

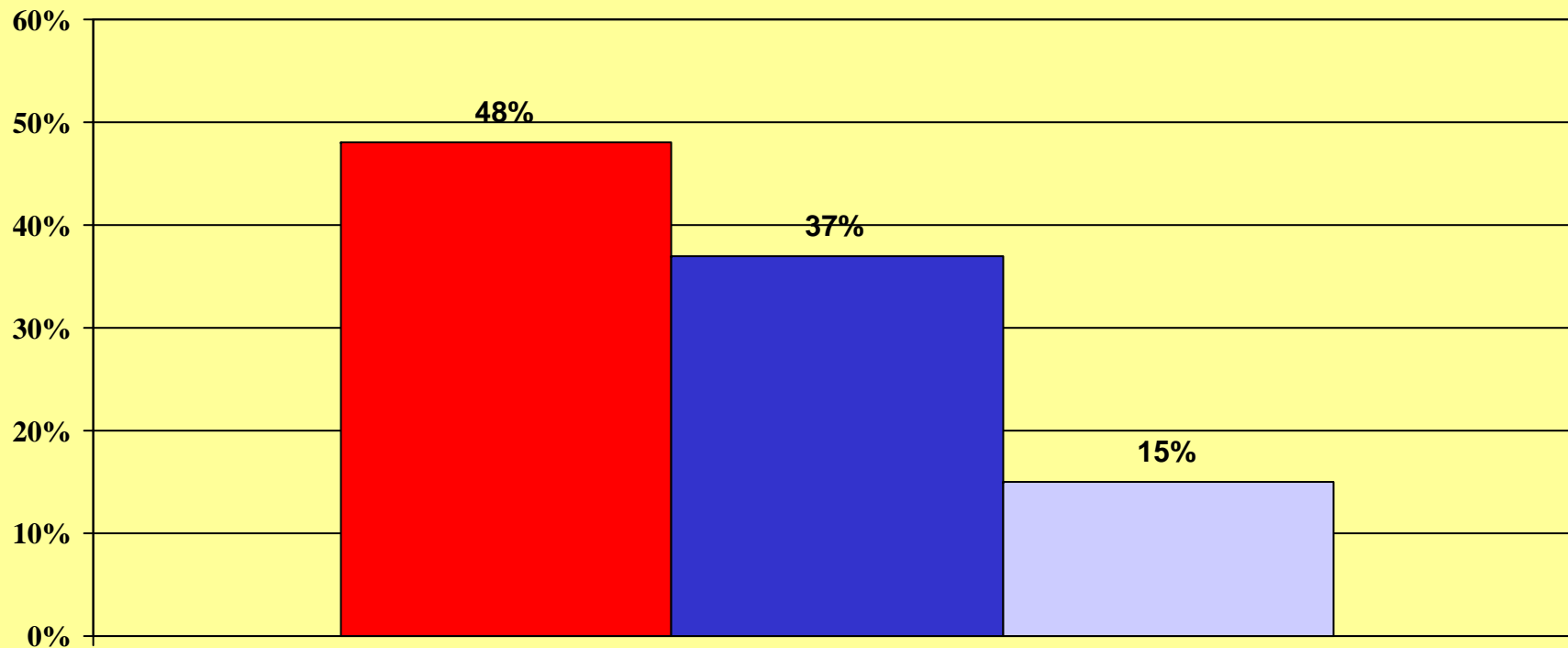
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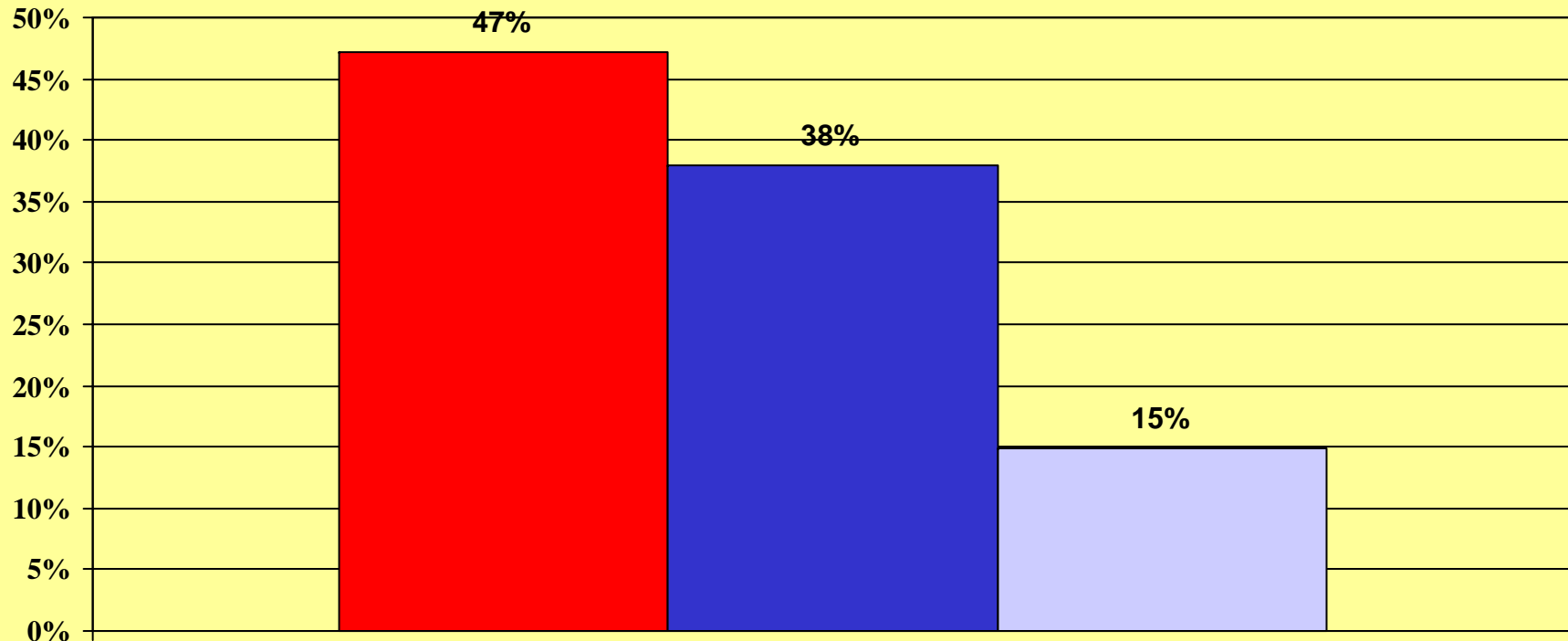


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■ Democrat ■ Republican ■ Other

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Do you feel things in North Carolina are generally headed in the right direction or have gotten off on the wrong track?

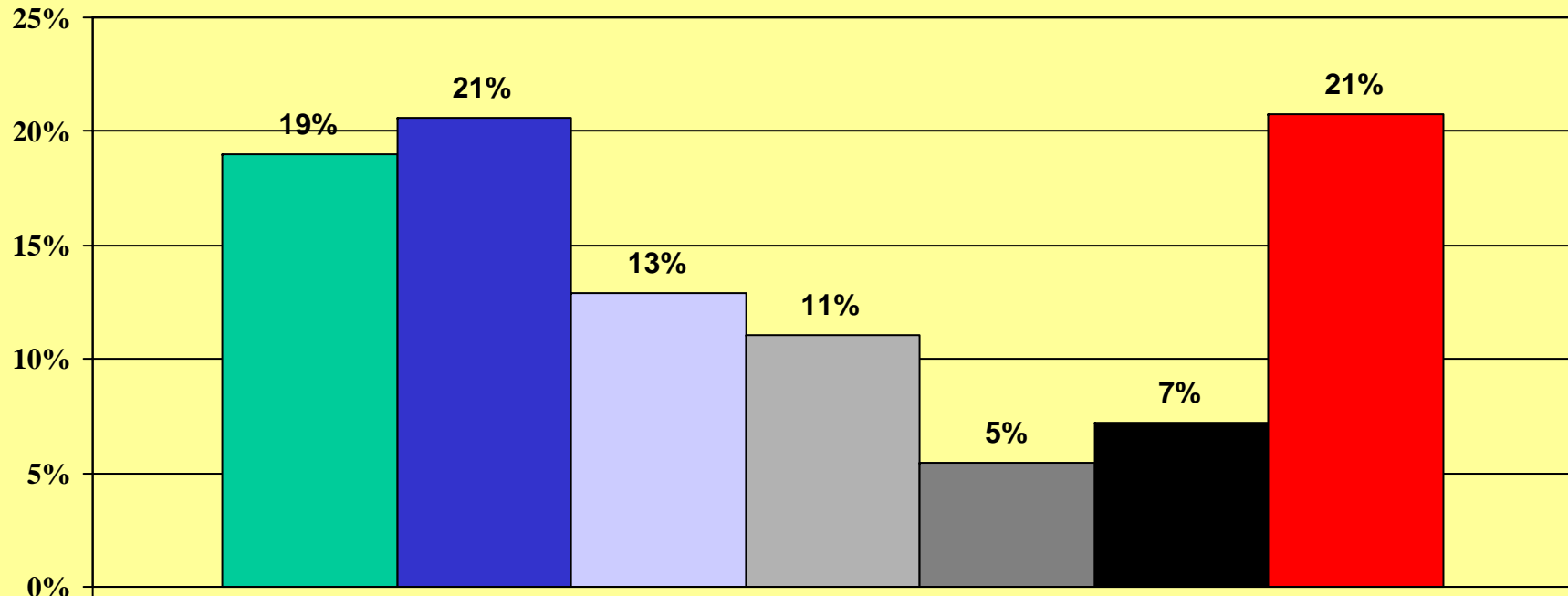


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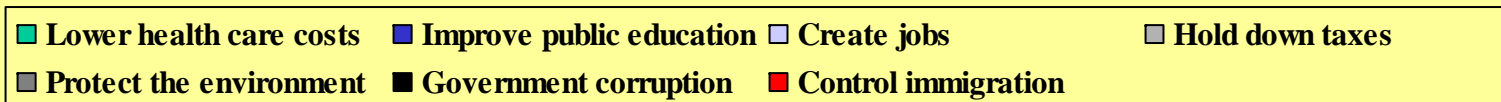
■ Right direction ■ Wrong track ■ Not sure

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Which of the following issues or programs needs the most attention from State Government:

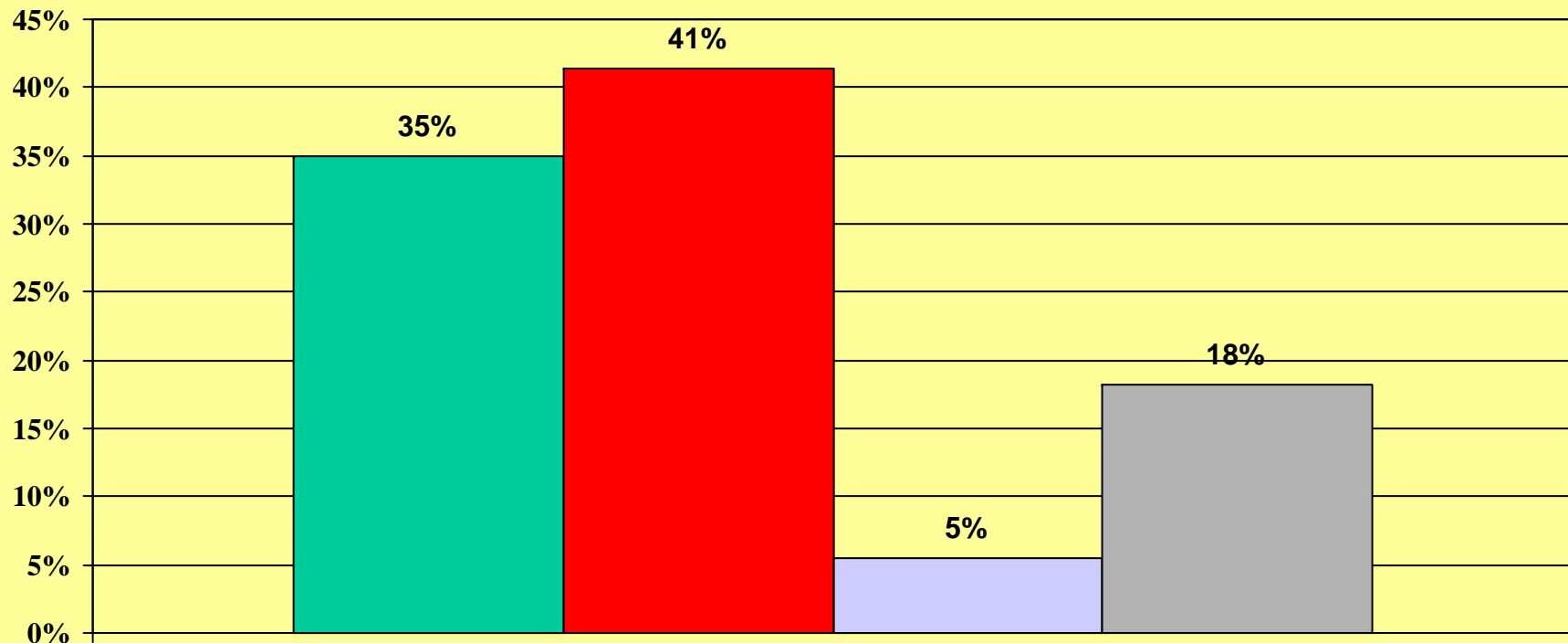


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If the election for State Legislature were held today, would you be voting:

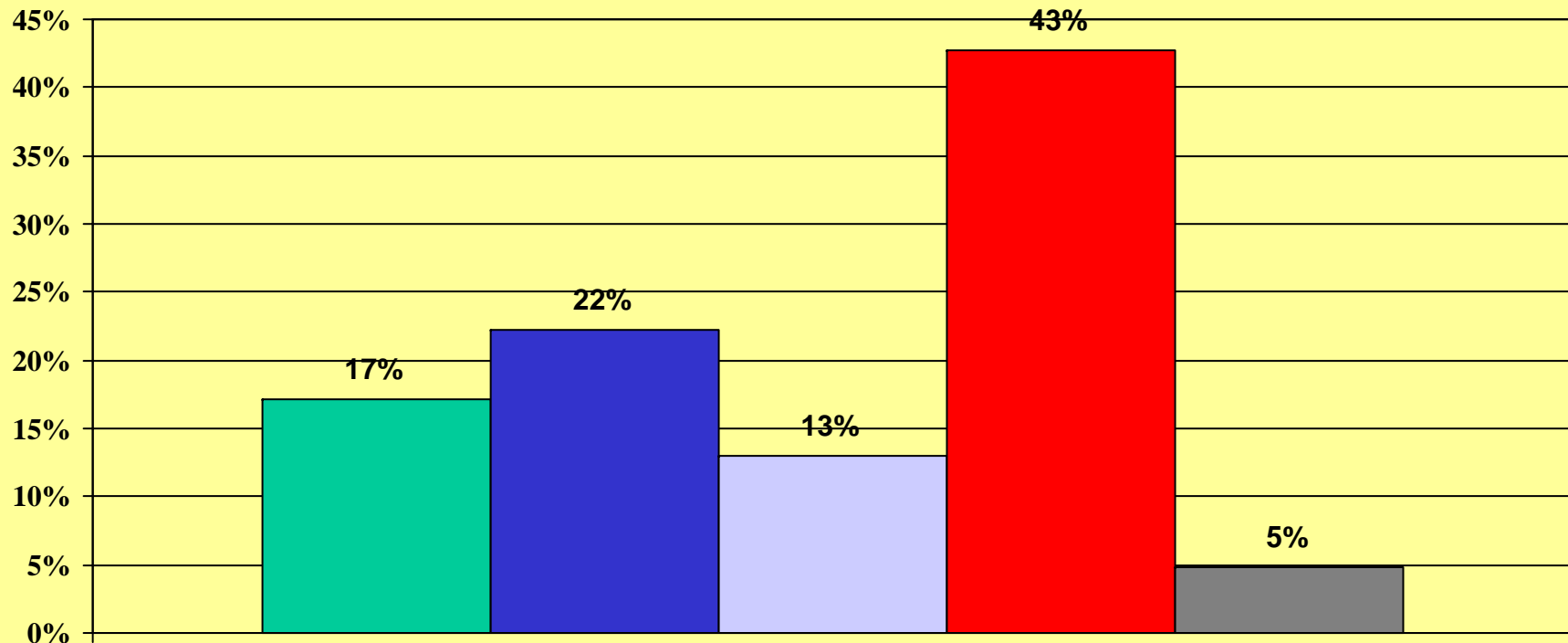


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■ Republican ■ Democratic ■ Neither ■ Not sure

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Thinking about national issues, do you approve or disapprove of the job George W. Bush is doing as President?

