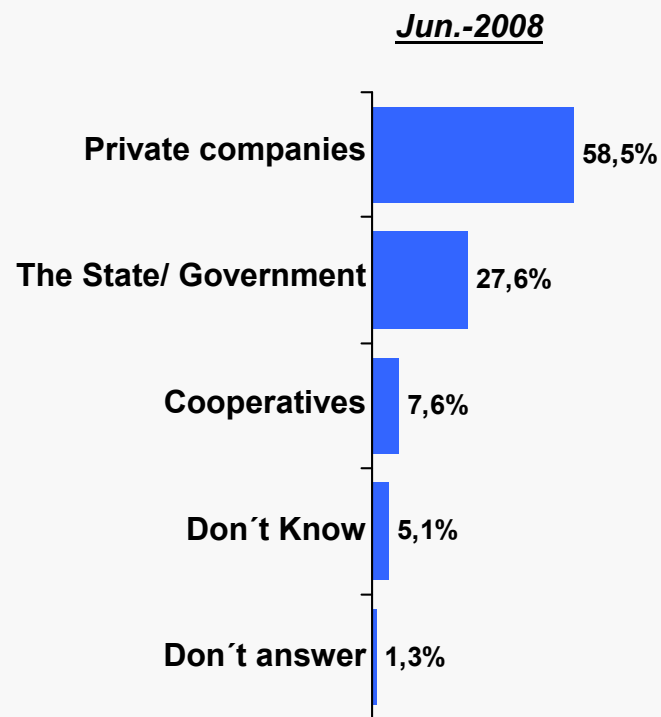
On the economic model of the President Chavez government?

If you have the interest and financial means, what option did you prefer?



What sector creates more jobs ...?

•Private enterprises emerge as the first sector that generates the most jobs including all strata and the political groups Ni / Ni and opposition.



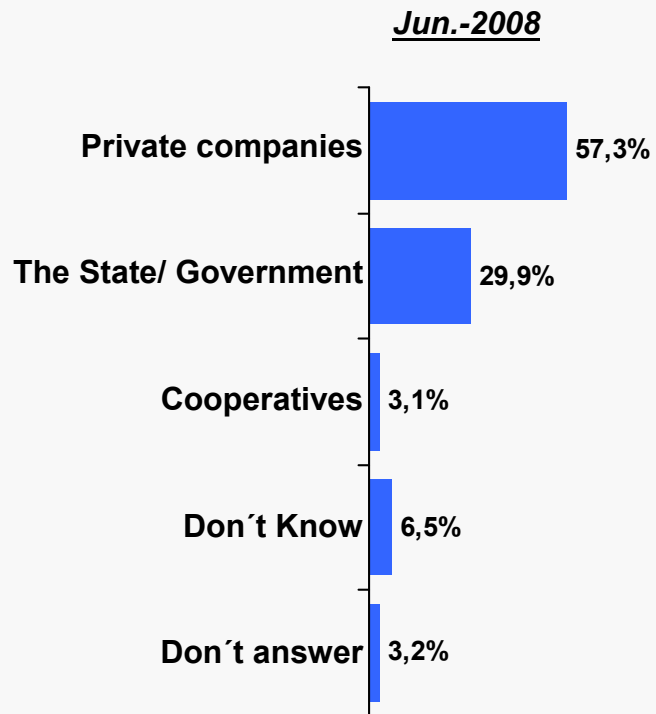
Base: 2000

Strata			
A/B	C	D	E
73.7%	69.6%	58.8%	53.0%
23.7%	17.3%	27.8%	31.8%
2.6%	6.4%	7.9%	8.1%
-	4.8%	4.6%	5.7%
-	1.9%	0.9%	1.5%
38	375	694	893

¿Do you consider yourself...?		
Pro Gov.	None	Pro Opo.
29.3%	62.5%	79.5%
52.9%	23.2%	12.9%
13.3%	7.8%	3.0%
3.2%	5.5%	4.1%
1.4%	1.1%	0.5%
437	1002	435

What industry pays their workers better ...?

