

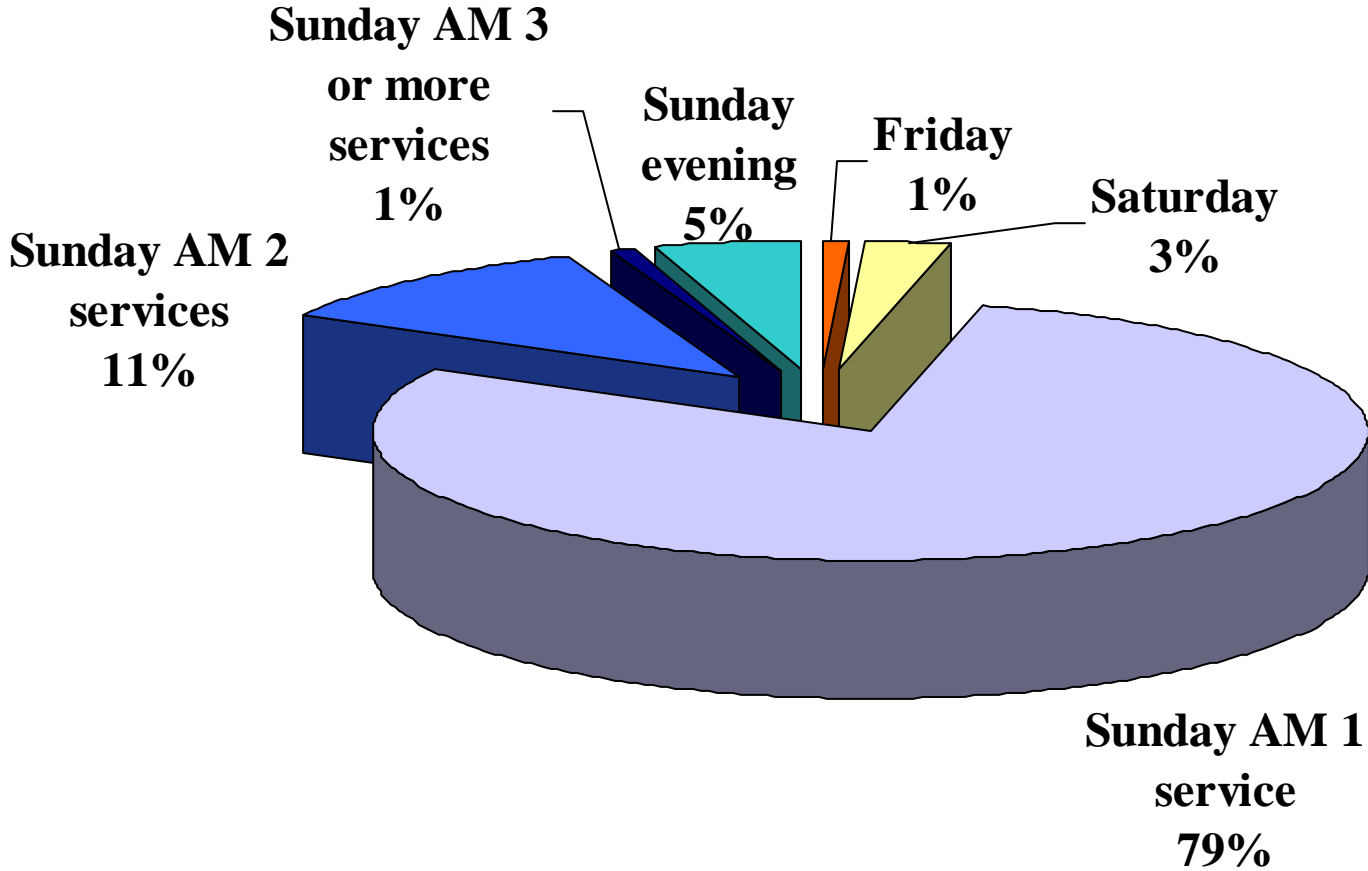
FINDINGS

from UCC FACT Survey

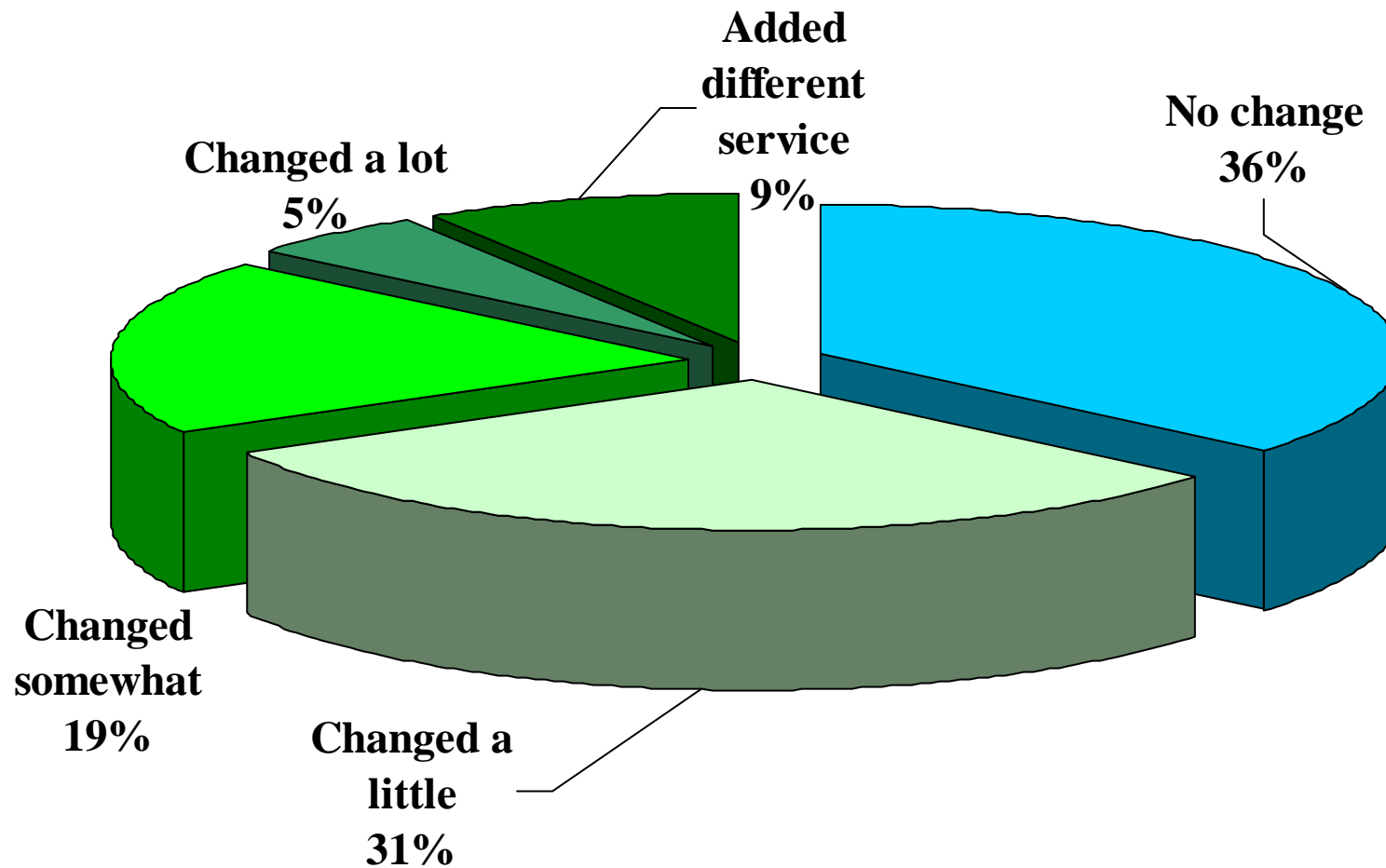
March, 2011

Results are based on the responses of 642 congregations. Because the interfaith project is still underway, please do not publicly distribute these findings.

