



EGU General Assembly 2012

Results of Participants Survey

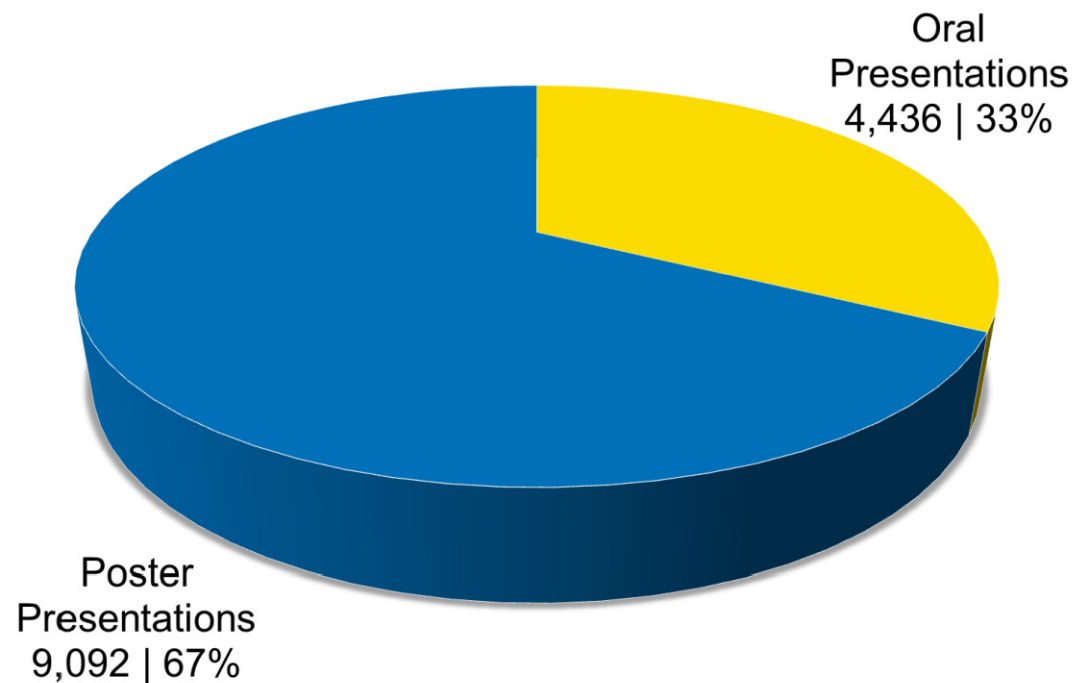




EGU GA 2012: Number of abstracts and sessions

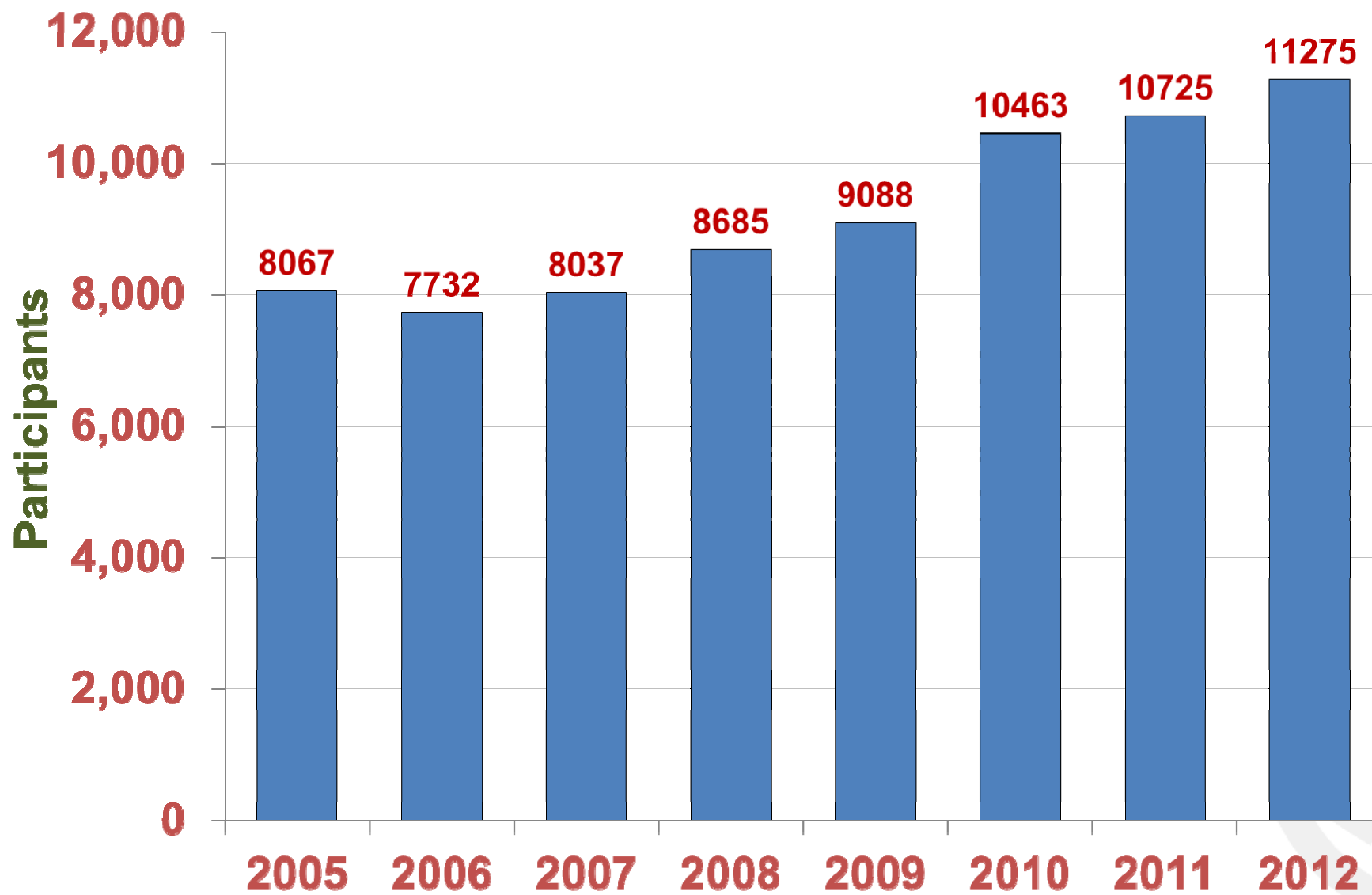
13,528 Papers in Programmes

- 4,436 Orals | 9,092 Posters | Ratio 33/67 [**2011-** 34 / 66; **2012-** 32 / 68]
- 687 Sessions (not including administrative and non-scientific)





EGU General Assembly Participants: 2005 – 2012





EGU General Assembly Questionnaire

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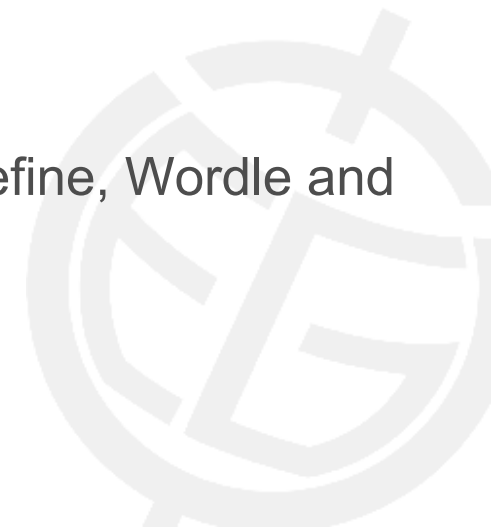
22 – 27 April 2012 | Vienna | Austria





General Information about the EGU GA 2012 Survey

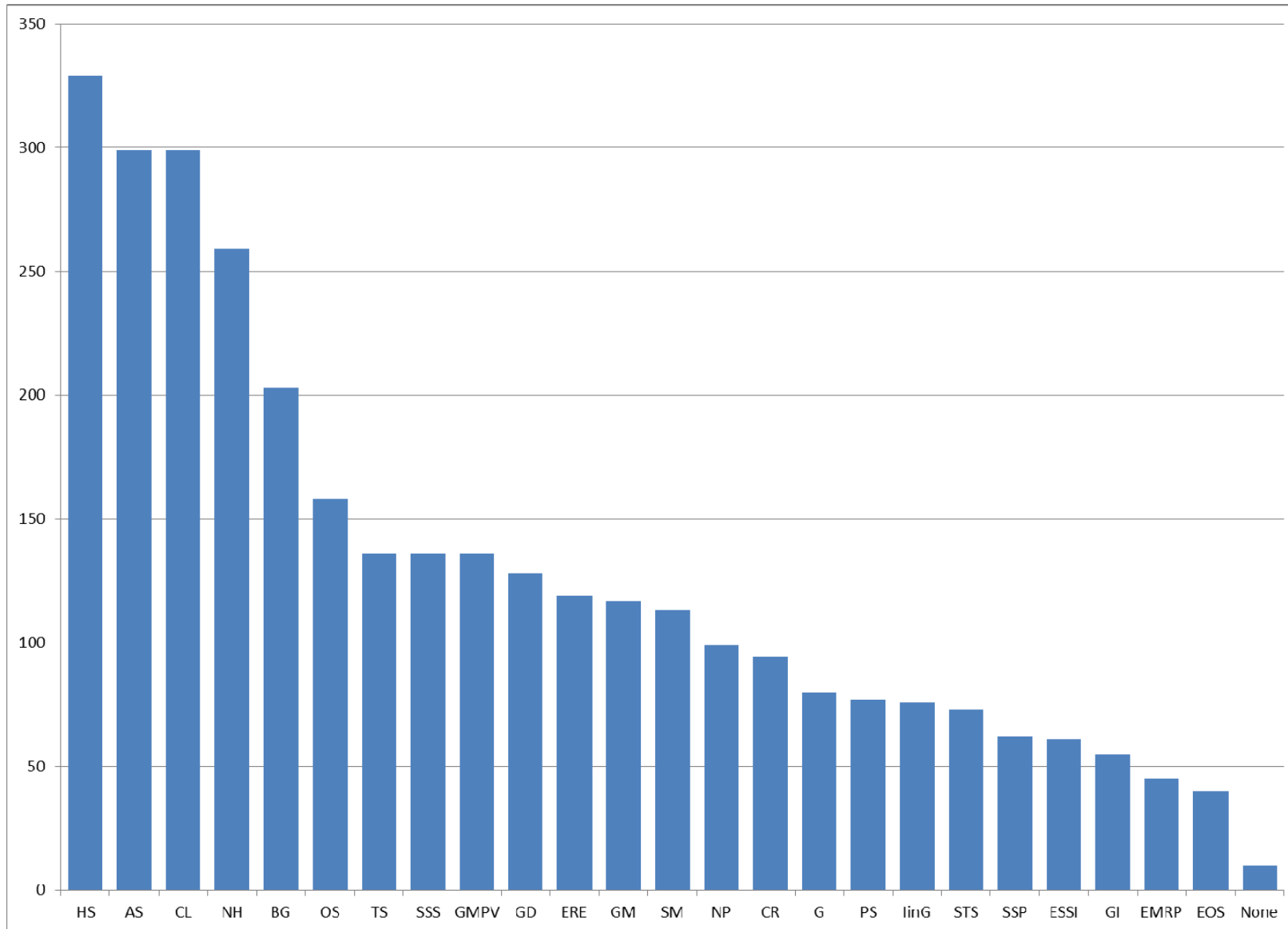
- SurveyGizmo used to design and conduct the survey
- Links distributed by email to participants, links on twitter, blog, facebook, egu.eu homepage, email to EGU members
- 1,491 responses (most from emails to participants and members)
- Survey live between mid-June and mid-August 2012
- Data analysed using SurveyGizmo's tools, Excel, Google refine, Wordle and some textual analysis of longer response questions





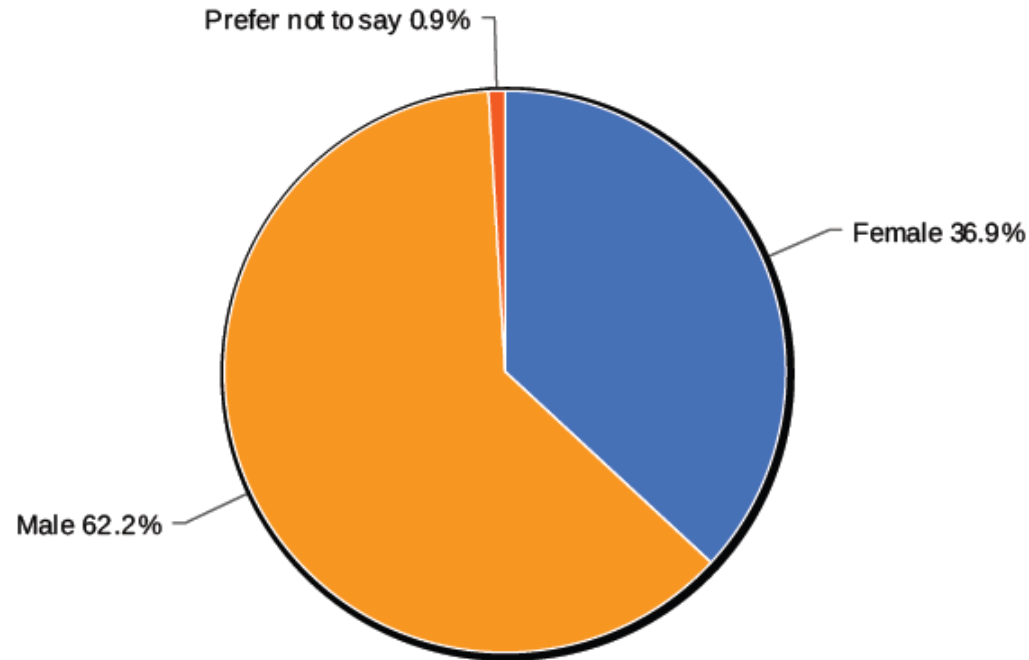
What programme group/s or division to you associate most with?

