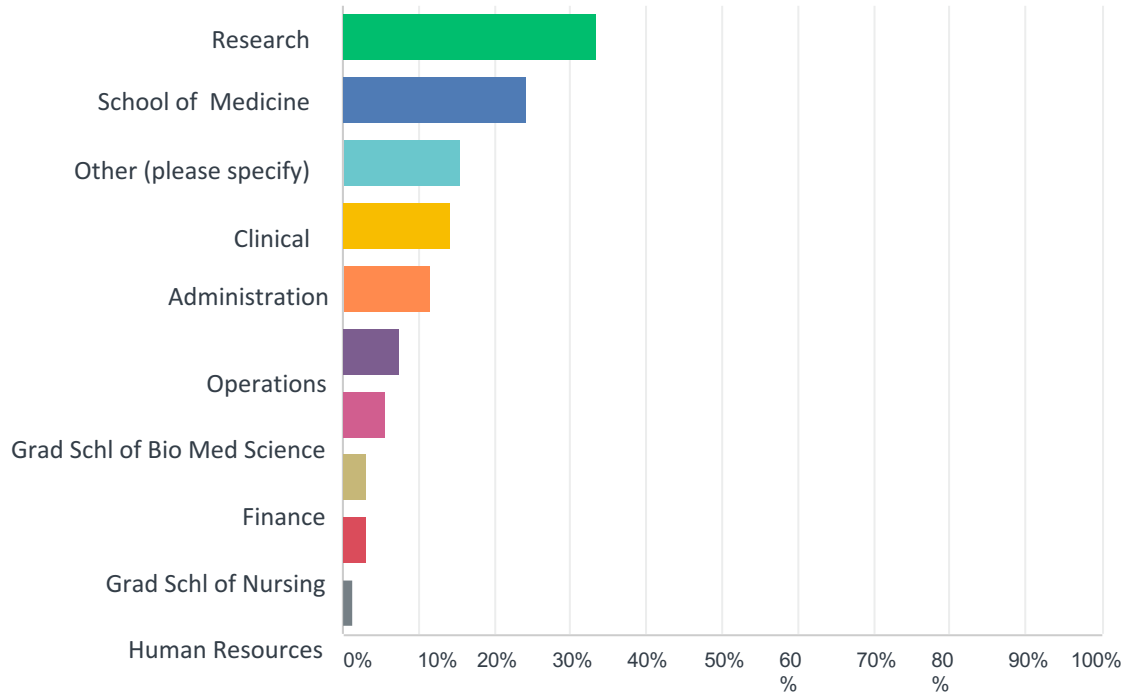


Survey Results

UMMS Sustainability Survey
Fall 2019

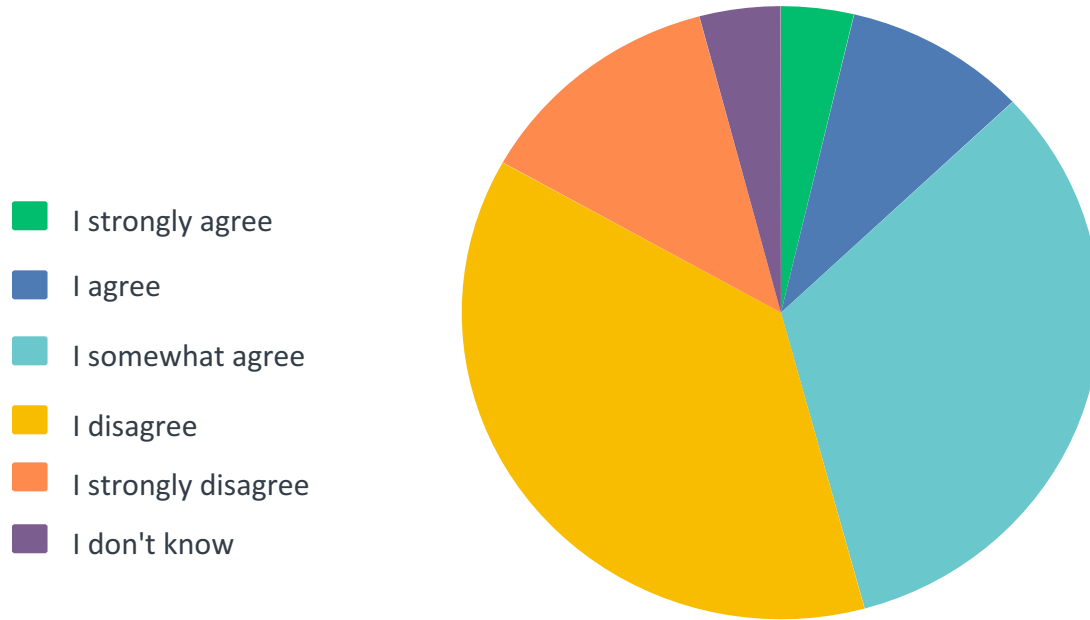
Summary of respondents

- 500 responses (5.5% of the UMMS community)
- 100 people want to be more involved with sustainability at UMMS



