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COVID-19
(internet survey)
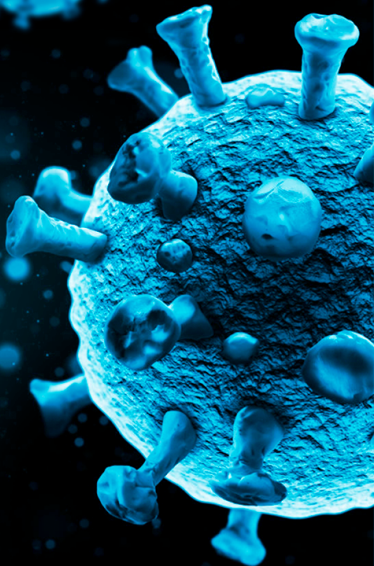
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On the 24th of April 2020, Central Bureau of Statistics (CBS) launched an internet survey on the impact of COVID-19 on the social economic status of the population of 15 years and older. This survey was distributed through text message by Digicel and UTS, and through the digital online platforms of the government of Curaçao and CBS.

The survey covered topics such as, sense of health and safety, labor and provision in necessities. The questions concerning the topics, including the questions pertaining to demography, totaled to 18.

The COVID-19 internet survey has been opened a total of 113.476 times. Of those who opened the survey, 24.535 (the weighted representation of women was 56.0% and men 44.0%) filled in the questionnaire. This is 27.9% of the population that has access to internet, through the dwelling or via mobile, here in Curaçao. Which is 68.8% of the population as found in the ICT & Media survey that CBS conducted in 2017.

Due to the collection method used these results are solely an indication for those with internet access at home or through their mobile, and not the general public at large.

CBS would like to thank all those who contributed in the execution of the survey and those who participated.

Main results of the COVID-19 survey

1. Respondents generally gave their health a value of **8.0** on a scale of 1 to 10

2. **63.4%** of the respondents agreed or completely agreed with the statement that they feel as safe at home now, as before COVID-19

3. Of the respondents, **18.8%** indicated that they earned less. **74.3%** of this group indicated that their main source of income was out of labor/company

4. The approximation under those,15 - 65 years of age, who are looking for work was **18.1%**, which gives an indication for those of the population with internet access and **not** the public in general.

5. **37.1%** of those looking for work, were looking for more than 6 months

6. **84.3%** indicated that they can provide their self and family with food and drink during the pandemic

7. **40.2%** of the respondents are part of a household with children (younger than 18 years) and **59.8%** are part of a household without children (18 and older)

Respondents by age and gender

Number of respondents
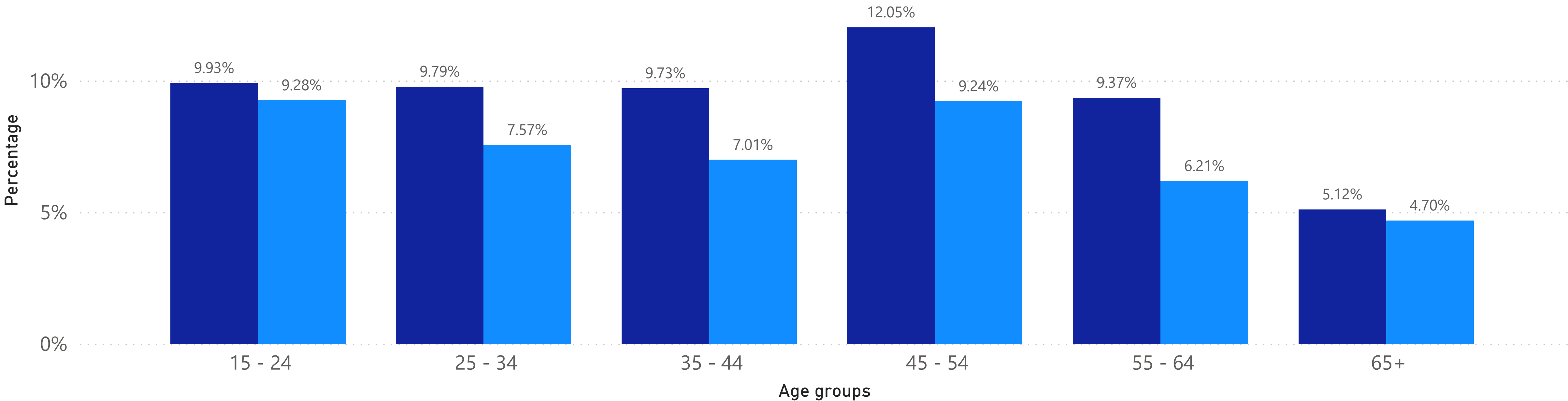
24,535

who are 15+

Gender

All ⌄

Age

All ⌄

Age groups by gender

Gender ● Female ● Male

Percentage

10%

5%

0%

	15 - 24	25 - 34	35 - 44	45 - 54	55 - 64	65+
Female	9.93%	9.79%	9.73%	12.05%	9.37%	5.12%
Male	9.28%	7.57%	7.01%	9.24%	6.21%	4.70%

Age groups

Tip!

Delve deeper into the data by using the drop down lists on the top right hand side.
You can also click the columns in the chart to see the number of respondents

Household composition of the respondents

% of respondents in households

40.2%

with children (under 18 years)