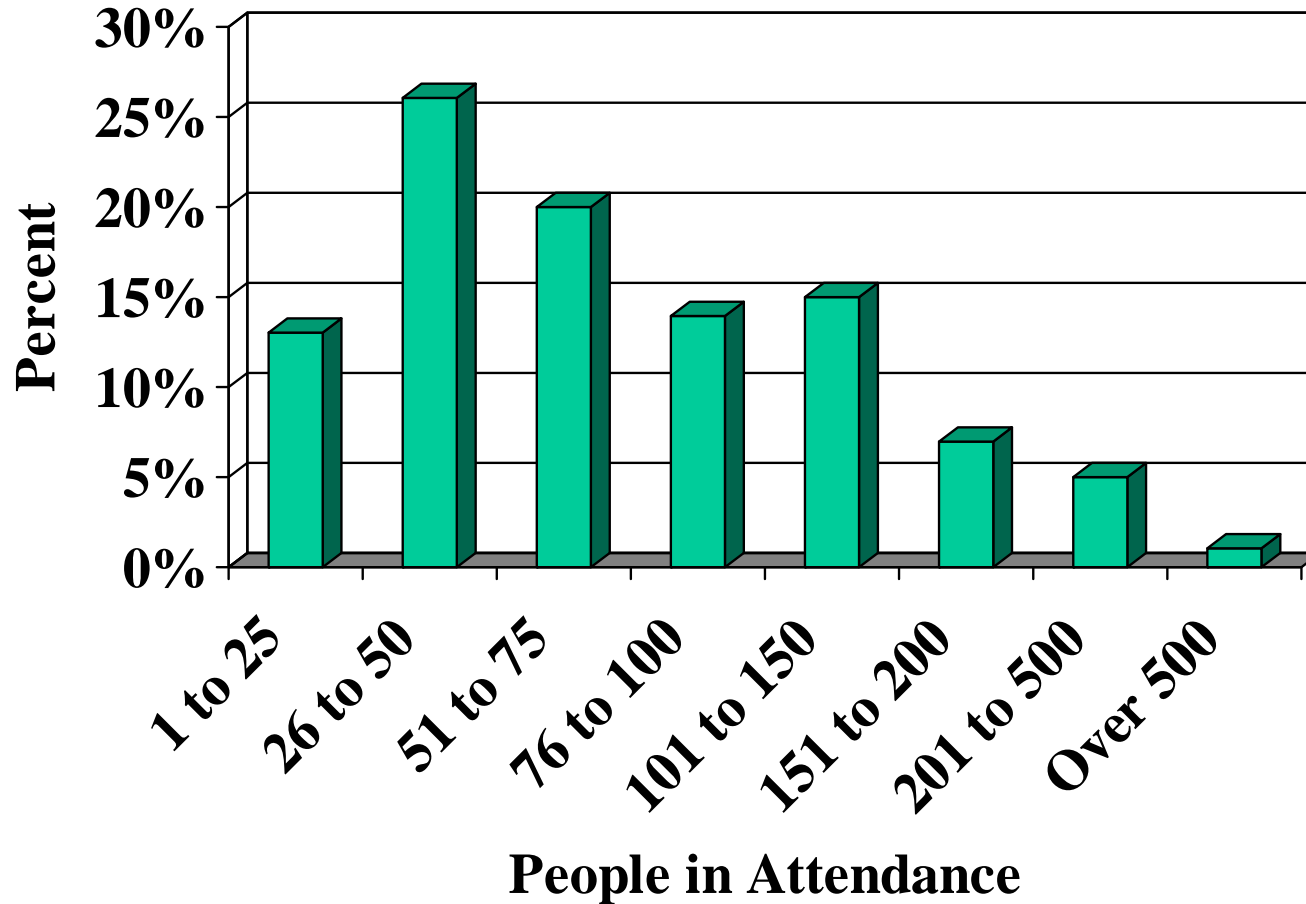
Patterns of Weekend Worship



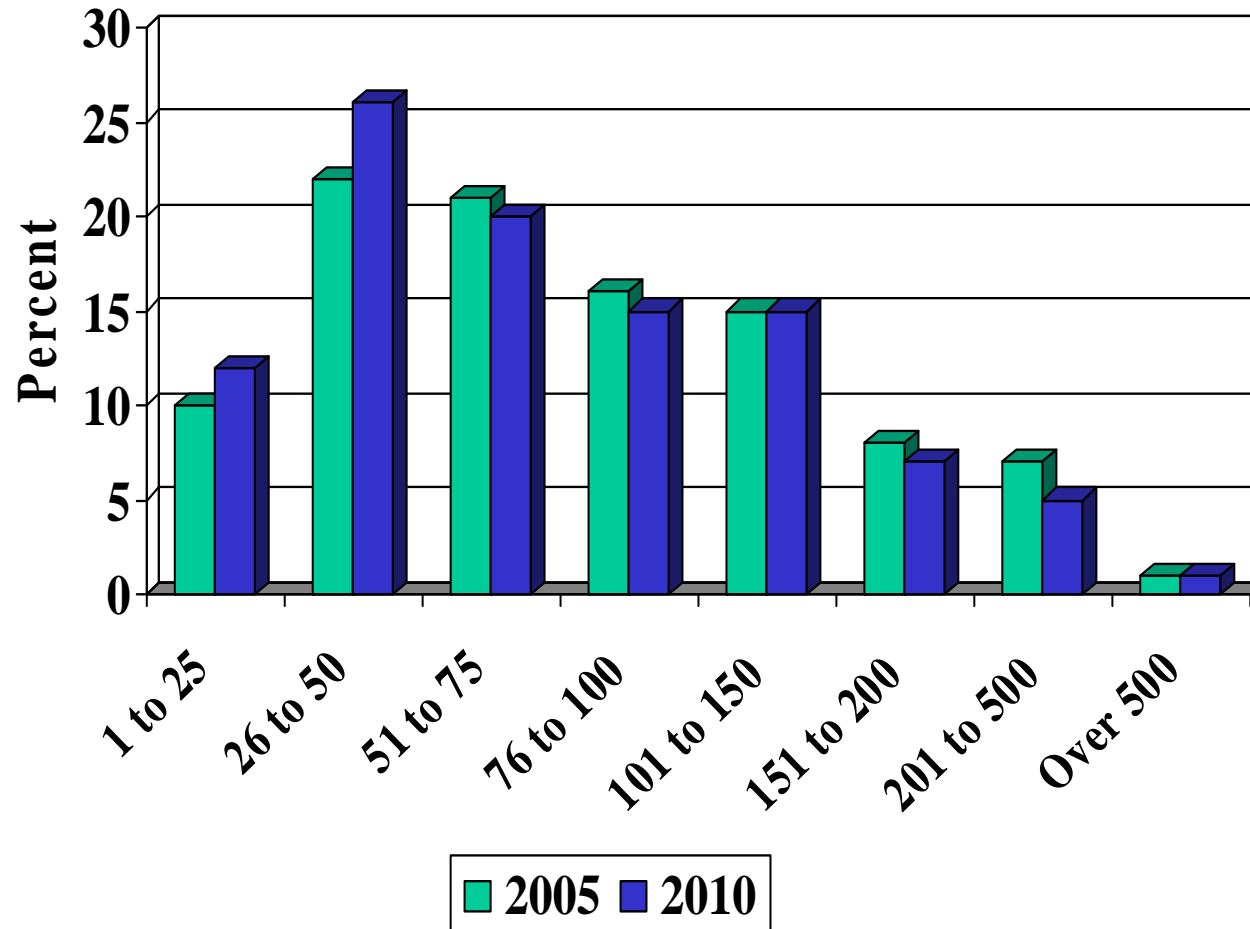
5-Year Changes in Worship



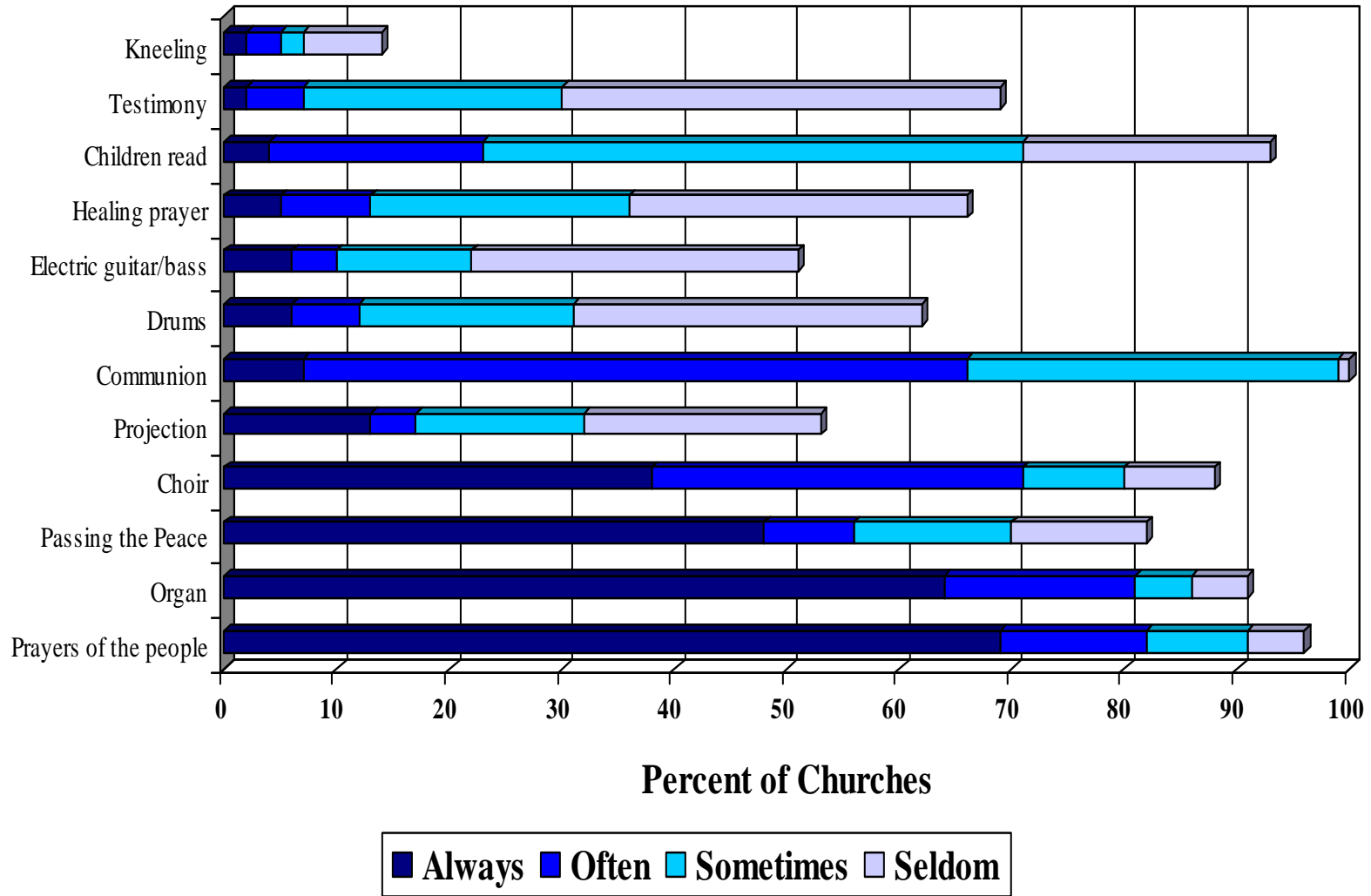
Average Worship Attendance 2010



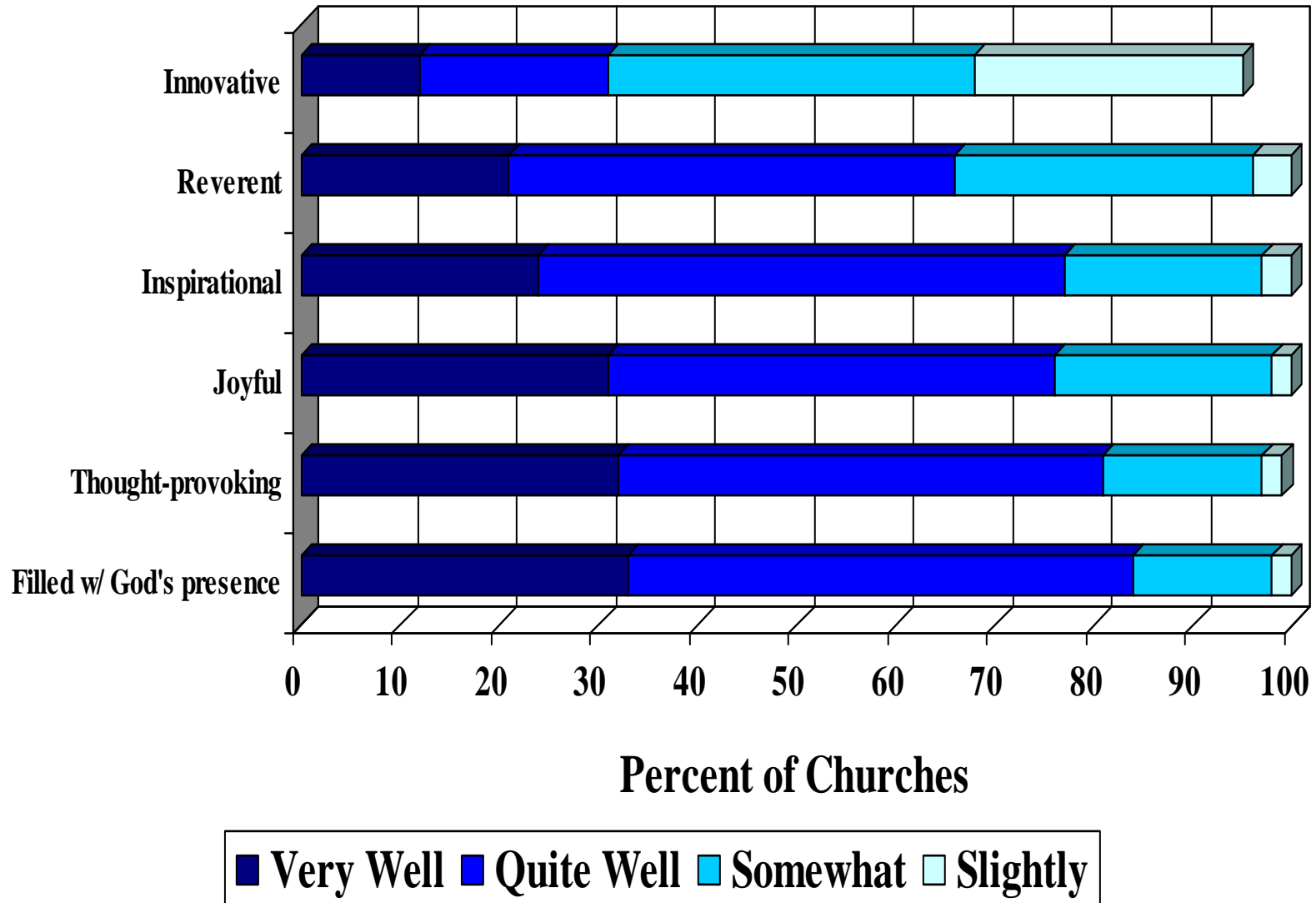
Change in Attendance, 2005-2010



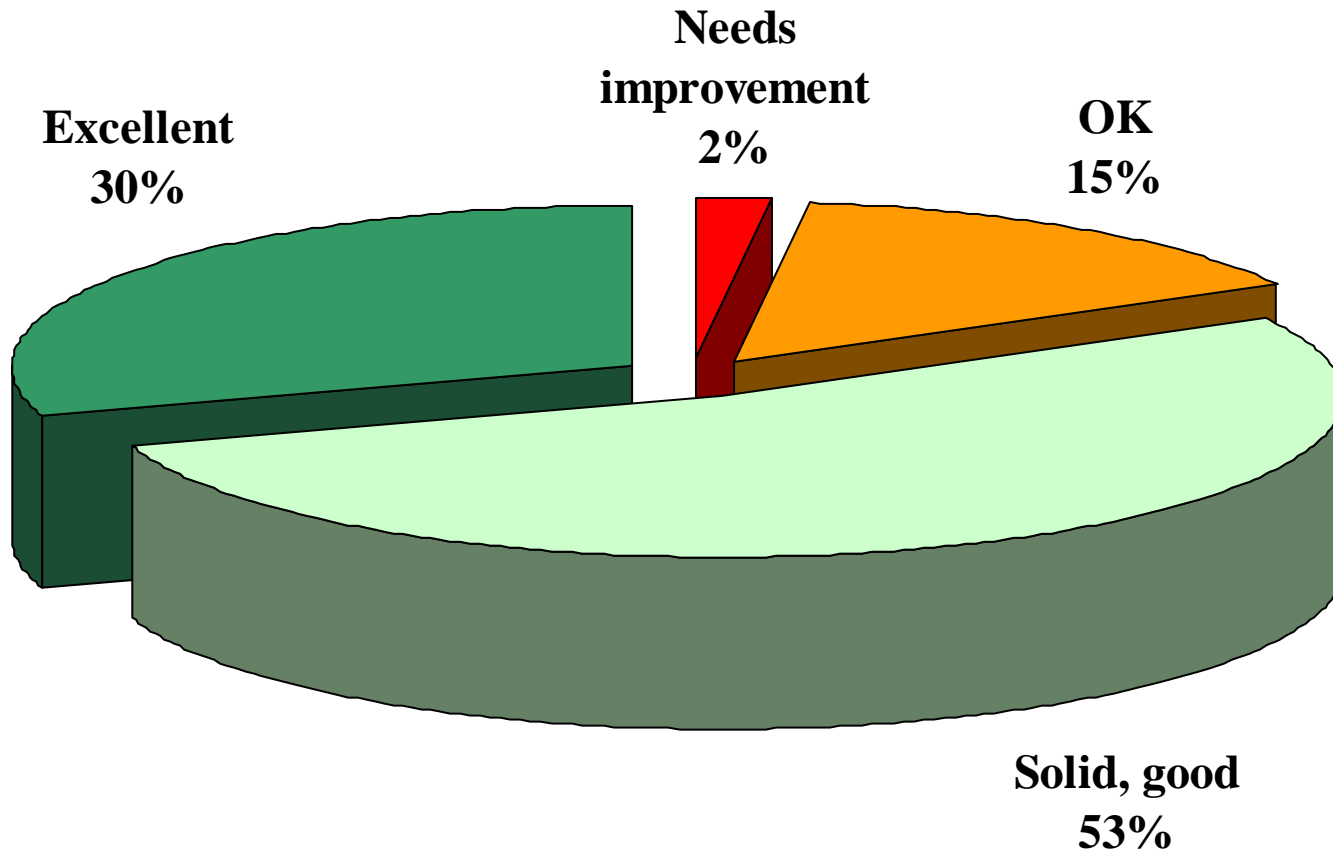
Components of Worship



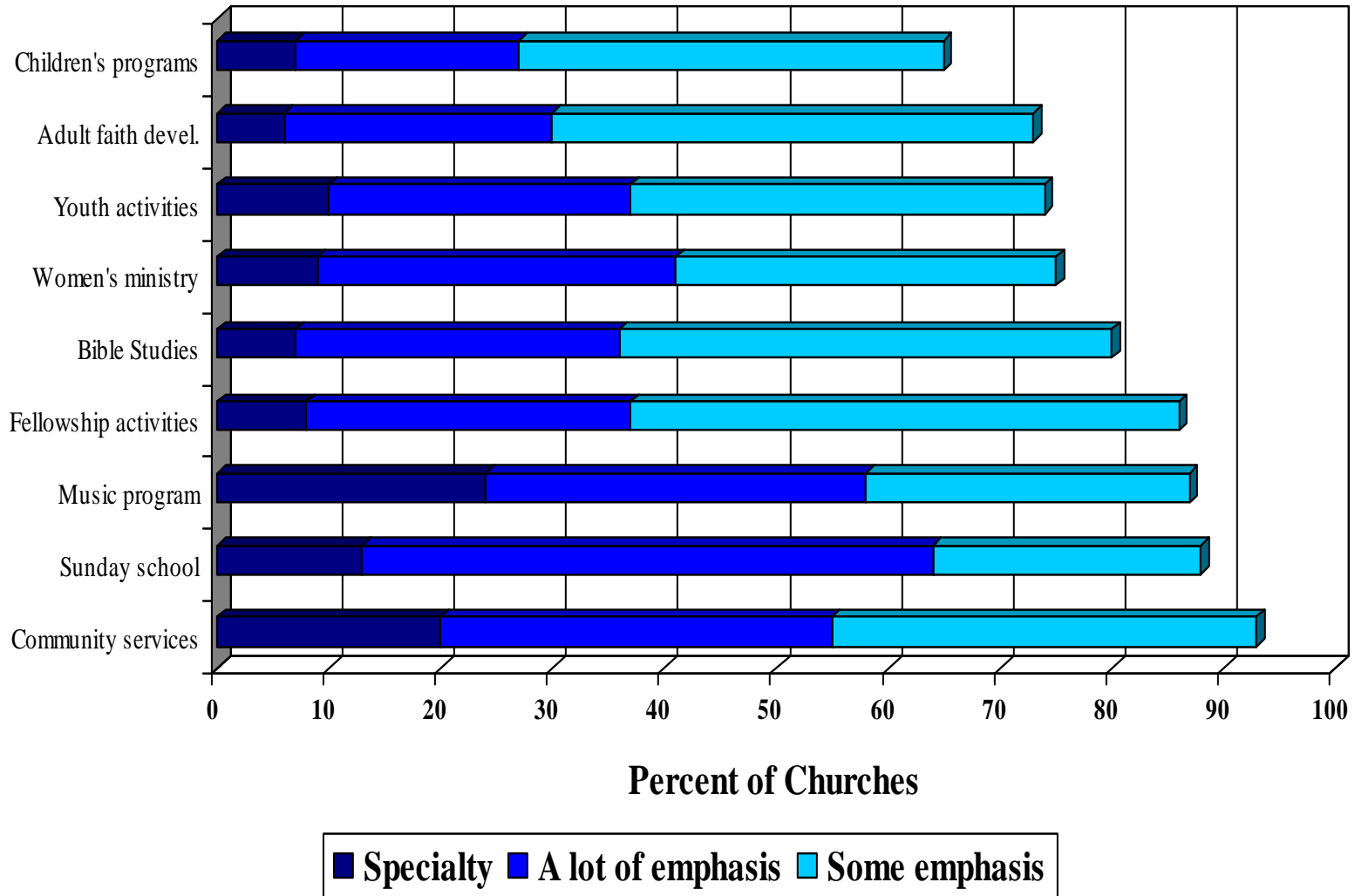
Descriptions of Worship



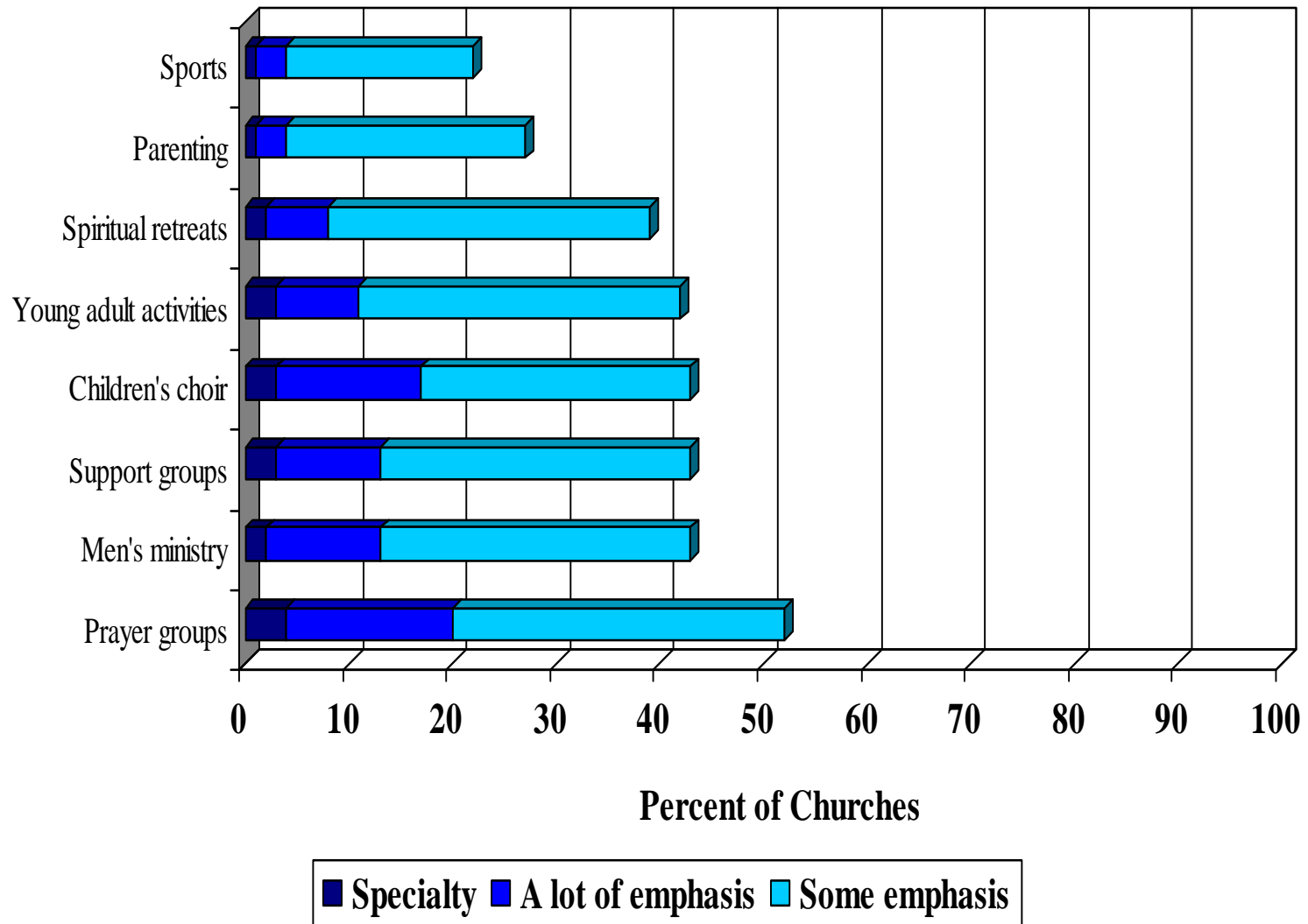
Clergy Rating of Worship



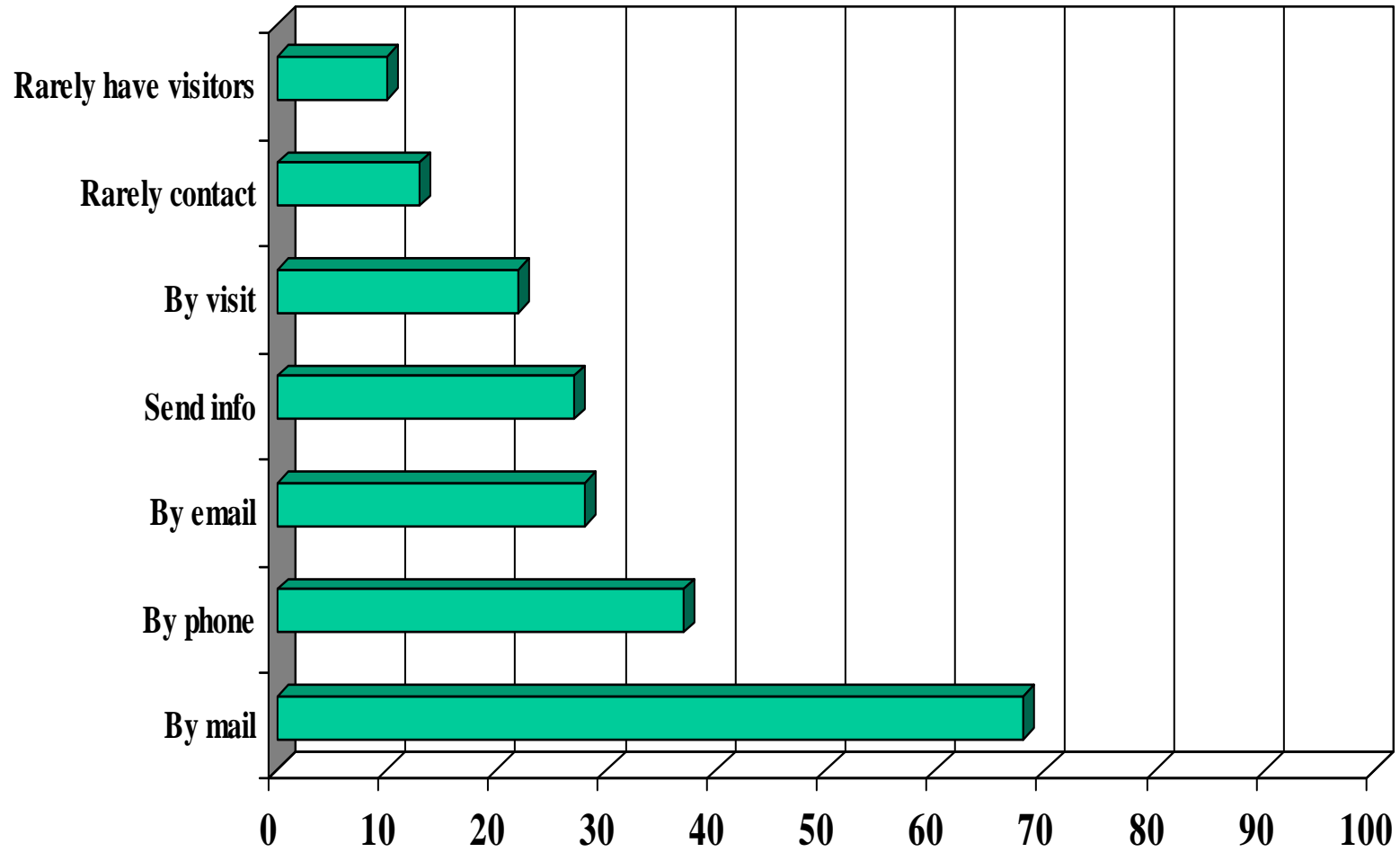
Programs and Activities of at least 65% of Congregations



Programs and Activities of Fewer than 65% of Congregations

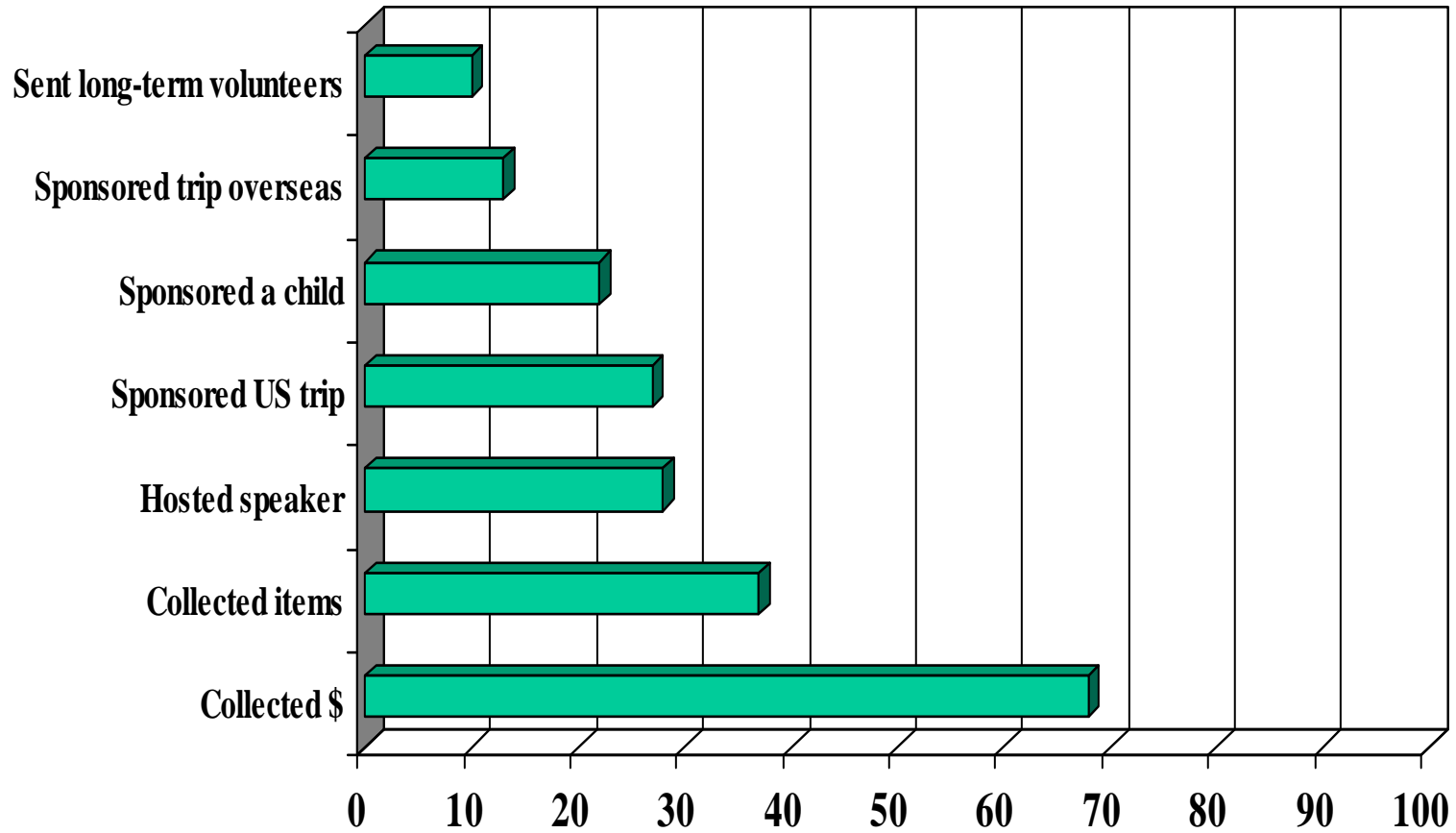


Ways Visitors are Contacted



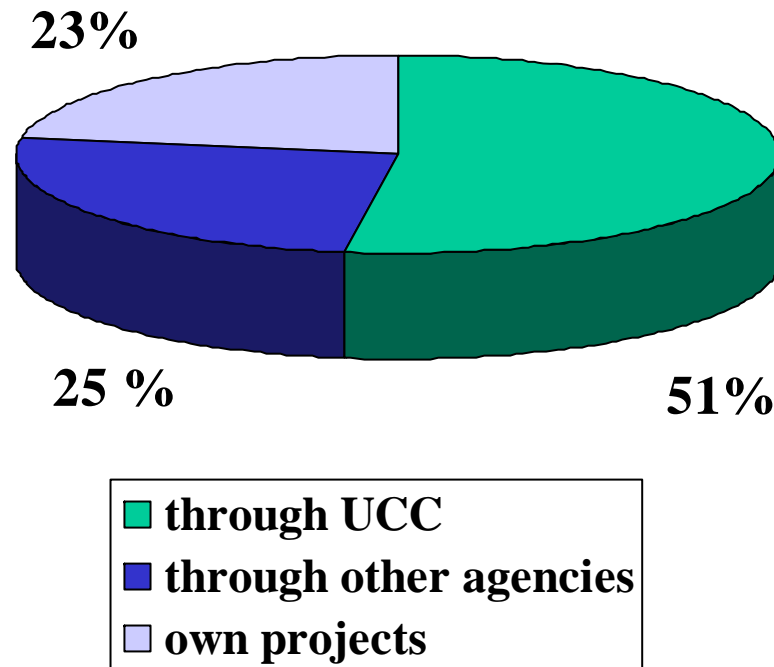
Percent Using Each Method

Mission Activities



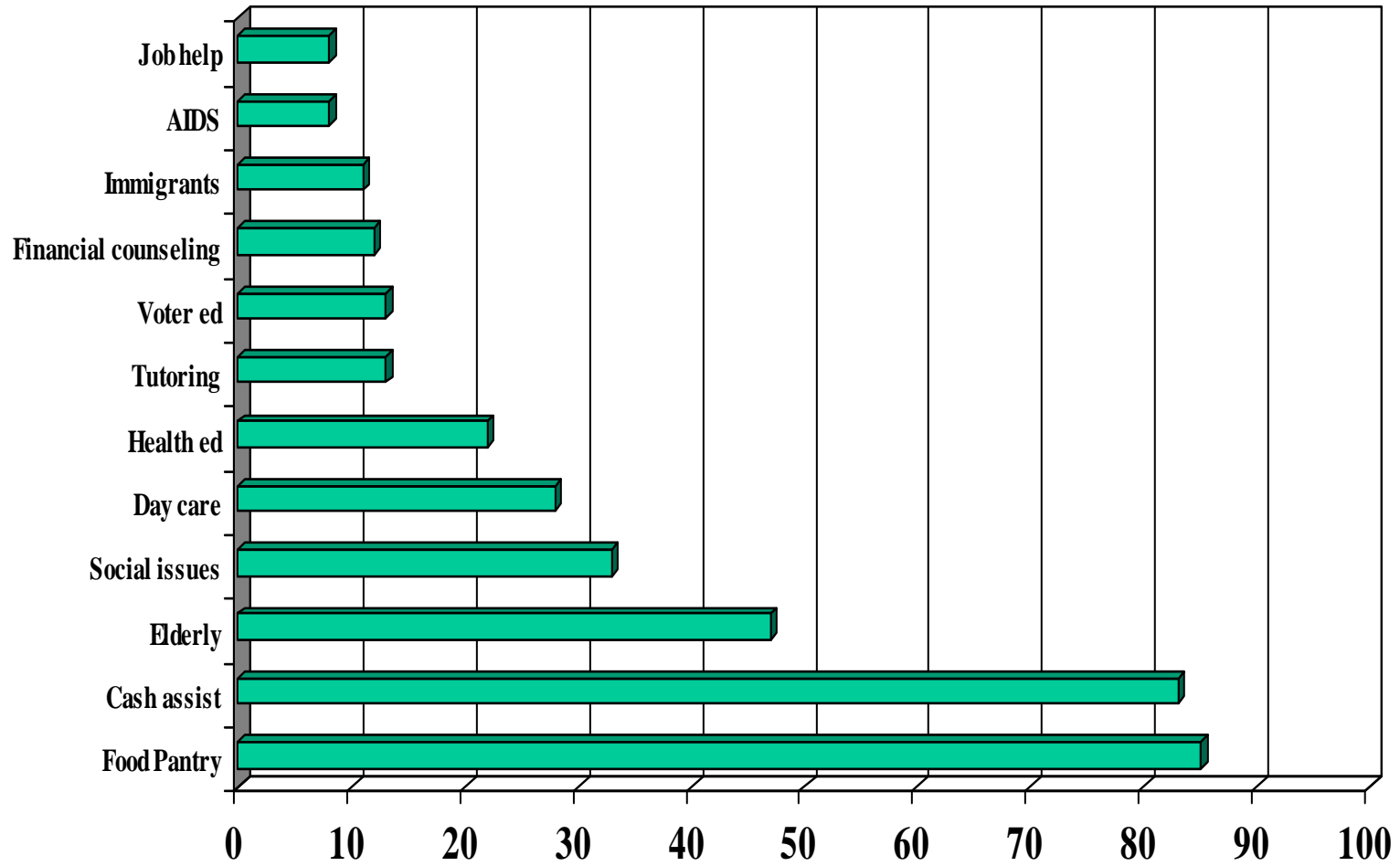
Percent of Congregations Doing Each Activity

How Congregations Distribute their Mission Donations



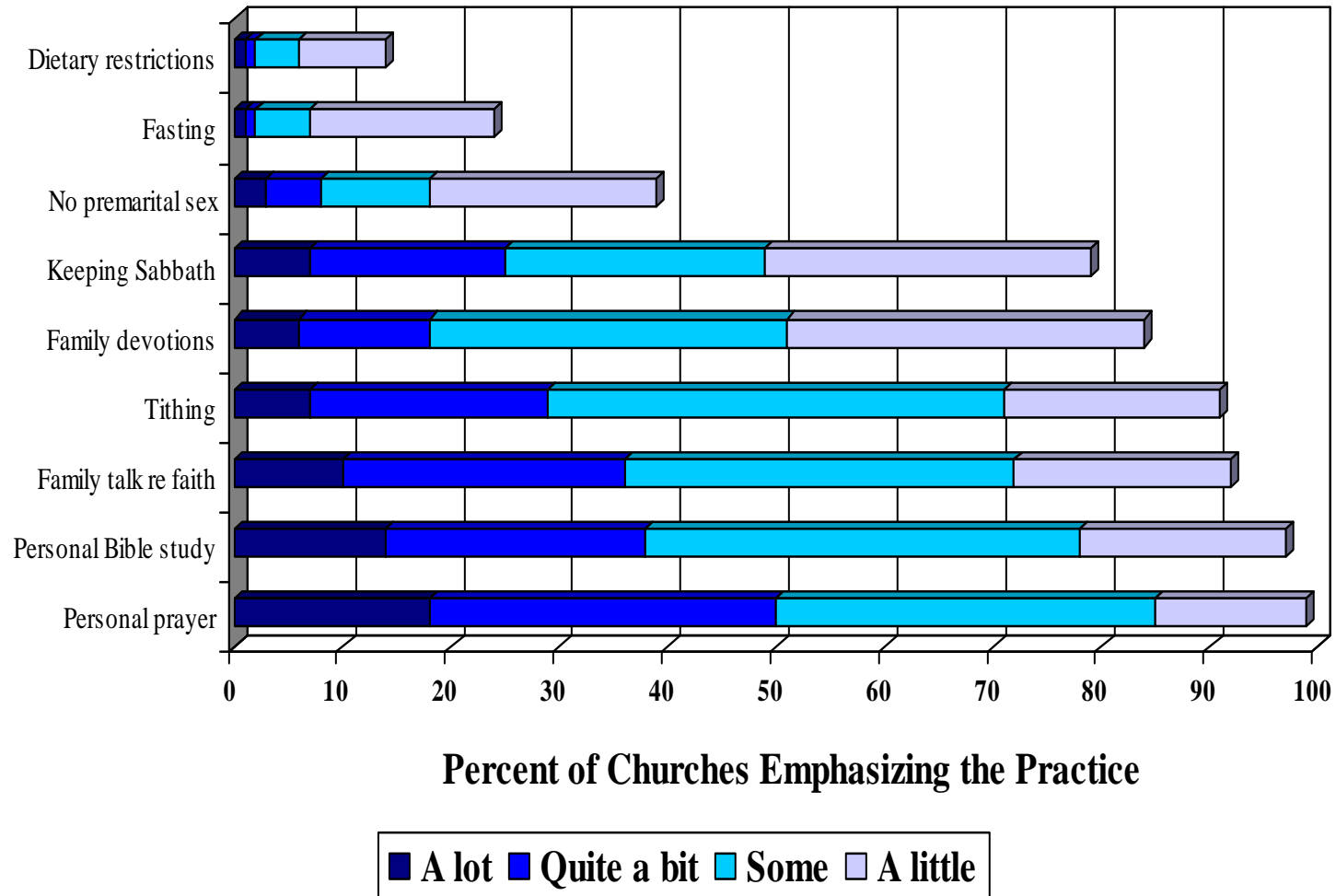
- 10% gave nothing through UCC; 5% gave all through UCC
- 22% gave nothing through other agencies, 1% gave all through other agencies
- 31% gave nothing through self-generated projects, 2% gave all through self-generated projects

