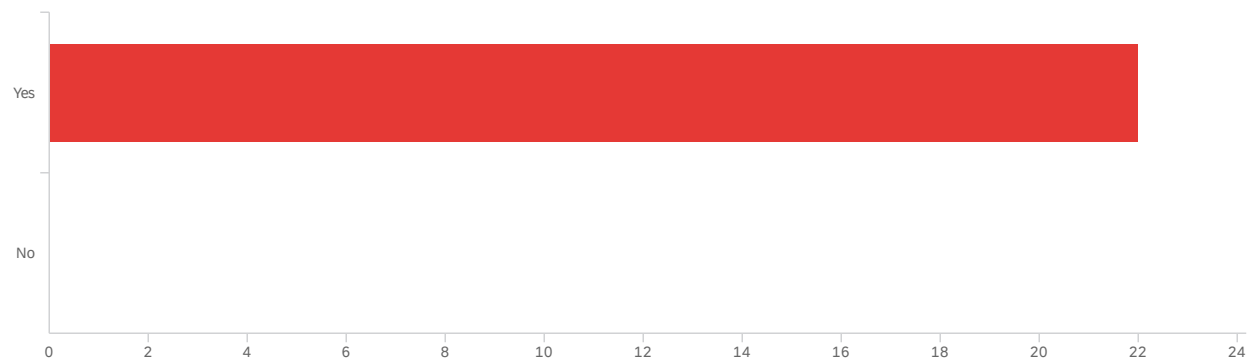# Default Report

*Waster Management Survey NYC*

October 20, 2022 2:07 PM MDT

## Q1 - Q1. Are you a New York City resident?
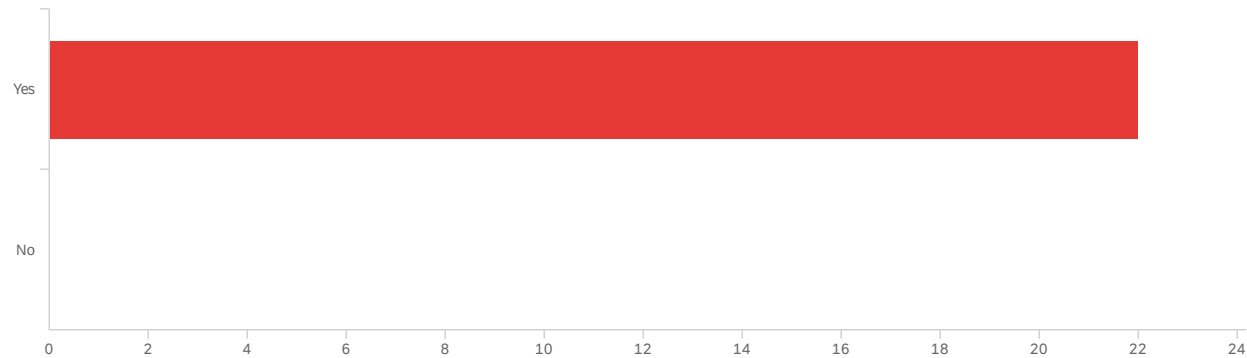


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|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q1. Are you a New York City resident? | 1.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 22 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count | |
|---|-------|---|---|---|
| 1 | Yes | | 100.00% | 22 |
| 2 | No | | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | | 22 |

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# Q2 What is your age?
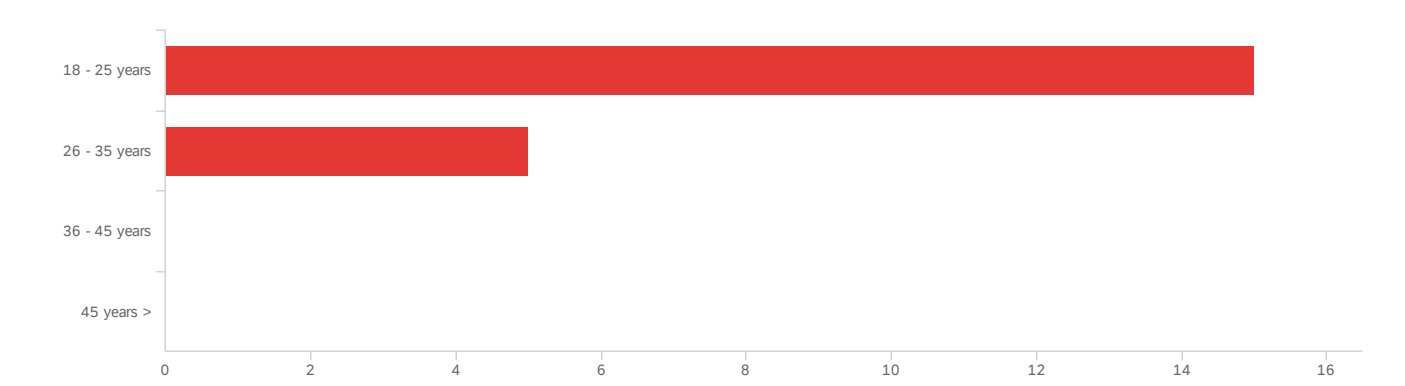


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|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q2. What is your age ? | 10.00 | 11.00 | 10.25 | 0.43 | 0.19 | 20 |

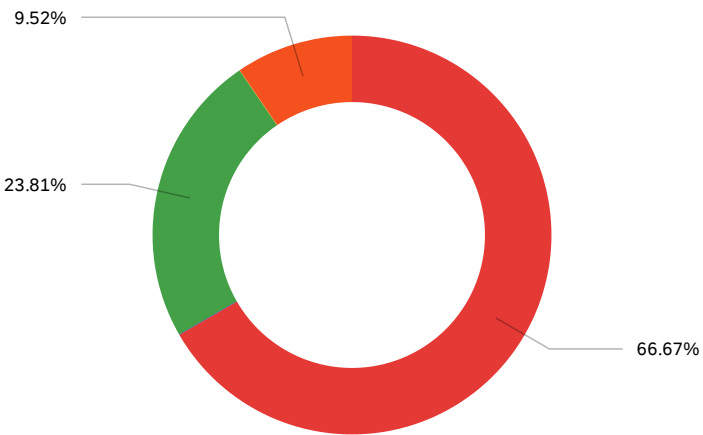| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|----|--------------|---|-----|
| 13 | 45 years > | 0.00% | 0 |
| 10 | 18 - 25 years | 75.00% | 15 |
| 11 | 26 - 35 years | 25.00% | 5 |
| 12 | 36 - 45 years | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | 20 |

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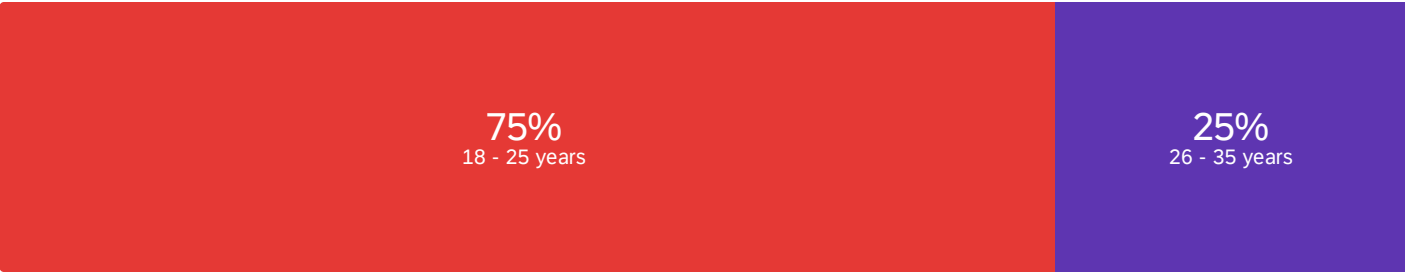


■ 18 - 25 years  ■ 26 - 35 years  ■ 36 - 45 years  ■ 45 years >

# Q3 - Q3. What gender do you identify with?



Male ■ Non-binary ■ Other ■ Female ■ Transgender ■ Prefer not to say

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q3. What gender do you identify with? | 1.00 | 7.00 | 2.29 | 1.98 | 3.92 | 21 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Male | 66.67% | 14 |
| 2 | Non-binary | 0.00% | 0 |
| 3 | Other | 0.00% | 0 |
| 4 | Female | 23.81% | 5 |
| 5 | Transgender | 0.00% | 0 |
| 7 | Prefer not to say | 9.52% | 2 |
| | | | 21 |

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Q4  - Q4. What is your occupation ?

student
developer
teacher
project
manager
admin

Q5 - Section 1: Recycling Q5. How often would you usually place your household

recycling bin out for collection?