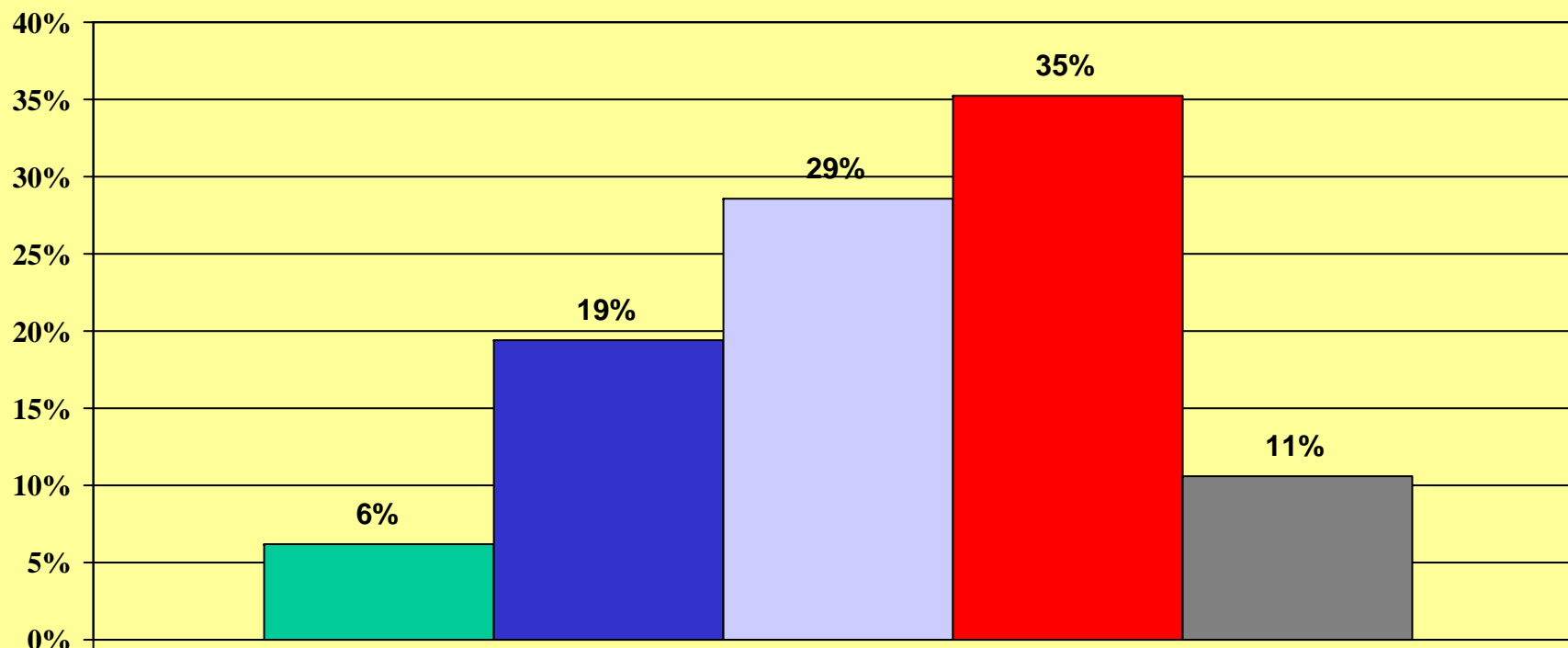


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Strongly approve Somewhat approve Somewhat disapprove Strongly disapprove NOT SURE

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Do you approve or disapprove of the job Congress is doing?

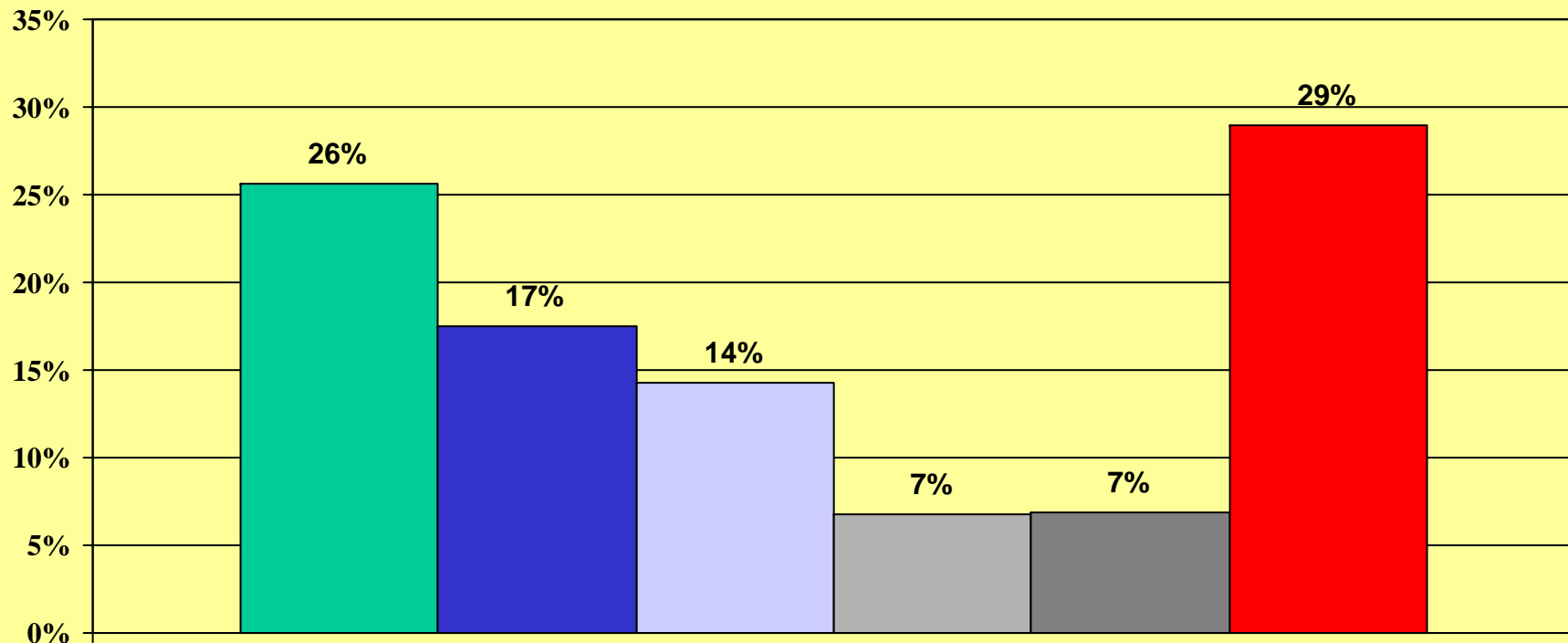


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Strongly approve Somewhat approve Somewhat disapprove Strongly disapprove Not sure

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If the 2008 Democratic primary election for President were held today, which of the following Democrats would you vote for:

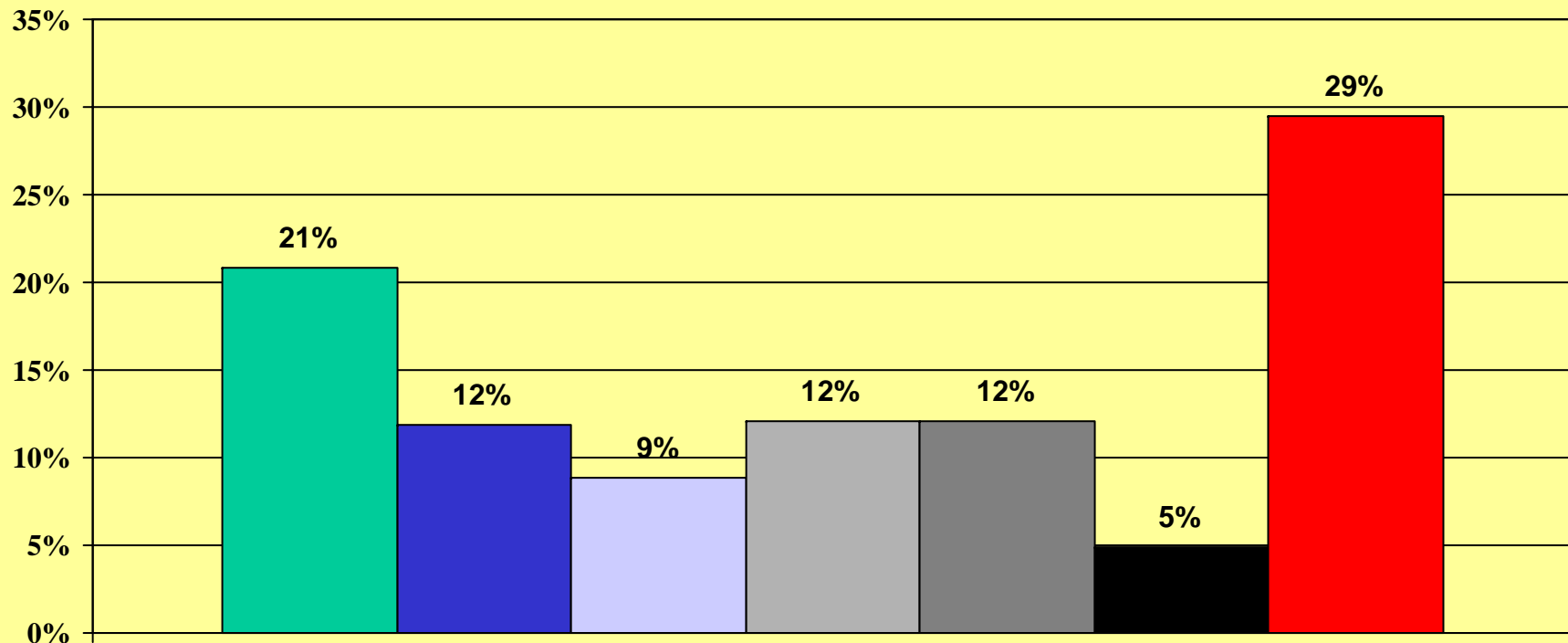


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■ Hillary Clinton ■ John Edwards ■ Barack Obama ■ Bill Richardson ■ None mentioned ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 Republican primary election for President were held today, which of the following Republicans would you vote for:

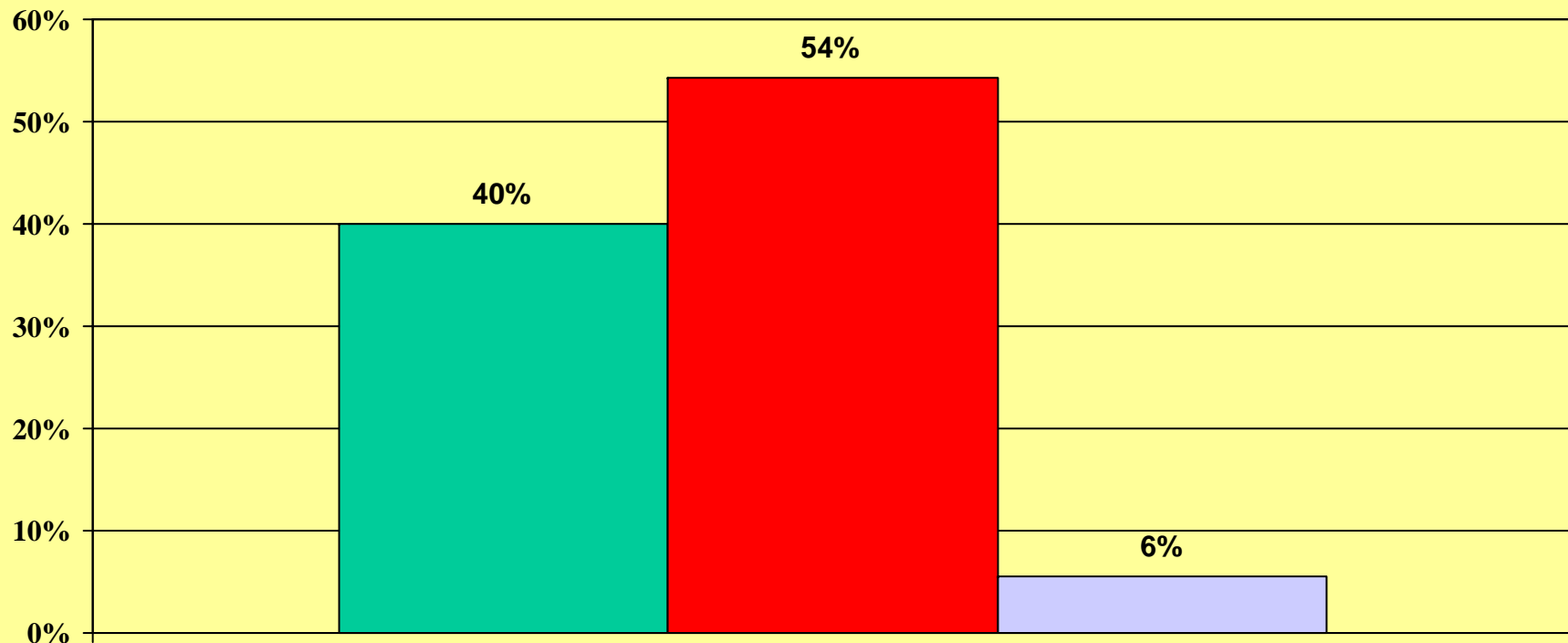


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■ Rudy Giuliani ■ John McCain ■ Mitt Romney ■ Fred Thompson ■ Mike Huckabee ■ None mentioned ■ Not sure

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Do you have a strong enough negative feeling about Hillary Clinton that you would not vote for her regardless of who the Republican candidate was?

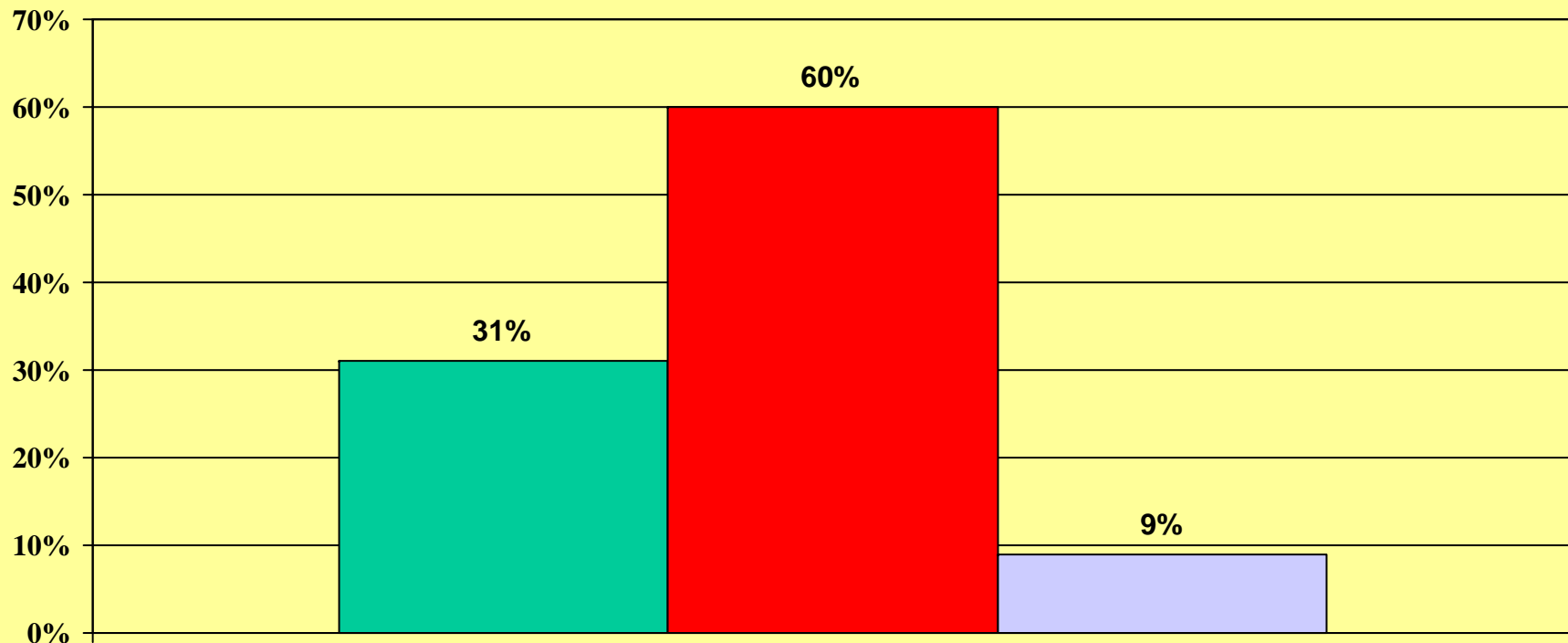


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Yes No Not sure

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Do you think Hillary Clinton says what she believes most of the time, or does she say what she thinks you want to hear?

