

# How would you like to pay?

Alternatives to cash are multiplying across Europe, the USA and Australia. ING's International Survey Mobile Banking 2017 - Cashless Society set out to discover people's preferences when paying: more than a third in Europe say they'd prefer to be cash free, with some not using notes and coins for more than a year.

**34%**  
would go completely cashless

**78%**  
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78% of those who used cash less in the last 12 months expect to go on reducing cash use.

34% across Europe agree "if it were up to me, I would go completely cashless".

21% in Europe say they rarely use cash now. The smallest share (10%) is in Germany.

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1% in Europe haven't needed cash for at least a year; 4% in the Netherlands agree.

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