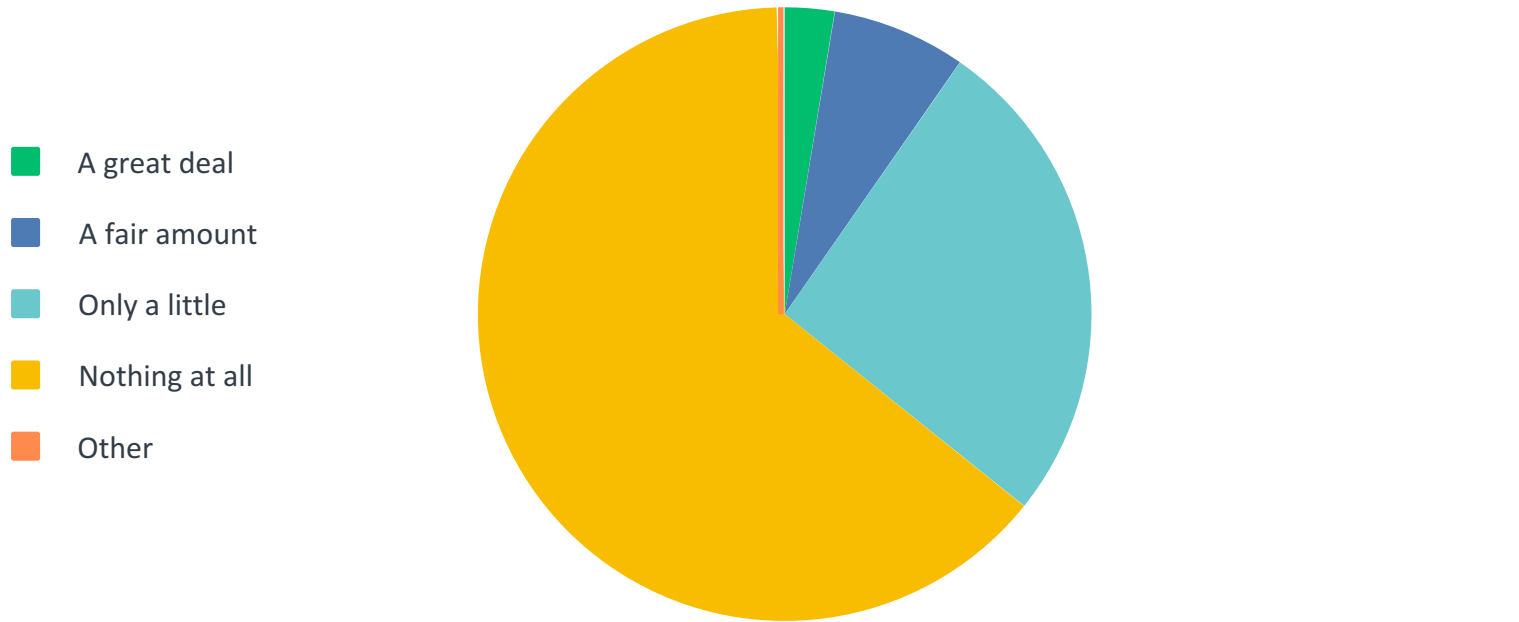
Awareness of UMMS sustainability

Q36 I feel informed about what is going on at UMMS about sustainability.



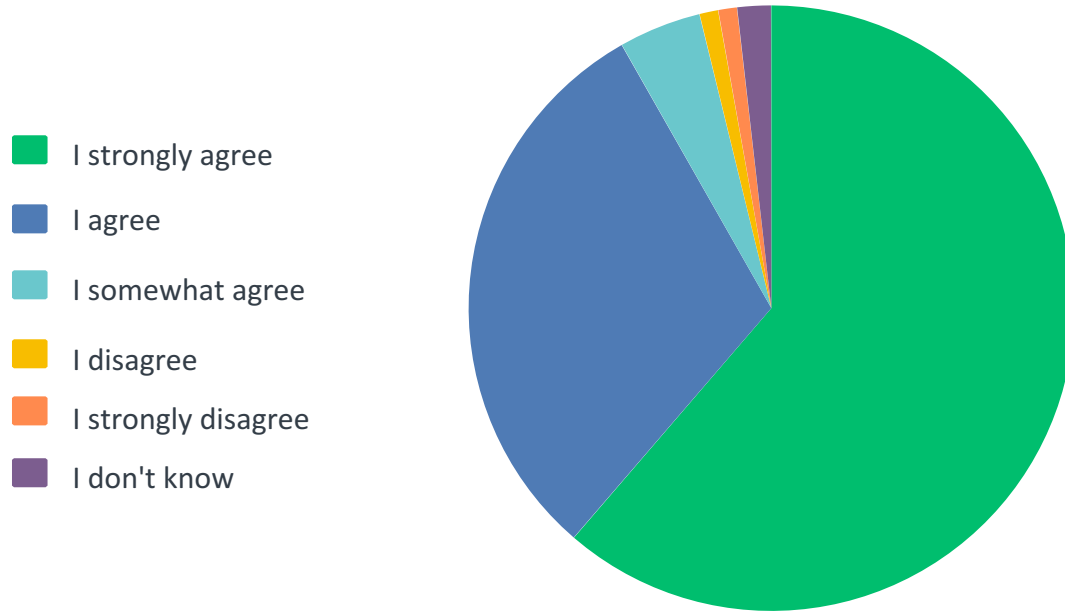
	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	SOMEWHAT AGREE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DON'T KNOW	TOTAL
	3.70%	9.24%	32.85%	37.37%	12.73%	4.11%	
Responses	18	45	160	182	62	20	487

Q5 The University of Massachusetts has a system-level Sustainability Policy which establishes goals across 10 pillars of sustainability.