Participants could select up to 3





Survey Participant Gender



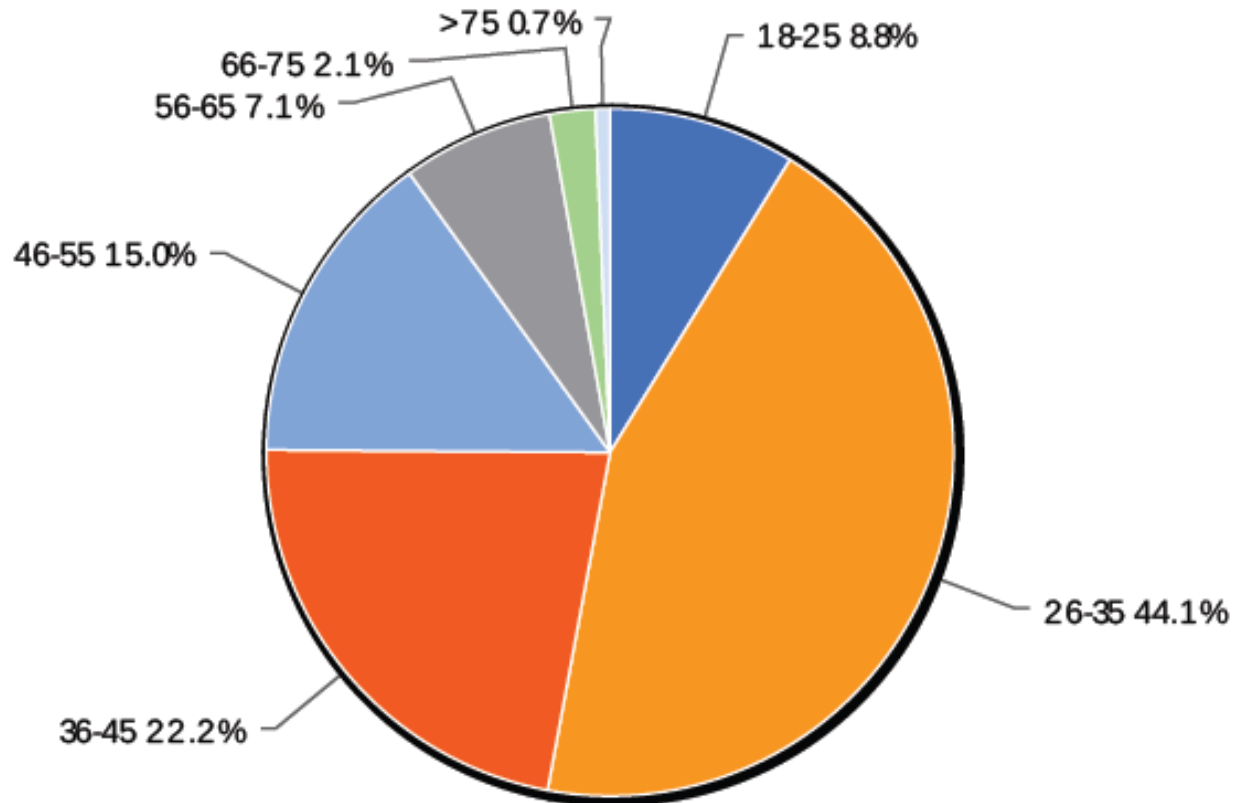
Previous years:

- 2011: 60% Male | 38% Female | 2% Prefer not to say
- 2010: 64% Male | 34% Female | 2% Prefer not to say
- 2009: 65% Male | 34% Female | 1% No answer





Survey Participant Age



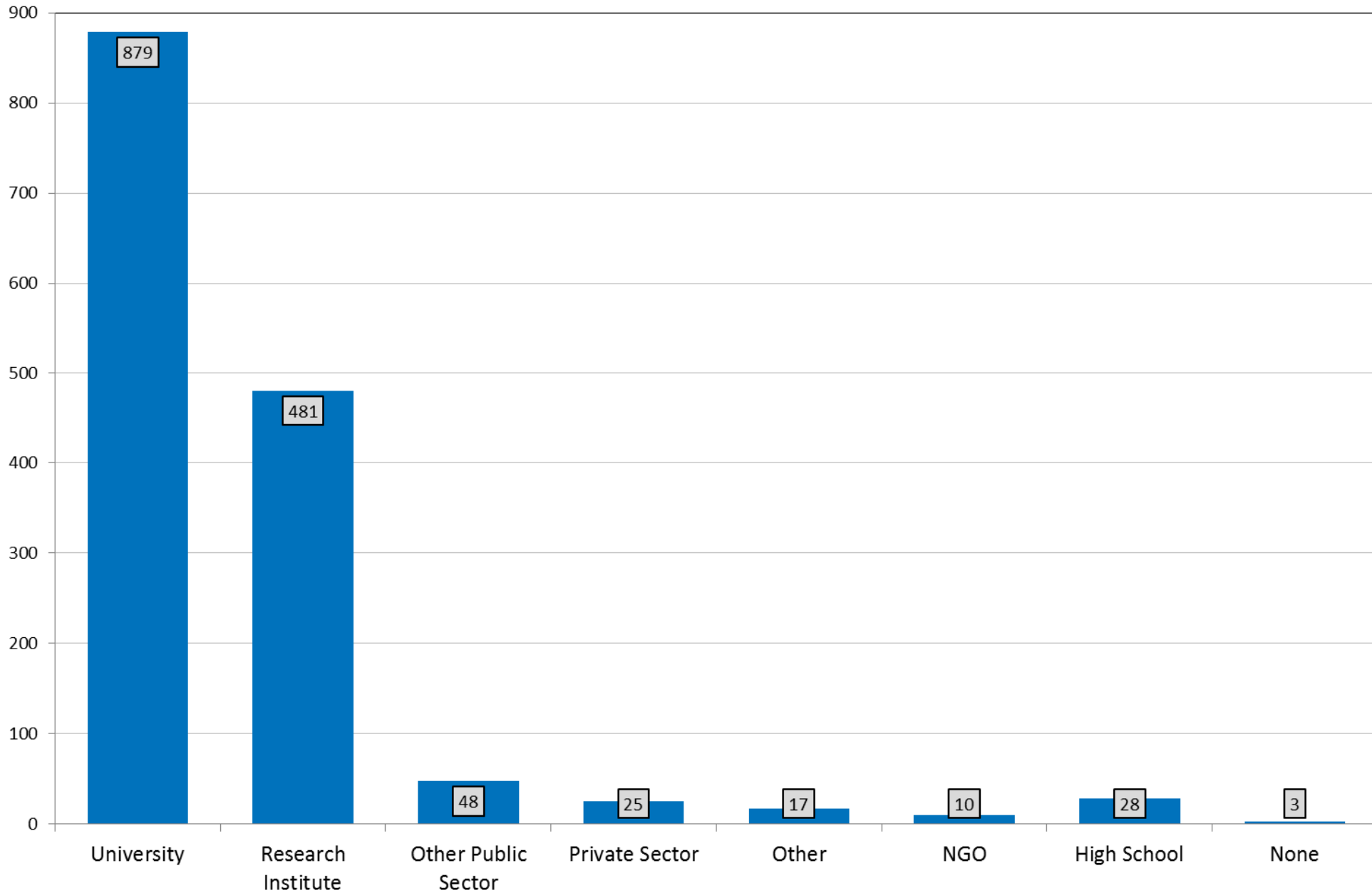
Compared to Registration Status:

- 36% Student | 64% Standard and Retired



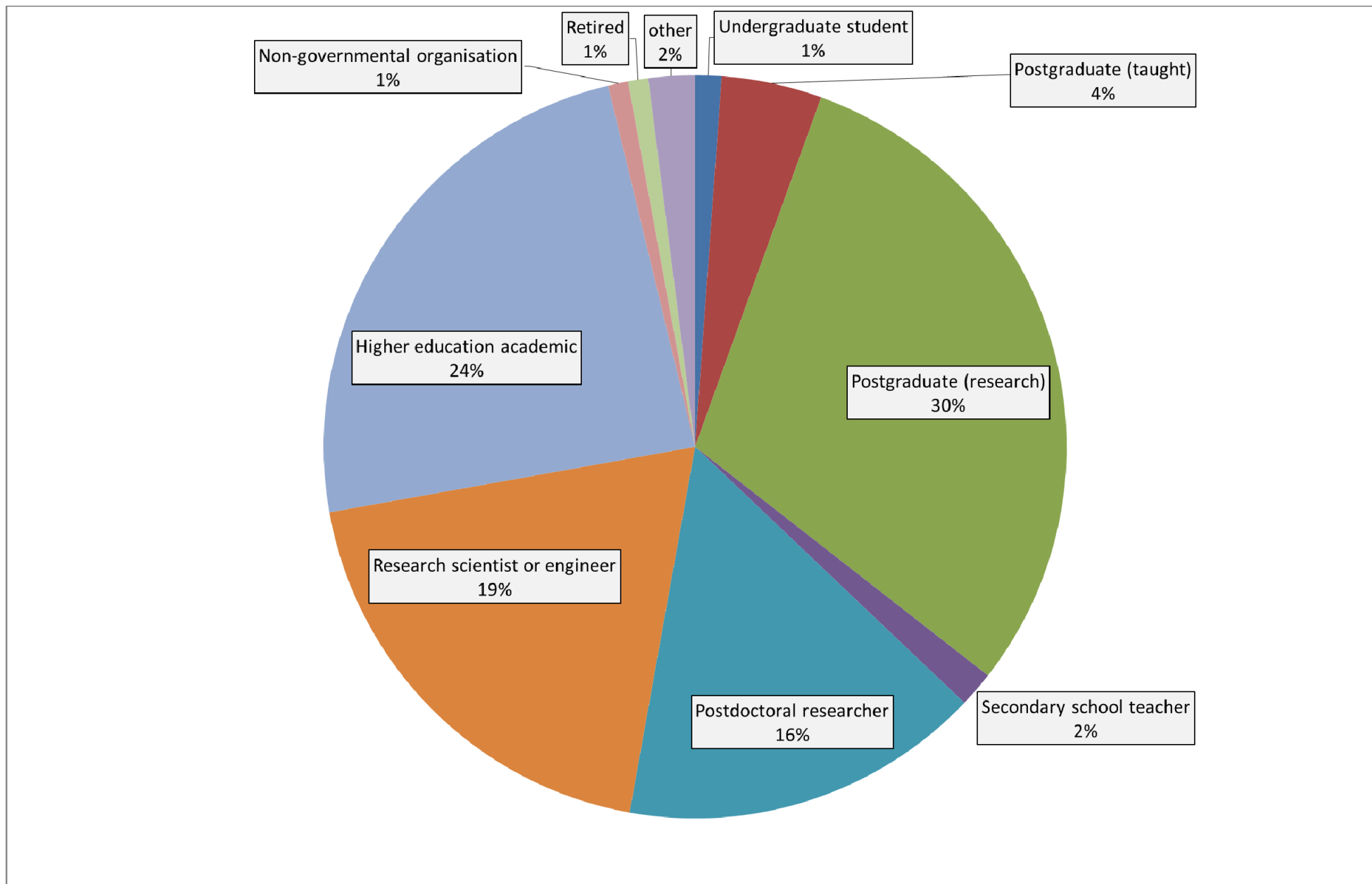


What sector does your employer belong to? (n=1491)





