

Power to the people

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What is P.T.T.P.?

An organization aimed to establish an effective forum for the purpose of uniting the participants of the University of Oregon, and giving all a voice.

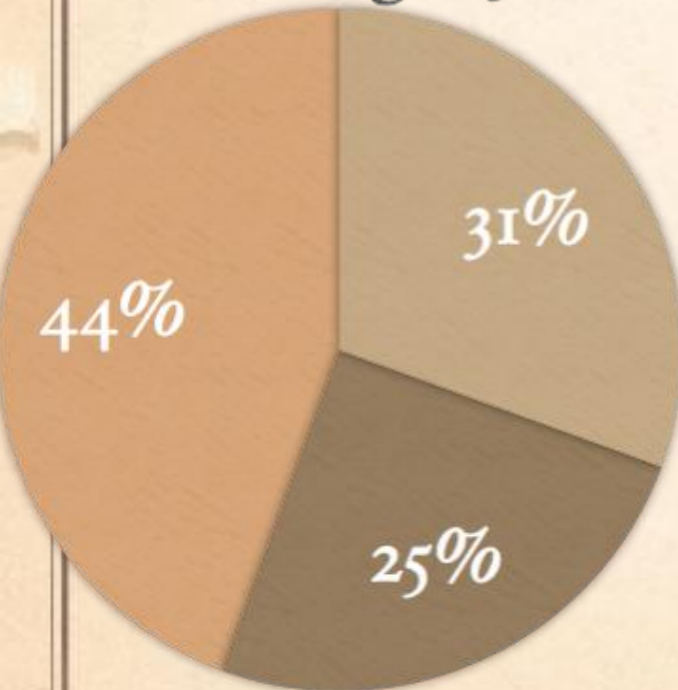
p.t.t.p Summary

- ❖ We intended to create a more bottom-up society for the UO by implementing the Power to the People.org website. We set out to build a central and single location on the internet where people of all backgrounds could come together and discuss and eventually vote on ideas. It would be able to hold a forum of discussions between students, faculty members, and administration members.

Survey group

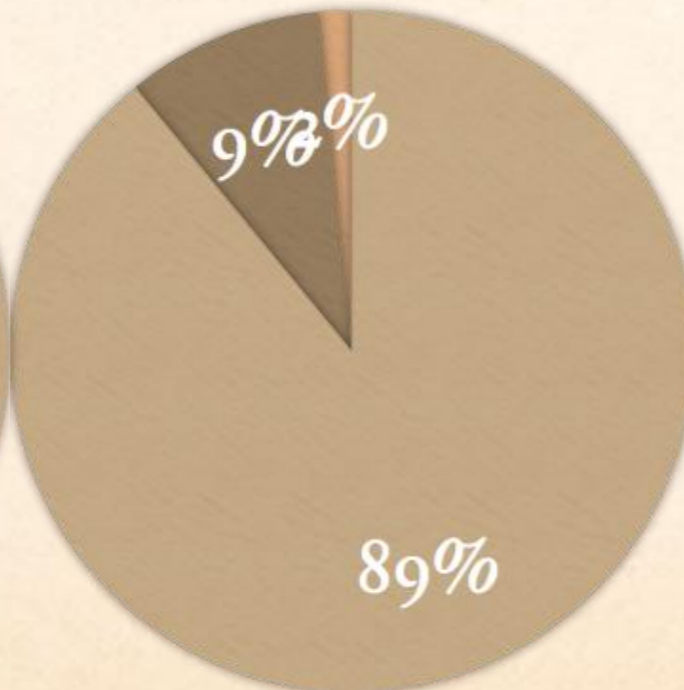
Age?

- Mean: 22
- Low: 18
- High: 32



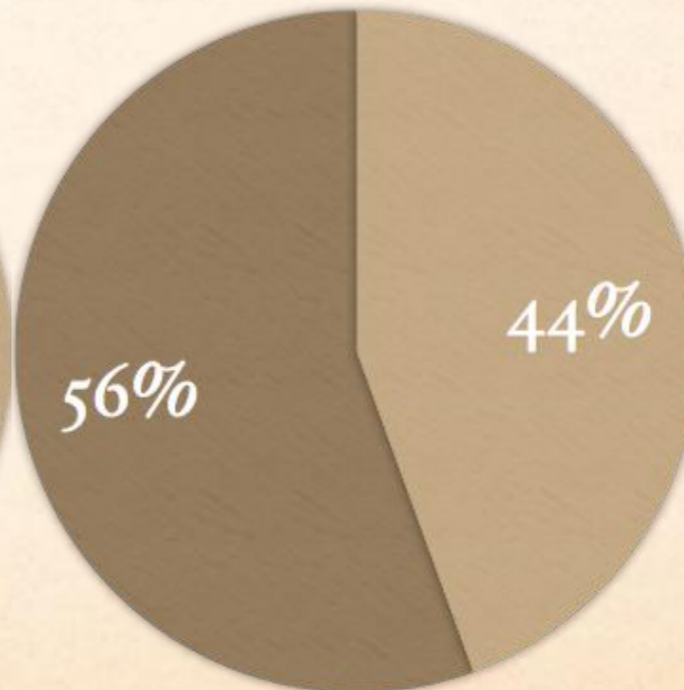
Nationality?