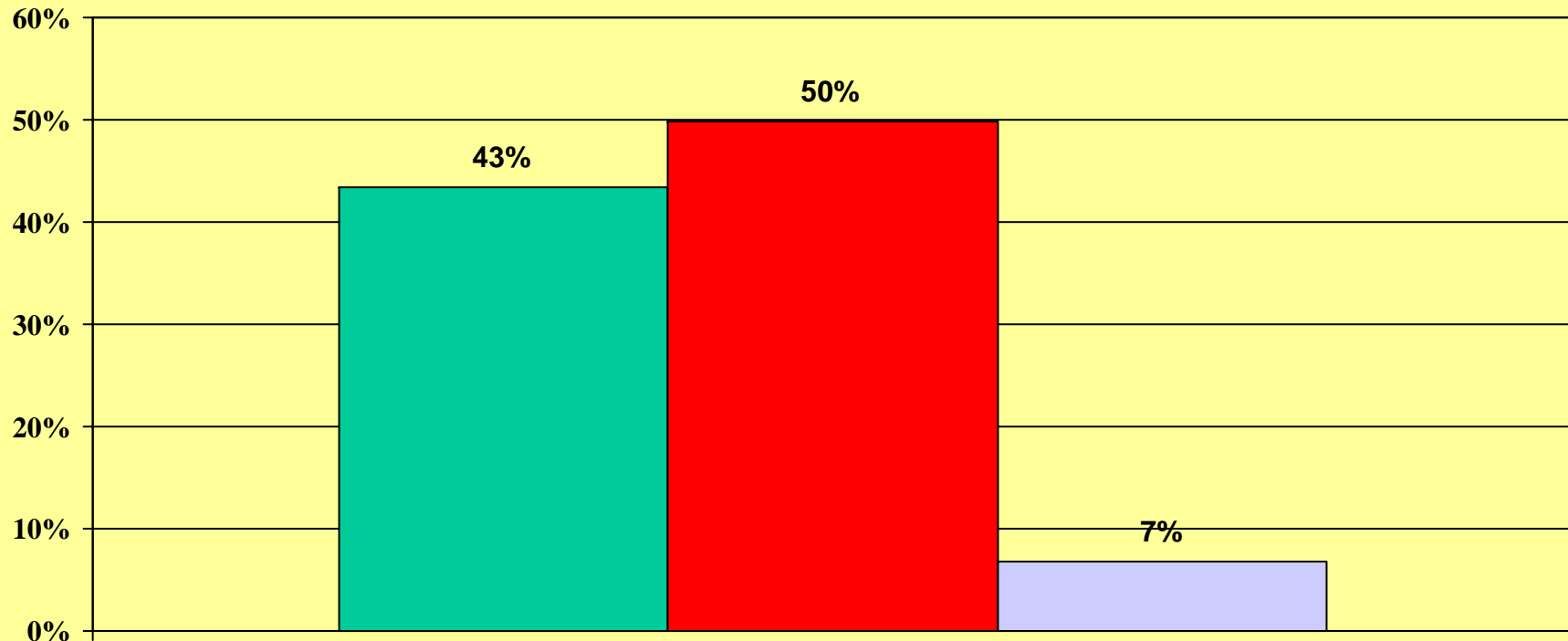


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■ What she believes ■ What you want to hear ■ Not sure

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Are social issues like abortion and same sex marriage so important to you that you could not vote for a Presidential candidate who did not share your views on these issues?

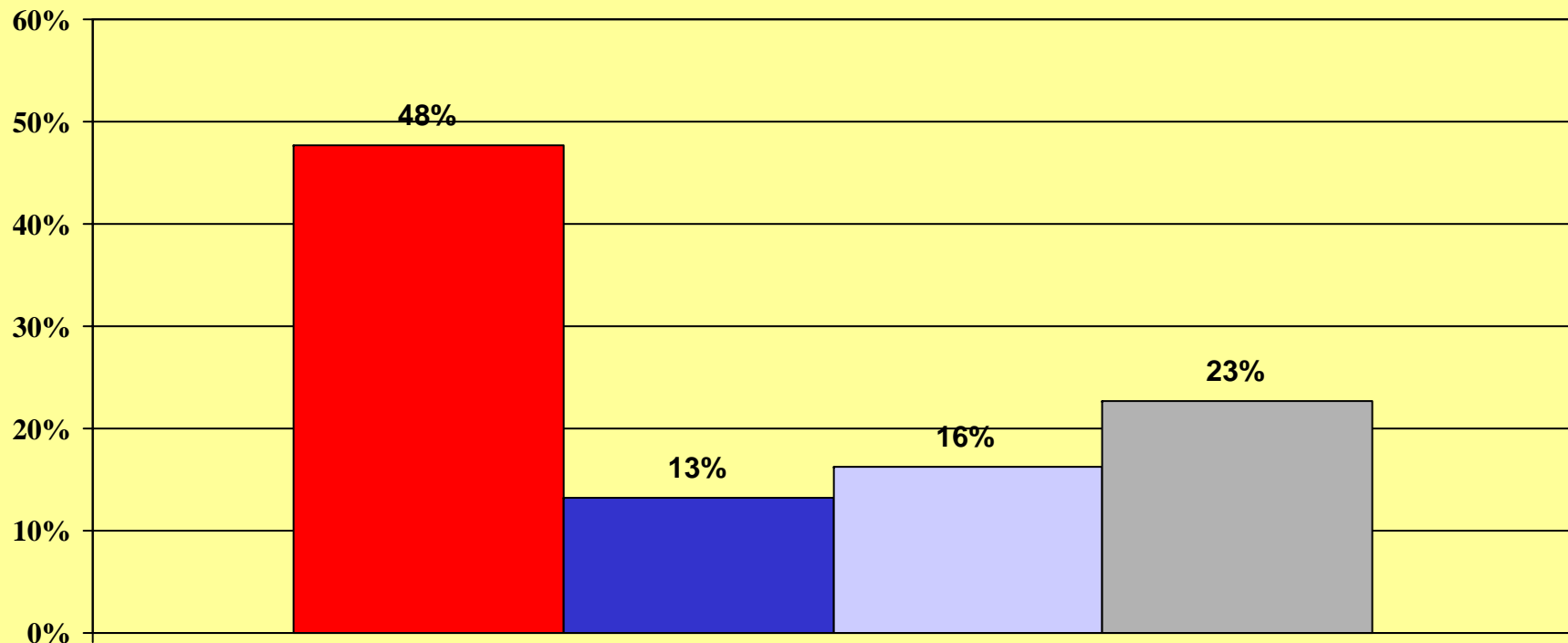


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Yes No Not sure

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Regardless of how you intend to vote in 2008, which Democratic candidate do you think has the best chance of winning the general election in November:

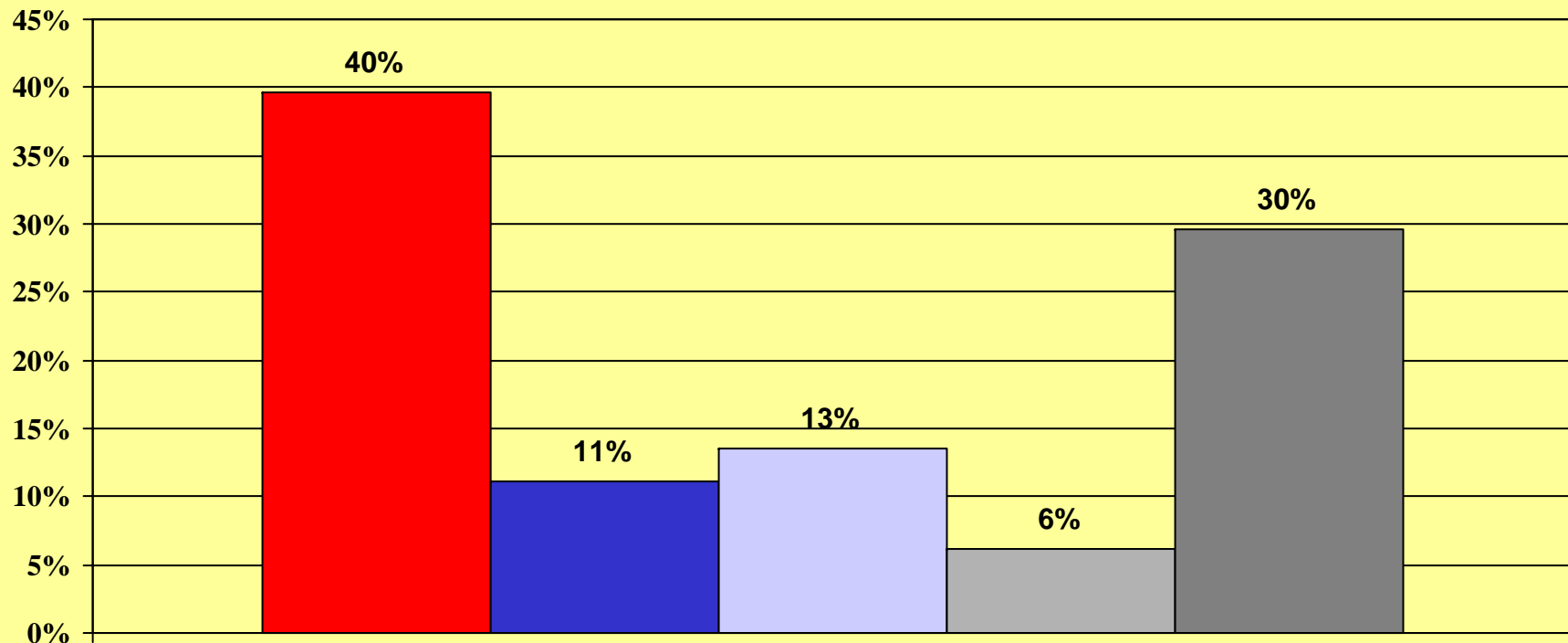


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■ Hillary Clinton ■ Barack Obama ■ John Edwards ■ Not sure

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Regardless of how you intend to vote in 2008, which Republican candidate do you think has the best chance of winning the general election in November:

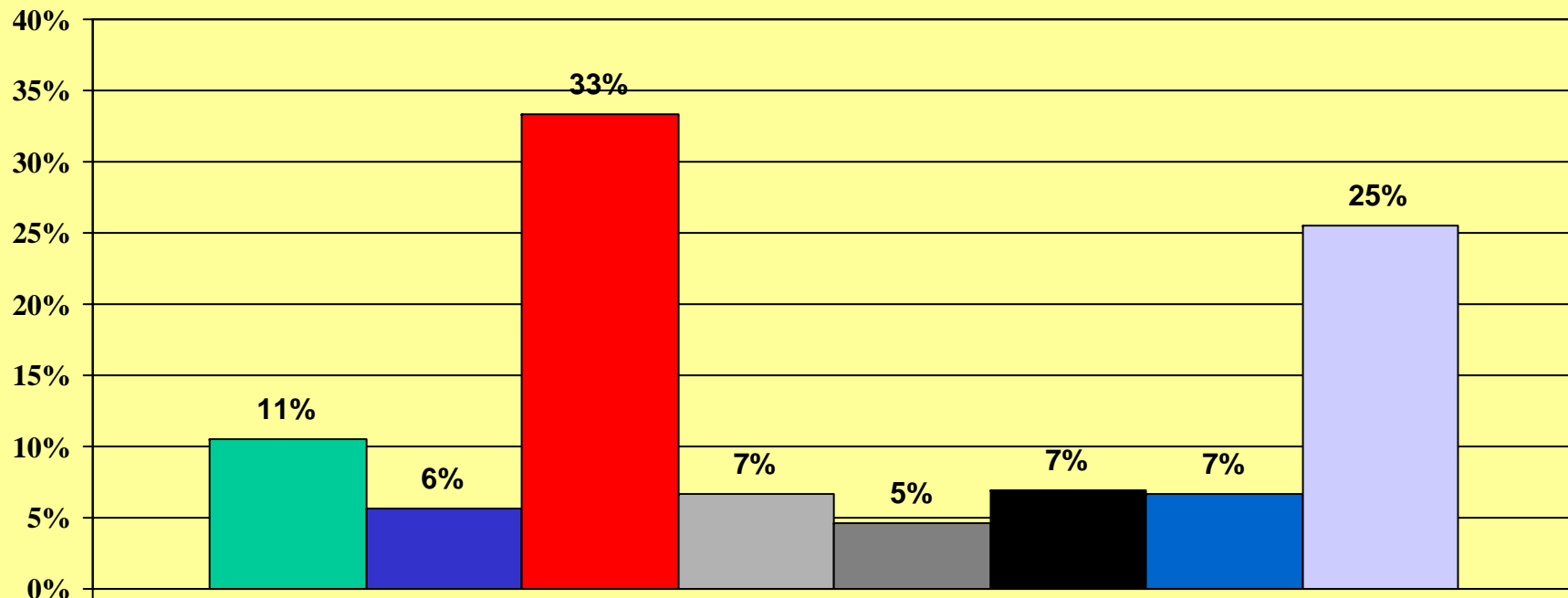


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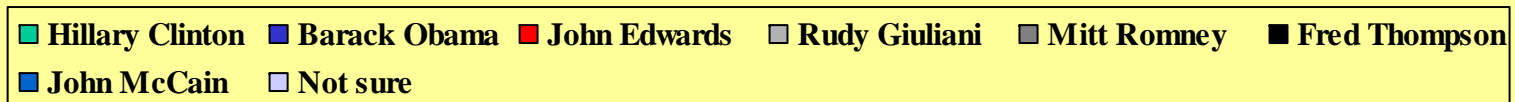
■ Rudy Giuliani ■ Mitt Romney ■ John McCain ■ Fred Thompson ■ Not sure

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Regardless of how you intend to vote in 2008, which candidate do you think best understands the needs and the problems of people in North Carolina?

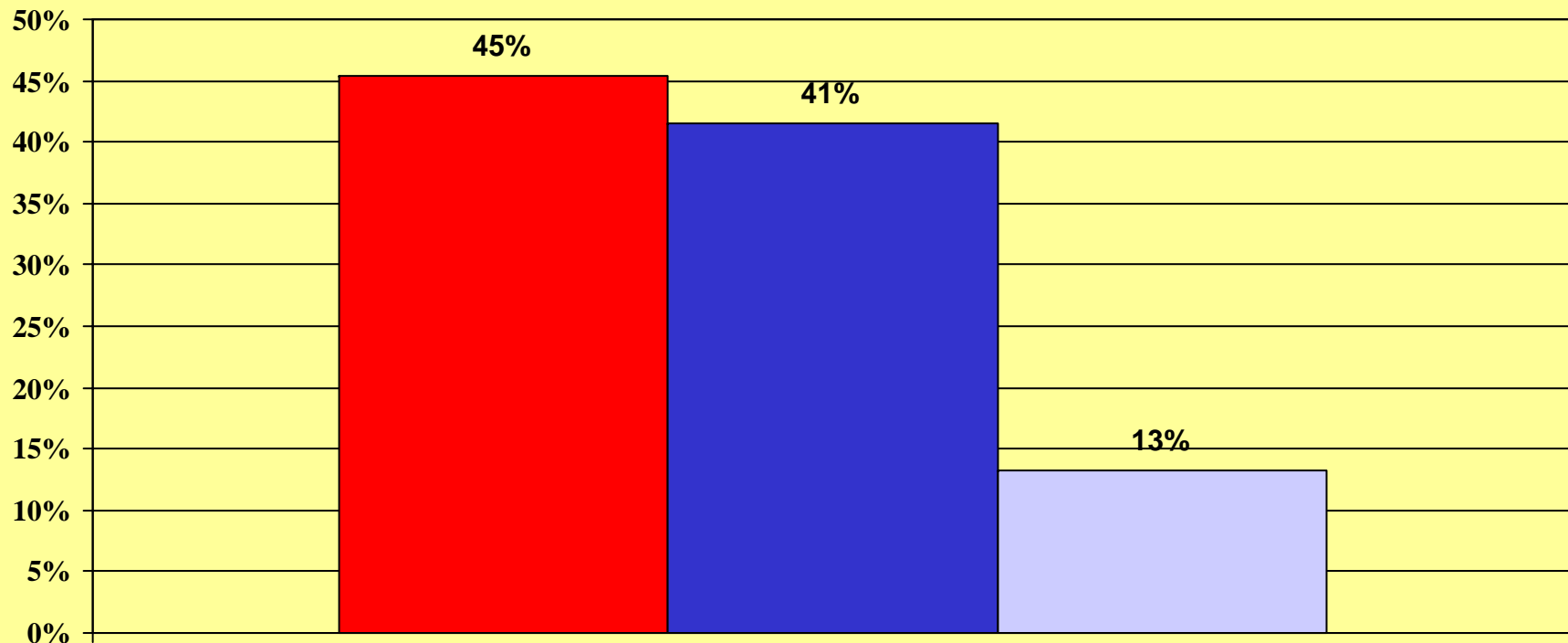


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If the 2008 election for President were held today and the candidates were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Rudy Giuliani, for whom would you be voting?