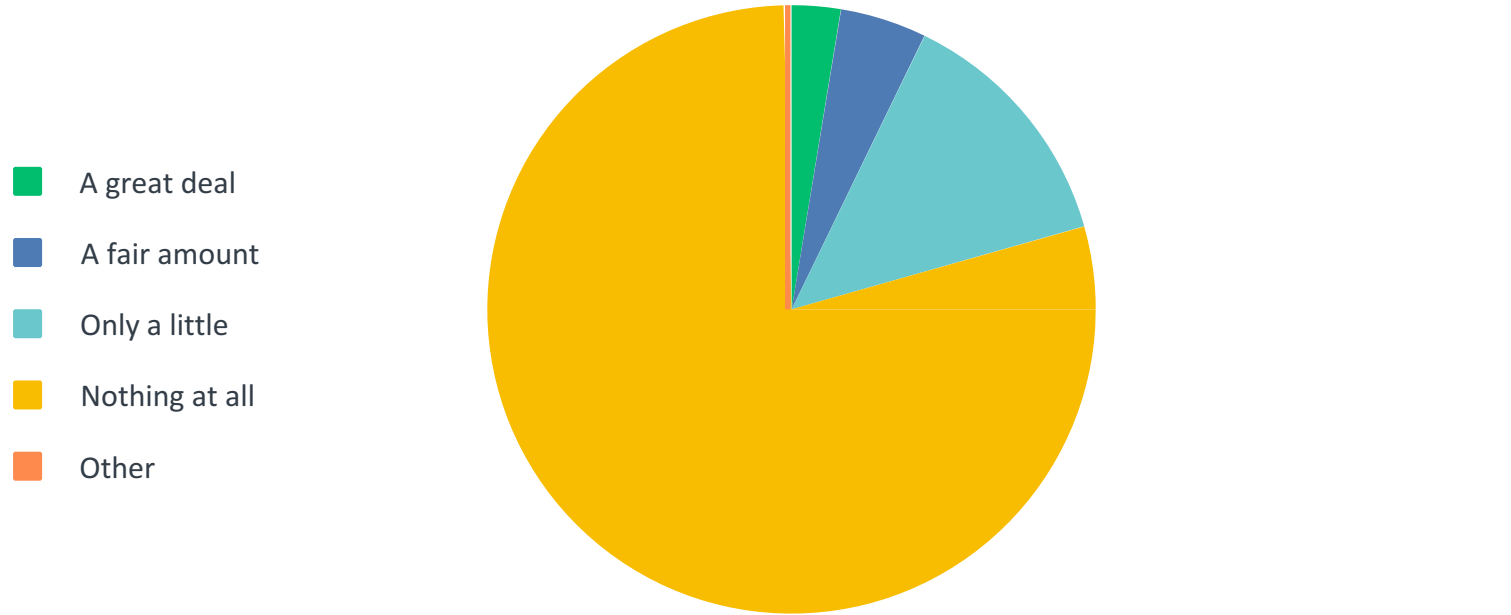
	A GREAT DEAL	A FAIR AMOUNT	ONLY A LITTLE	NOTHING AT ALL	OTHER	TOTAL
Responses	2.63%	7.07%	26.06%	63.84%	0.40%	
	13	35	129	316	2	495

Q12 It is important for UMMS to mitigate and adapt to climate change through its operations and programs.



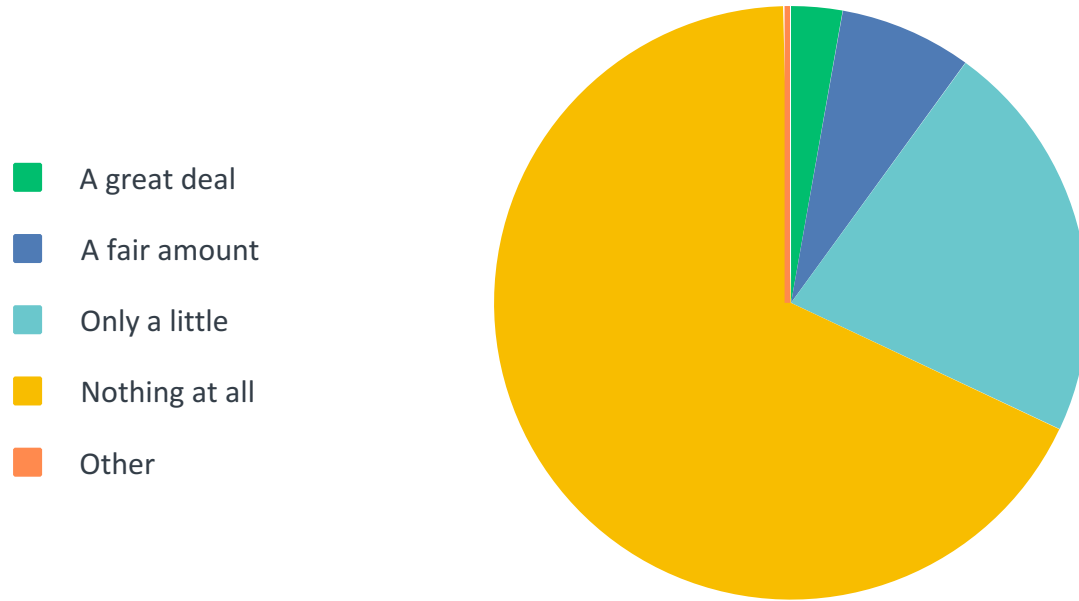
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Responses	306	152	22	5	5	9	499

Q2 UMMS participates in a three solar net metering contract that supports investment in solar infrastructure in Massachusetts.