% of respondents in households
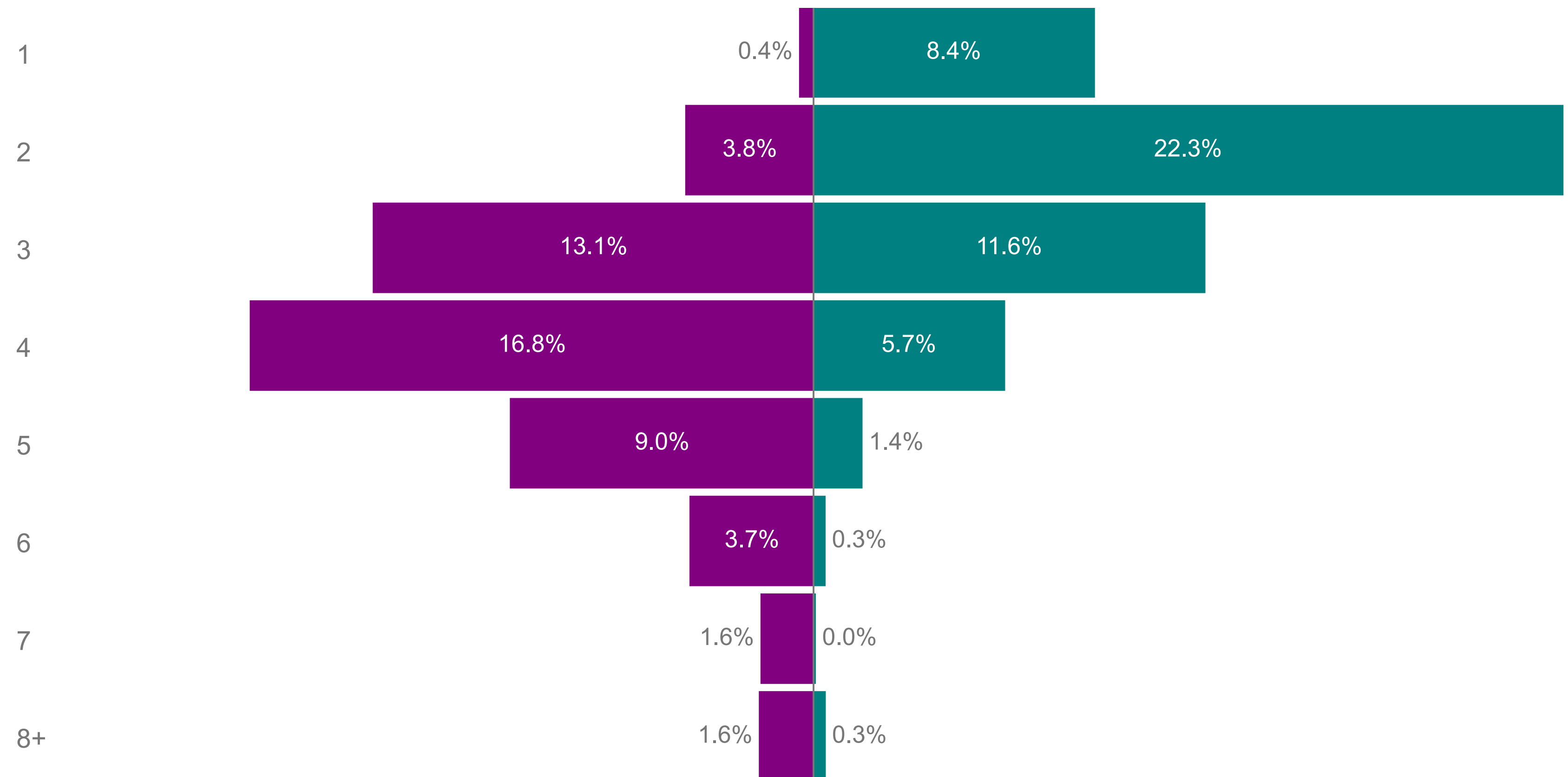
59.8%

without children

Age

All ▾

Gender

All ▾

Households by household size

Households ● With children ● Without children

Household size	With children	Without children
1	0.4%	8.4%
2	3.8%	22.3%
3	13.1%	11.6%
4	16.8%	5.7%
5	9.0%	1.4%
6	3.7%	0.3%
7	1.6%	0.0%
8+	1.6%	0.3%

Tip!

Make your own selection of the data by selecting the groups, above, you want to see more information on.

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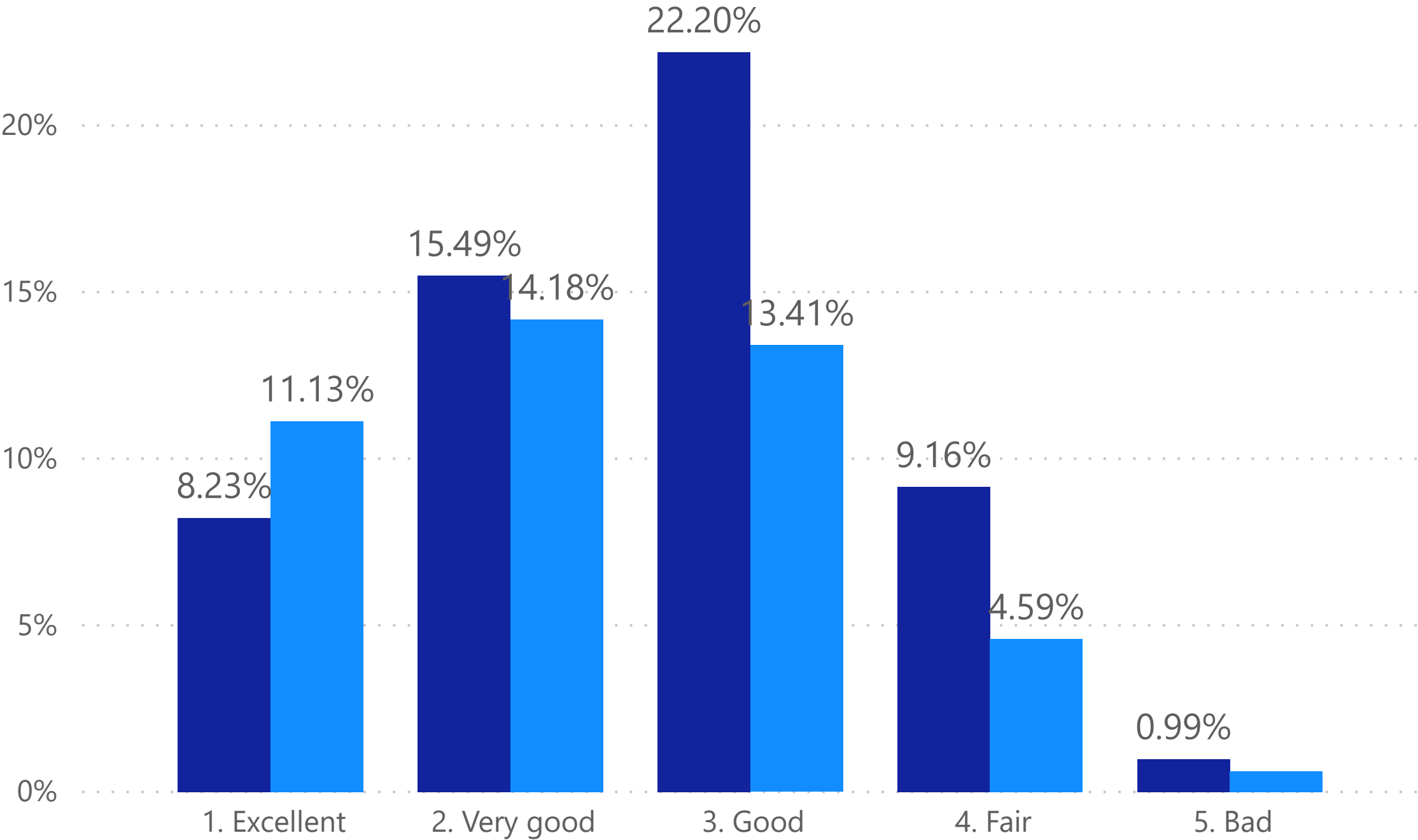
Health of the respondents by age and gender