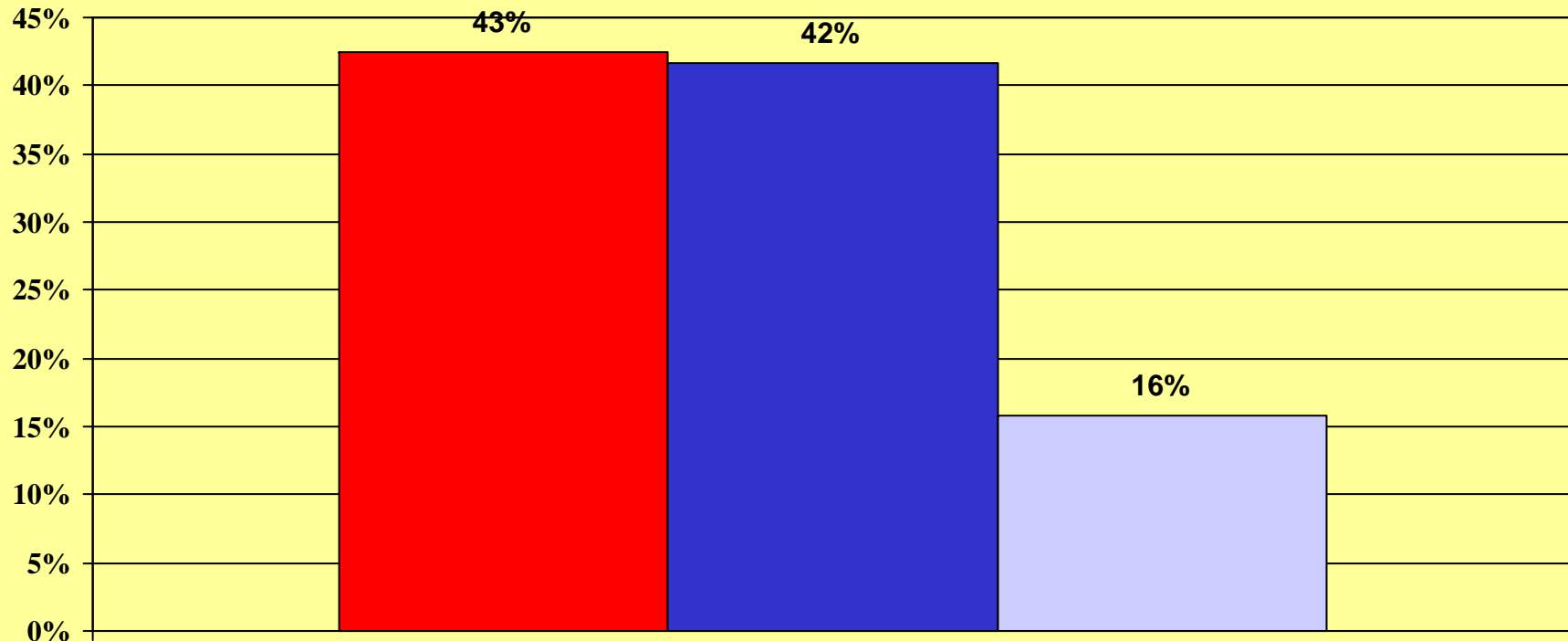


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If the 2008 election for President were held today and the candidates were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Mitt Romney, for whom would you be voting?

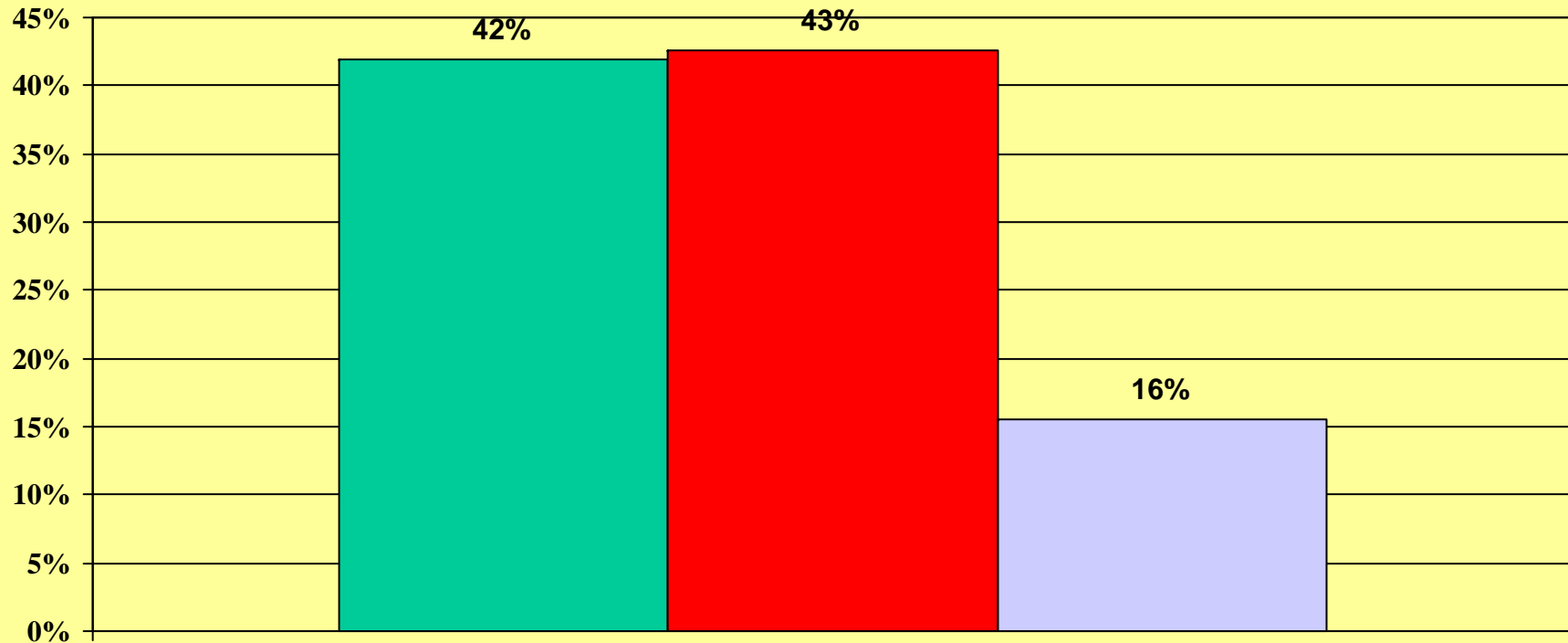


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■ Romney ■ Clinton ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 election for President were held today and the candidates were Democrat Hillary Clinton and Republican Fred Thompson, for whom would you be voting?

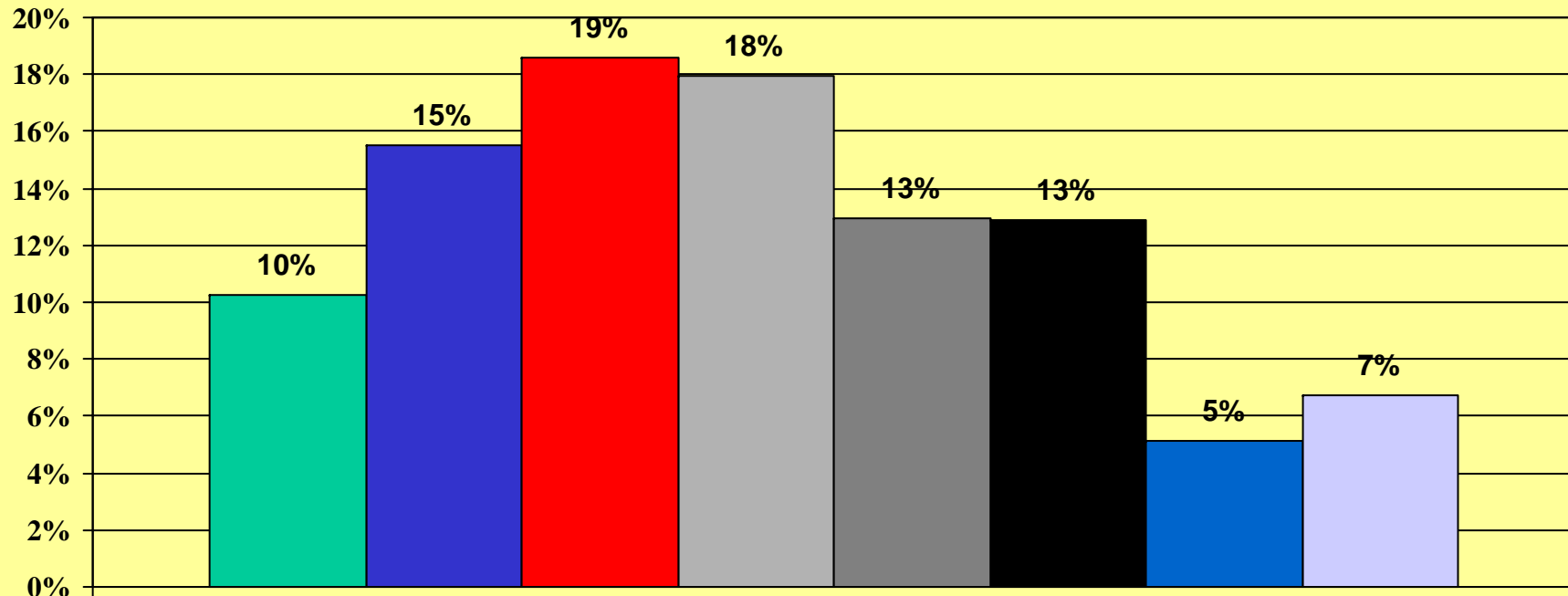


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Thompson Clinton Not sure

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In deciding who you would like to see elected President, which one of the following issues is most important to you:

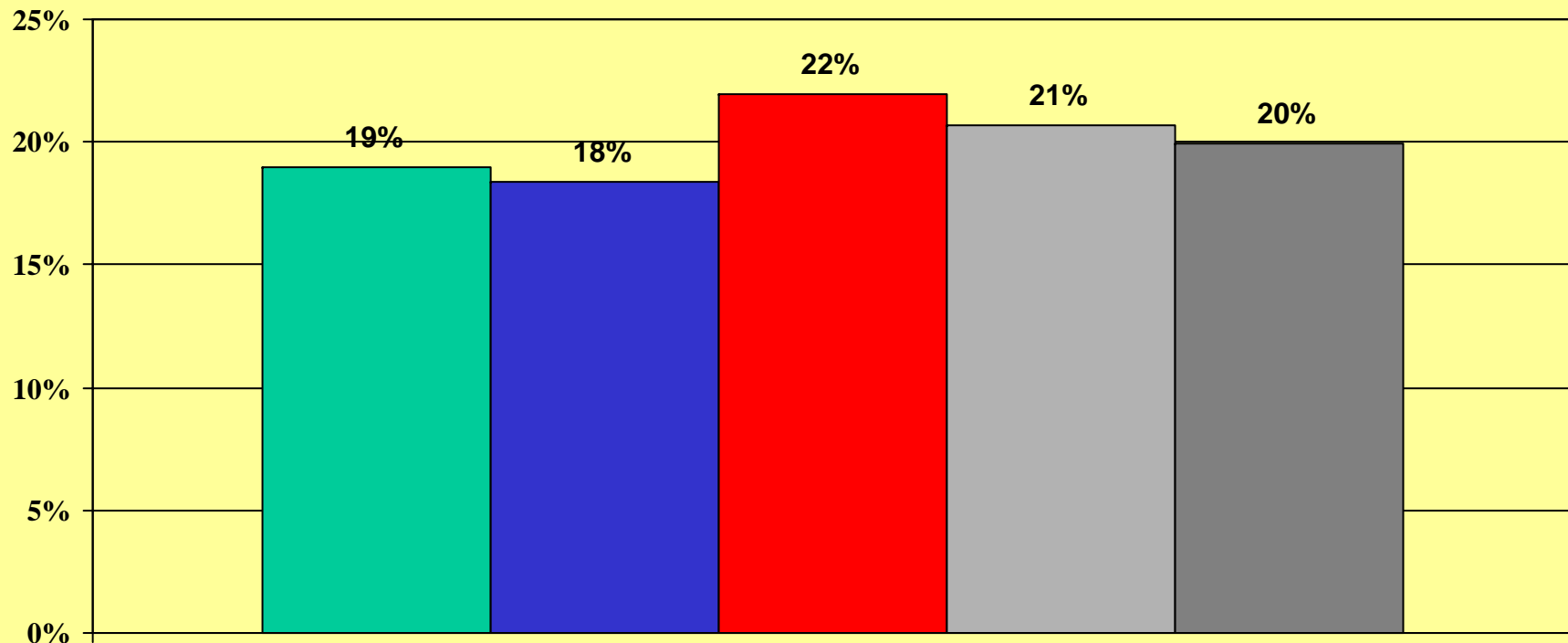


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Regardless of the candidates running for President, would you prefer to see a Democrat or Republican elected? Do you feel strongly about that?

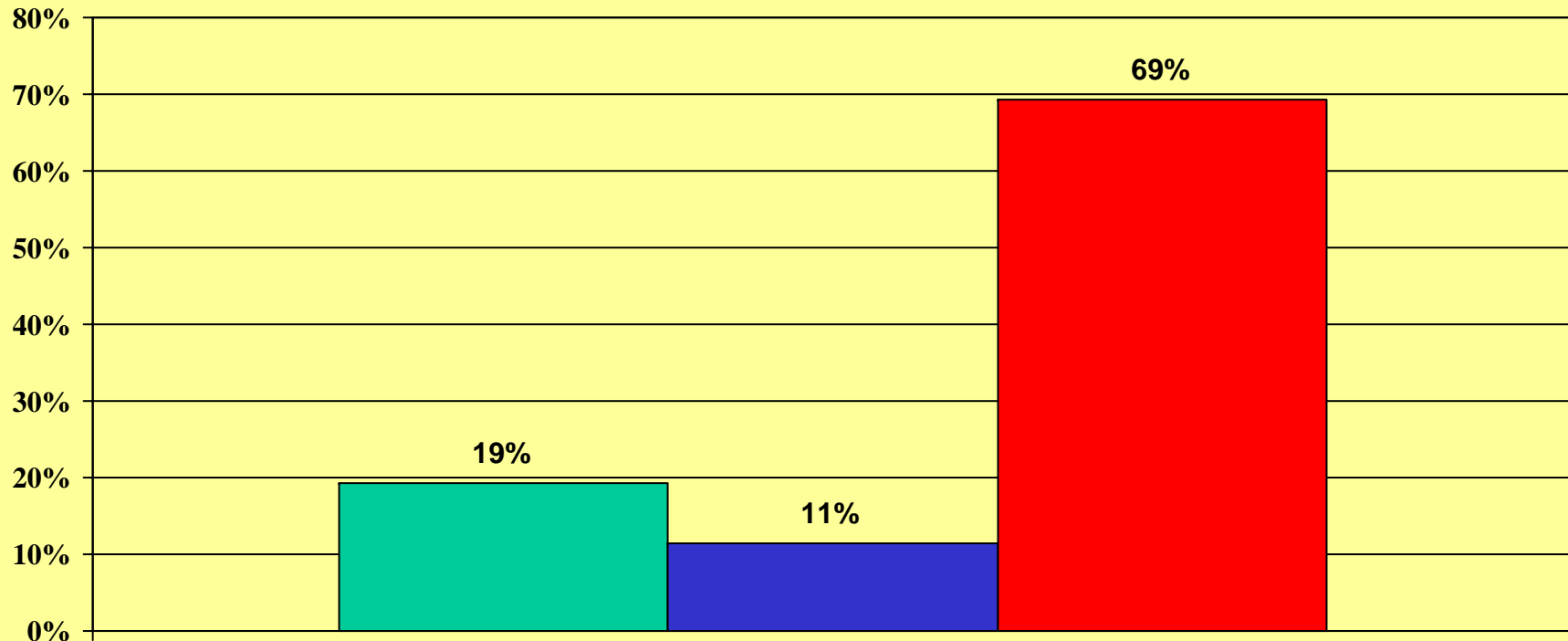


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■ Strongly Republican ■ Republican ■ Democrat ■ Strongly Democrat ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 Democratic primary for United States Senate were held today, would you be voting for:

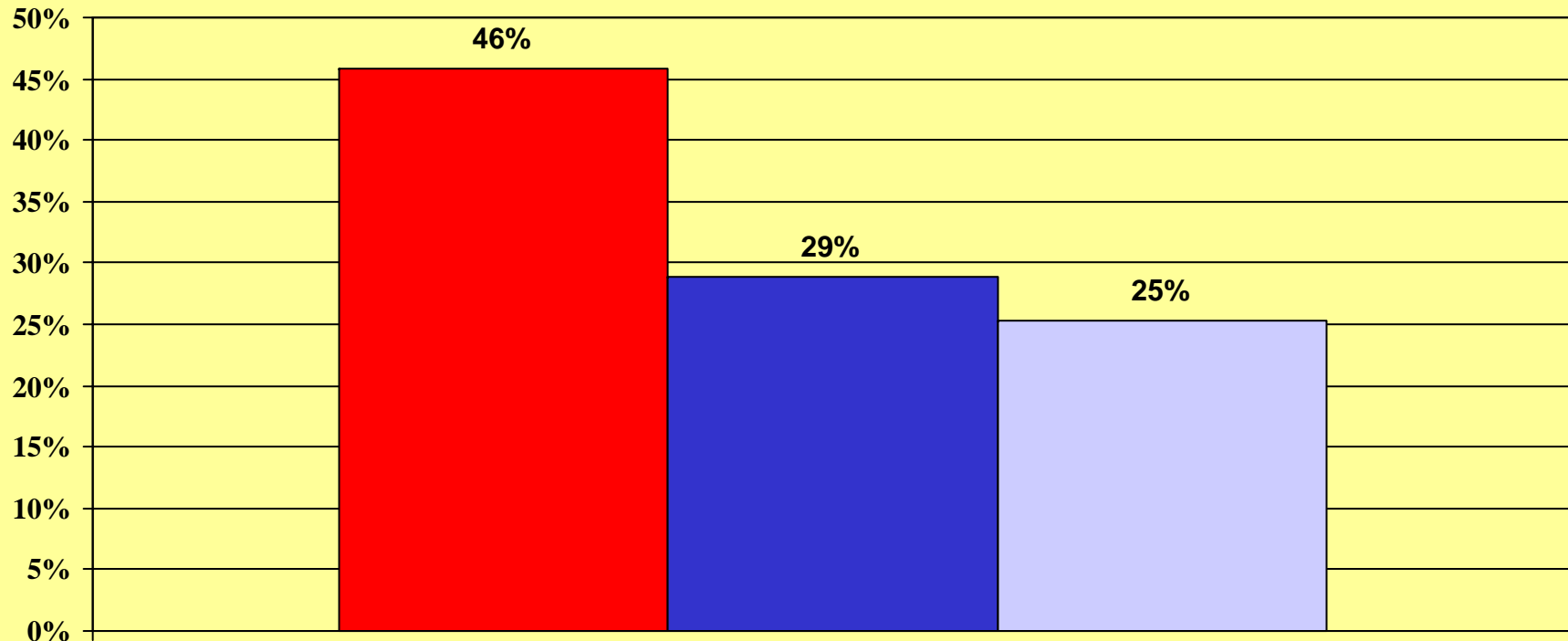


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■ Kay Hagan ■ Jim Neal ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 election for United States Senate were held today and the candidates were Republican Elizabeth Dole and Democrat Kay Hagan, for whom would you be voting?

