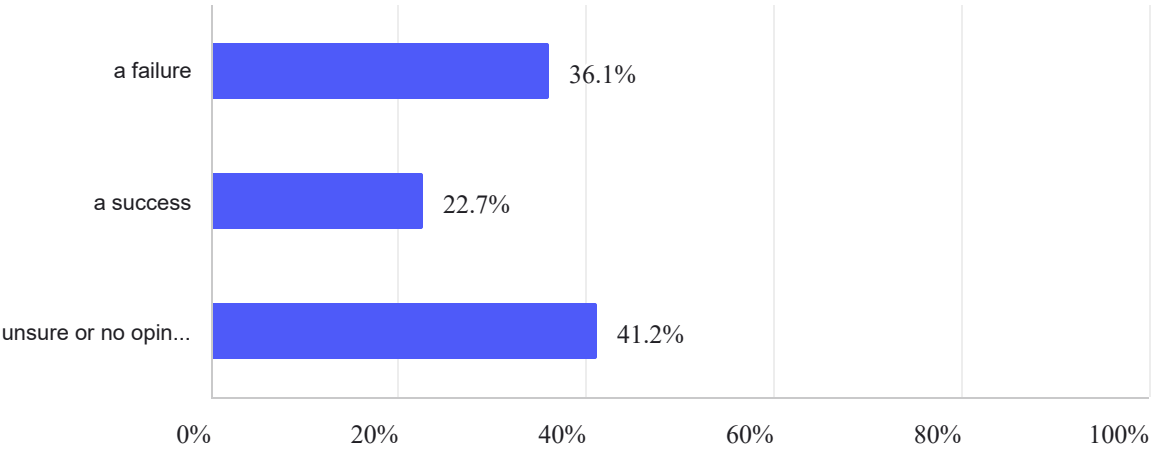


Standard report



- 1 Since their introduction in December 2023, 10 of the 25 gray wolves have died or been killed. In addition, communities, particularly those near ranching operations, have been riveted and friends have been divided over the problems associated with wolf reintroduction. Given these facts, do you feel that Colorado's reintroduction of gray wolves, under voter-approved Proposition 114, has been

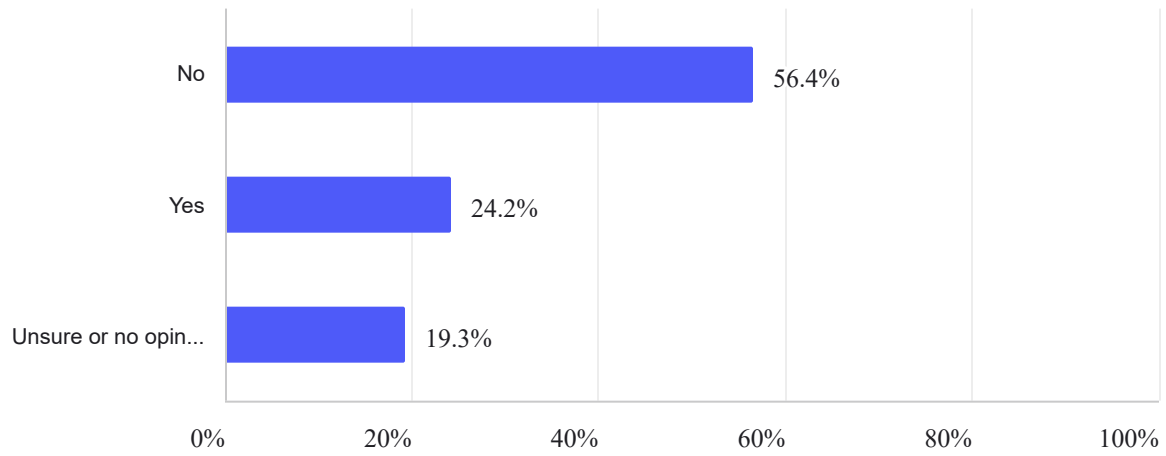


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Counts

a failure	36.1% 185
a success	22.7% 116
unsure or no opinion	41.2% 211

2 Given past and present rancher hostility towards wolves, do you think it is wise, prudent, and good practice to reintroduce wolves on or near active ranching operations in Colorado?