Community Ministries

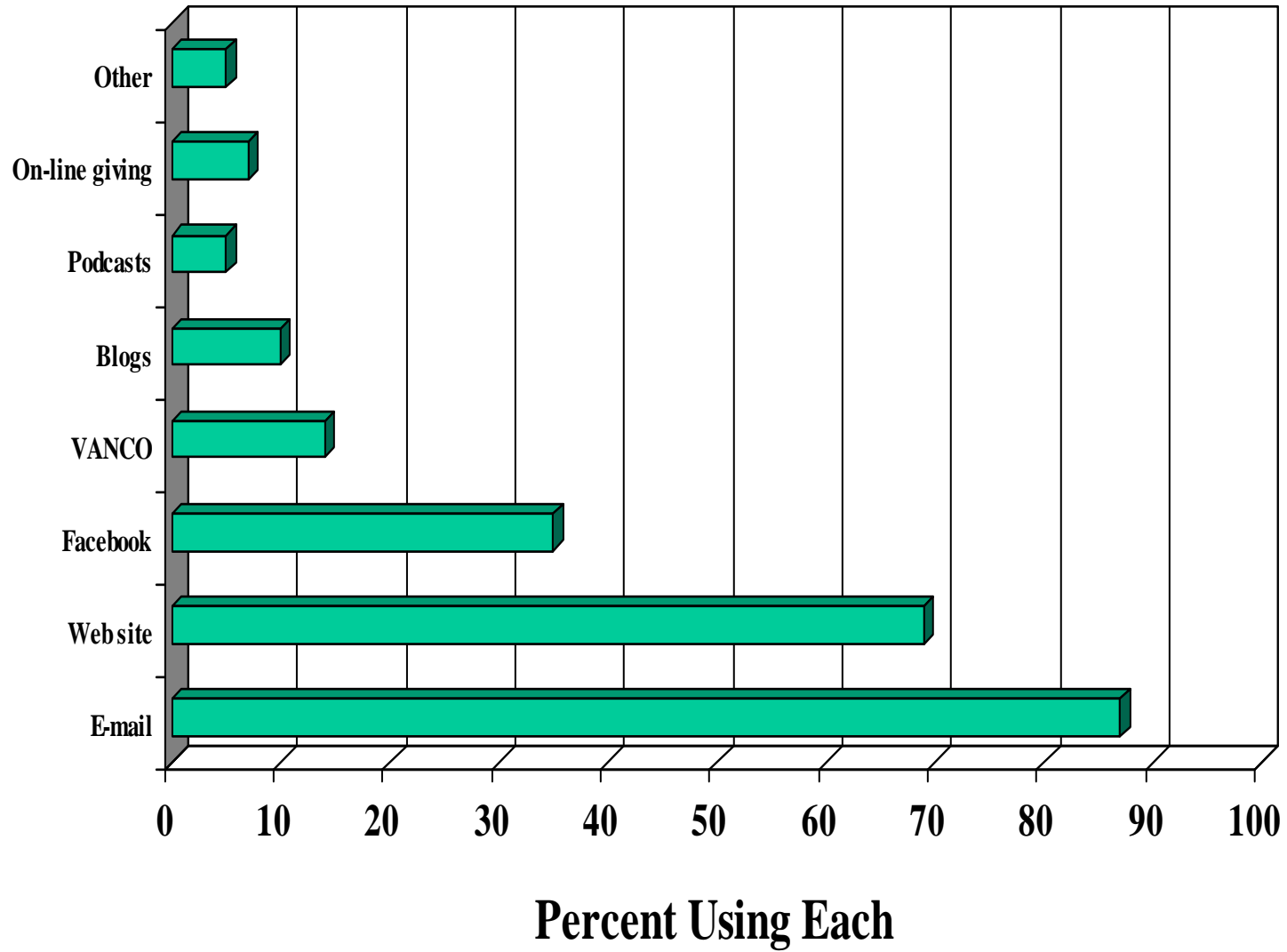


Percent of Congregations with this Ministry

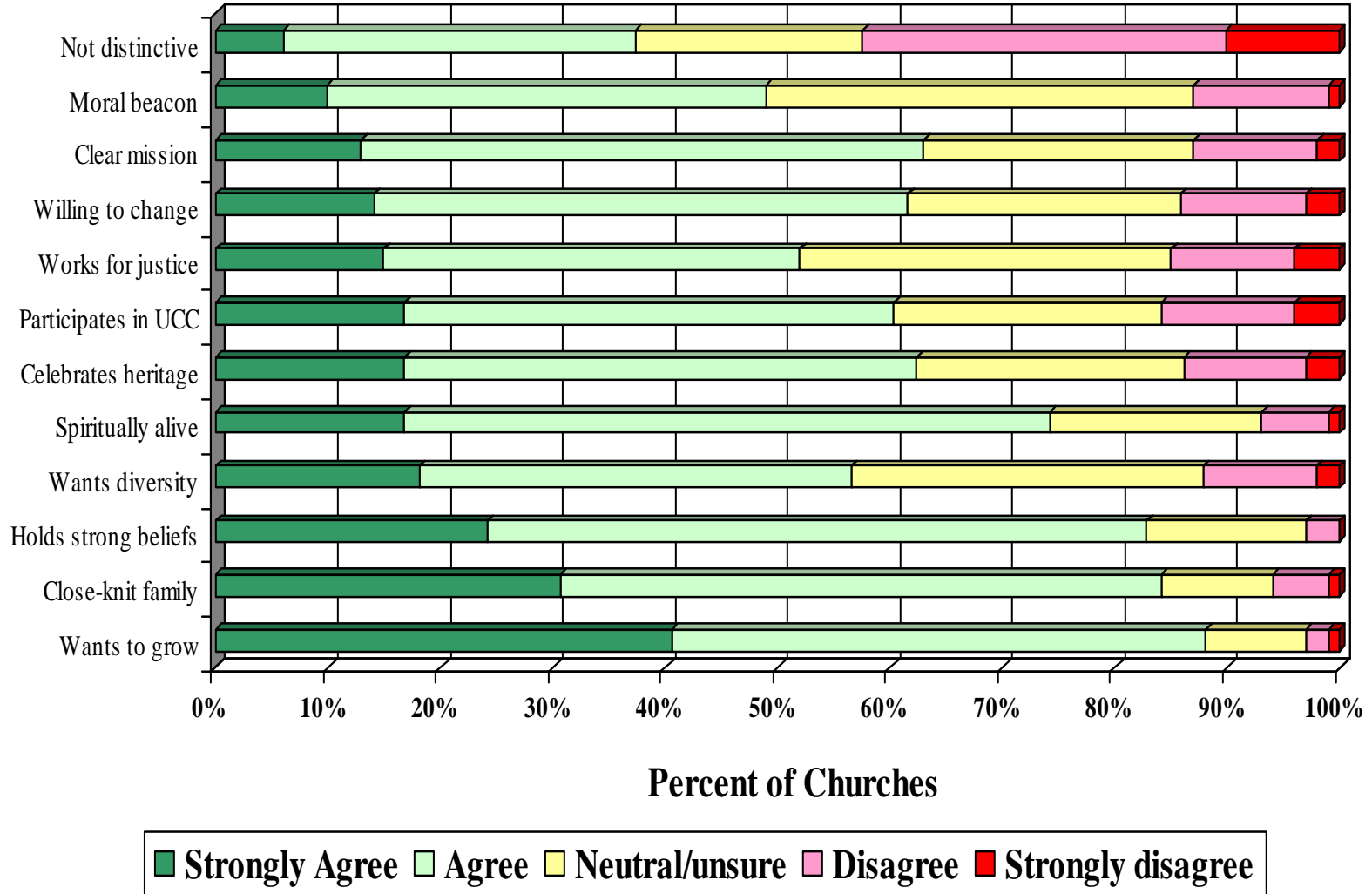
Emphasis on Religious Practices



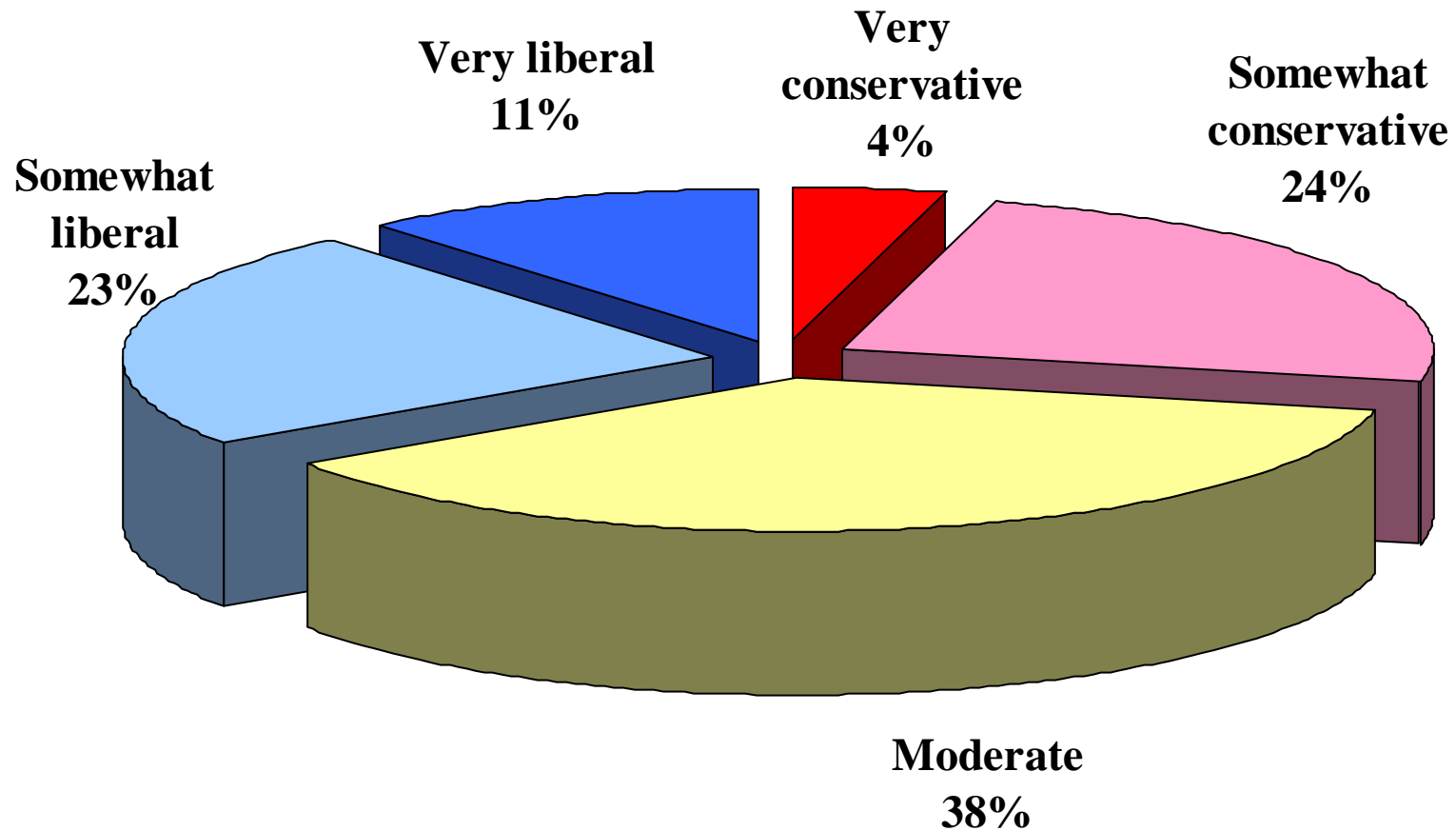
Use of Electronic Media



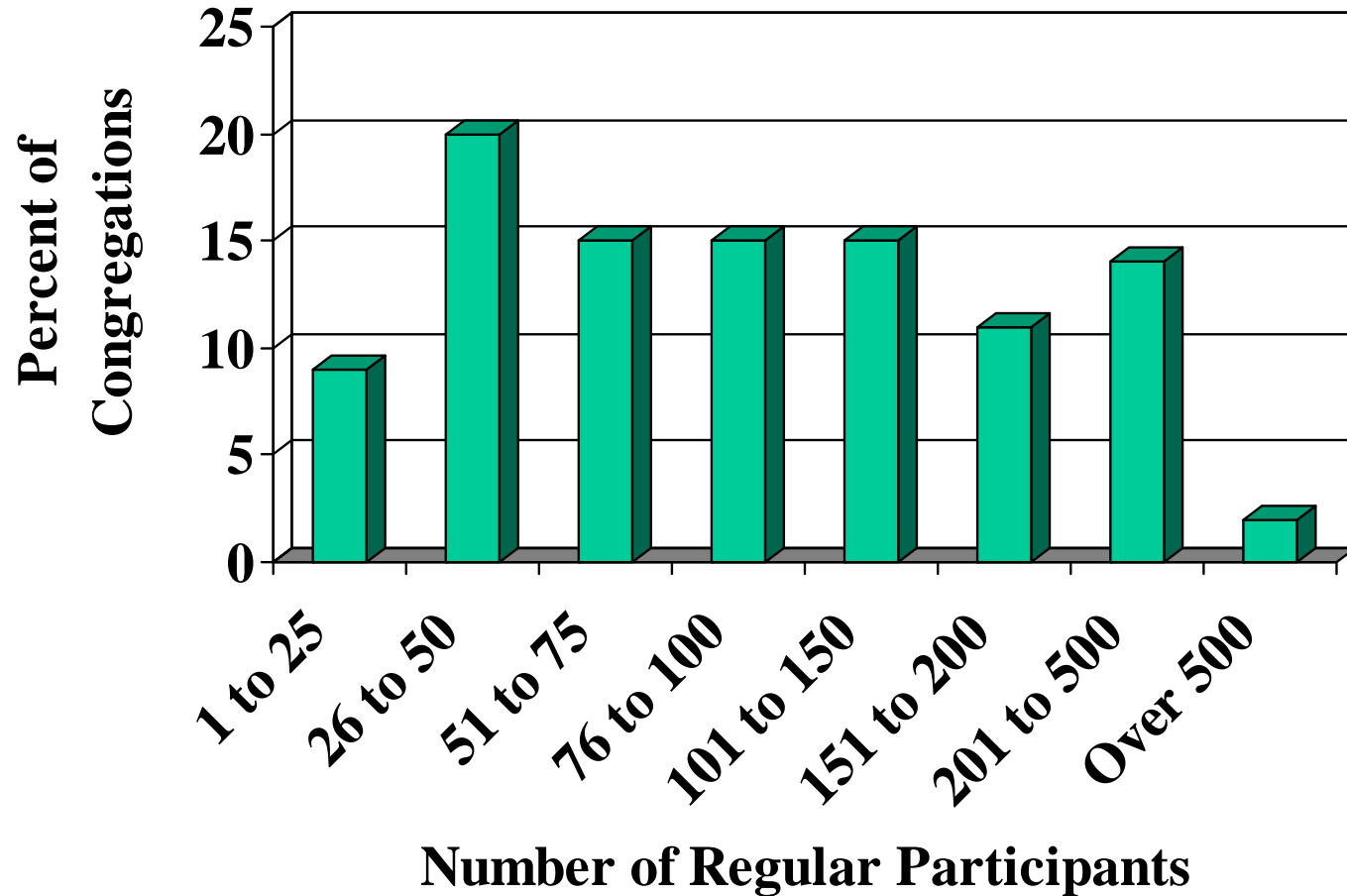
Mission and Identity



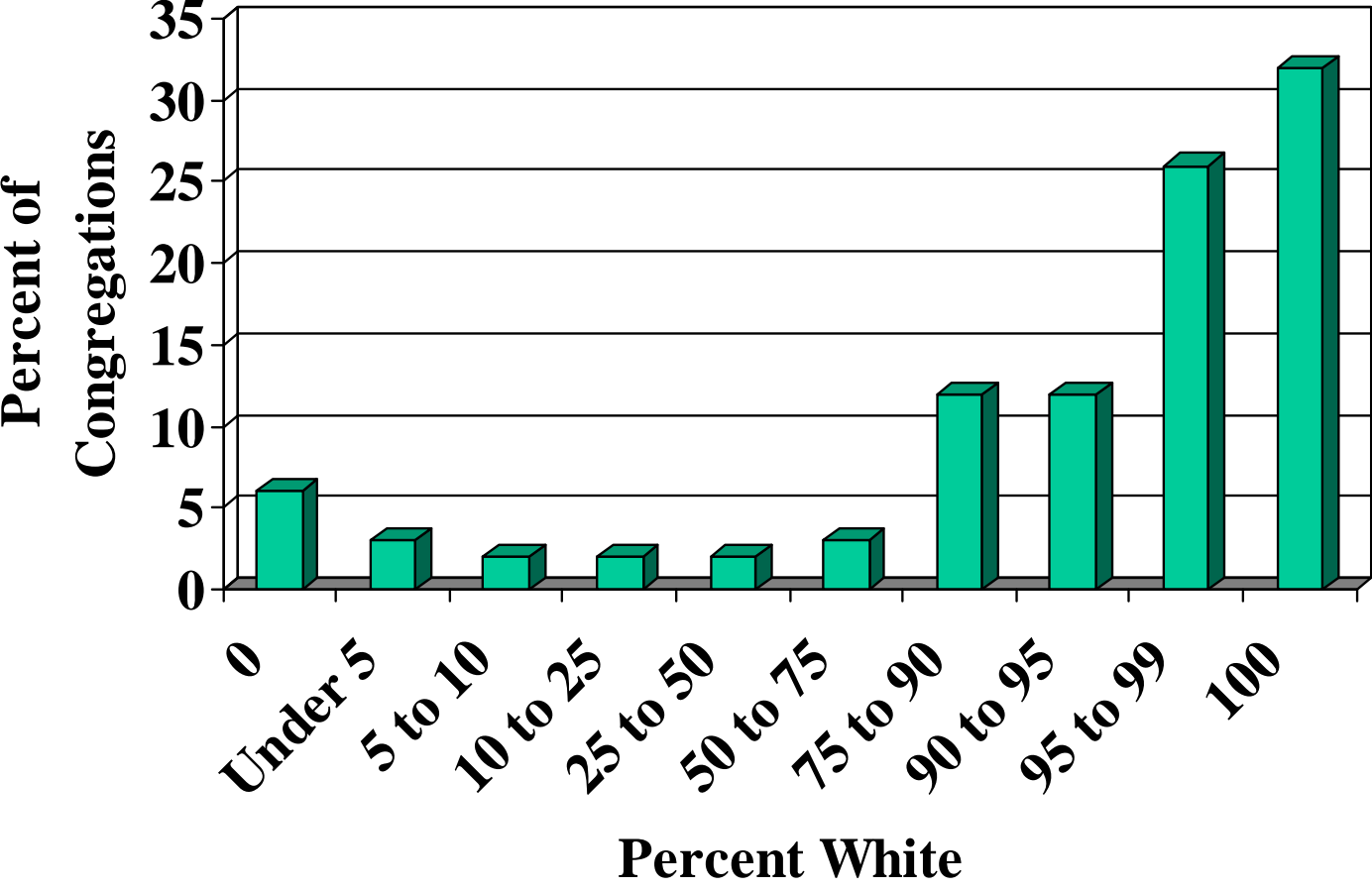
Theological Outlook of Congregation



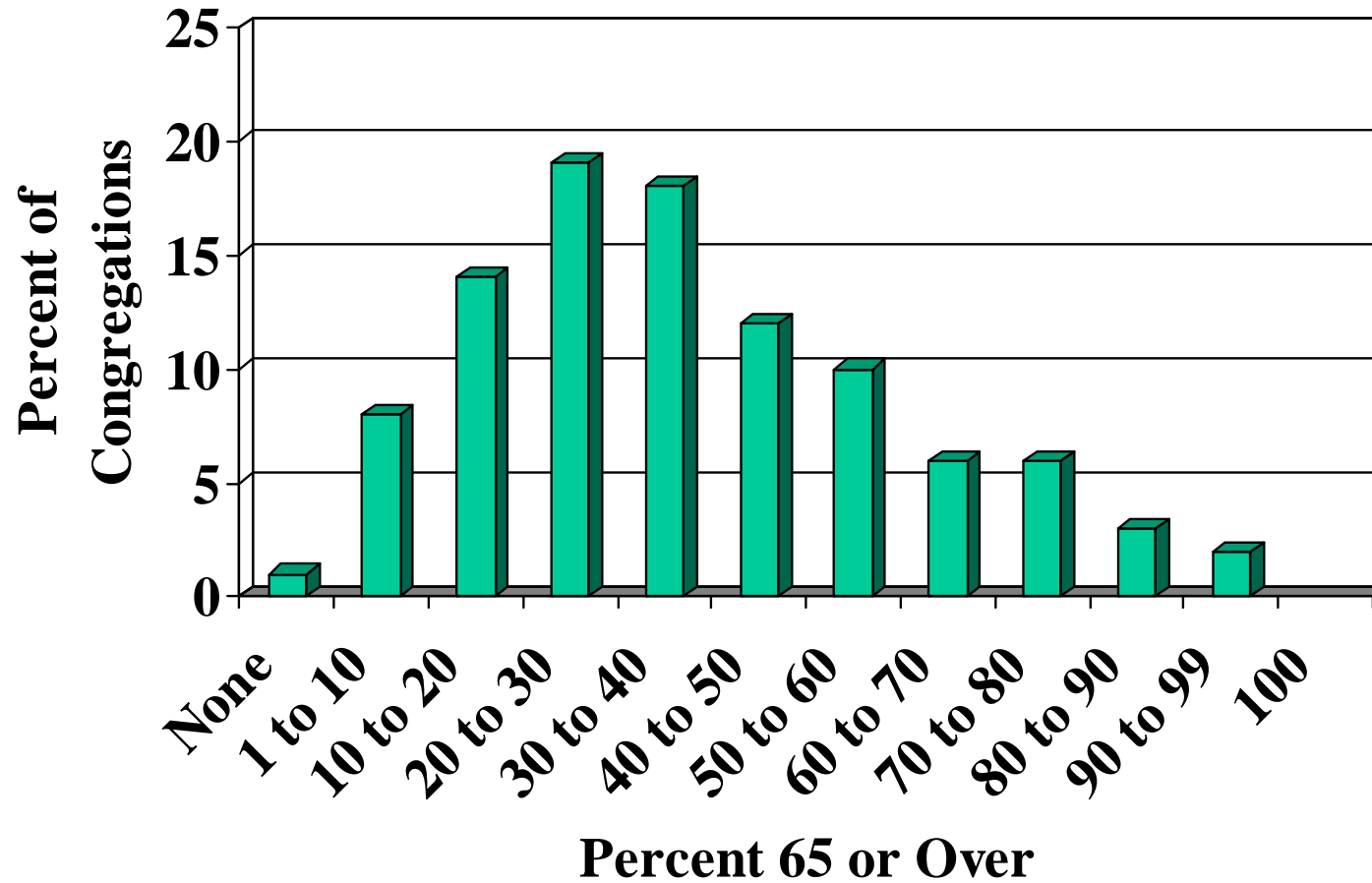
Regular Participants in Religious Activities



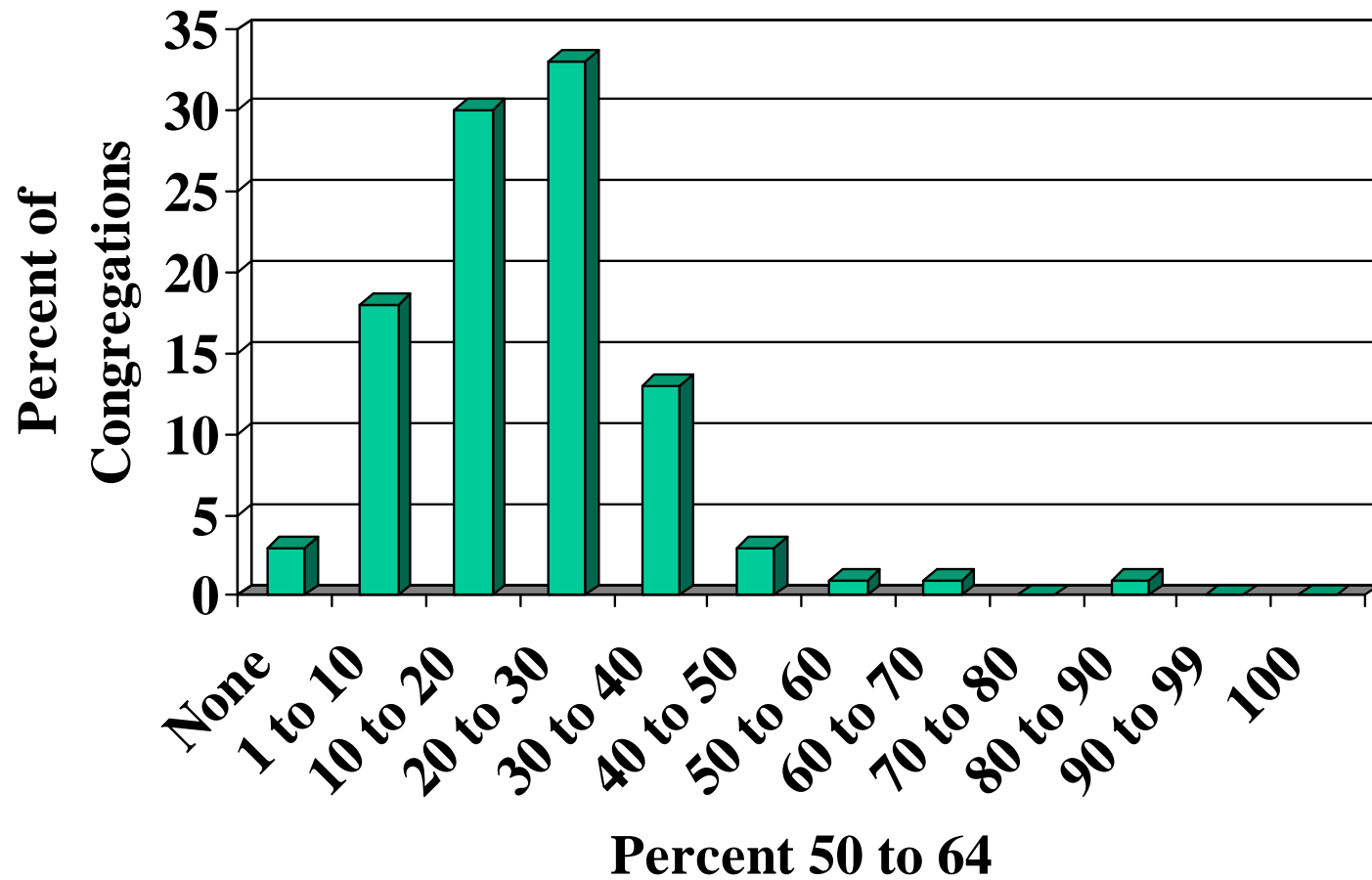
Percent of the Congregation that is White



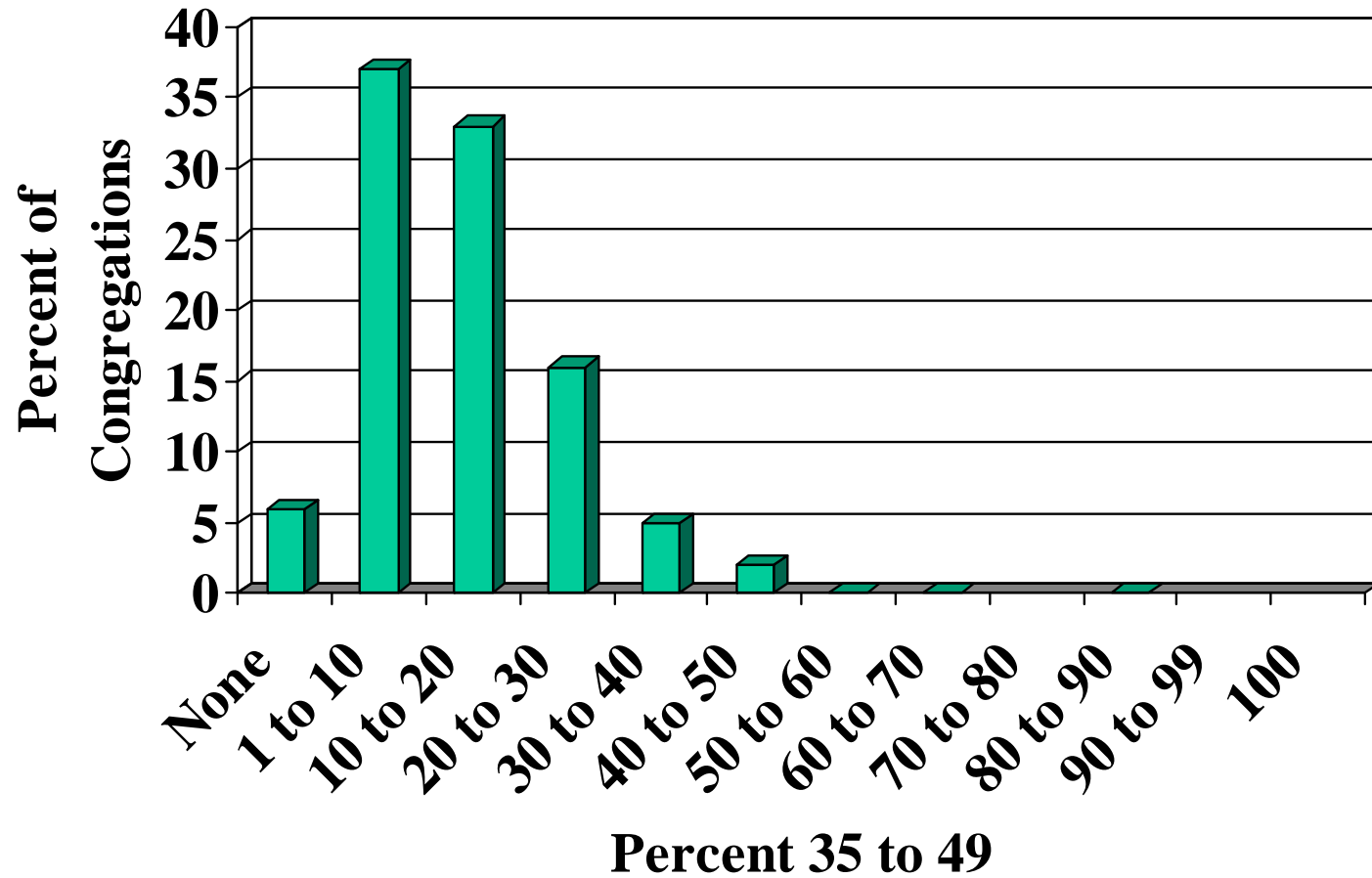
Percent of the Congregation Aged 65 or Over



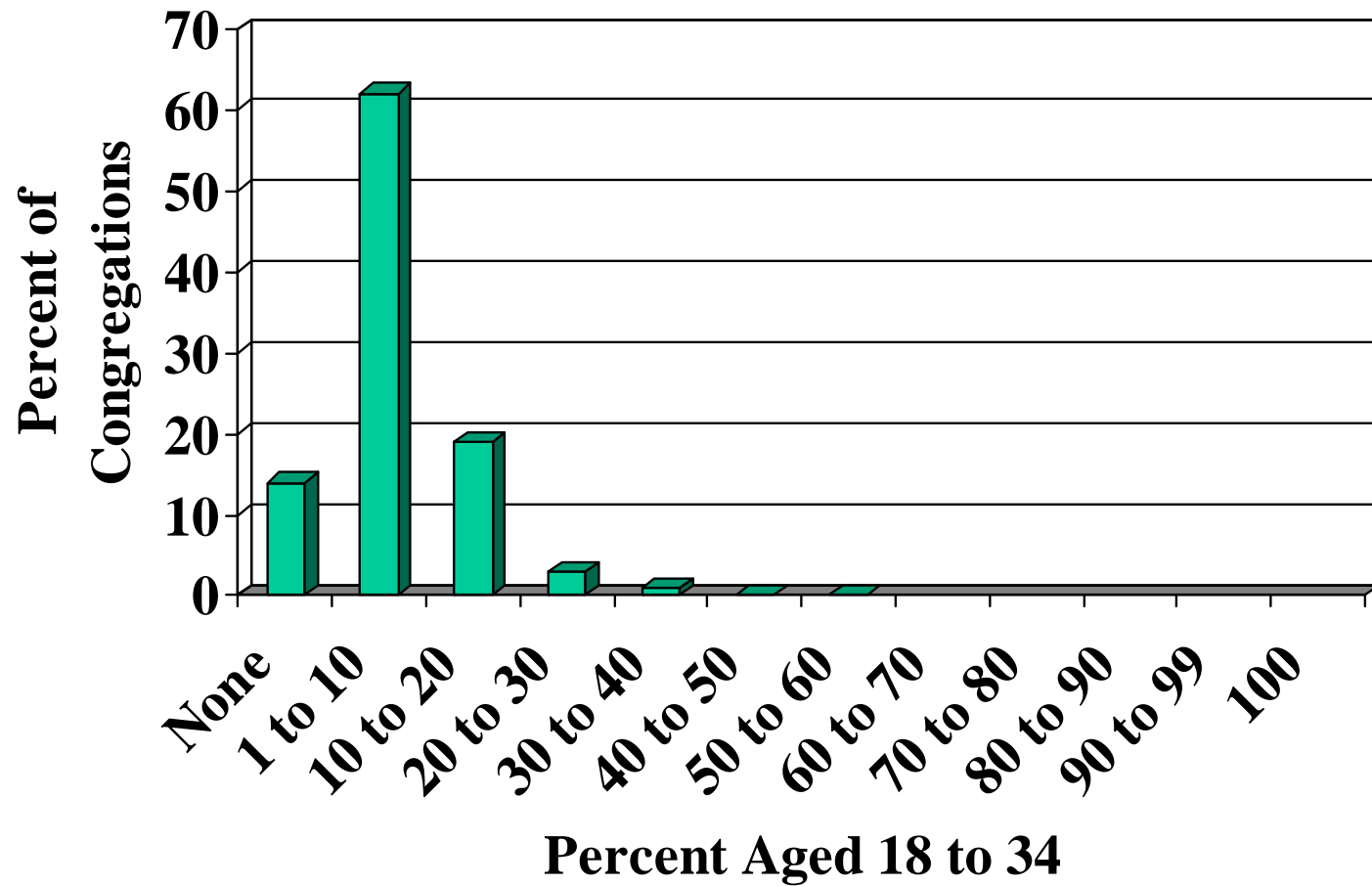
Percent of the Congregation Aged 50 to 64



