

HANNEY COMMUNITY PLAN 2011

is based mainly on the responses to a questionnaire completed by a large proportion of the residents of East and West Hanney in November 2010.

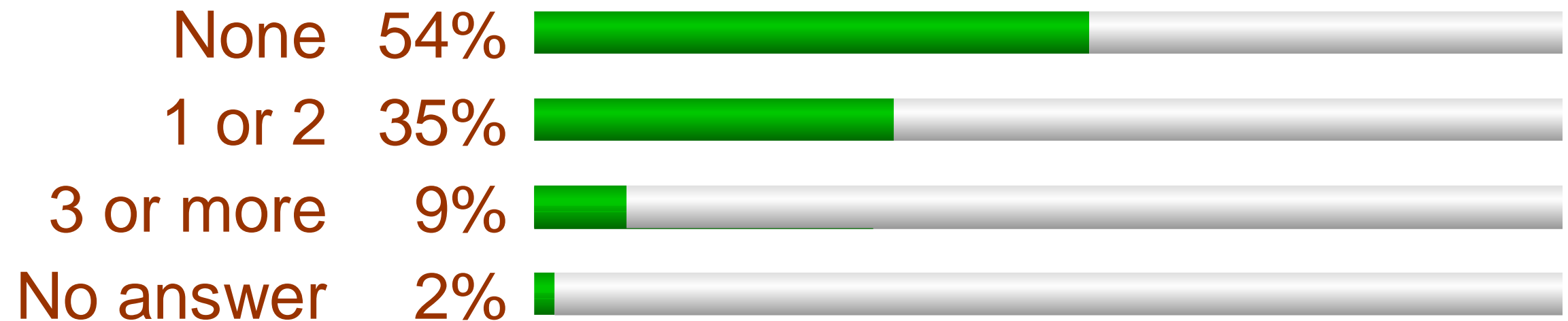
The following charts, showing details of the responses to the questionnaire, were displayed in Hanney War Memorial Hall on 14th May 2011 when the results were presented to the public.

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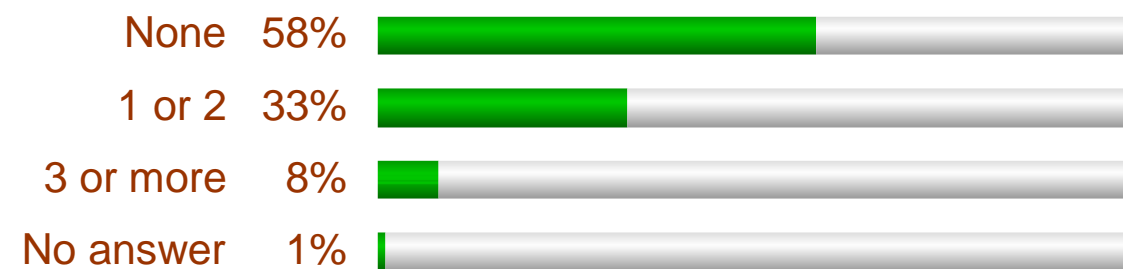
COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Q.01 How many Hanney organisations, societies and clubs are you involved in?

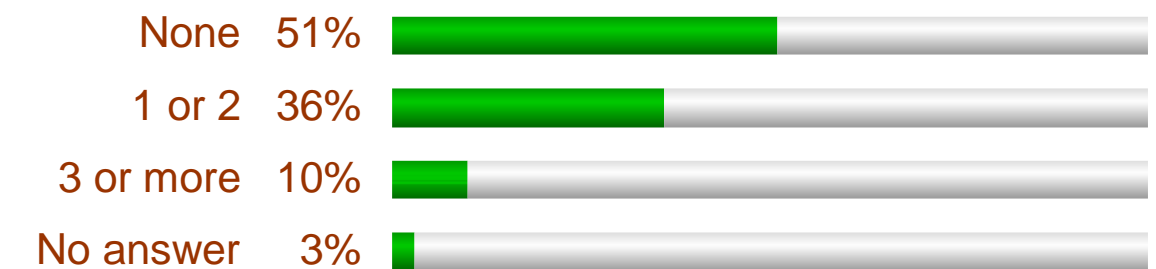
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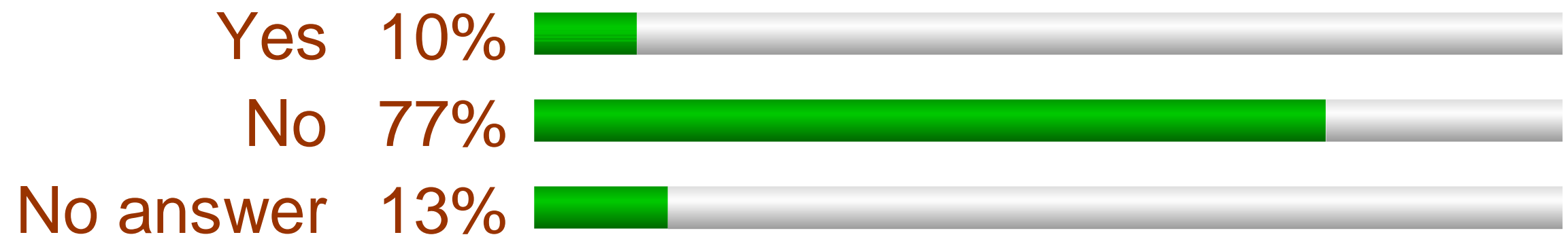


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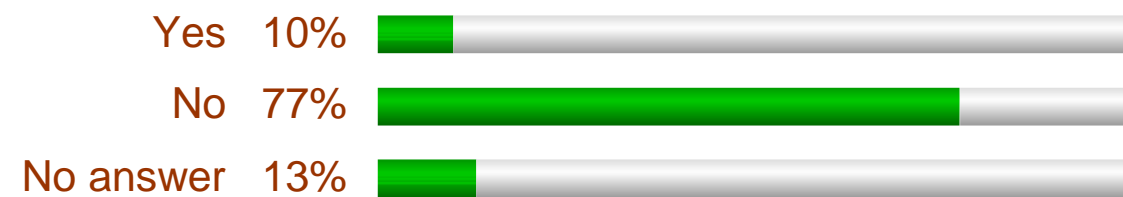
- None

Q.02 Does Hanney War Memorial Hall need enlarging?

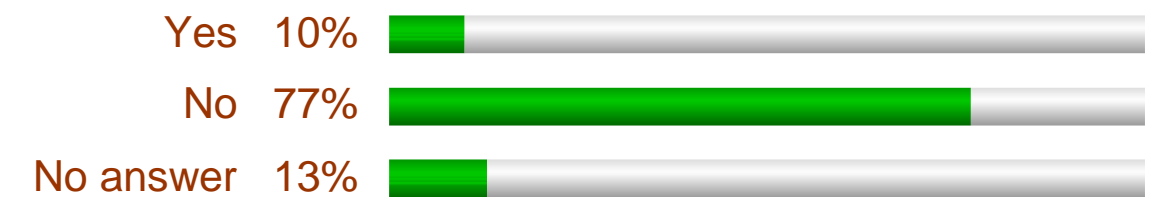
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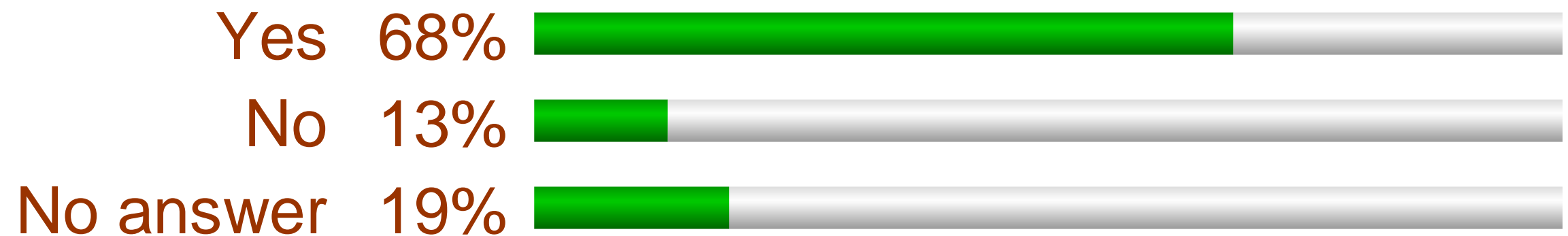


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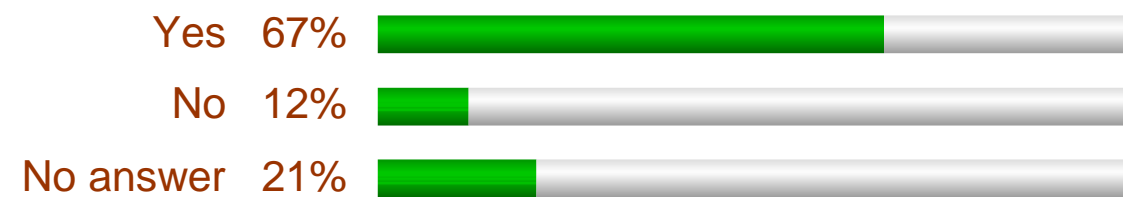
- The function rooms are adequate but more storage space is required.

Q.03 Are the meeting and activity facilities at Hanney War Memorial Hall satisfactory?

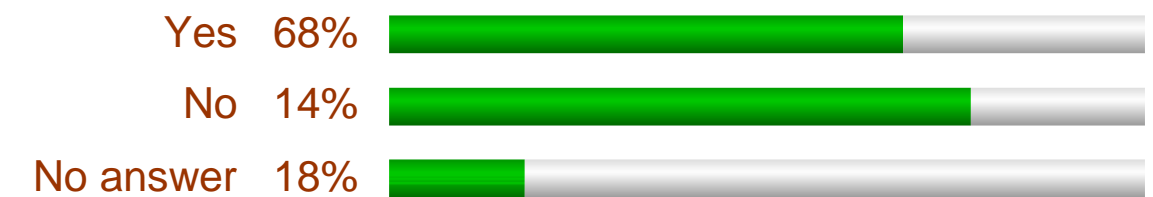
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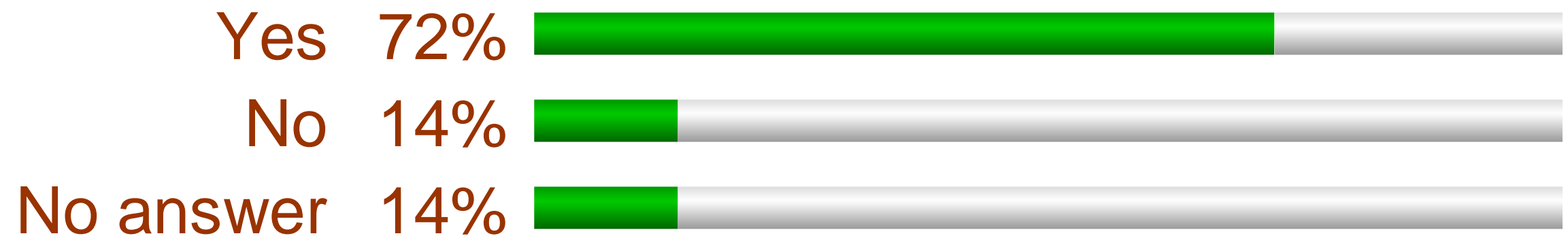


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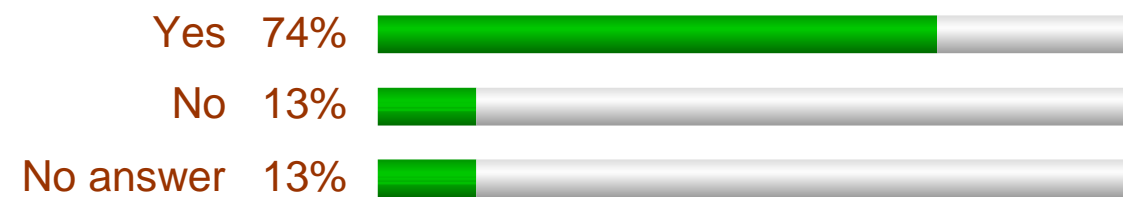
- Hanney School should not pay for using the Hall.

Q.04 Do the playing fields provide for a wide enough range of sports?

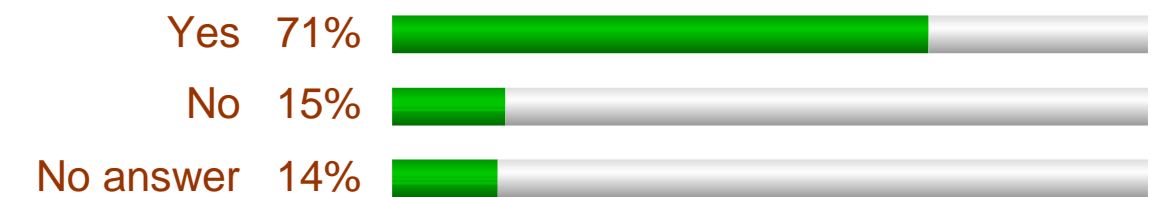
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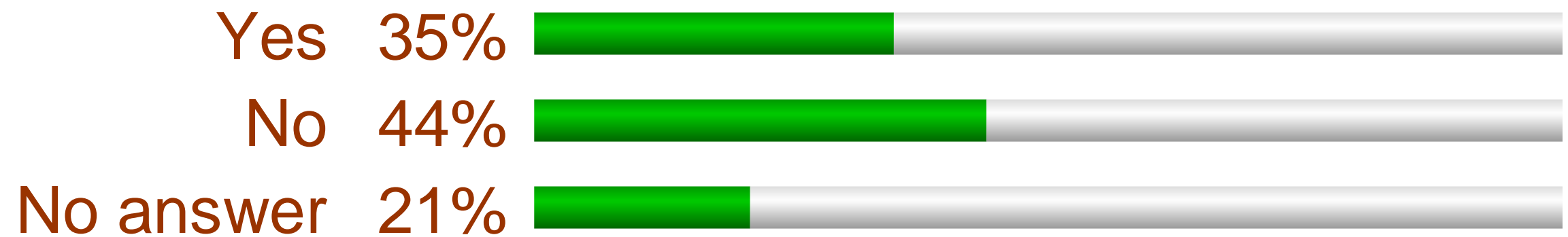


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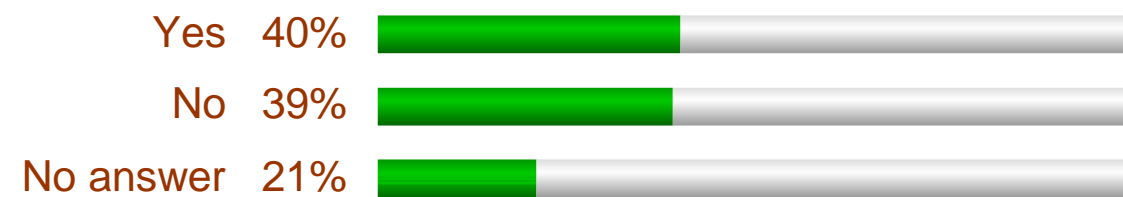
- What about a 'trim trail' around the village or the playing fields?
- A tarmac basketball court please.
- Concrete table tennis table please.
- A skate park for all ages as the nearest is at Grove.

Q.05 Does the children's playground need improving with more equipment?