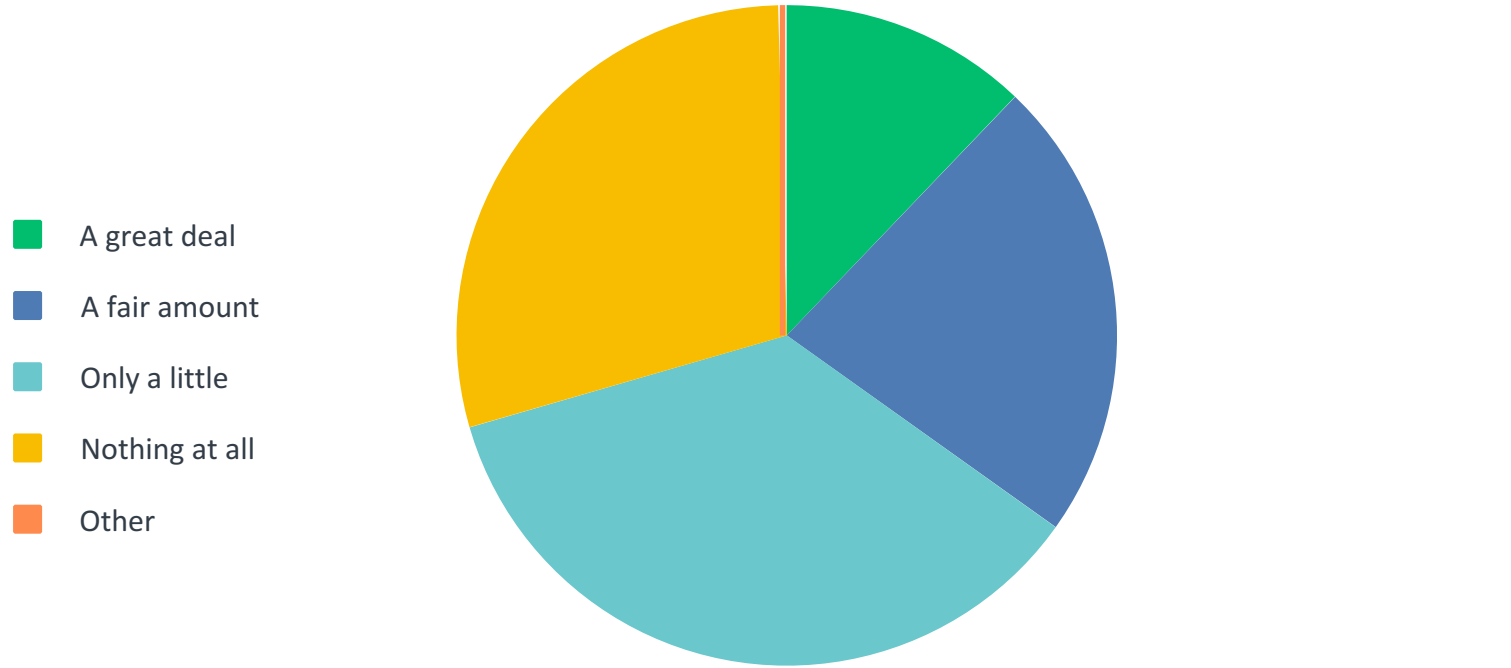
	A GREAT DEAL	A FAIR AMOUNT	ONLY A LITTLE	NOTHING AT ALL	OTHER	TOTAL
Responses	13	23	67	395	2	500

Q3 UMMS has reduced its greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions by 10% from 2004 to 2018 despite extensive campus growth.



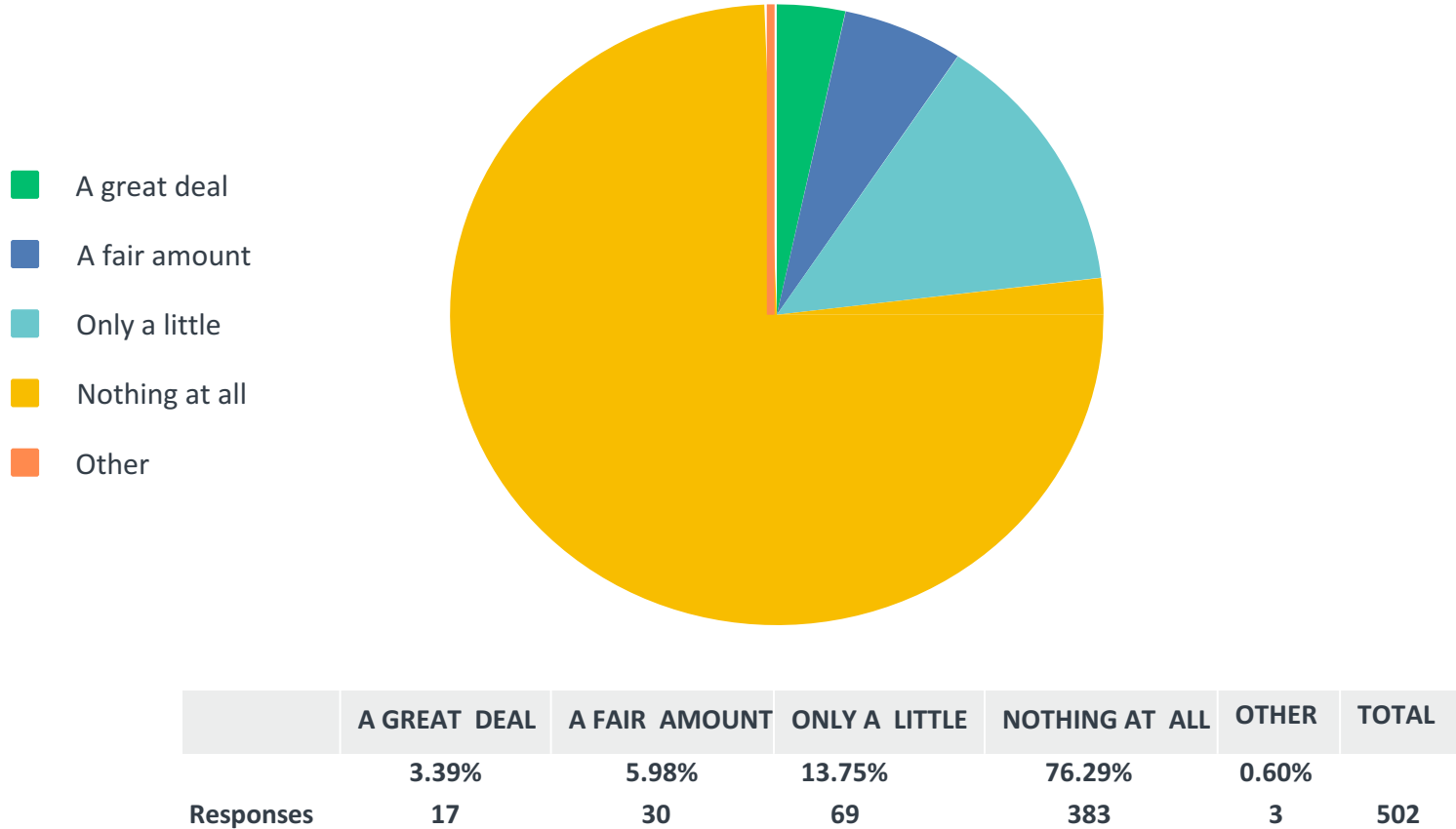
	A GREAT DEAL	A FAIR AMOUNT	ONLY A LITTLE	NOTHING AT ALL	OTHER	TOTAL
Responses	14	36	110	338	2	500

Q1 UMMS hosts an annual earth day celebration.