14.29%

4.76%

80.95%

■ Weekly  ■ Montly  ■ Less Often
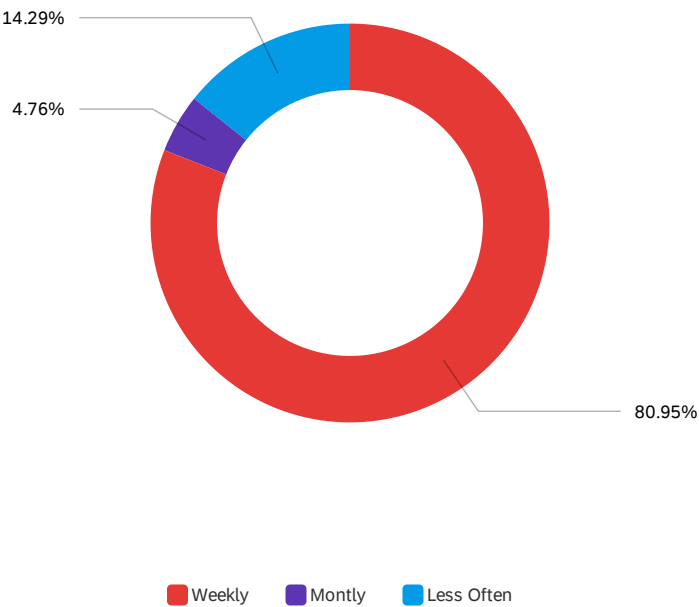
| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Section 1: Recycling Q5. How often would you usually place your household recycling bin out for collection? | 1.00 | 3.00 | 1.33 | 0.71 | 0.51 | 21 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|------|------|
| 1 | Weekly | 80.95% | 17 |
| 2 | Montly | 4.76% | 1 |
| 3 | Less Often | 14.29% | 3 |
| | | | 21 |

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# Q6 - Q6. On a scale of 1-5, how informed are you about materials that are recyclable?
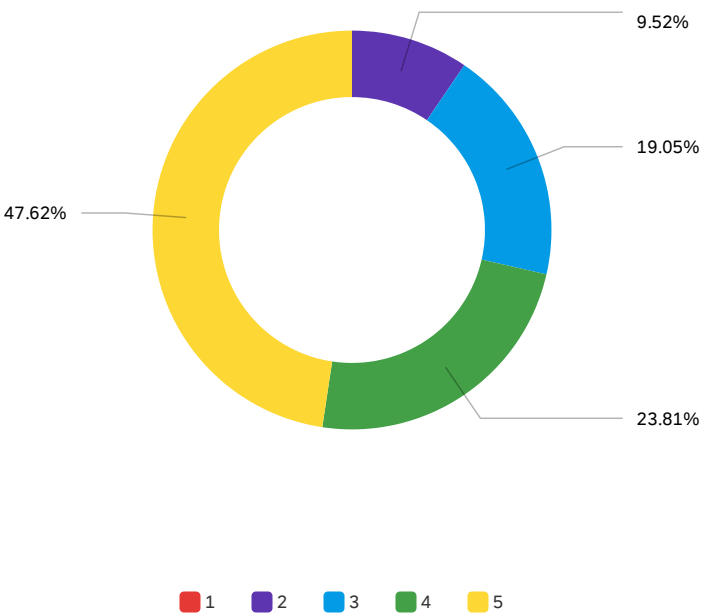
10.00%

10.00%

45.00%

35.00%

■ 1   ■ 2   ■ 3   ■ 4   ■ 5
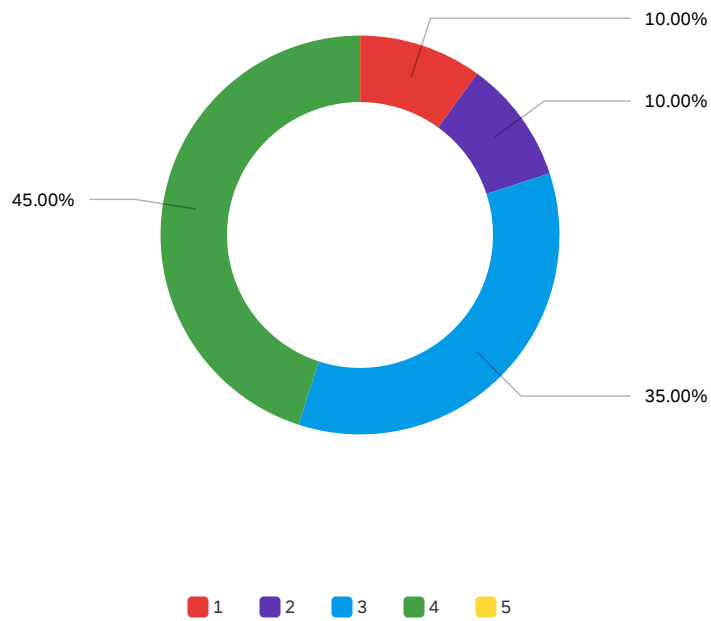
| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q6. On a scale of 1-5, how informed are you about materials that are recyclable? | 1.00 | 6.00 | 4.95 | 1.47 | 2.15 | 20 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|--|--------------|
| 1 | 1 | 10.00% | 2 |
| 4 | 2 | 10.00% | 2 |
| 5 | 3 | 35.00% | 7 |
| 6 | 4 | 45.00% | 9 |
| 7 | 5 | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | 20 |

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# Q7 - Q7. On a scale of 1-5 how interested are you in better waste management ?

9.52%

19.05%

47.62%

23.81%

■ 1    ■ 2    ■ 3    ■ 4    ■ 5

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q7. On a scale of 1-5 how interested are you in better waste management ? | 4.00 | 7.00 | 6.10 | 1.02 | 1.04 | 21 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count | |
|---|-------|---|--------------|---|
| 1 | 1 | | 0.00% | 0 |
| 4 | 2 | | 9.52% | 2 |
| 5 | 3 | | 19.05% | 4 |
| 6 | 4 | | 23.81% | 5 |
| 7 | 5 | | 47.62% | 10 |
| | | | | 21 |