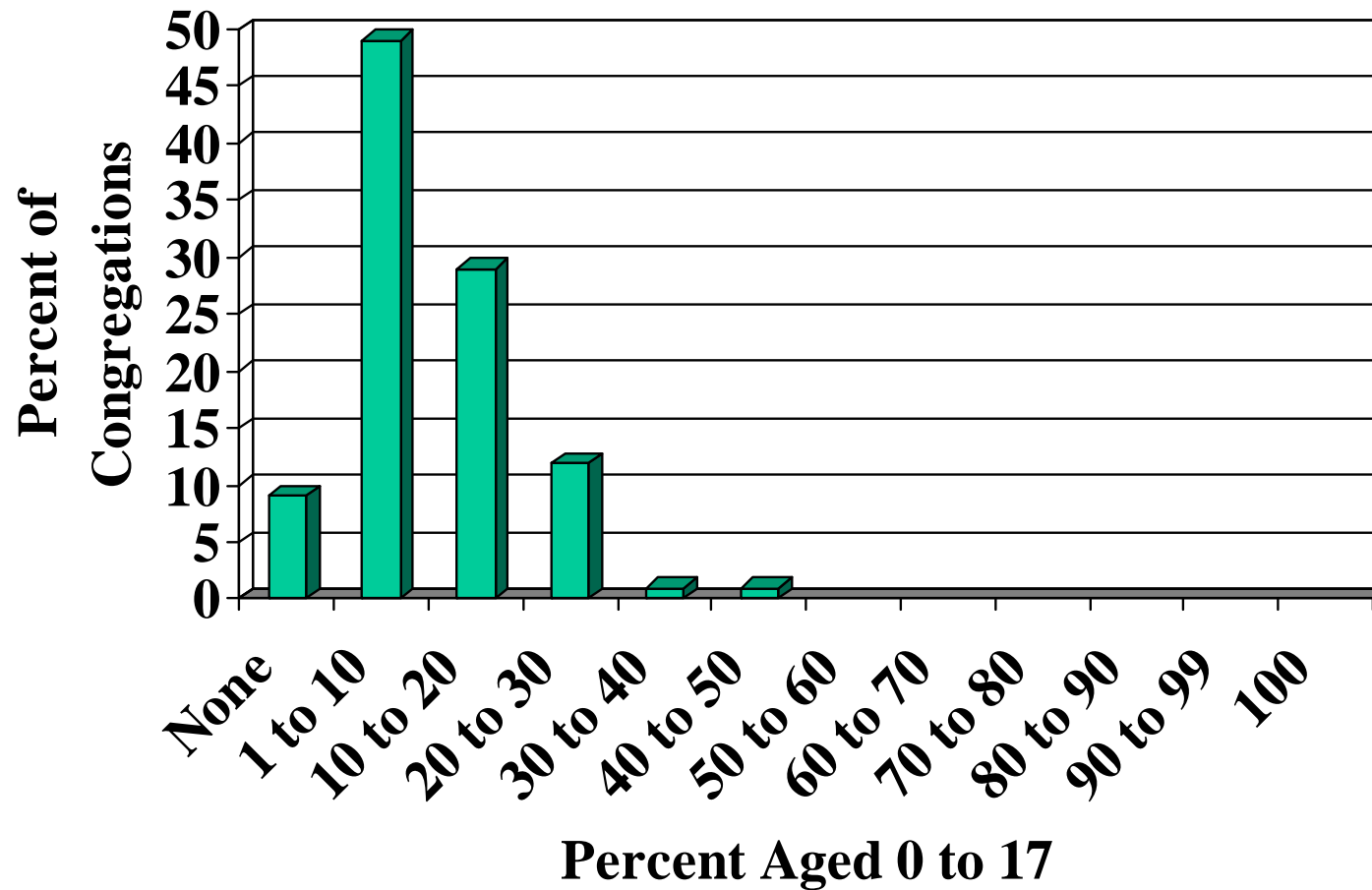
Percent of the Congregation Aged 35 to 49



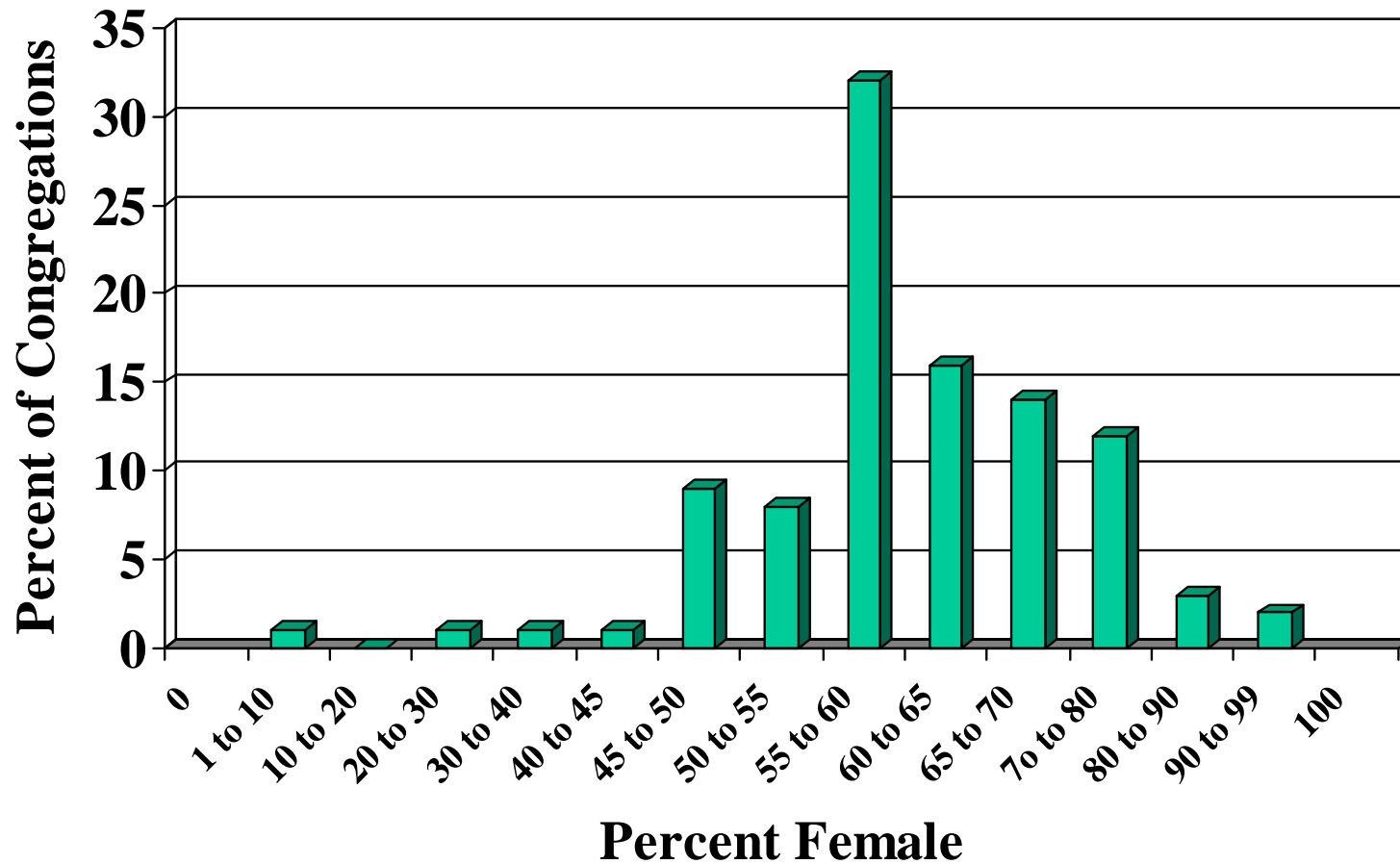
Percent of the Congregation Aged 18 to 34



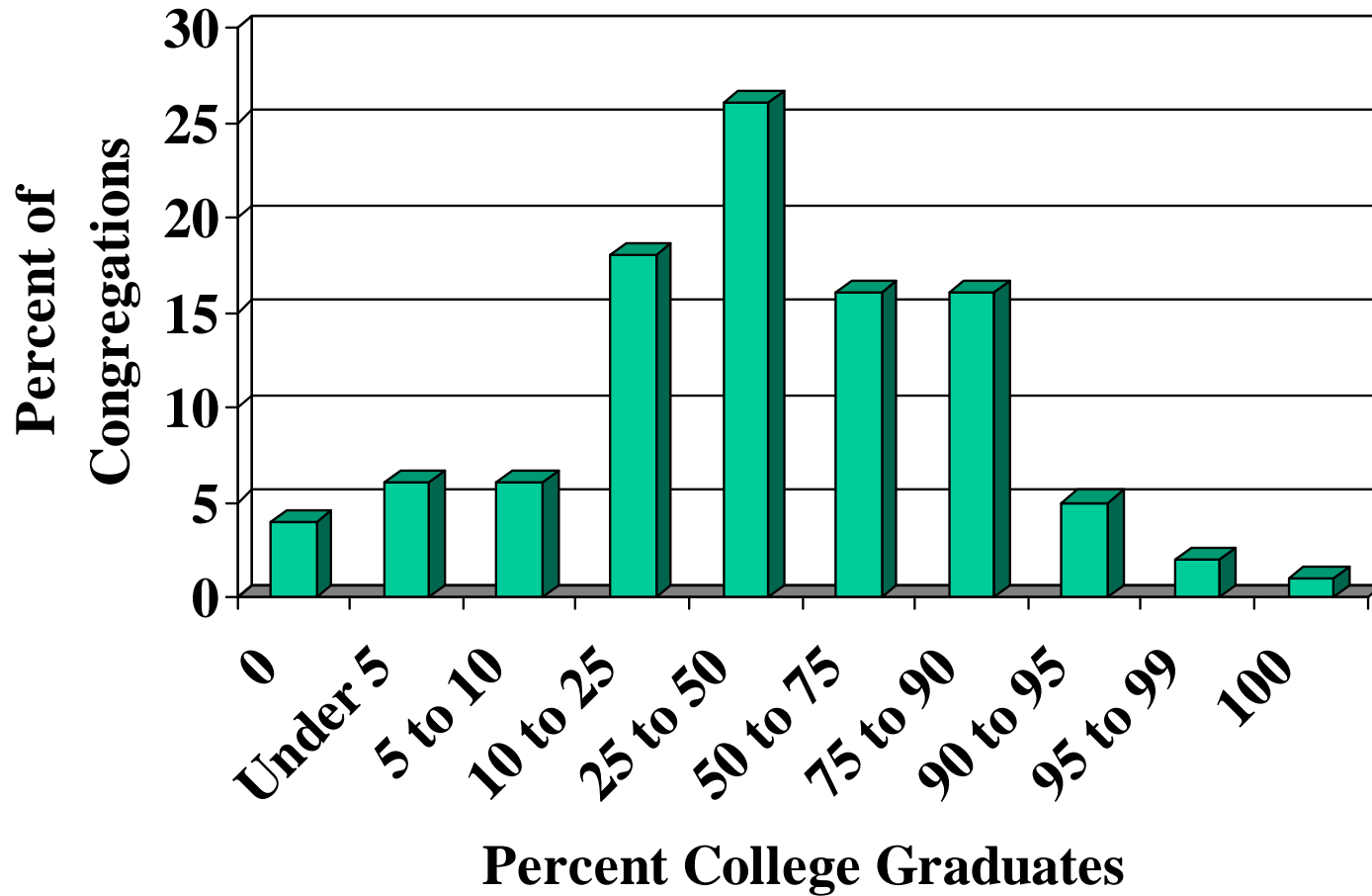
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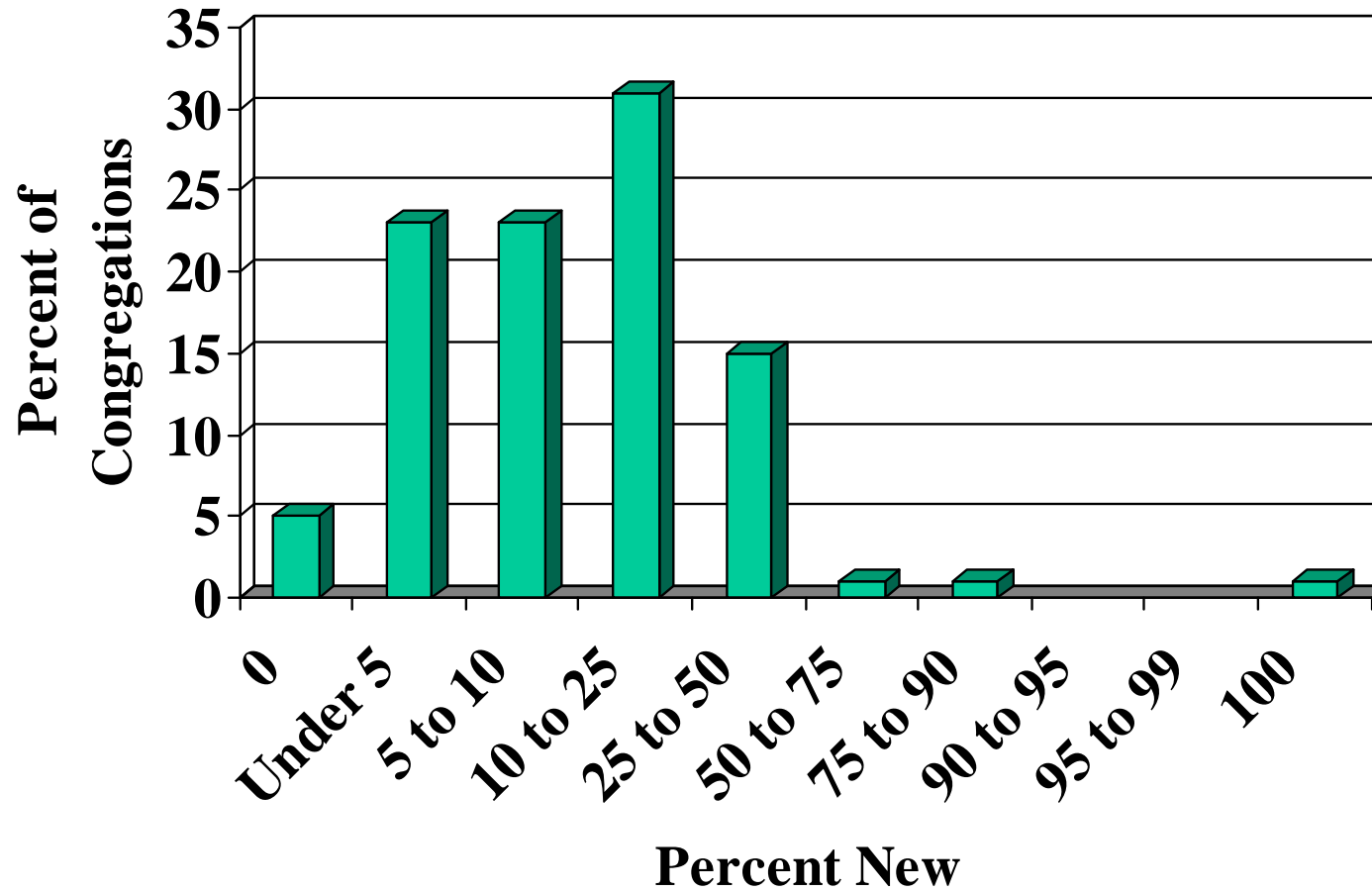
Percent of the Congregation that is Female



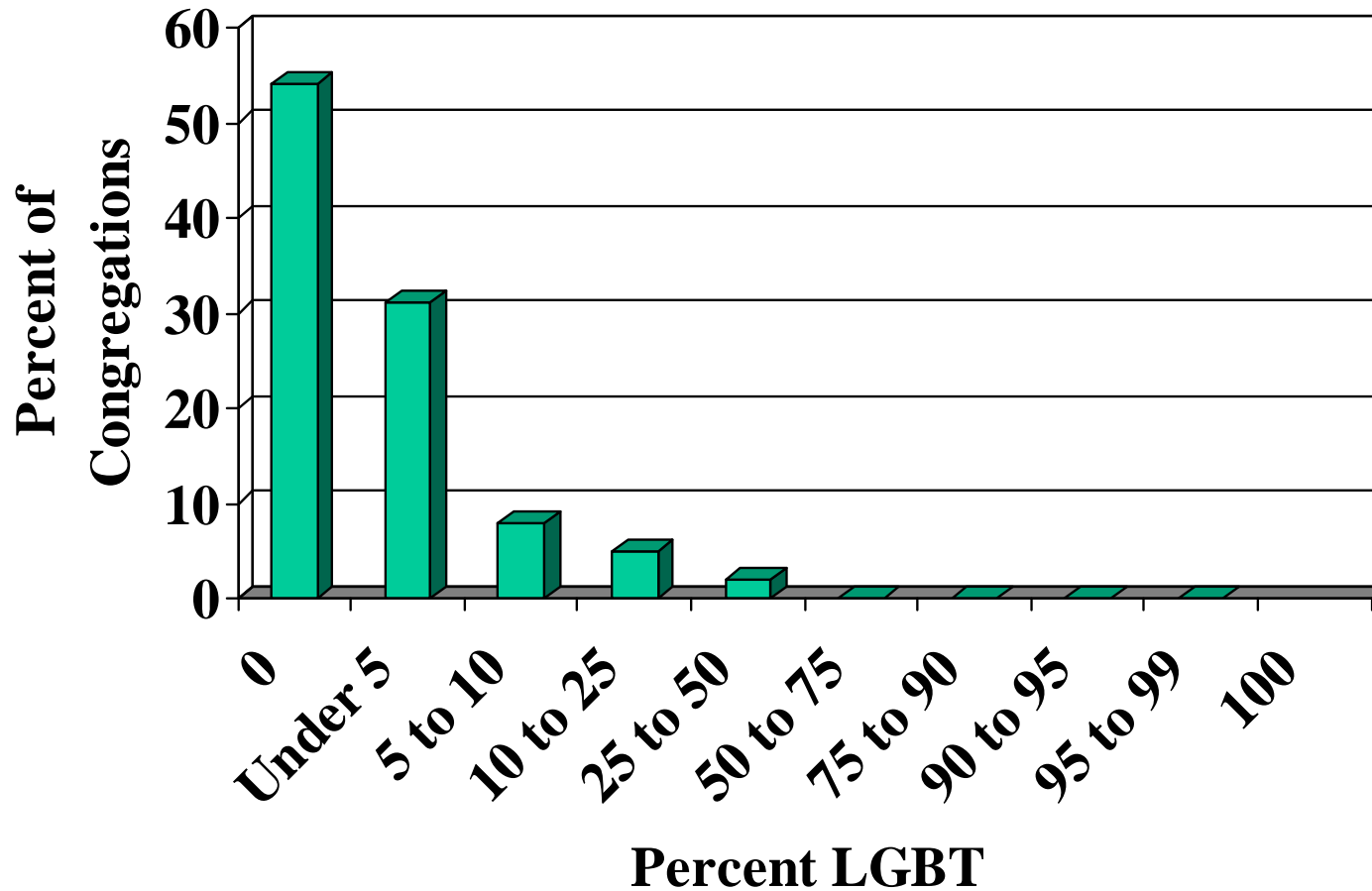
Percent of the Congregation who are College Graduates



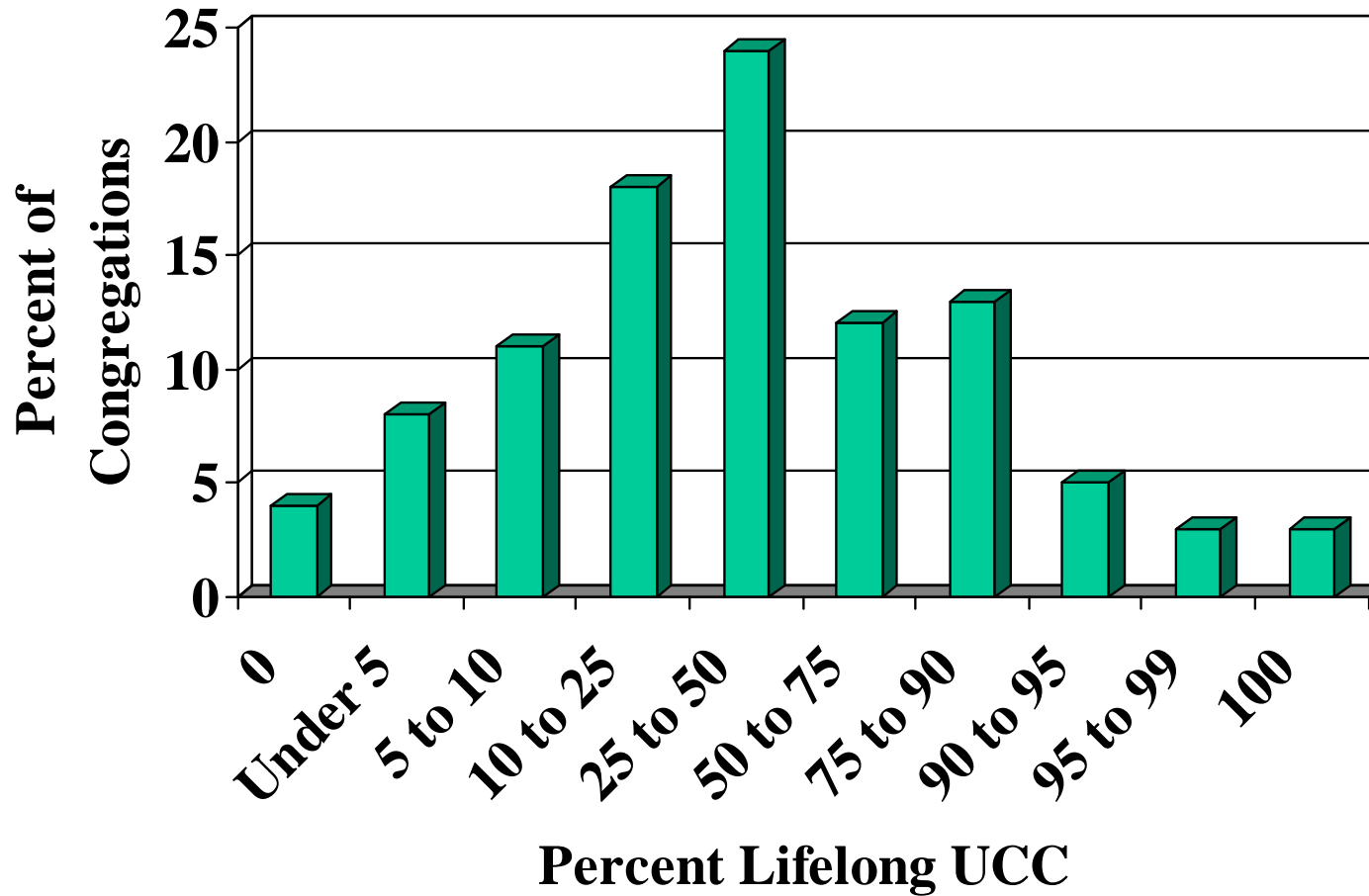
Percent of the Congregation who are New in Past Five Years



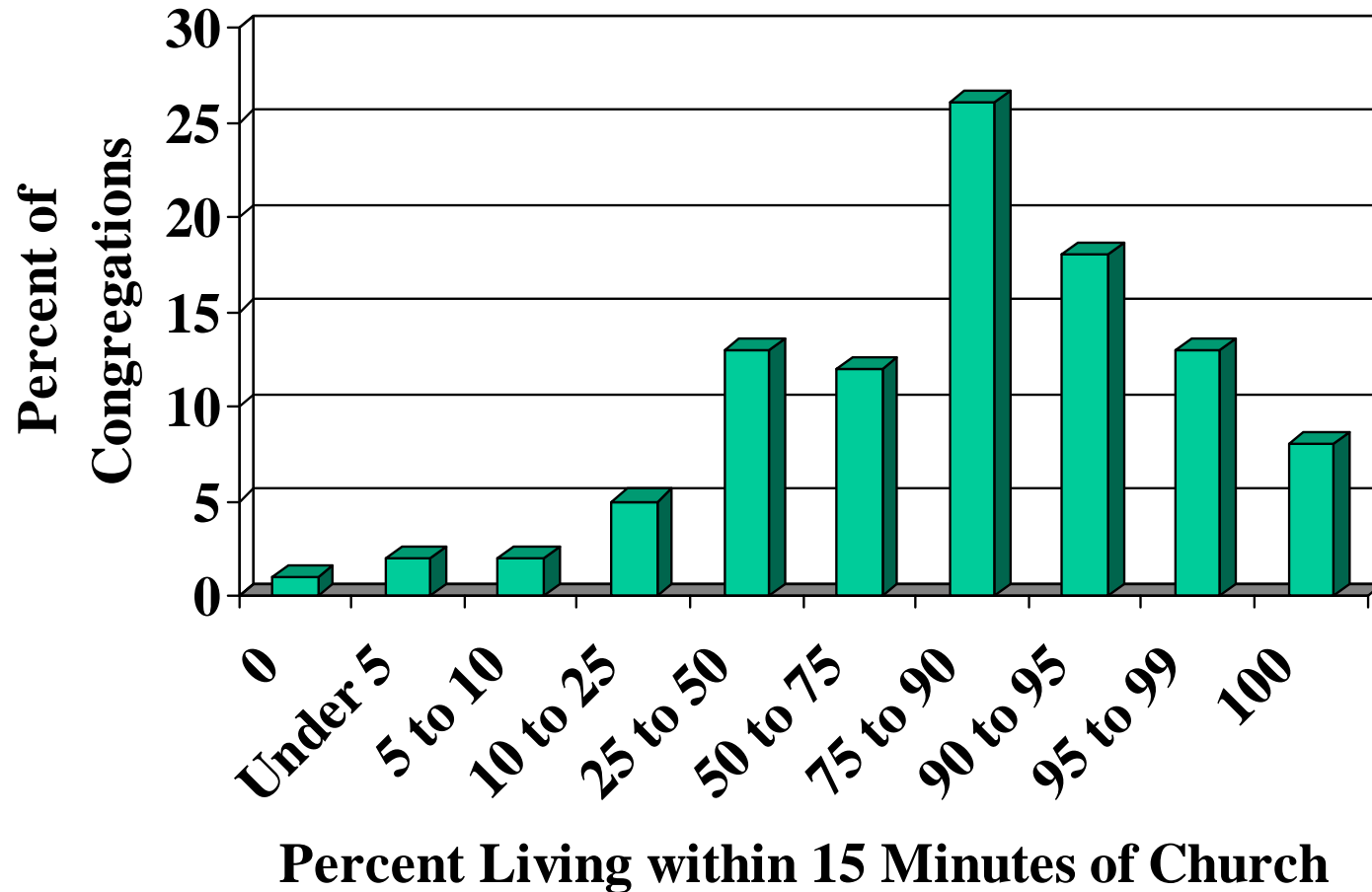
Percent of the Congregation who are “Out” LGBT