- US
- International
- Unstated



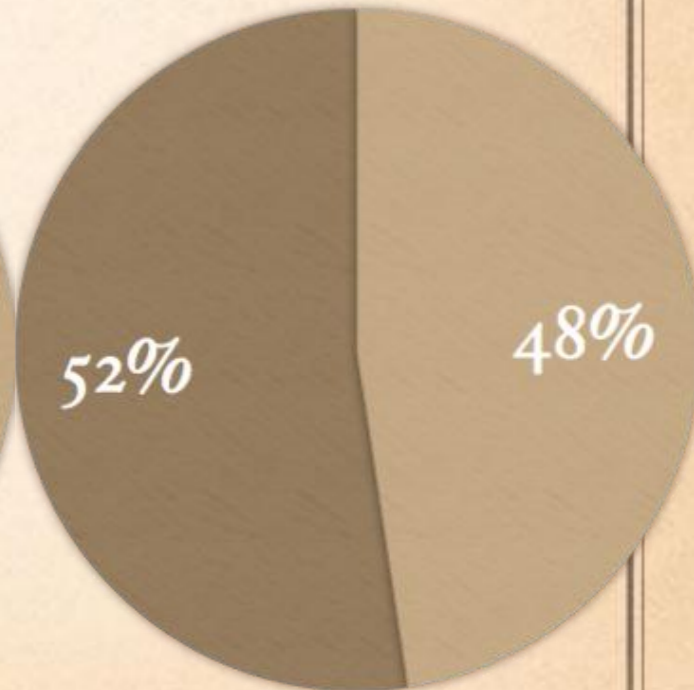
Employed?

- Employed
- Unemployed



Housing?