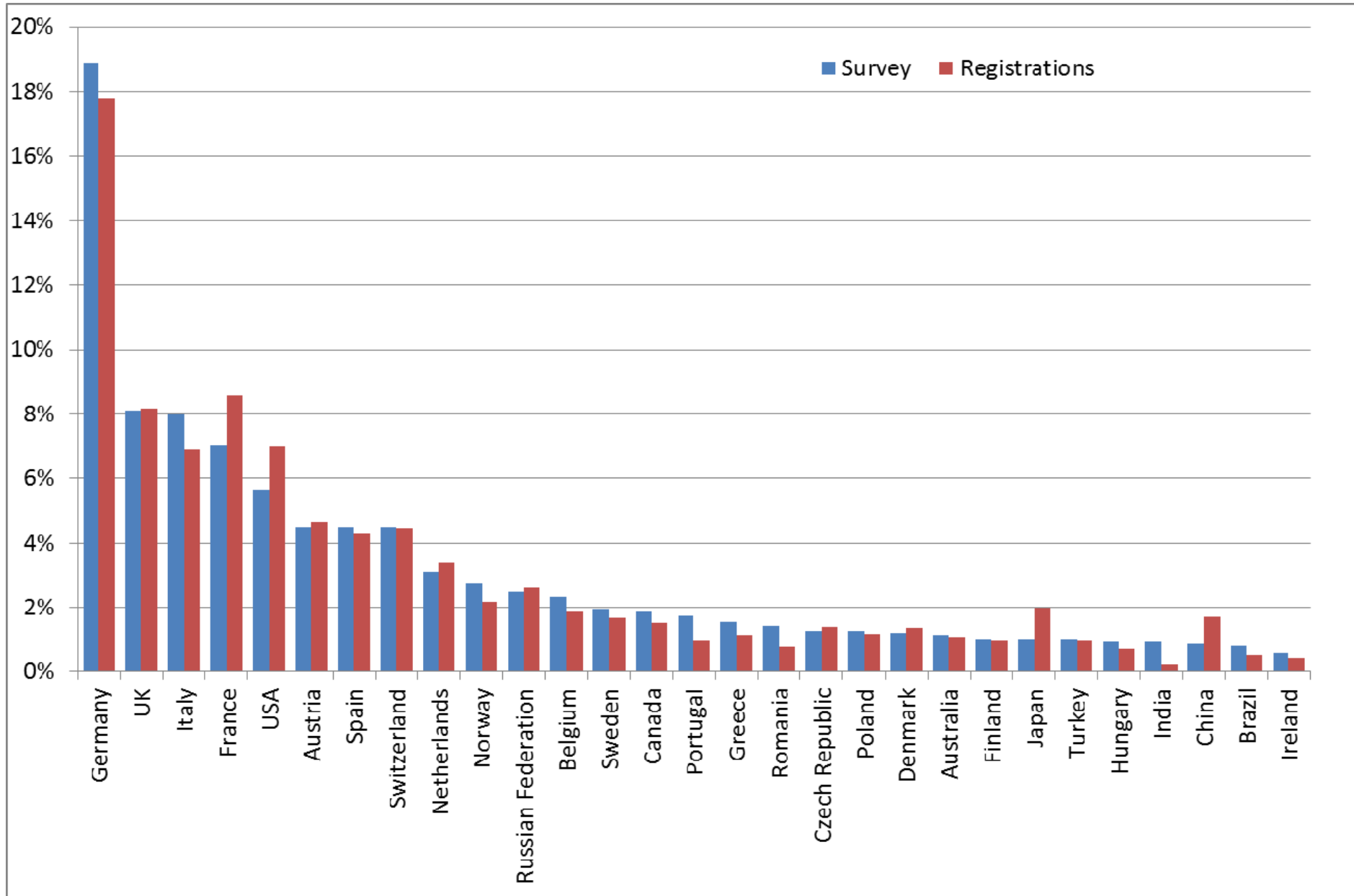
Are you a...? (n=1488)





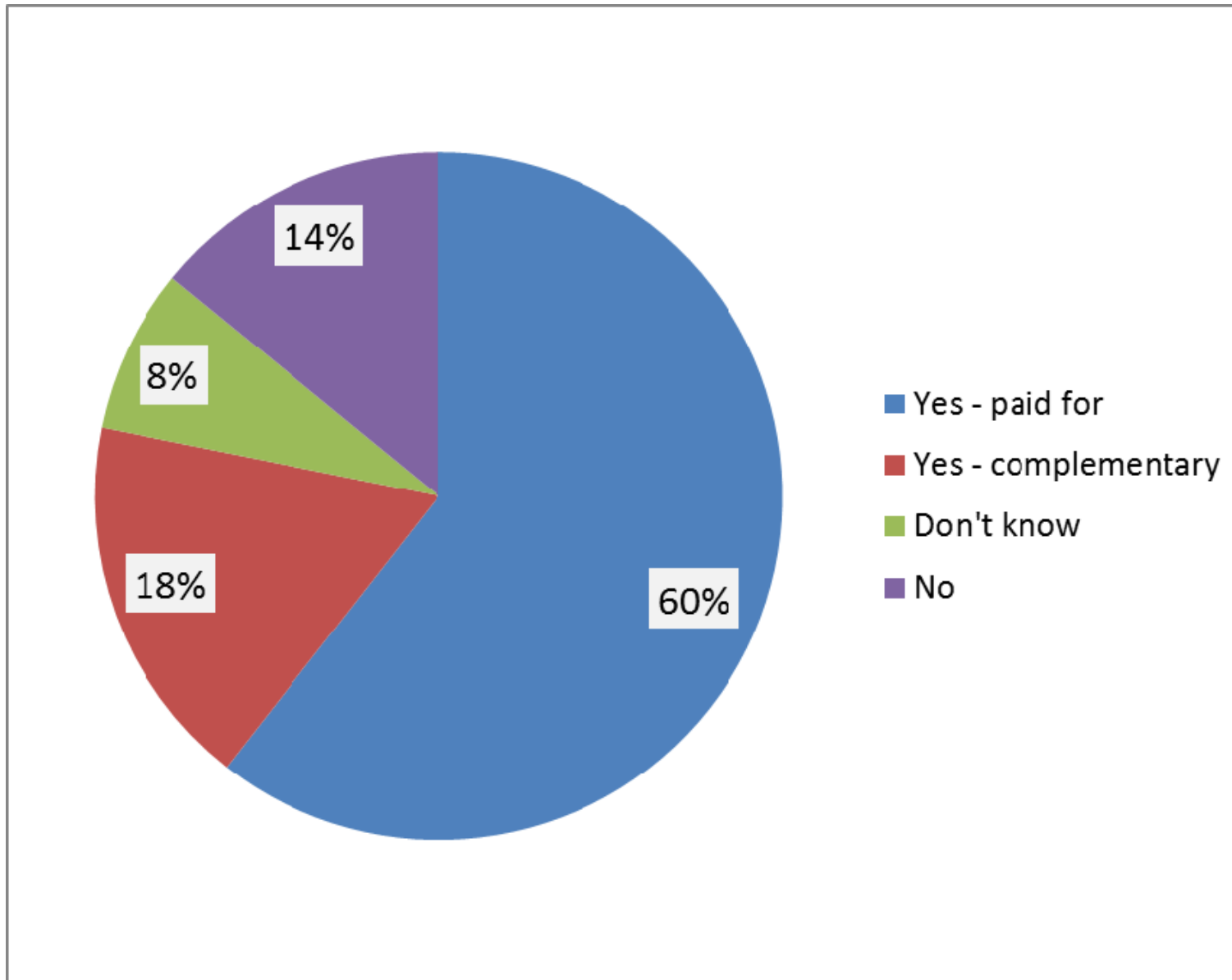
Survey Participant Country

$n \geq 9$ for survey



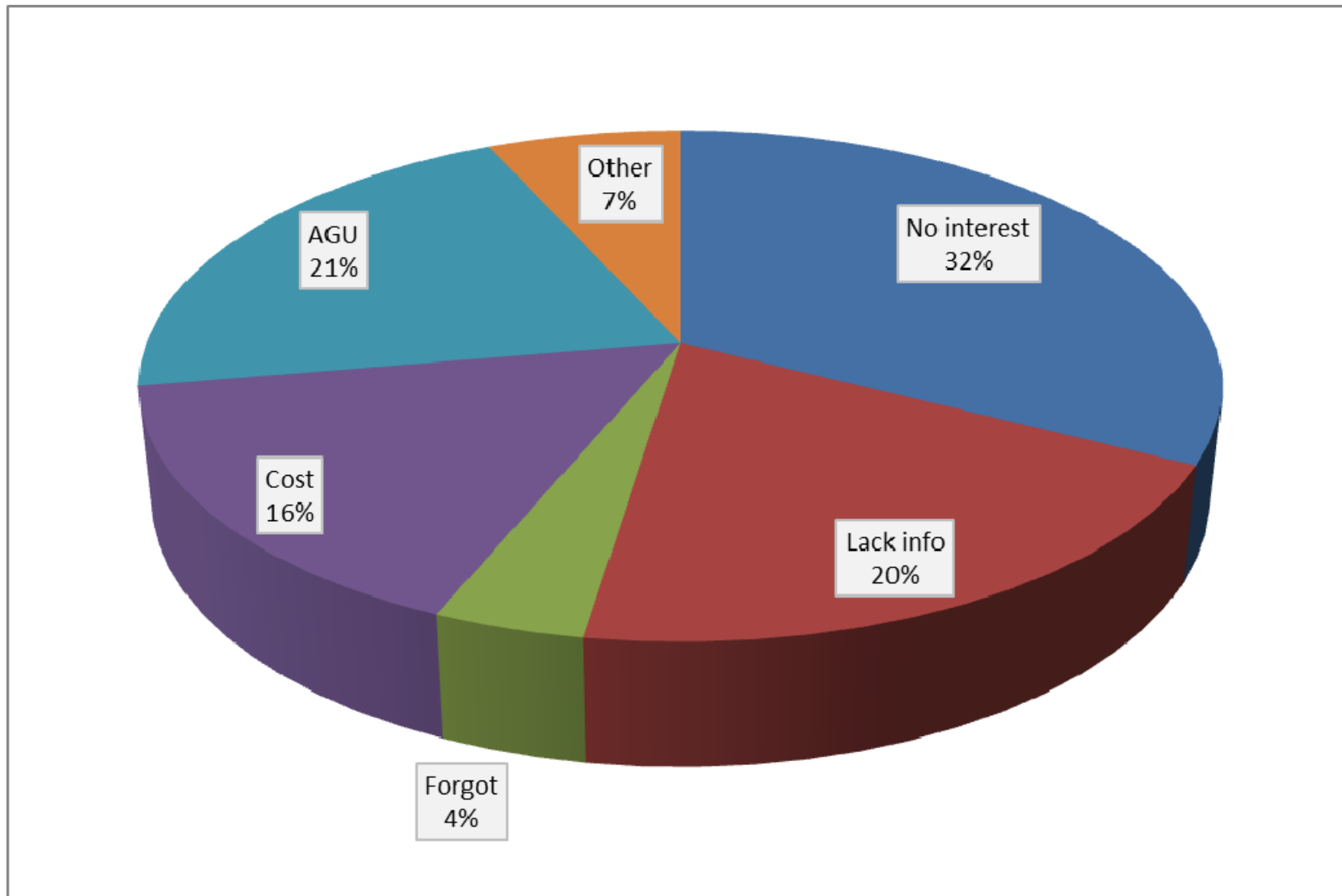


Are you an EGU member for 2012? (n=1491)



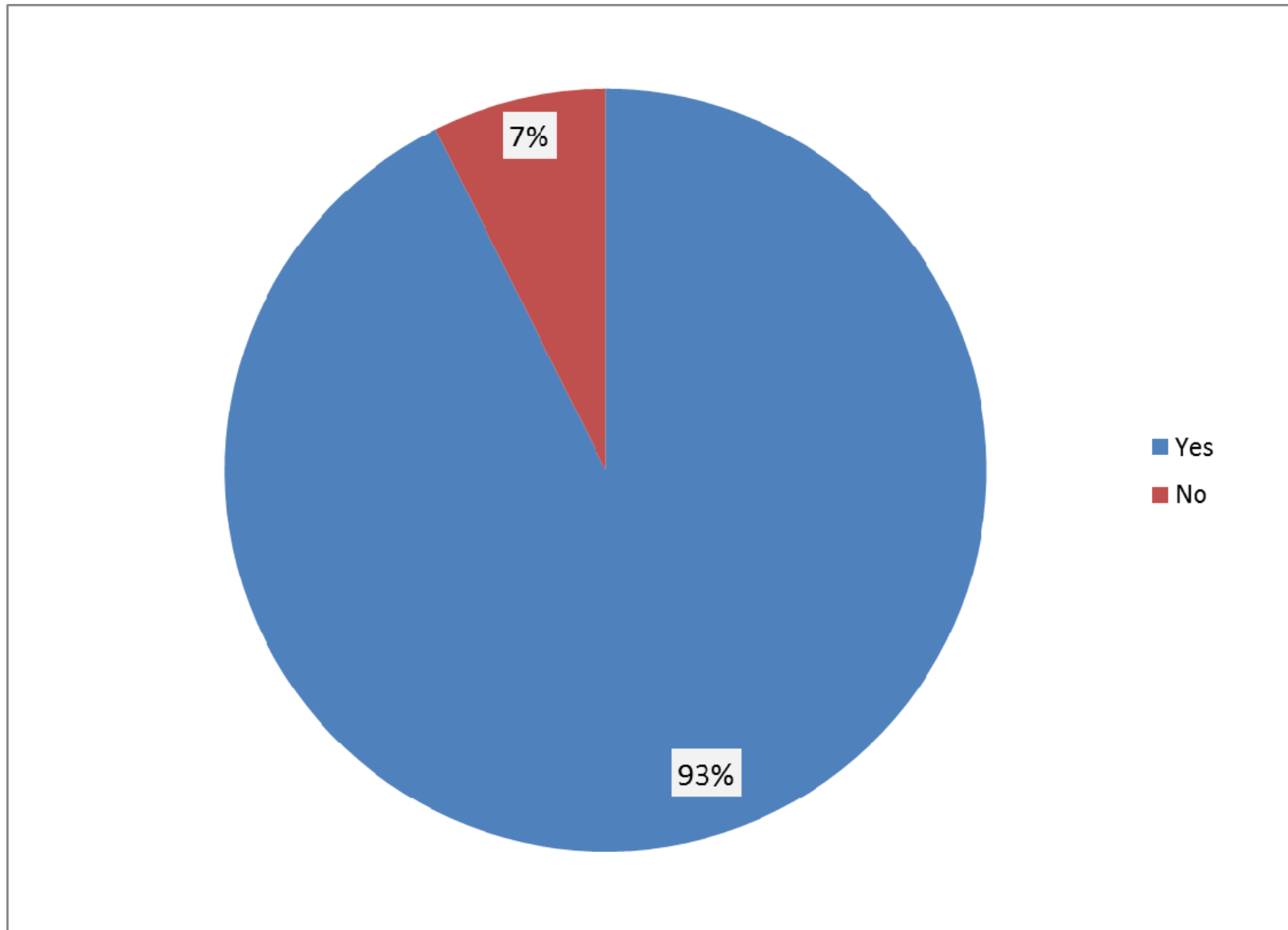


Why are you not an EGU member? (n=191)