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## Q9 - Q9. What are the most common products you discard as recyclable waste?
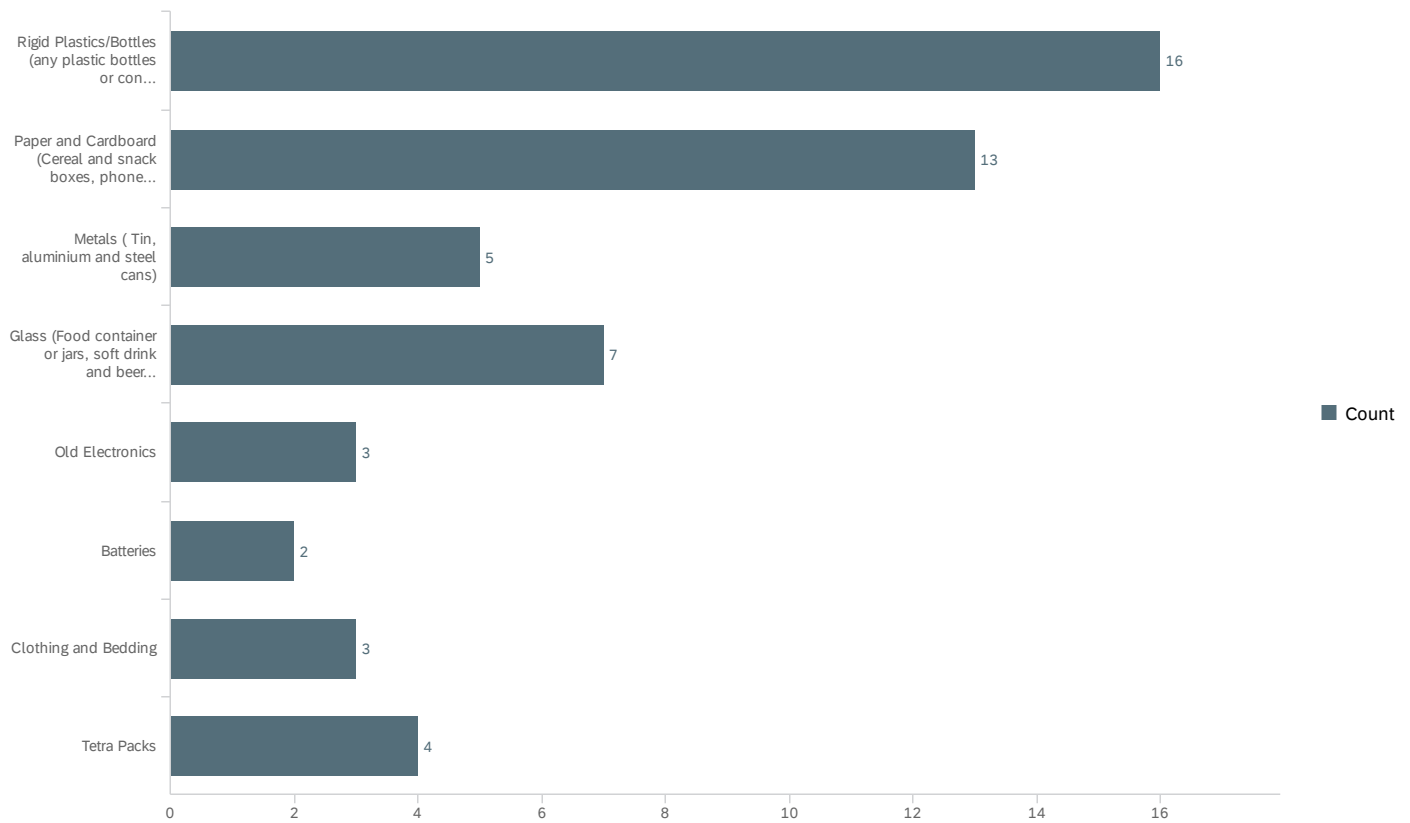


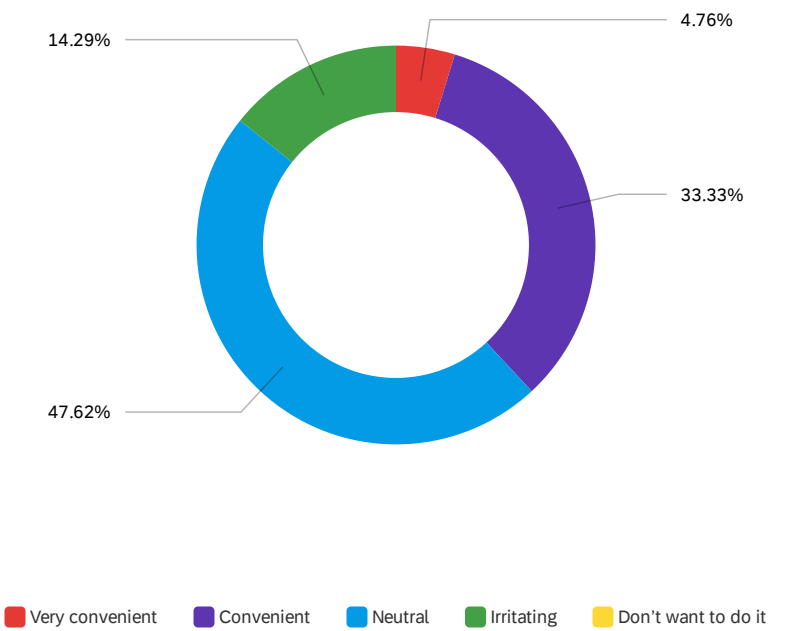| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|-------|---|
| 4 | Rigid Plastics/Bottles (any plastic bottles or containers found in your kitchen) | 30.19% | 16 |
| 5 | Paper and Cardboard (Cereal and snack boxes, phonebooks, magazines, mail, books, office paper, newspaper and cardboard) | 24.53% | 13 |
| 6 | Metals ( Tin, aluminium and steel cans) | 9.43% | 5 |
| 7 | Glass (Food container or jars, soft drink and beer bottles and liquor bottles) | 13.21% | 7 |
| 8 | Old Electronics | 5.66% | 3 |
| 9 | Batteries | 3.77% | 2 |
| 10 | Clothing and Bedding | 5.66% | 3 |
| 11 | Tetra Packs | 7.55% | 4 |
| | | | 53 |

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## Q9 - Q8. How convenient do you find recycling?



14.29%

4.76%

33.33%

47.62%

■ Very convenient  ■ Convenient  ■ Neutral  ■ Irritating  ■ Don't want to do it

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q8. How convenient do you find recycling? | 1.00 | 4.00 | 2.71 | 0.76 | 0.59 | 21 |

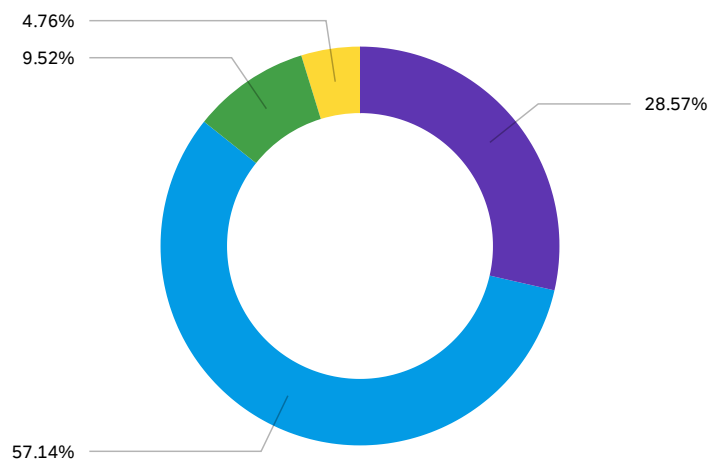| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Very convenient | 4.76% | 1 |
| 2 | Convenient | 33.33% | 7 |
| 3 | Neutral | 47.62% | 10 |
| 4 | Irritating | 14.29% | 3 |
| 5 | Don't want to do it | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | 21 |

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Q10 - Q10. As far as you know, which of the following are collected as part of the recycling service by the NYC government?