- On Campus
- Off Campus



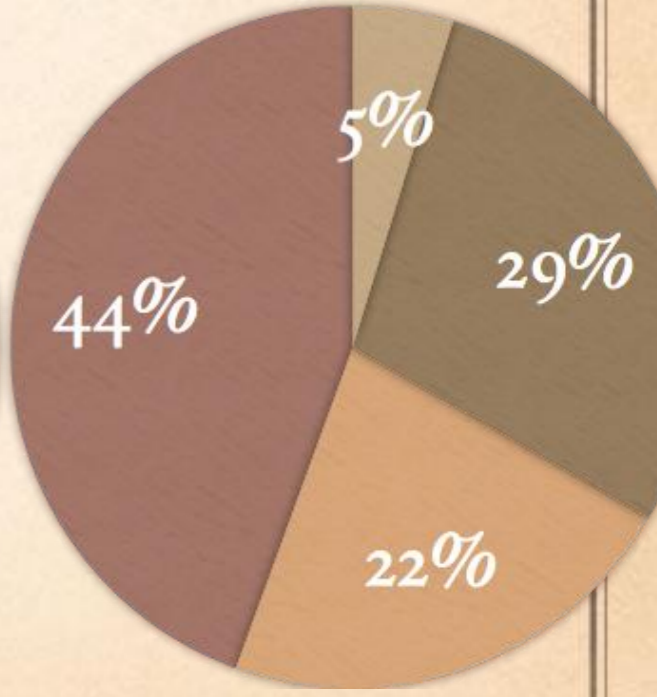
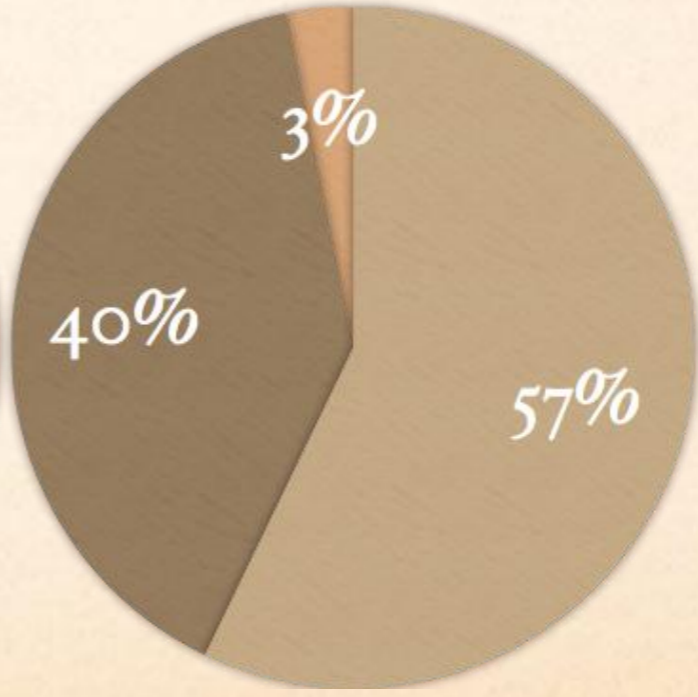
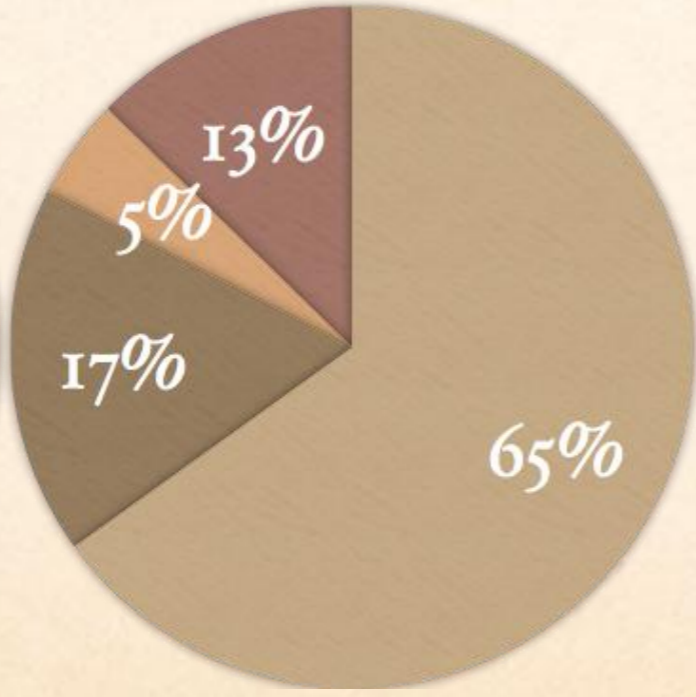
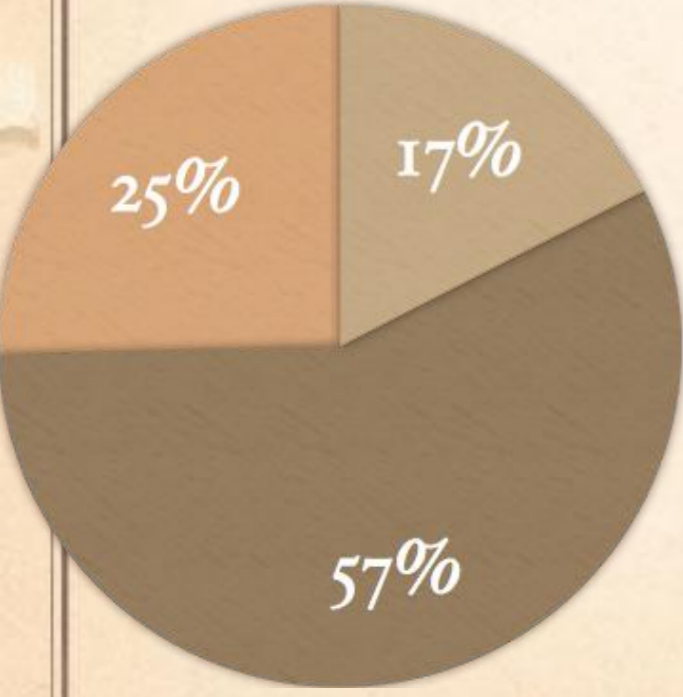
Survey group Continued

