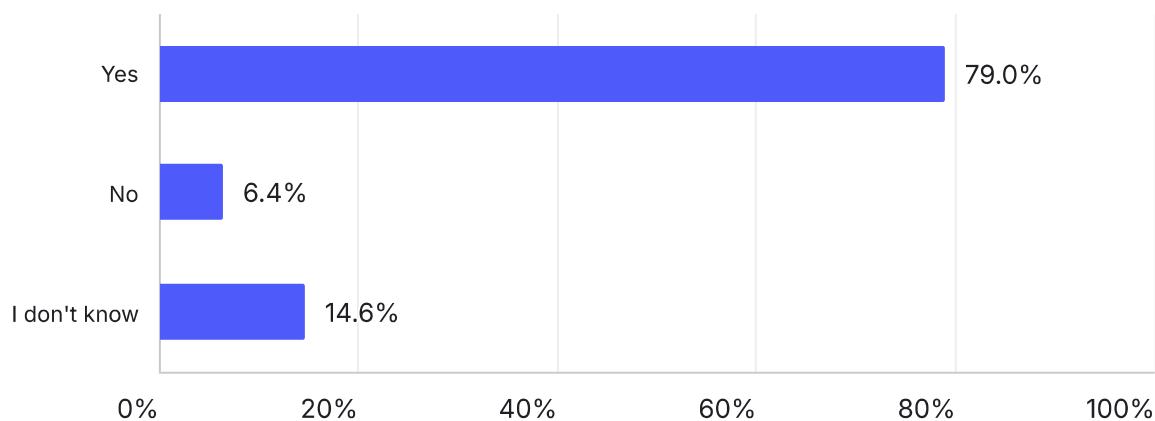


Standard report



① Do you think wild, public lands (such as BLM or USFS) in the American West should be primarily reserved as habitat for wild, native species?



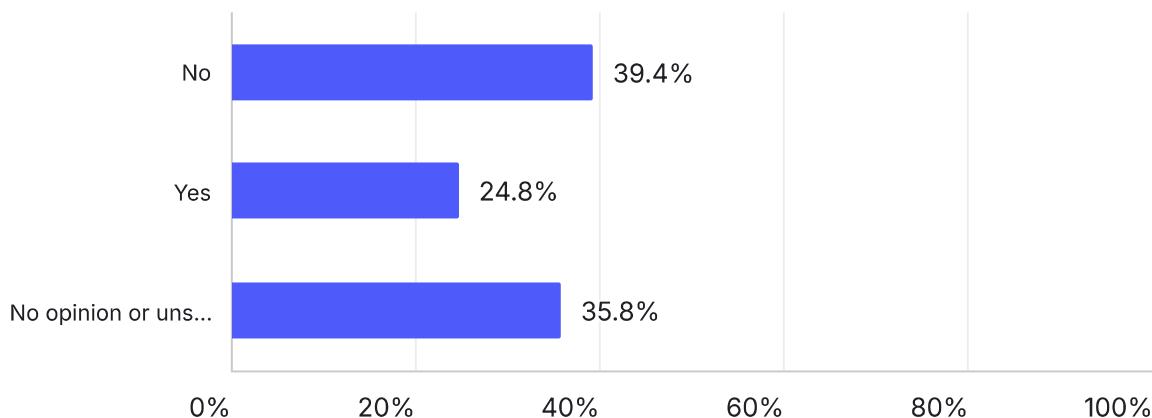
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Counts ▾

Yes	79.0% 827
No	6.4% 67
I don't know	14.6% 153

② The modern cow (*bos taurus*) is an invasive, nonnative domestic species originally from Iran and first brought to Europe and later to the American West during the 1800s to replace the native, wild, healthy species of 60 million bison, two million wolves, and many other native species.