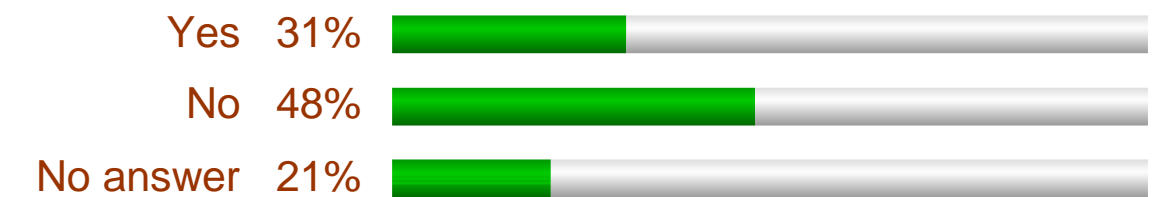
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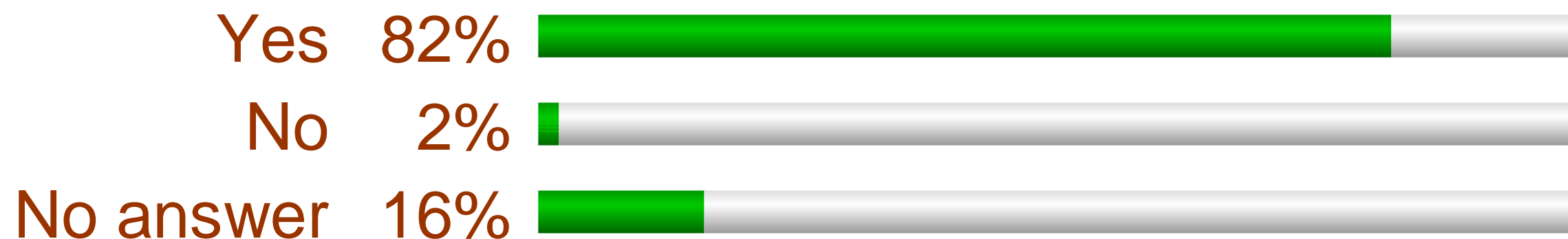


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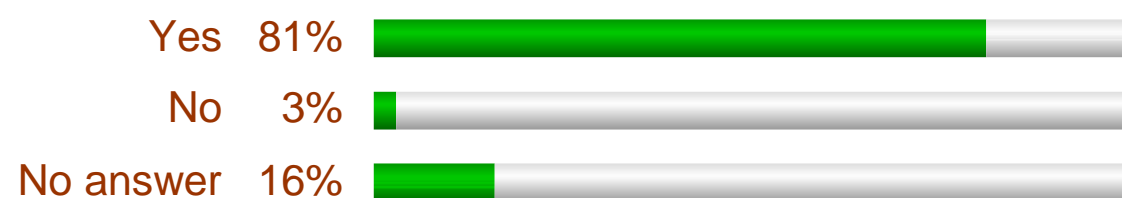
- More equipment needed for children age 7 plus.

Q.06 Is the pre-school playgroup a valuable asset to the villages?

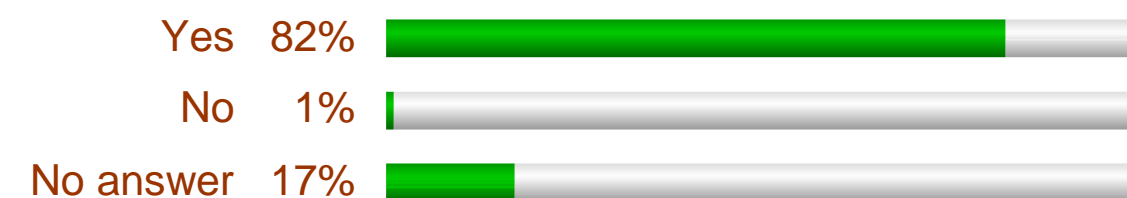
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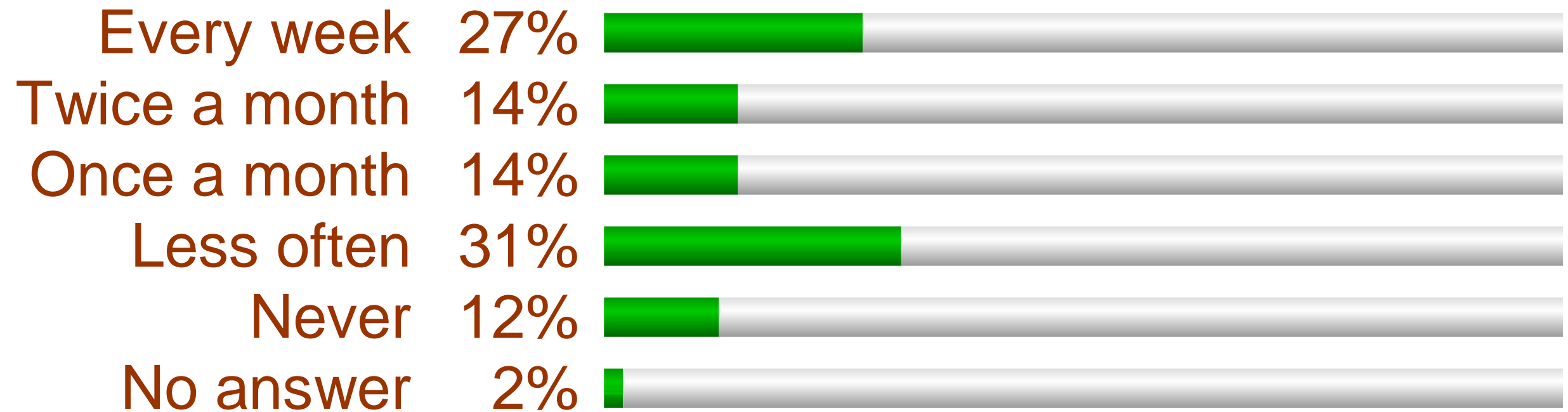


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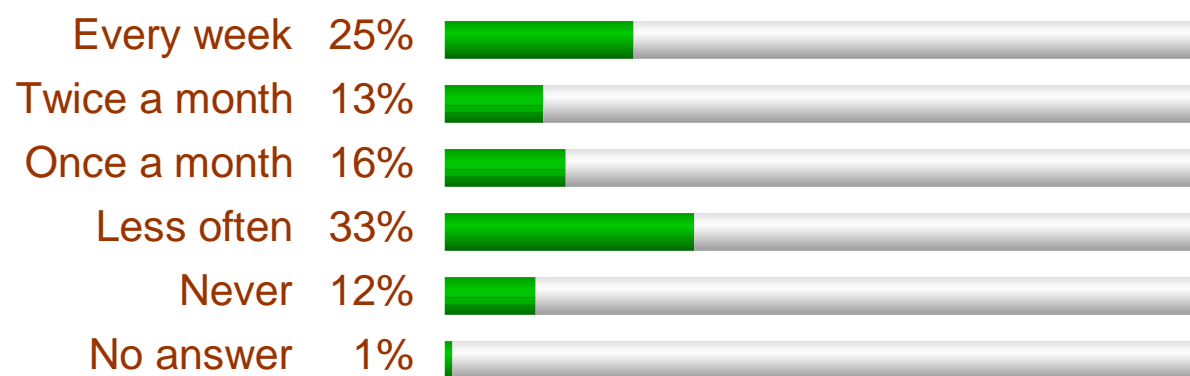
- Being new to the village, the pre-school has been vital to us in meeting other families.

Q.07 How often do you use Hanney Community Shop?

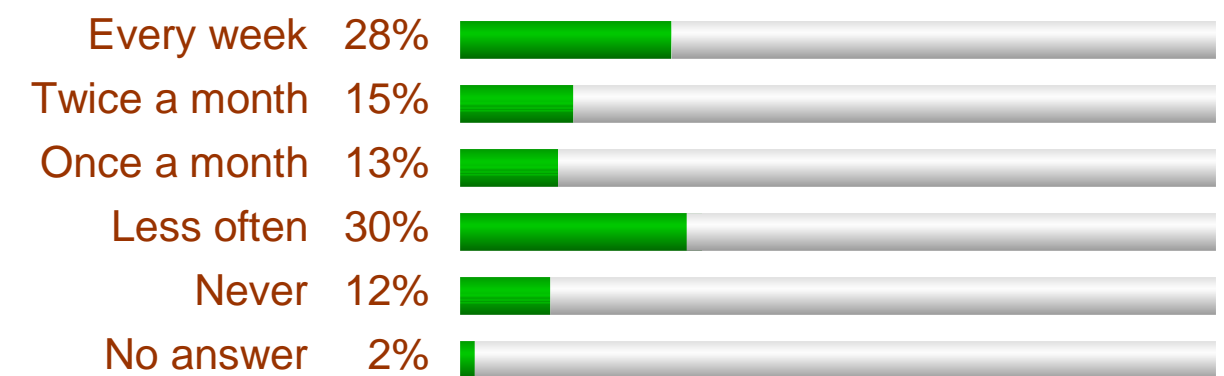
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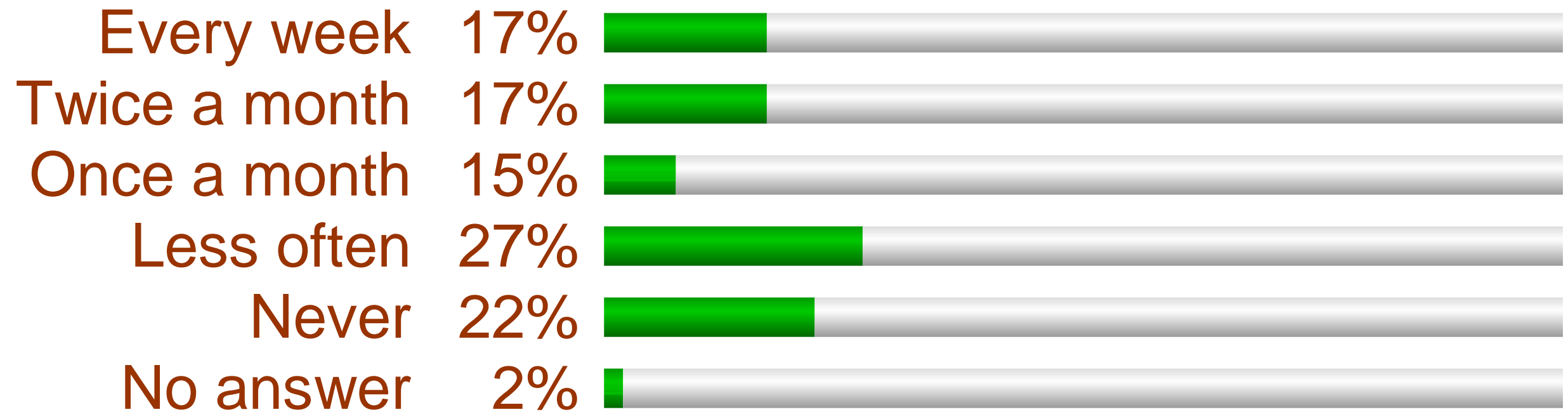


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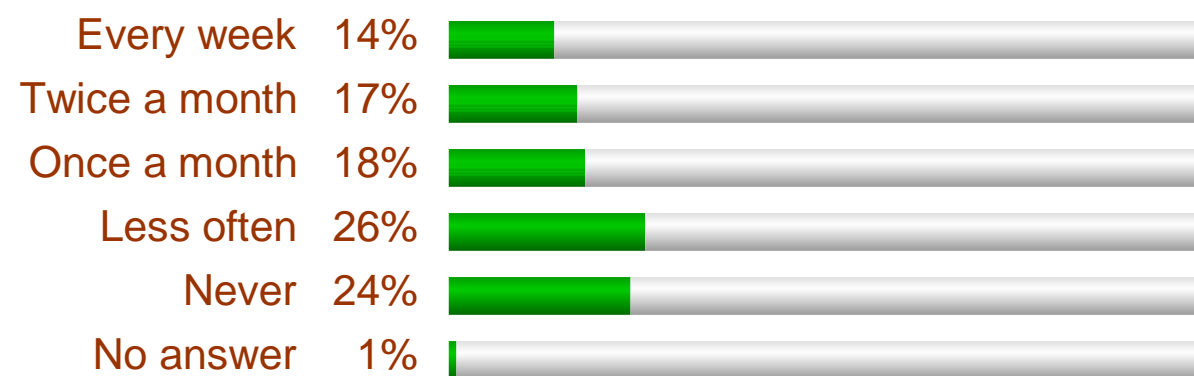
- I would use the shop if it sold goods which were not animal tested.
- Use it or lose it.
- How many people asking the questions use the shop?

Q.08 How often do you use Hanney sub-Post Office?

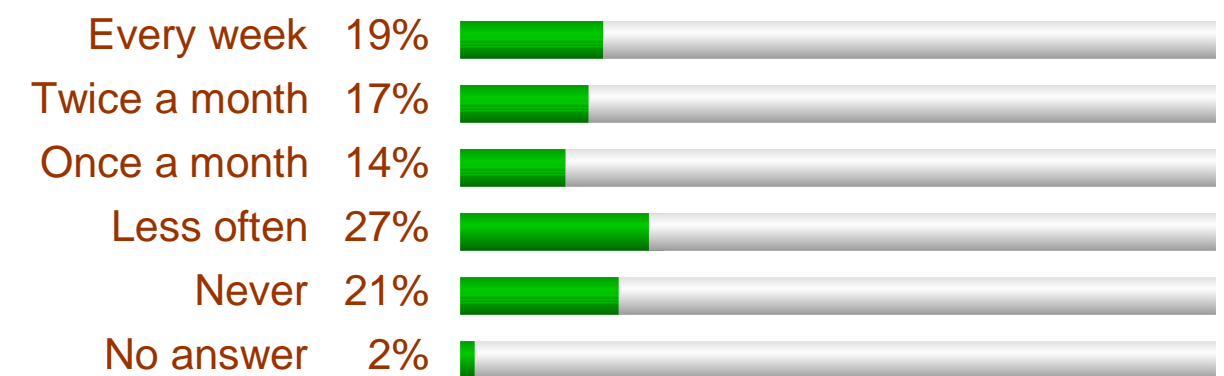
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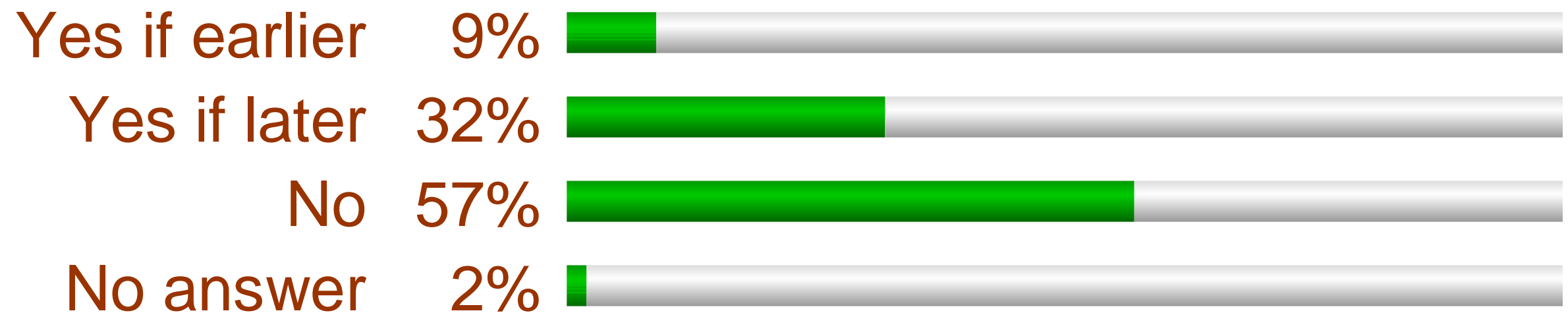


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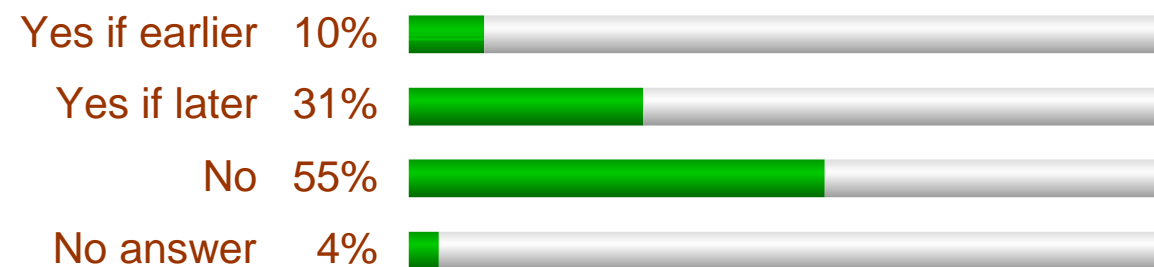
- Keep post office at all costs.

Q.09 Would you use Hanney Community Shop more if it were open earlier or later in the day?

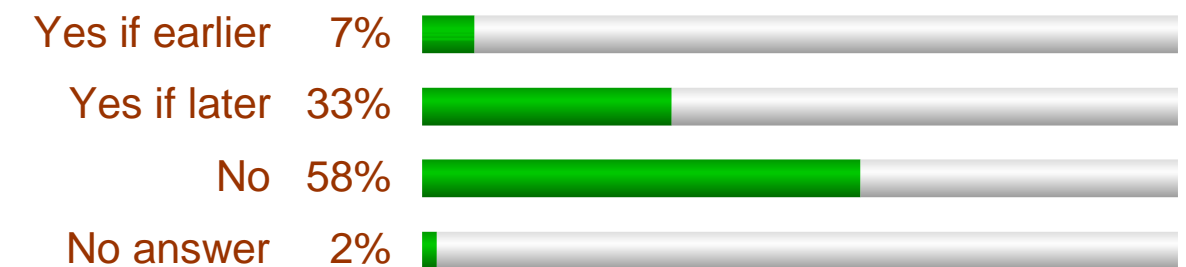
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- Increased hours will mean more volunteers.
- The shop should stay open until 5pm on Saturdays.
- The shop should open on Sundays.