Did you attend the EGU GA2012 in Vienna? (n=1491)





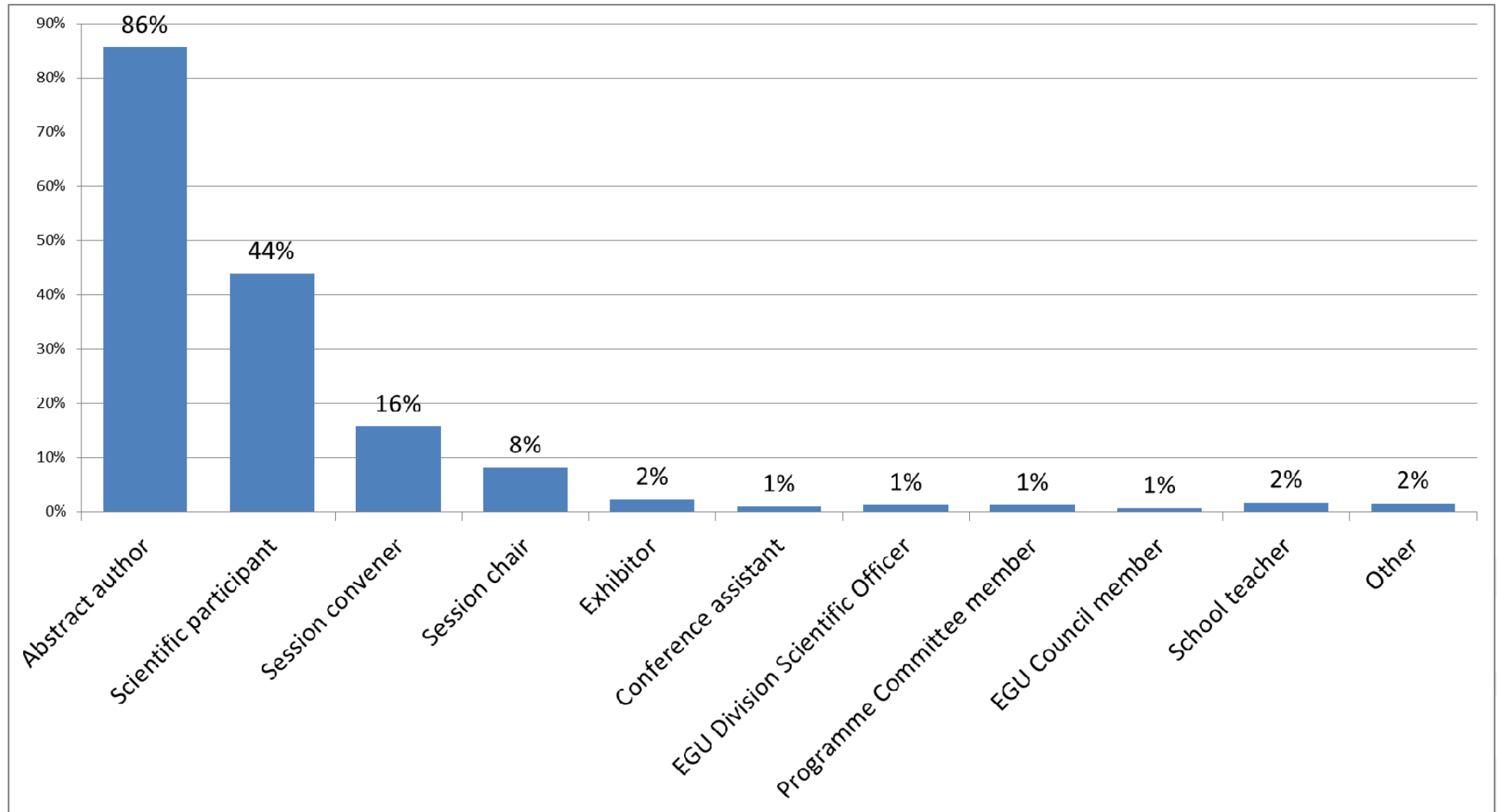
Reasons for non-attendance at EGU GA 2012, despite abstract acceptance

Reason	Count
Visa issues	1
Illness or personal problems	7
Financial problems	23
Never planned on attending EGU GA	11
Lack of time to prepare	3
Other	8
	53



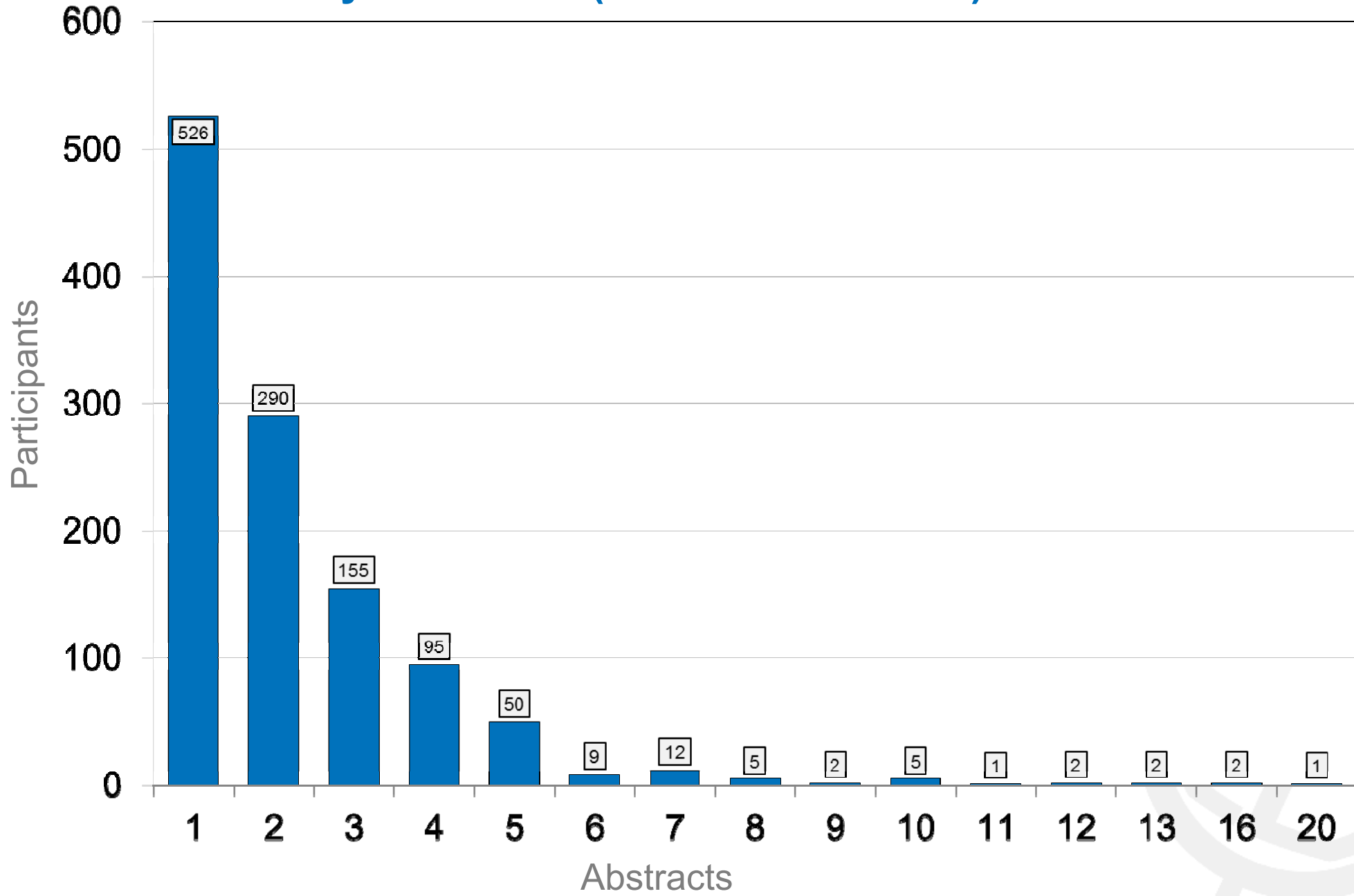


Role at EGU GA 2012 (where $n > 10$)



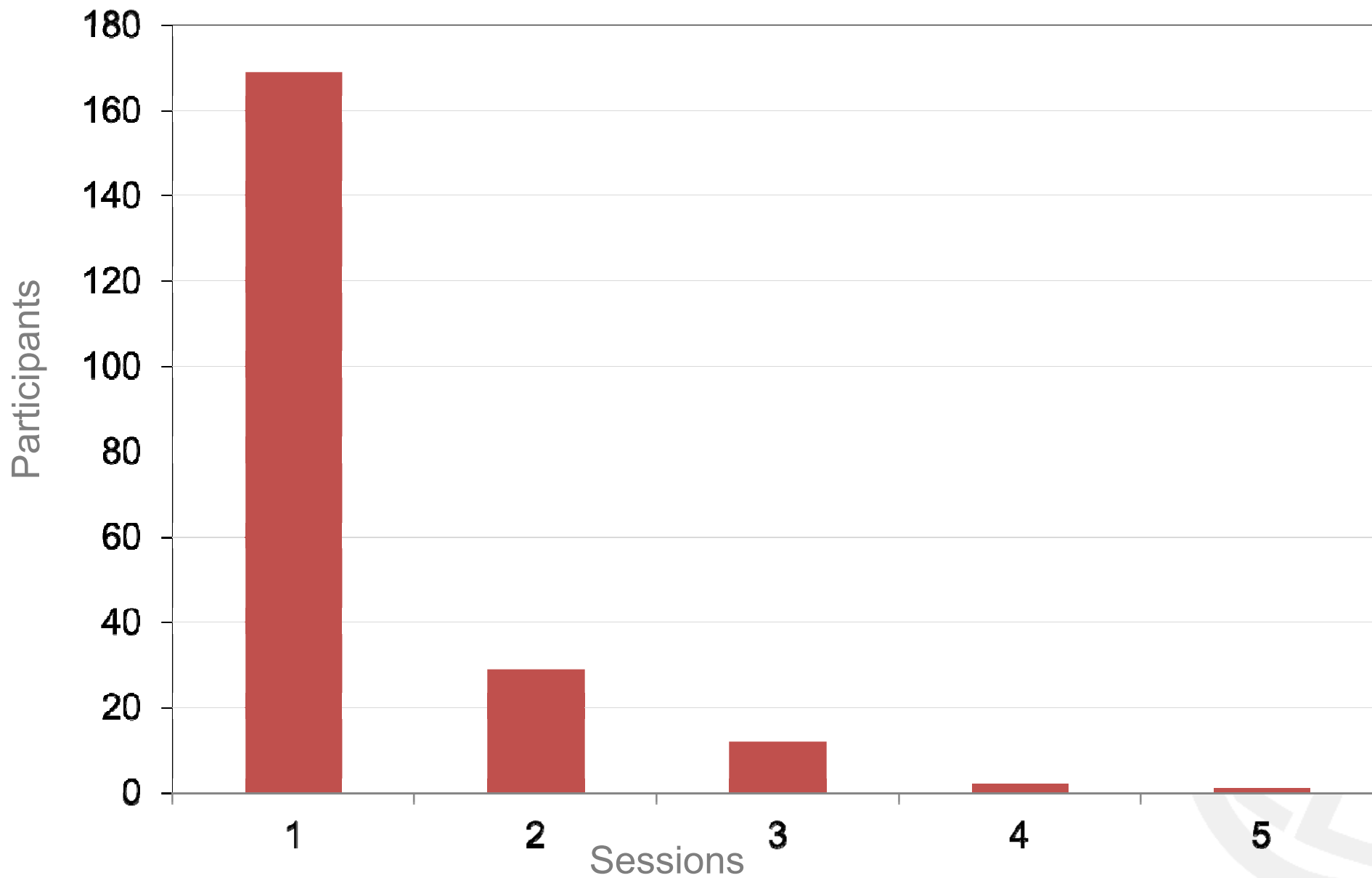


How many abstracts (lead or co-author)?