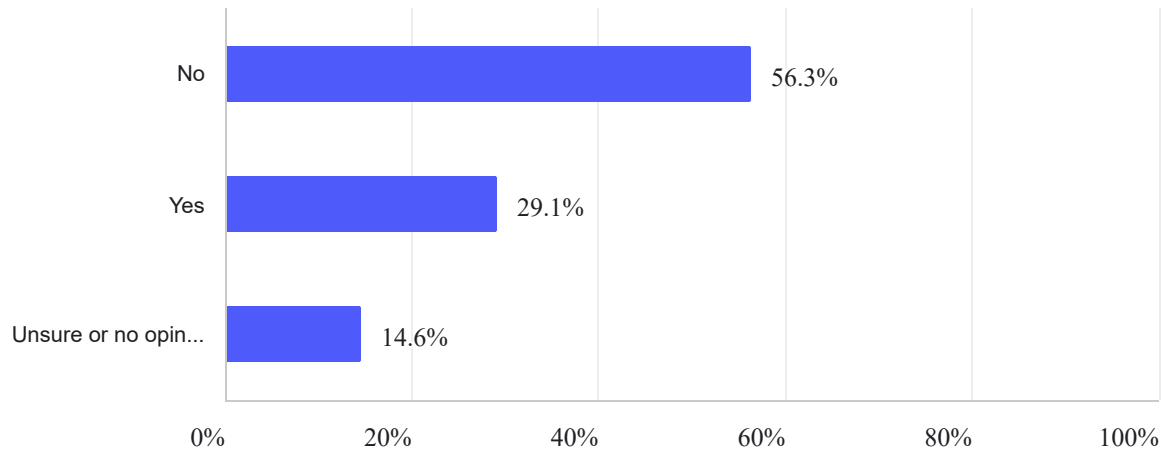
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Counts ▾

No	56.4% 289
Yes	24.2% 124
Unsure or no opinion	19.3% 99

- 3

Given that wolves (who are genetically identical to dogs) will eat beef or any easy-to-access food sources, should these predators be blamed for consuming domesticated livestock (e.g. depredation of cows or sheep) if they are introduced near such food sources?

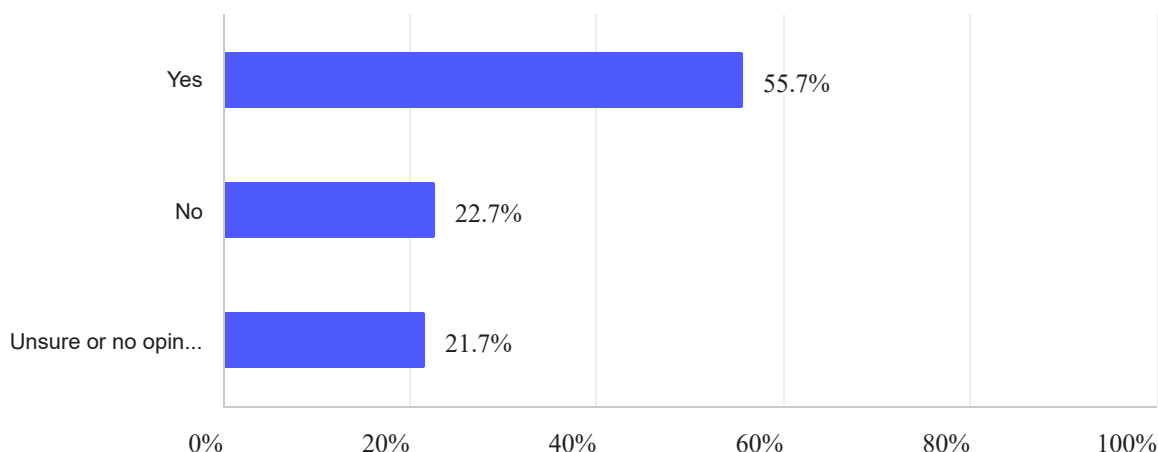


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Counts

No	56.3% 288
Yes	29.1% 149
Unsure or no opinion	14.6% 75

- 4 Do you feel like the State of Colorado (including Colorado Parks and Wildlife) is directly responsible for wolf depredation incidents (and the resulting deaths of wolves) because the State of Colorado placed these gray wolves in hostile environments of active ranches?