- Republican
- Democratic
- Unstated

- Business
- Journalism
- Philosophy
- Other/Undeclared

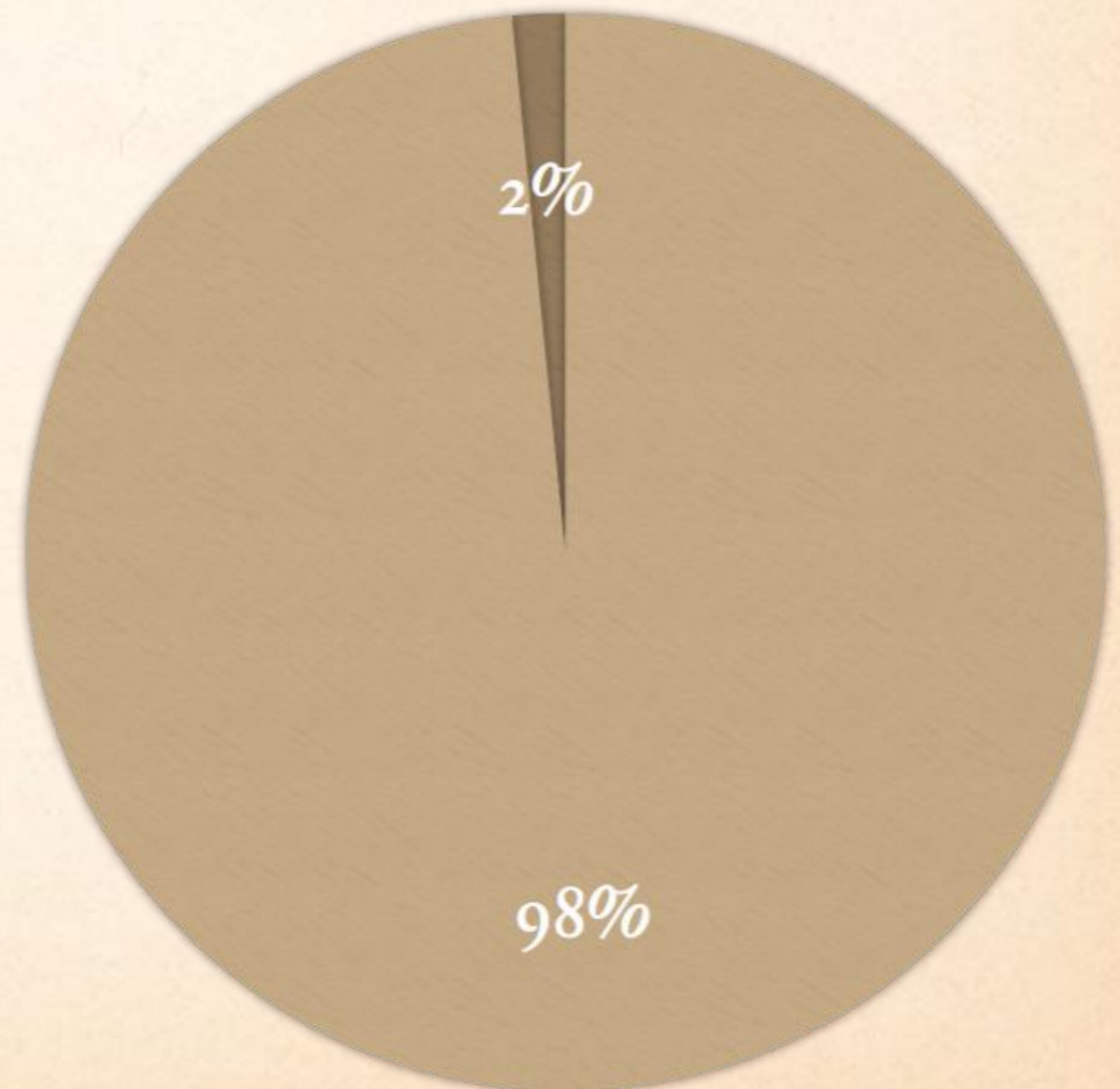
- Male
- Female
- Unstated

- Jewish
- Christian
- Atheist
- Unstated



Ever Felt Ignored by The ASUO Student government?