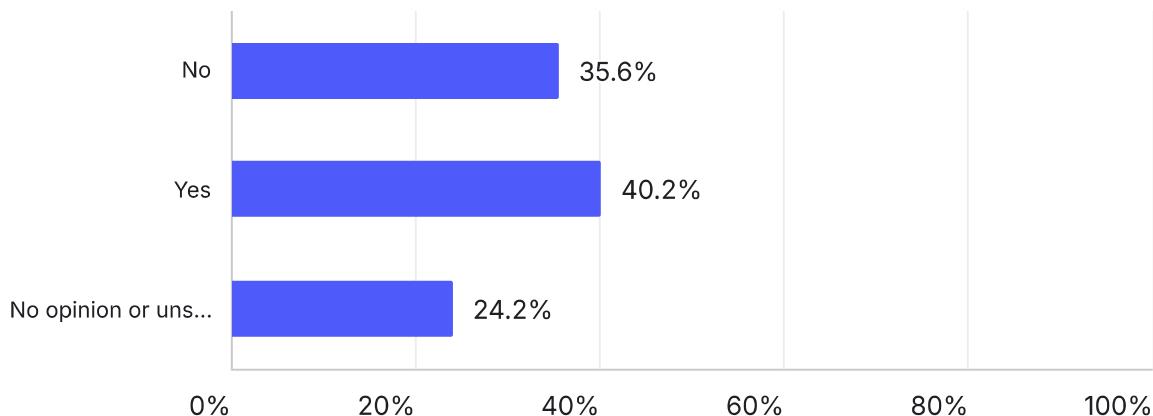
Do you think its ethical and just for Anglo-Europeans and their descendants to ranch livestock on public lands that have belonged to native species like bison for thousands of years before their arrival?



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No	39.4% 412
Yes	24.8% 260
No opinion or unsure	35.8% 375

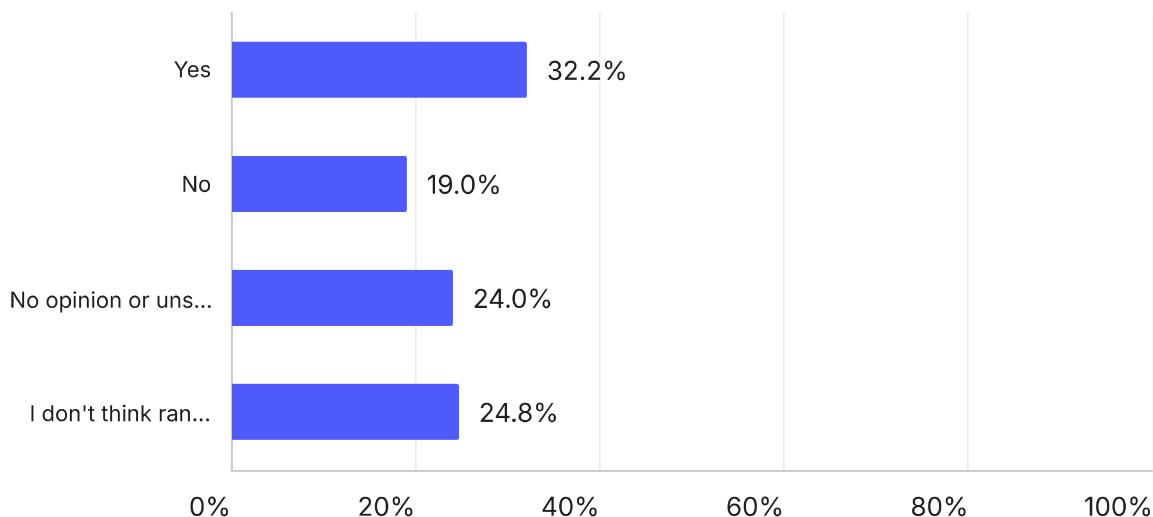
③ Since 1940, ranchers are allowed to graze their invasive livestock on the majority of public lands in the American West at a mere cost \$1.35 per animal unit (mother cow and calf) per month. This ranching fee of \$1.35 per month has not increased with inflation at all since 1940. If inflation were factored into this fee, ranchers using public lands should now, in today's currency, pay \$31.24 per cow and calf per month. (One dollar fee in 1940 is equal to \$ 23.14 in 2025).

Do you feel like, as an American taxpayer, we should allow ranchers to use public lands for domesticated livestock like cows?