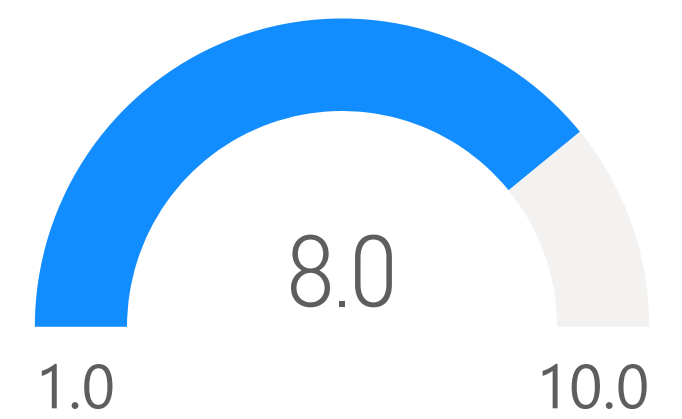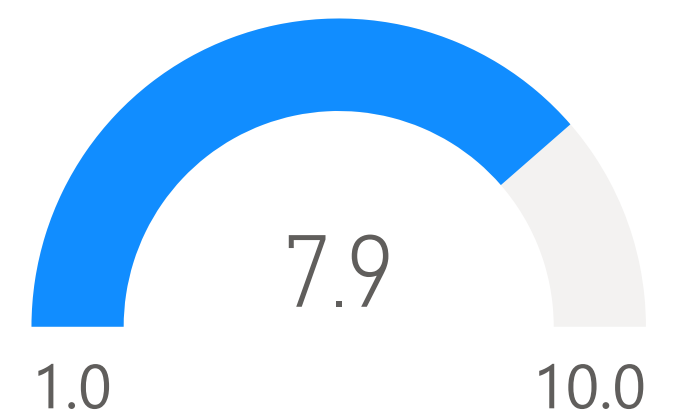### Health average general

8.0

1.0 — 10.0

Health average women

7.9

1.0 — 10.0

Health average men

8.1

1.0 — 10.0

Age

All ▾

I consider my general health as

● Female ● Male

	Female	Male
1. Excellent	8.23%	11.13%
2. Very good	15.49%	14.18%
3. Good	22.20%	13.41%
4. Fair	9.16%	4.59%
5. Bad	0.99%	
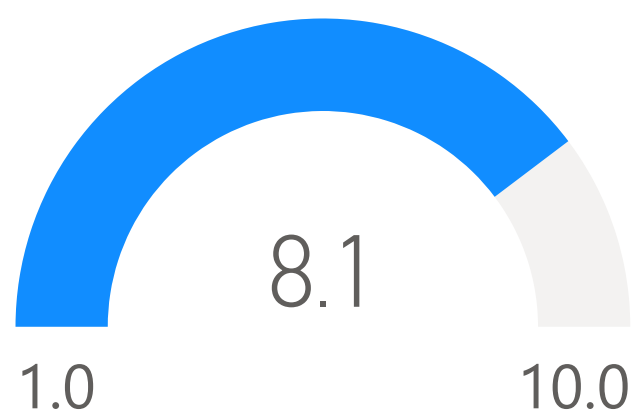
The statement that best expresses how I feel about my life

● Female ● Male

	Female	Male
1. I feel happy	18.0%	14.8%
2. I feel somewhat happy	10.9%	9.9%
3. I feel neutral	21.9%	14.5%
4. I feel somewhat unhappy	4.1%	3.4%
5. I feel unhappy	1.2%	1.3%
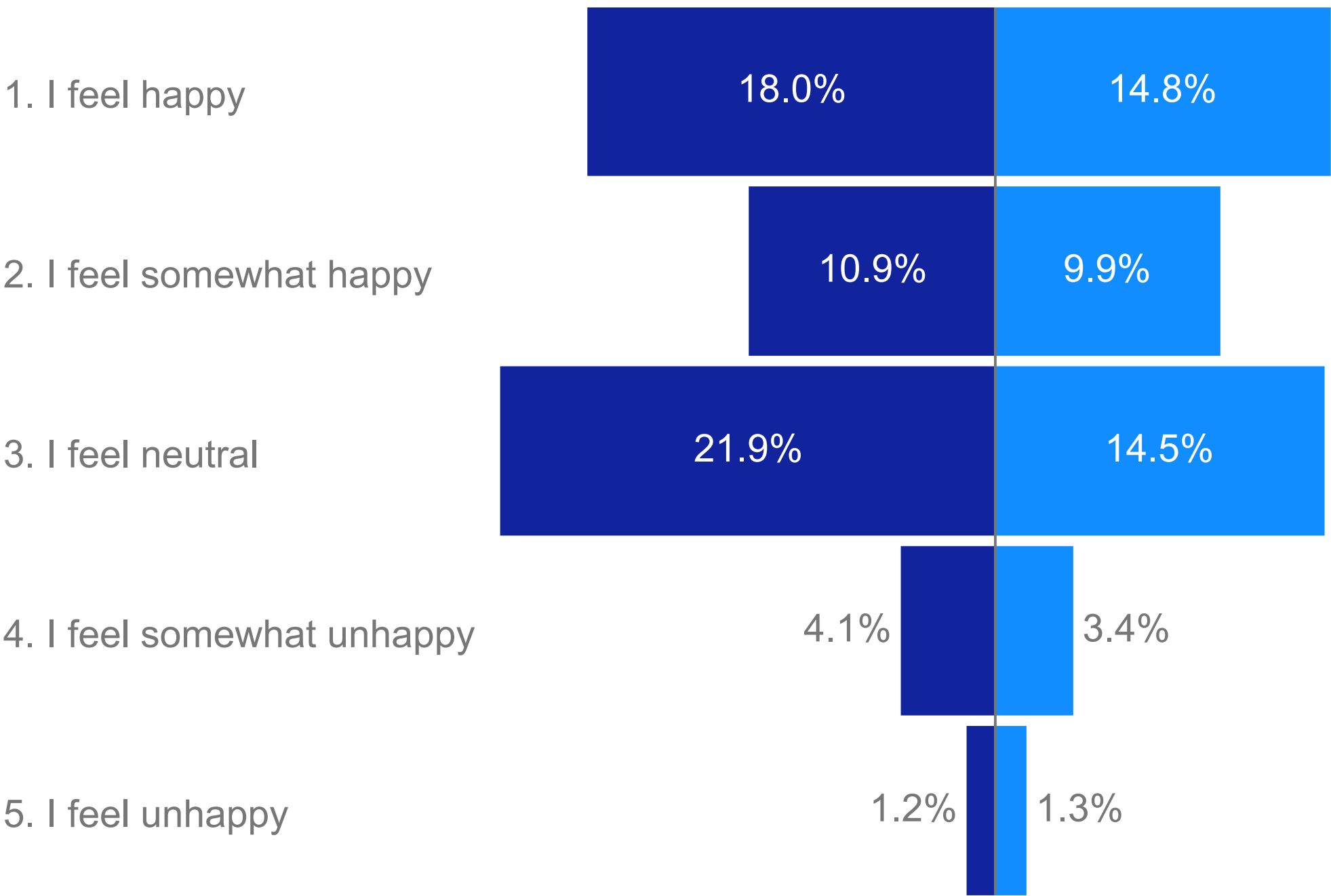
Tip!

