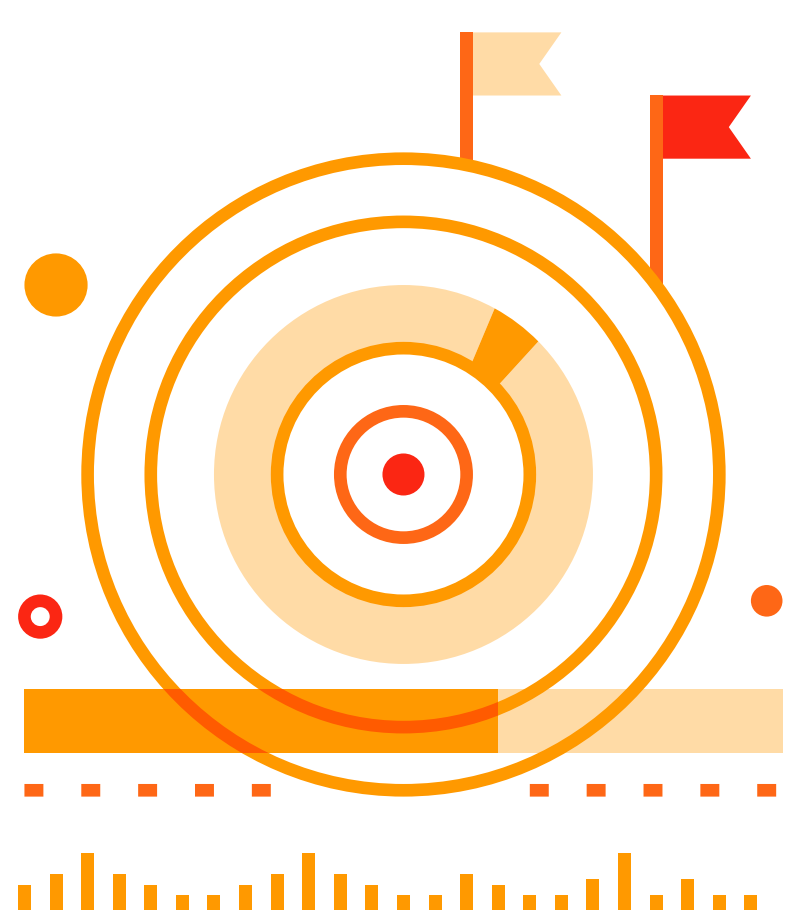


employment vs. entrepreneurship

Often, people think that being their own boss would be the ultimate goal. However, when it comes to actually making a choice, a lot of them seem hesitant.

When the choice is made for them (i.e., when people lose their current job), a larger part is more positive.

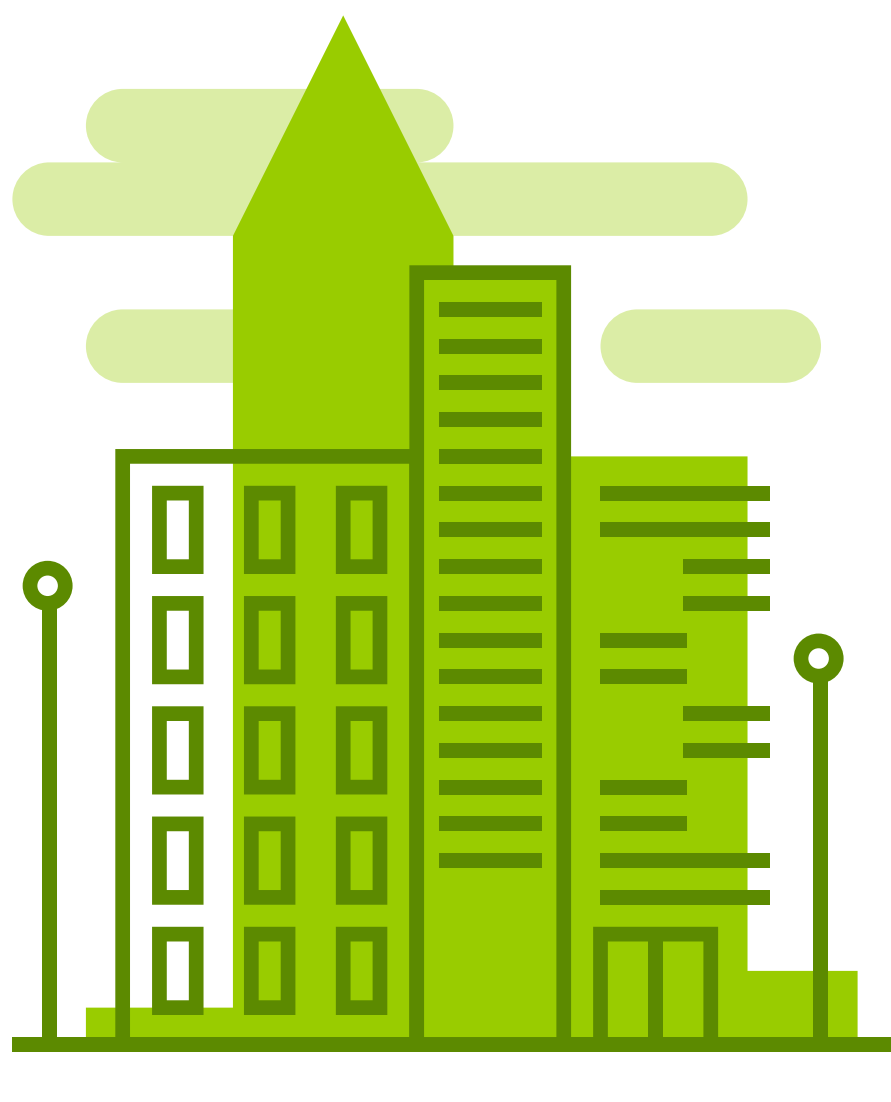


53%

would love to be an entrepreneur as it provides more possibilities

47%

would consider starting their own business if they lose their current job



57%

think the risk of failure is too big when starting their own business

What's the **gender divide?**

59% men

55% women

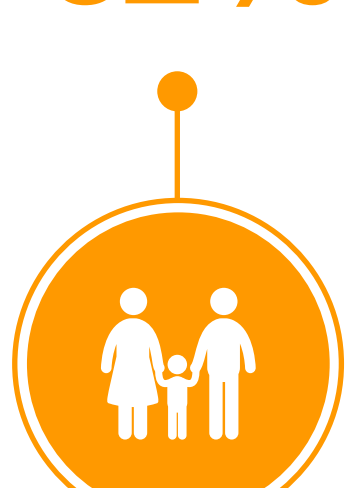
When looking at the difference per age group, younger respondents and men are more afraid to fail than older respondents and women.

61%



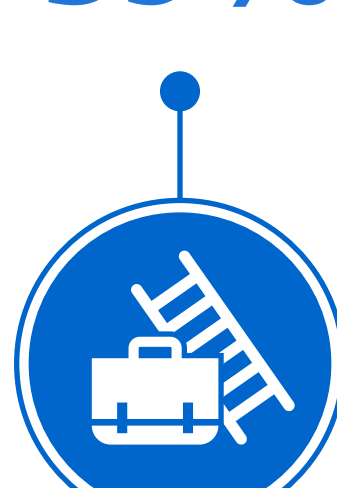
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62%



AGES 25-34

59%



AGES 35-44

55%



AGES 45-54

47%



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