● Yes ● No

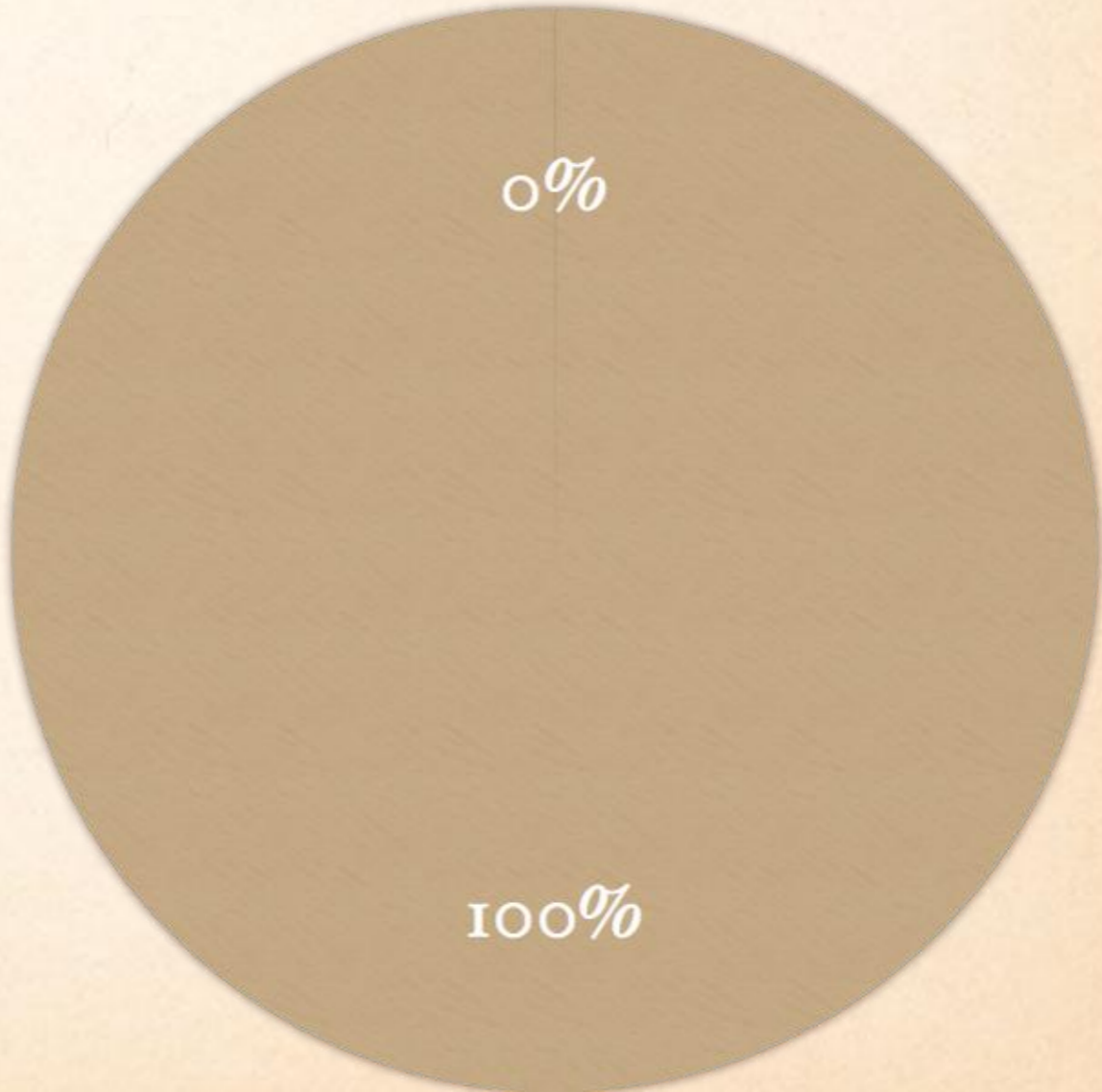


◆ Yes: 62

◆ No: 1

Has The University of Oregon ever made a decision you disagree with?