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 12%<br>Card | 18%<br>Paper | 20%<br>Cans | 15%<br>Glass | 21%<br>Plastic bottles | |

■ Card  ■ Paper  ■ Cans  ■ Glass  ■ Plastic bottles  ■ Foil  ■ Batteries  ■ Tetra packs
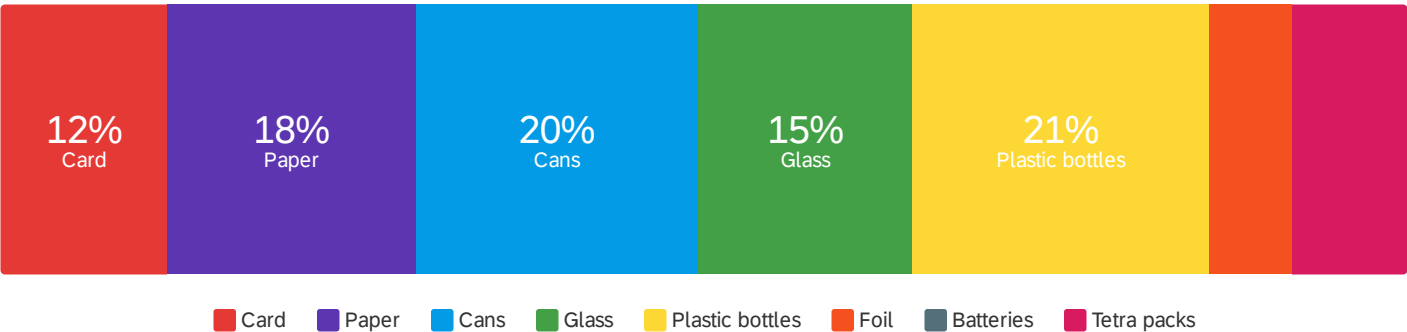
| # | Field | | Choice<br>Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Card | 11.76% | 10 |
| 2 | Paper | 17.65% | 15 |
| 3 | Cans | 20.00% | 17 |
| 4 | Glass | 15.29% | 13 |
| 5 | Plastic bottles | 21.18% | 18 |
| 6 | Foil | 5.88% | 5 |
| 7 | Batteries | 0.00% | 0 |
| 8 | Tetra packs | 8.24% | 7 |
| | | | 85 |

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4.76%

9.52%

28.57%

57.14%

■ Extremely Confident ■ Mostly confident but unsure of one or two materials ■ 50:50 - sure about some materials but not others ■ Not very confident

■ Not at all confident

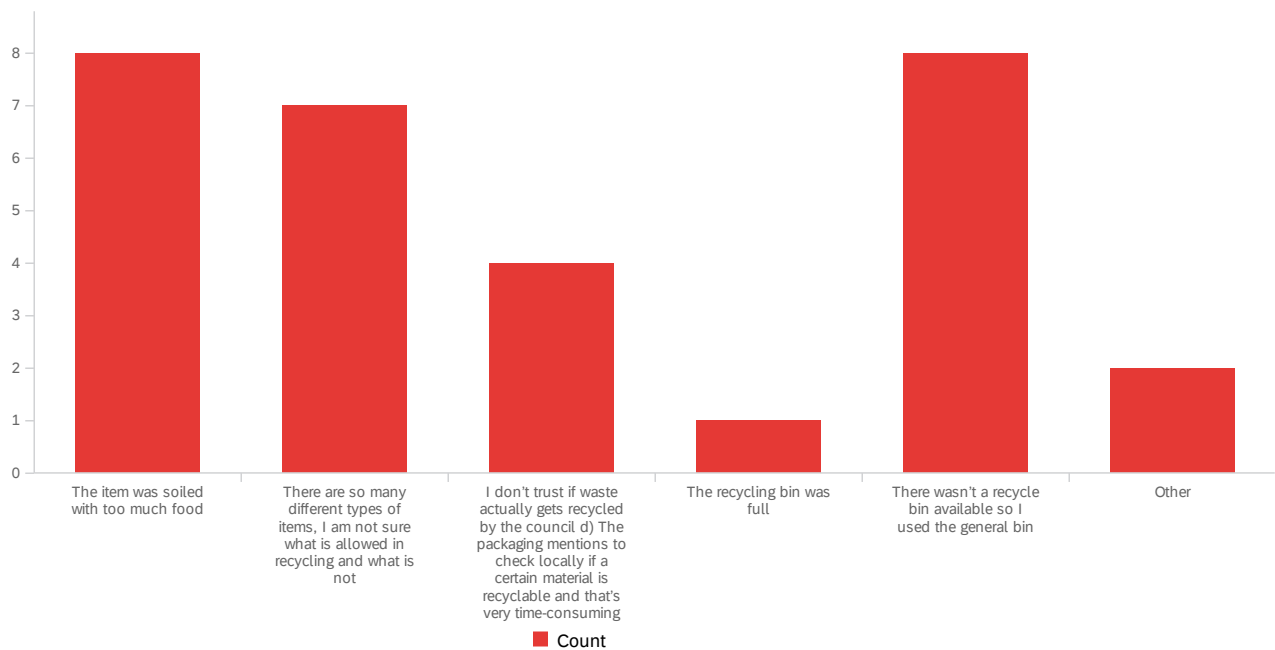| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q11. Overall how confident are you about which materials can be put in the recycling collection and which cannot? | 2.00 | 5.00 | 2.90 | 0.75 | 0.56 | 21 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Extremely Confident | 0.00% | 0 |
| 2 | Mostly confident but unsure of one or two materials | 28.57% | 6 |
| 3 | 50:50 - sure about some materials but not others | 57.14% | 12 |
| 4 | Not very confident | 9.52% | 2 |
| 5 | Not at all confident | 4.76% | 1 |
| | | | 21 |

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Q15 - Q12. Below are reasons people give for why they sometimes put items in the general rubbish bin and not the recycling bin. Please select the statements that apply to you.
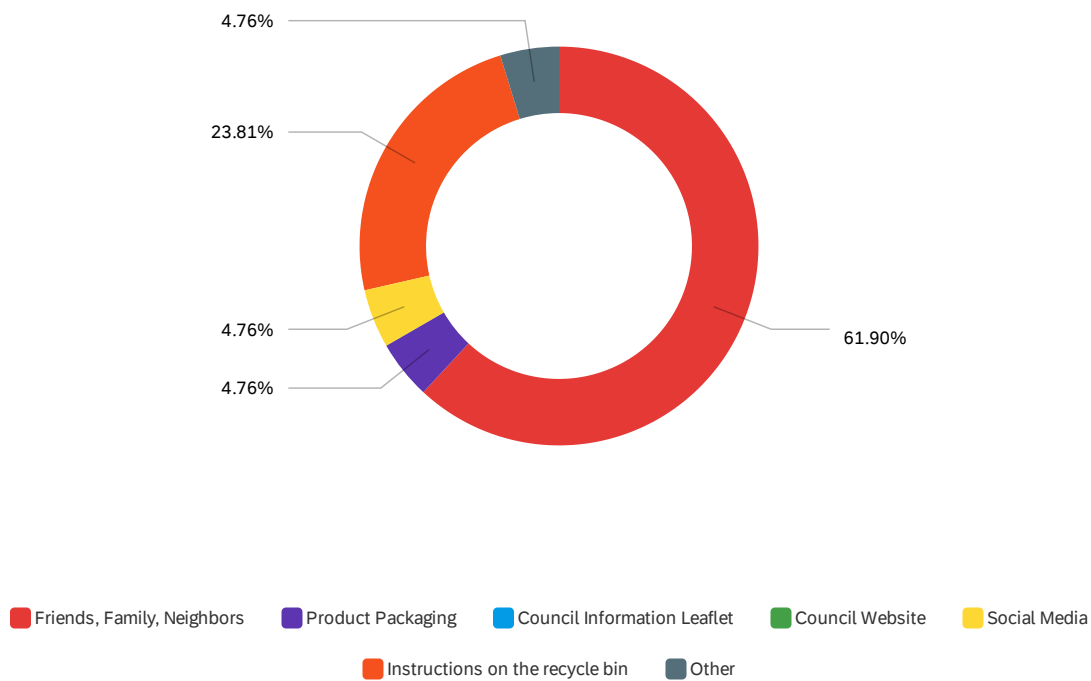
| # | Field | Choice Count | |
|---|-------|---:|---|
| 1 | The item was soiled with too much food | 26.67% | 8 |
| 2 | There are so many different types of items, I am not sure what is allowed in recycling and what is not | 23.33% | 7 |
| 3 | I don't trust if waste actually gets recycled by the council d) The packaging mentions to check locally if a certain material is recyclable and that's very time-consuming | 13.33% | 4 |
| 4 | The recycling bin was full | 3.33% | 1 |
| 5 | There wasn't a recycle bin available so I used the general bin | 26.67% | 8 |
| 6 | Other | 6.67% | 2 |
| | | | 30 |

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Q16 - Q13. Where would you say the majority of your knowledge of what can and can't be recycled comes from?