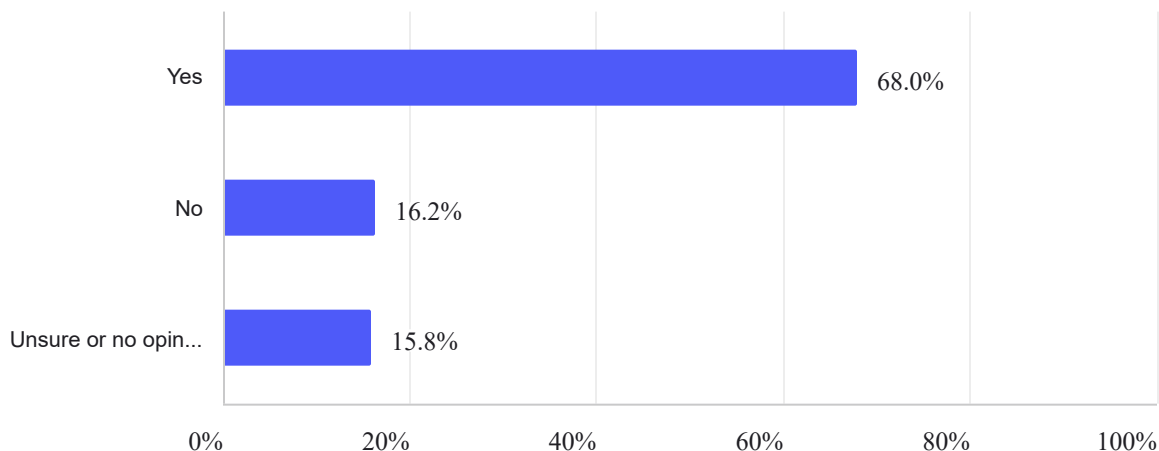


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Counts

Yes	55.7% 285
No	22.7% 116
Unsure or no opinion	21.7% 111

- 5 While we know a small percentage of the wolves will wander (as do five percent of wolves from Yellowstone each year and are subsequently killed by trappers and hunters), would you support the creation of a protected State Wildlife Corridor in Colorado (a mini-Yellowstone) of 1 M acres (40 x 40 miles), a corridor rich in prey for wolves (elk, deer, rodents, small game), that would serve as an ideal home base for the reintroduction of future wolves to Colorado?

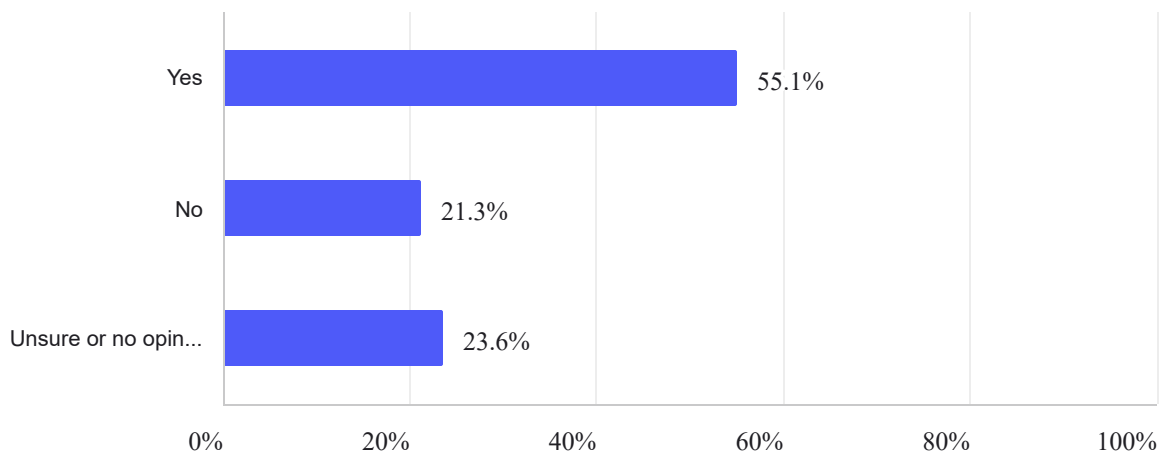


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Counts

Yes	68.0% 348
No	16.2% 83
Unsure or no opinion	15.8% 81

- ☒ 6 Given that gray wolves may wander and already now exist in habitats apart from the proposed State Wildlife Corridor, would you support the purchase of the grazing lease or purchase of the livestock by the State of Colorado (or another associated organization) in order to reduce or eliminate depredation incidents on these ranching operations?