● Yes ● No



◆ Yes: 63

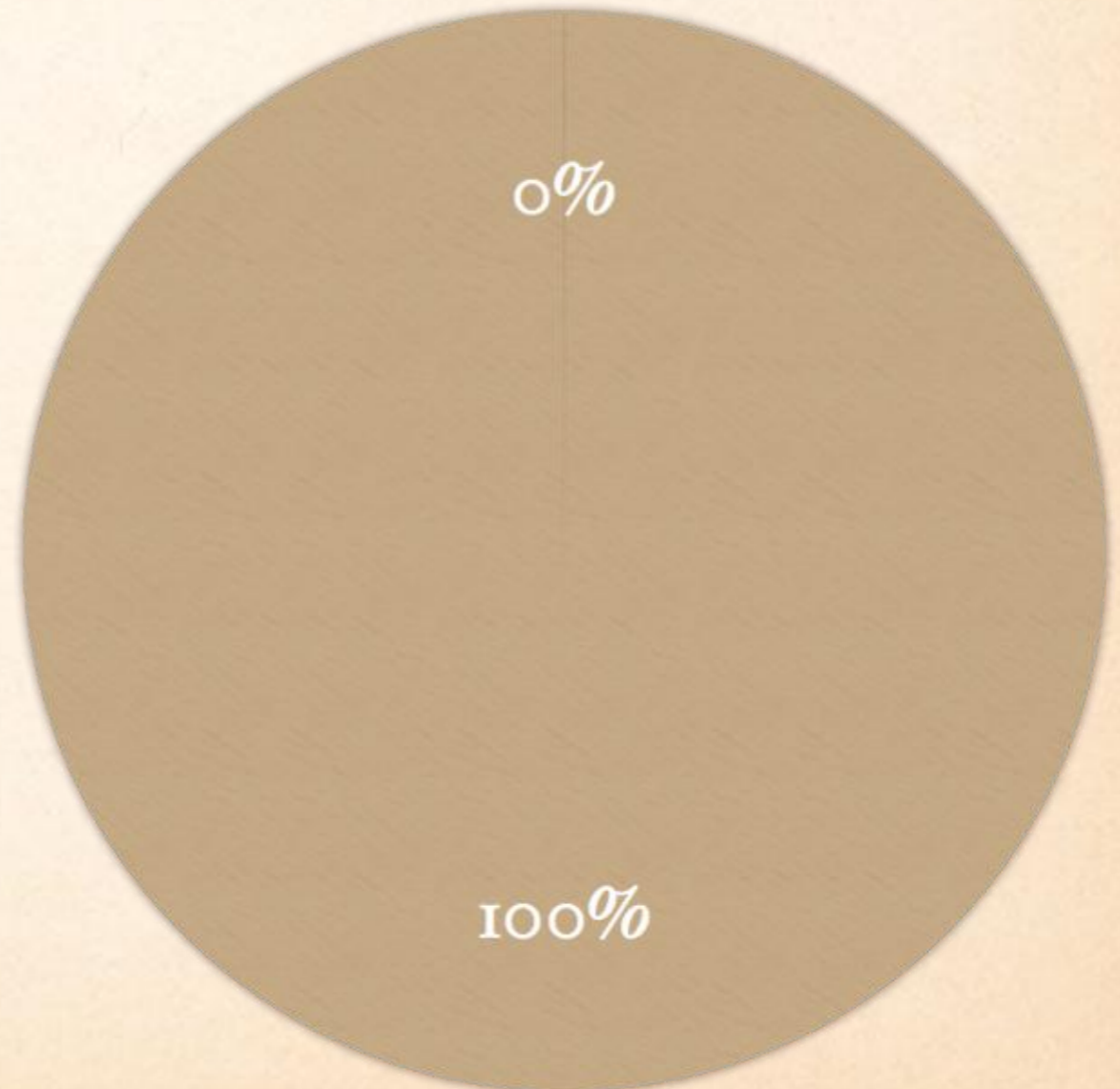
◆ No: 0

Are there currently things happening at uo that you wish to change?

● Yes ● No

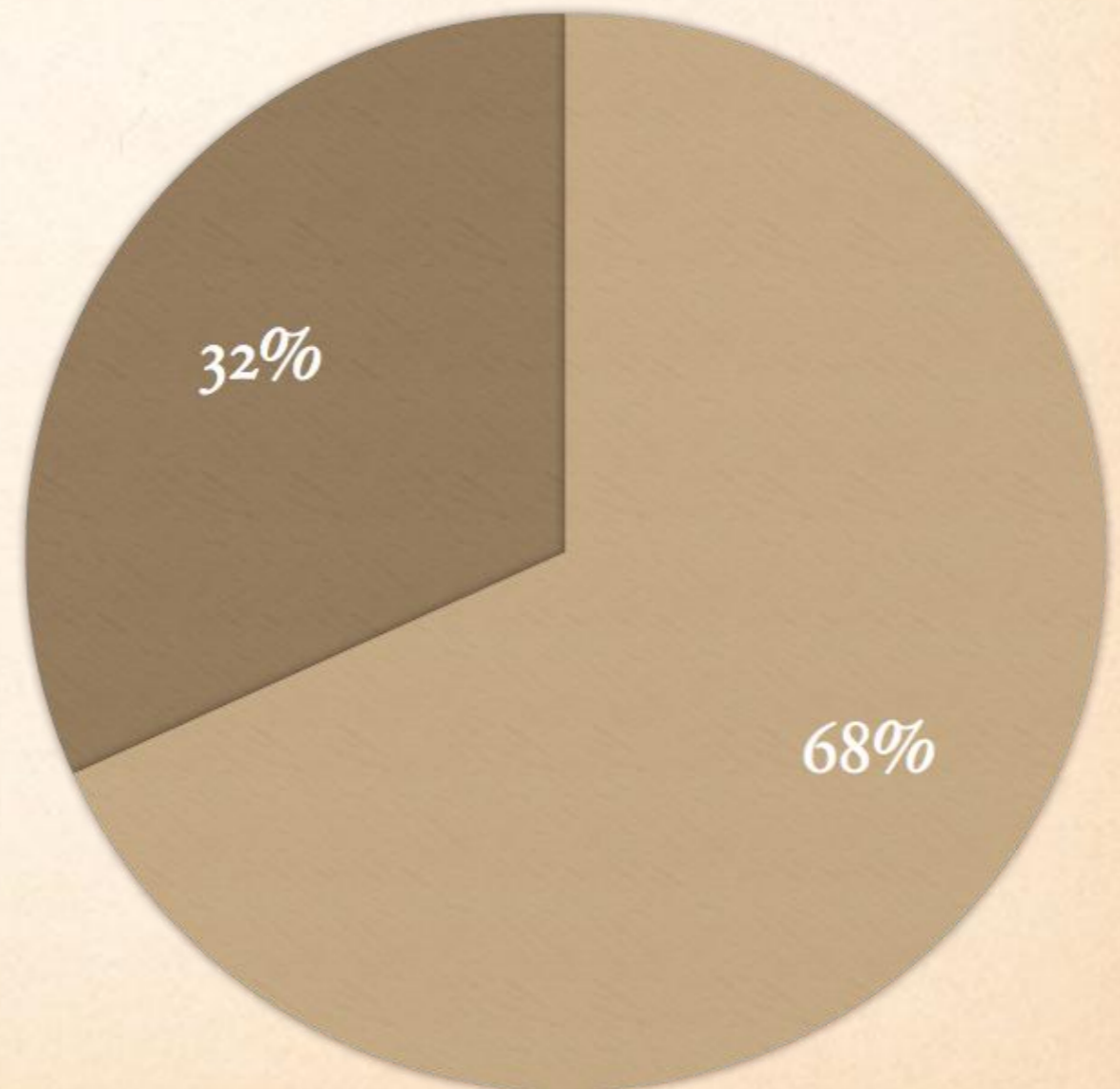
◆ Yes: 63

◆ No: 0



Do you currently have a place to input ideas or concerns?