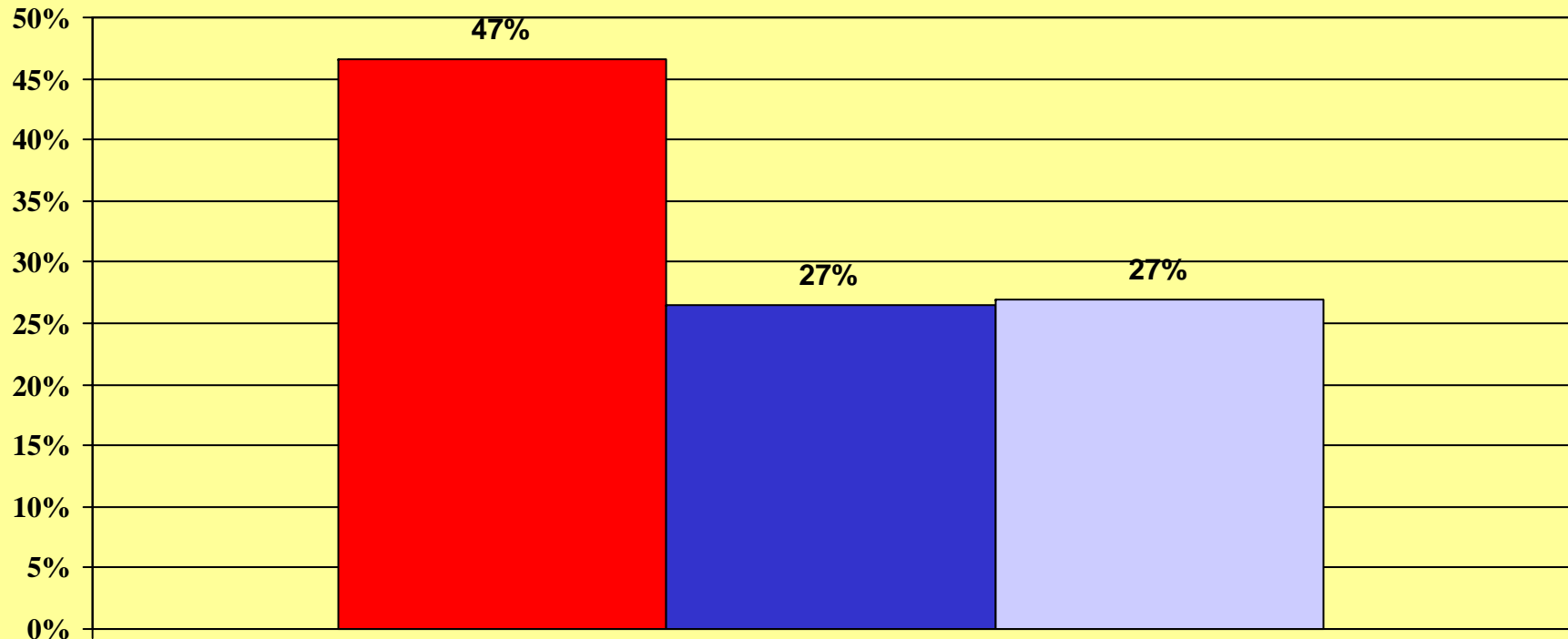


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■ Dole ■ Hagan ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 election for United States Senate were held today and the candidates were Republican Elizabeth Dole and Democrat Jim Neal, for whom would you be voting?

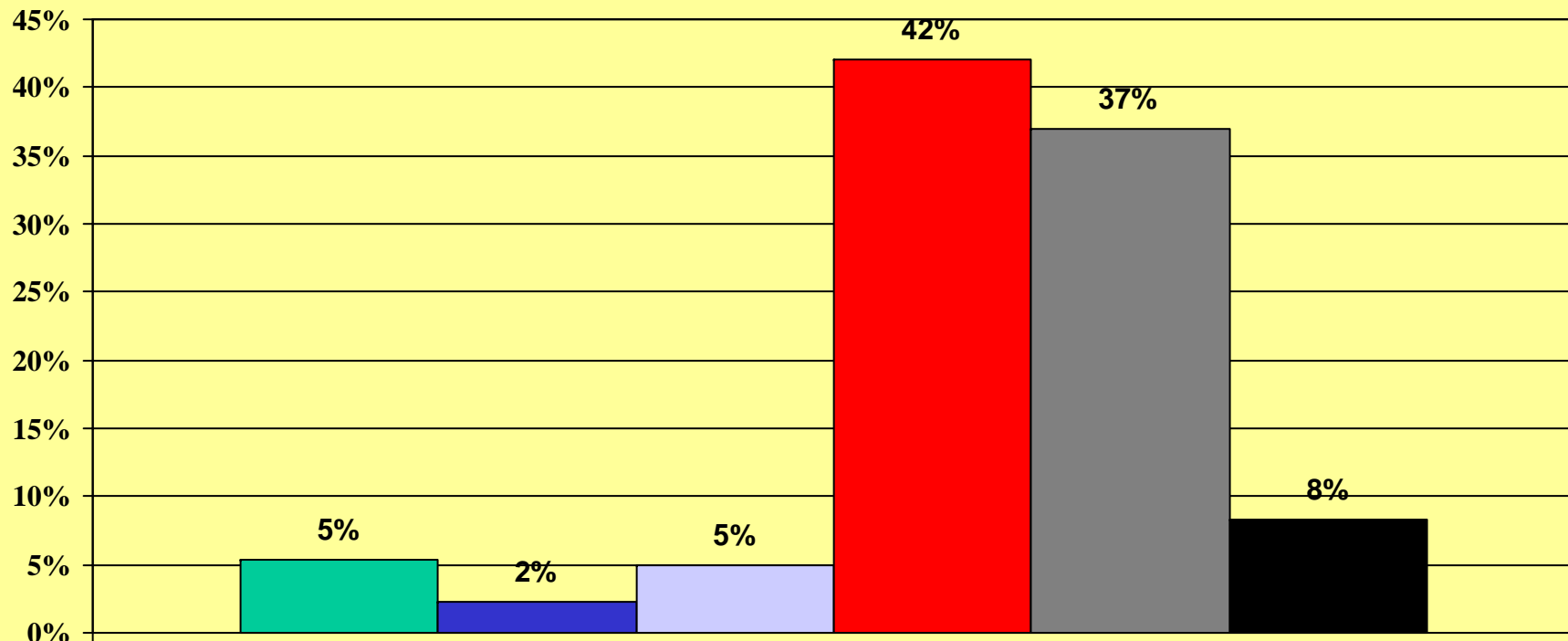


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Would you be more or less likely to vote for a United States Senate candidate who was openly gay?

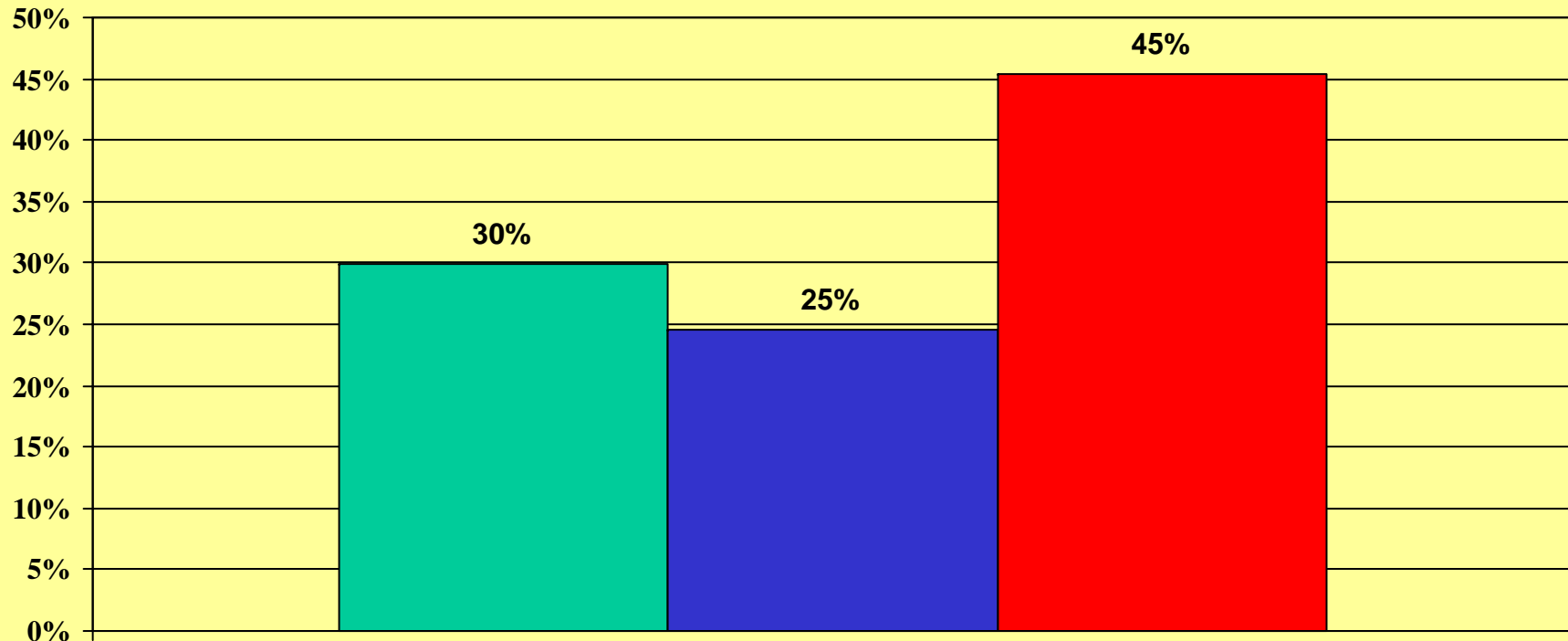


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■ Much more ■ Somewhat more ■ Somewhat less ■ Much less ■ No difference ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 Democratic primary election for Governor were held today, would you be voting for:

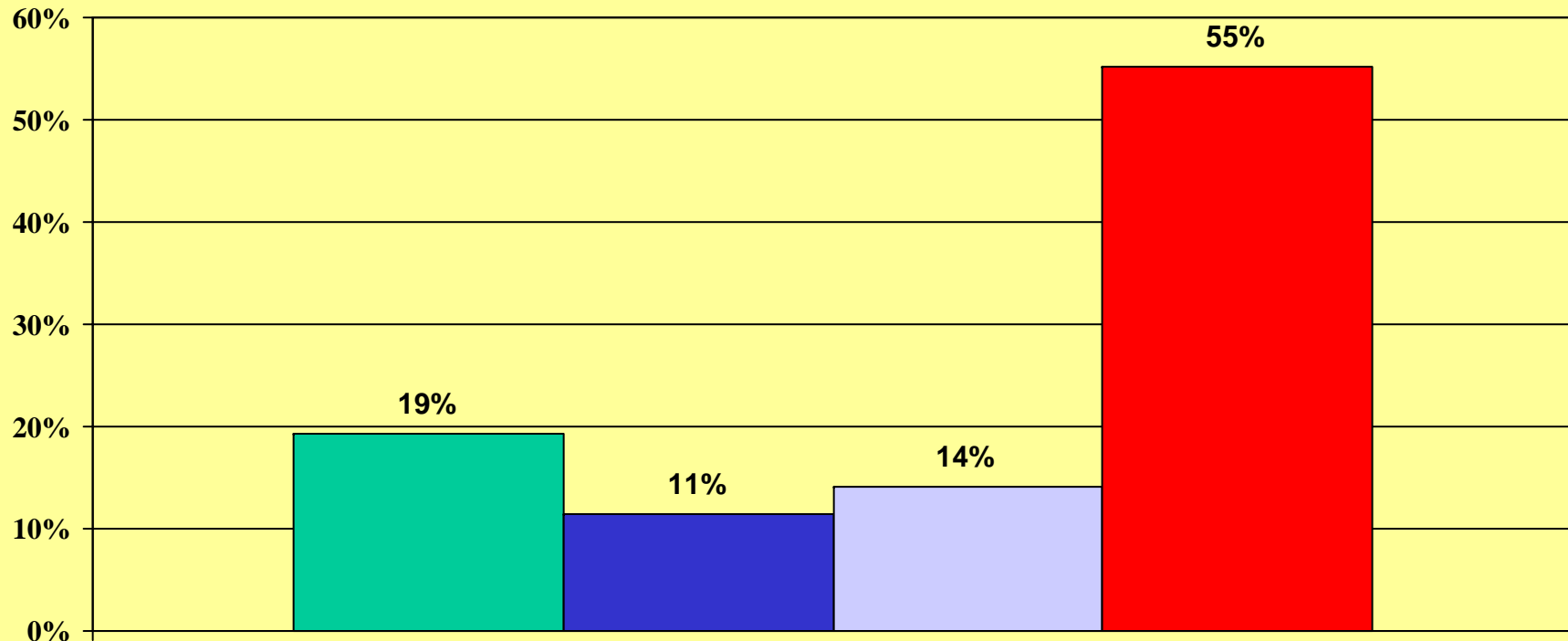


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■ Beverly Perdue ■ Richard Moore ■ Not sure

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If the 2008 Republican primary election for Governor were held today, would you be voting for:

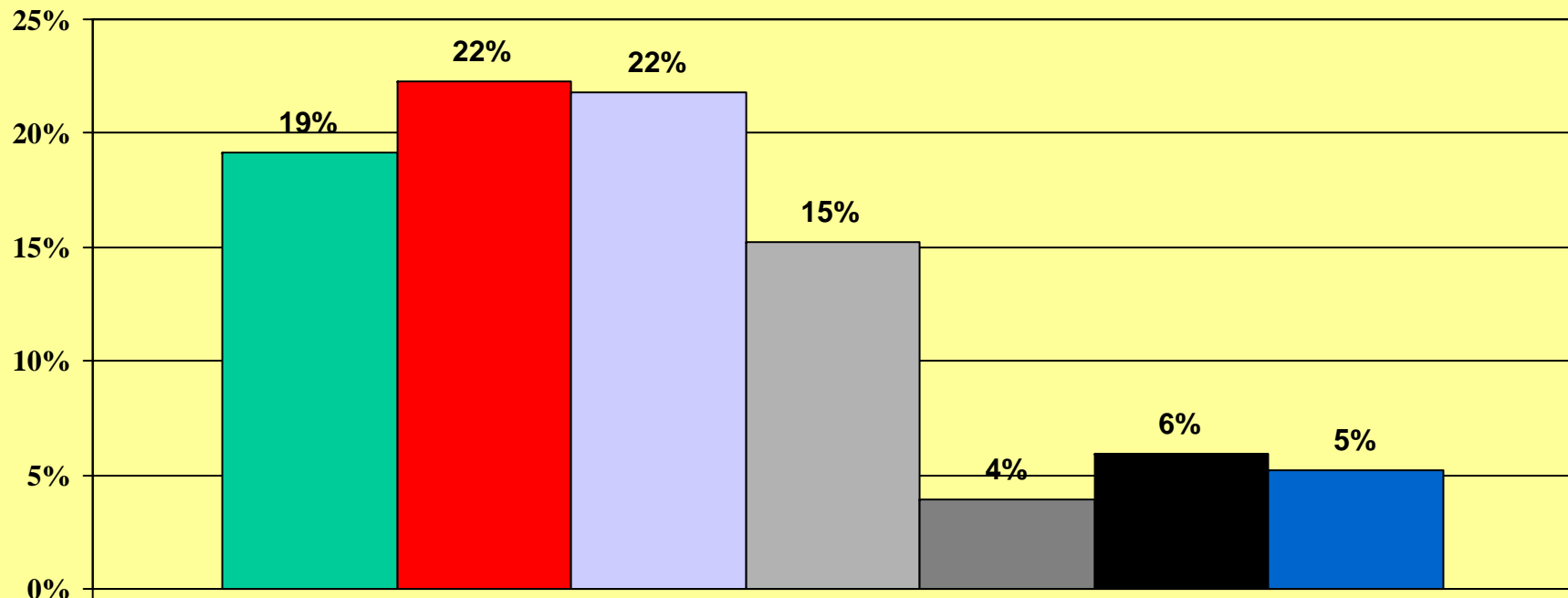


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■ Bill Graham ■ Bob Orr ■ Fred Smith ■ Not sure