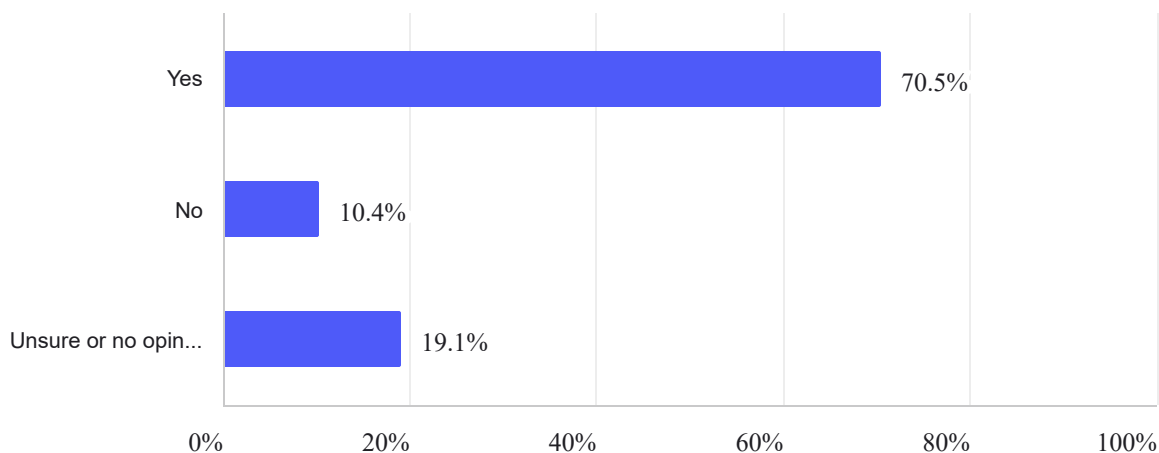


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Counts ▾

Yes	55.1% 282
No	21.3% 109
Unsure or no opinion	23.6% 121

- 7 Would you support the ranching of American bison, a species who has coexisted with wolves for hundreds of thousands of years, on public and private lands, including the Colorado State Wildlife Corridor proposed in question 5?

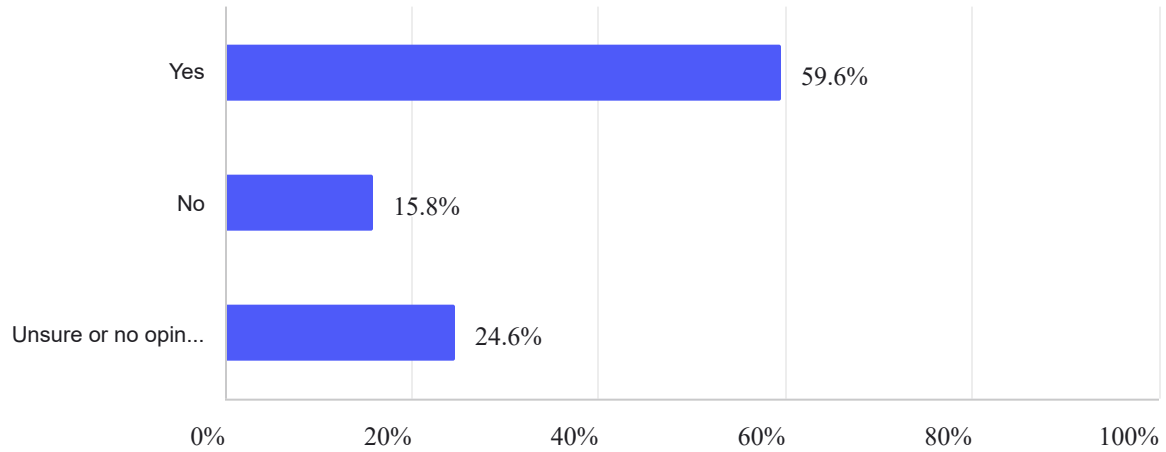


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Counts ▾

Yes	70.5% 361
No	10.4% 53
Unsure or no opinion	19.1% 98

- 8 Would you support Colorado State legislation that offers American bison (*bison*) at fair market rates or as a trade in exchange for cows (*bos taurus*) to ranchers concerned about depredation incidents attributed to wolves or other predators?