By clicking on the word excellent, you will see how this group answered the statement that best expresses how they think about their life and their average health.

Feeling of safety of the respondents by age and gender

Number of respondents who answered this question

18,994

that are 15+

% of those who answered

56.0%

that are women

% of those who answered

44.0%

that are men

I feel as safe at home now, as before COVID-19

Age

All ⌄

Category	Percentage
1. I completely agree	21.9%
2. I agree	41.5%
3. I don't agree or disagree	26.3%
4. I disagree	8.4%
5. I completely disagree	1.8%

0% 5% 10% 15% 20% 25% 30% 35% 40% 45%

Tip!

Click on the a category on your left hand side to see how many of the respondents stated as such.

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Economic position (earn less) of the respondents by age and gender

18.8%
who earn less

Gender of the respondent

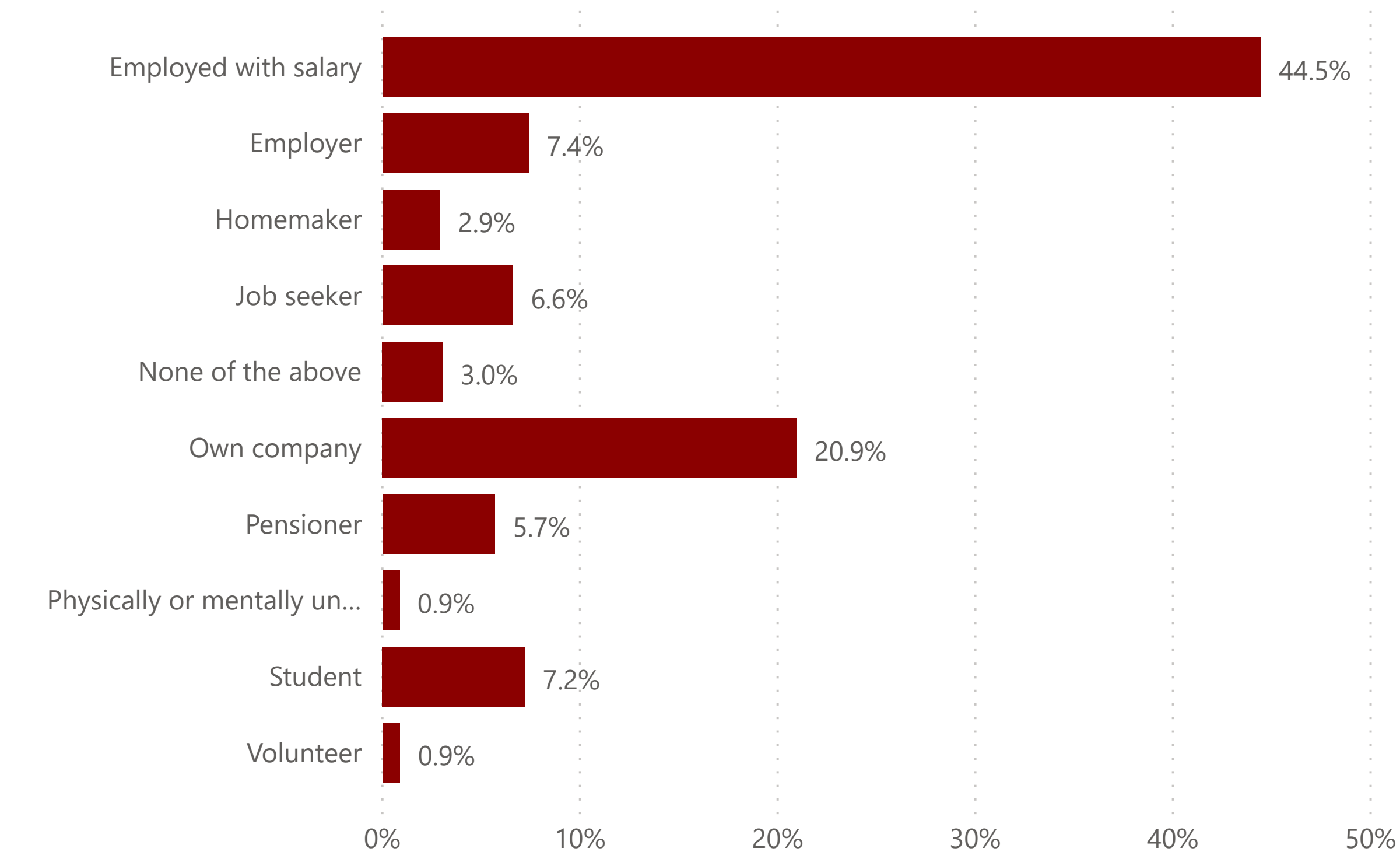| All	⌄

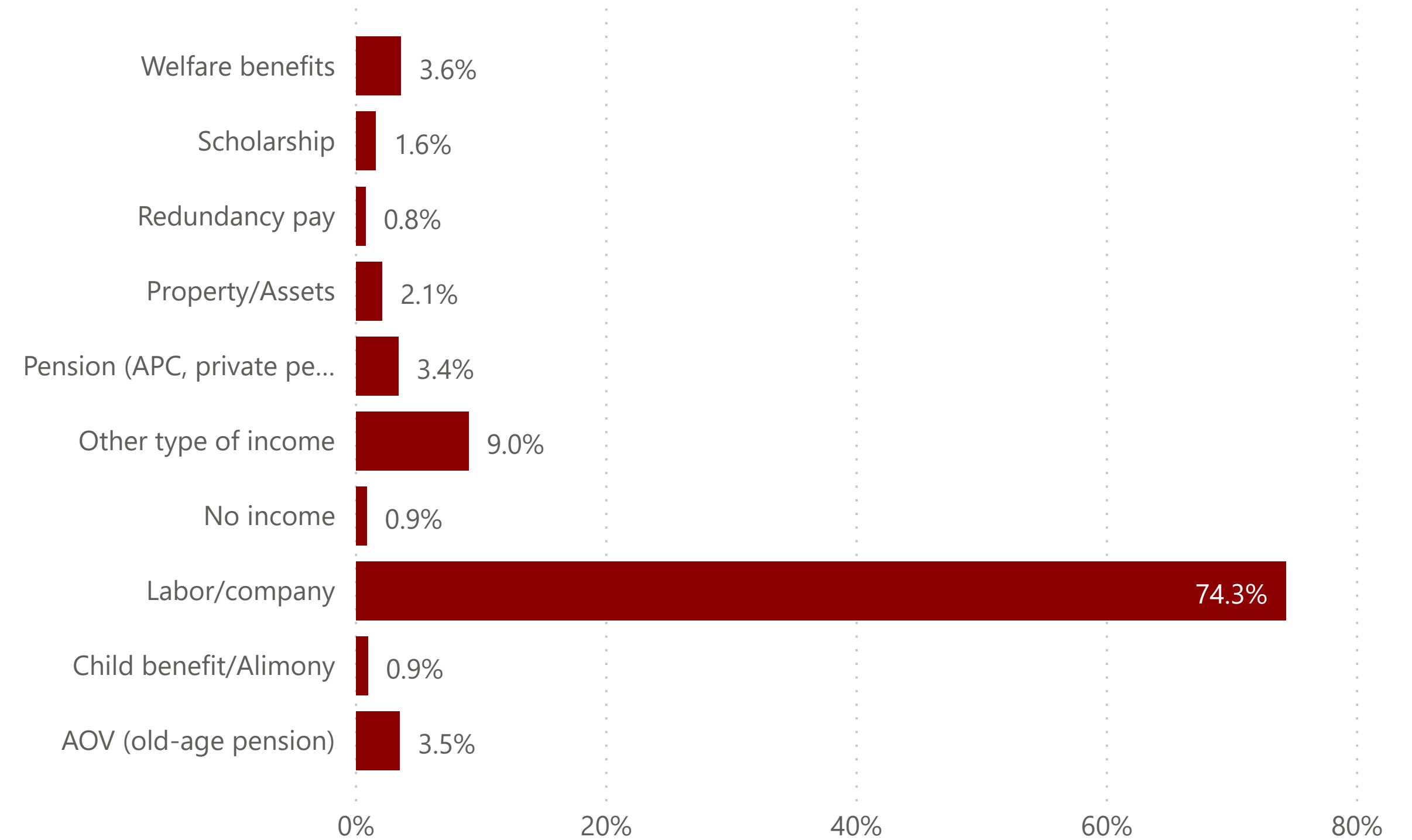Age

All	⌄

Those who indicated earning less vs Position on the labour market

Position	%
Employed with salary	44.5%
Employer	7.4%
Homemaker	2.9%
Job seeker	6.6%
None of the above	3.0%
Own company	20.9%
Pensioner	5.7%
Physically or mentally un...	0.9%
Student	7.2%
Volunteer	0.9%

0%   10%   20%   30%   40%   50%

Those who indicated earning less vs Main source of income

Source of income	%
Welfare benefits	3.6%
Scholarship	1.6%
Redundancy pay	0.8%
Property/Assets	2.1%
Pension (APC, private pe...)	3.4%
Other type of income	9.0%
No income	0.9%
Labor/company	74.3%
Child benefit/Alimony	0.9%
AOV (old-age pension)	3.5%

0%   20%   40%   60%   80%

Tip!
Click on the **dark red** part in either graph to see the corresponding distribution