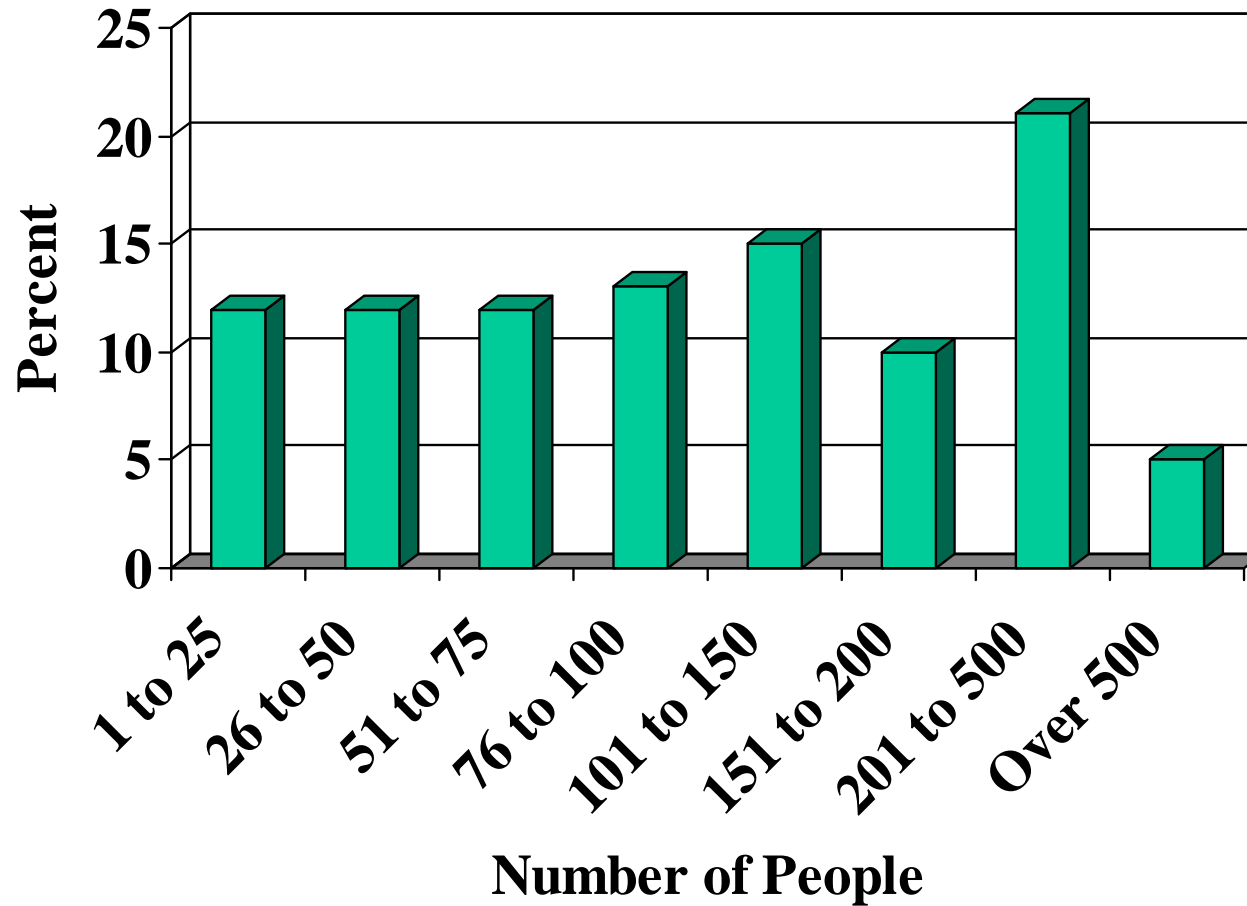
Percent of the Congregation who are Lifelong UCC



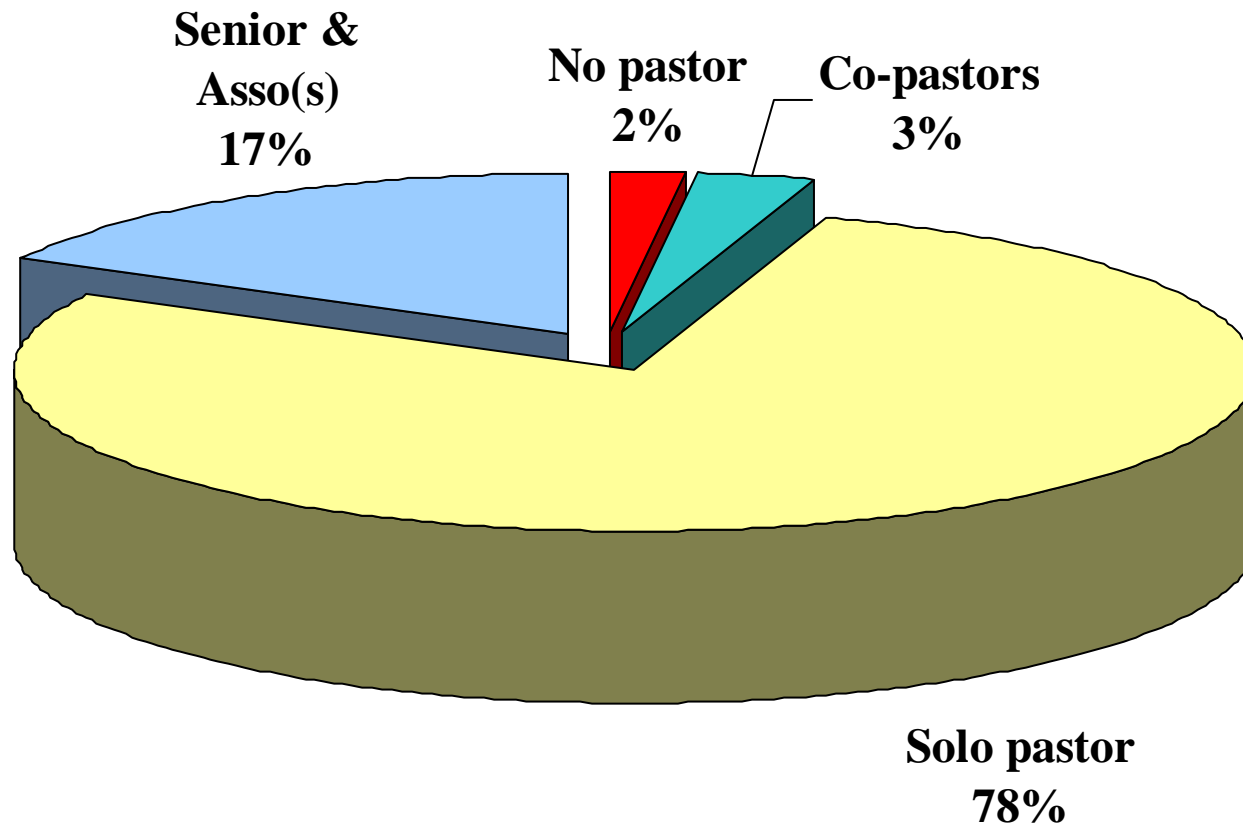
Percent of the Congregation Who Live within 15 Minutes of Church



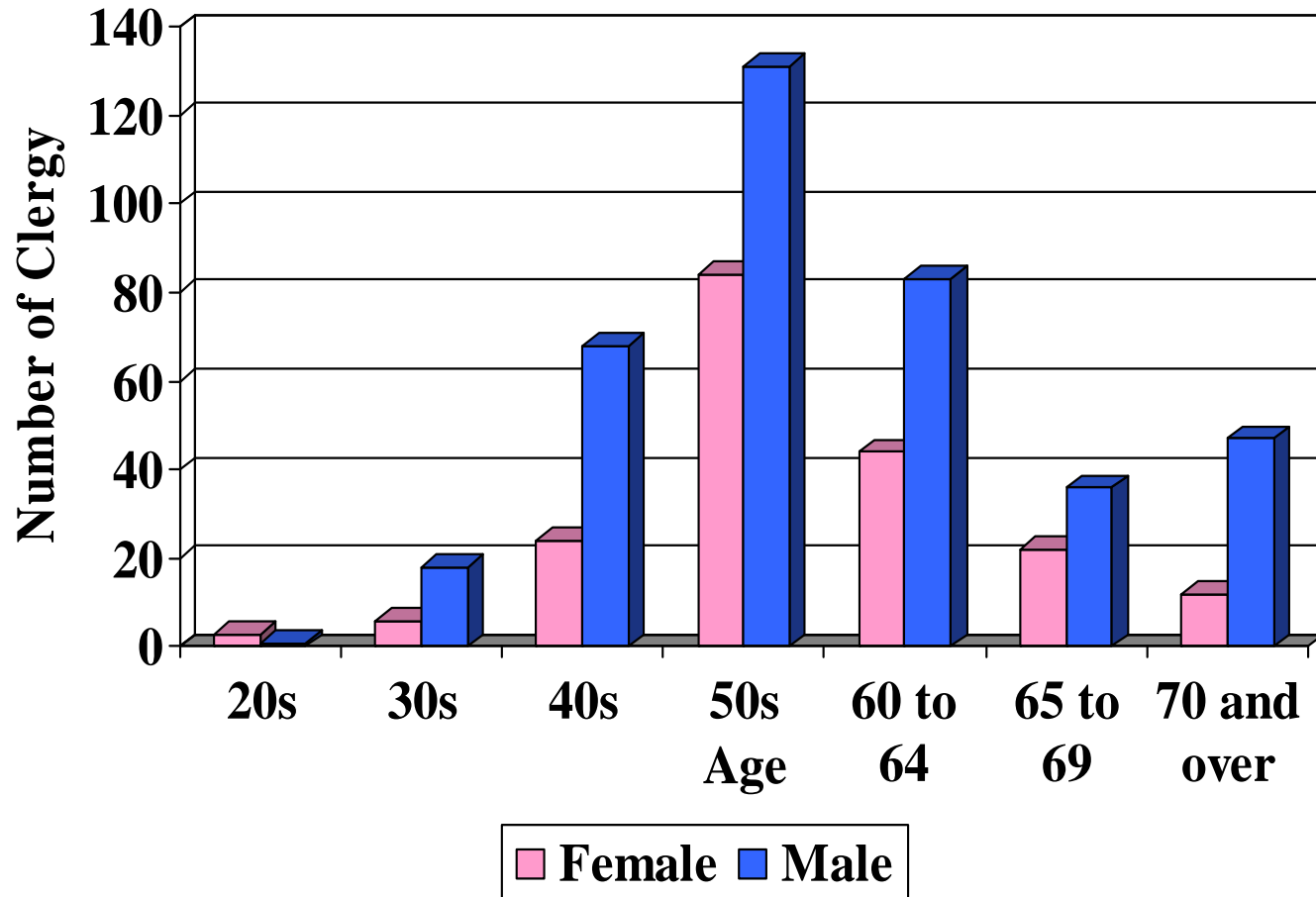
People Associated with the Congregation



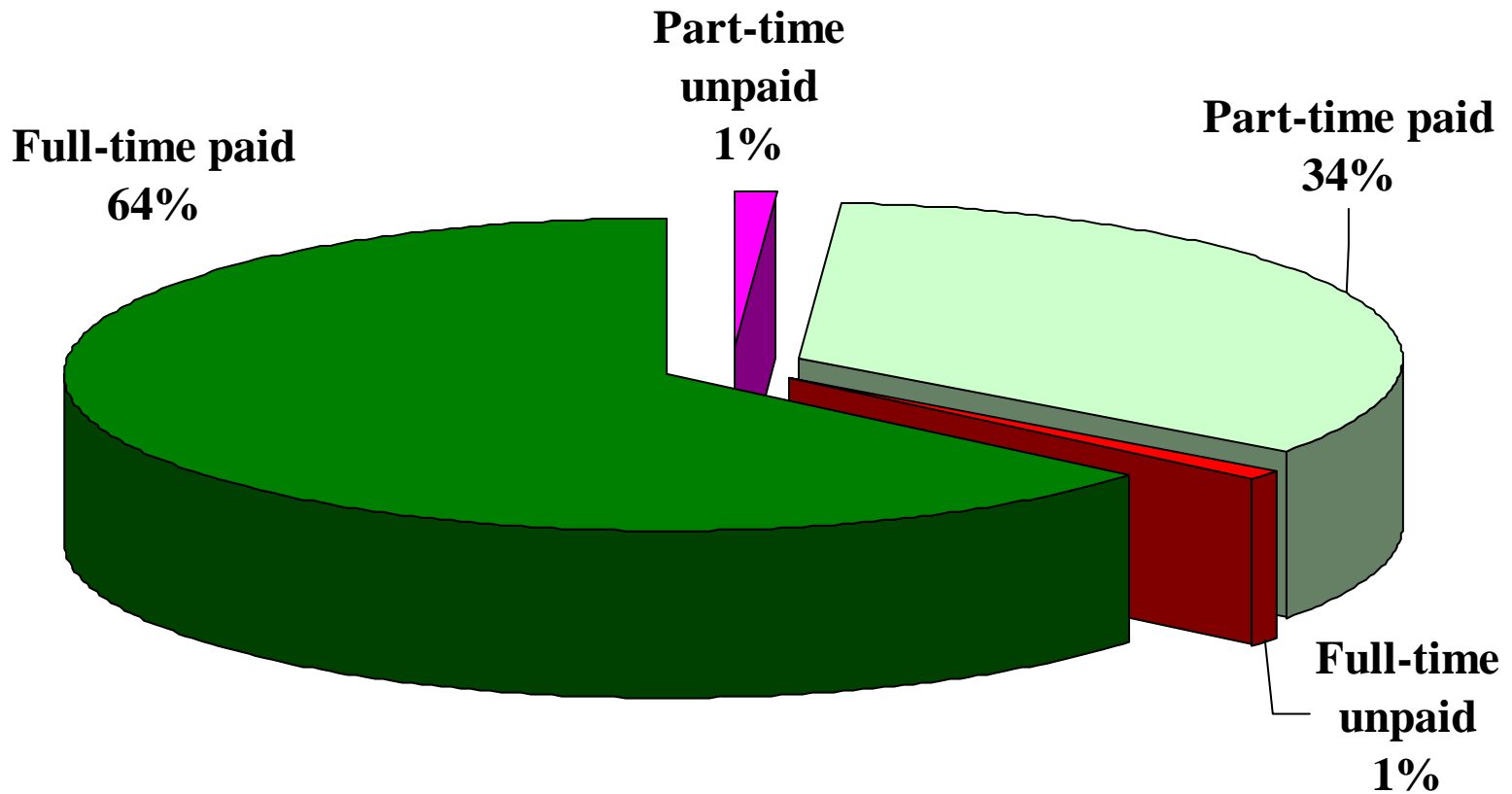
Clergy Leadership



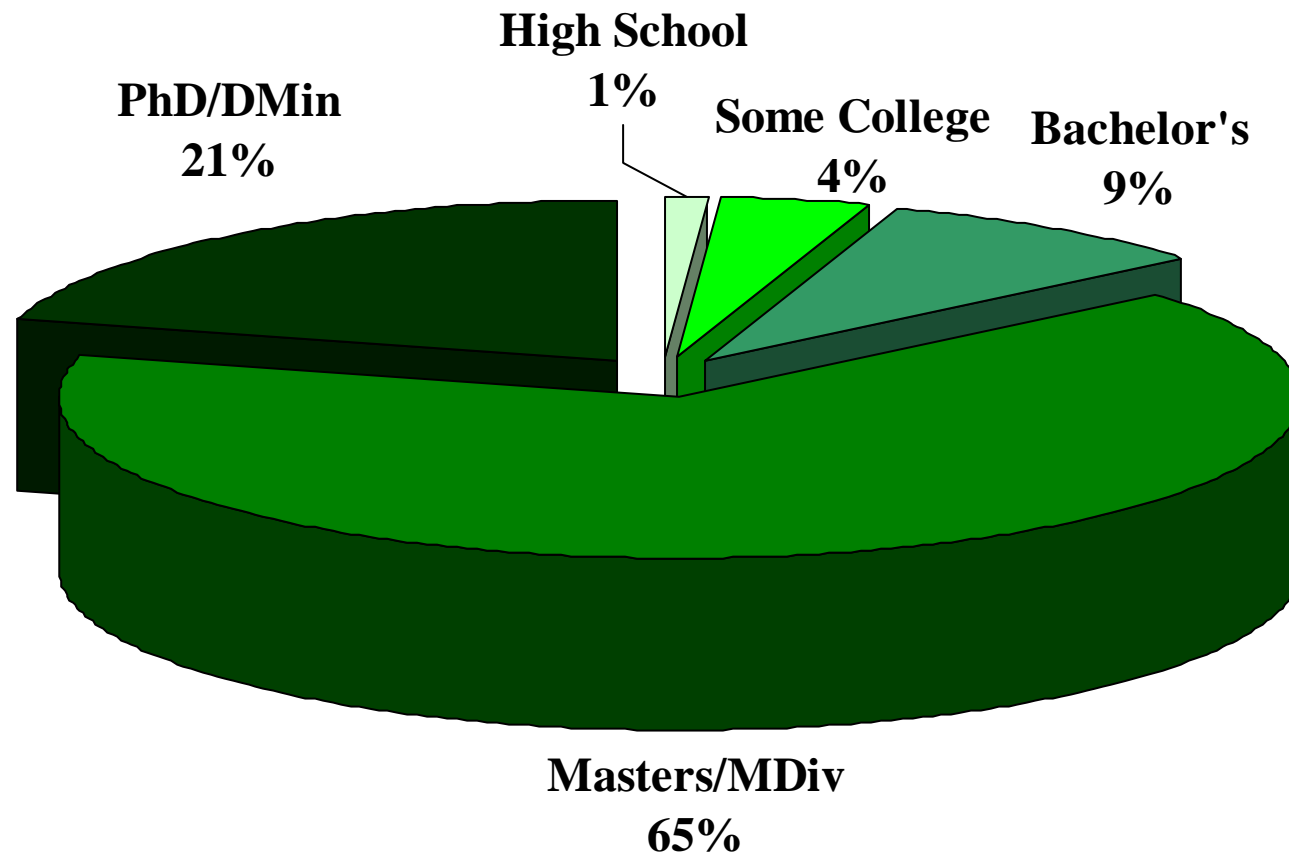
Clergy Age and Gender



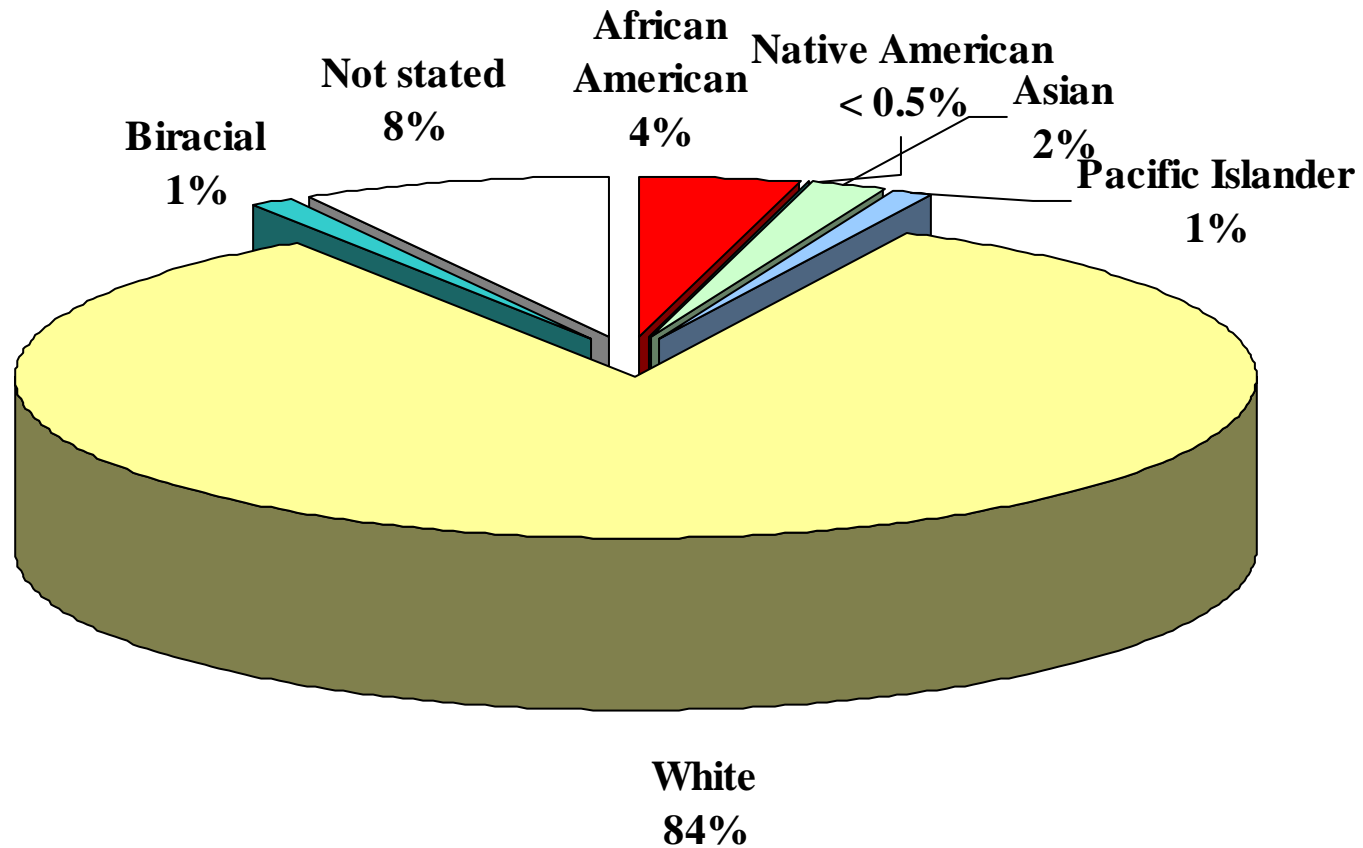
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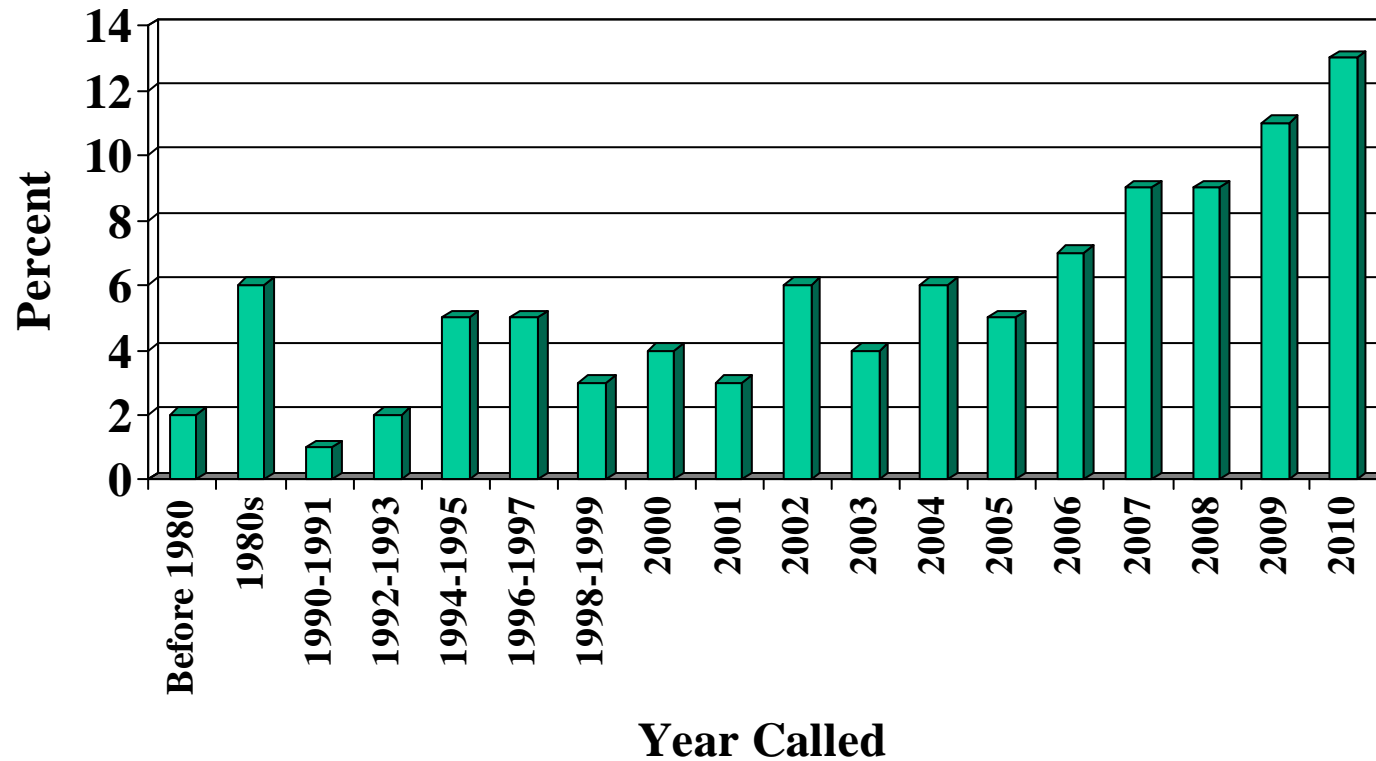
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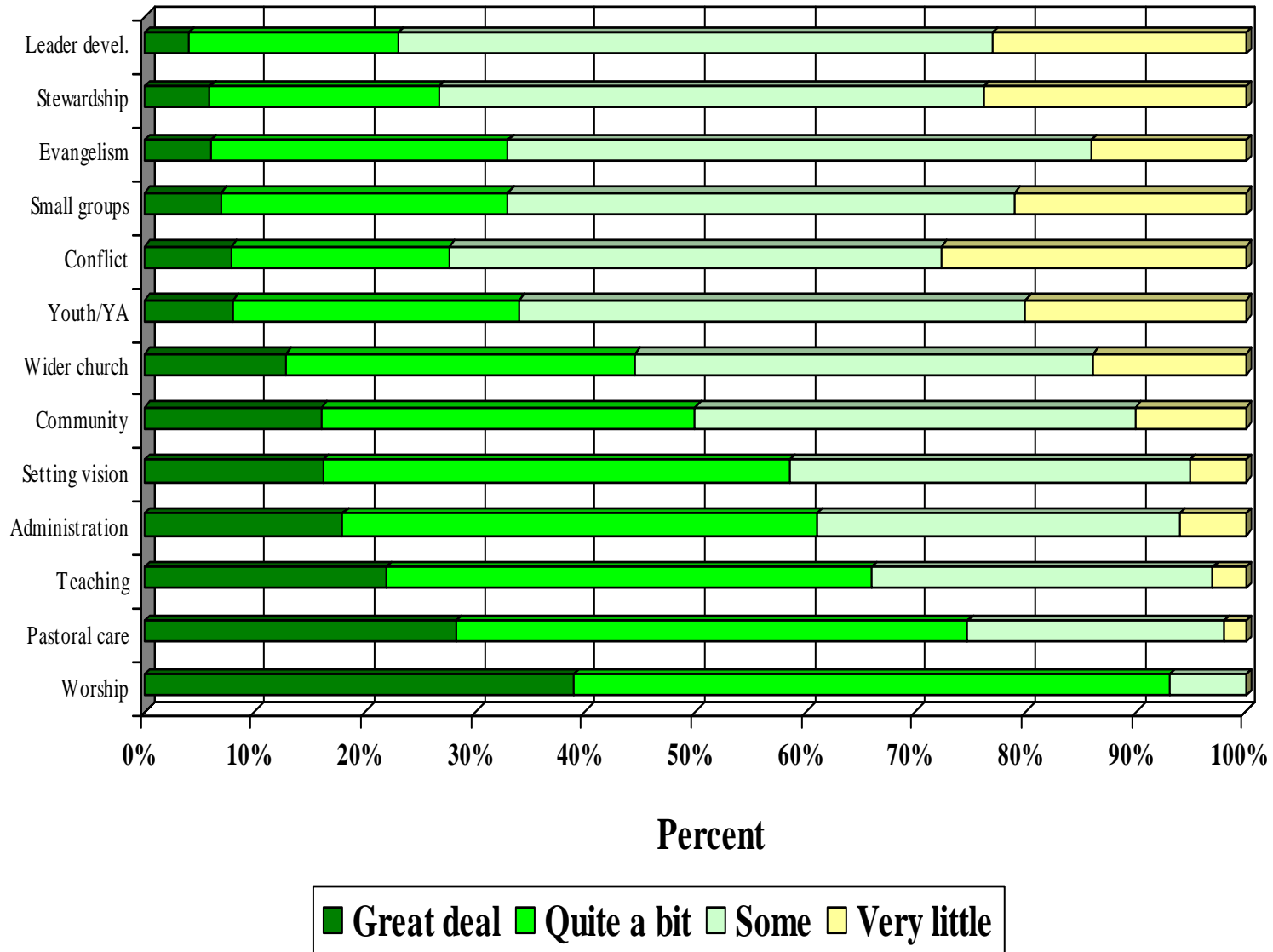
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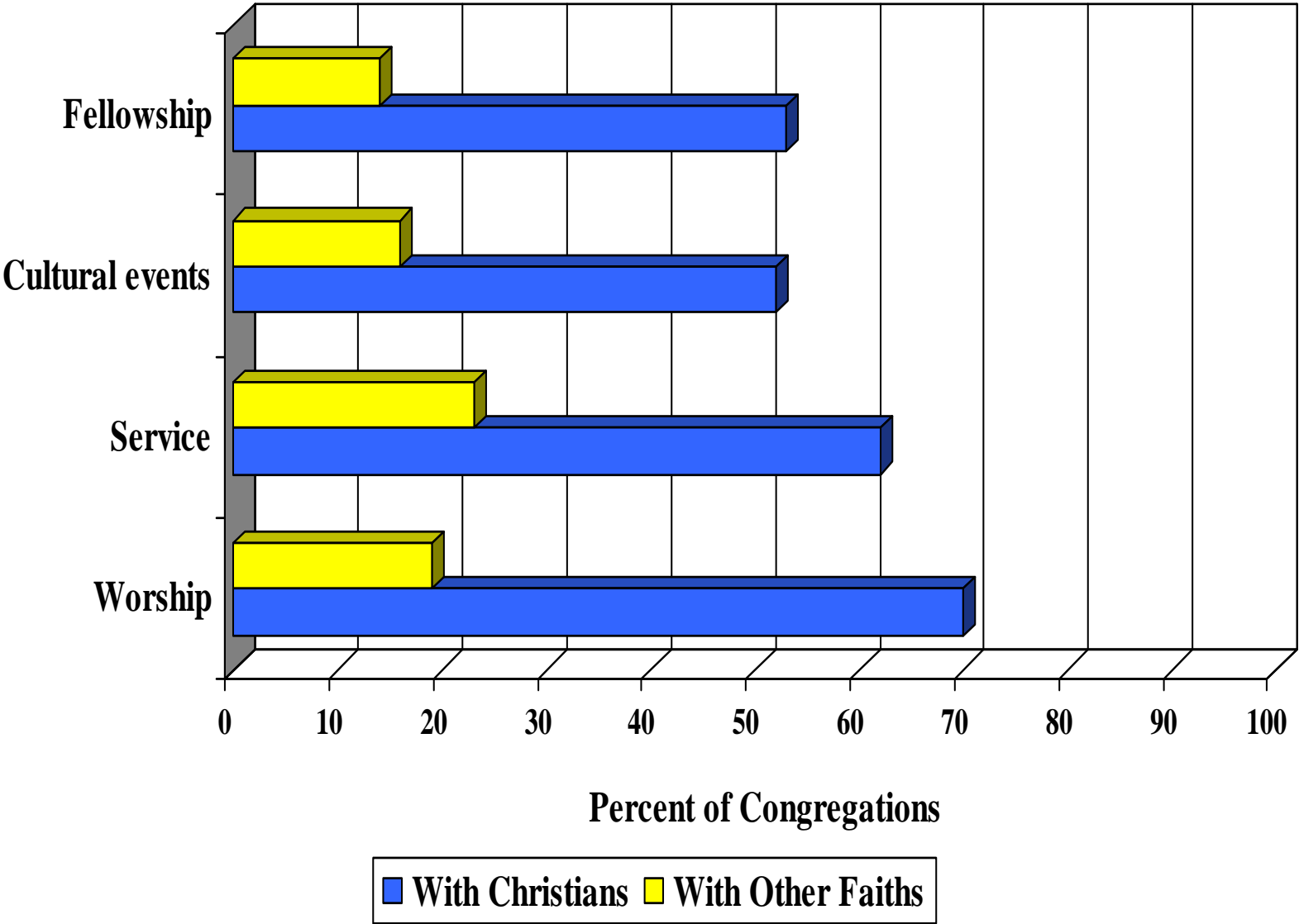
Year of Call to This Church