Q.10 Would you use Hanney Community Shop more often if it stocked a wider range of goods?

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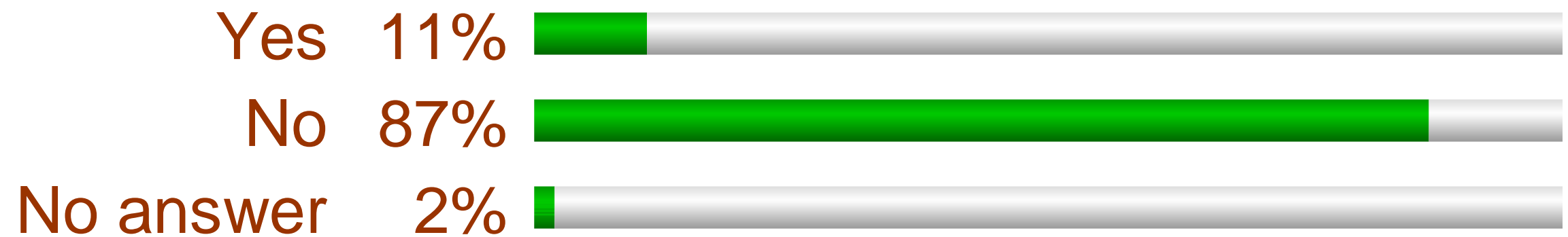
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- Avoid trying to be all things to all men.
- A much bigger and better shop is required then locals would not need to drive to supermarkets.

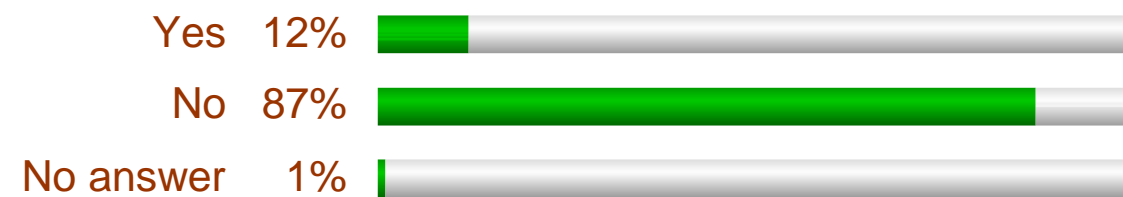
VANDALISM

Q.11 Have you personally been affected by vandalism in your village?

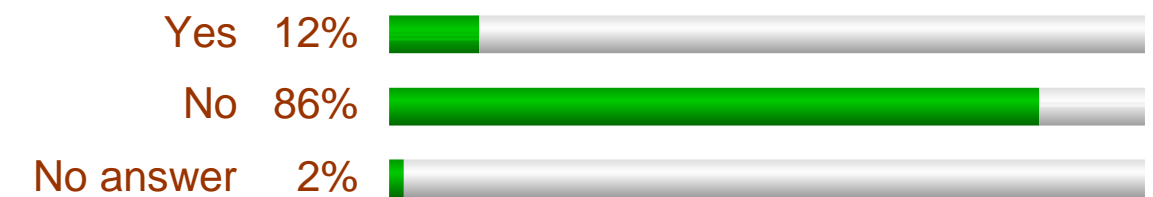
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- None

Q.12 Are you concerned about litter in your village?

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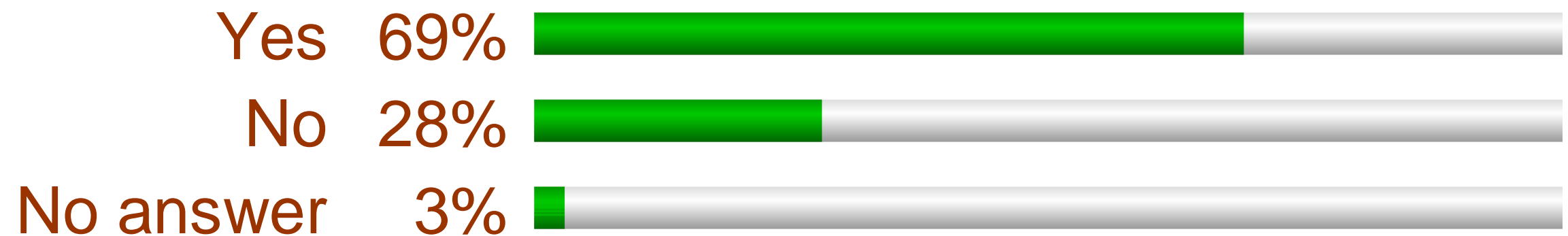


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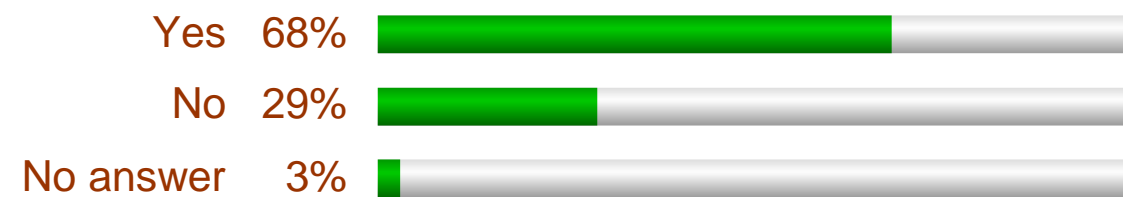
- Dog fouling - Better control; more frequent emptying of bins; larger bins – Dog fouling is a problem
- Dog fouling on the playing fields; Bad owners not clearing up after their dogs
- Litter a problem in the ditches; more litter bins required
- Recycling bins at The Lamb – are they being used?

Q.13 Would you use a rubbish skip if one were sited in your village every month?

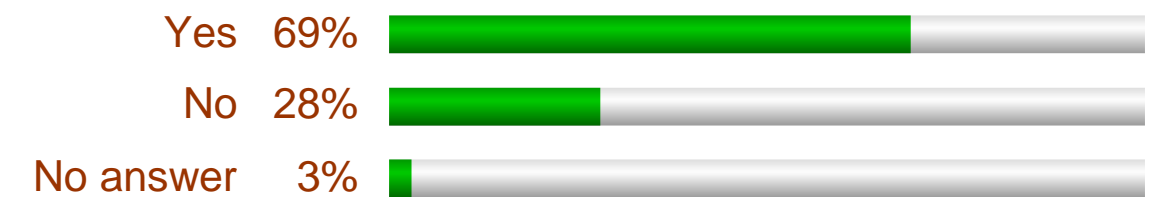
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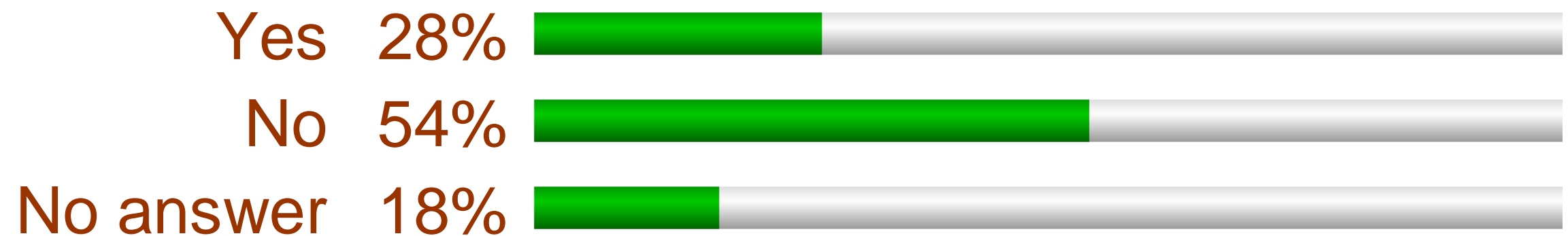


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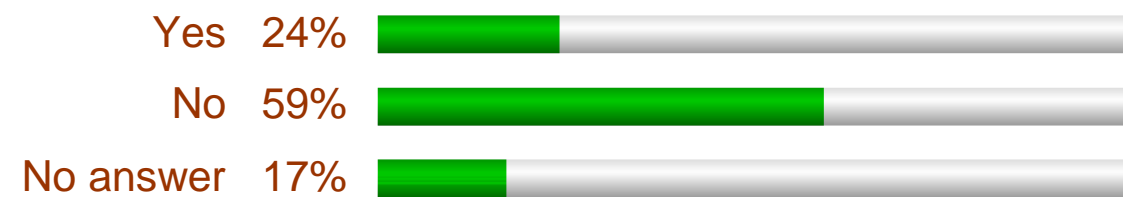
- Rubbish skip in East Hanney - increase to 3 times annually
- Garden waste dumped in the village
- More litter bins – rubbish is everywhere

Q.14 Are the village pavements wheelchair and pushchair friendly?

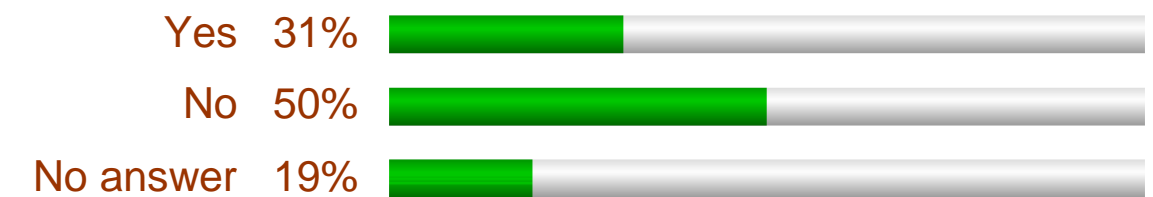
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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- Pavements not adequate when cars are parked on them. Heavy vehicles damaging raised pavements.
- Winter Lane & The Causeway pavements need attention. W. Hanney Green to church difficult.
- Pavements to be kept clear of overgrowing shrubs, trees and hedges. Raised pavements to be fenced.
- Some pavements are in a poor state and not wide enough. Dangerous at night.

Q.15 Would you like pavements provided where there are not any currently available?

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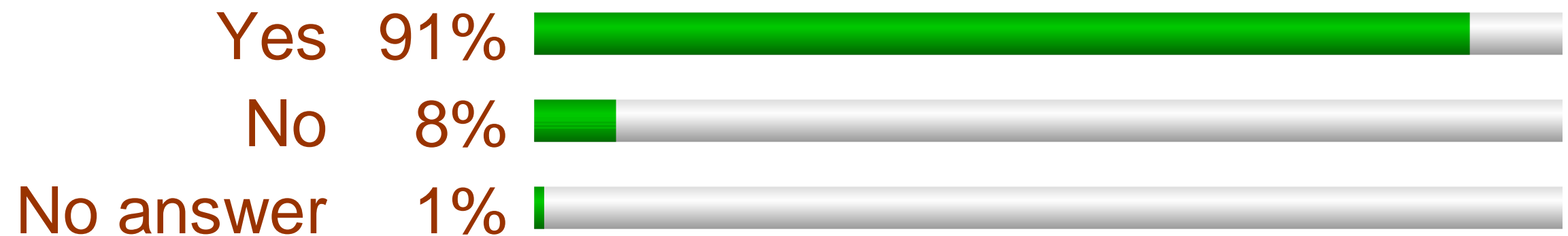


COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- A pavement is urgently needed in Summertown, East Hanney.
- Pedestrian crossings from school to The Causeway and from the village hall to The Causeway.
- Hand rails required on all Causeway steps.
- Footpath alongside brook to British Legion is dangerous and narrow.

Q.16 Do you use the public footpaths in and around East Hanney or West Hanney?

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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- Improved and extended bridle paths needed.
- Pedestrians at risk from speeding cyclists.
- A wheelchair friendly footpath along the brook would be useful.
- A footpath from Summertown into the village would be useful.

Q.17 Would you use the public footpaths more if they were better signposted?

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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- None

Q.18 Would you use the public footpaths more if they were better maintained?

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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- Footpaths extremely muddy and dangerous from iron bridge to Snuggs Lane & Lower Mill.
- Footpath stinging nettles to be removed.
- Overgrown trees and shrubs to be cut back.
- Clear the alleys in West Hanney from Church St. to Main St. & The Meads.

Q.19 If there were a cycle path to Grove, would you use it?

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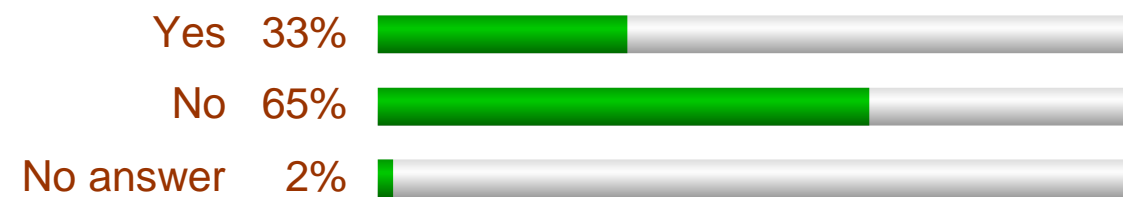
- We need cycle tracks.
- We need a cycle track from Hanney to Wantage (via Grove)

Q.20 If there were a cycle path to Steventon, would you use it?

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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- A priority for some.
- We need cycle tracks.

Q.21 Would you support measures to reduce speed in the villages to 20mph?

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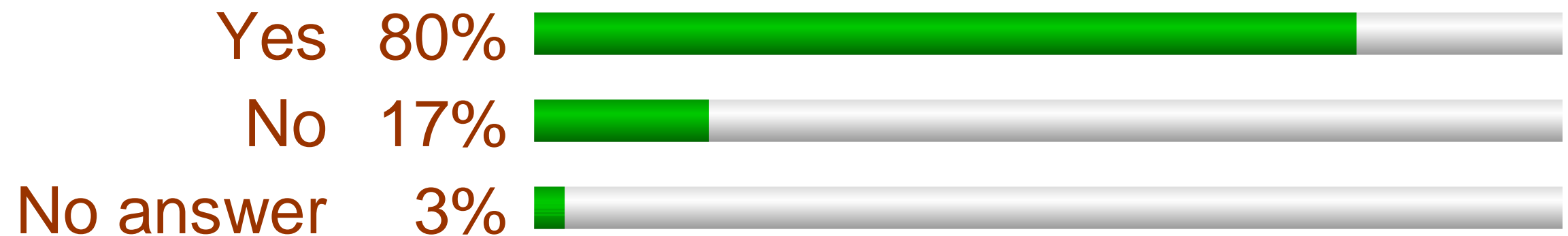


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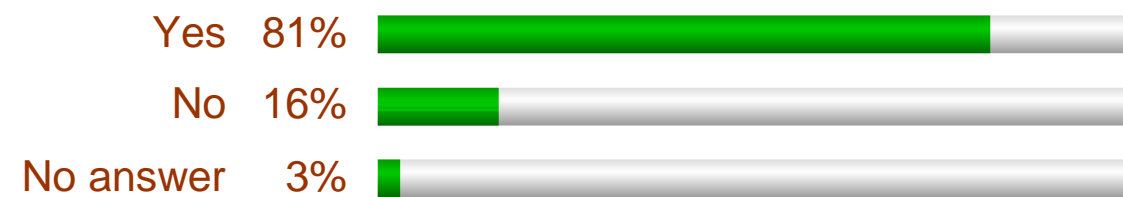
- Traffic calming near school. Sleeping policeman required.
- Roadway by the Church difficult for people unable to use raised pavement.
- Traffic speed in villages is a problem. Speed warnings that light up work.
- Enforce current limits.

Q.22 Are you supportive of a weight restriction which would exclude certain vehicles from the villages?