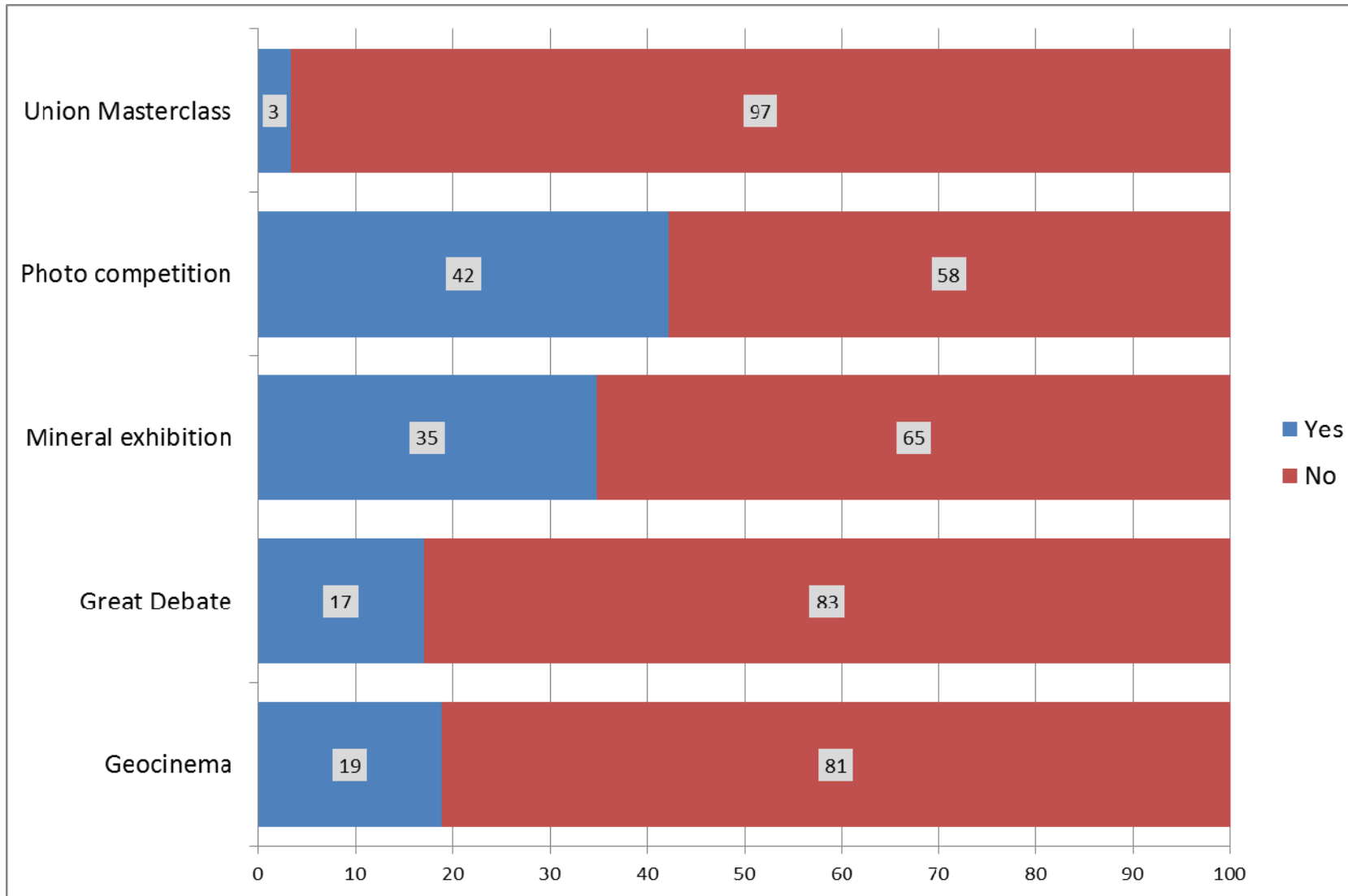


Convenor on how many sessions?





Did you attend the following at GA2012? (% respondents)

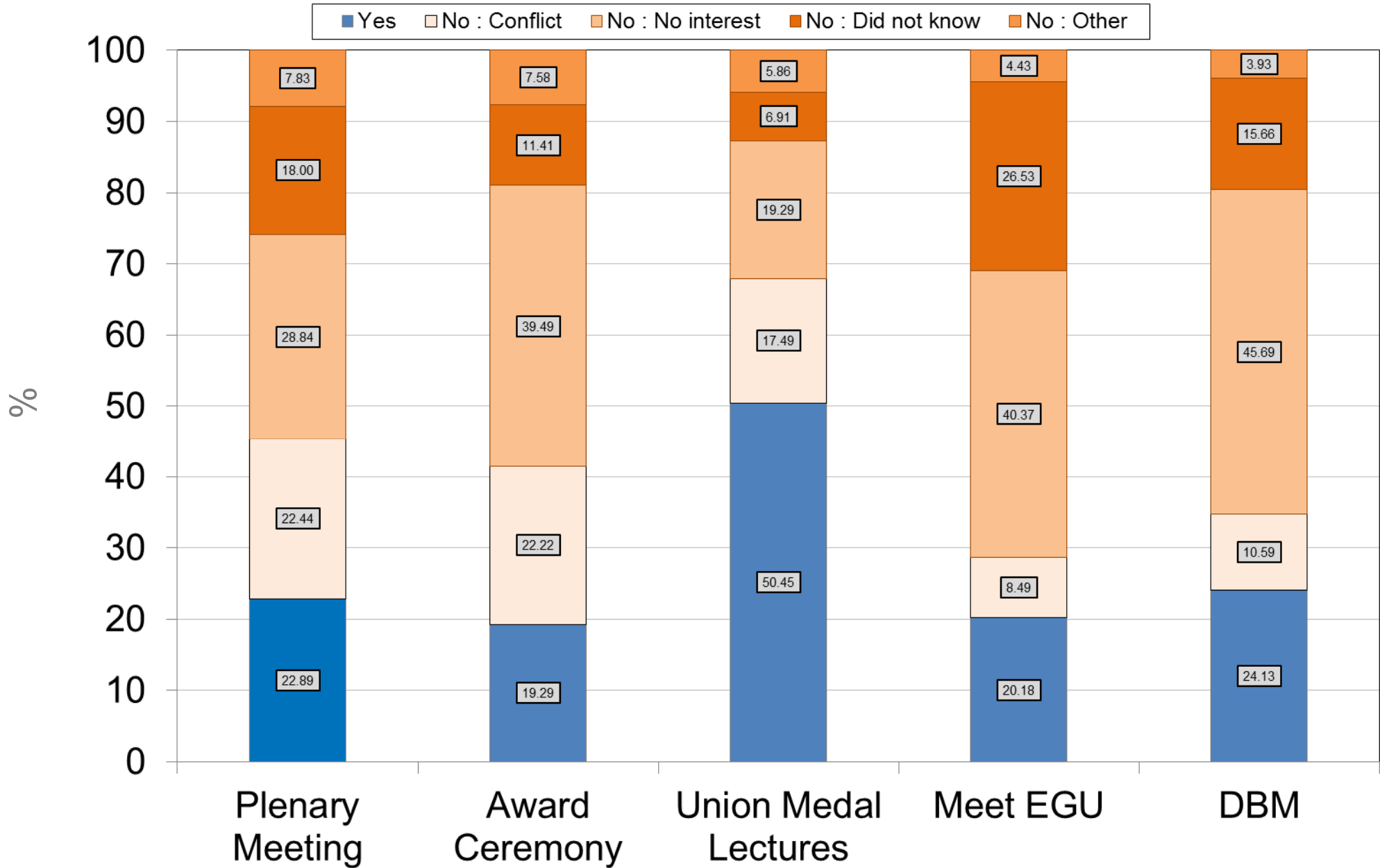


How interested are you in these extras at the EGU GA?

Not interested 10% | Neutral 45% | Interested 38% | Very Interested 7%

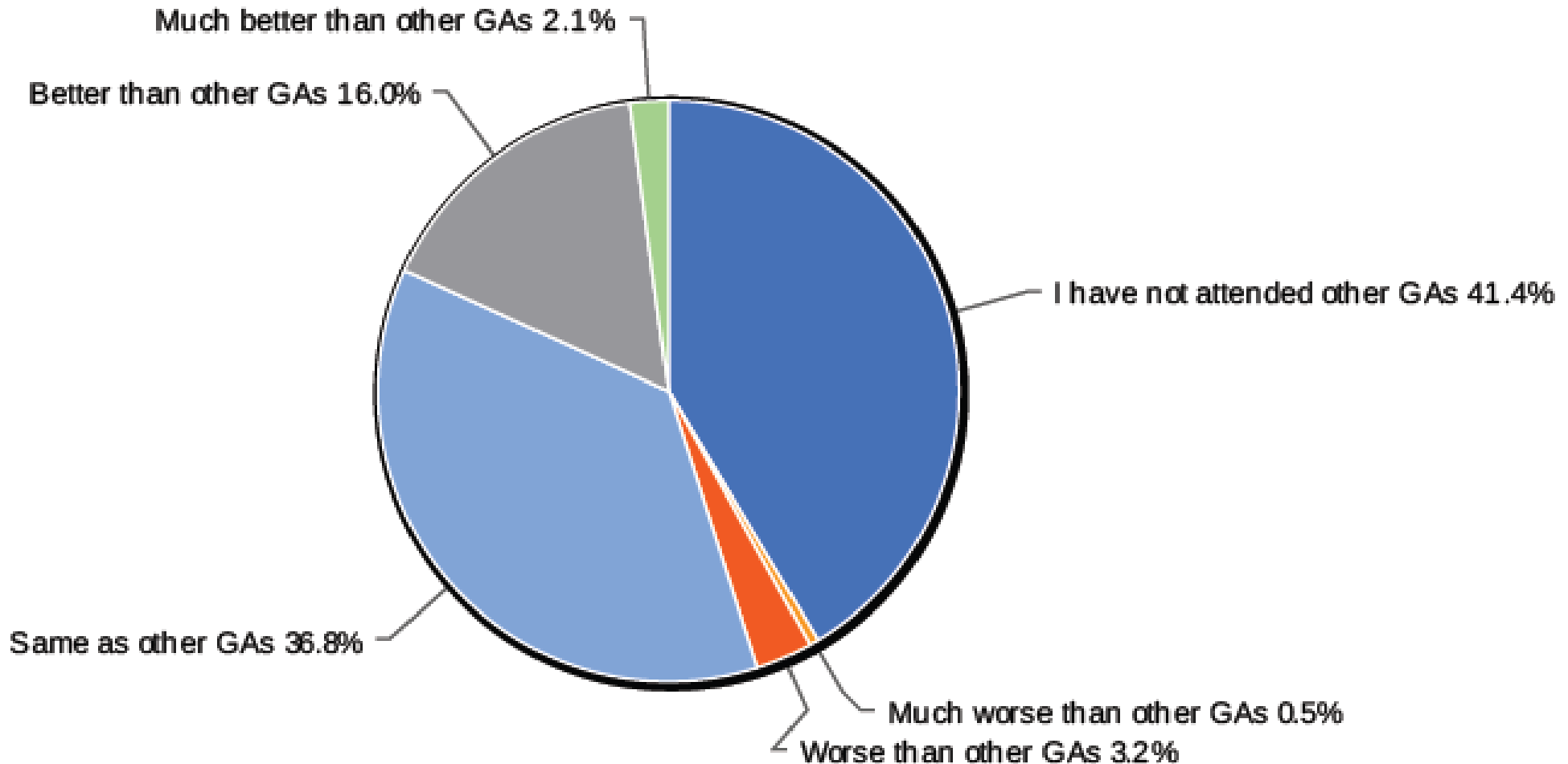


Attendance at other EGU events at the GA2012 (%)



