Republic of Azerbaijan - Parliamentary Elections 2005



OSCE/ODIHR EOM Media Monitoring

On 7 September, the EOM commenced the monitoring of six national TV channels and five daily newspapers, using a proven methodology of quantitative and qualitative analysis. The mission sought to evaluate whether the media provide impartial and balanced coverage of the political contestants and the campaign issues.

Quantitative analysis measured the total amount of time and space devoted to election contestants on news and information programs. Qualitative analysis evaluated the tone in which the relevant political subjects were portrayed – positive, neutral or negative.

Explanation on the charts

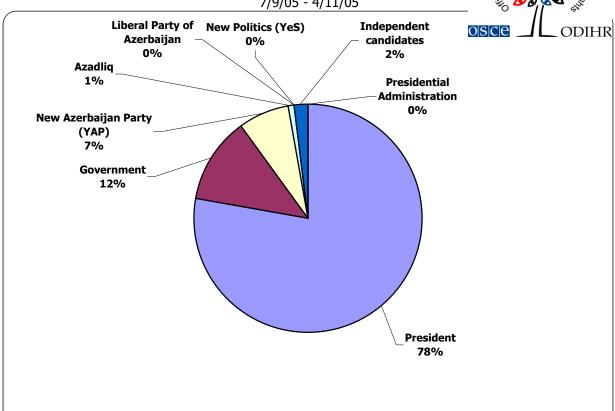
- □ The pie charts show the total percentage of airtime or space allocated to relevant political subjects for each media outlet in the defined period.
- □ The bar charts show the total number of hours and minutes of positive (green), neutral (white) and negative (red) airtime devoted to relevant political subjects by each media outlet in the defined period.

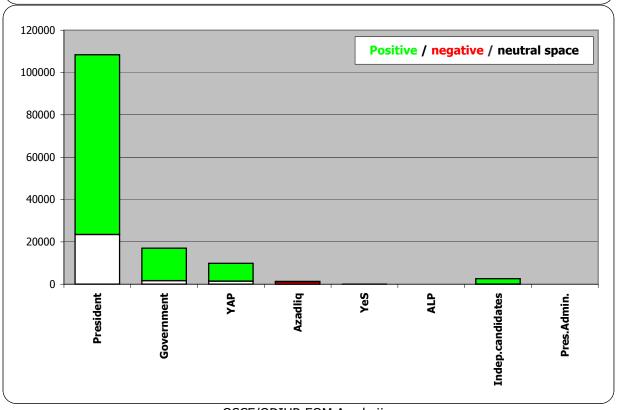
Monitored media outlets

Television: State-funded *AzTV* and *ITV*, Private *Lider TV*, *Space*, *ATV* and *ANS*. Newspapers: State *Azerbaijan*, *Respublika*, *Khalq*, Private *Yeni Musavat*, *Zerkalo*

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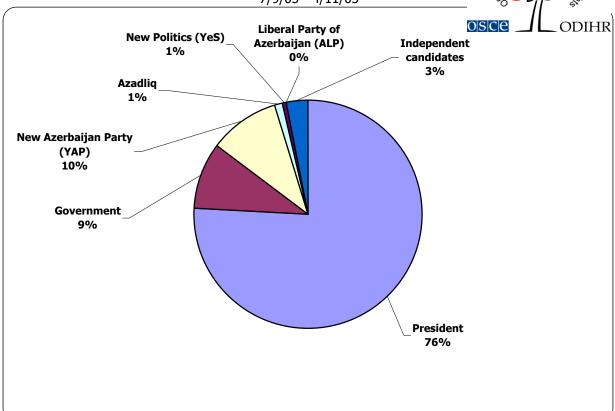
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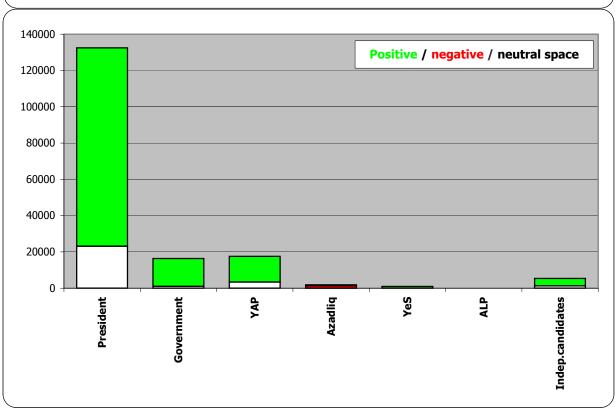