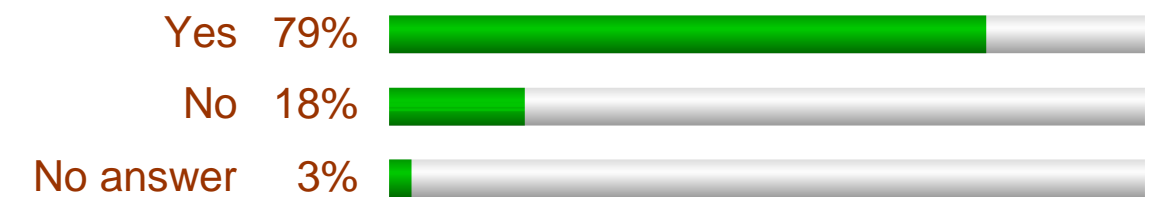
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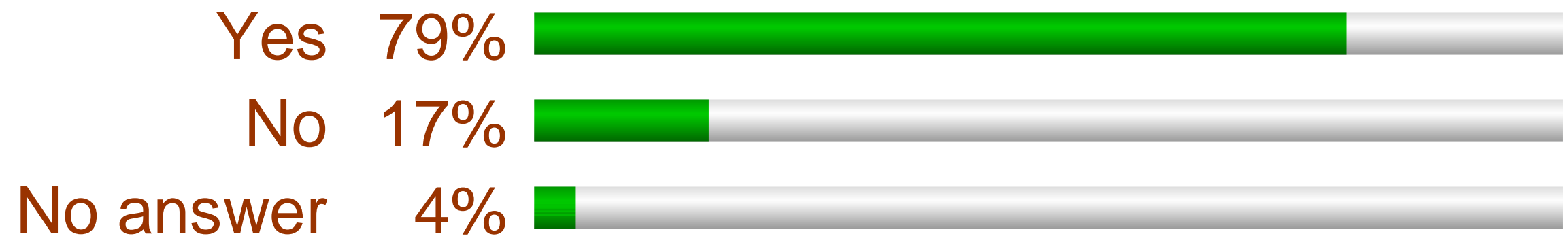


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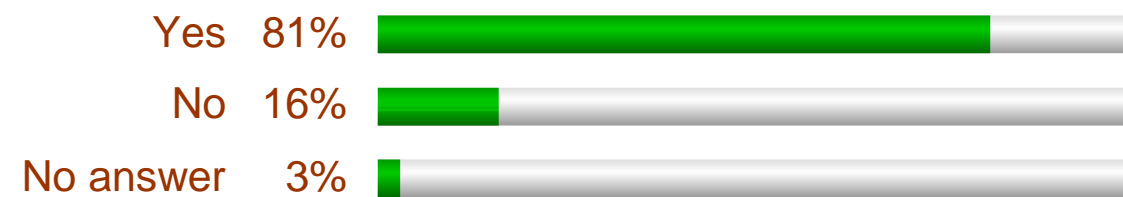
- Heavy vehicles a problem. Discourage “rat run”.
- Too many heavy vehicles use Winter Lane & road from The Green to the church in W. Hanney.

Q.23 Are you concerned about heavy vehicles using the bridge by Dandridge's Mill?

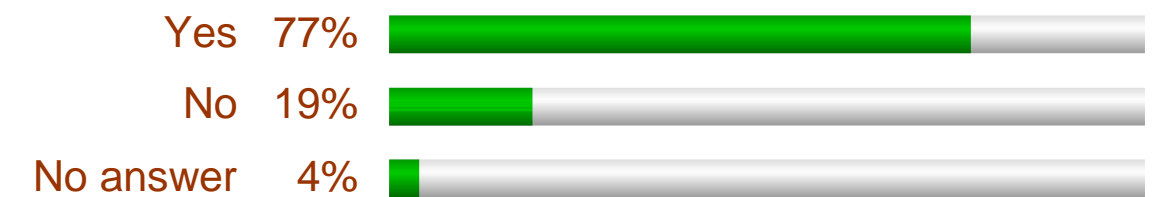
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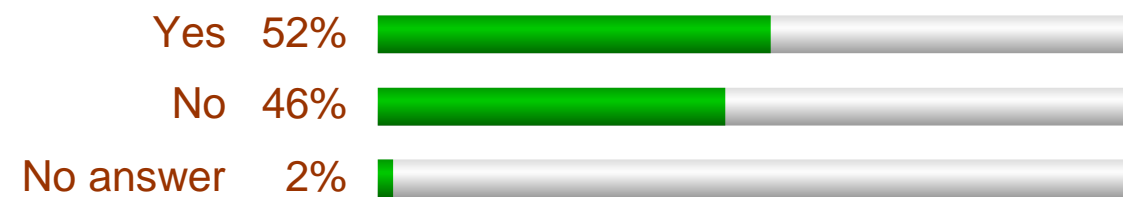
- The size of some lorries using this bridge is of great concern.

Q.24 Would you support traffic management systems at the East Hanney A338 road junctions?

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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- Roundabout at Steventon Road junction helpful. Need slower traffic more.
- Most dangerous part of the village is the five ways junction opposite La Fontana.
- Don't want speed bumps. Enforce current speed limits.
- Mini-roundabout at Ashfield Lane to A338 removing chicane.

BUSES

Q.25 If the stopping bus services to local towns were more frequent, would you use them more often?

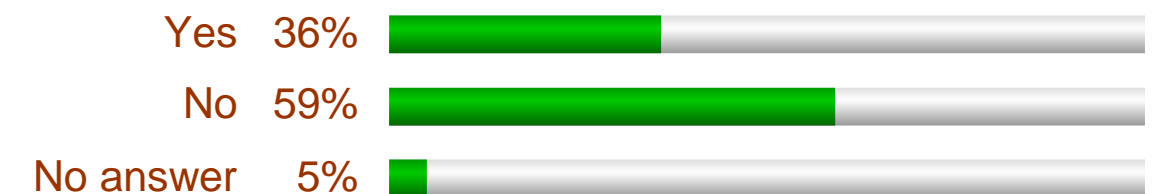
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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- More buses to and from West Hanney required.
- An afternoon service from West Hanney to Wantage would be useful.
- A shuttle service to Charney & Lyford should be considered.

Q.26 If the express buses to Oxford and Didcot were more frequent, would you use them more often?

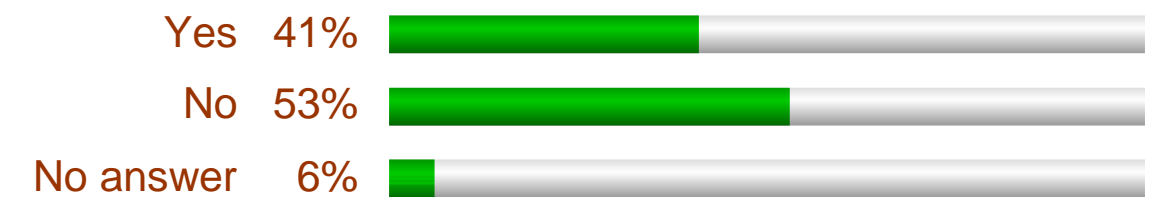
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- Express bus service to call at West Hanney.
- A covered bus shelter on A338 by Ashfields Lane would be appreciated.
- Have electronic sign at Ashfields Lane bus stop.

BUSES

Q.27 If the express bus to Oxford were re-routed via The Black Horse, would you use it more often?

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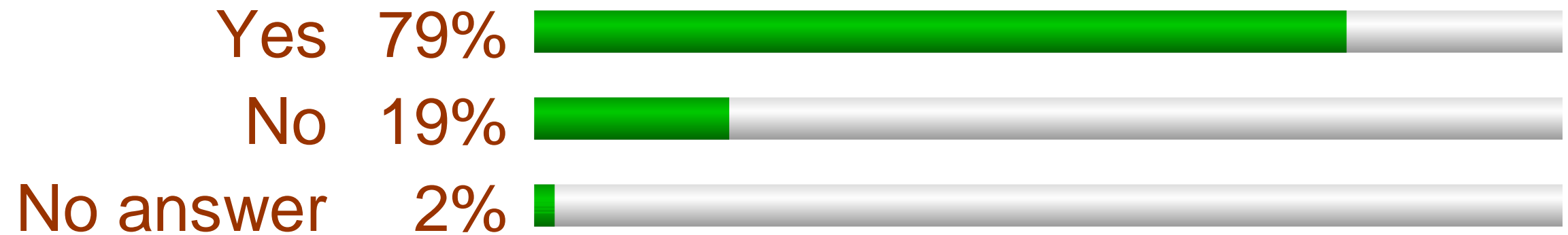


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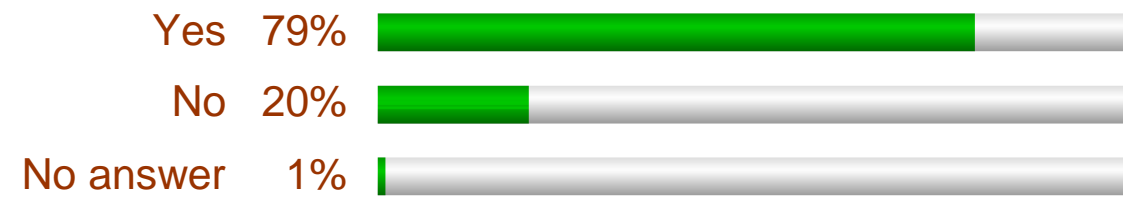
- Many comments concerning the removal of the electronic bus stop sign.
- How the decision to remove was made.

Q.28 Do you use a broadband Internet connection at home?

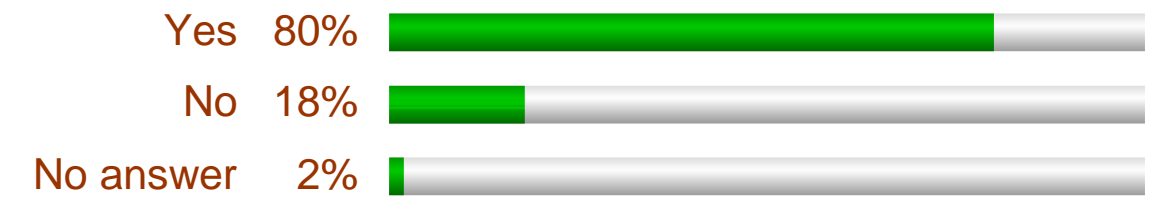
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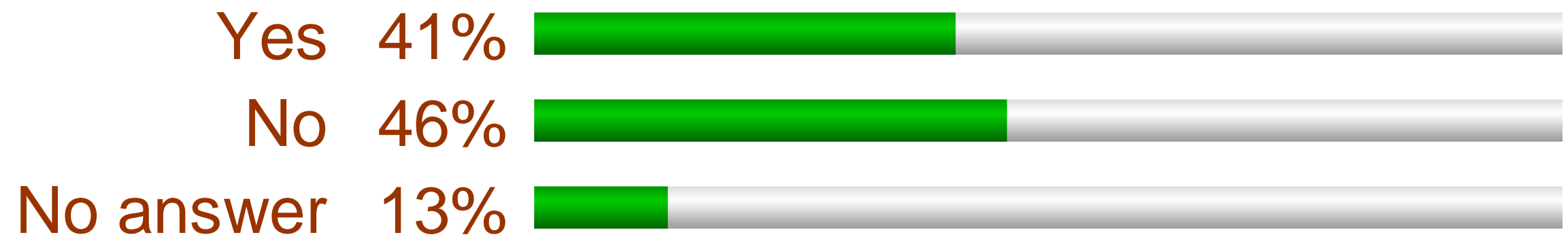


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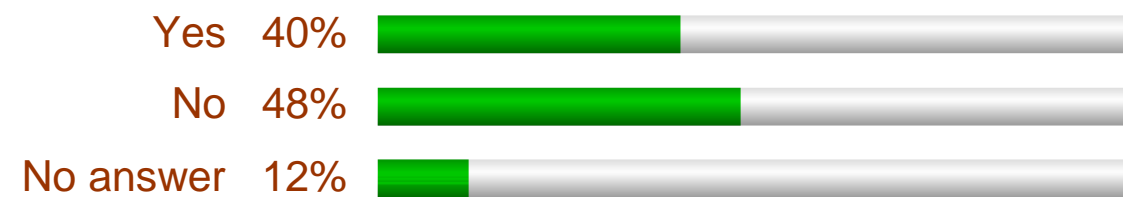
- We need faster Broadband using fibre optic cabling.

Q.29 Would you like the villages to have a website that is updated daily?

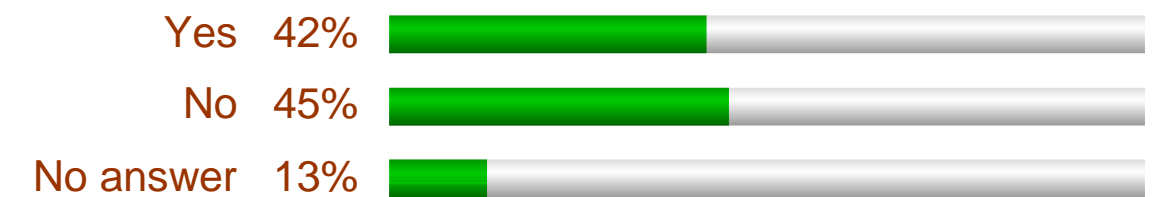
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- Not needed daily but when needed with up-to-date information.
- A useful addition would be old census information.
- A weekly update would be adequate.

Q.30 Would you like to be on a Parish Council email distribution list for information?

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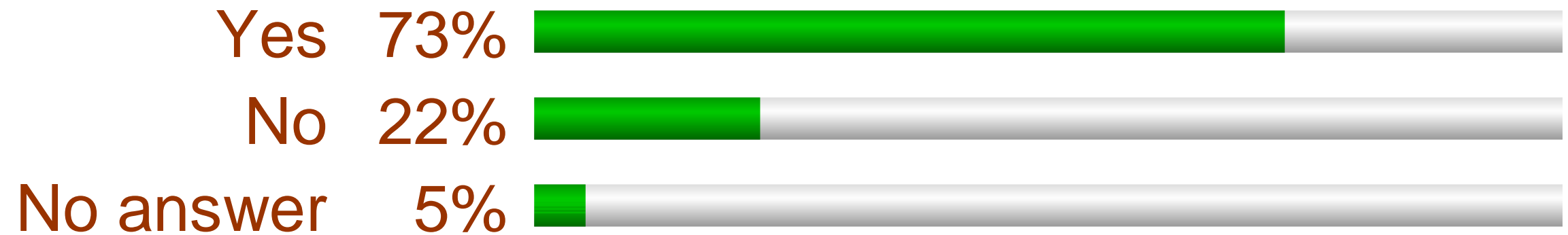


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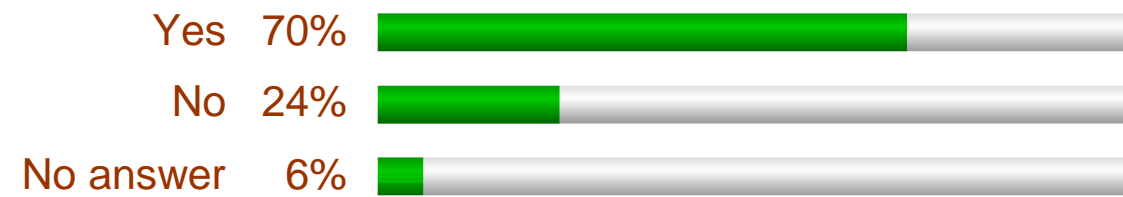
- As long as parish council decisions are in Hanney News that is enough.

Q.31 Would you find it useful to have a directory of village firms and individuals offering services?