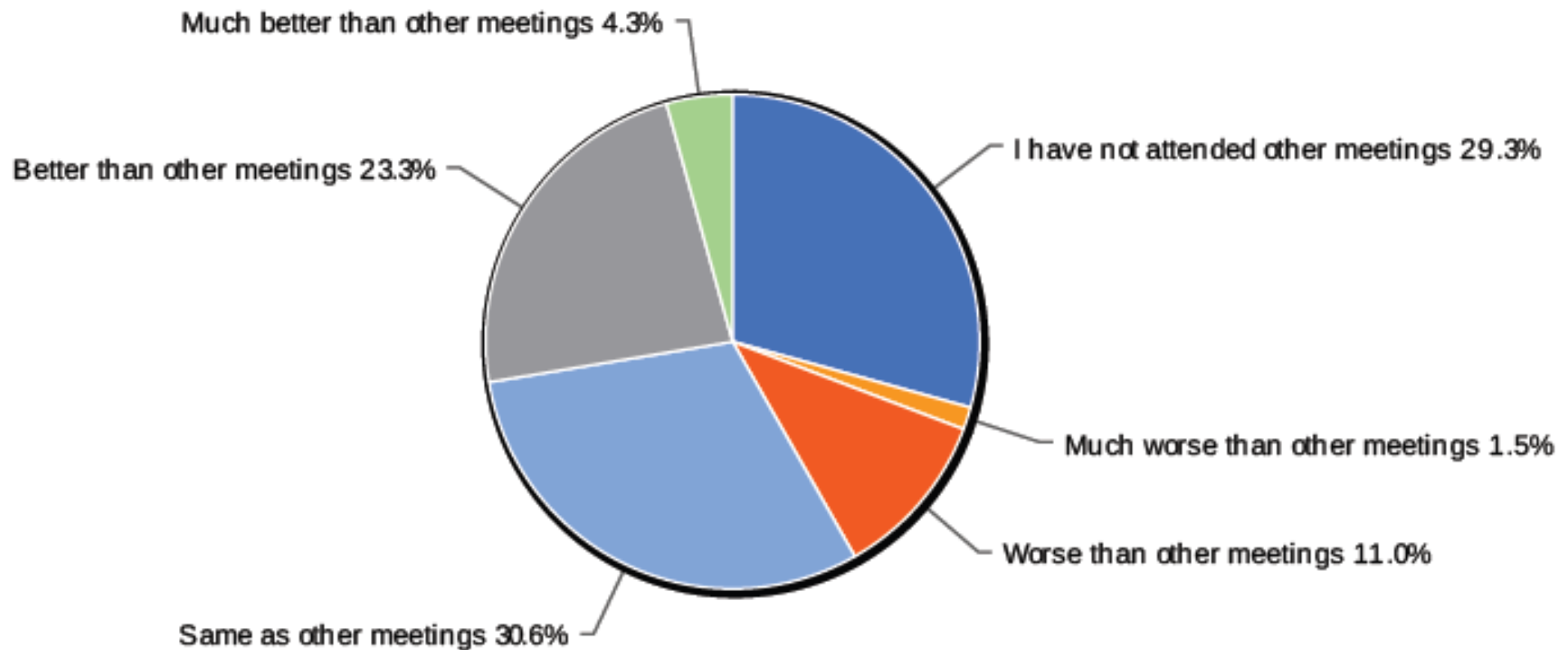


General poster experience at GA2012 compared to other General Assemblies



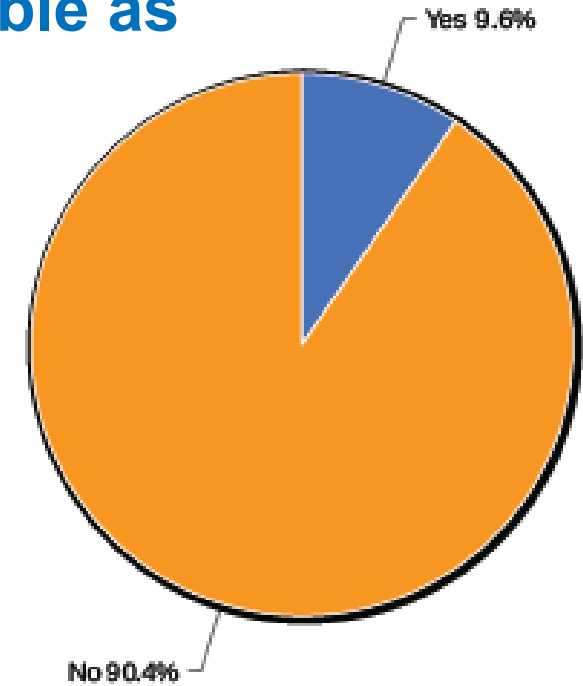


General poster experience at GA2012 compared to recent other large conferences

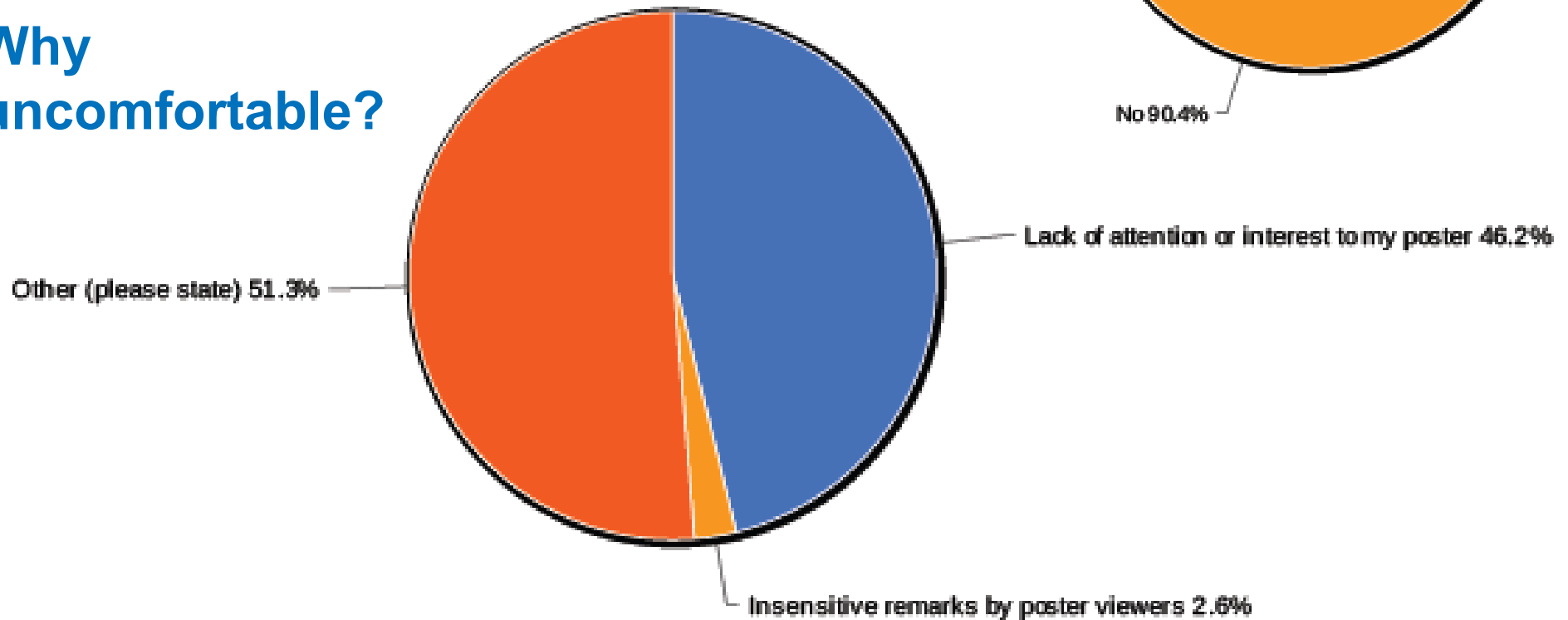




Uncomfortable as a poster presenter?

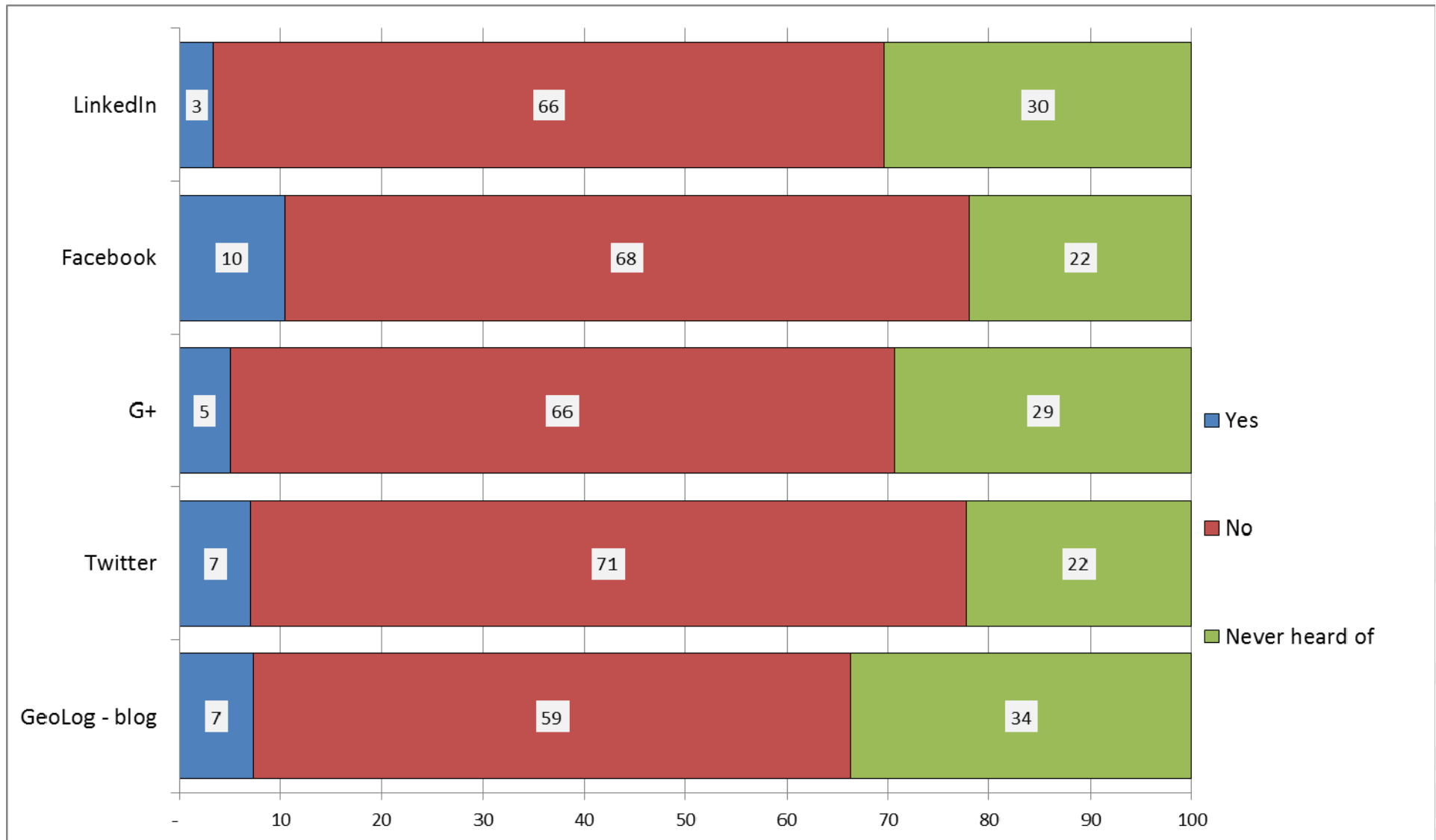


Why uncomfortable?



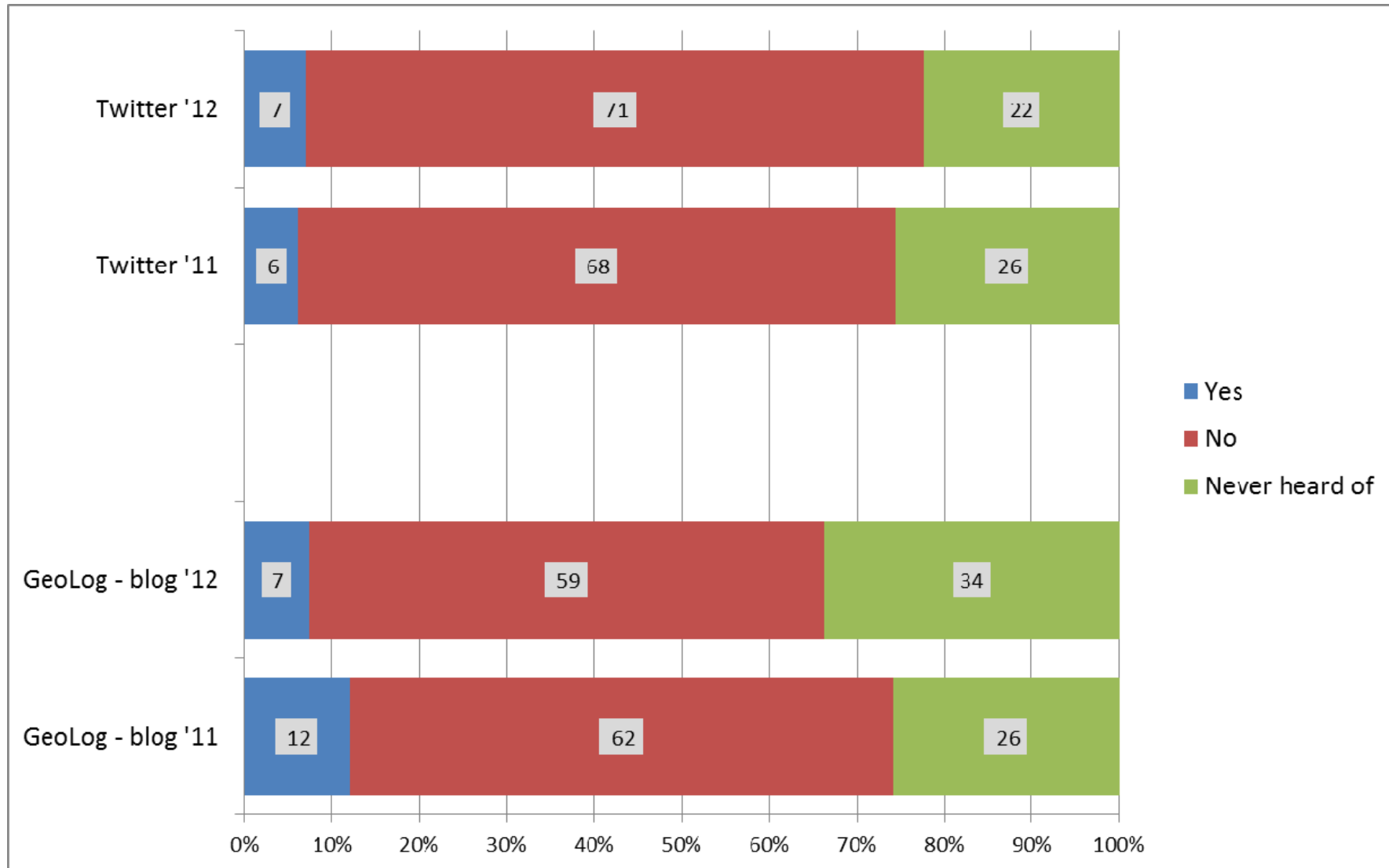


Did you use EGU social media during GA2012? (%)