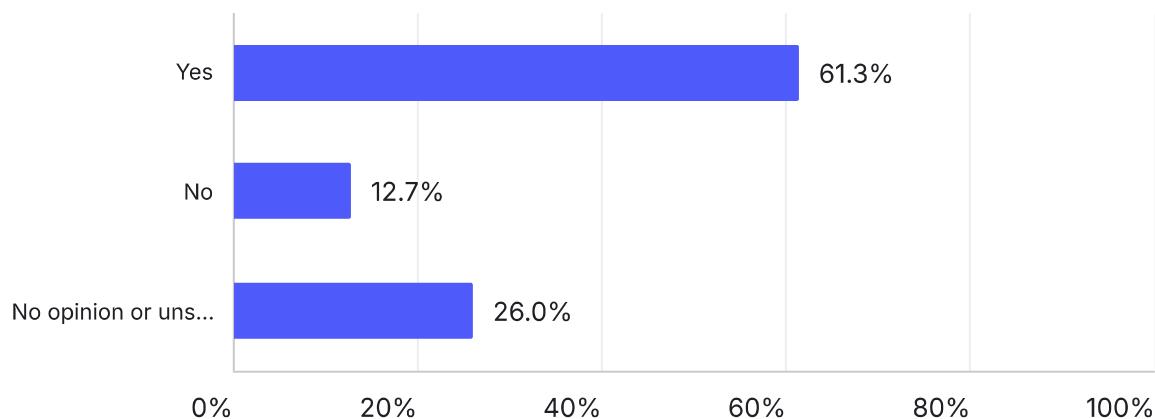
1047 of 1047 answered	Counts
No	35.6% 373
Yes	40.2% 421
No opinion or unsure	24.2% 253

④ 4 If yes on the previous question (question #3), do you feel like ranchers should start paying a fair price of \$31.24 per cow and calf per month to ranch on public lands?



1047 of 1047 answered	Counts
Yes	32.2% 337
No	19.0% 199
No opinion or unsure	24.0% 251
I don't think ranchers should be allowed to bring domestic, nonnative livestock to graze on public lands due to competition with native ruminants (like elk, deer, moose, bison and their predators) and the current problems of overgrazing and destruction of native plant species already present in much of the public lands in the American West	24.8% 260

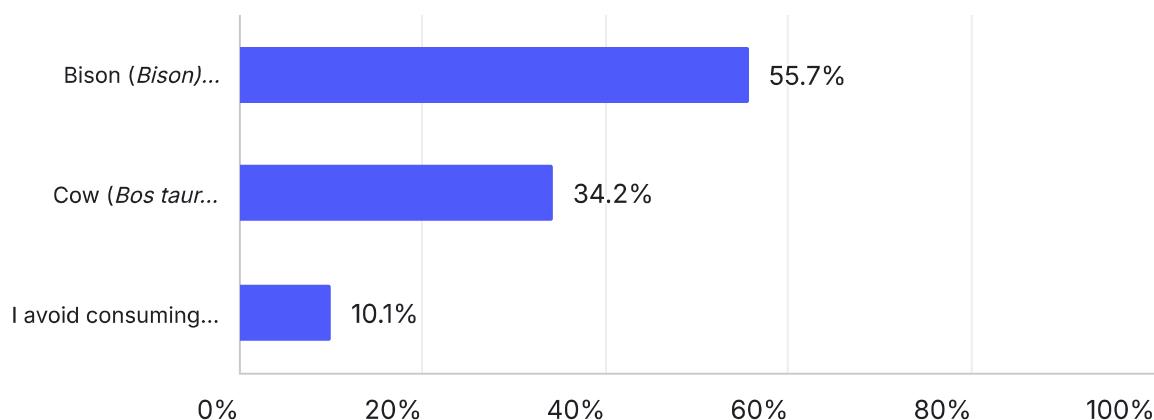
⑤ Would you support ranching native species like bison on public lands, including BLM and USFS?