Economic Position of the respondents by age and gender

Economic position

Economic position	Percentage
Looking for Work	18.0%
Working	82.0%

Tip!
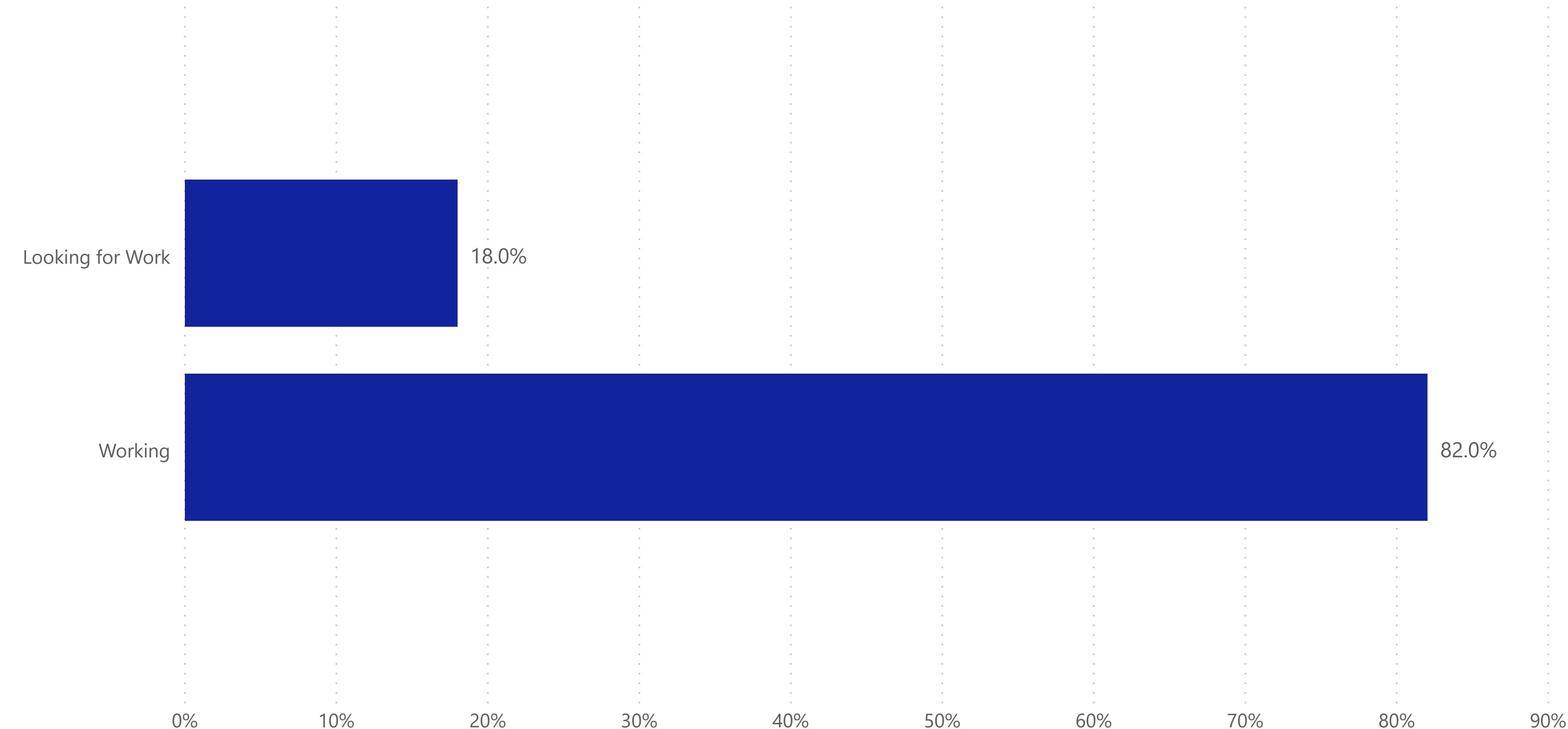
Use the age group category to see the people looking for work vs those working for that particular age group.

In the graph click on the arrow pointing downwards (drill down function). Afterwards double click on the **dark blue** bar to see the economic positions of those grouped in this category.

Months looking for work of the respondents by age and gender

Looking for work
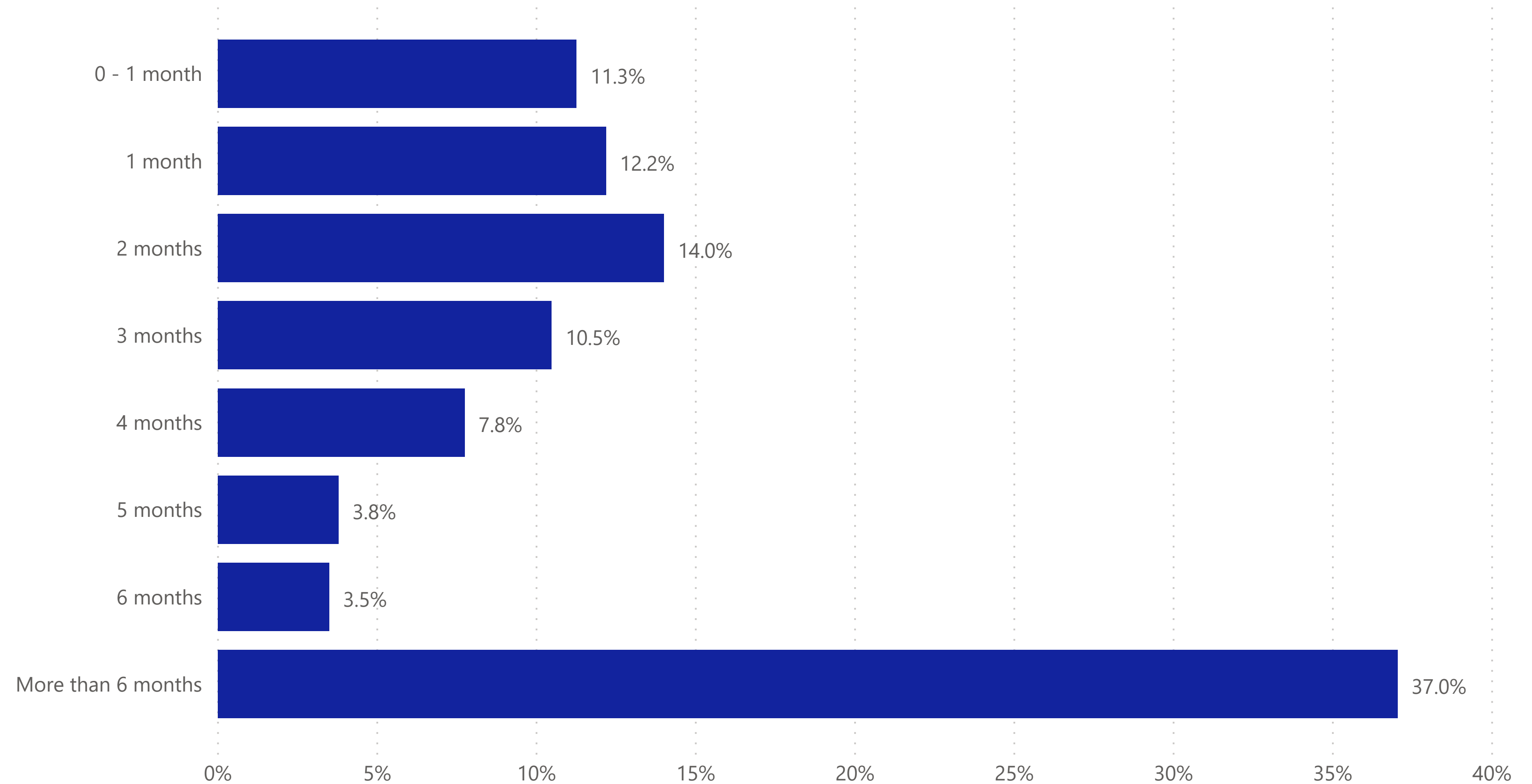
18.1%
15 - 65

Gender of the respondent

All ▾

Age

All ▾

Months looking for work

Category	Value
0 - 1 month	11.3%
1 month	12.2%
2 months	14.0%
3 months	10.5%
4 months	7.8%
5 months	3.8%
6 months	3.5%
More than 6 months	37.0%

0%   5%   10%   15%   20%   25%   30%   35%   40%

Tip!