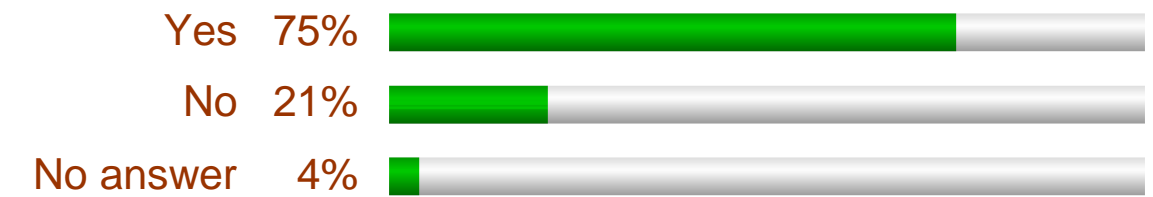
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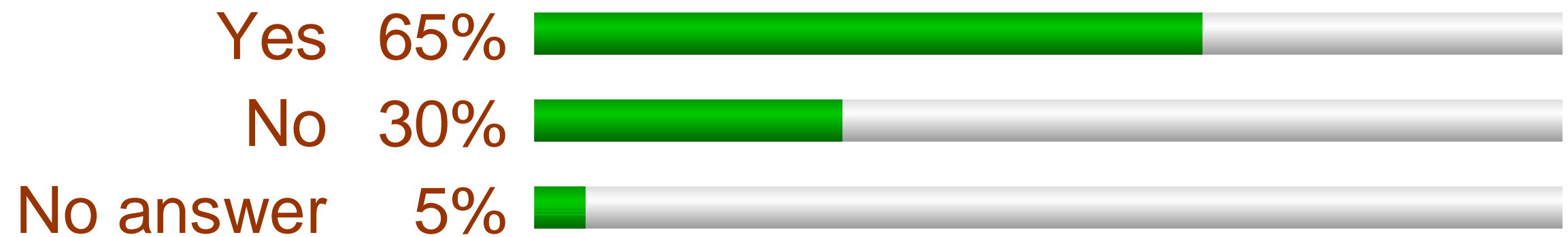


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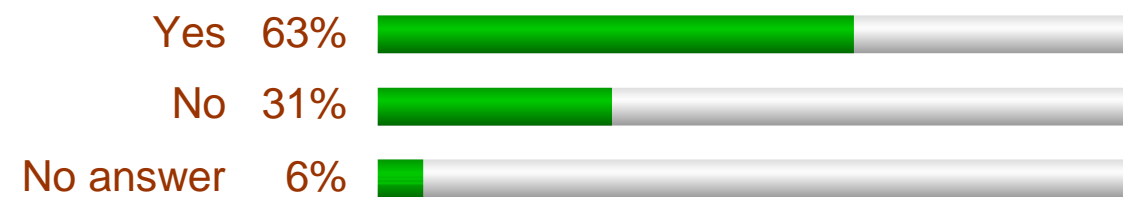
- Current adverts in Hanney News seem adequate.
- A directory would be very useful indeed.

Q.32 Would you find a directory of the officials of village clubs, societies, etc. useful?

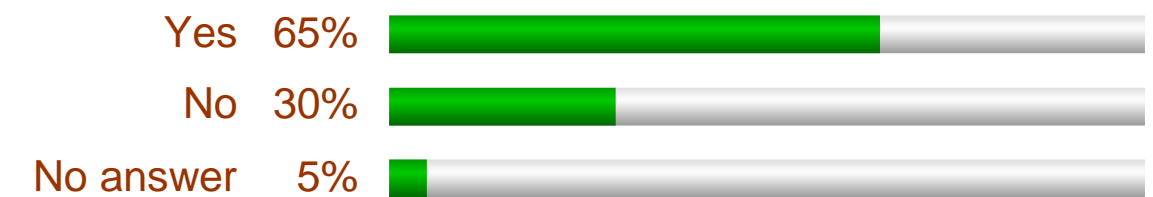
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- Directory is covered in Hanney News.
- A directory would be very useful indeed.

STREET LIGHTING

Q.33 Would you like a small amount of low intensity lighting at vulnerable locations in the villages?

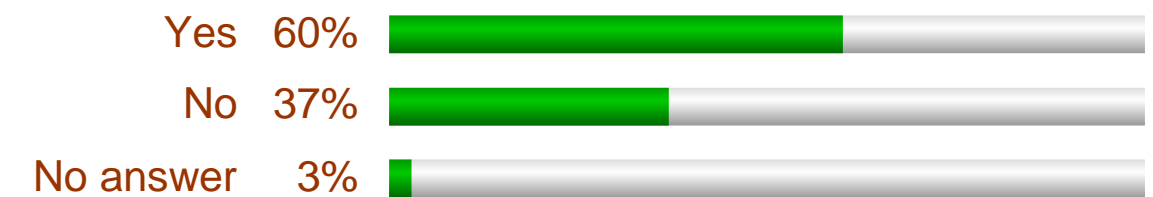
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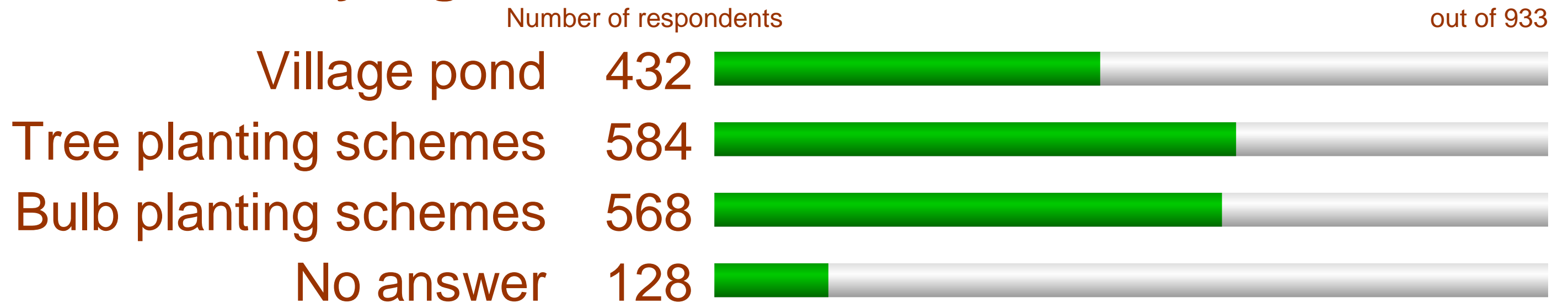


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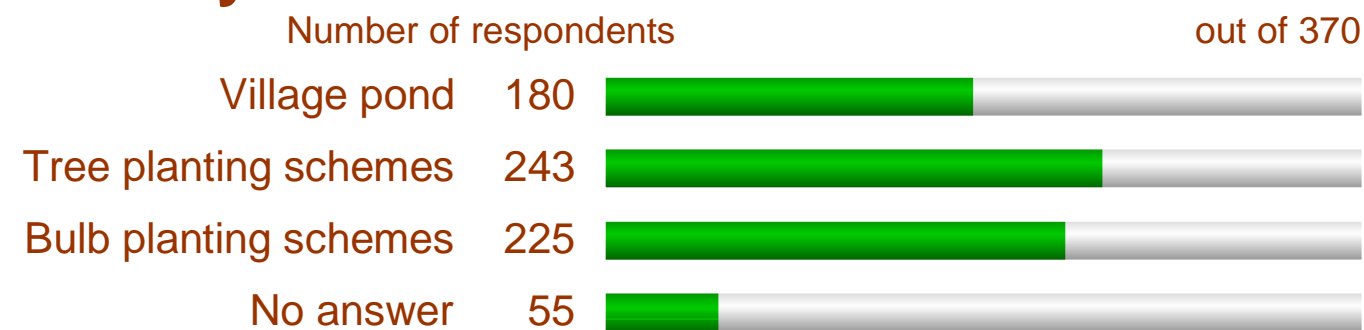
- Essential in certain areas. / Should also be along main routes in villages.
- Poor lighting is dangerous. / The village needs street lighting.
- Street lighting isn't necessary. / If the light is outside my house, I'll knock it down.
- Porch lights and security lights are enough.

Q.34 Which of these would you enjoy having?

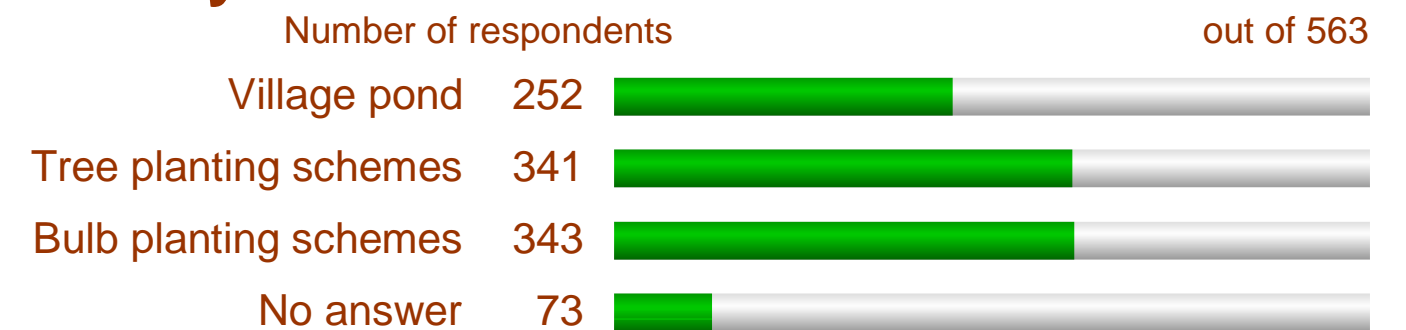
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West Hanney



East Hanney

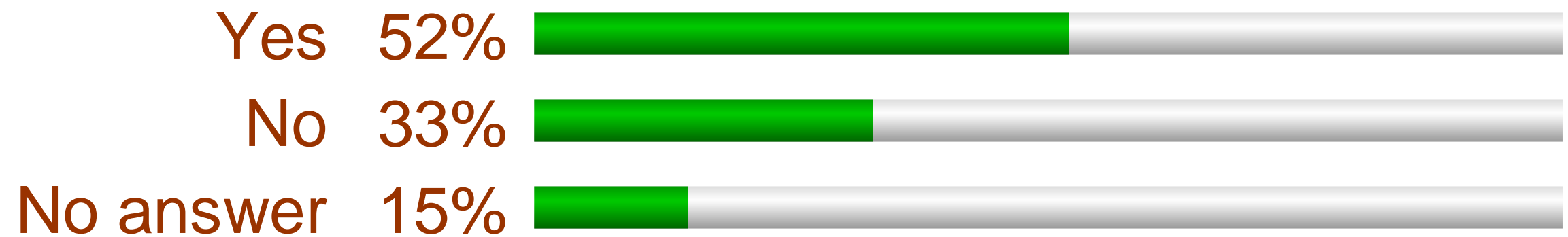


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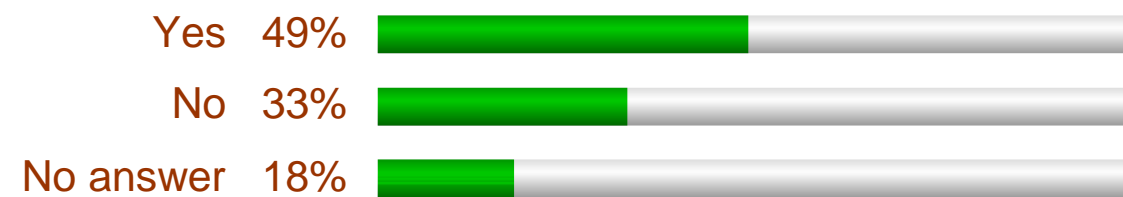
- Tree and bulb planting already occur in both villages.
- We don't need more bulbs and trees. There's plenty already.
- We don't need a pond as we have a lovely brook.
- We had ponds in both villages but they were filled in and built on.

Q.35 Would you support the formation of a local group to promote 'green' activities for the Hanneys?

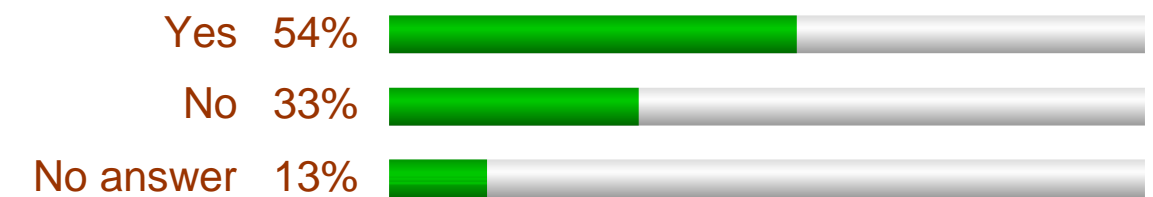
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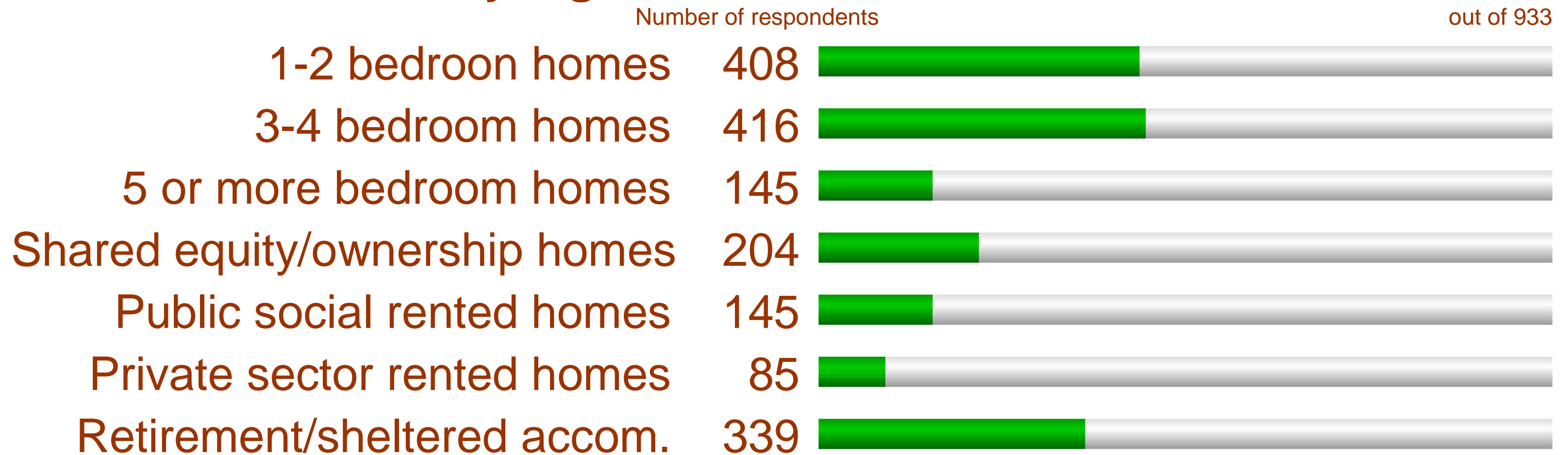


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- None

Q.36 If further properties were to be built in the villages, which of the following would you prefer?

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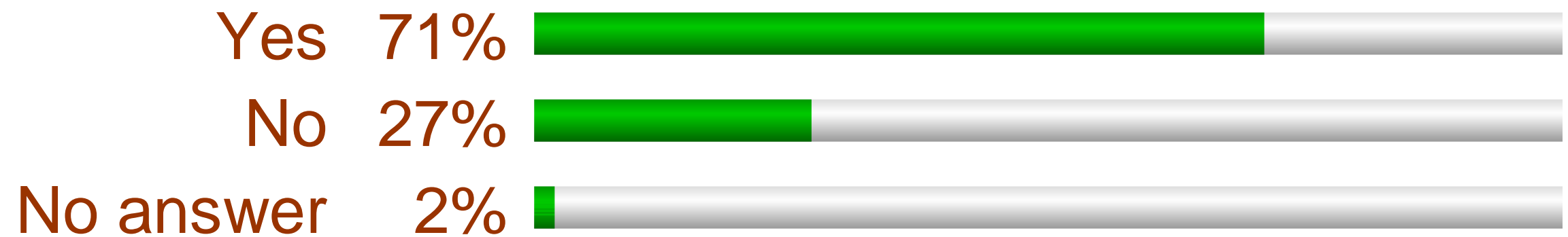


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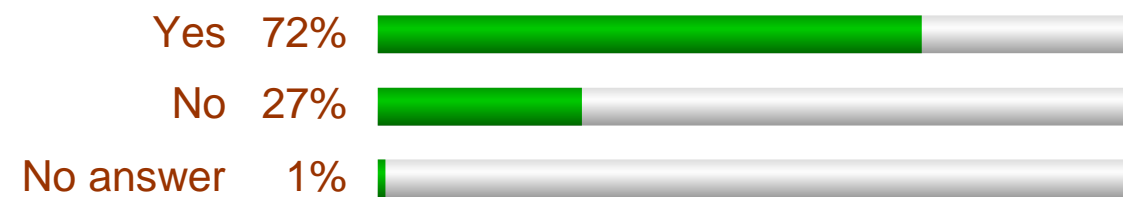
- Warden assisted retirement homes or a small old folks home would be an asset.
- Small energy efficient homes for retired people needed. / More social affordable homes needed.
- Too much knee-jerk NIMBYISM against developments.
- More housing for young families with children. / Discourage second home owners.

Q.37 Are you concerned about the impact of new housing in the villages?