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In deciding who you would like to see elected Governor, which of the following issues is more important to you:

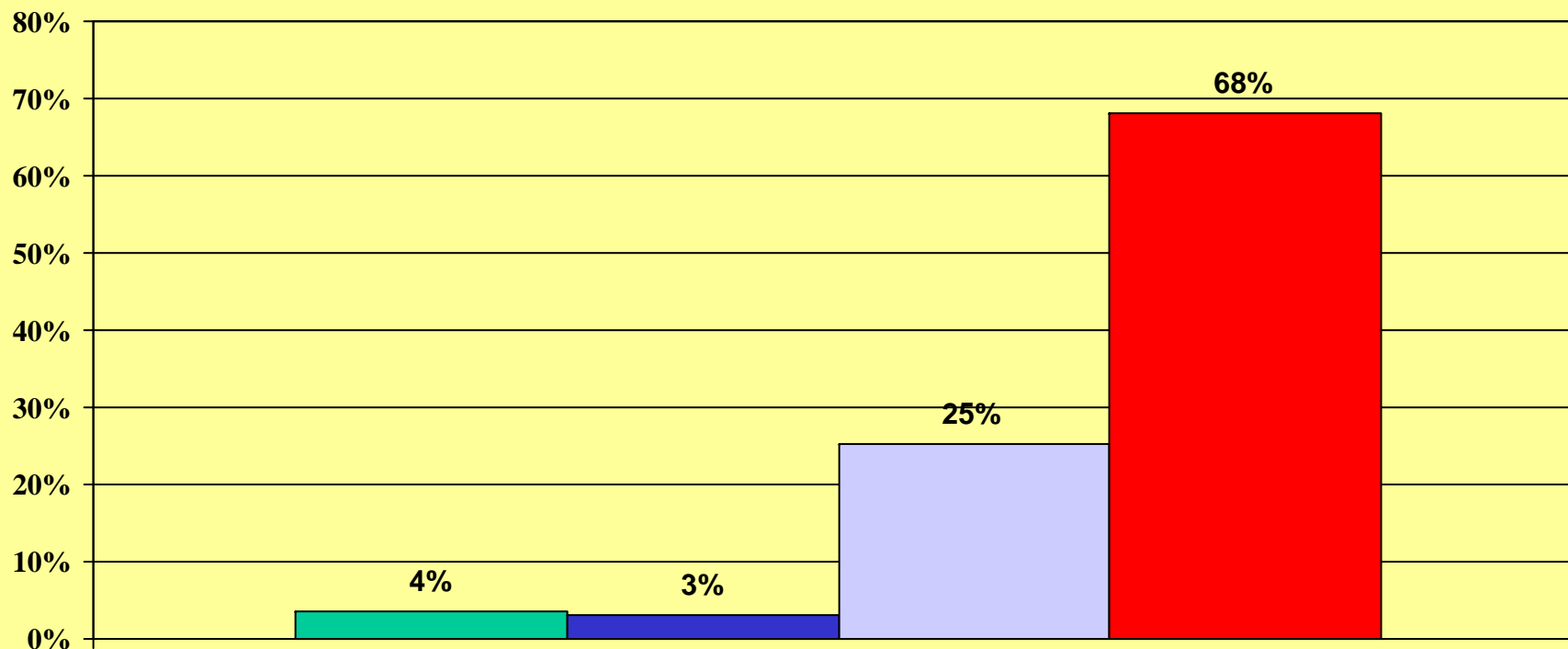


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■ Improve prim/sec education ■ Laws/illegal immigration ■ Improve/expand health care ■ Create/save jobs
■ Roads/transportation ■ Protecting moral values ■ Deal w/scandals/corruption

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Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Robert Pittenger?

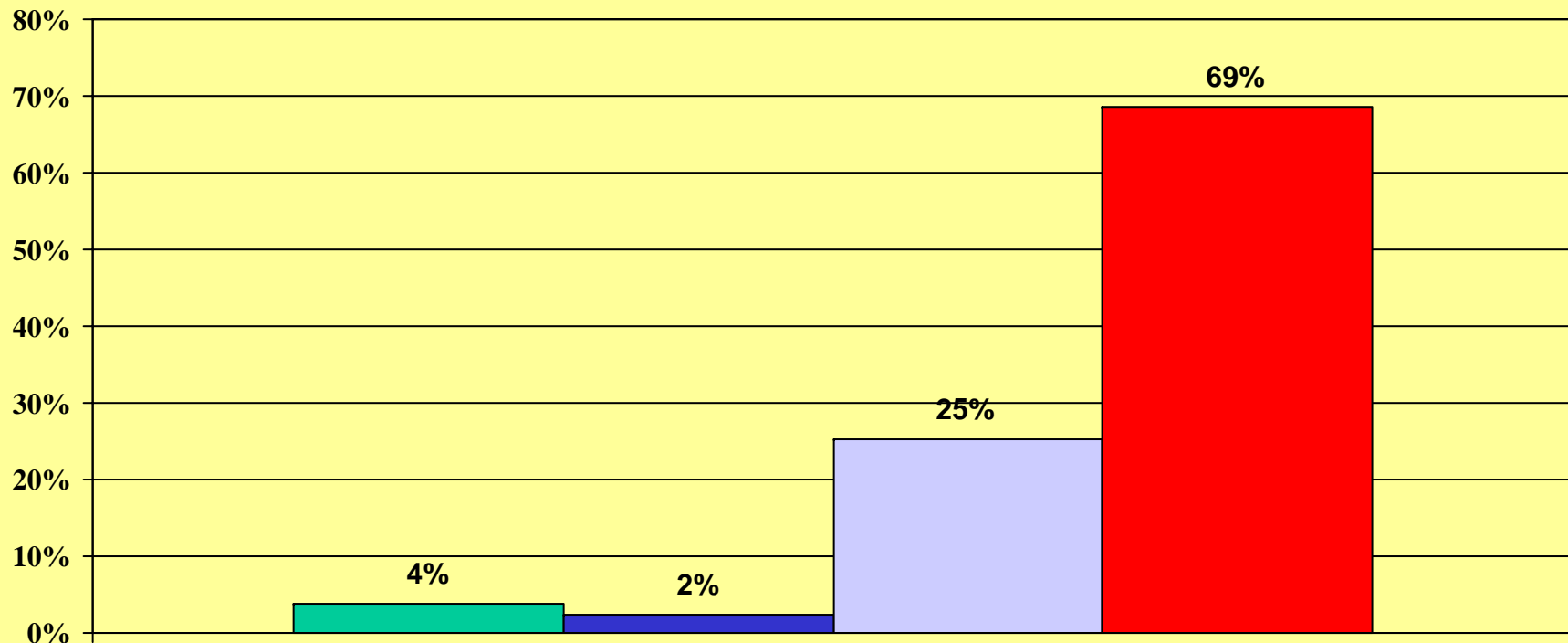


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Favorable Unfavorable No opinion Not aware

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Do you have a favorable or unfavorable opinion of Walter Dalton?

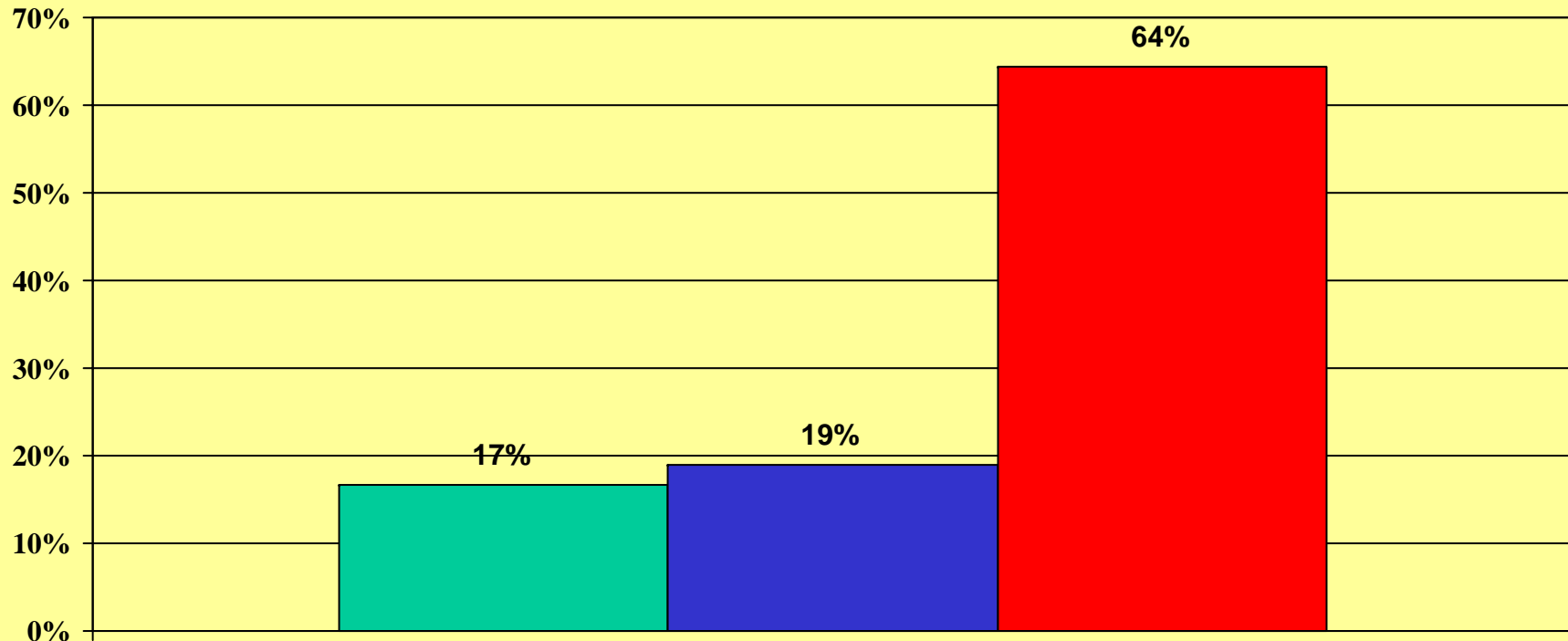


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Favorable Unfavorable No opinion Not aware

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If the election for Lt. Governor were held today, which candidate would you support:

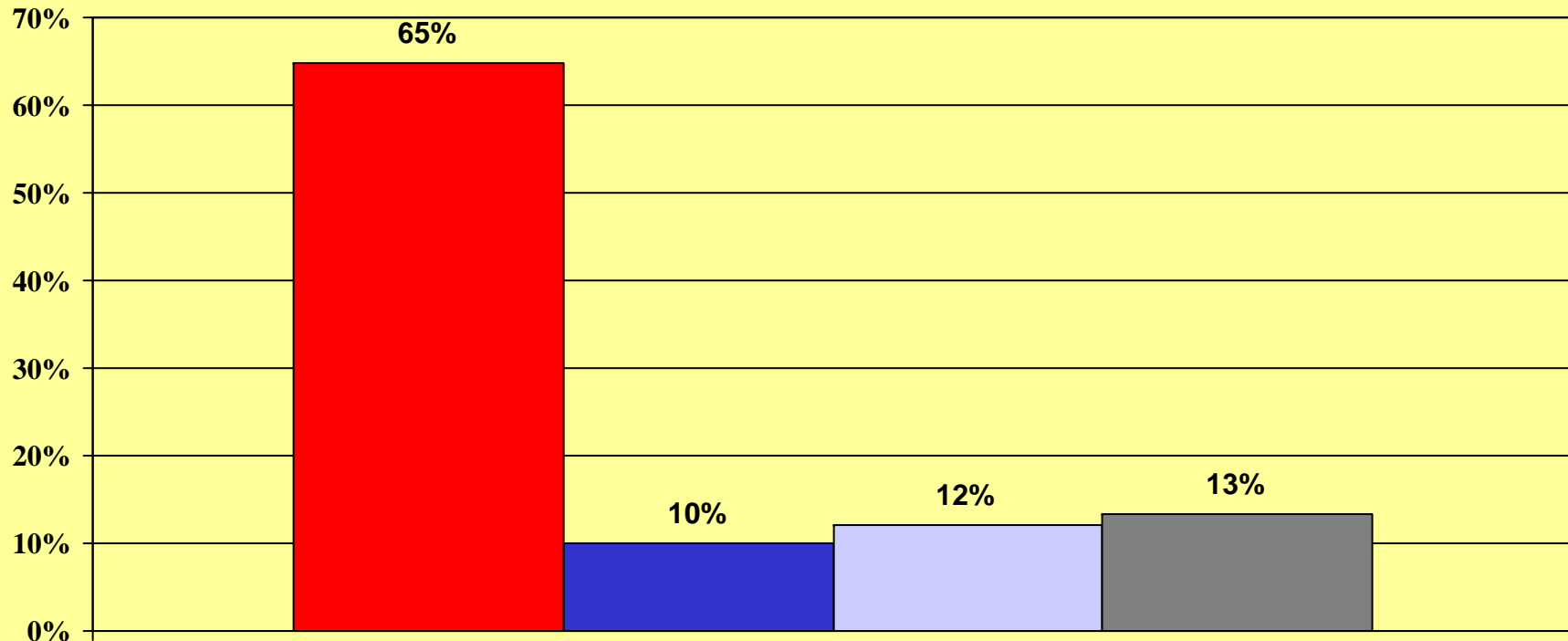


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Rep Robert Pittenger Dem Walter Dalton Not sure

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In the November election voters in several counties approved bonds for projects such as community college funding, sewer and park improvements. How do you think these bonds will be repaid:

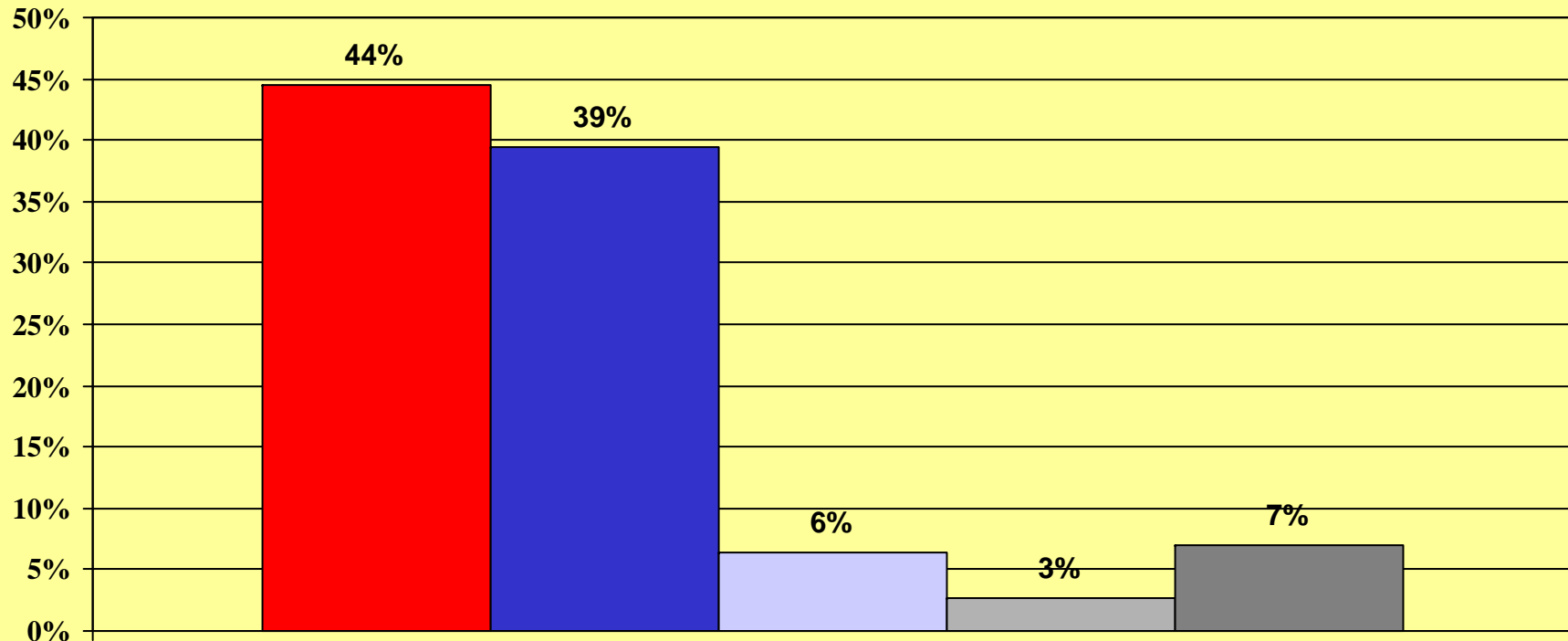


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■ By raising taxes ■ By cutting spending ■ Growth/expands tax base ■ Not sure