4.76%

23.81%

4.76%

4.76%

61.90%

■ Friends, Family, Neighbors   ■ Product Packaging   ■ Council Information Leaflet   ■ Council Website   ■ Social Media
■ Instructions on the recycle bin   ■ Other

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q13. Where would you say the majority of your knowledge of what can and can't be recycled comes from? - Selected Choice | 1.00 | 7.00 | 2.71 | 2.35 | 5.54 | 21 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|------|------|
| 1 | Friends, Family, Neighbors | 61.90% | 13 |
| 2 | Product Packaging | 4.76% | 1 |
| 3 | Council Information Leaflet | 0.00% | 0 |
| 4 | Council Website | 0.00% | 0 |
| 5 | Social Media | 4.76% | 1 |
| 6 | Instructions on the recycle bin | 23.81% | 5 |
| 7 | Other | 4.76% | 1 |

| # | Field | Choice Count |
|---|-------|-------------:|
|   |       | 21 |

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## Q16_7_TEXT - Other

| Other |
|-------|
| YouTube info videos |

# Q17 - Q14. Are you aware of what the numbers and symbols mean on plastic items?

28.57%

23.81%

47.62%

■ Aware   ■ Not Sure   ■ Unaware
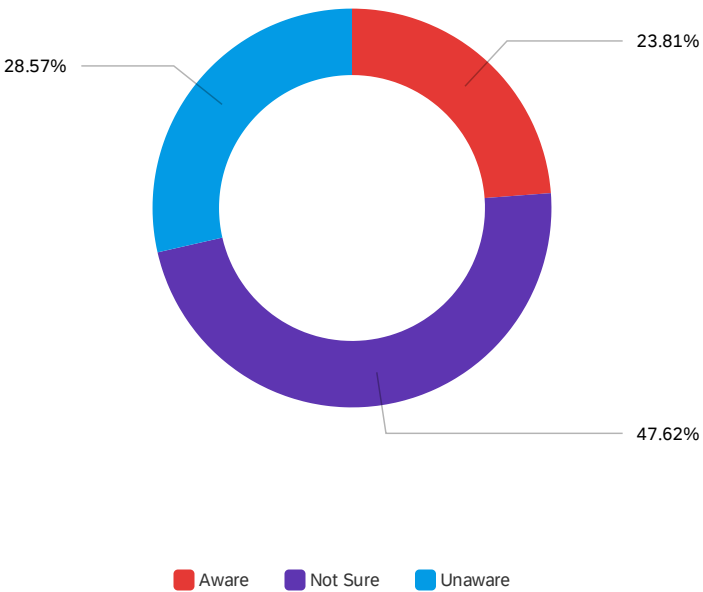
| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q14. Are you aware of what the numbers and symbols mean on plastic items? | 1.00 | 3.00 | 2.05 | 0.72 | 0.52 | 21 |

| # | Field | Choice Count | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Aware | 23.81% | 5 |
| 2 | Not Sure | 47.62% | 10 |
| 3 | Unaware | 28.57% | 6 |
| | | | 21 |

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Q18 - Q15. Do you believe people need to be more educated on the subject of recycling and know where items go after they have been recycled?
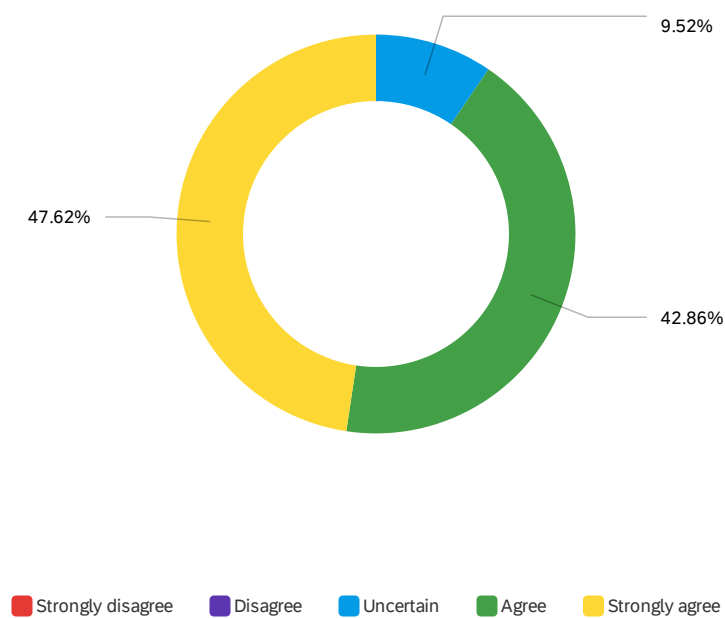


| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q15. Do you believe people need to be more educated on the subject of recycling and know where items go after they have been recycled? | 3.00 | 5.00 | 4.38 | 0.65 | 0.43 | 21 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Strongly disagree | 0.00% | 0 |
| 2 | Disagree | 0.00% | 0 |
| 3 | Uncertain | 9.52% | 2 |
| 4 | Agree | 42.86% | 9 |
| 5 | Strongly agree | 47.62% | 10 |
| | | | 21 |

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# Q19 - Q16. Do you have any other comments on how we can help you recycle more?

Q16. Do you have any other comments on how we can help you recycle more?

Provide more info on what bin is for what, in detail.

unb.

no

Have a detailed description of what can be recycled and what cannot be which can be understood by the public

No

Government should make the process easier

An app that educates people on what can be recycled and what not

Regular pickups (everyday), incentives for who recycle and educating everyone on which things go where and which ones to avoid

.

No

No

We would need better knowledge from our school days as it's very important

I don't know what should I do to make recycling process easier

No

No

No

An app that helps us identify whether an item is recyclable or not

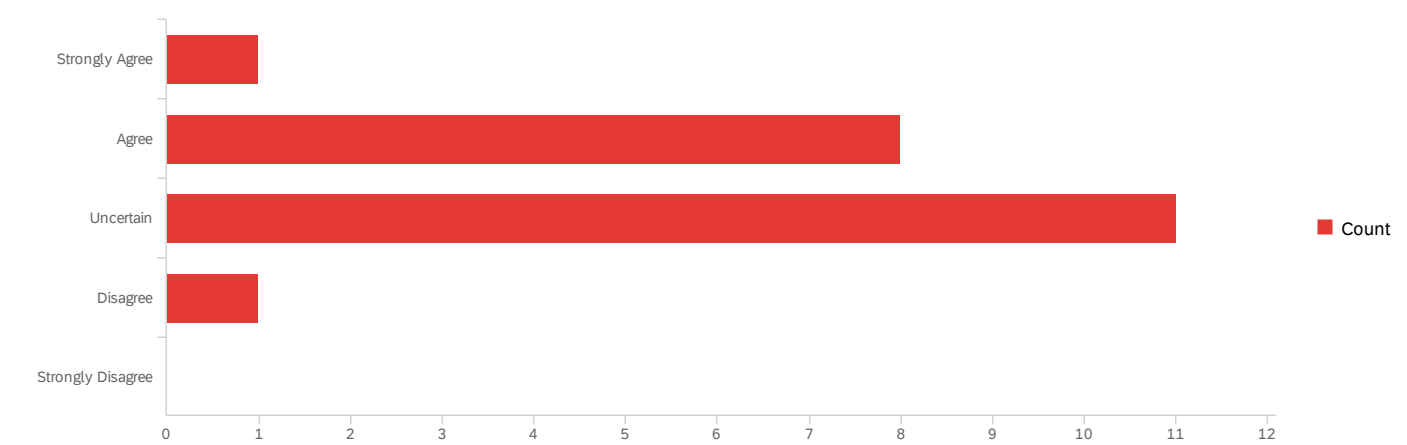Put up posters on bins, about what can be recycled and what can't.