Use the age group category to see the unemployment rate and the months looking for work of the age group.

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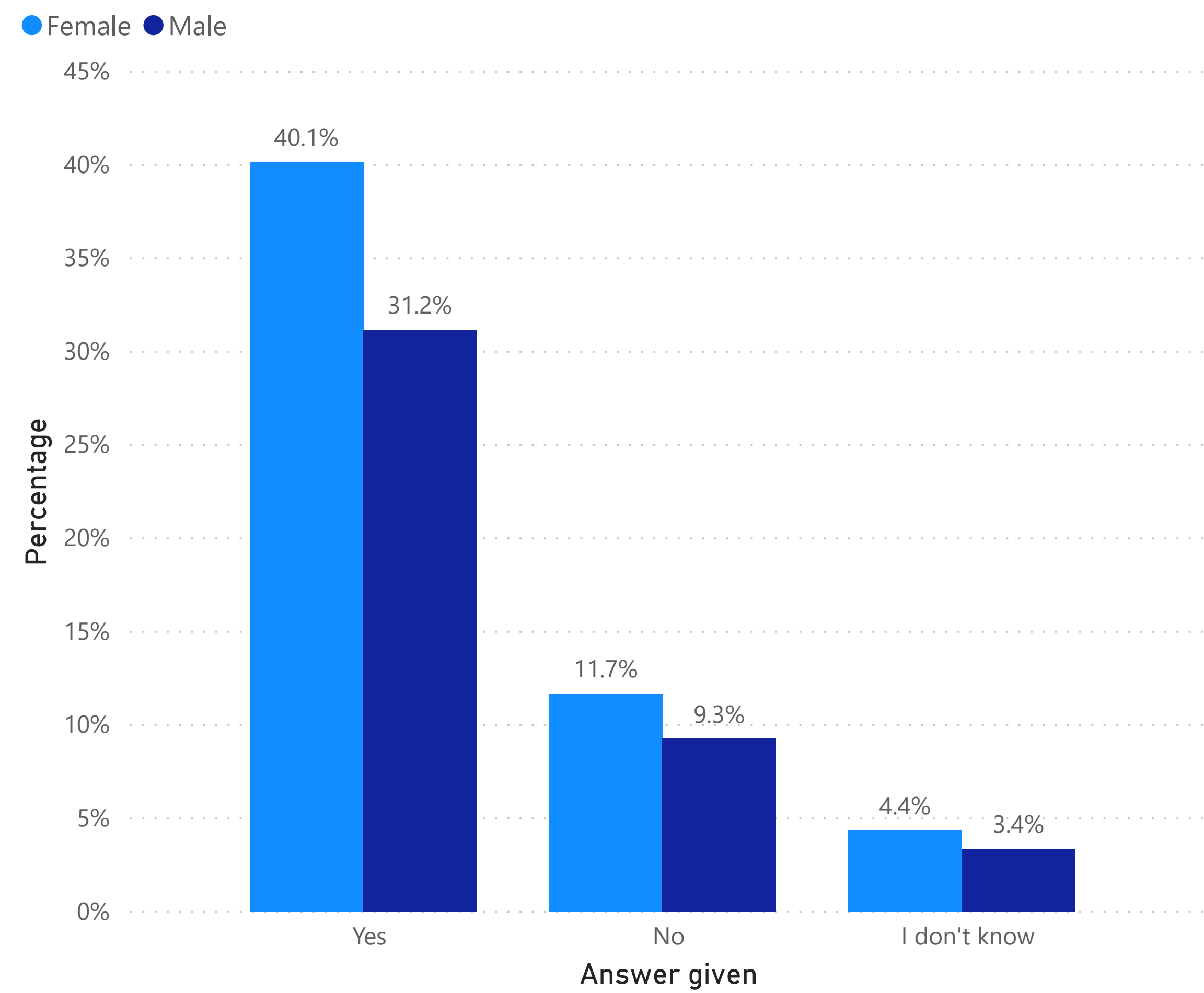# Providing in life necessities of the respondents by age and gender

% of total respondents who

84.3%

are able to provide in food

I am currently able to provide myself and my family with food and drink

● Female ● Male

Percentage

- 40.1% (Female, Yes)
- 31.2% (Male, Yes)
- 11.7% (Female, No)
- 9.3% (Male, No)
- 4.4% (Female, I don't know)
- 3.4% (Male, I don't know)

Answer given

I am currently able to provide myself and my family with hygienic needs

● Female ● Male

Percentage

- 44.1% (Female, Yes)
- 35.8% (Male, Yes)
- 8.9% (Female, No)
- 6.3% (Male, No)
- 2.8% (Female, I don't know)
- 2.1% (Male, I don't know)