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Which of the following should be the official poverty level for a family of four in North Carolina:

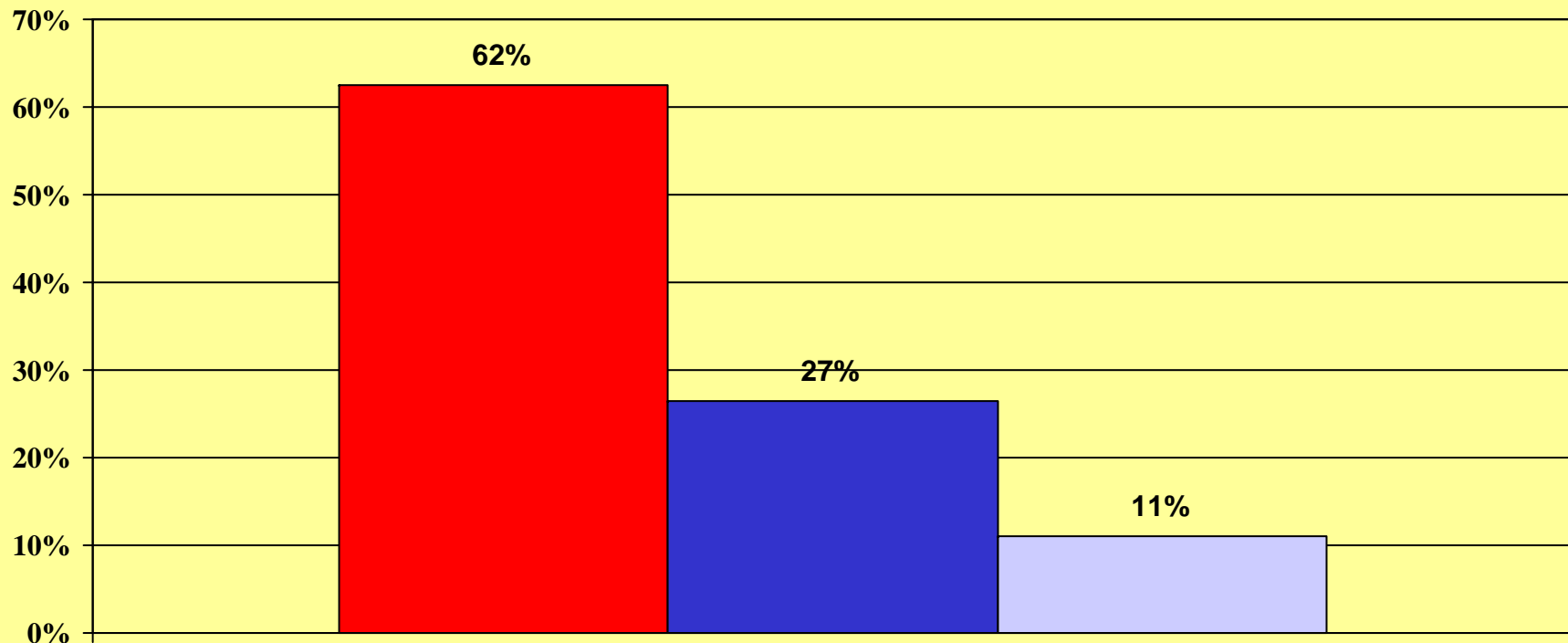


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■ \$21,000 or less ■ \$42,000 ■ \$63,000 ■ \$80,000 ■ Not sure

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Do you believe the report in the News and Observer that recently reported that 49% of the State's school children live below the poverty line?

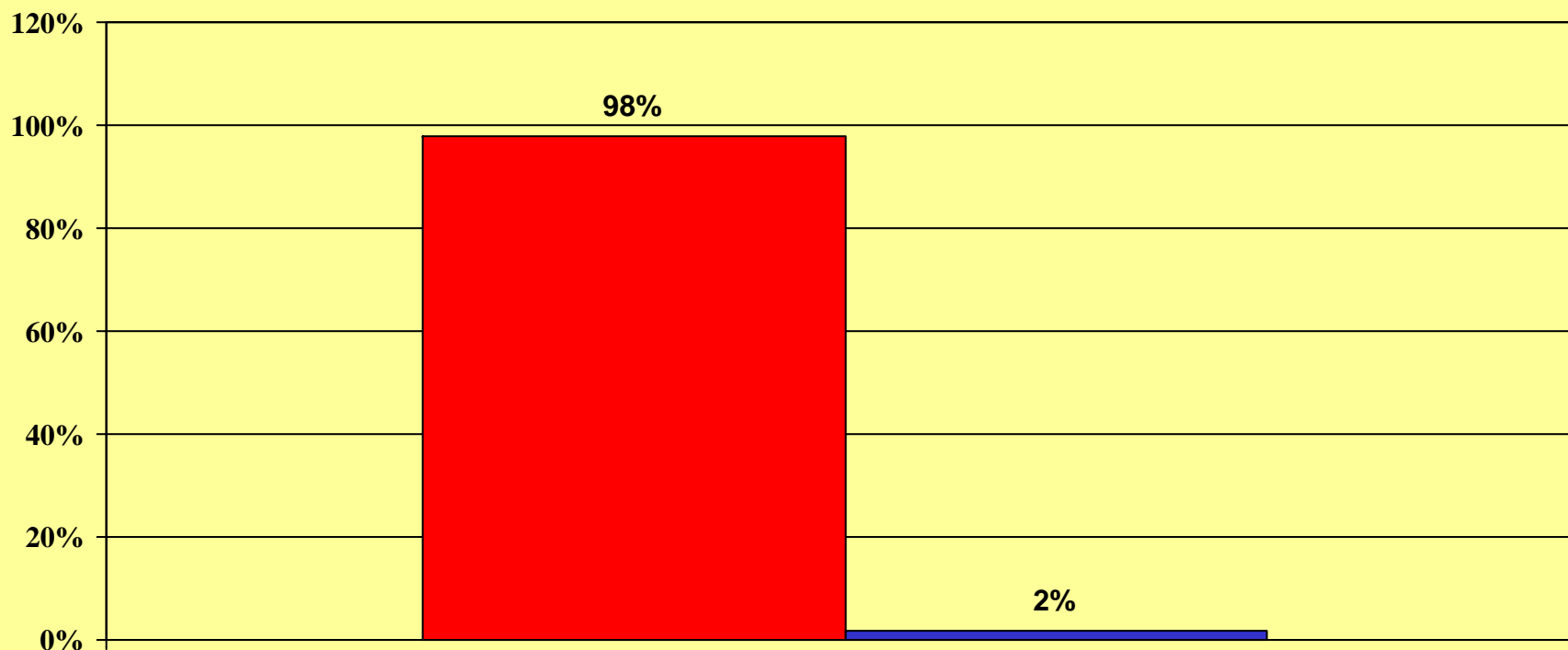


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■ Yes ■ No ■ Not sure

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Do you personally have an official photo id, such as a driver's license, an id card from the D.M.V., a military id or a U.S. passport?

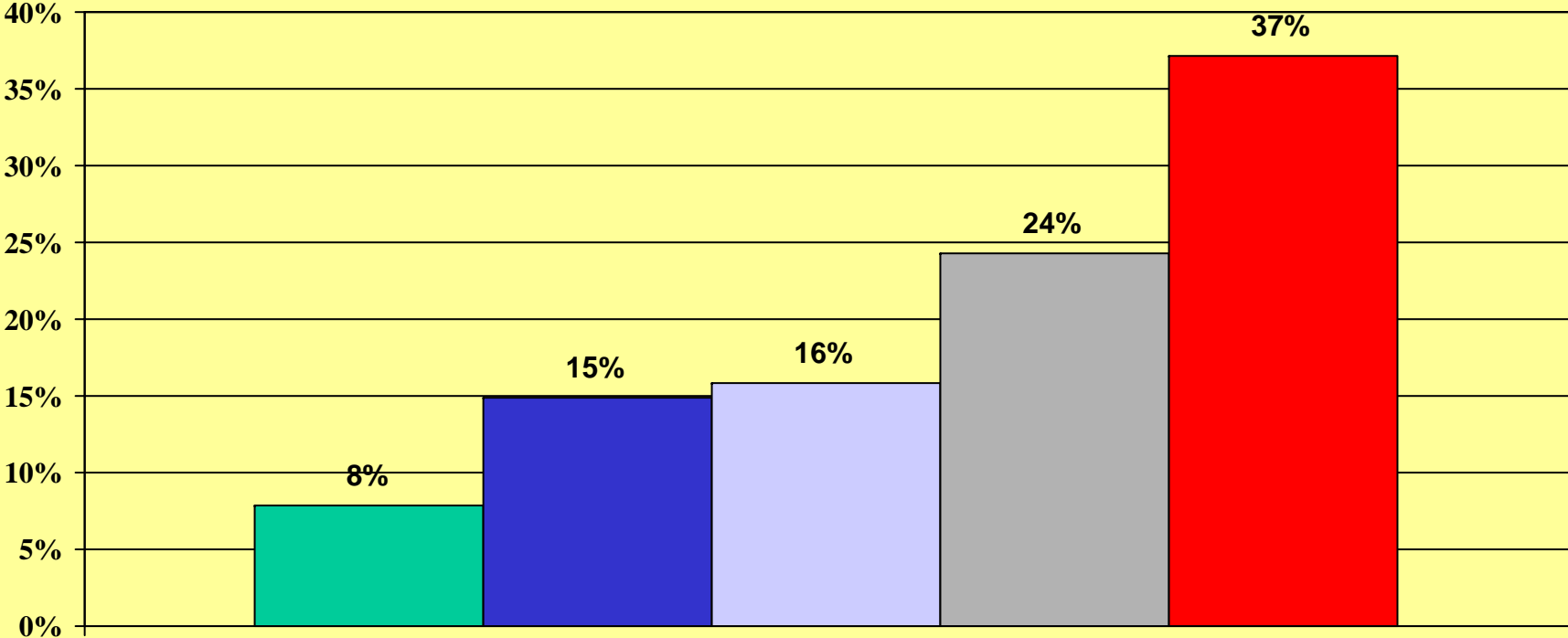


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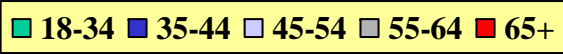
Yes No

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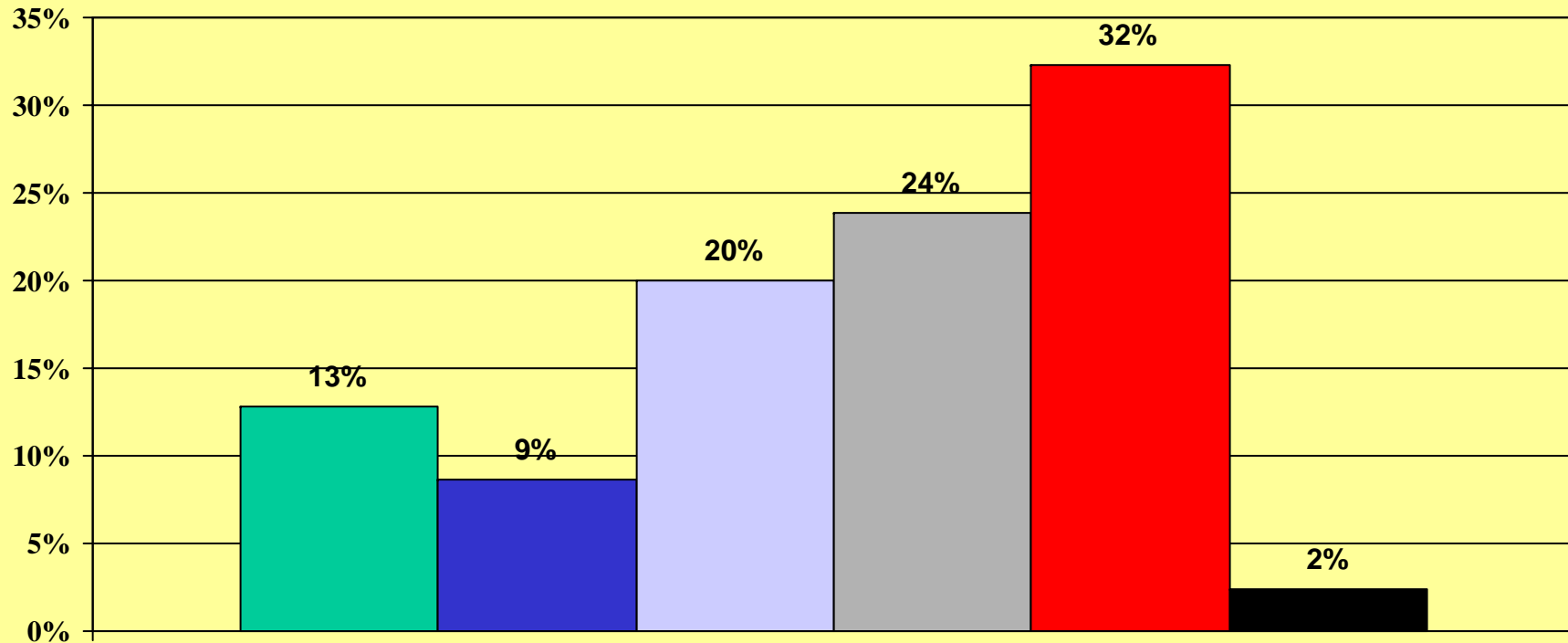
Age group



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Political philosophy

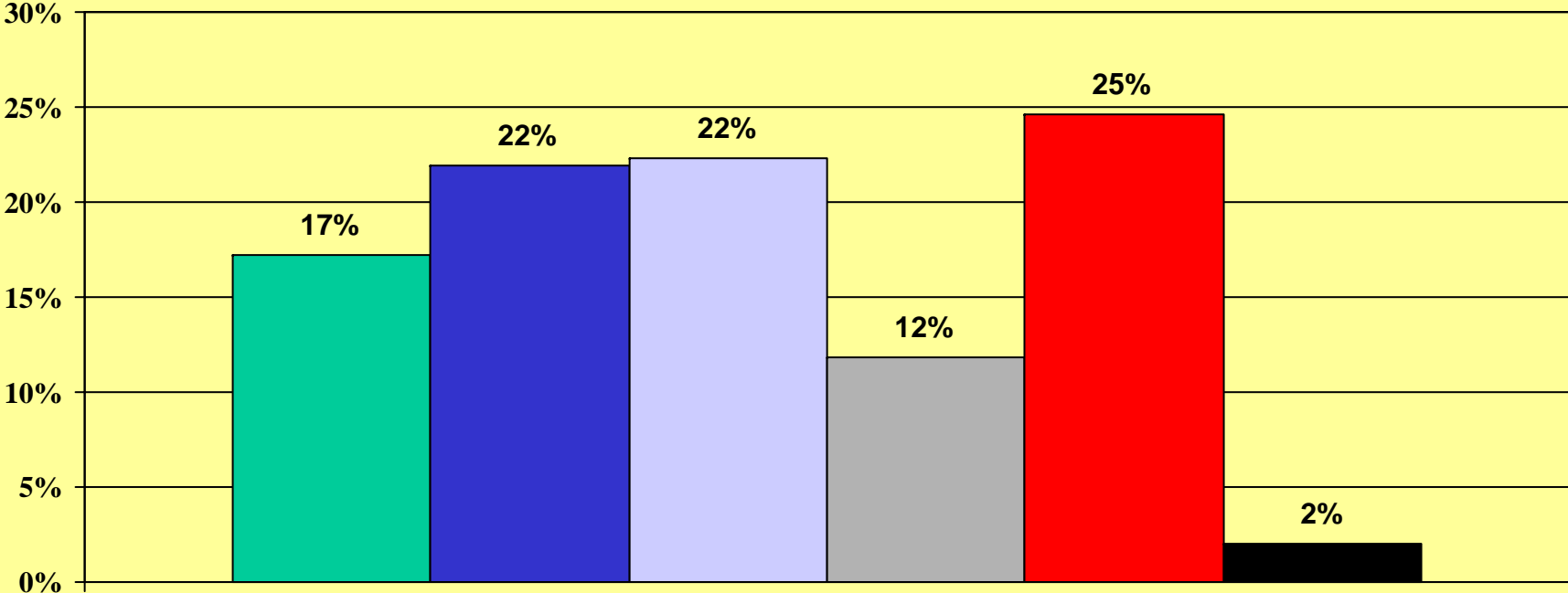


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Very liberal Somewhat liberal Somewhat conservative Very conservative Moderate Not sure