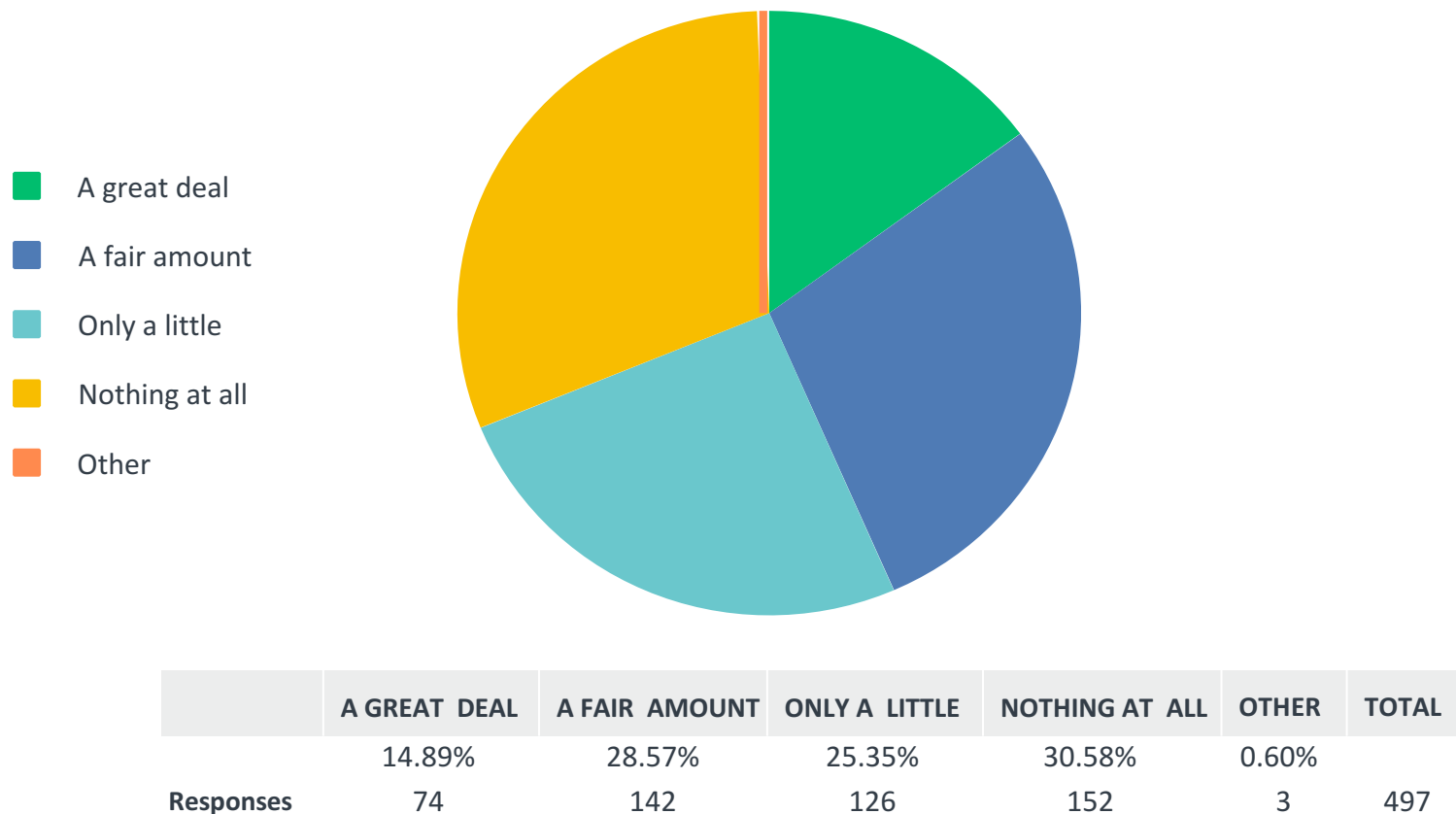


	A GREAT DEAL	A FAIR AMOUNT	ONLY A LITTLE	NOTHING AT ALL	OTHER	TOTAL
Responses	12.15%	22.71%	35.66%	29.08%	0.40%	502
	61	114	179	146	2	