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No

No

Q20 - Q17. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement: I separate recyclable waste and general waste cautiously.
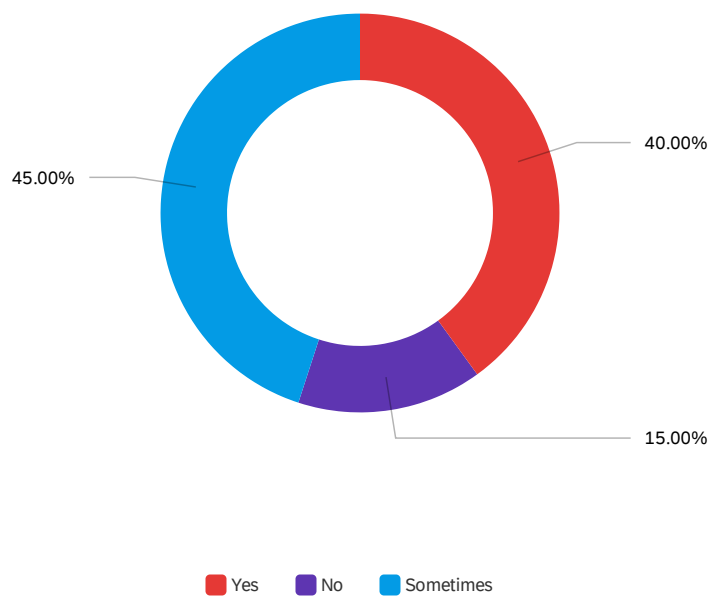
| Field | | | | | | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Strongly Agree | | | | | | |
| Agree | | | | | | |
| Uncertain | | | | | | |
| Disagree | | | | | | |
| Strongly Disagree | | | | | | |

Count

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q17. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement: I separate recyclable waste and general waste cautiously. | 1.00 | 4.00 | 2.57 | 0.66 | 0.44 | 21 |

| # | Field | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|
| 1 | Strongly Agree | 4.76% 1 |
| 2 | Agree | 38.10% 8 |
| 3 | Uncertain | 52.38% 11 |
| 4 | Disagree | 4.76% 1 |
| 6 | Strongly Disagree | 0.00% 0 |
| | | 21 |

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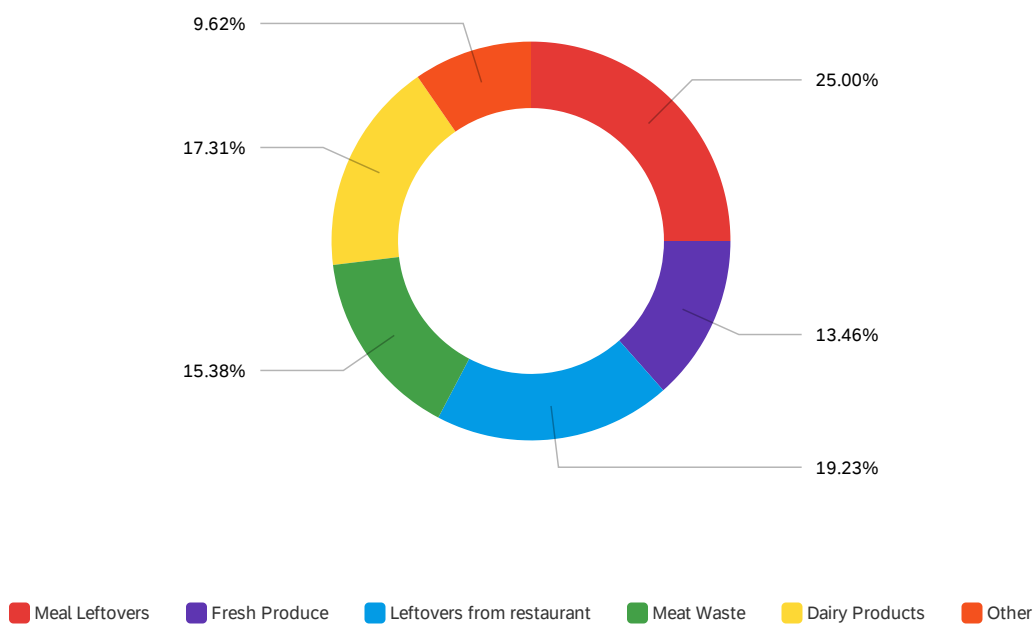# Q21 - Section 2: Food waste Q19. Do you separate organic waste from recyclables ?

45.00%

40.00%

15.00%

■ Yes   ■ No   ■ Sometimes

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Section 2: Food waste Q19. Do you separate organic waste from recyclables ? | 1.00 | 3.00 | 2.05 | 0.92 | 0.85 | 20 |

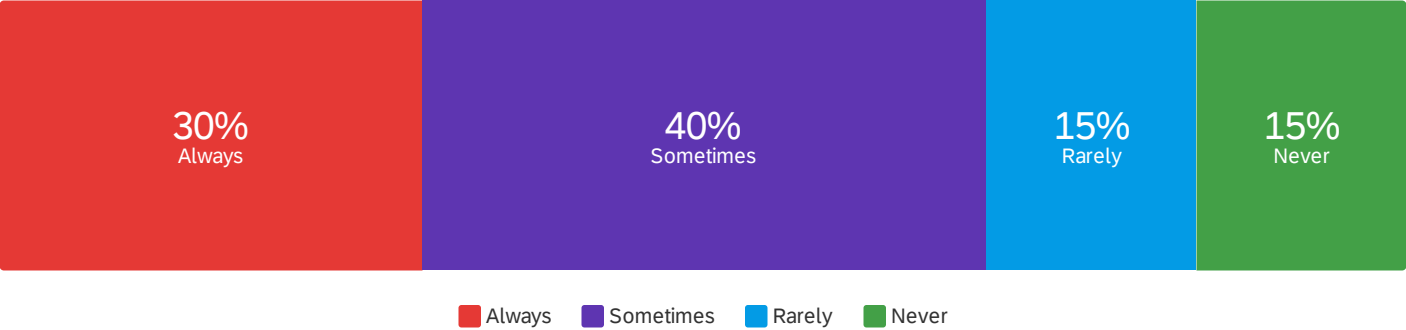| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|
| 1 | Yes | 40.00% | 8 |
| 2 | No | 15.00% | 3 |
| 3 | Sometimes | 45.00% | 9 |
| | | | 20 |

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# Q22 - Q20. What type of foods most often end up in your garbage at home ?



Legend: Meal Leftovers · Fresh Produce · Leftovers from restaurant · Meat Waste · Dairy Products · Other

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Meal Leftovers | 25.00% | 13 |
| 2 | Fresh Produce | 13.46% | 7 |
| 3 | Leftovers from restaurant | 19.23% | 10 |
| 4 | Meat Waste | 15.38% | 8 |
| 5 | Dairy Products | 17.31% | 9 |
| 6 | Other | 9.62% | 5 |
| | | | 52 |

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# Q23 - Q21. How often do you consider food waste while grocery shopping ?

| 30%<br>Always | 40%<br>Sometimes | 15%<br>Rarely | 15%<br>Never |
|:---:|:---:|:---:|:---:|

■ Always  ■ Sometimes  ■ Rarely  ■ Never

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q21. How often do you consider food waste while grocery shopping ? | 1.00 | 4.00 | 2.15 | 1.01 | 1.03 | 20 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Always | 30.00% | 6 |
| 2 | Sometimes | 40.00% | 8 |
| 3 | Rarely | 15.00% | 3 |
| 4 | Never | 15.00% | 3 |
| | | | 20 |