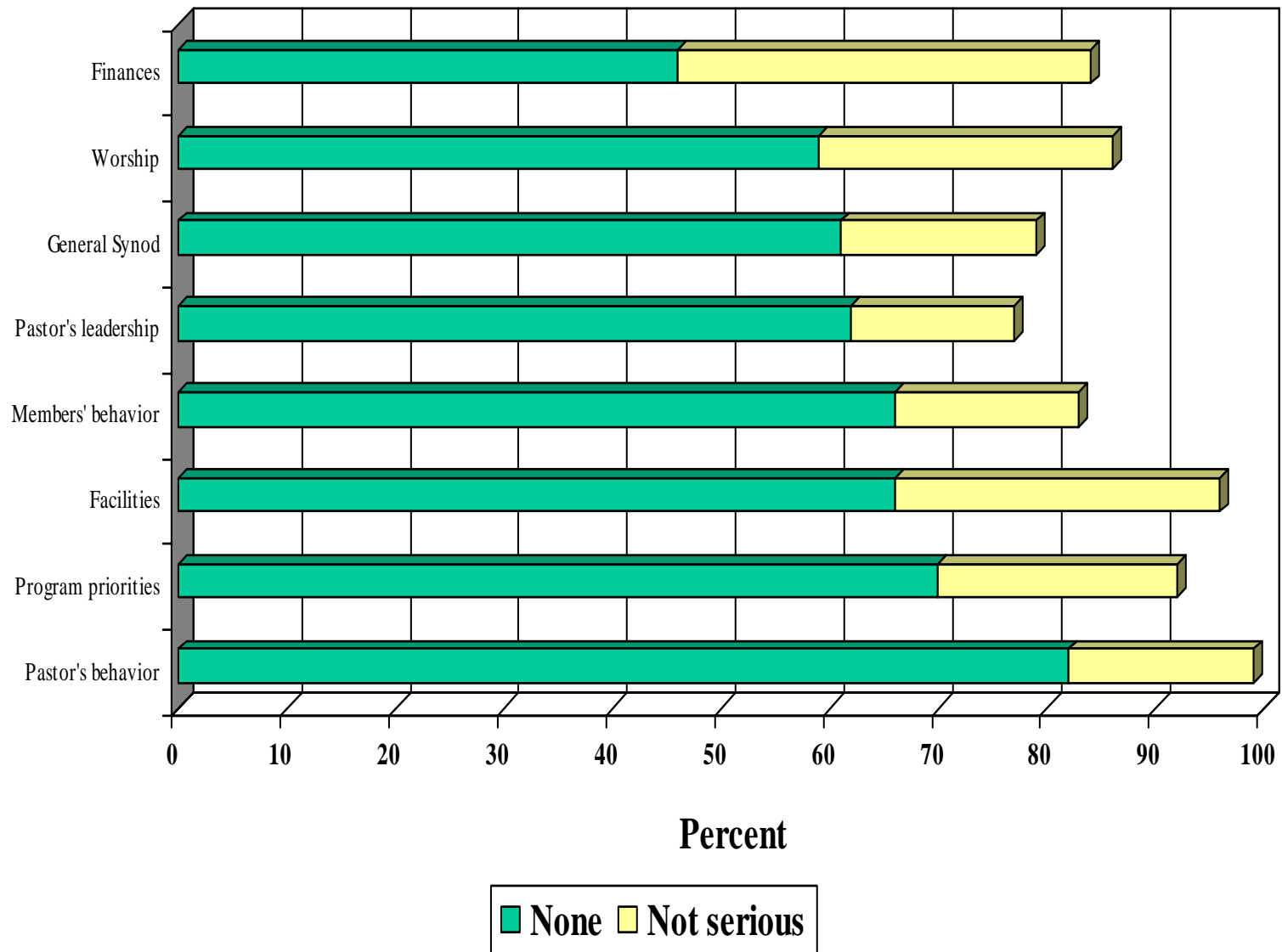
Time Spent in Ministry Tasks



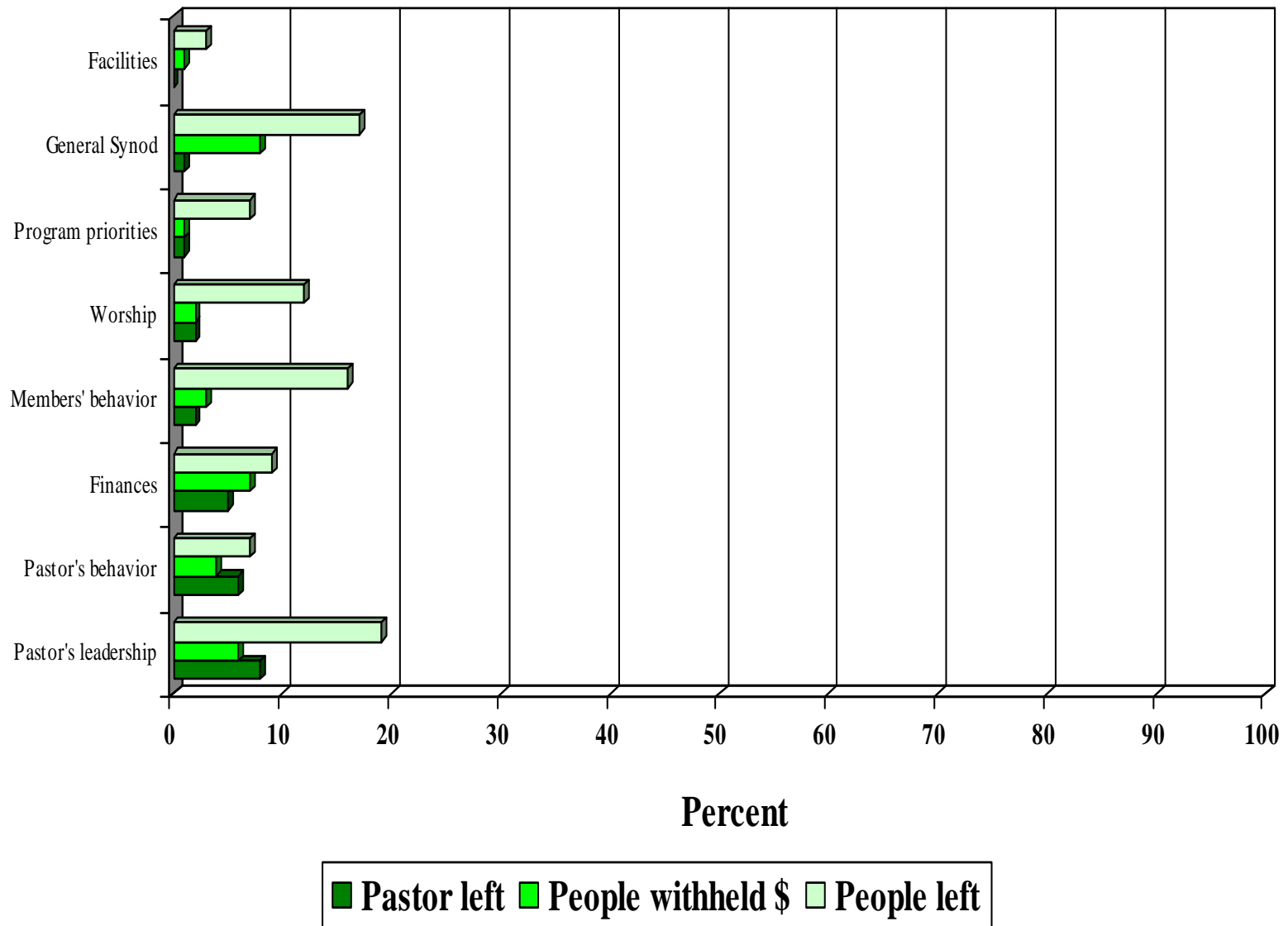
Participation in Interfaith Activities



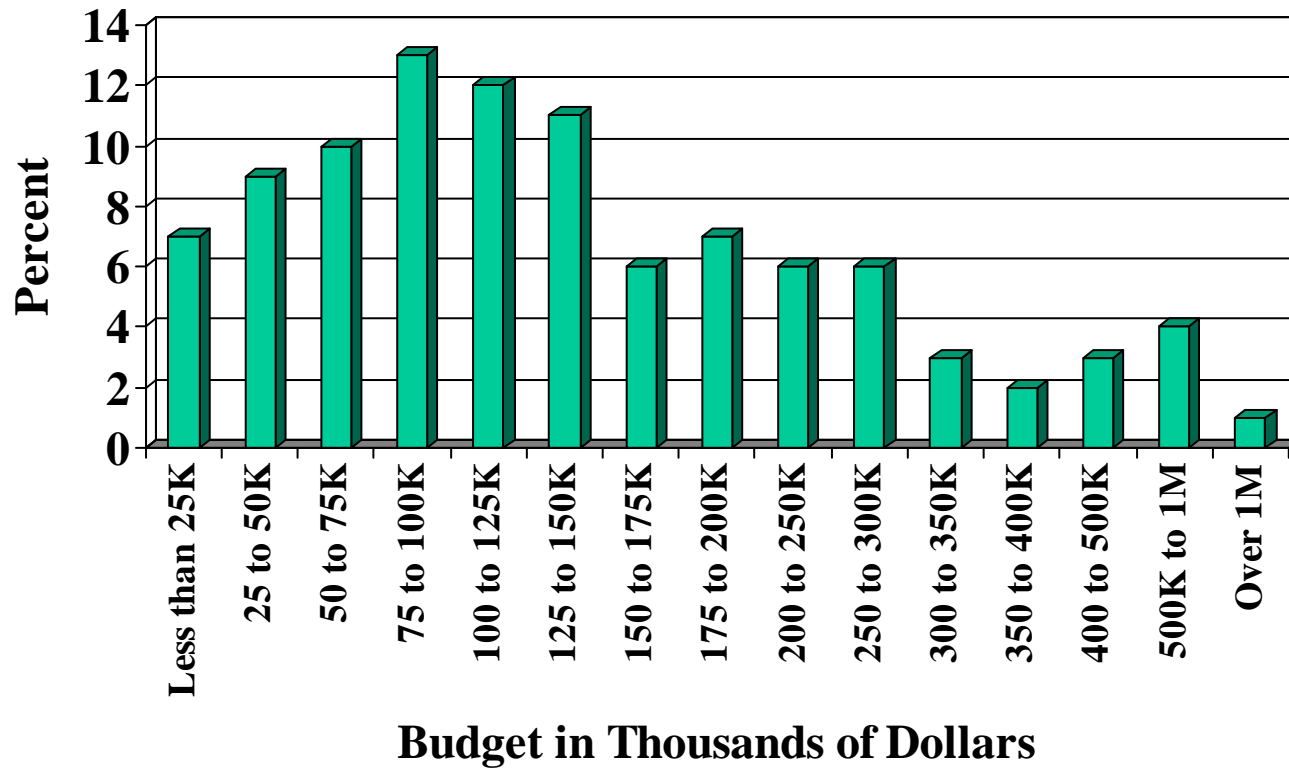
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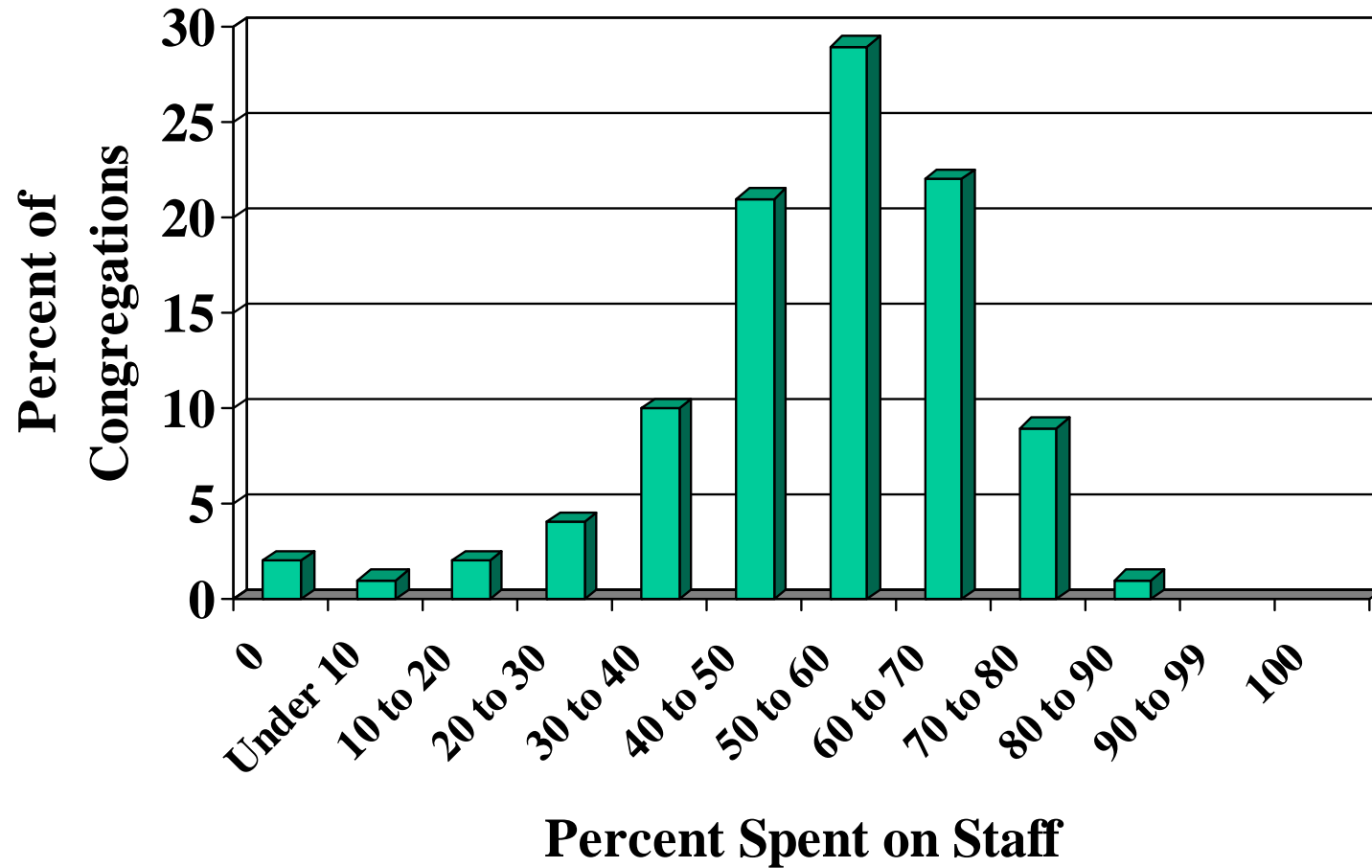
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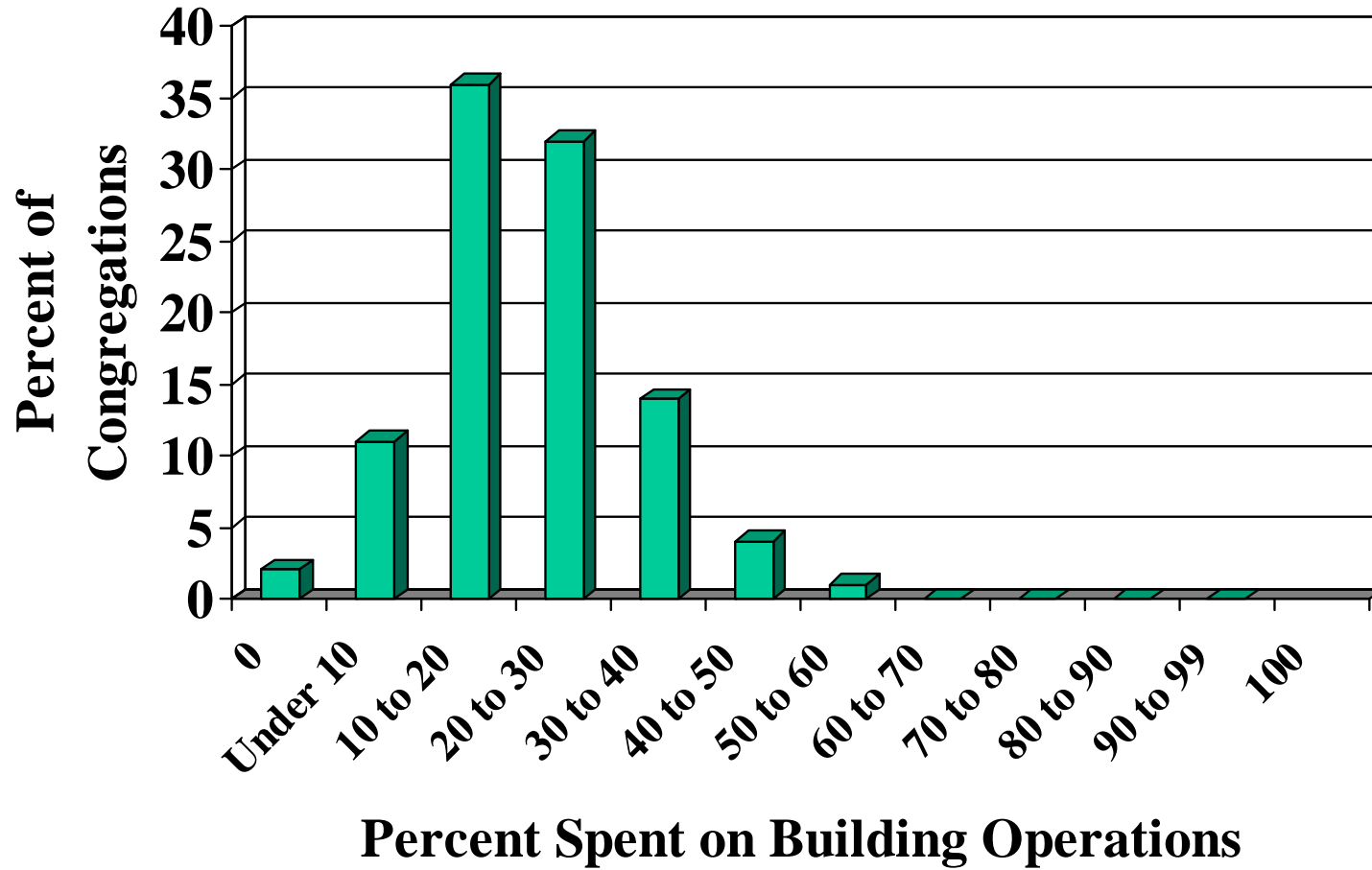
Size of 2010 Budget



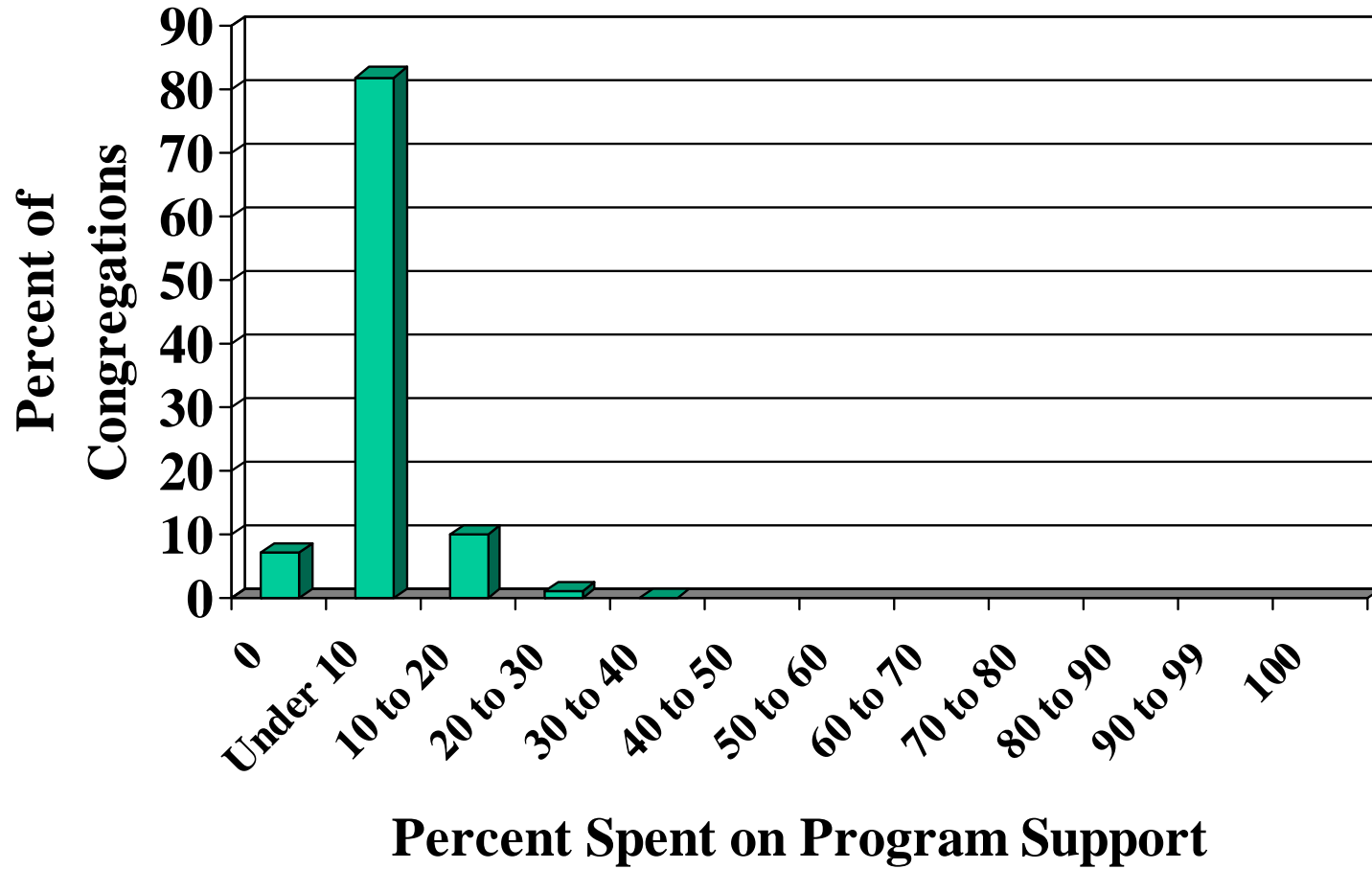
Percent of the Budget Spent on Staff



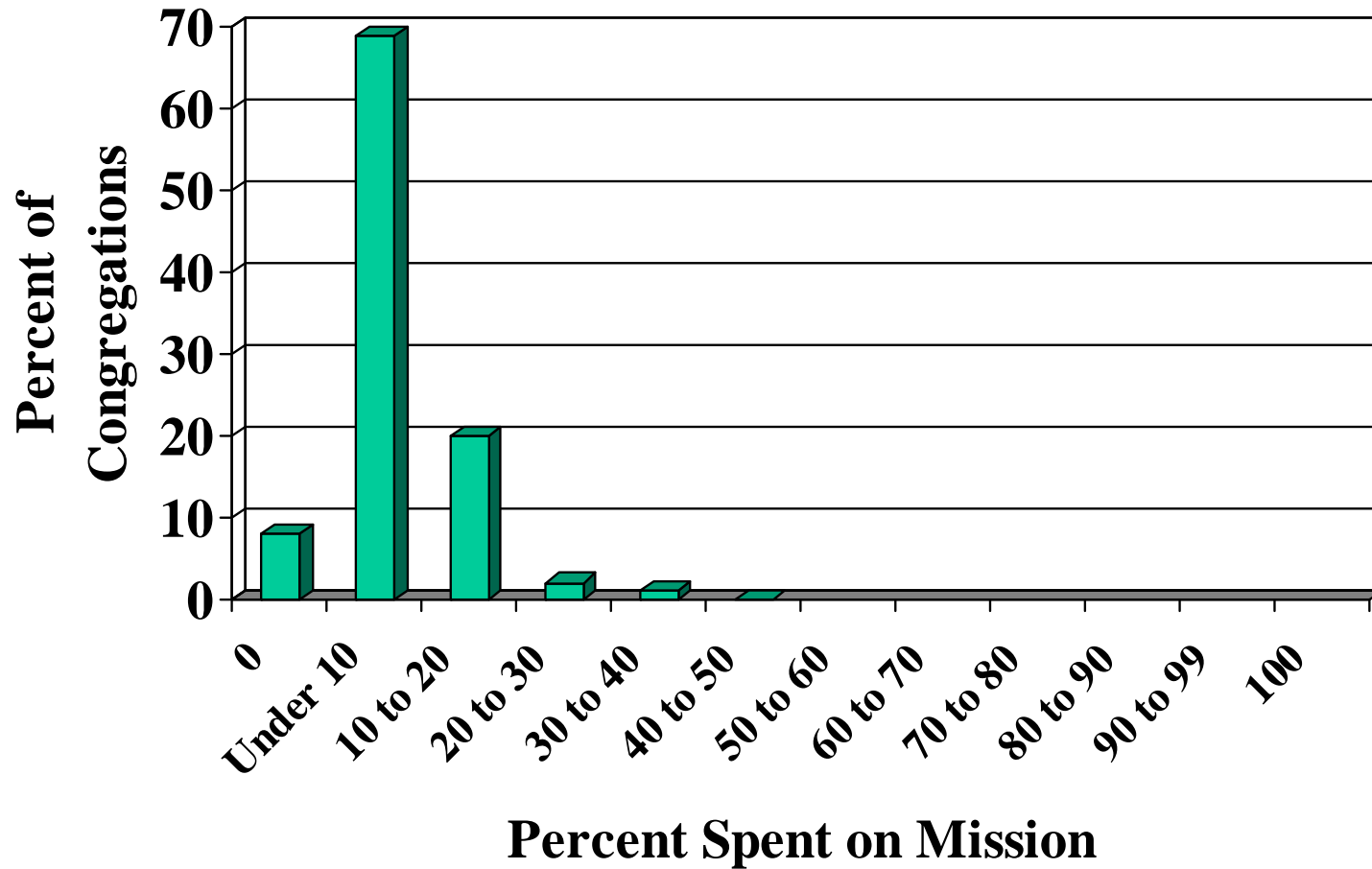
Percent of the Budget Spent on Building Operations