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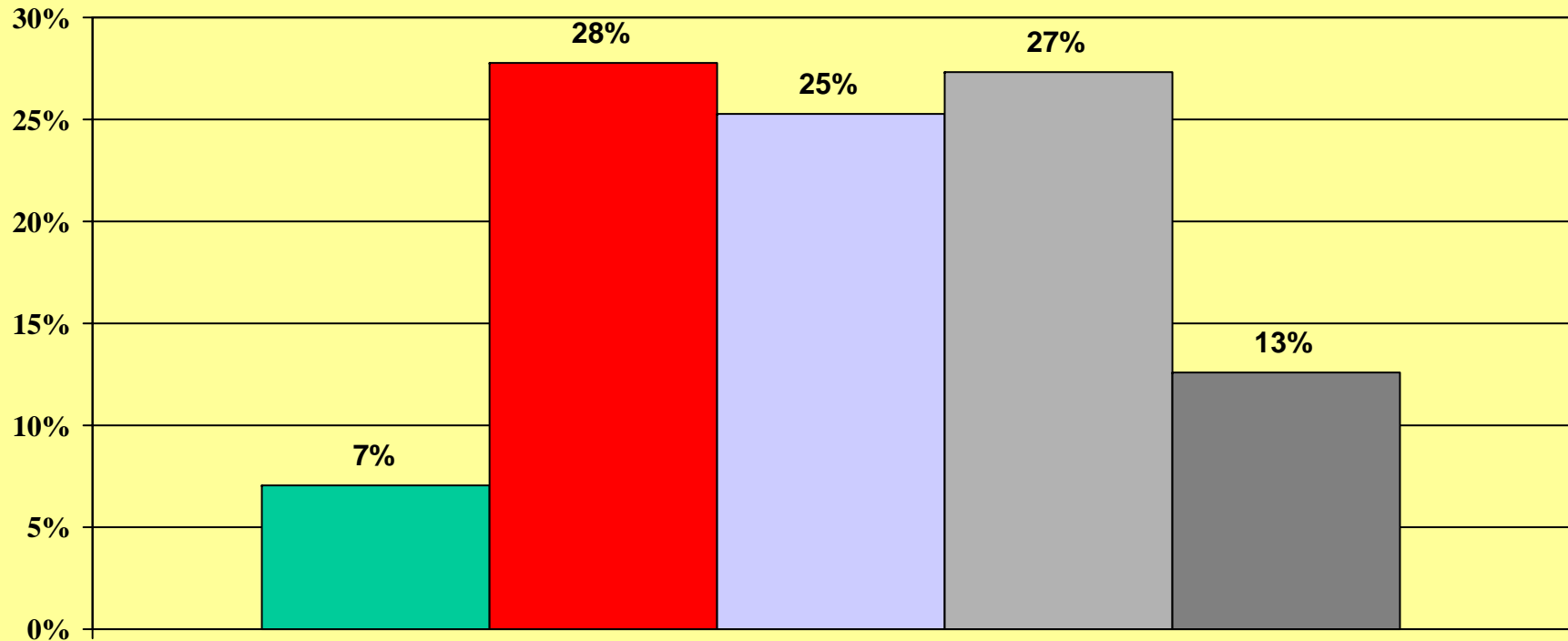
Regardless of your party registration, do you:



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- Always vote Democrat
- Vote Dem more than Rep
- Vote Rep more than Dem
- Always vote Republican
- Both equally/split ticket
- Not sure

Education

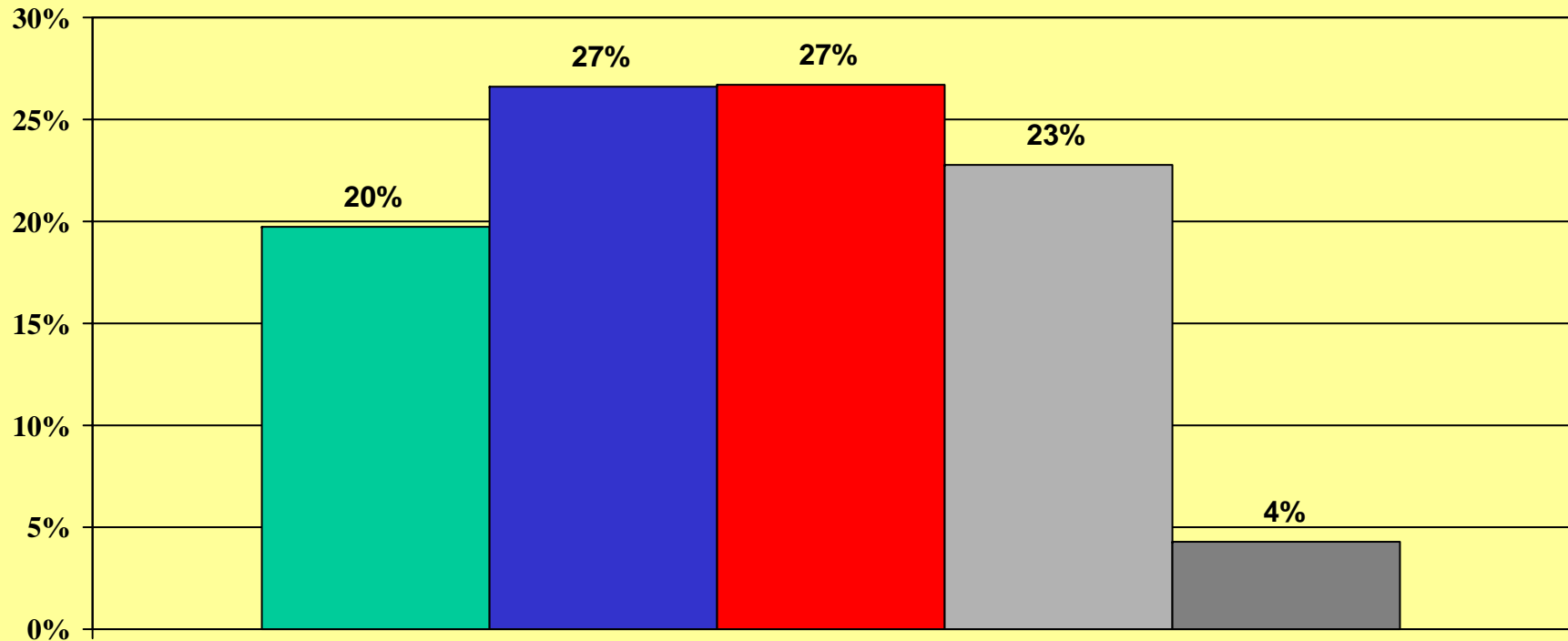


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■ Less than hs graduate ■ High School graduate ■ 2 yr college/technical ■ 4 yr college graduate ■ Post Graduate

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Family income

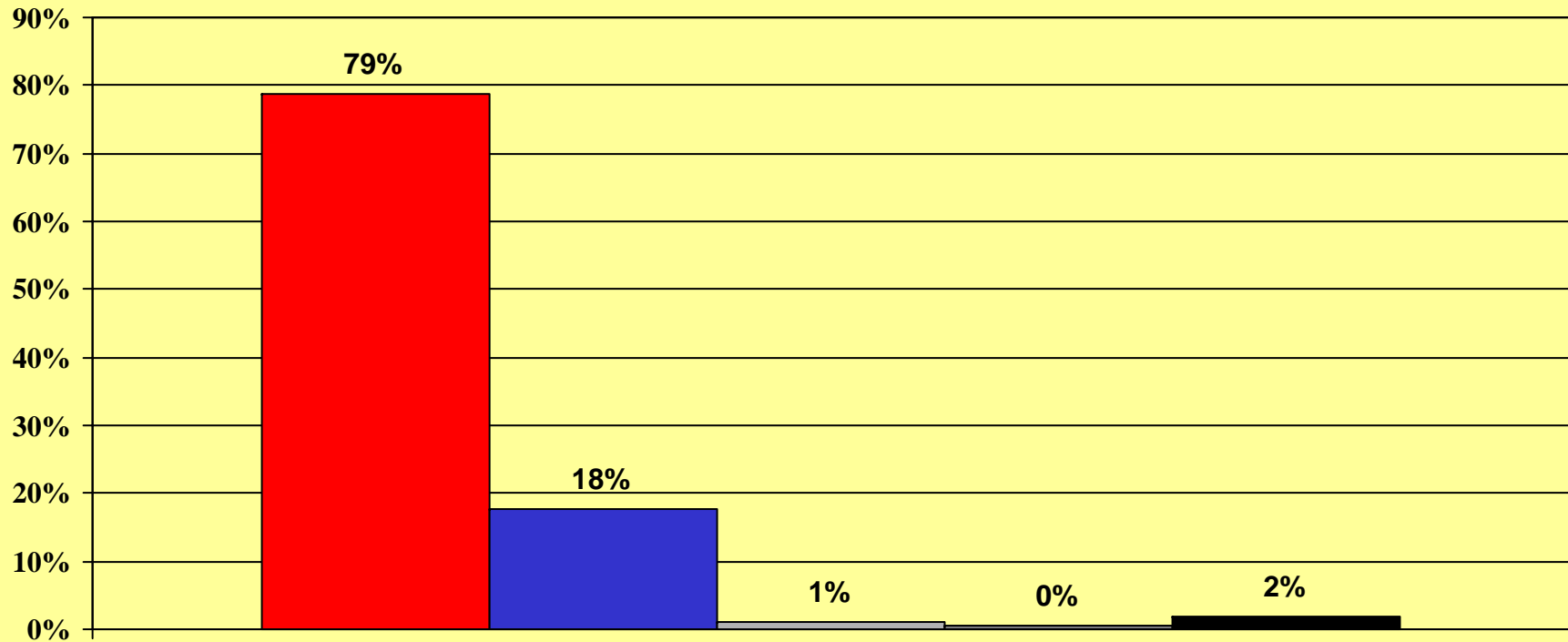


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■ Under \$25,000 ■ \$25,000-\$49,999 ■ \$50,000-\$74,999 ■ \$75,000 or more ■ NOT SURE

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National heritage

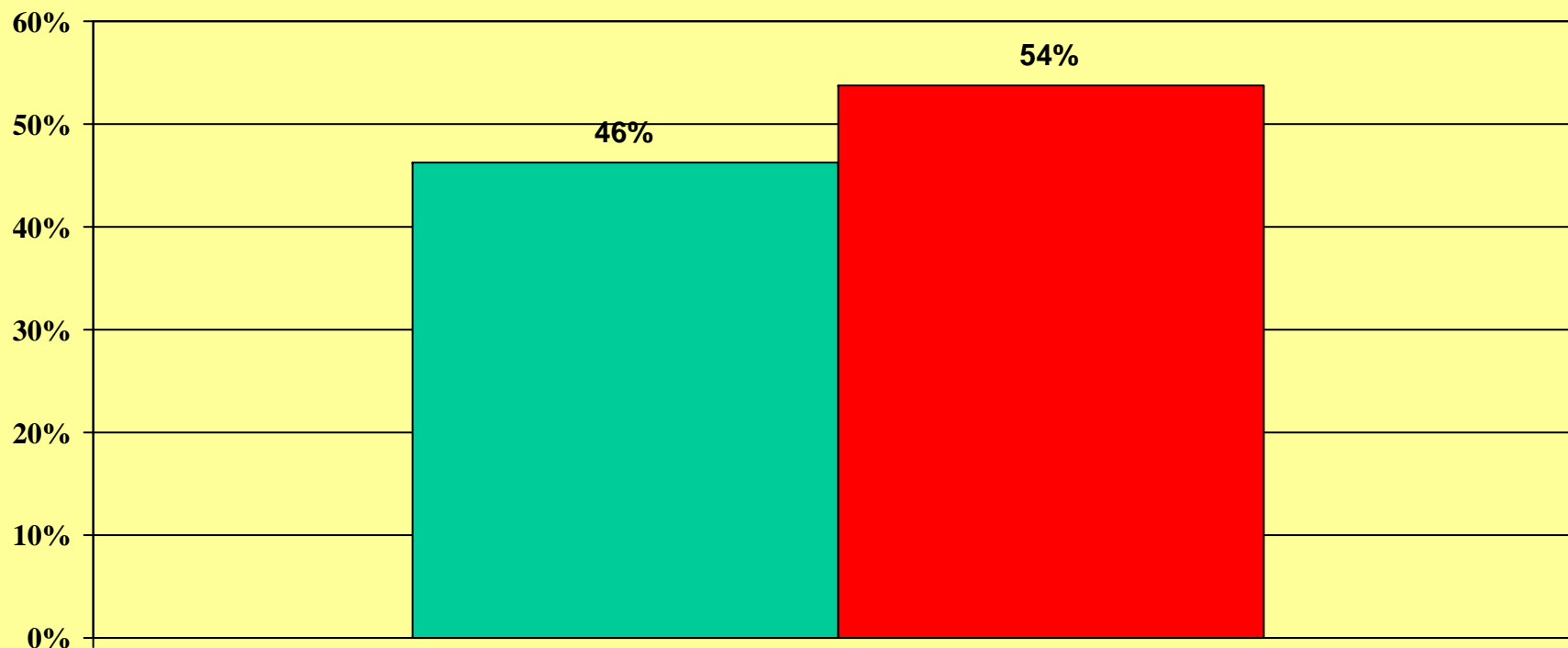


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■ Caucasian ■ African-American ■ Native American ■ Asian ■ Other

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Gender

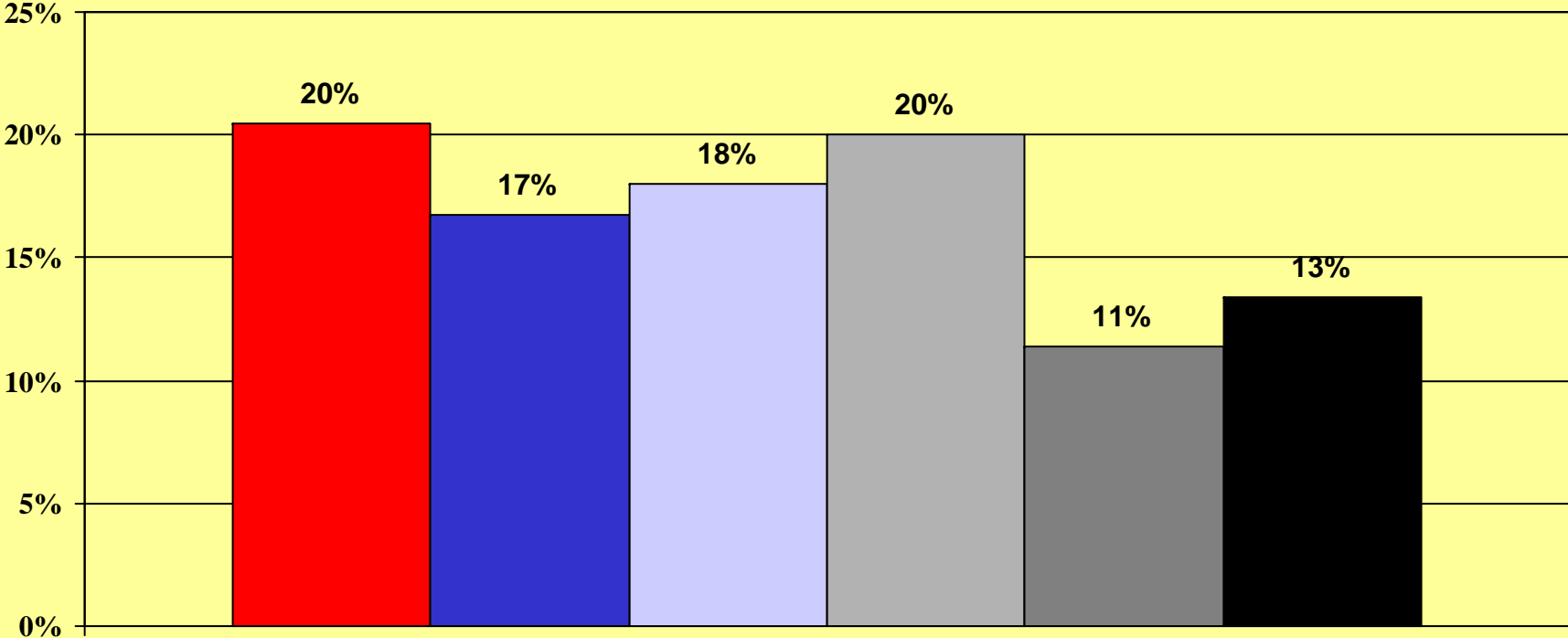


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Male Female

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Geographic area



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■ Charlotte ■ Western ■ Piedmont Triad ■ Triangle ■ Northeast ■ Southeast