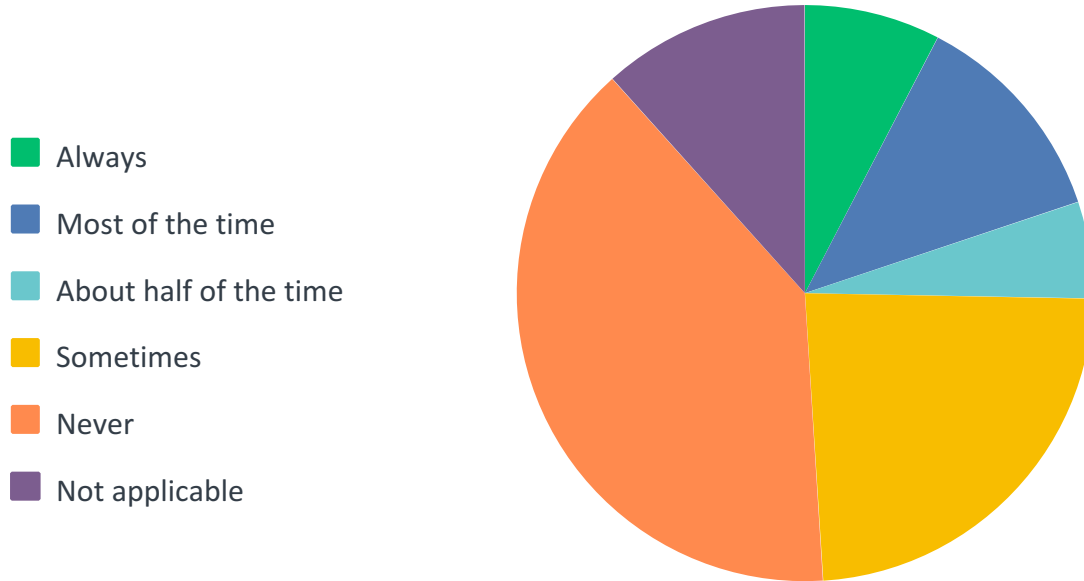
Q7 UMMS has donated 3 tons of pre-consumer food waste annually from dining services to a local pig farmer.



Q4 UMMS has two SWAP Shops that have diverted 1.5 tons annually from the waste stream by facilitating reuse of unwanted items that are in good condition.



Q20 Exchanging materials through the SWAP shop.

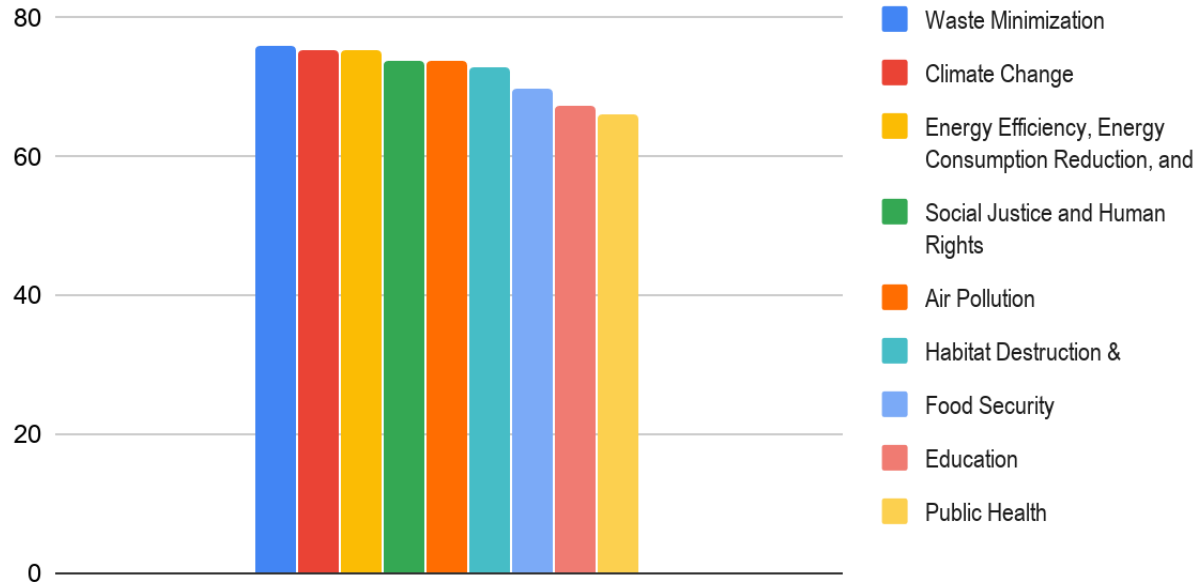


	ALWAYS	MOST OF THE TIME	ABOUT HALF OF THE TIME	SOMETIMES	NEVER	NOT APPLICABLE	TOTAL
Responses	7.63%	12.25%	5.42%	23.69%	39.36%	11.65%	
	38	61	27	118	196	58	498