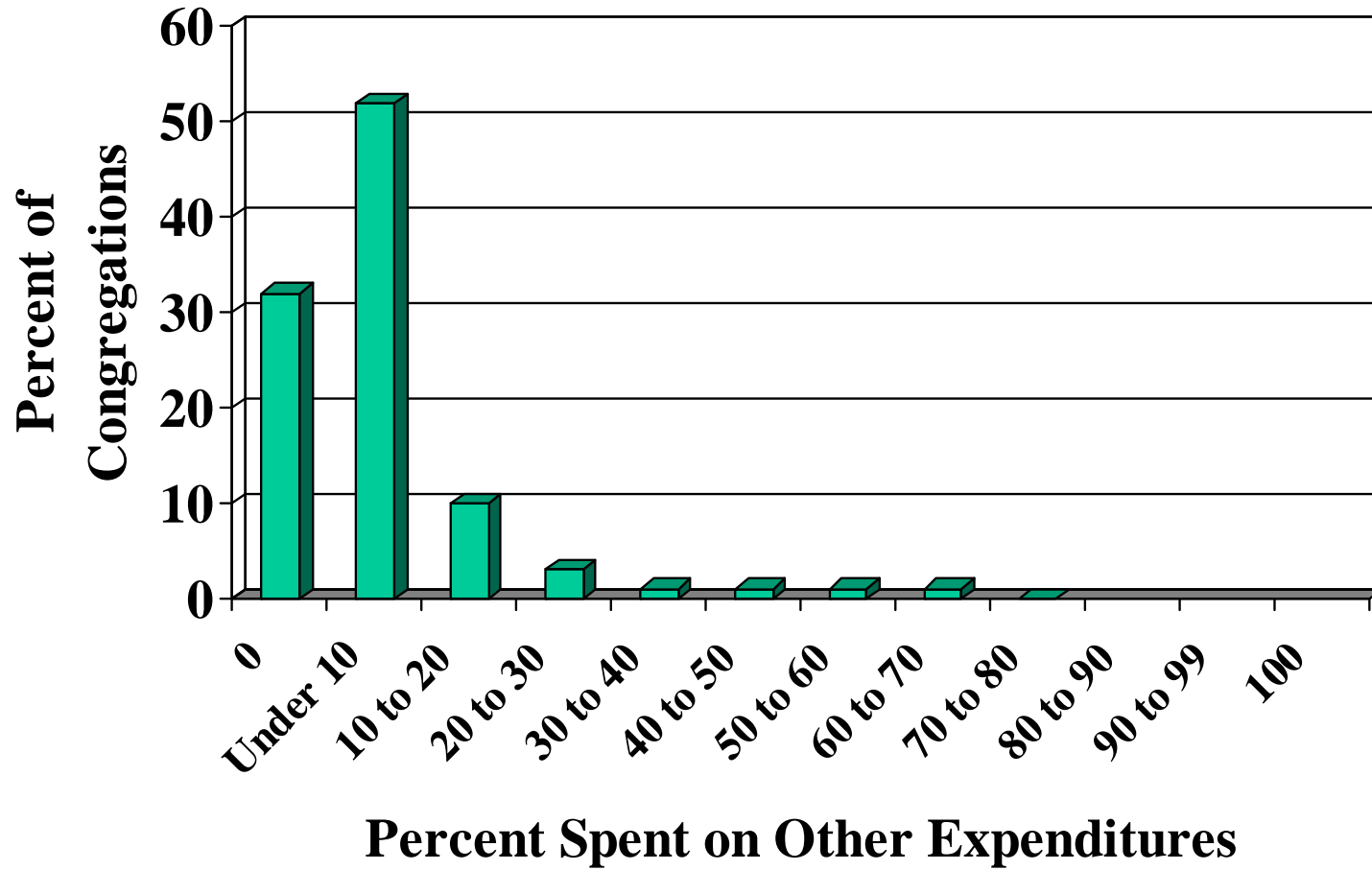
Percent of the Budget Spent on Program Support and Materials



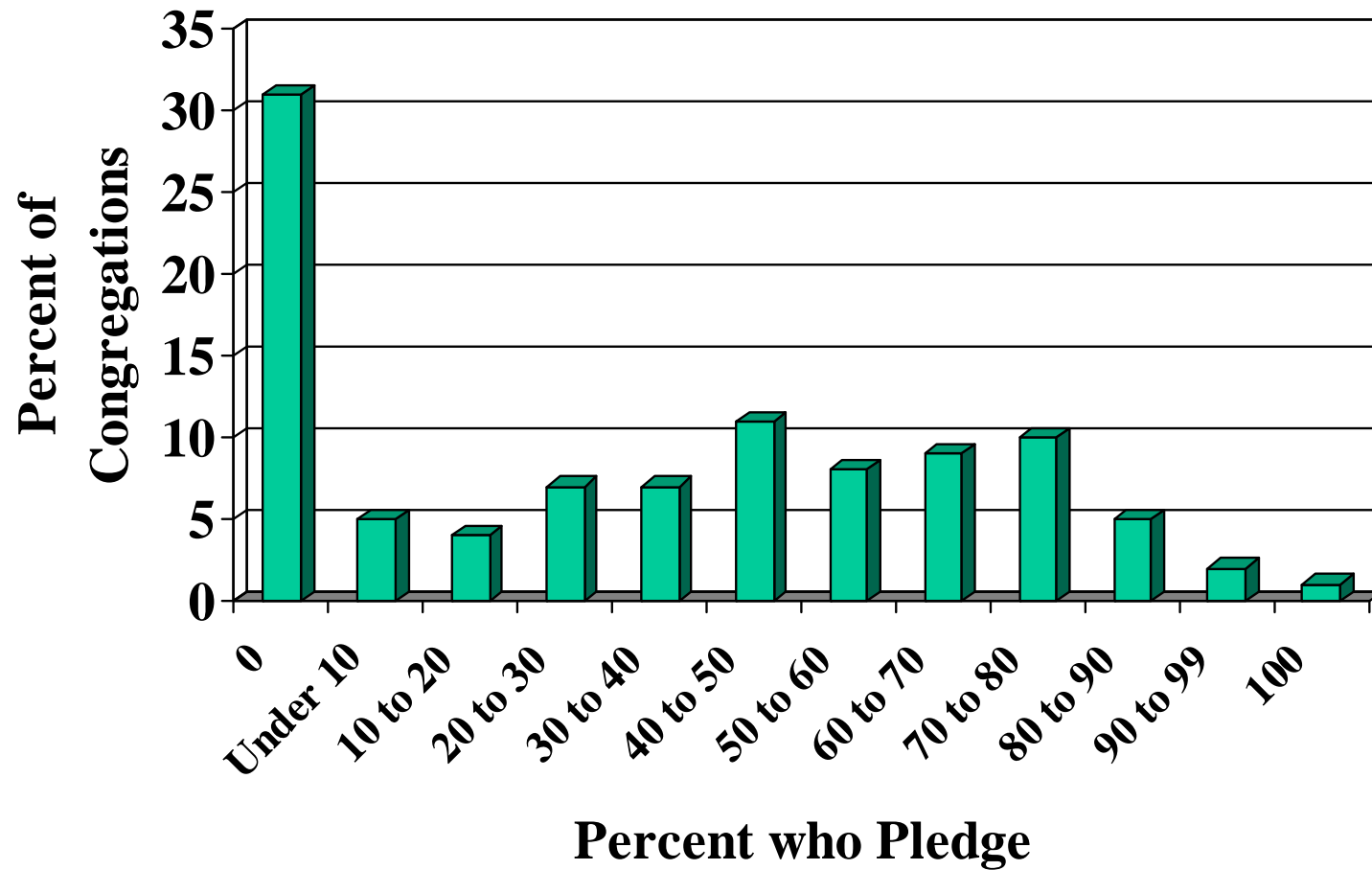
Percent of the Budget Spent on Mission



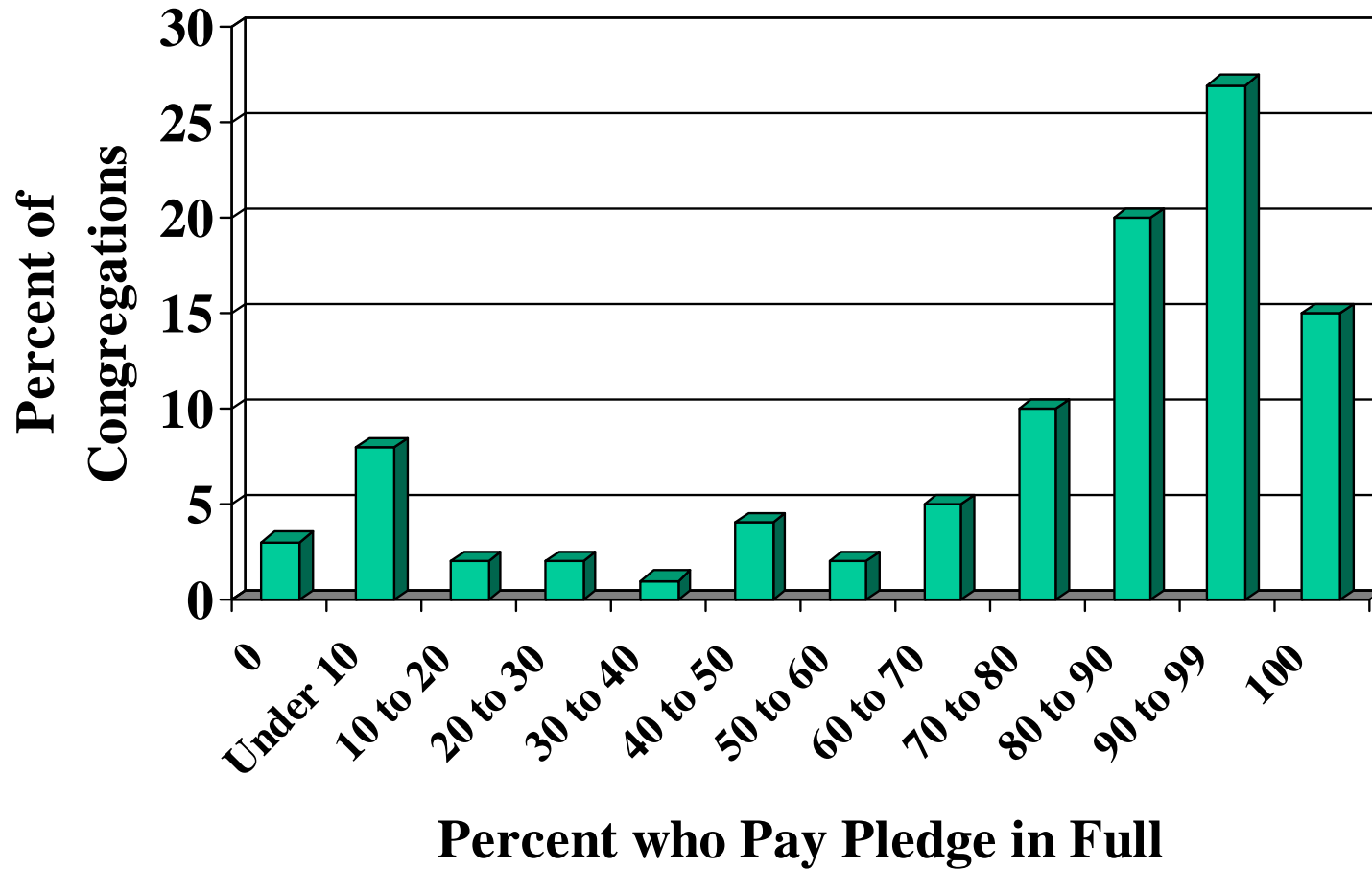
Percent of the Budget Spent on Other Expenditures



Percent of the Congregation who Pledge



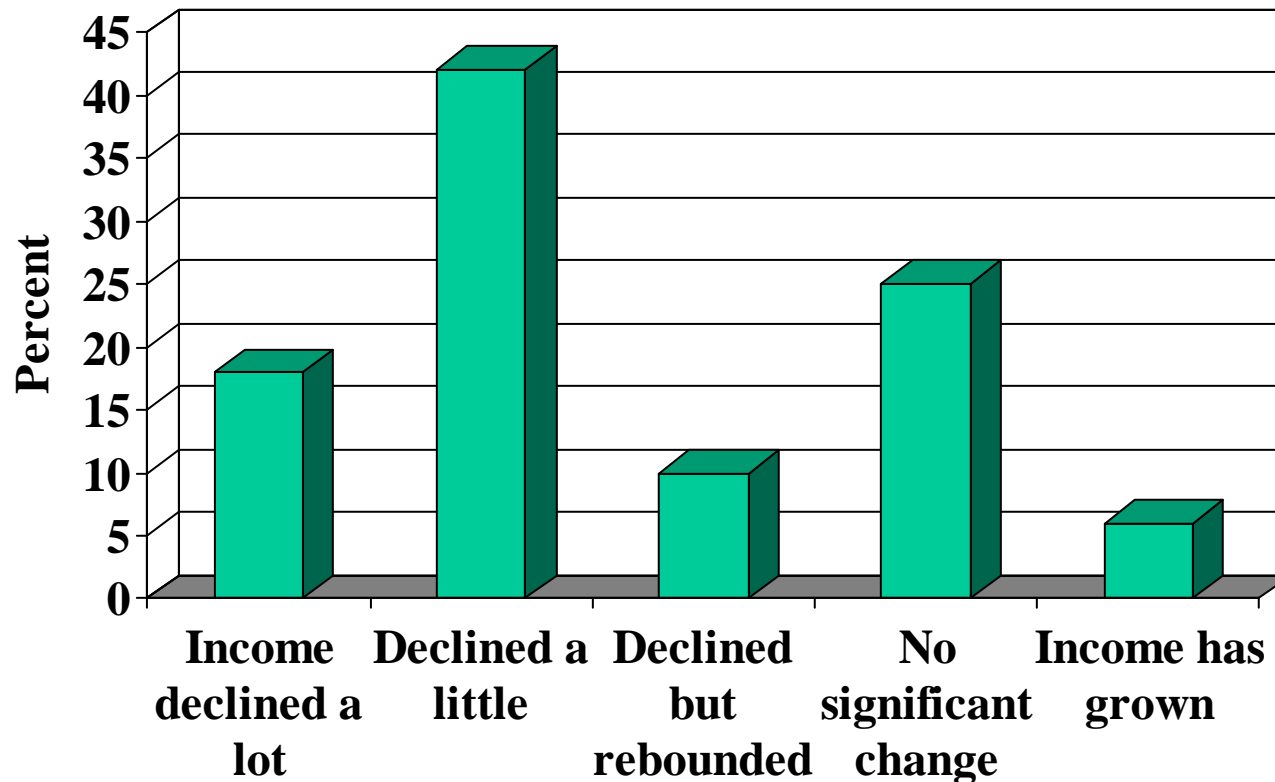
Percent of the Congregation who Pay Pledges in Full (of Pledgers)



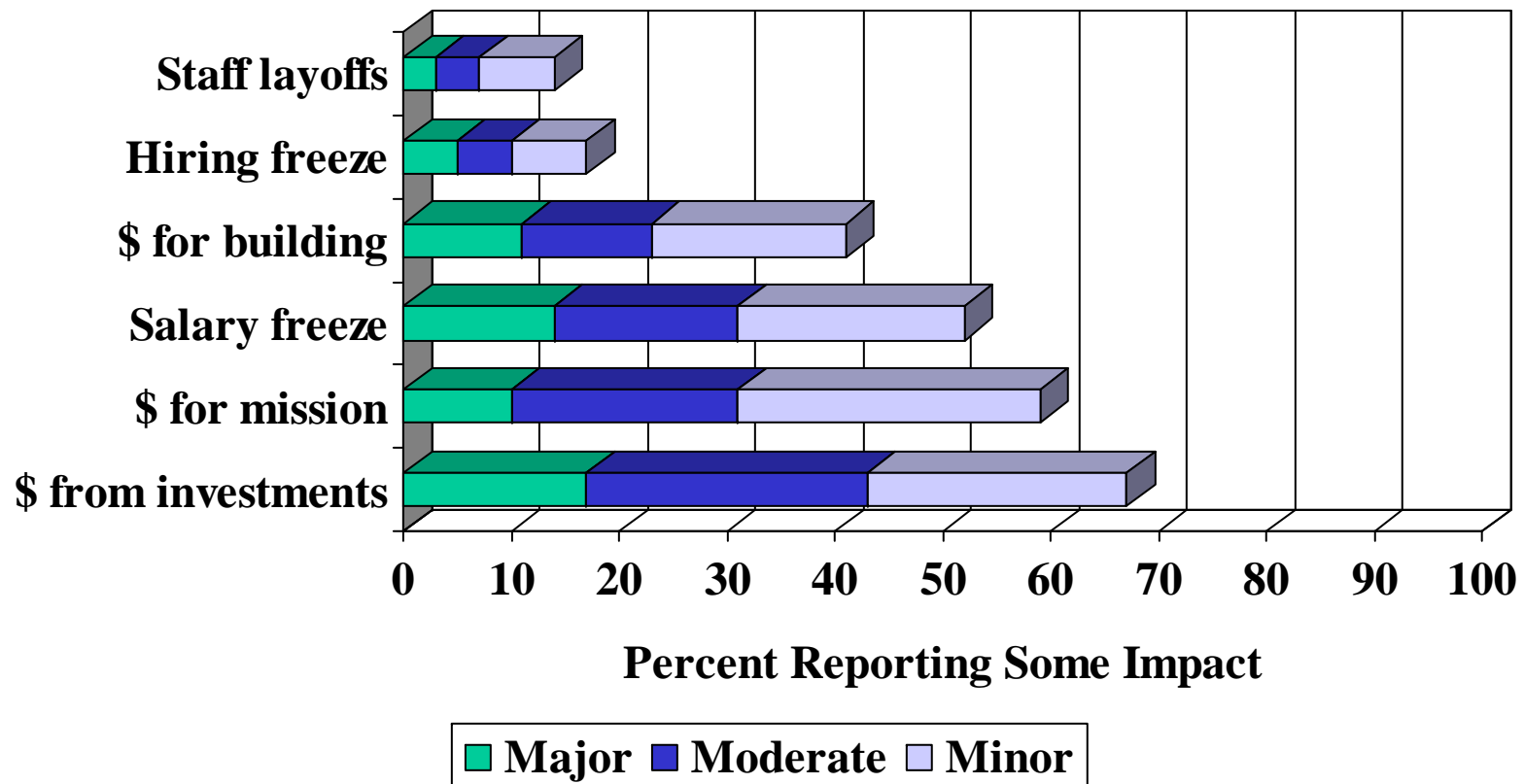
Change in Financial Health, 2005-2010



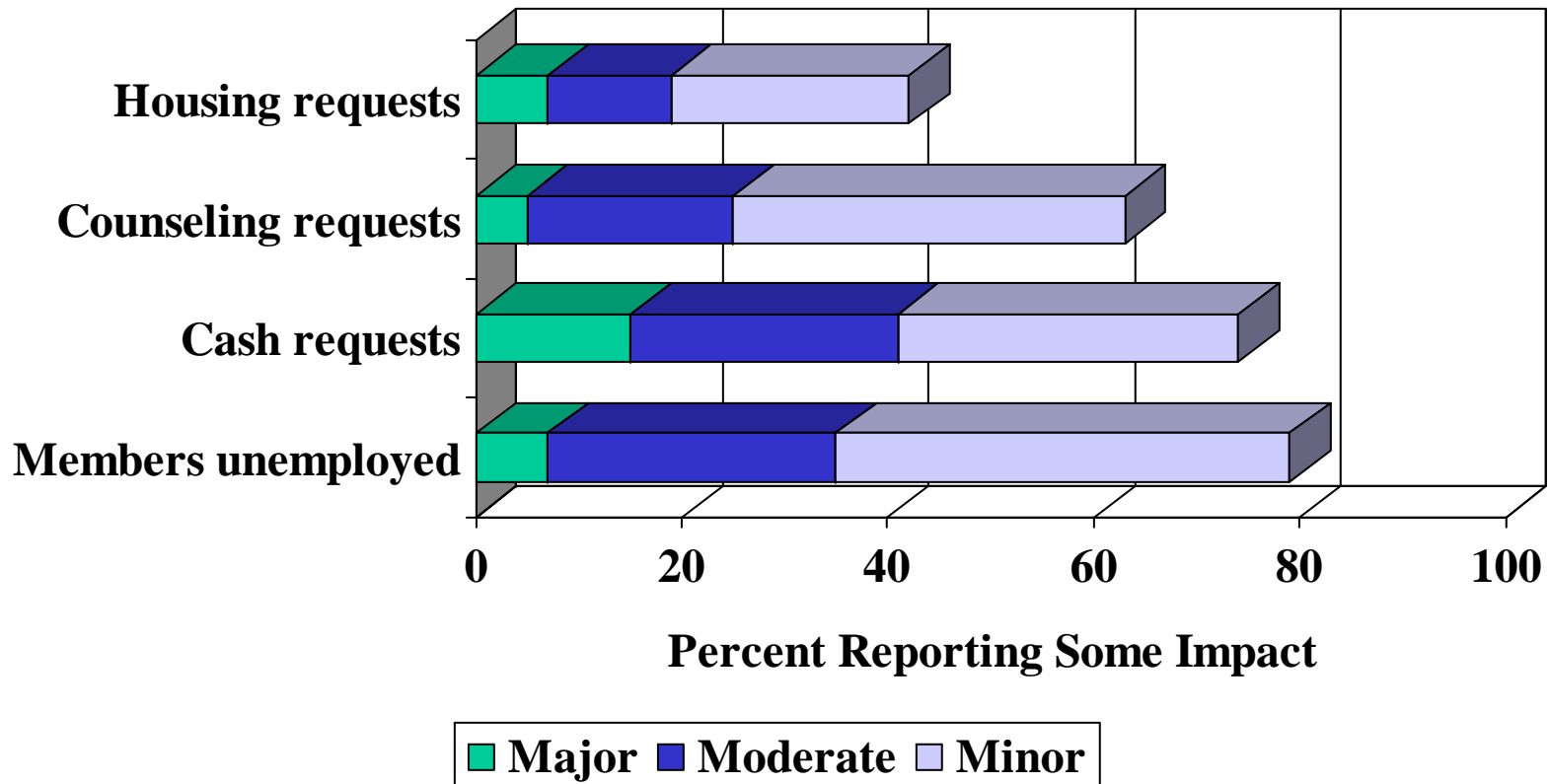
Impact of 2008-09 Economic Crisis



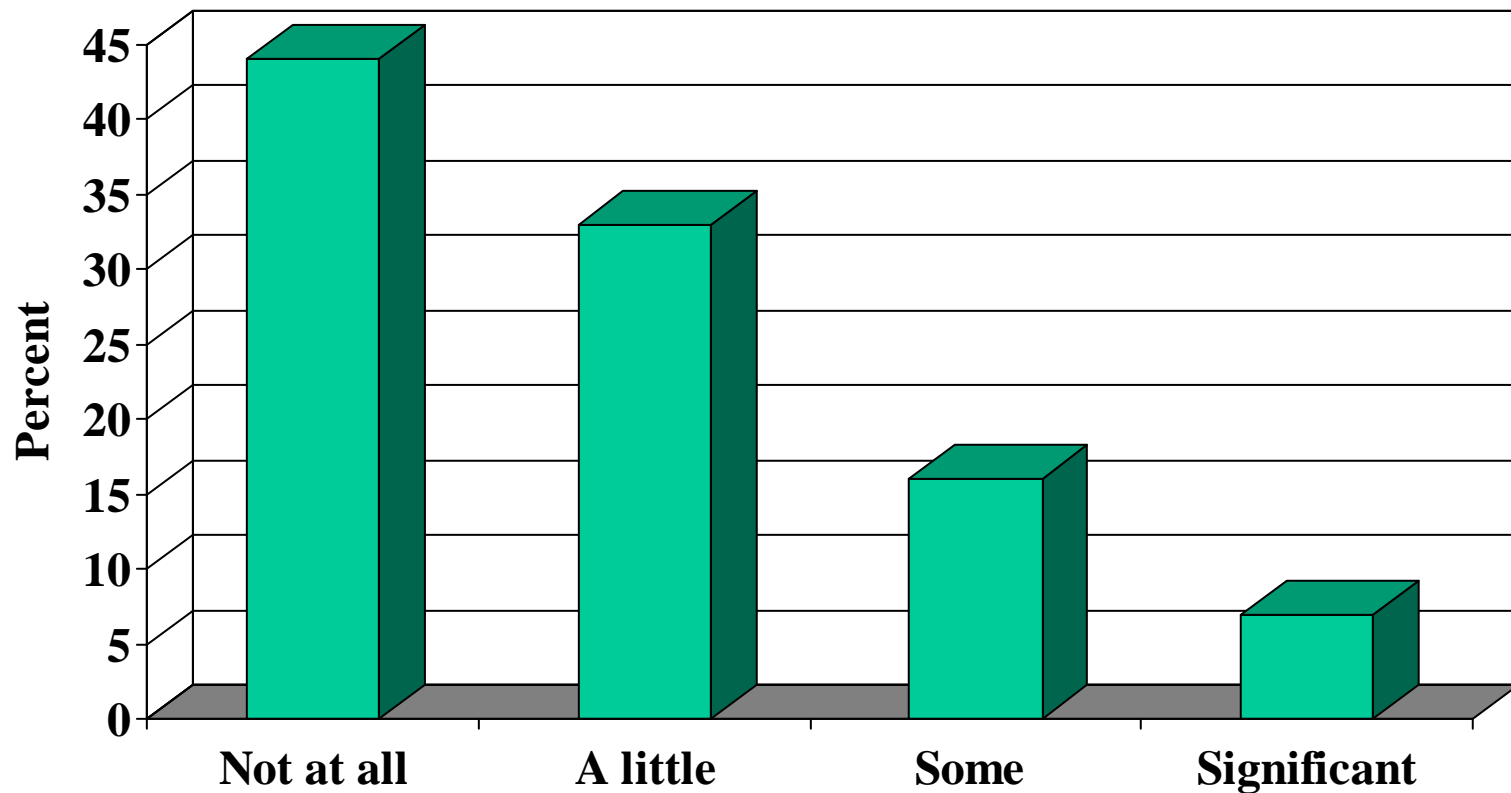
Ways the Economic Crisis Impacted Congregations