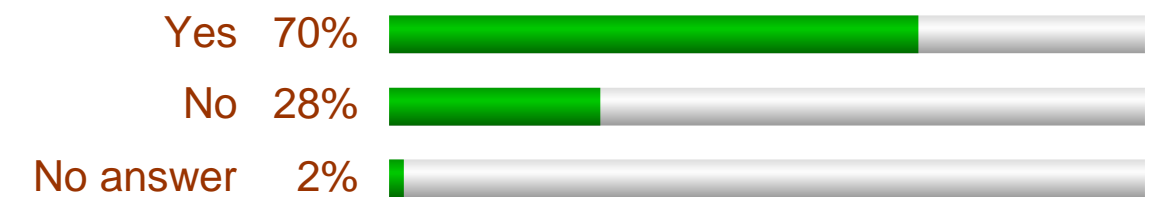
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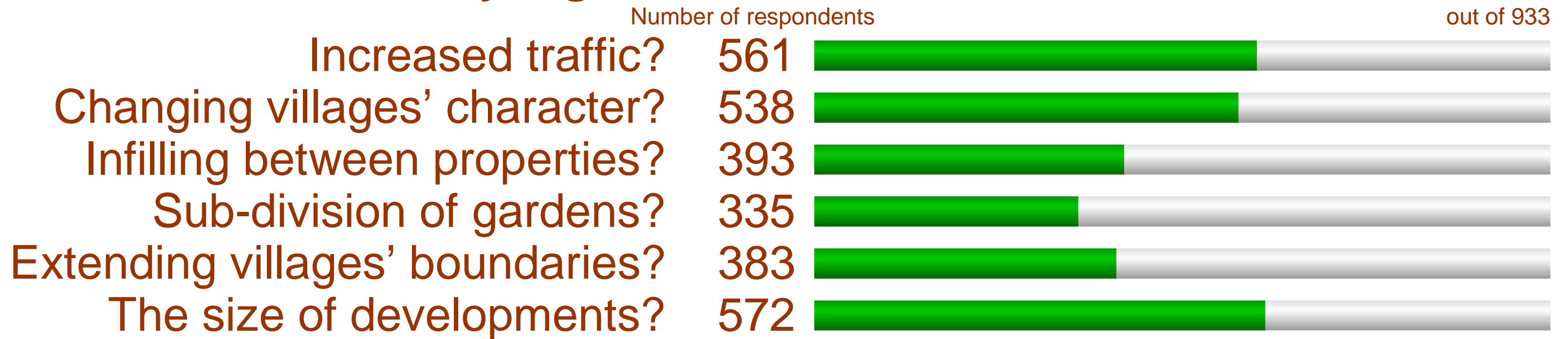


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- Current village composition should be maintained in agricultural setting.
- Intelligent village growth will maintain a healthy school population.
- The farming community should not be harmed in any way.
- We don't want Hanney to end up like Grove.

Q.38 If you answered 'Yes' to Q.37, are your concerns:

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East Hanney

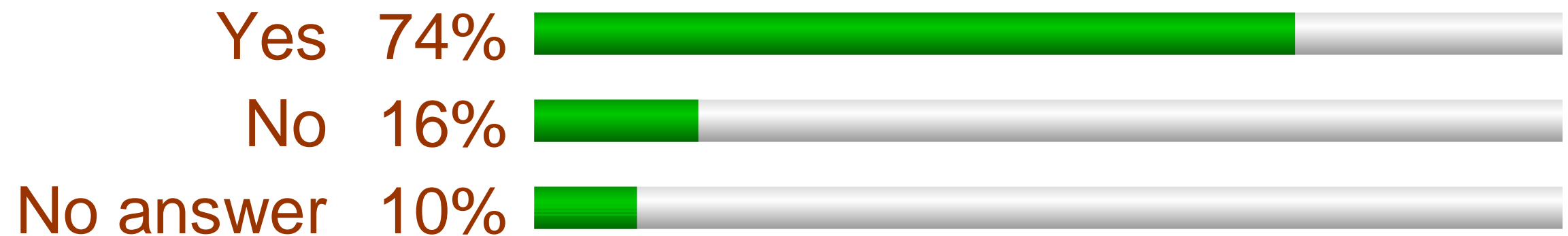


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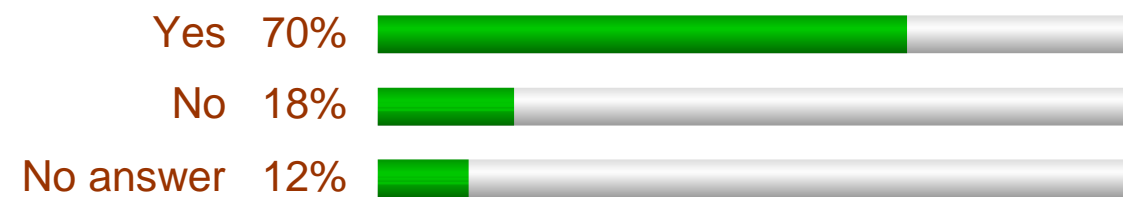
- We do not need more development. / Enough development in Wantage, Didcot & Grove.
- Electricity and telephone poles and overhead wires are too obtrusive.

Q.39 Should preference for low-cost homes be given to people with close connections with the Hanneys?

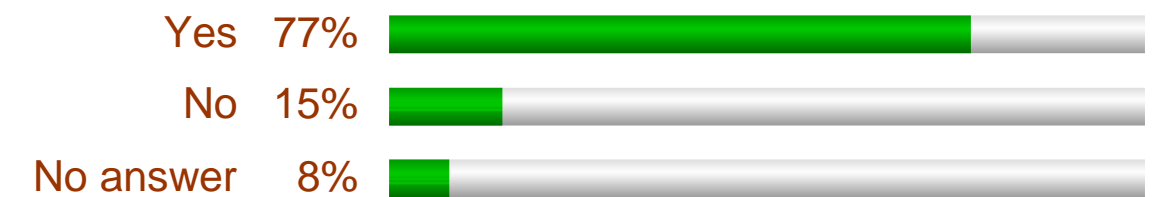
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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- I think the high average age of Hanney residents is not good for the future of the village.
- More social and affordable homes should be a major objective.
- Second homes should be discouraged – The village should not be an urban retreat.

Q.40 Would you support additional premises for business/employment in the villages?

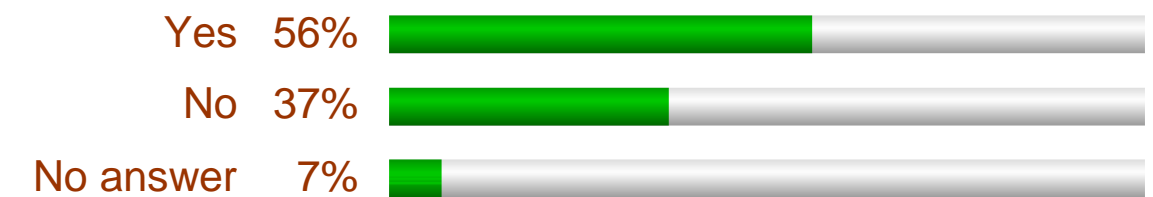
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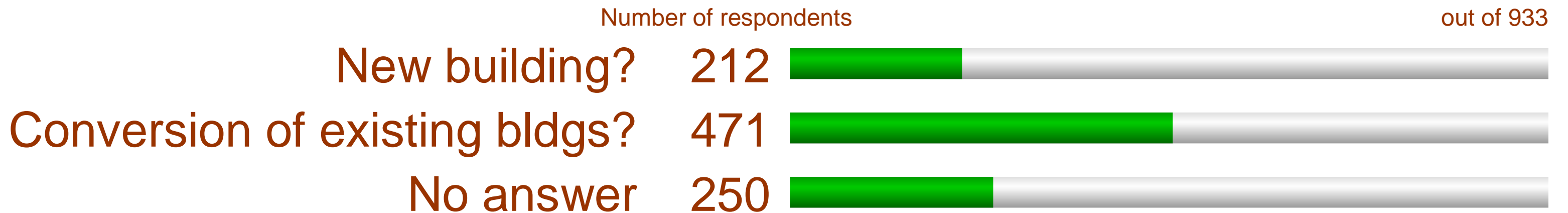


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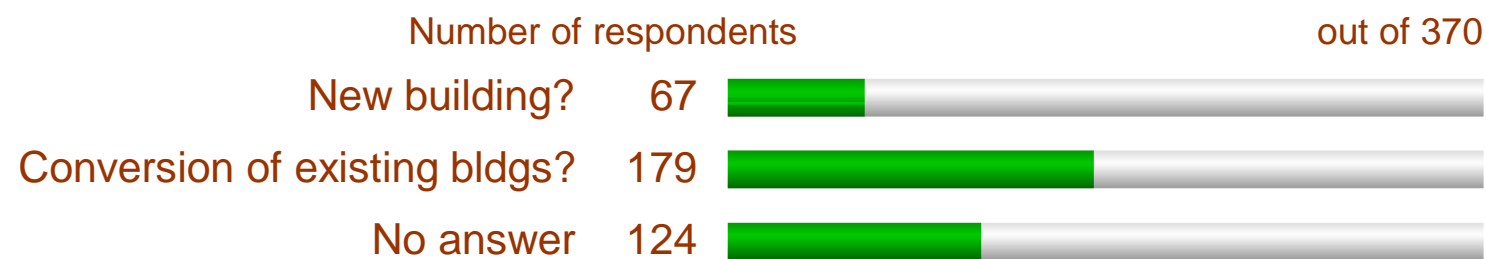
- Some derelict sites could be used for residential or business premises.
- Small scale commercial developments should be encouraged and be allowed to integrate.
- Commercial developments attract entrepreneurial activity and provide local employment.

Q.41 If you answered 'Yes' to Q.40, should this be:

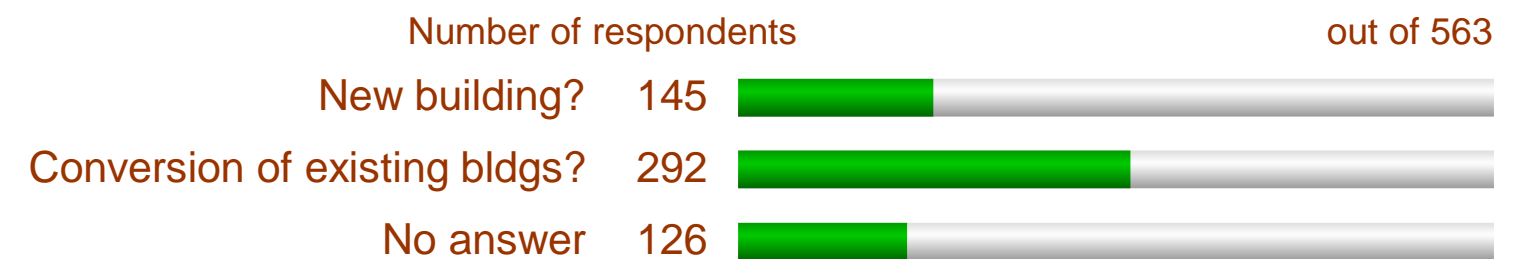
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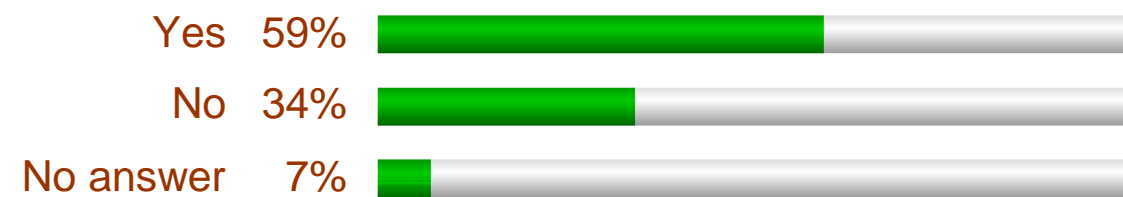
- We would not object to conversion of existing buildings.
- Support extra small amount so as not to increase traffic greatly.

Q.42 Are you concerned about the impact of additional premises for business use?

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East Hanney



COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

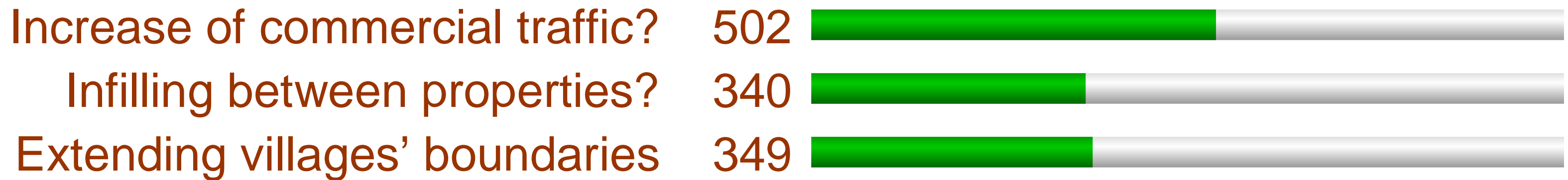
- Businesses in villages should have a minimal impact on residents.

Q.43 If you answered 'Yes' to Q.42, are you concerned about:

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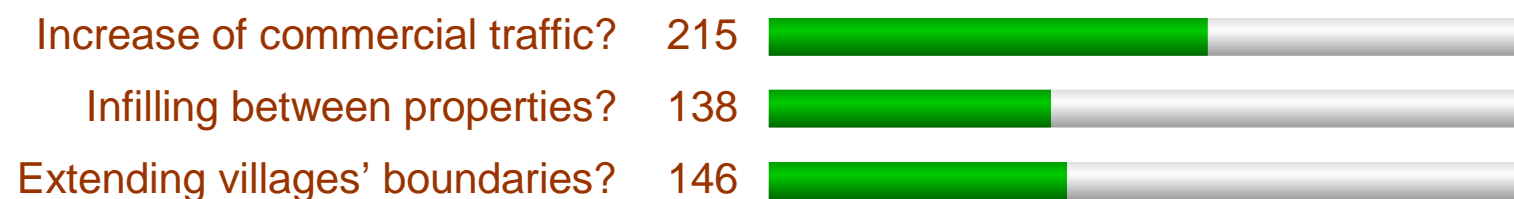
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West Hanney

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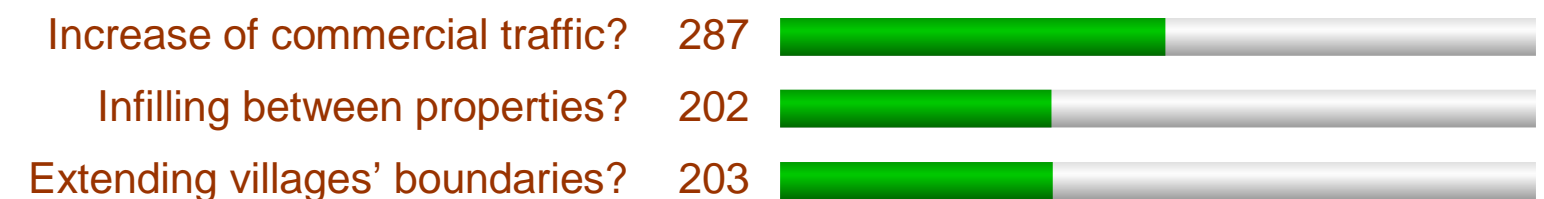
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East Hanney