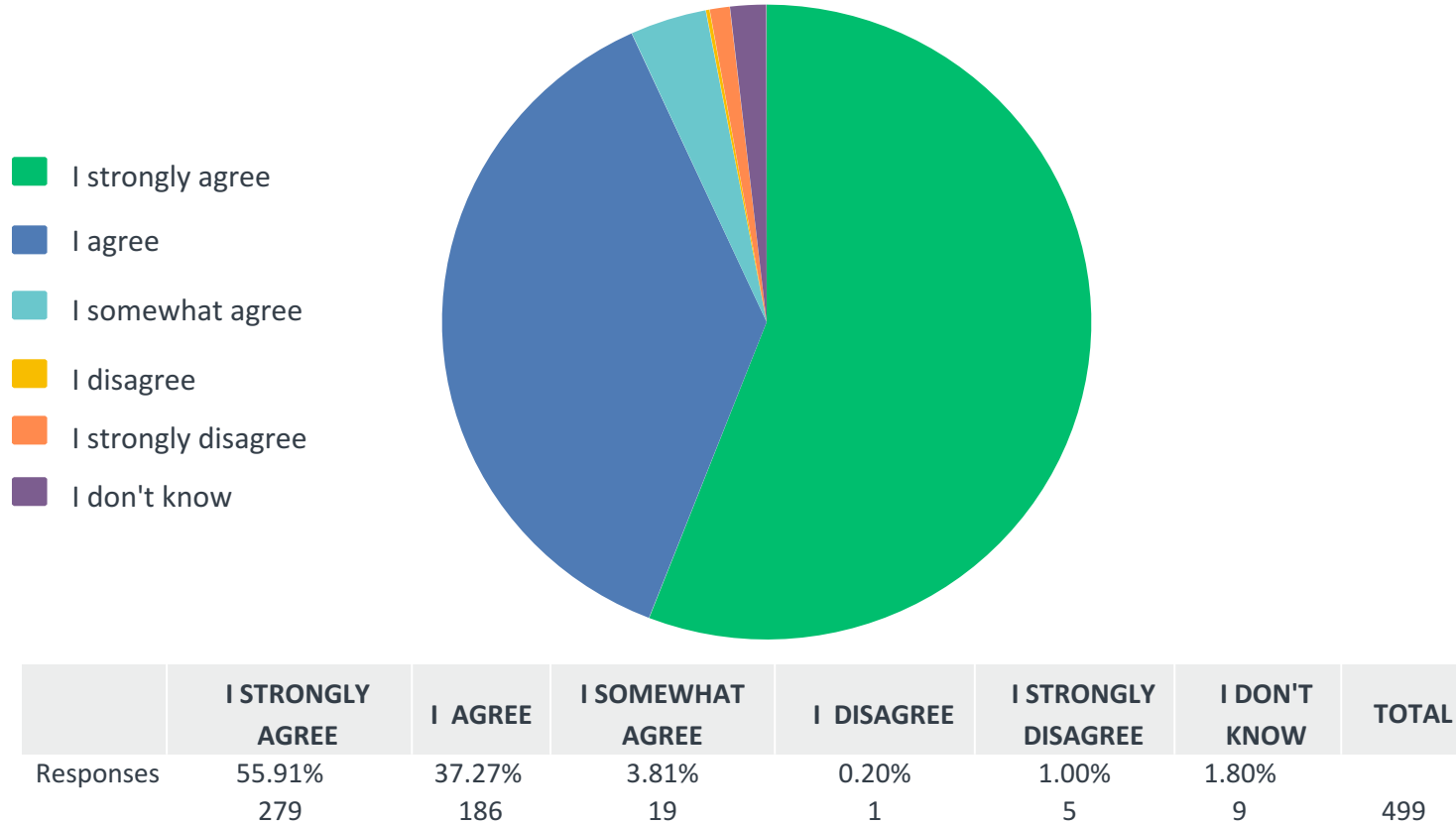
1. **Overall sustainability:** 60% do not know anything about UMMS sustainability policy and goals
2. **Energy:** 65-80% do not know anything about UMMS energy reduction and renewable energy efforts.
3. **Material and resources conservation:** 76% do not know anything about the pre-consumption food waste diversion

Interest and approach to sustainability

Interest in different sustainability issues [0=no interest, 100=my passion]

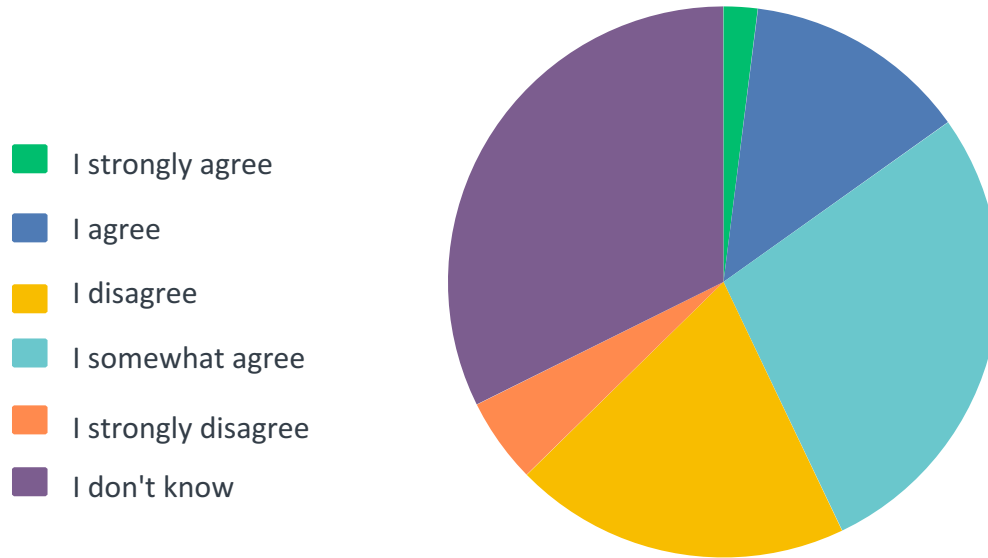


Q8 Sustainability includes social, environmental, and economic factors.



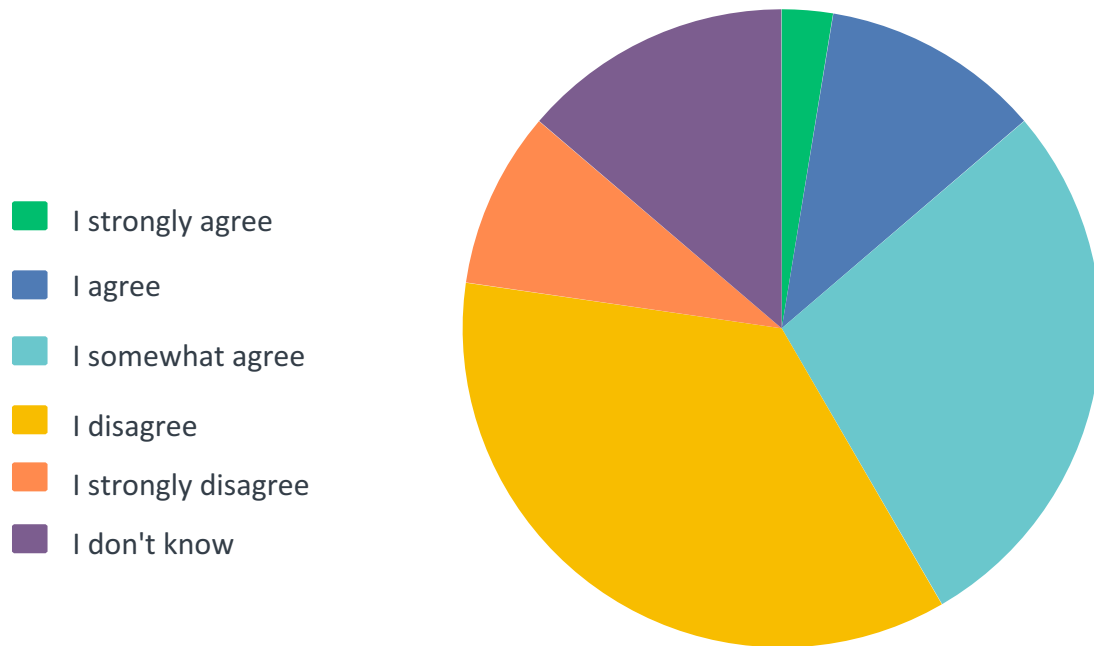
Understanding of UMMS climate action and empowerment