1047 of 1047 answered	Counts
Yes	61.3% 642
No	12.7% 133
No opinion or unsure	26.0% 272

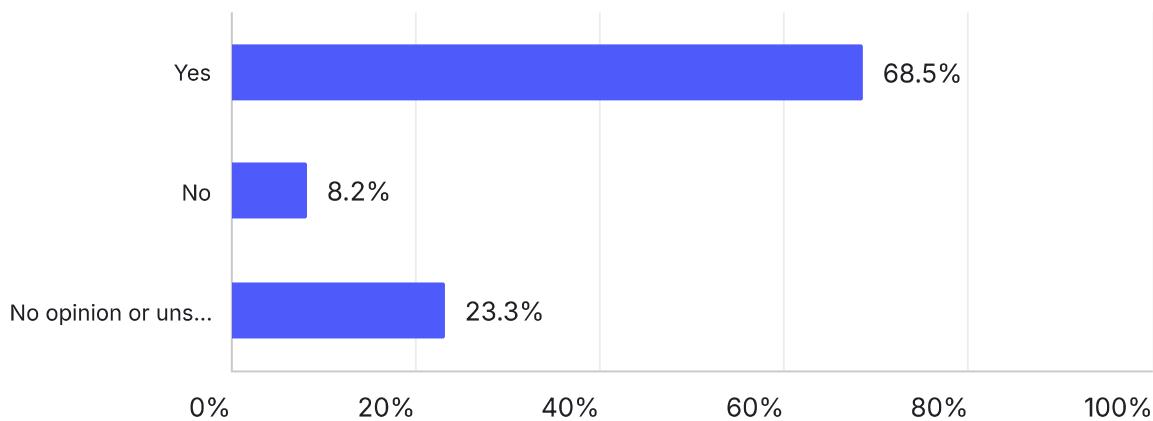
⑥ American bison are much healthier for the ecosystem and the human body. Bison meat, unlike gmo-corn fed beef, does not raise oxLDL and does not raise triglycerides. Also, grass-fed, free range bison encourage native seed growth and have up to 10x less methane emissions than a corn-fed cow.

With this health knowledge, if given a choice between a bison or cow steak, which would you choose?



1047 of 1047 answered	Counts
Bison (<i>Bison</i>)	55.7% 583
Cow (<i>Bos taurus</i>)	34.2% 358
I avoid consuming red meat because of religion or another reason.	10.1% 106

⑦ Would you support a congressional bill such as the "Bison Restoration Act" that designates a significant allotment of public lands (BLM and USFS) in the American West for bison grazing in place of nonnative livestock?

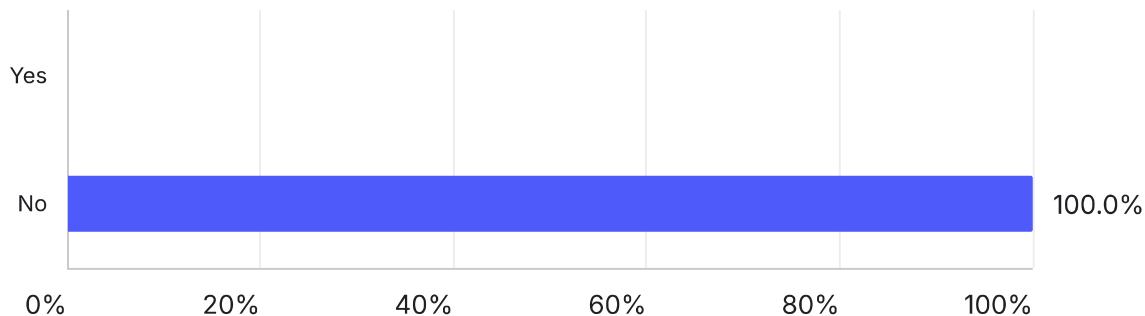


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Yes	68.5% 717
No	8.2% 86
No opinion or unsure	23.3% 244