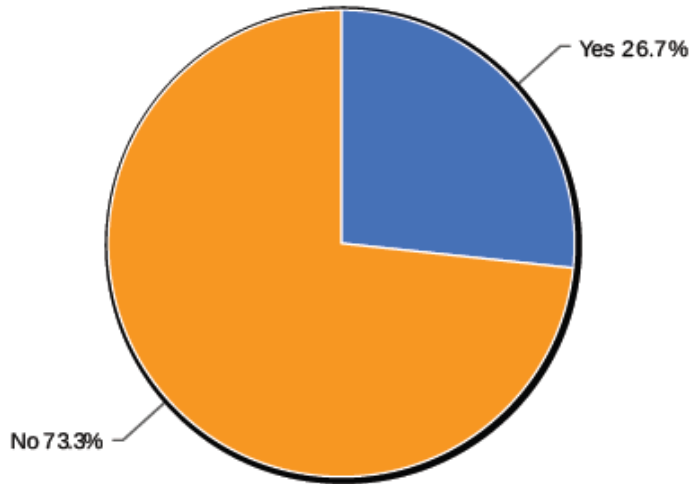
Social media compared to GA 2011



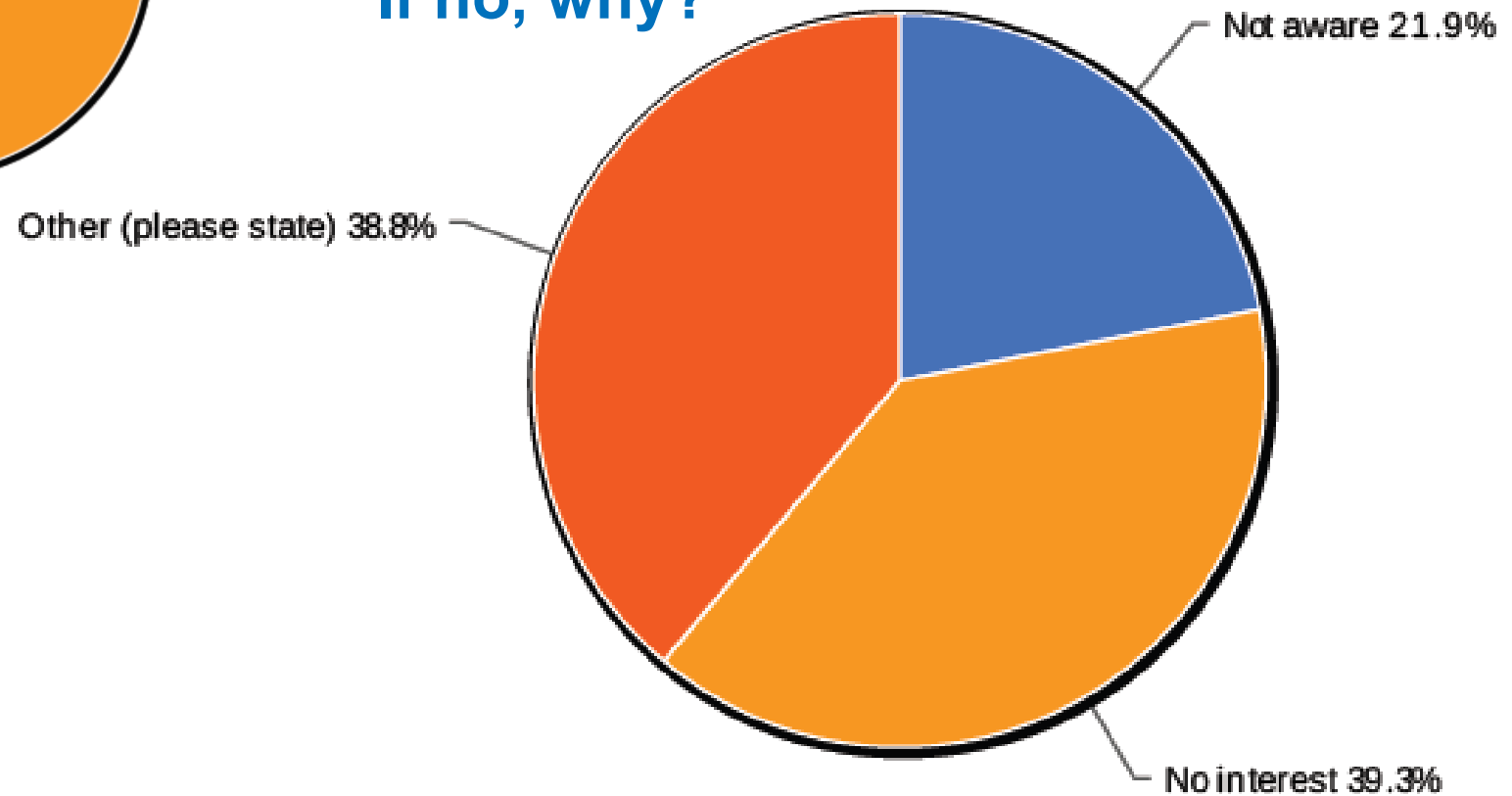
* But how were they advertised?



Did you use new GA2012 mobile phone application?

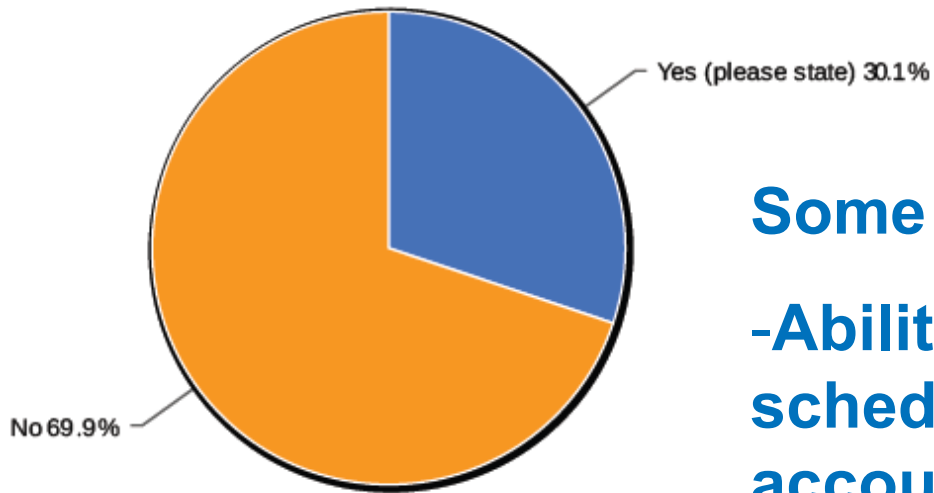


If no, why?





GA2012 mobile phone application: was it missing features?



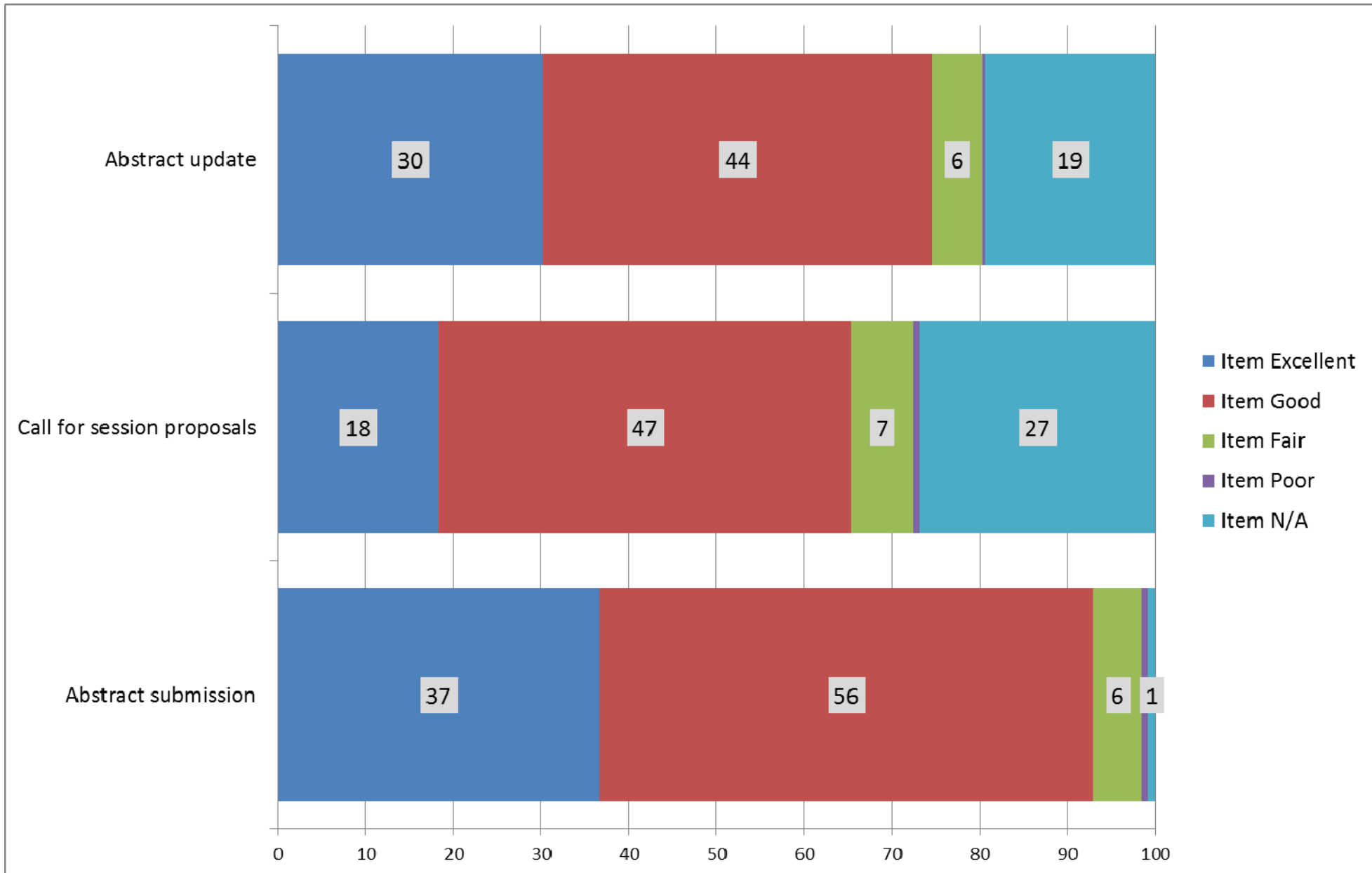
Some suggestions:

- Ability to download marked schedule created in the online account
- Ability to read abstracts and not just titles
- GeoCinema
- Took up too much memory
- Search function was poor



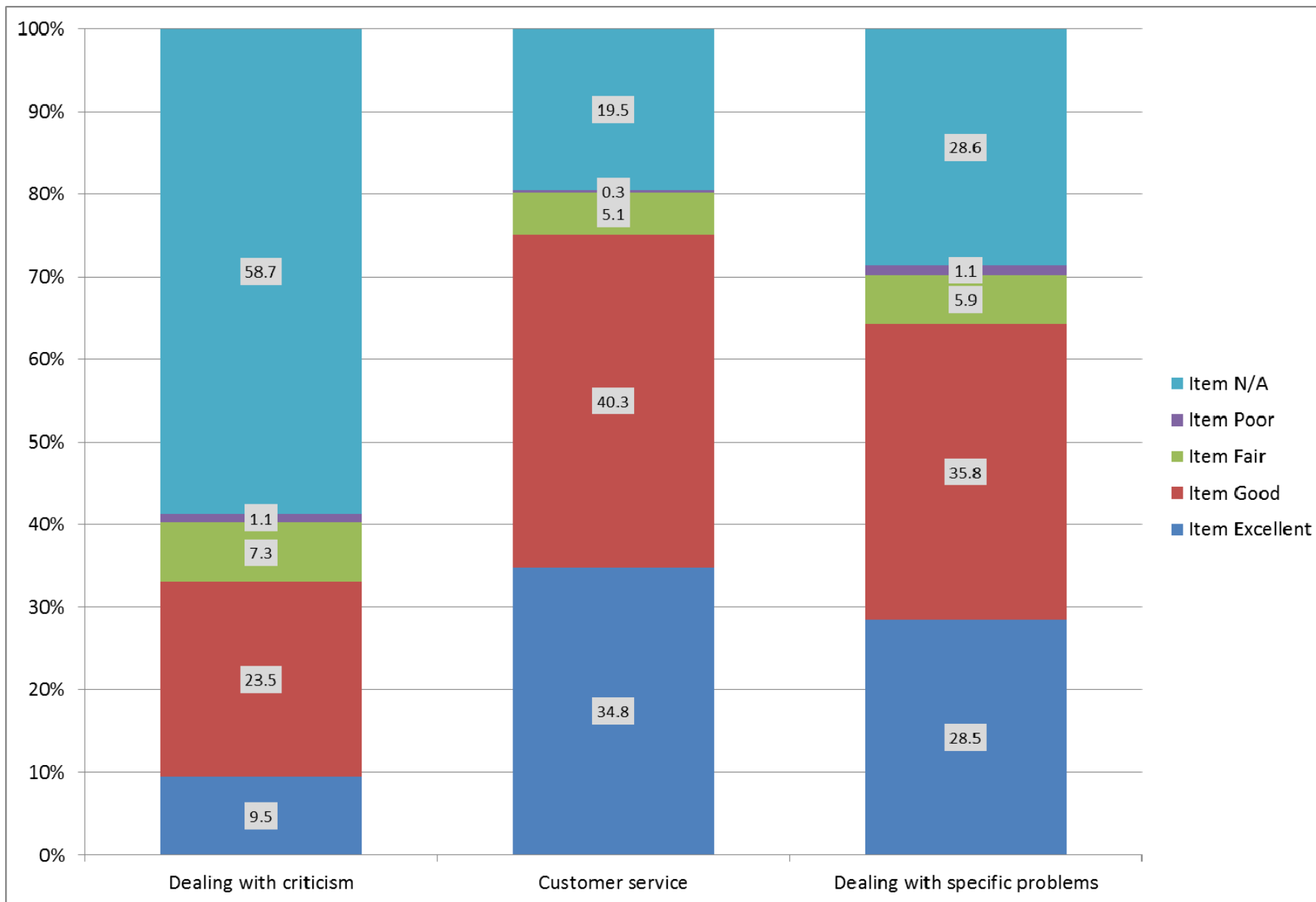


How would you rate the following tools? (%)