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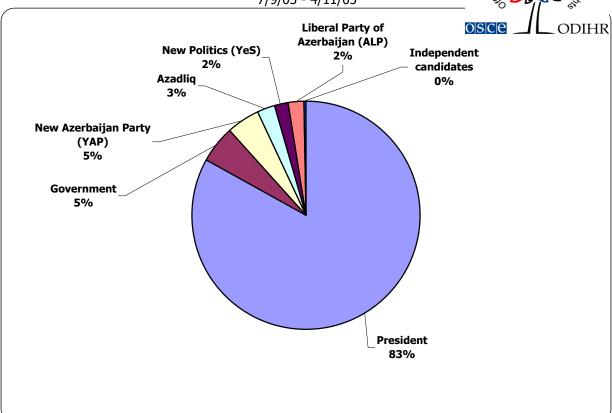
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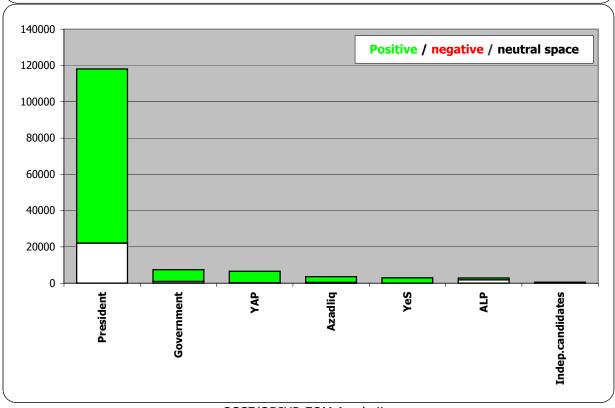




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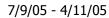
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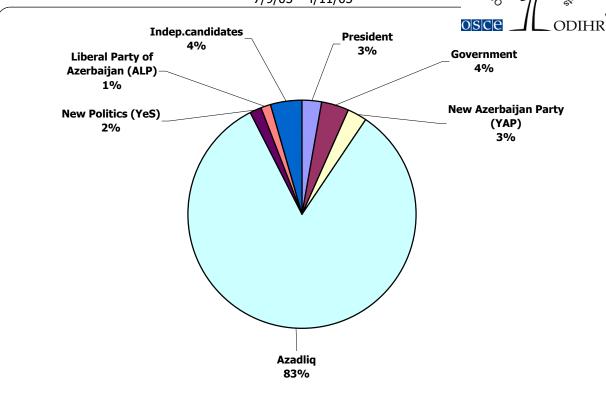


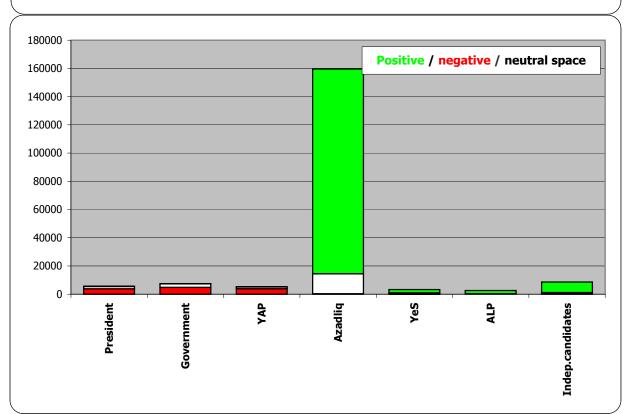


Yeni Musavat

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Zerkalo

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