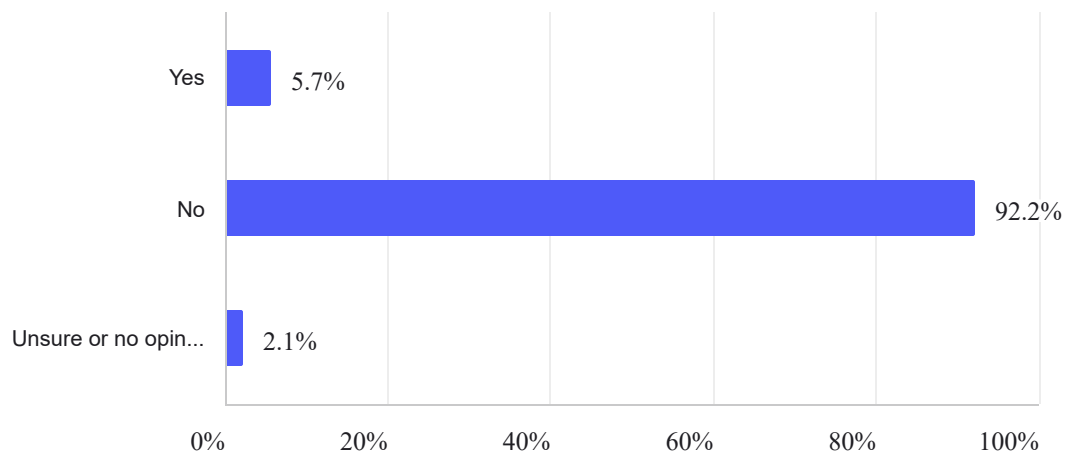


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Counts ▾

Yes	59.6% 305
No	15.8% 81
Unsure or no opinion	24.6% 126

9 Do you work in ranching, agriculture, or mining?

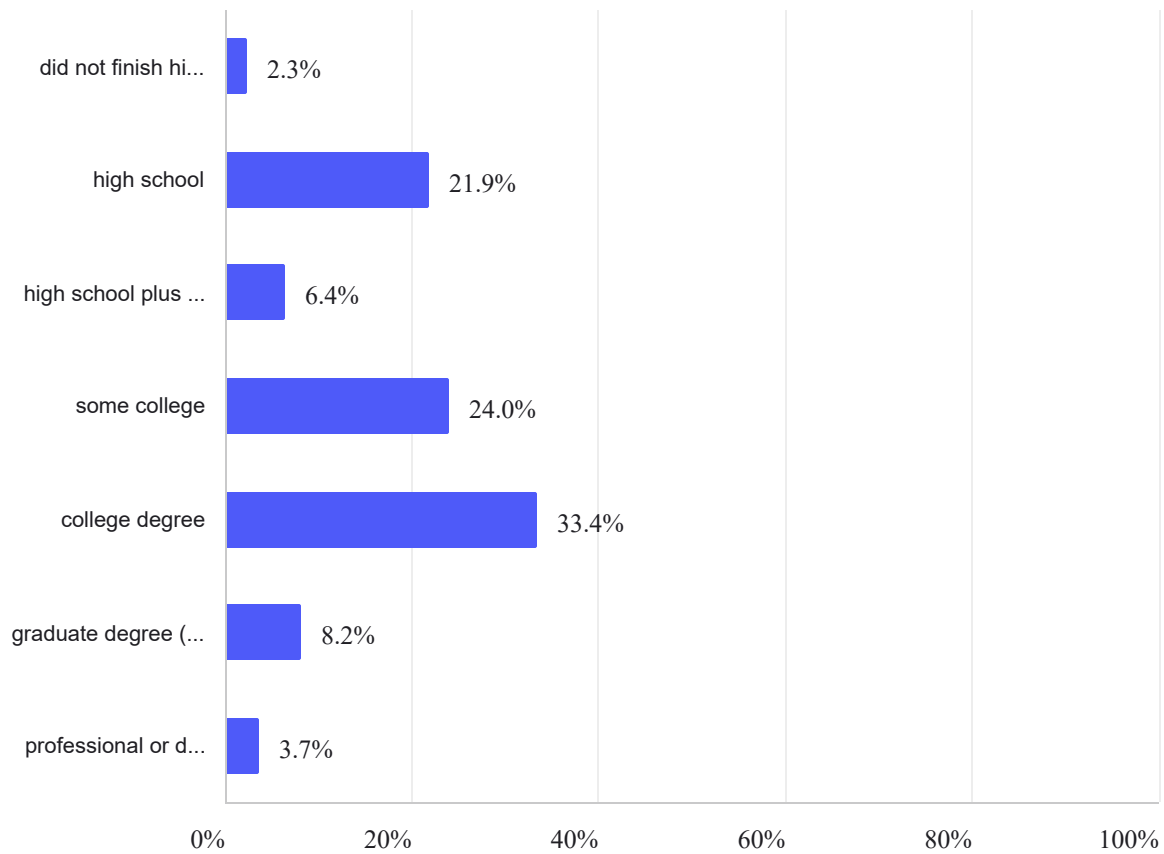


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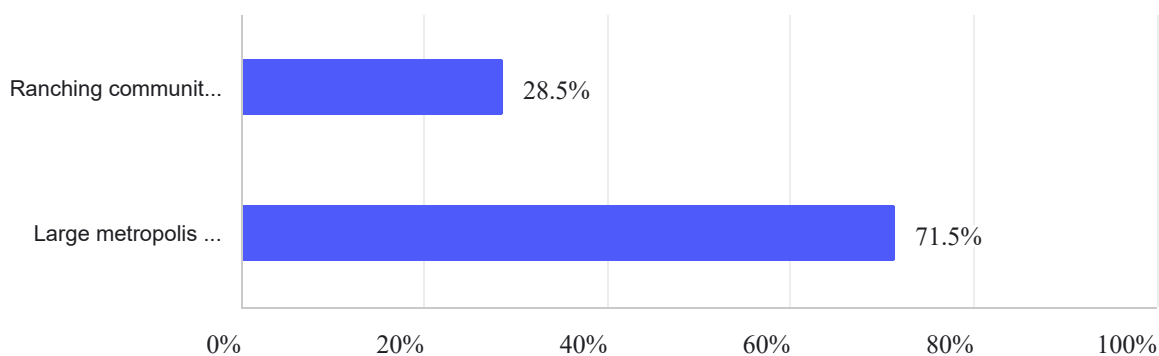
Yes	5.7% 29
No	92.2% 472
Unsure or no opinion	2.1% 11

10 What is your education level?

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did not finish high school	2.3% 12