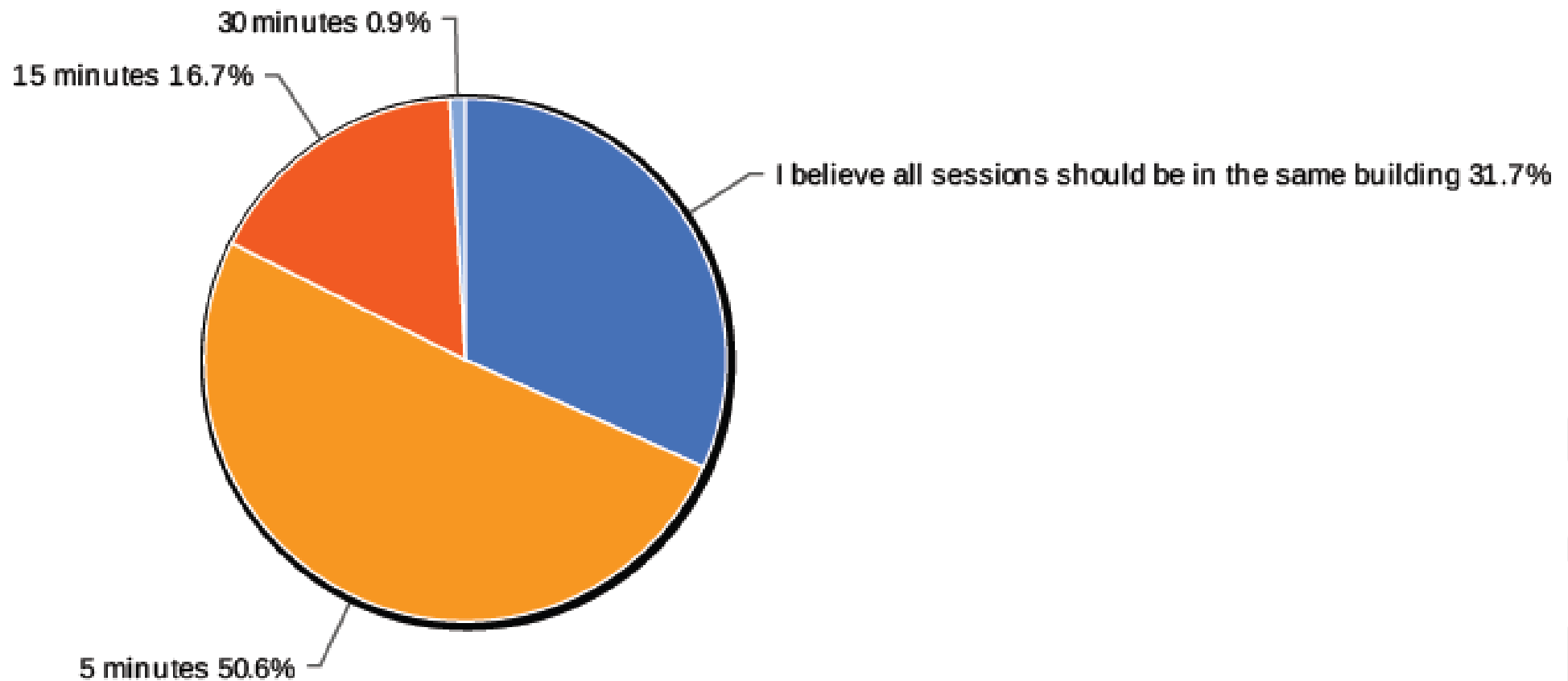


Copernicus at GA 2012?



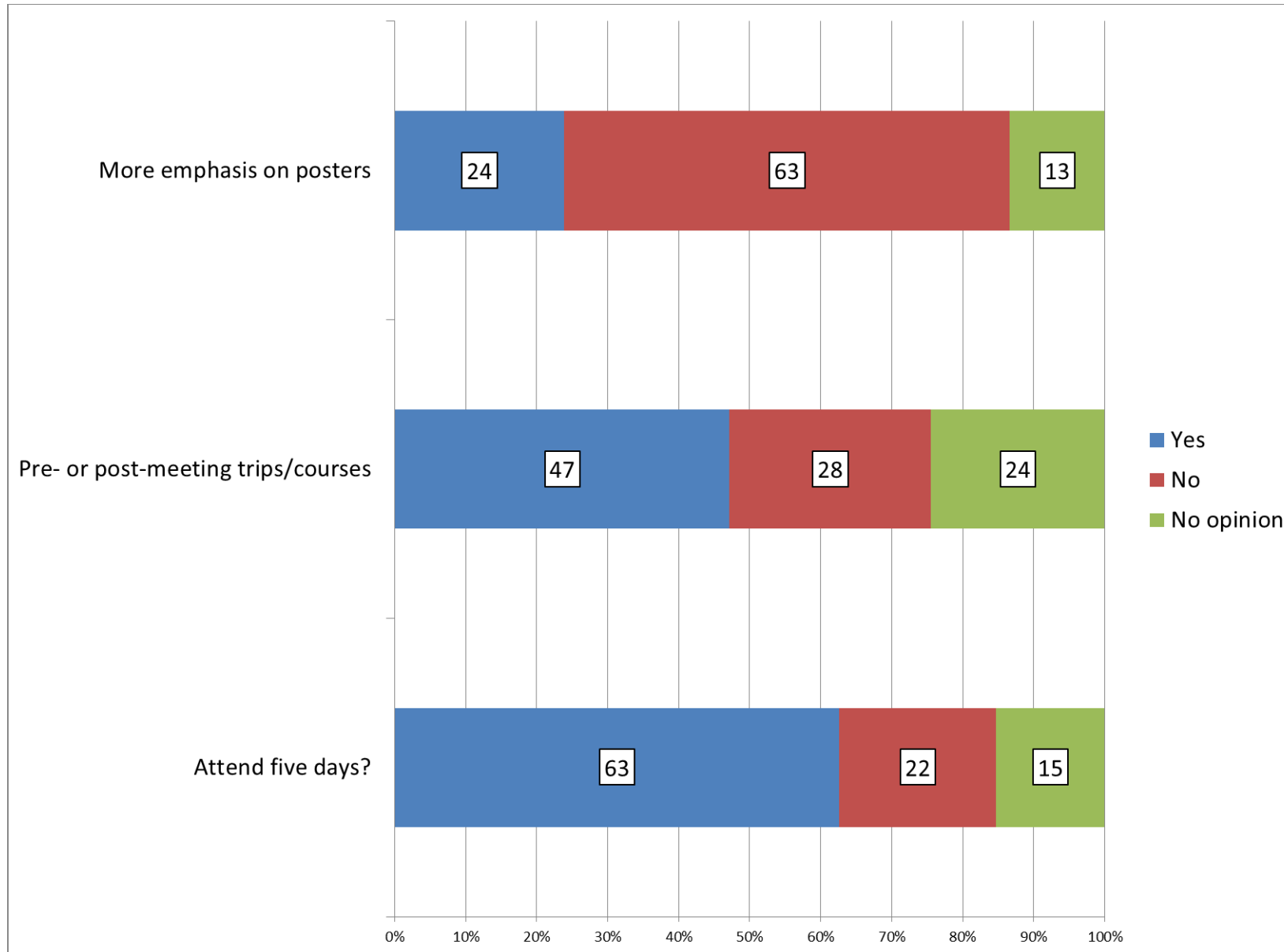


Would you be comfortable with the use of two buildings for future GAs and, if so, what is your maximum tolerated walking time?



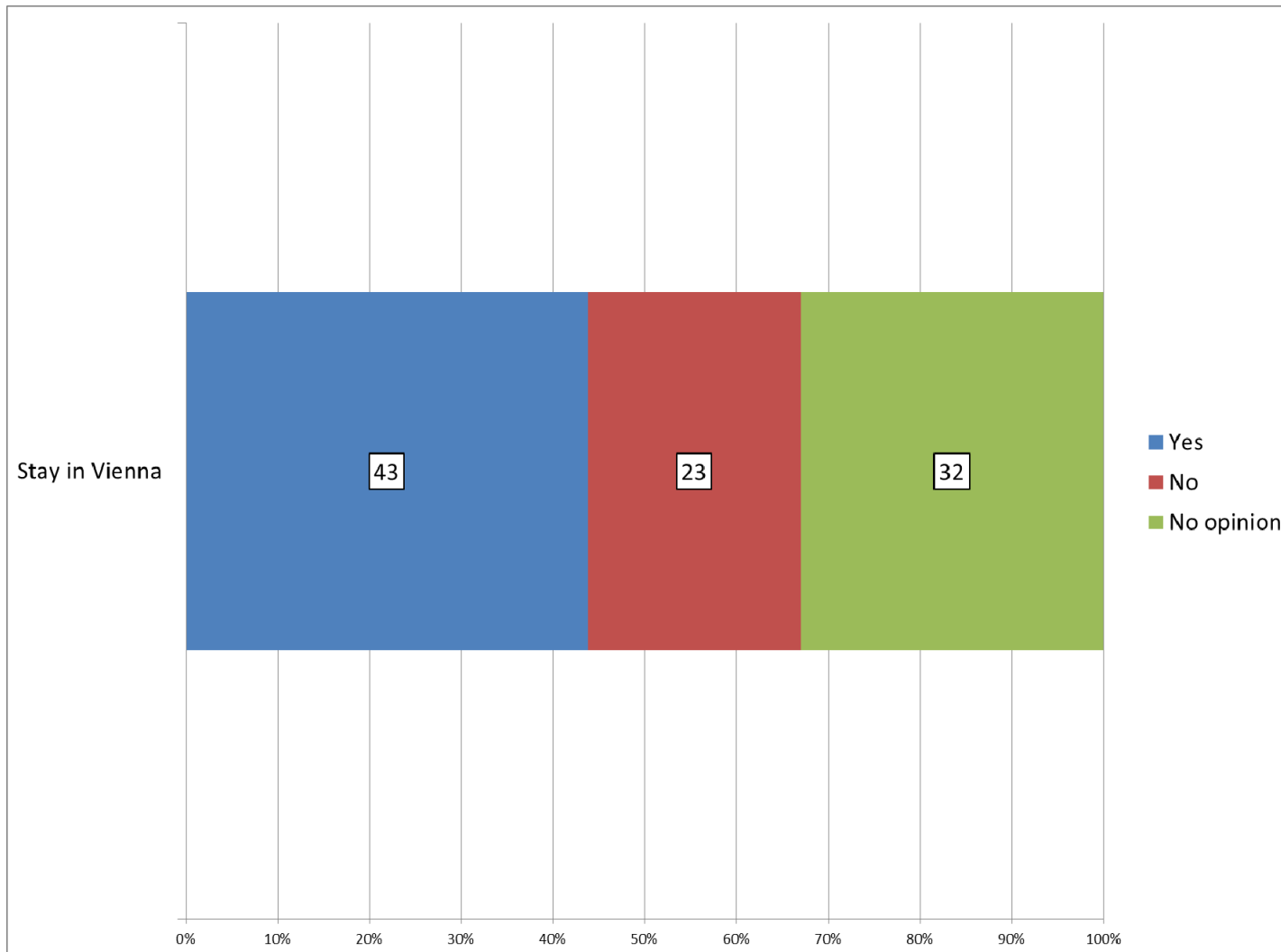


Ideas for the future, in % (n~1450 responses per question)





In future, do you wish to stay in Vienna? (n=1,450)





Do you feel like you have a voice in the EGU?