● Yes ● No

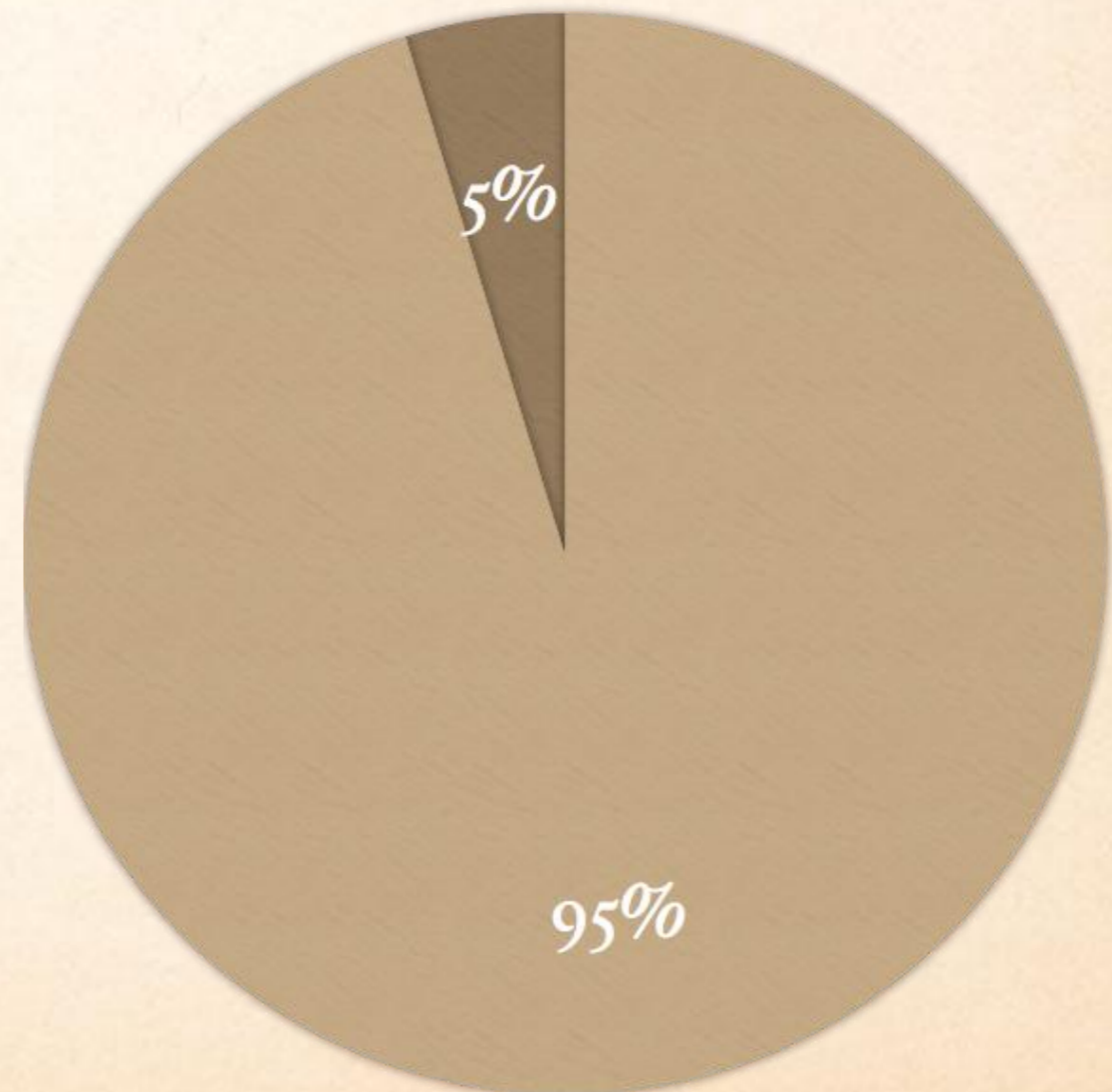


◆ Yes: 43

◆ No: 20

Would you participate?