high school	21.9% 112
high school plus technical school or on the job trade education (e.g. electrician, plumber, etc.)	6.4% 33
some college	24.0% 123
college degree	33.4% 171
graduate degree (masters level)	8.2% 42
professional or doctoral degree (PhD or equivalent)	3.7% 19

11 Do you live near a ranching community or large metropolis?



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Counts ▾

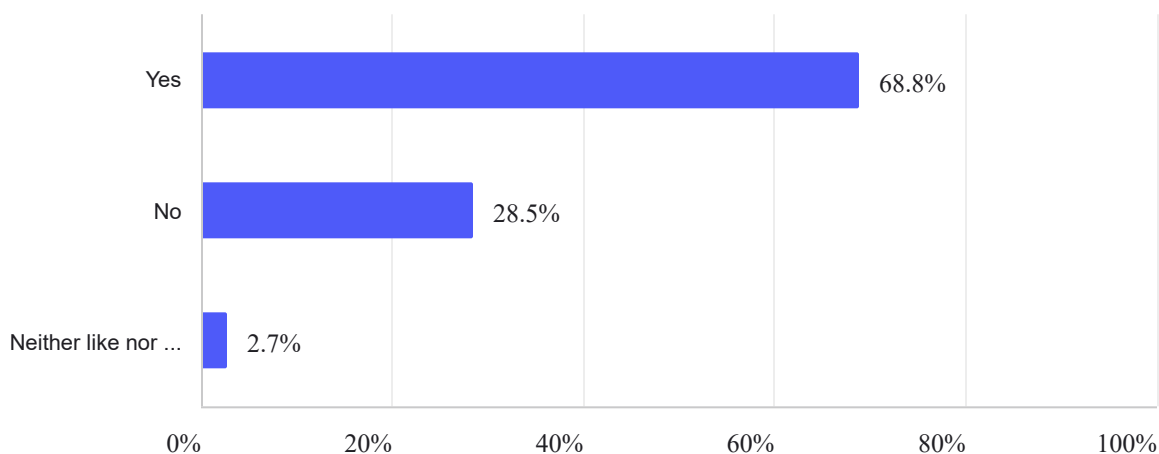
Ranching community or rural area (including mountain towns)