Answer given

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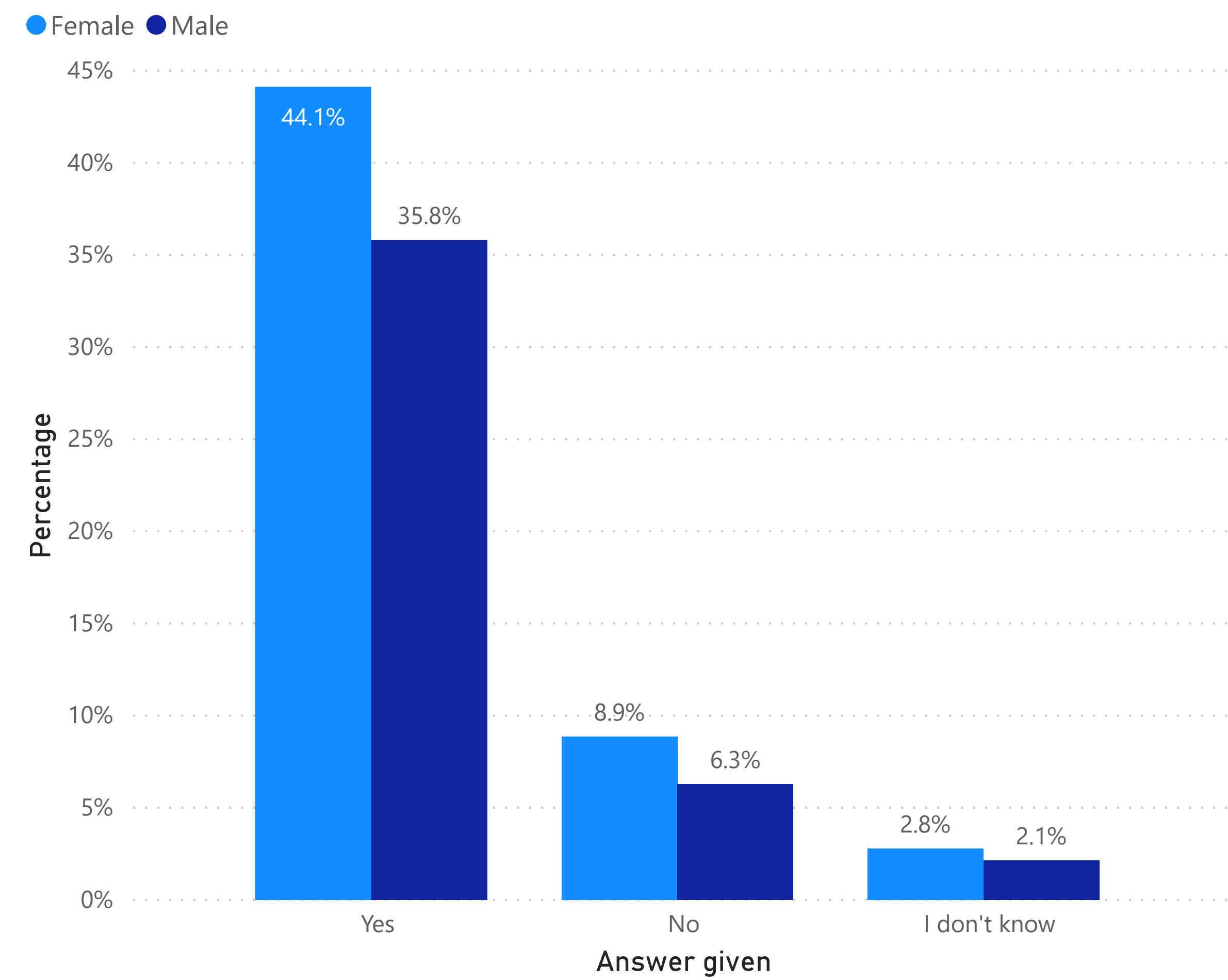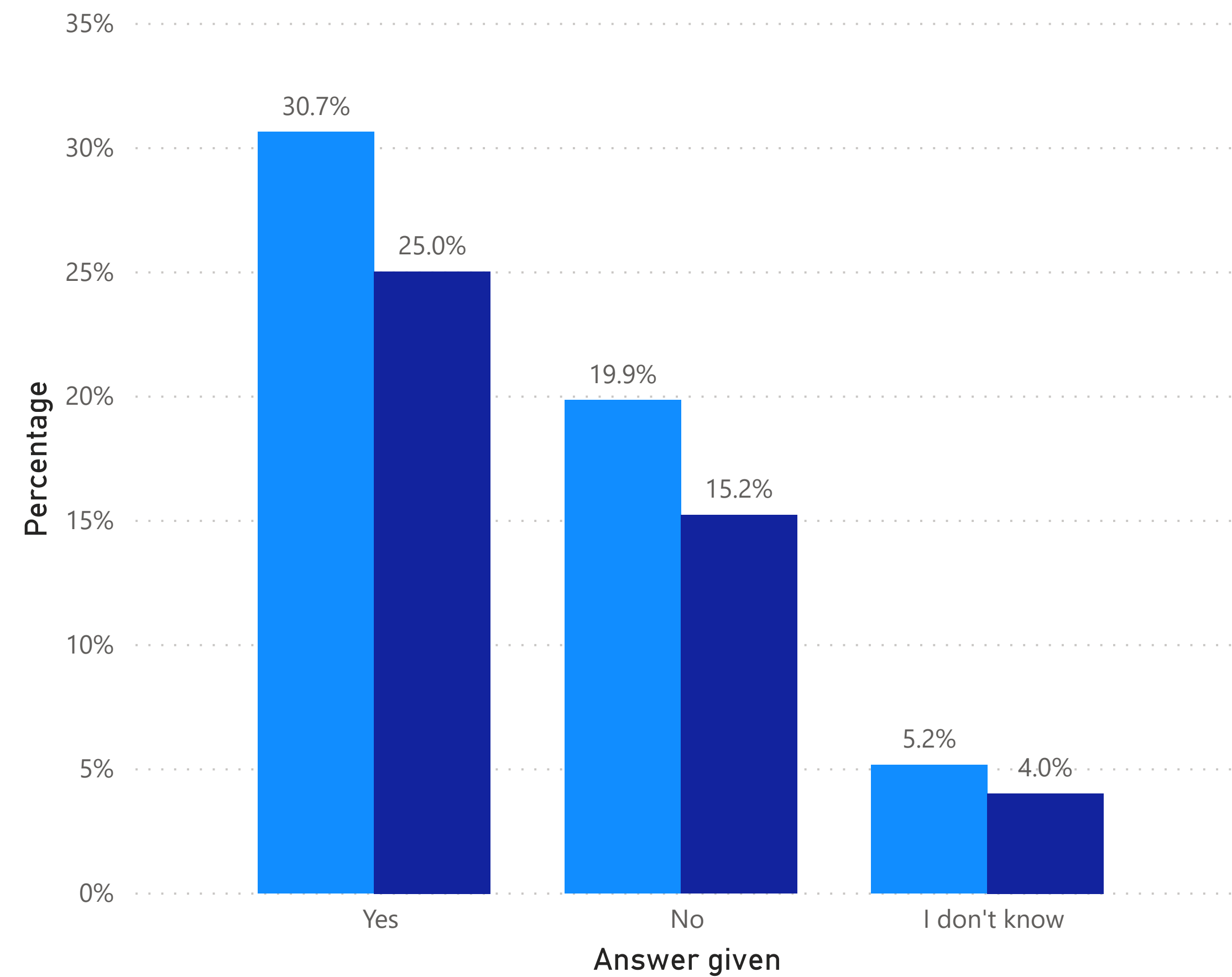
% of total respondents who

84.3%

are able to provide in food

I am currently able to repay debts/meet obligations I incurred

● Female ● Male

Percentage

- 30.7%
- 25.0%
- 19.9%
- 15.2%
- 5.2%
- 4.0%

Answer given: Yes, No, I don't know

I currently have internet access at home

● Female ● Male

Percentage

- 52.3%
- 42.2%
- 3.4%
- 2.1%

Answer given: Yes, No