•In the same way private companies are perceived as those that pay their workers better



Base: 2000

Strata			
A/B	C	D	E
76.3%	59.5%	58.4%	54.8%
21.1%	29.1%	29.3%	31.1%
-	1.6%	3.7%	3.4%
2.6%	5.6%	6.1%	7.4%
-	4.3%	2.6%	3.4%
38	375	694	893

¿Do you consider yourself...?		
Pro Gov.	None	Pro Opo.
33.0%	63.4%	71.5%
52.6%	24.0%	18.6%
5.7%	3.0%	1.4%
5.7%	6.8%	6.2%
3.0%	2.9%	2.3%
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Other topics...

How much do you agree or disagree with each of the following phrases?

That the government closes Globovisión (TV network)

■ Agree ■ Indifferent ■ Desagree ■ Dk/Da



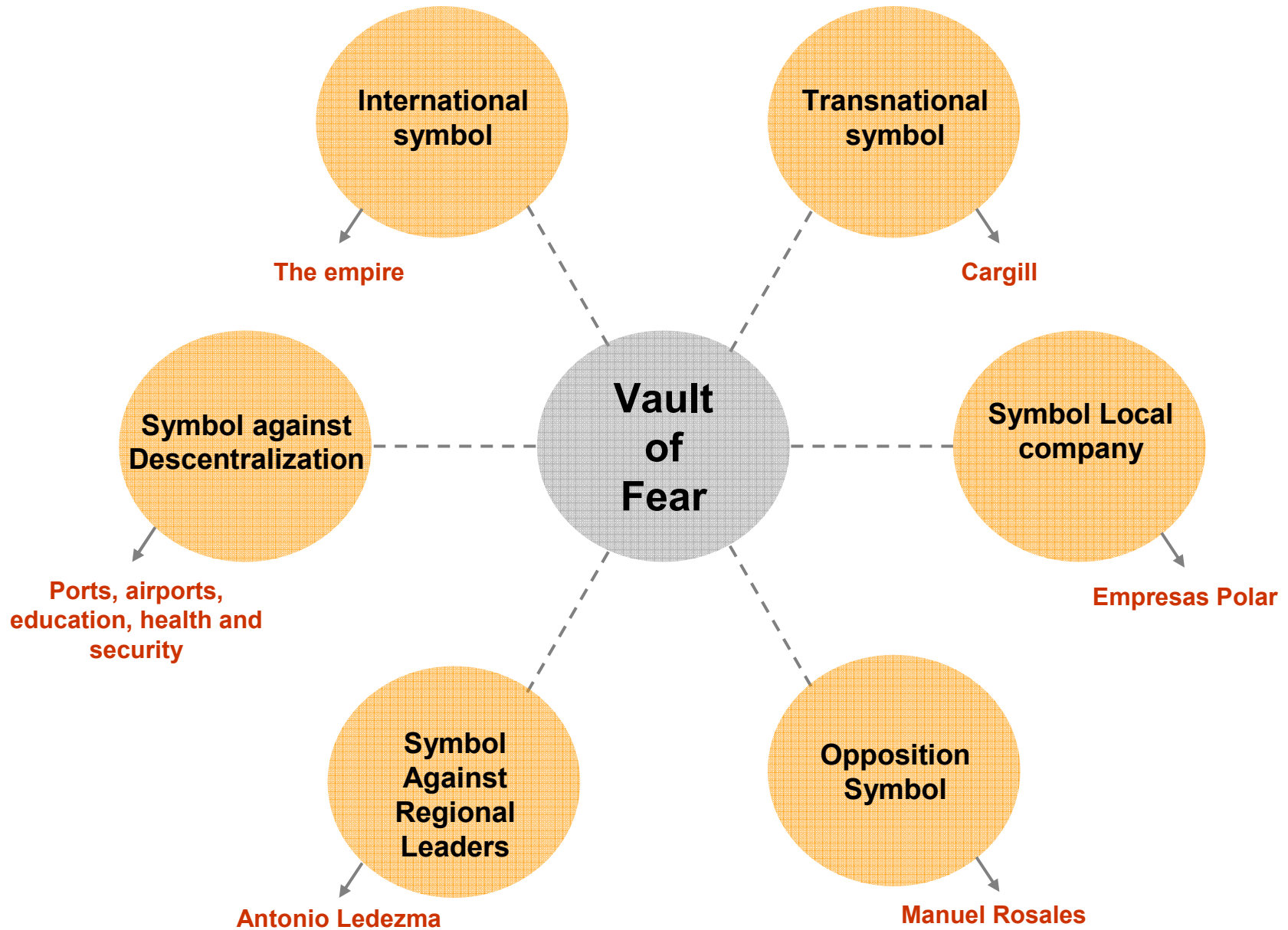
“Being rich is bad”