Number of respondents

out of 563

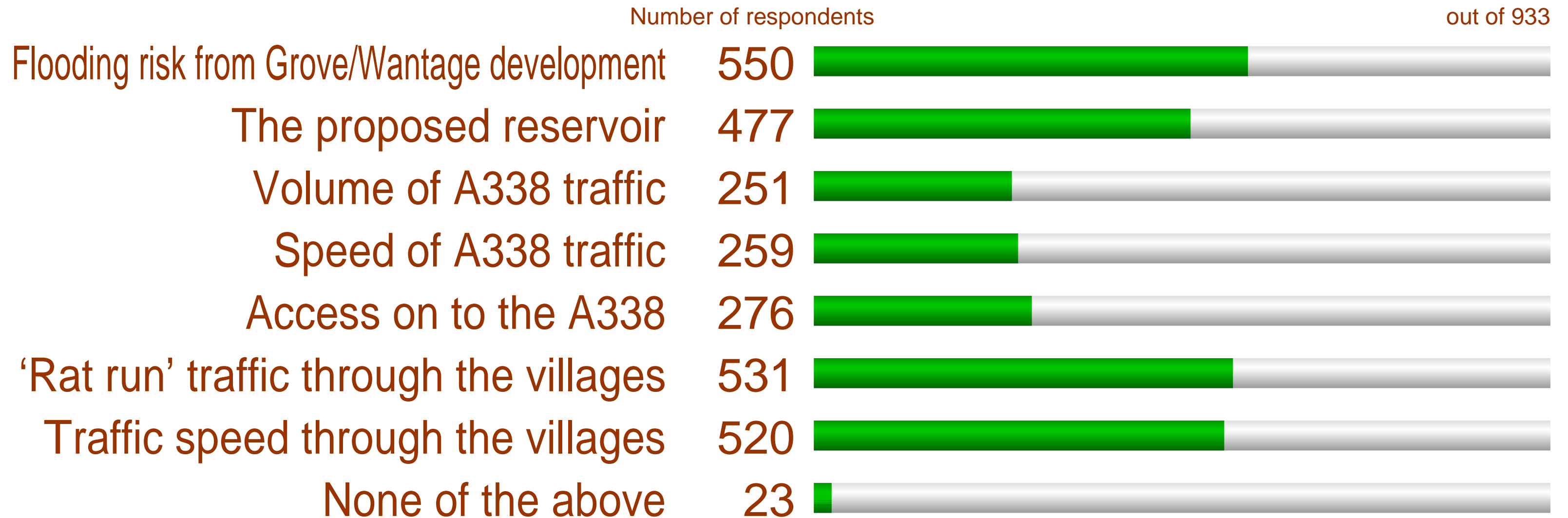


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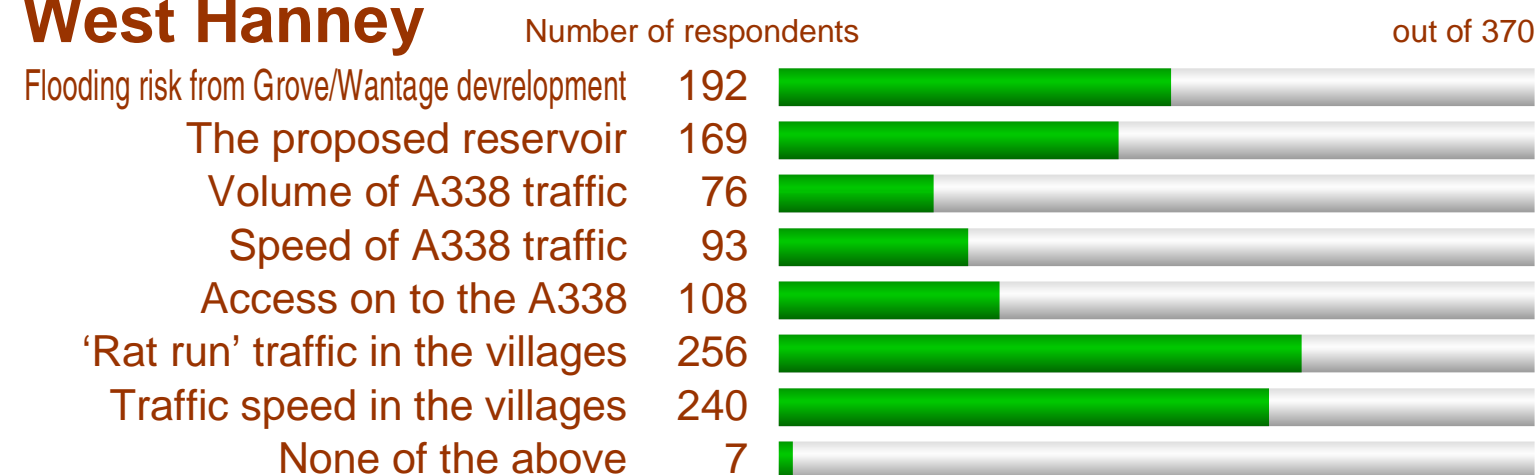
- None

Q.44 Which of the following concern you?

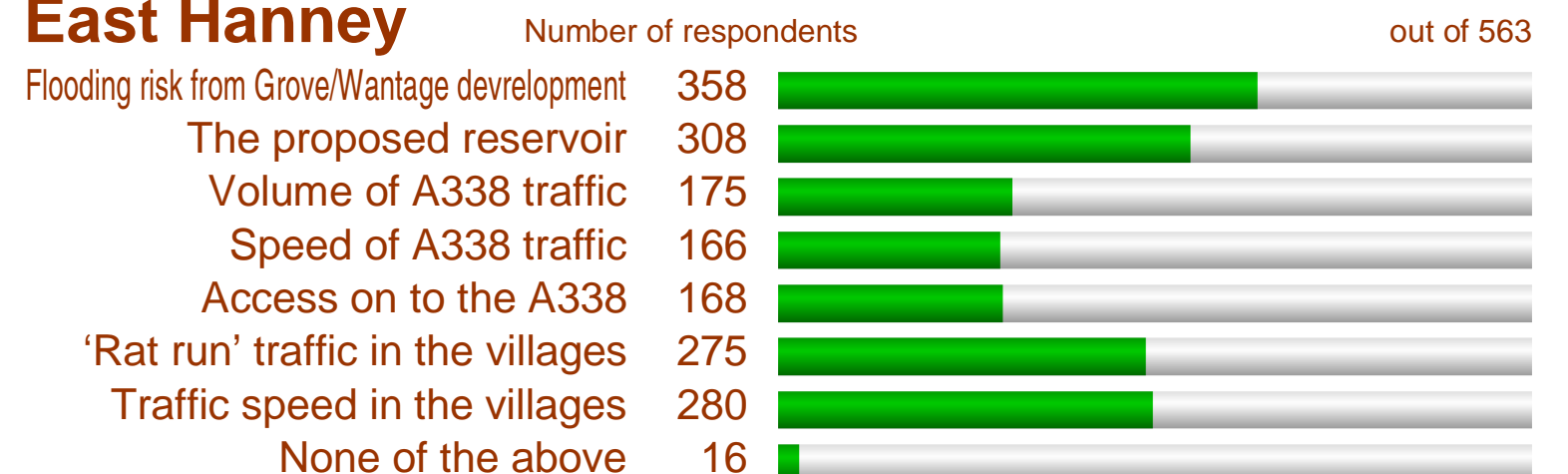
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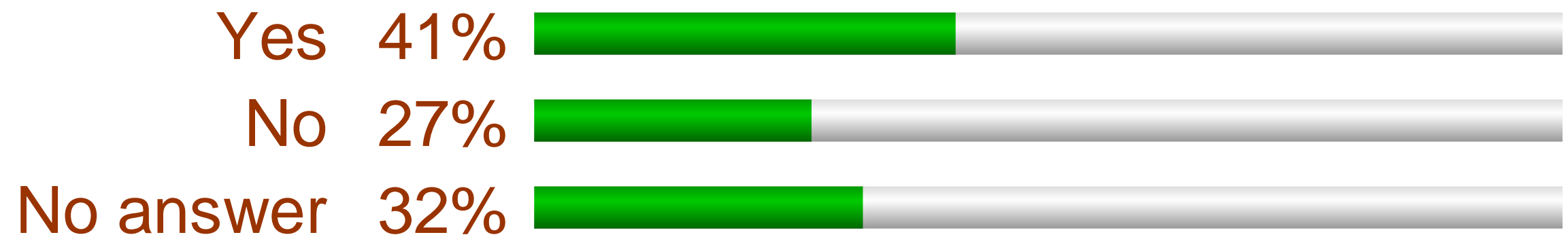


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Q.45 Are there enough play facilities for children up to and including age 11?

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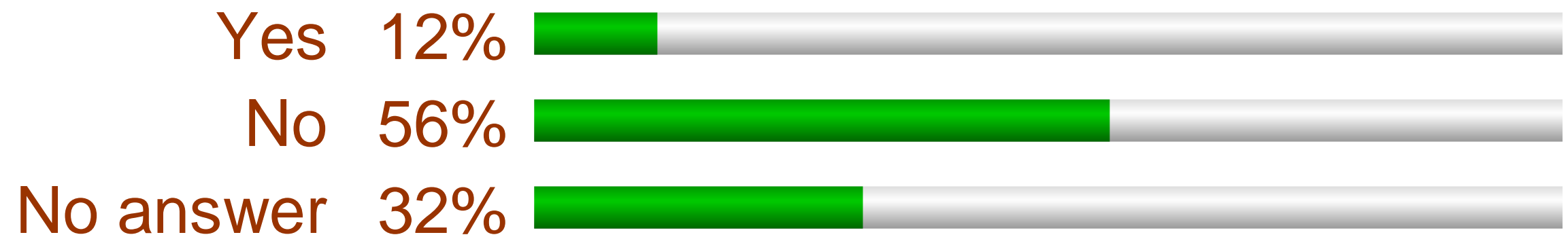


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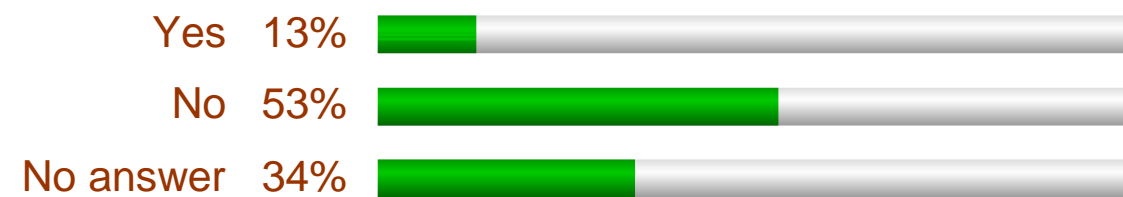
- No Brownies or cubs.
- November 5th village bonfire would be a good idea.
- No provision of childcare facilities either nursery or before/after school clubs.
- Children's facilities have to be improved. More arts and crafts clubs for all ages.

Q.46 Are there enough entertainment and meeting facilities for young people aged 12 to 18?

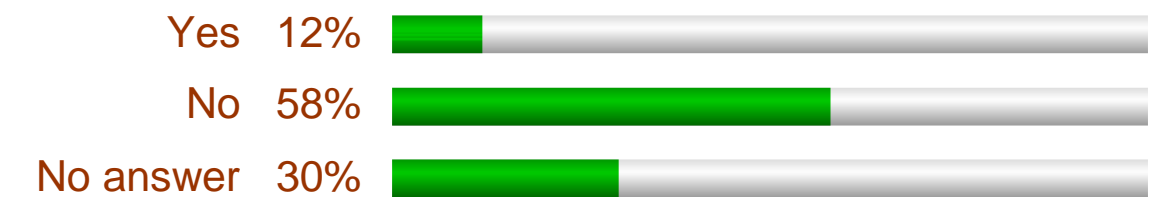
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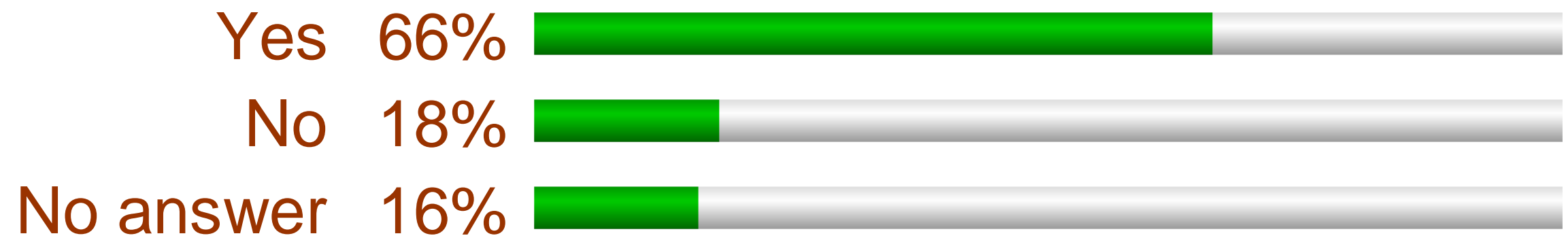


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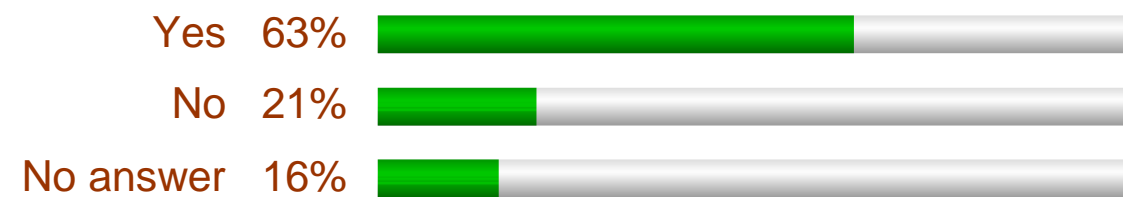
- This 12 year-old doesn't know of any facilities for 12-18 year-olds.
- I would encourage a young persons club but not use it.
- There is a great need for villagers under 50 to take responsibility for organising things.
- I would like to see a young persons club.

Q.47 Should the Hanneys organise an annual Carnival or Village Fête?

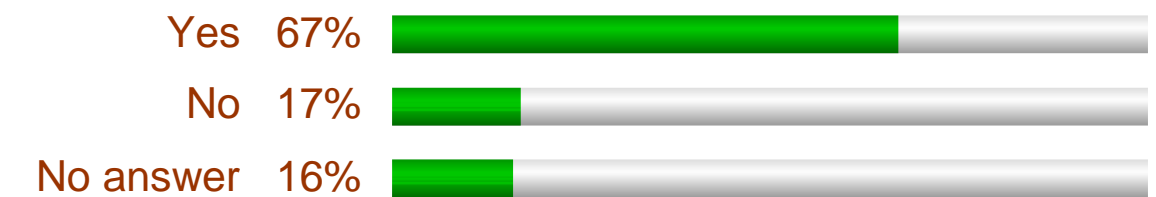
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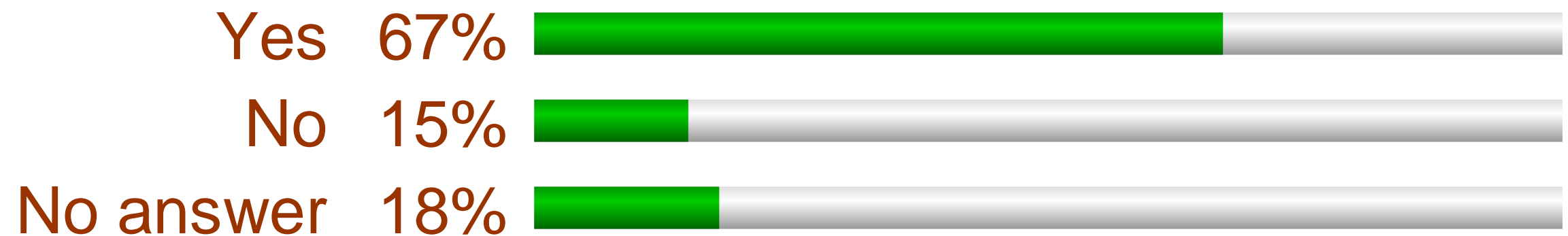


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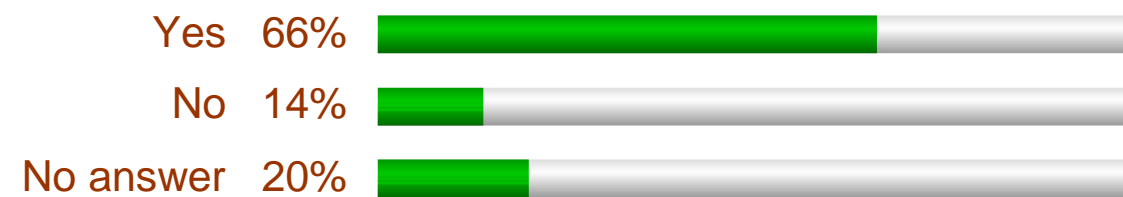
- A fête or carnival should be every 2 years.
- I would support a Christmas Fayre or Summer Fête.
- Expand the school fête into a village one.
- Should have a carnival every year to boost morale.

Q.48 Would you encourage the setting up of a young persons' social club in the village hall?