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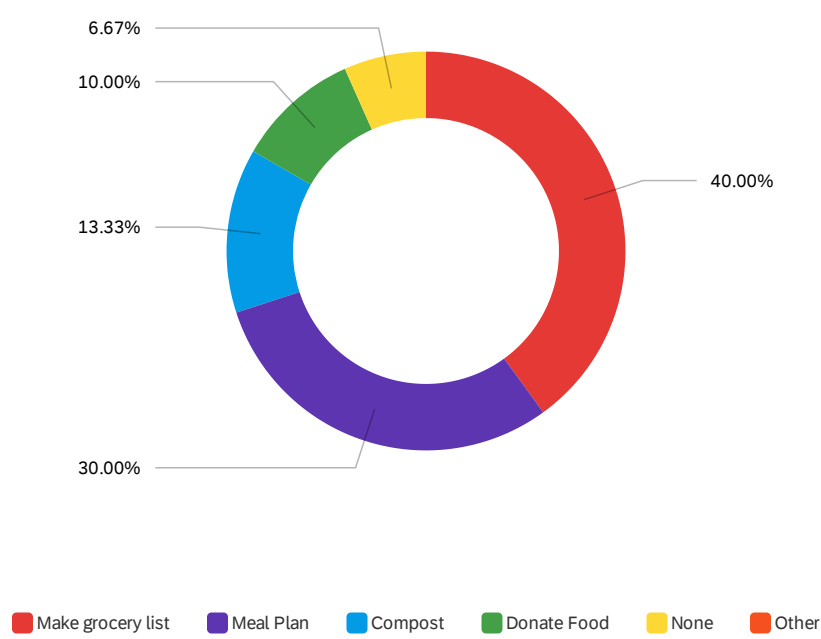# Q24 - Q22. How often do you consider food waste while eating at a restaurant ?

| 30%<br>Always | 40%<br>Sometimes | 20%<br>Rarely | |

■ Always  ■ Sometimes  ■ Rarely  ■ Never
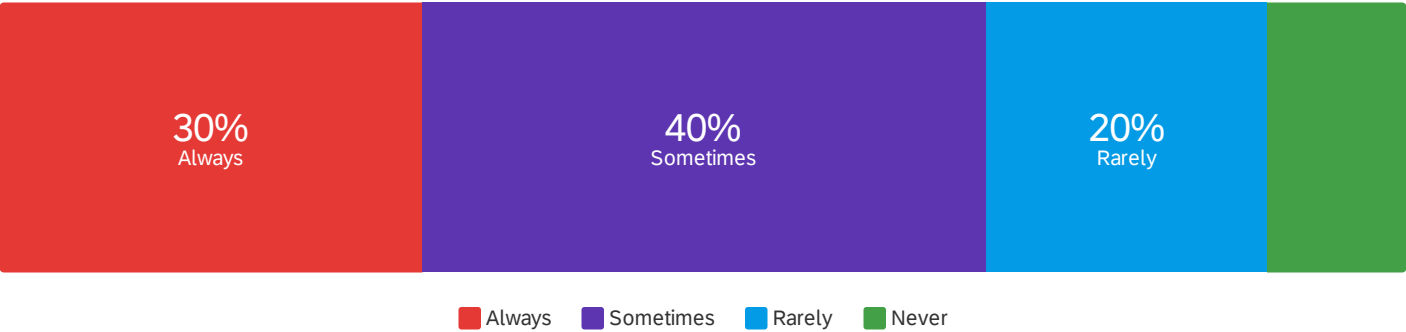
| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Q22. How often do you consider food waste while eating at a restaurant ? | 1.00 | 4.00 | 2.10 | 0.94 | 0.89 | 20 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Always | | 30.00% | 6 |
| 2 | Sometimes | | 40.00% | 8 |
| 3 | Rarely | | 20.00% | 4 |
| 4 | Never | | 10.00% | 2 |
| | | | | 20 |

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# Q25 - Q23. In what ways do you try to reduce the amount of food waste in your home ?

6.67%

10.00%

40.00%

13.33%

30.00%

■ Make grocery list  ■ Meal Plan  ■ Compost  ■ Donate Food  ■ None  ■ Other

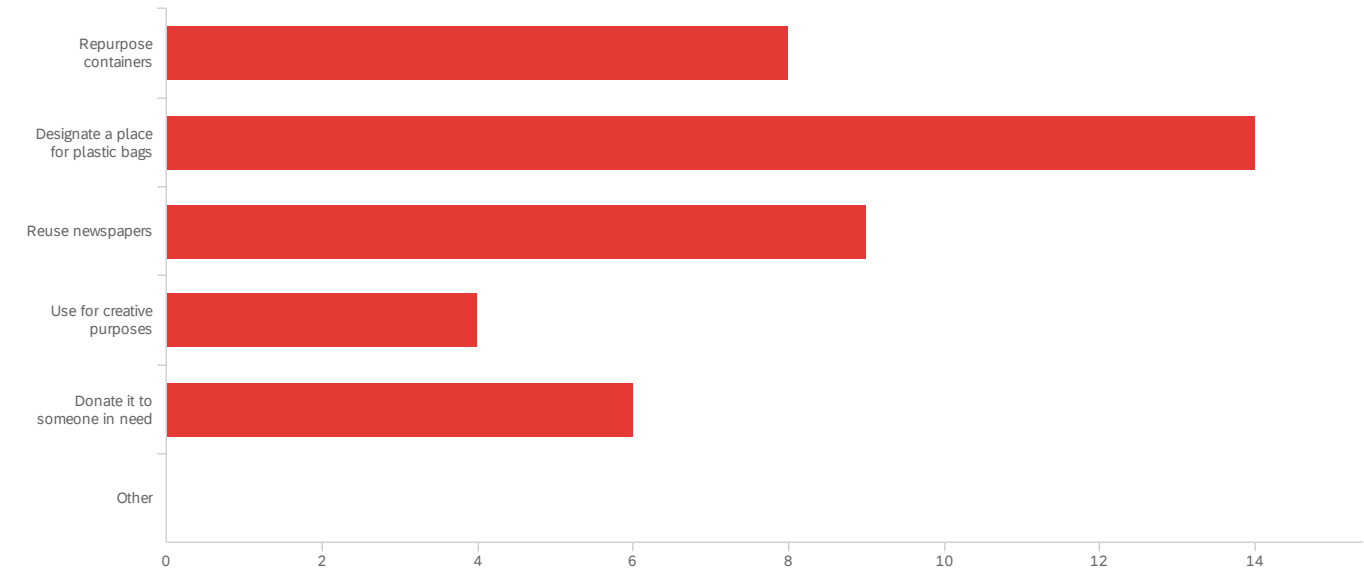| # | Field | Choice Count | |
|---|-------|--------------|---|
| 1 | Make grocery list | 40.00% | 12 |
| 2 | Meal Plan | 30.00% | 9 |
| 3 | Compost | 13.33% | 4 |
| 4 | Donate Food | 10.00% | 3 |
| 5 | None | 6.67% | 2 |
| 6 | Other | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | 30 |

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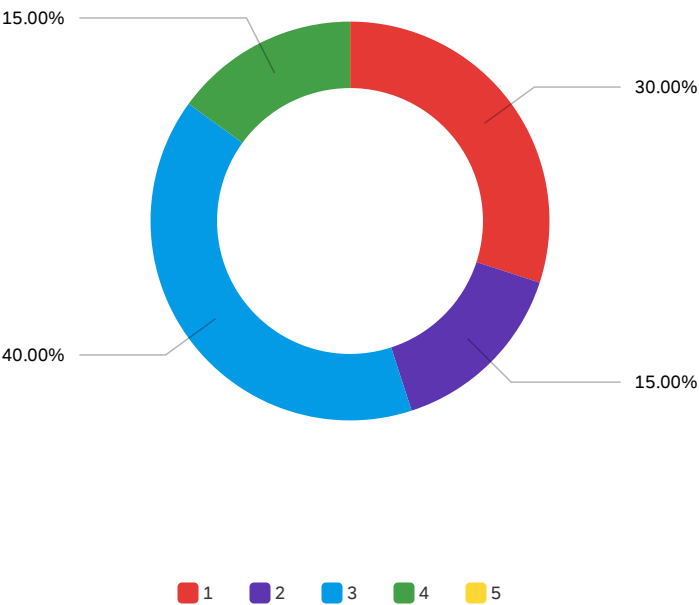
Other

Q26 - Section 3: Donation and reuse Q24. What are some ways you have reused materials in the past?



| # | Field | Choice Count | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Repurpose containers | 19.51% | 8 |
| 2 | Designate a place for plastic bags | 34.15% | 14 |
| 3 | Reuse newspapers | 21.95% | 9 |
| 4 | Use for creative purposes | 9.76% | 4 |
| 5 | Donate it to someone in need | 14.63% | 6 |
| 6 | Other | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | 41 |

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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q25. On a scale of 1-5, how informed are you about various donation drives around you? | 1.00 | 6.00 | 3.80 | 1.91 | 3.66 | 20 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|---|--------------|
| 7 | 5 | 0.00% | 0 |
| 6 | 4 | 15.00% | 3 |
| 5 | 3 | 40.00% | 8 |
| 4 | 2 | 15.00% | 3 |
| 1 | 1 | 30.00% | 6 |
| | | | 20 |

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Q39 - Q26. Have you ever donated your old belongings to someone or in a donation drive ?