28.5% 146

Large metropolis (e.g. Denver, Colorado Springs, Boulder or within a 30 mile radius of such cities)

71.5% 366

12 Do you have a dog or like dogs (aka domesticated wolves)?



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Counts ▾

Yes

68.8% 352

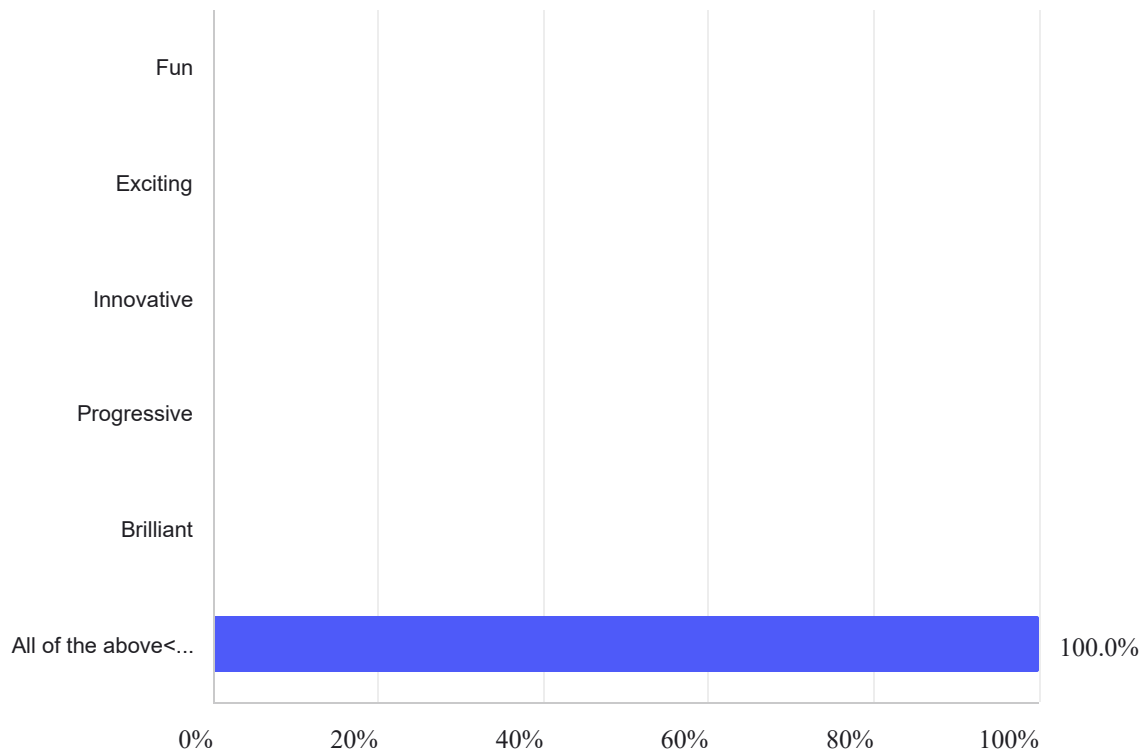
No

28.5% 146

Neither like nor dislike dogs

2.7% 14

☒ 13 To show that you are paying attention, please select all of the above



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Fun	0.0% 0
Exciting	0.0% 0
Innovative	0.0% 0
Progressive	0.0% 0
Brilliant	0.0% 0
All of the above	100.0% 512