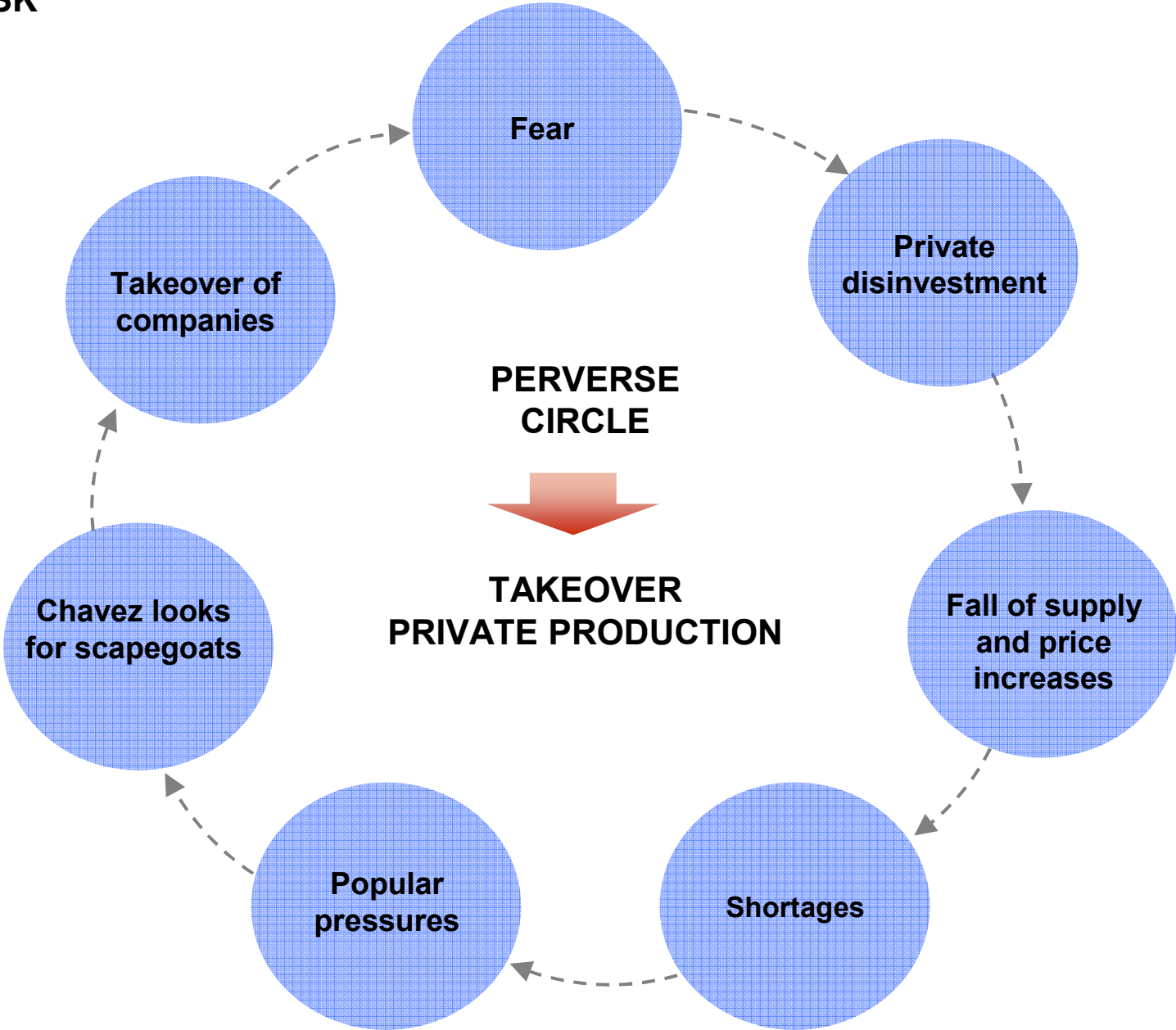
That the government puts a Cuban adviser in each Educational Zone



He needs to create THE VAULT OF FEAR



THE RISK



THE OPPORTUNITY

The virtuous circle