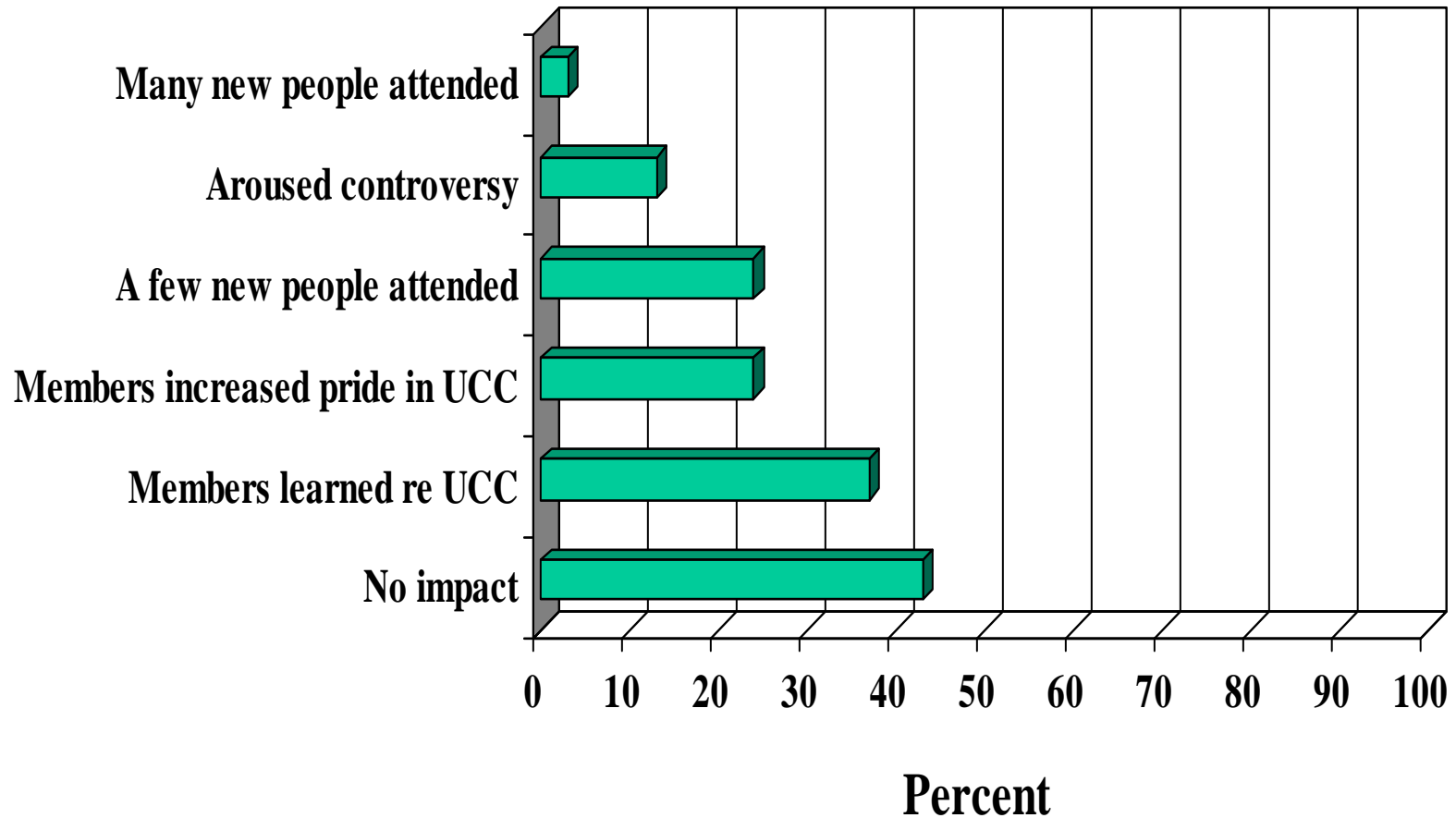
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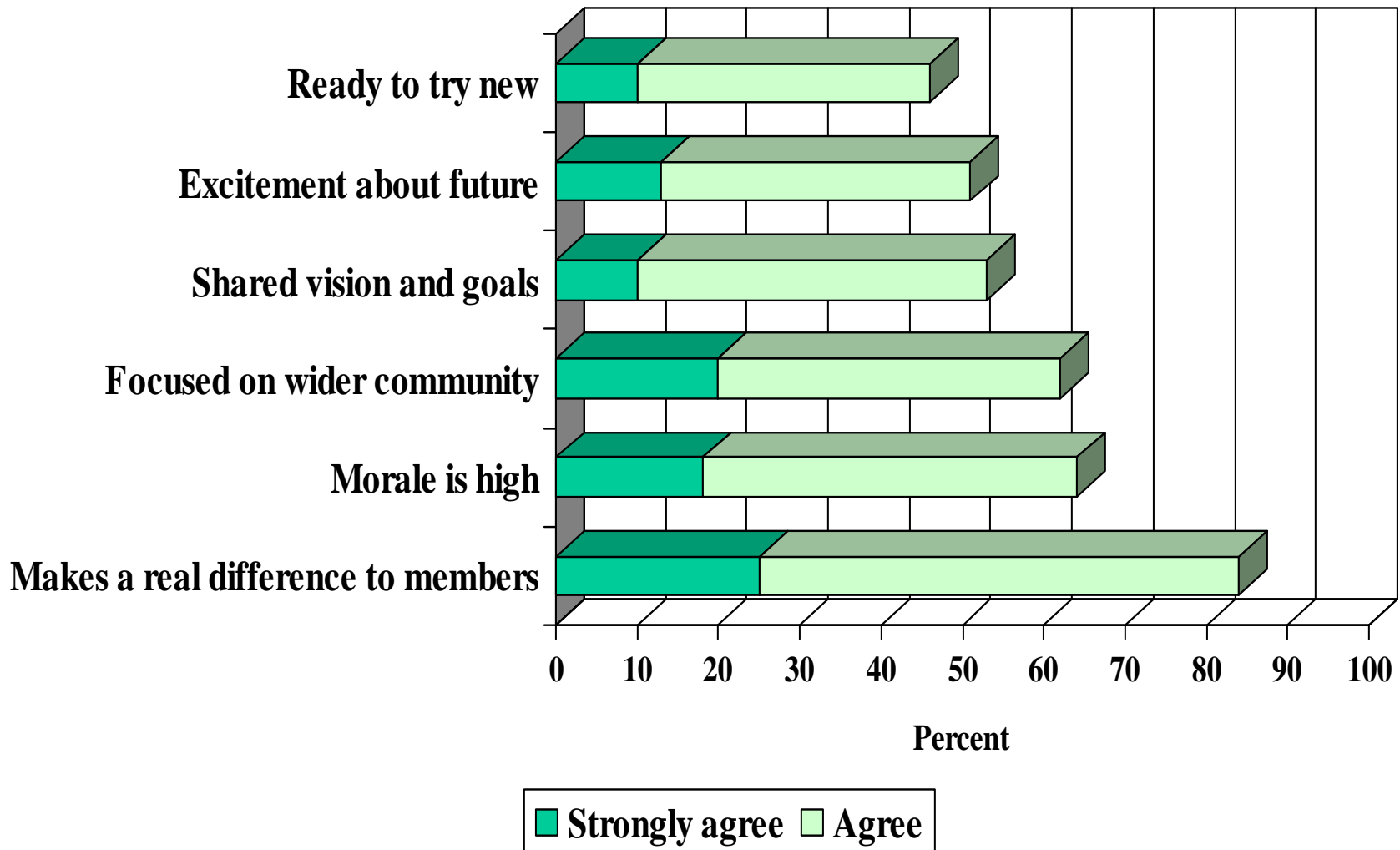
Participation in Vitality Training



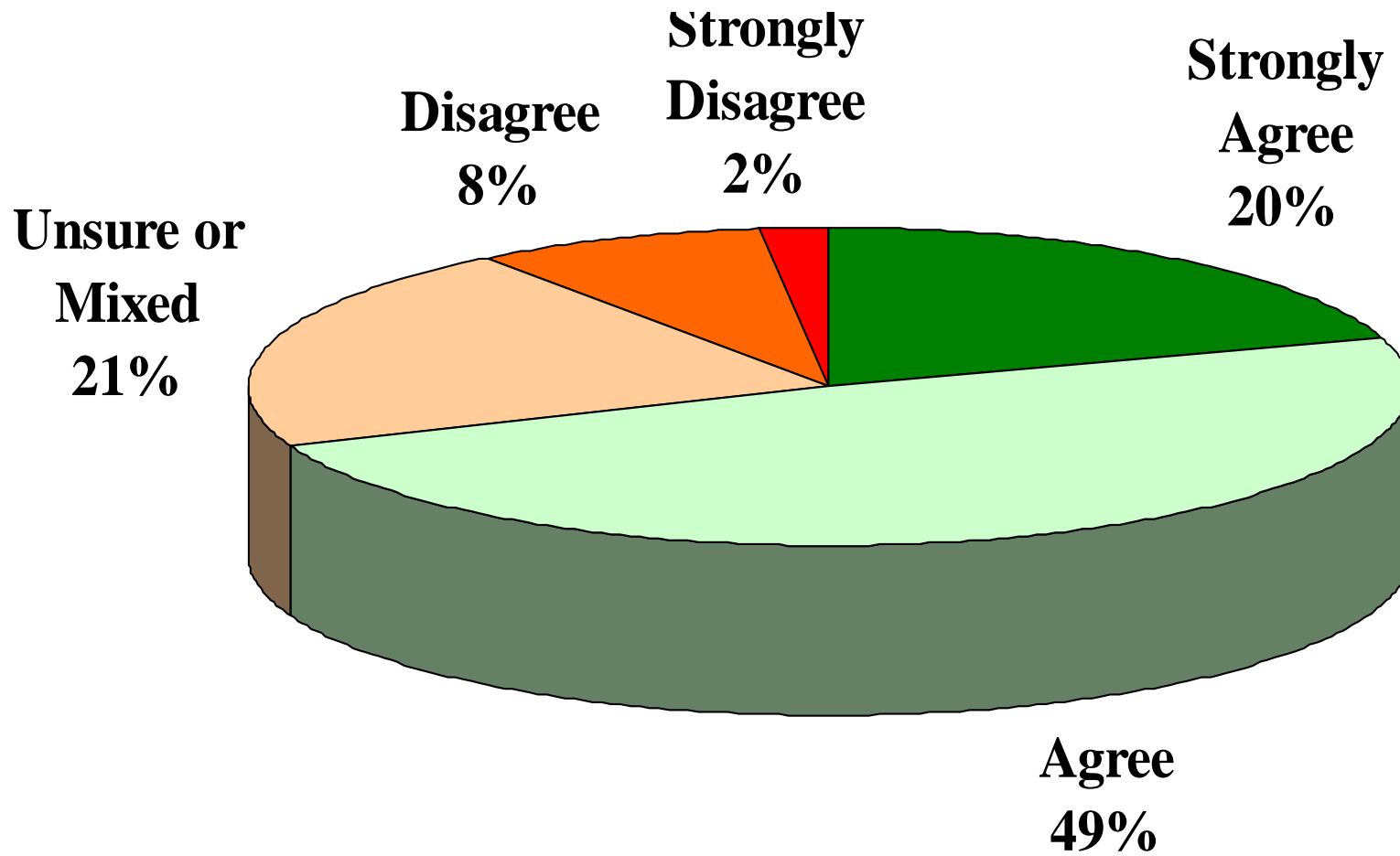
Impact of Still-Speaking



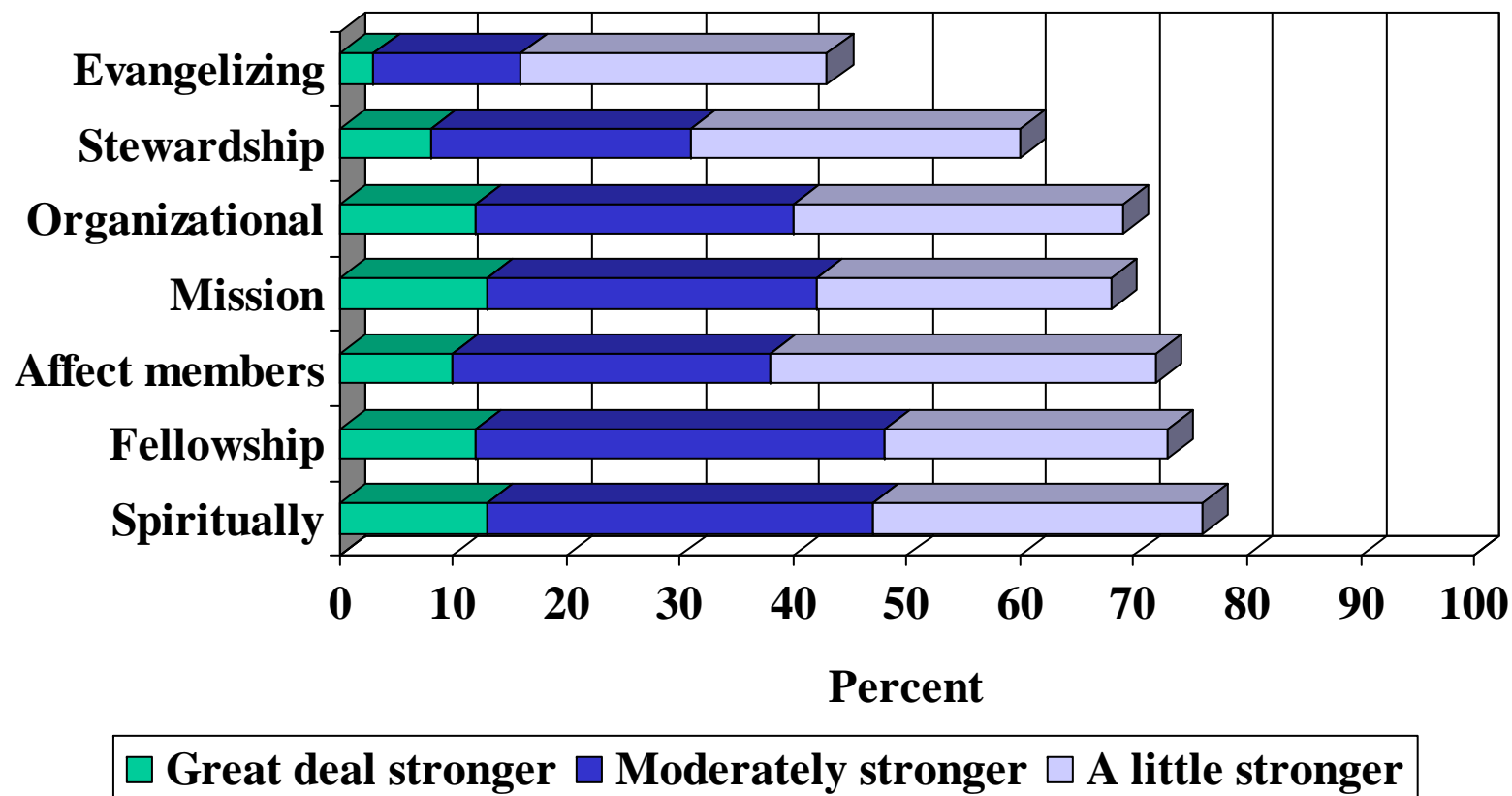
Agreement with Vitality Components



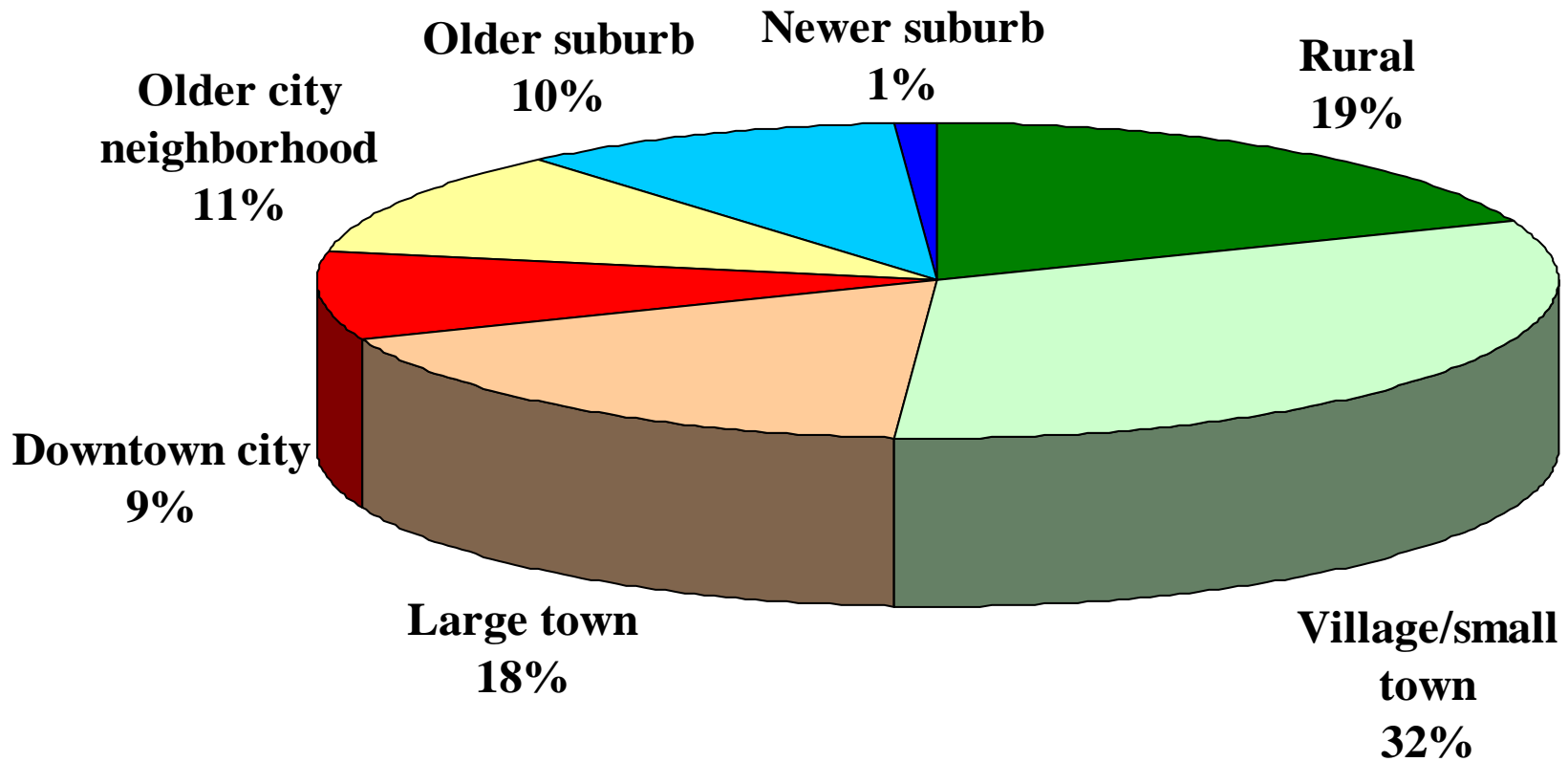
Agreement with “Our congregation is a vital congregation.”



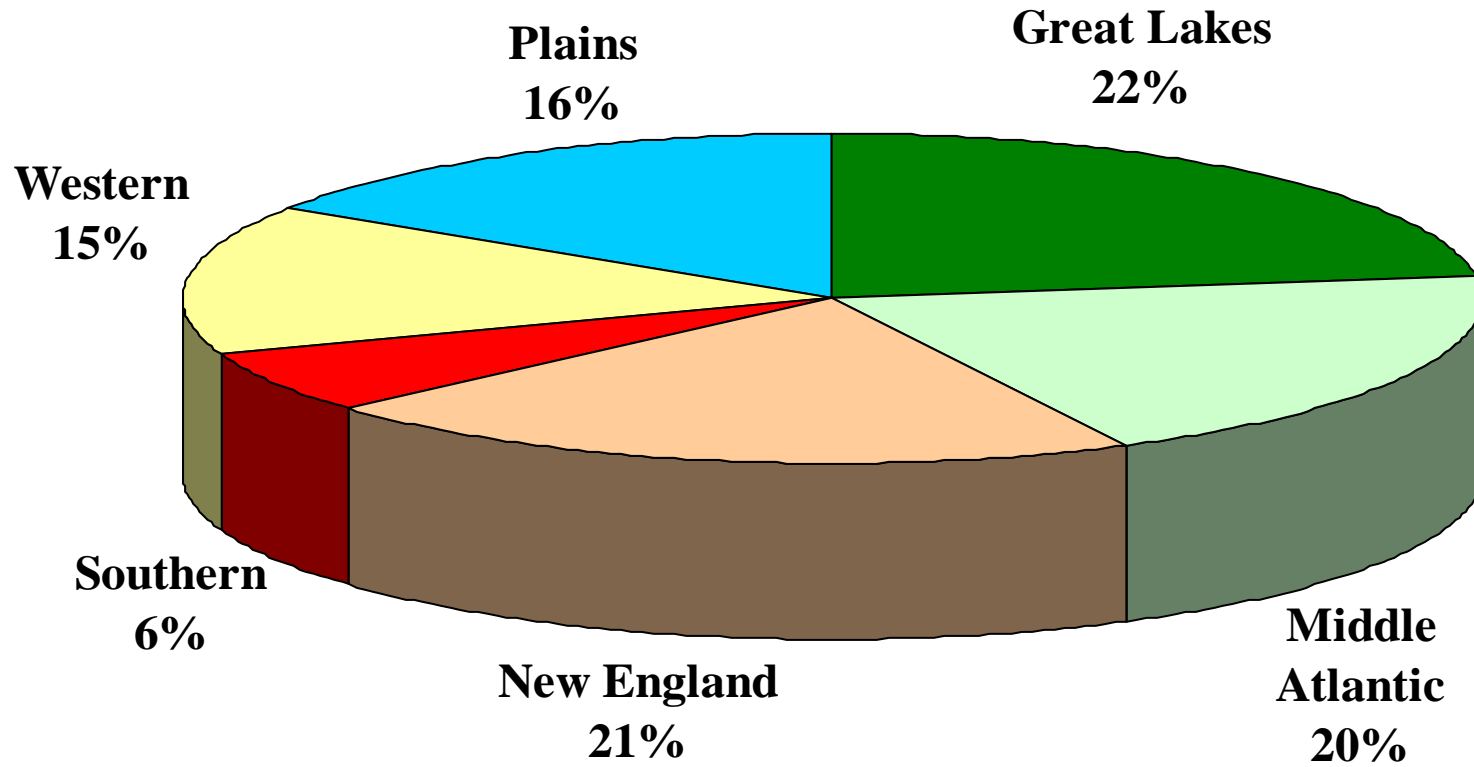
Ways the Congregation Changed in Last 5 Years



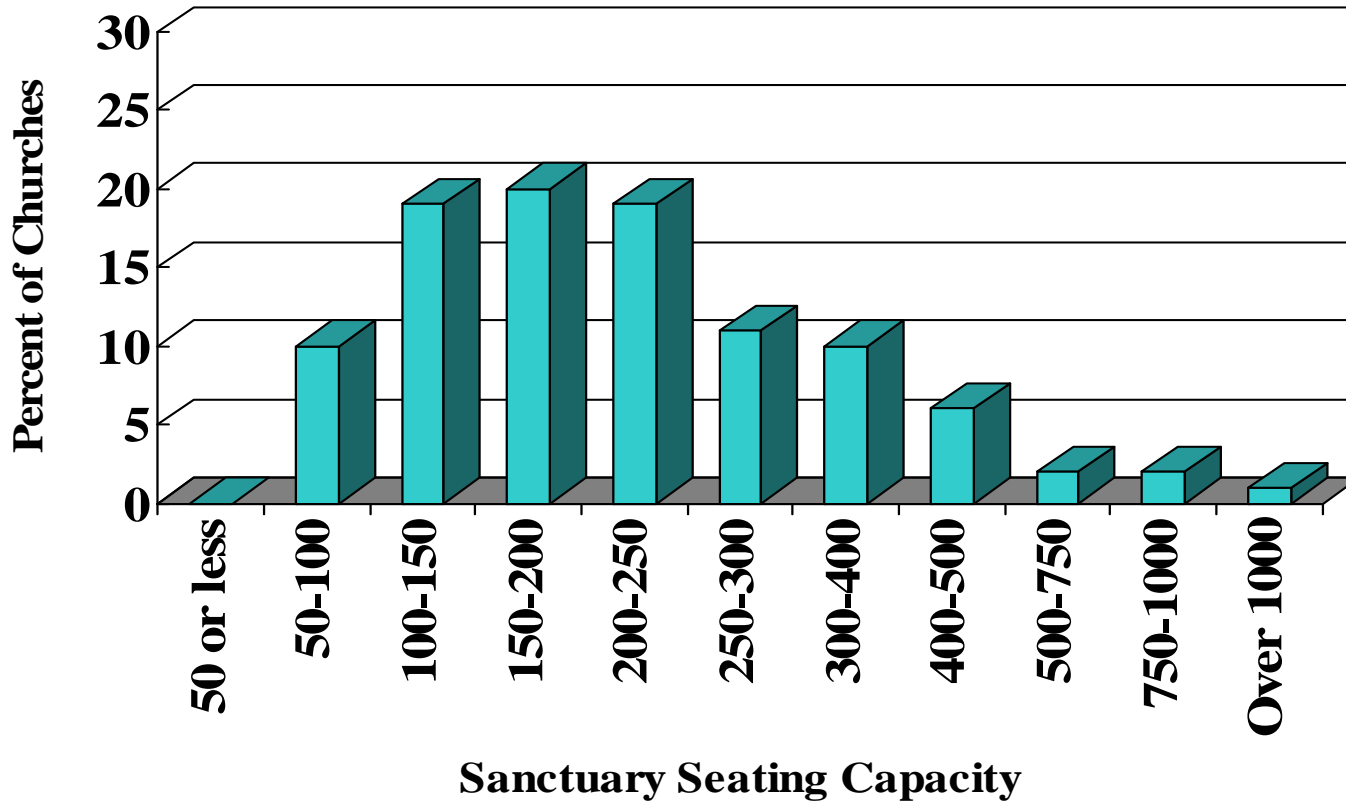
Location of Church



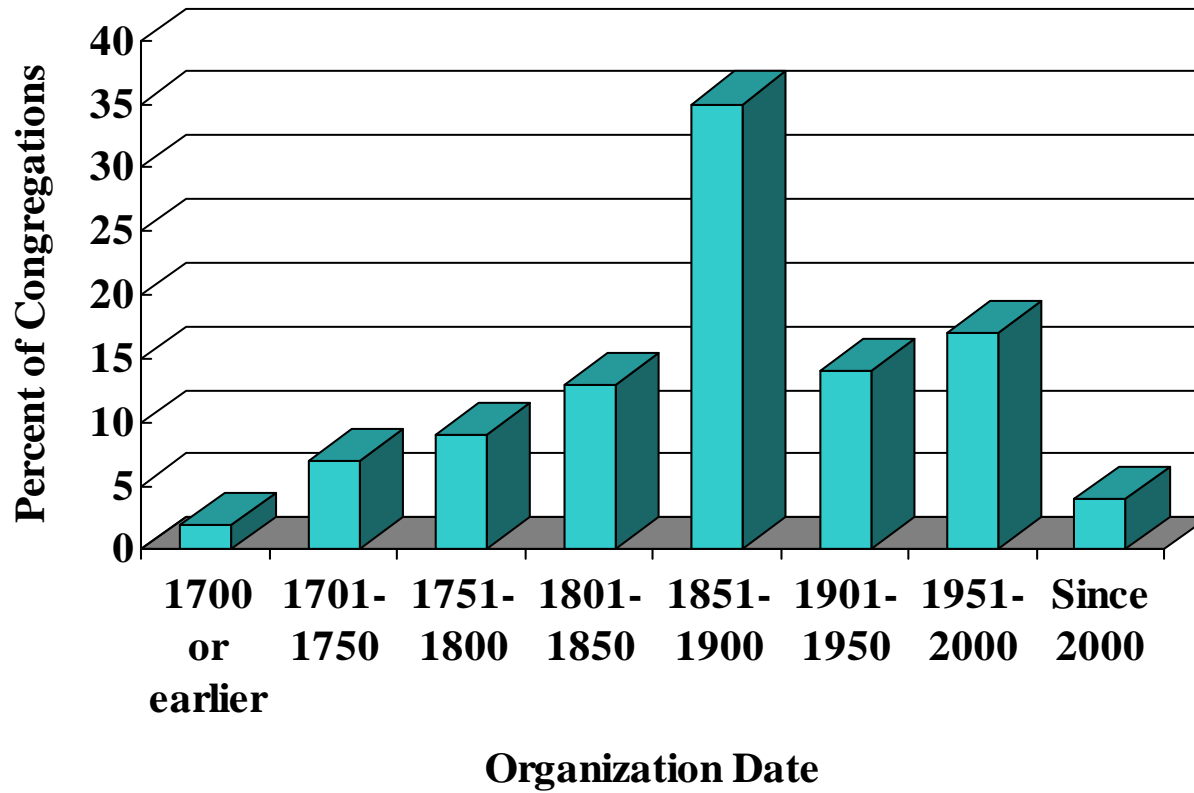
UCC Region



Sanctuary Seating Capacity



Year Organized



Building Adequacy