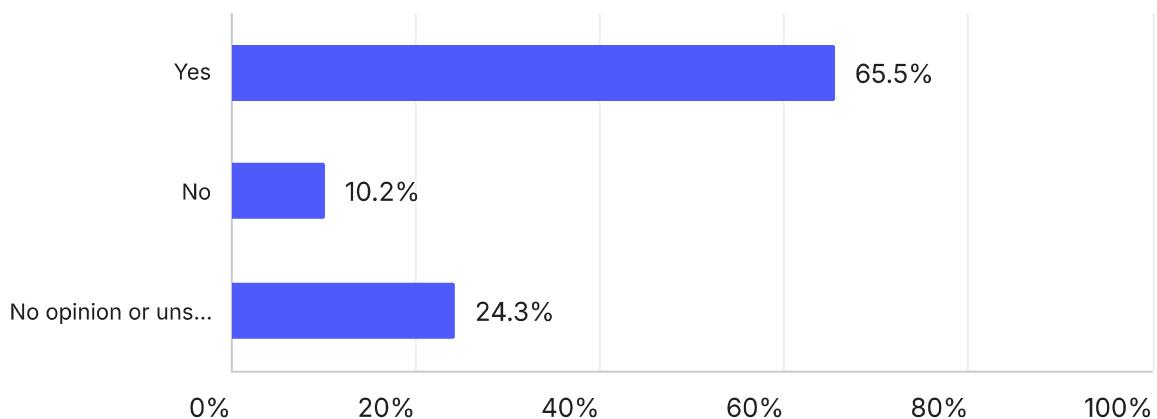
⑧ Do you personally work or have family that work in agriculture, ranching, or mining?



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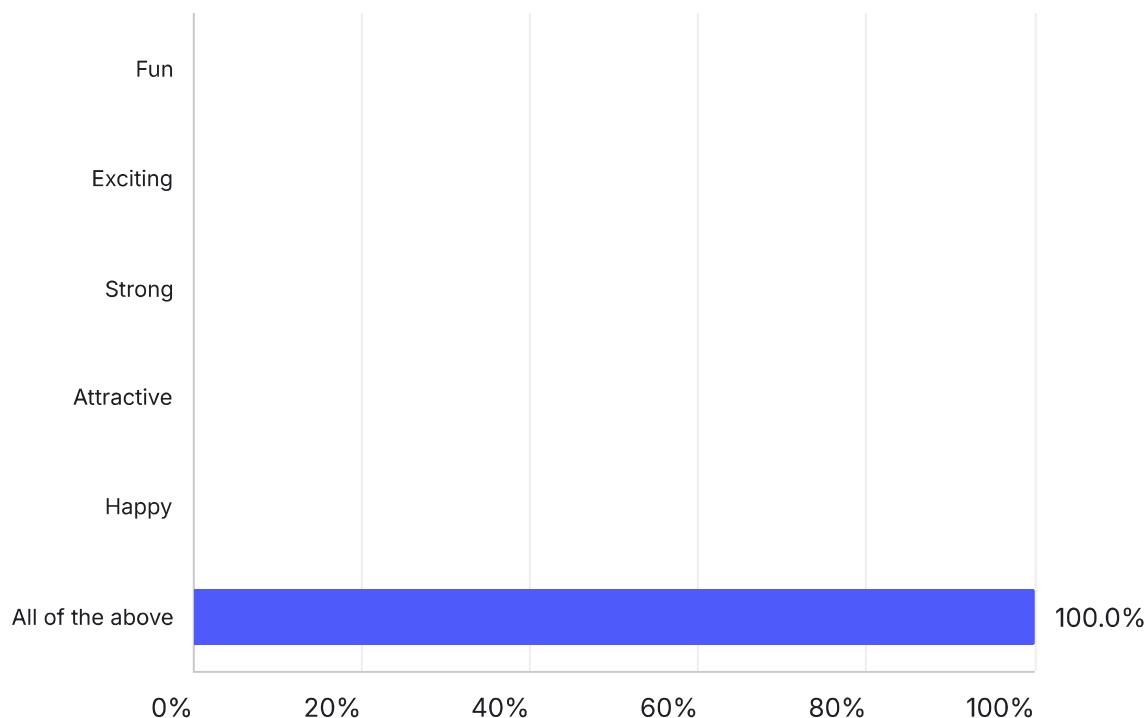
Yes	0.0% 0
No	100.0% 1047

⑨ Do you consider yourself a good steward of your local and regional ecosystem?



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Yes	65.5% 686
No	10.2% 107
No opinion or unsure	24.3% 254

⑩ To show that you are paying attention, please select "All of the above".



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