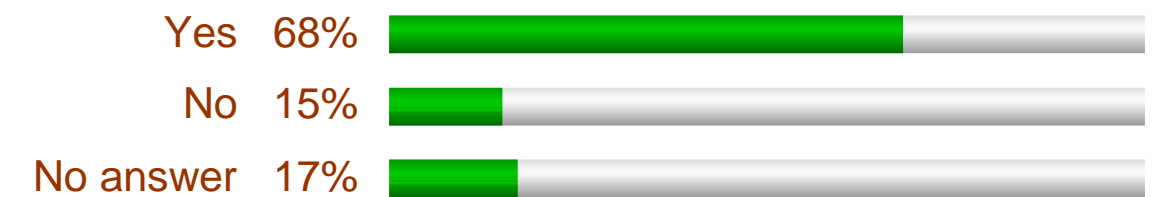
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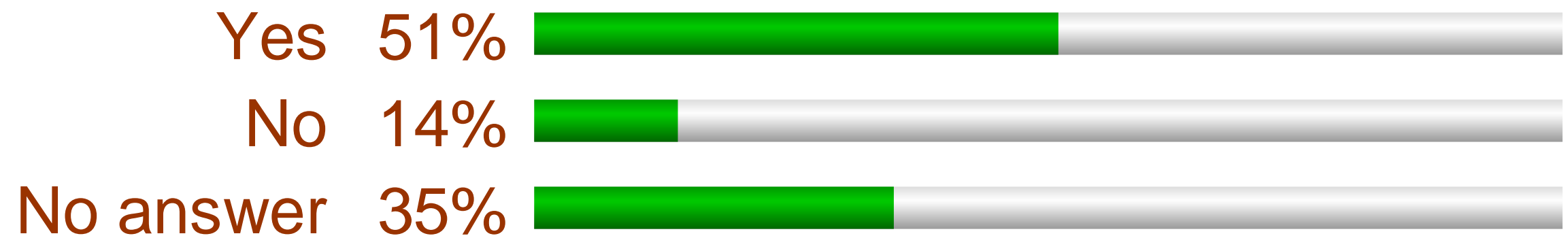


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- I would encourage a young persons club but not use it.
- There is a great need for villagers under 50 to take responsibility for organising things.
- I would like to see a young persons club.

Q.49 Are there enough social activities for retired people?

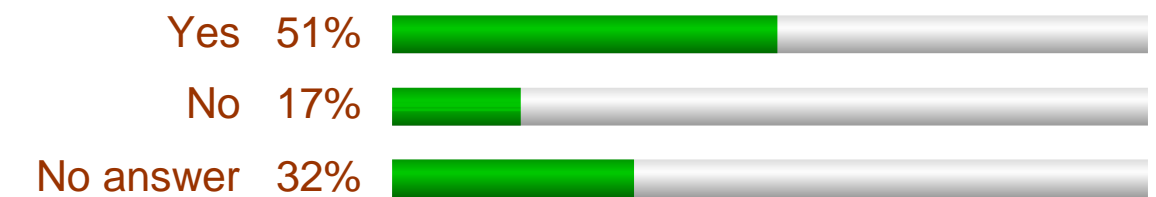
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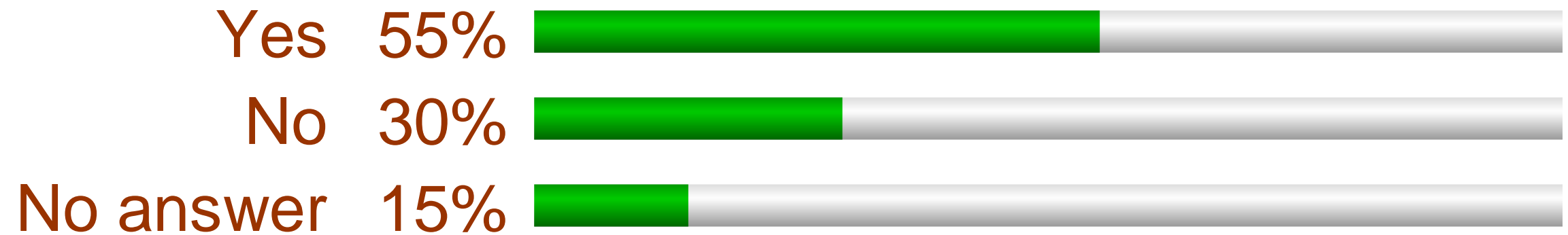


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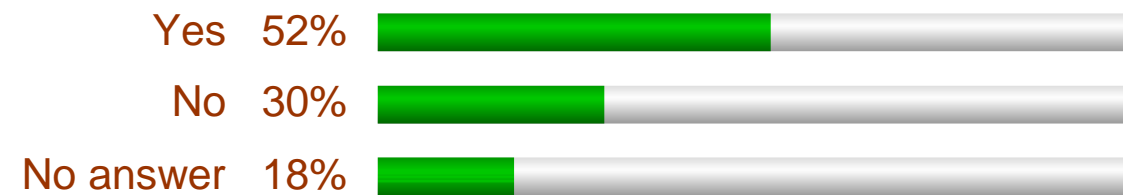
- If there were more facilities for retired people, who would run them?
- I don't have a list of all the clubs, but a 'Good Neighbour Scheme' would be welcomed.
- An arts and crafts club could help pensioners and young people to meet.
- More arts and craft clubs for all ages.

Q.50 Would you support a single Parish Council for both villages?

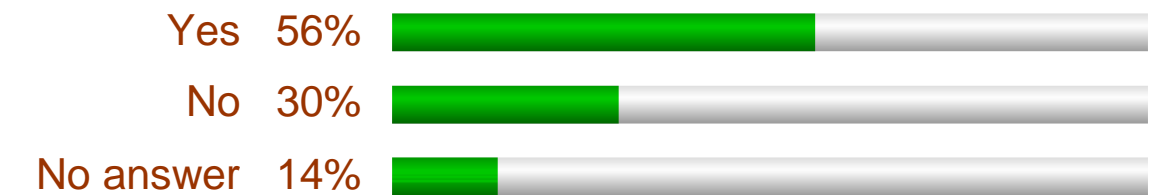
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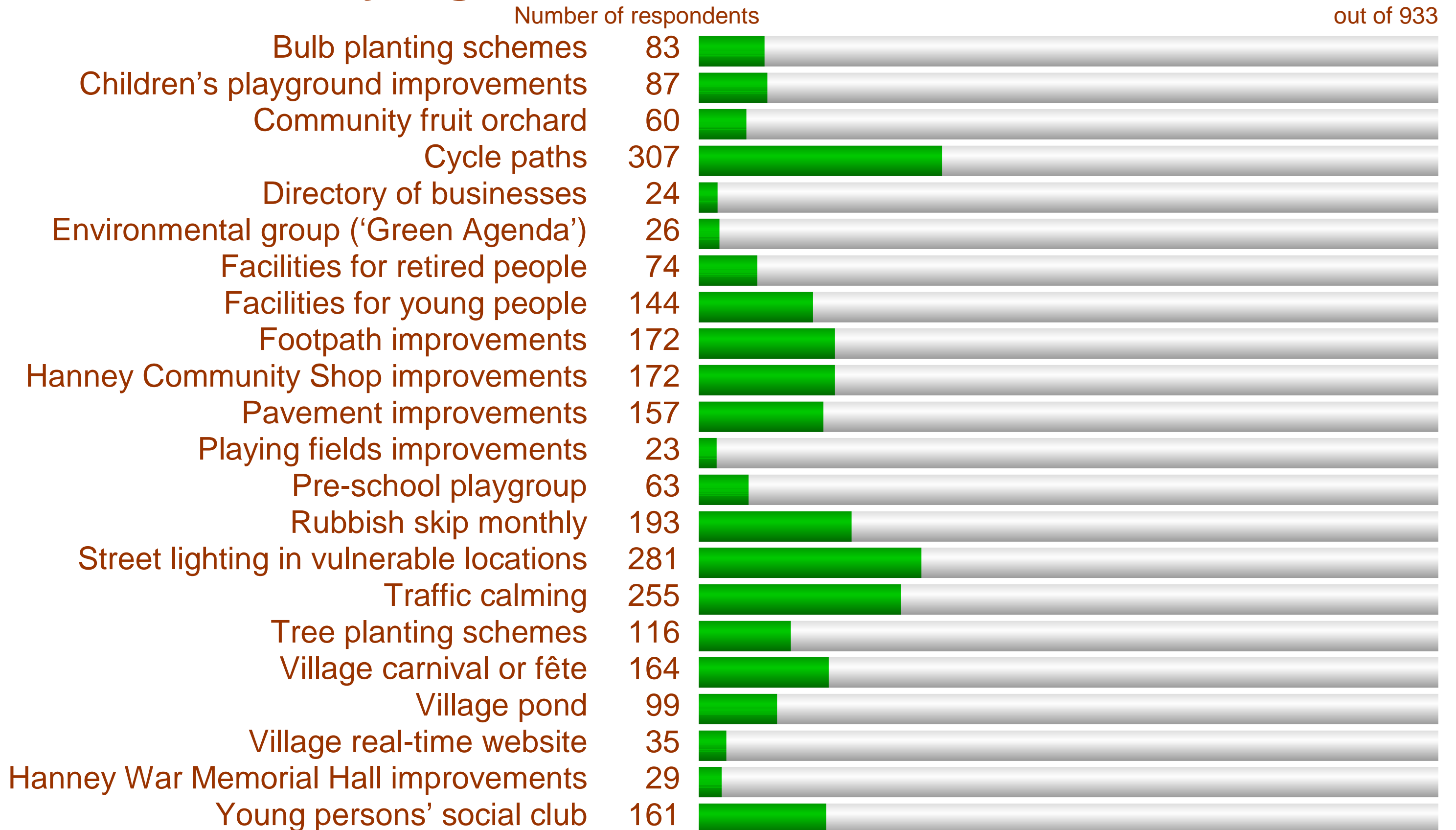


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- Any change would need an Act of Parliament.
- I would like to see more information from the PC about meeting dates and issues affecting us.
- We share a church, a hall, playing fields and a primary school so why not?
- East & West Hanney have always been separate and should remain so.

Q.51 What to spend money on? (choose up to three)

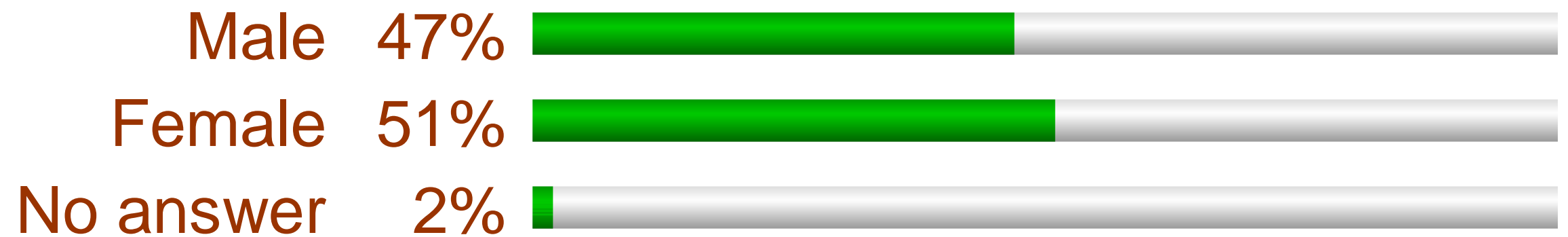
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Q.52 What gender are you?

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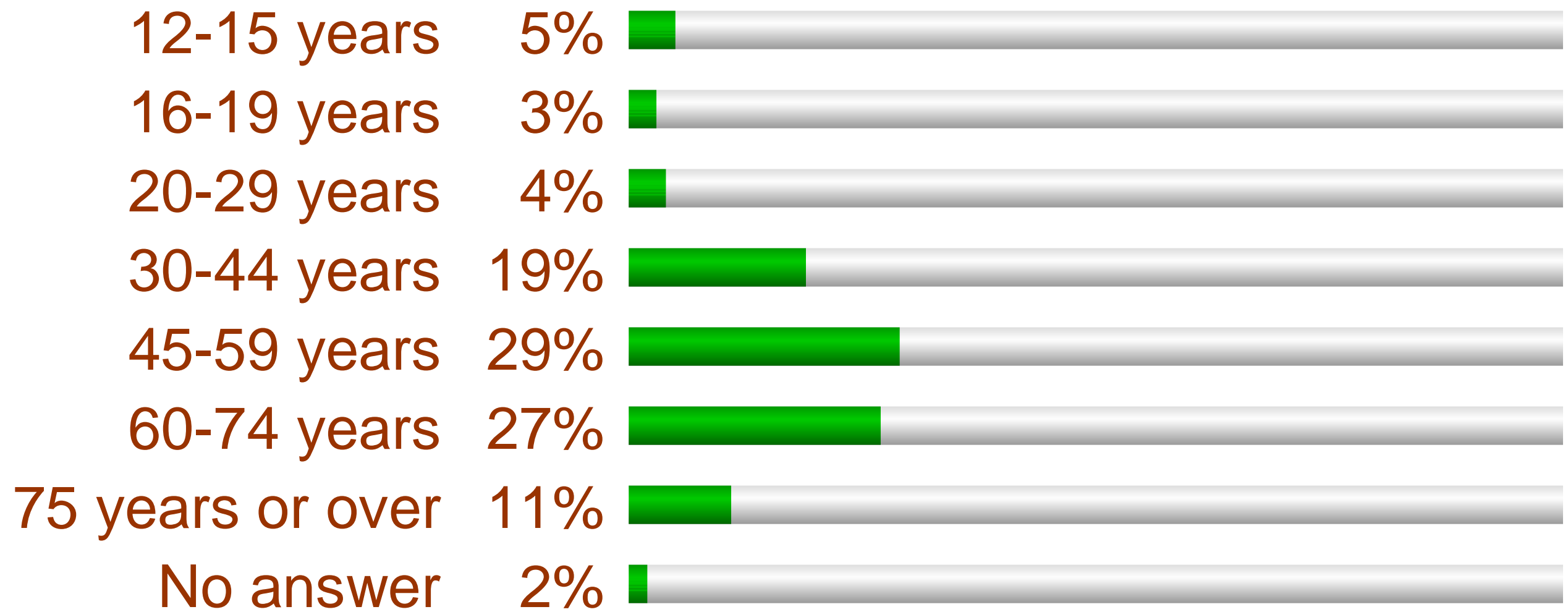


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- None

Q.53 How old are you?

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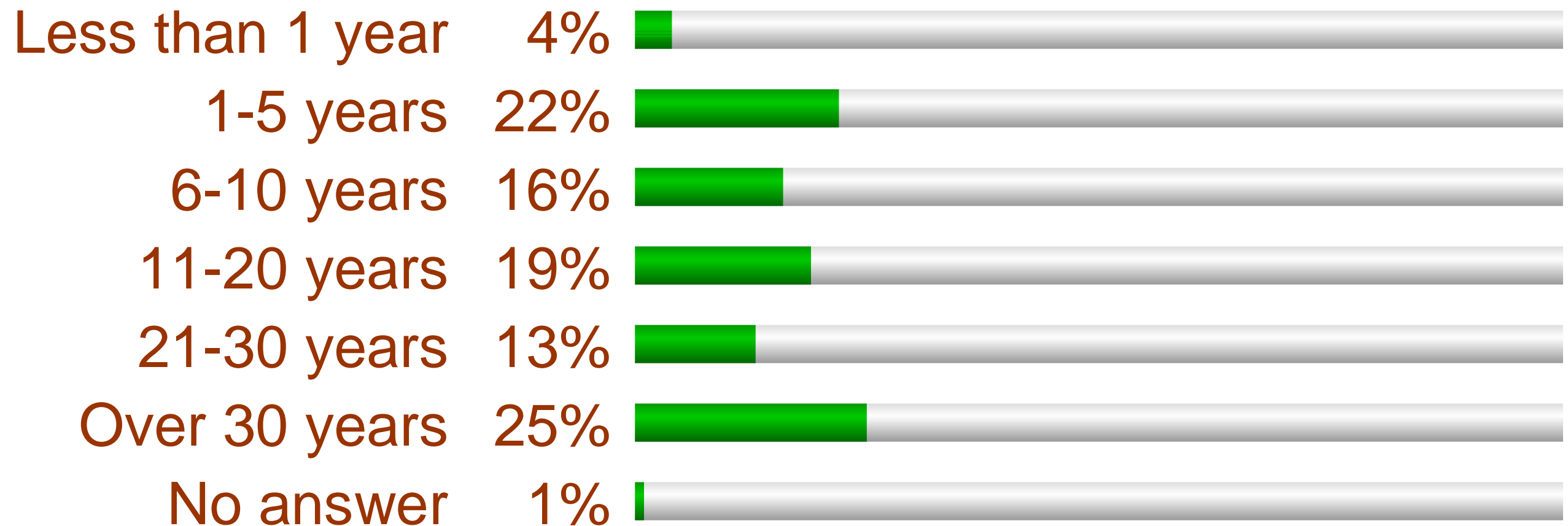


COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- None

Q.54 How long have you lived in the Hanneys?

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COMMENTS FROM QUESTIONNAIRES

- We've only lived here for a little over a year and we love it. It is a peaceful environment for our children.
- As far as I'm aware the vast majority of The Hanneys love them the way they are.
- I have lived in my house for 78 years, all my life, and I think it is lovely in the village.
- The Hanneys are pleasant rural villages and should remain so.