● Yes ● No

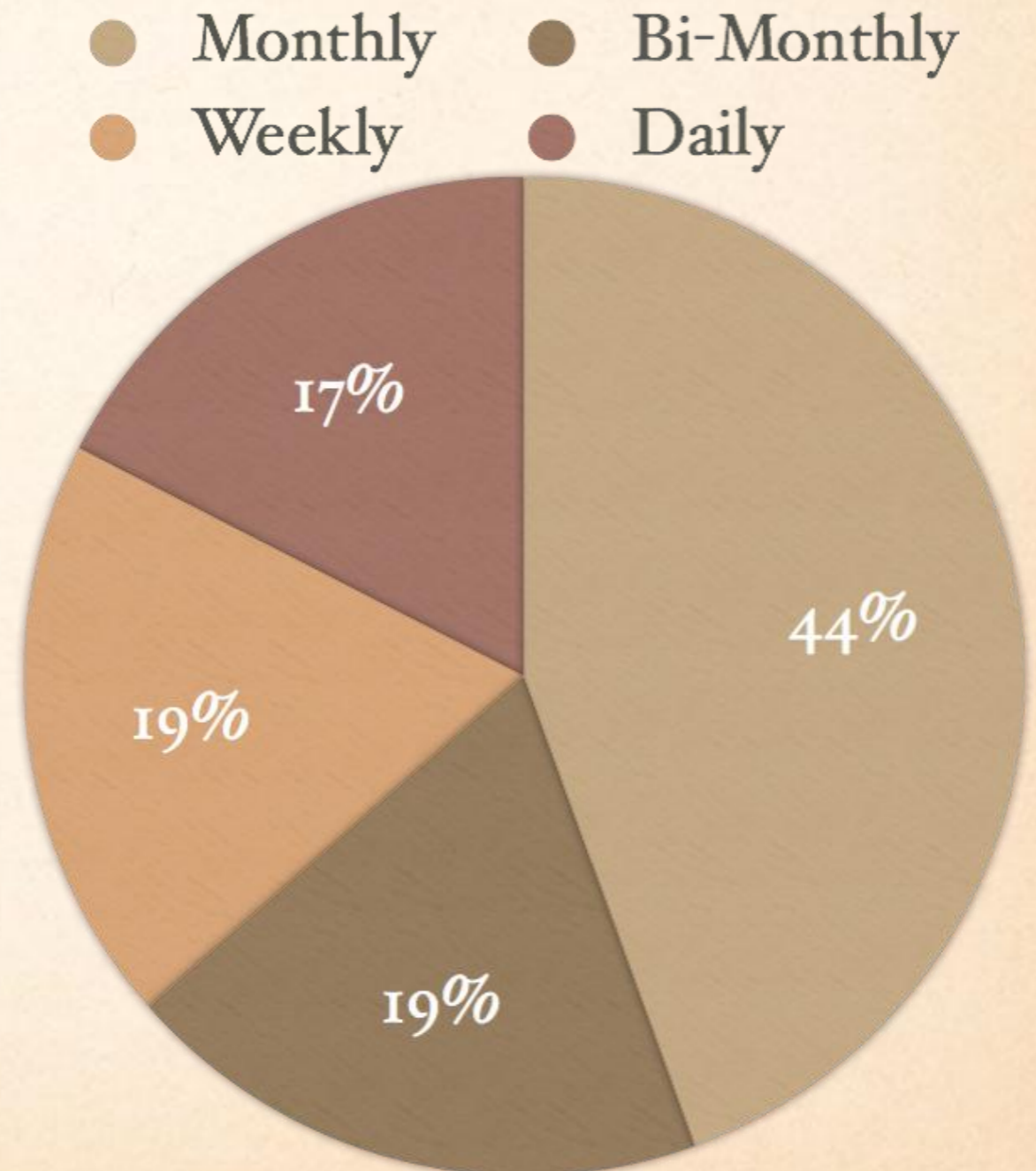


◆ Yes: 60

◆ No: 3

How often would you participate?

- ❖ Monthly: 28
- ❖ Bi-Monthly: 12
- ❖ Weekly: 12
- ❖ Daily: 11



Benefits

- ❖ - Uniting all students and faculty of the UO
- ❖ -Everyone has a voice. (No one is silenced.)
- ❖ -People are able to propose their own ideas, rather than just vote on governmentally proposed ideas.
- ❖ -Open environment for any member of the Uo
- ❖ -Allows for discussions as well, rather than just voting.

Disadvantages

- ❖ -Trolling (Non-professional submissions.)
- ❖ A small price to pay for a universal voice.

P.T.T.P.

- ❖ This would be an open forum for debate and voting on topics of all nature:
- ❖ Finances (Tuition, parking, upgrades/improvements, etc.)
- ❖ Regulations (Smoking, etc.)
- ❖ Construction
- ❖ Social (Planned activities, etc.)
- ❖ Anything

Action

❖ We sent a proposal letter to the ASUO President.

❖ “ We would like to submit a proposal for a website for the U of O site that would bring the concept of the We the People platform to the U of O and help bring together the students and faculty with the U of O government. The website would allow students and faculty to discuss and submit petitions for changes they'd like to see happen on campus, and vote on the ones they'd like to see happen, which would be considered by the U of O government. We feel this would be a good addition to the U of O website because it would unify the members of the U of O with the higher-up government members, helping make a more bottom-up government system rather than a top-down government where the higher-ups choose what to change on campus and have the students and faculty vote on their ideas. In addition, we held a survey of U of O students, and 98.4% of those surveyed felt they have been ignored by the U of O government, and they wanted an official place to discuss and submit their ideas for changes to campus. Please take this website idea
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into consideration and respond. Thank you.

Proposal

It has been taken into consideration.

Thank you