Q26. Have you ever donated your old belongings to someone or in a donation...

| |
|---|
| yes |
| Yes |
| Yes |
| Yes |
| No |
| Never |
| No |
| Yes |
| No |
| Never |
| No |
| Yes |
| Yes |
| Yes |
| Yes |
| No |
| Yes |
| Yes |
| Yes |

Q40 - Section 4: Waste management Q27. Do you know/use any waste management apps ? If yes, please mention their names below.
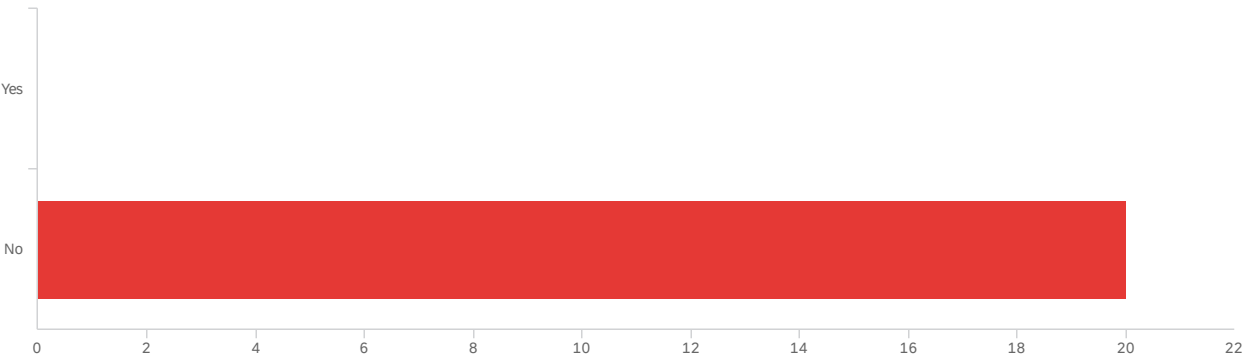


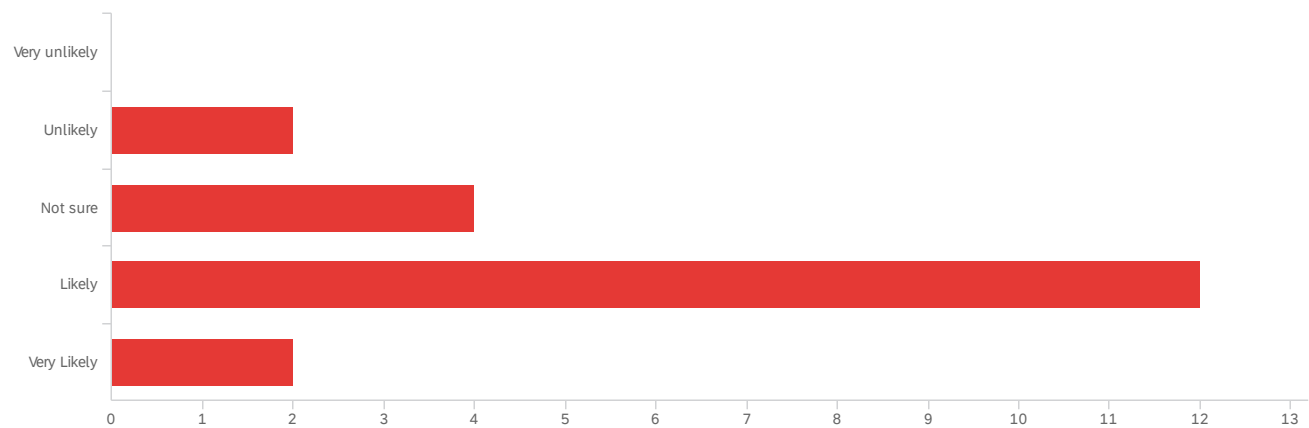| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Section 4: Waste management Q27. Do you know/use any waste management apps ? If yes, please mention their names below. - Selected Choice | 5.00 | 5.00 | 5.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 20 |

| # | Field | Choice Count |
|---|-------|--------------|
| 4 | Yes | 0.00%  0 |
| 5 | No | 100.00%  20 |
| | | 20 |

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Q40_4_TEXT - Yes

Yes

Q41 - Q28. How likely are you to seek more information on the correct ways of recycling, reusing, and donating?
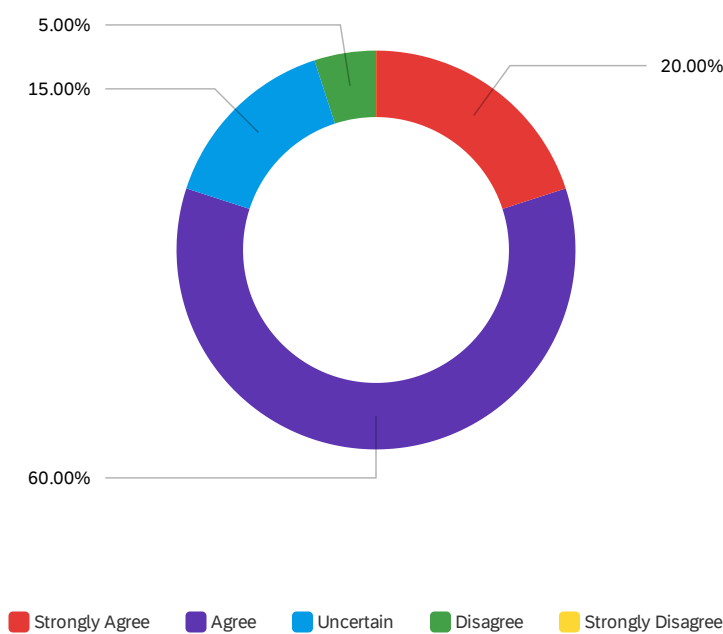


| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q28. How likely are you to seek more information on the correct ways of recycling, reusing, and donating? | 2.00 | 5.00 | 3.70 | 0.78 | 0.61 | 20 |

| # | Field | | Choice Count |
|---|-------|---|--------------|
| 1 | Very unlikely | 0.00% | 0 |
| 2 | Unlikely | 10.00% | 2 |
| 3 | Not sure | 20.00% | 4 |
| 4 | Likely | 60.00% | 12 |
| 5 | Very Likely | 10.00% | 2 |
| | | | 20 |

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Q30 - Q.18 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement: I donate old clothes, electronics, books, and other unwanted things.

5.00%

15.00%

20.00%

60.00%

■ Strongly Agree    ■ Agree    ■ Uncertain    ■ Disagree    ■ Strongly Disagree

| # | Field | Minimum | Maximum | Mean | Std Deviation | Variance | Count |
|---|-------|---------|---------|------|---------------|----------|-------|
| 1 | Q.18 To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following statement: I donate old clothes, electronics, books, and other unwanted things. | 1.00 | 4.00 | 2.05 | 0.74 | 0.55 | 20 |

| # | Field | Choice Count | |
|---|-------|--------------|---|
| 1 | Strongly Agree | 20.00% | 4 |
| 2 | Agree | 60.00% | 12 |
| 3 | Uncertain | 15.00% | 3 |
| 4 | Disagree | 5.00% | 1 |
| 5 | Strongly Disagree | 0.00% | 0 |
| | | | 20 |

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