Q13 UMMS is doing enough to combat climate change.



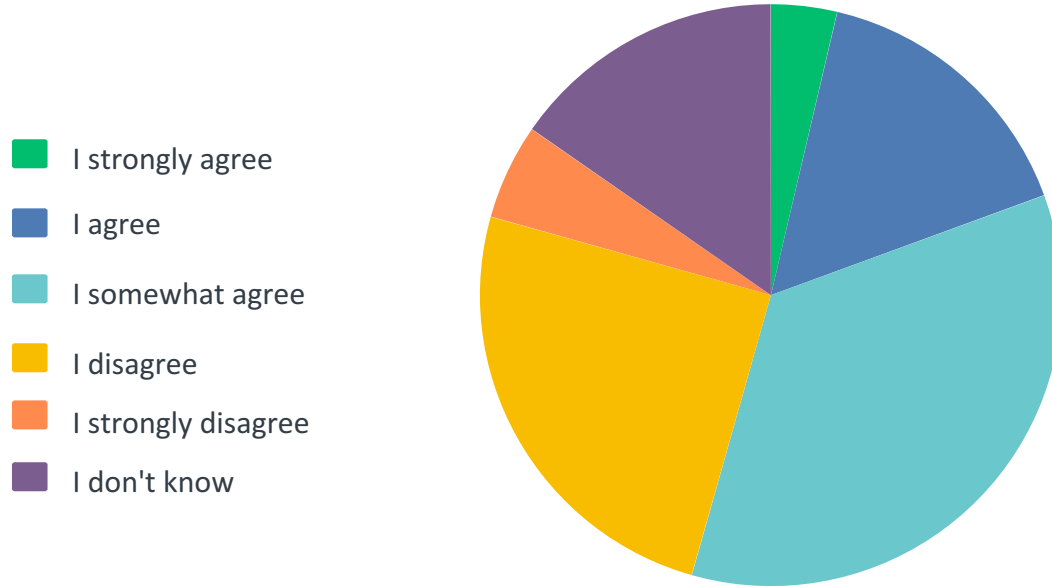
	I STRONGLY AGREE	I AGREE	I SOMEWHAT AGREE	I DISAGREE	I STRONGLY DISAGREE	I DON'T KNOW	TOTAL
Responses	2.00%	13.17%	27.74%	19.76%	4.99%	32.34%	
	10	66	139	99	25	162	501

Q10 My lifestyle has become more sustainable by working or studying at UMMS.



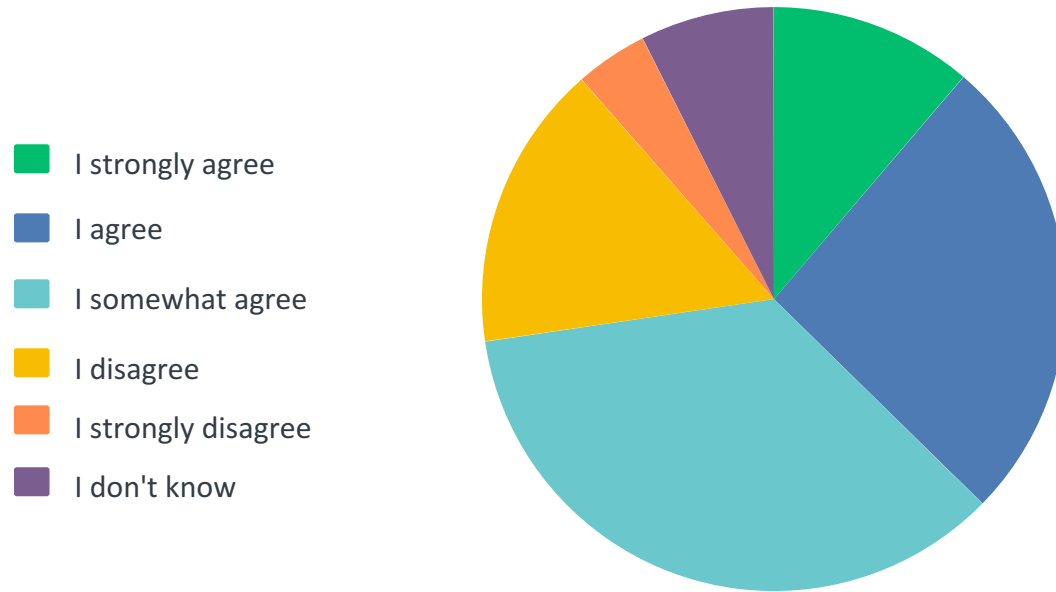
	I STRONGLY AGREE	I AGREE	I SOMEWHAT AGREE	I DISAGREE	I STRONGLY DISAGREE	I DON'T KNOW	TOTAL
Responses	2.59%	11.16%	27.89%	35.66%	8.96%	13.75%	502
	13	56	140	179	45	69	

Q34 My job or studies at UMMS allows me to positively impact sustainability at UMMS.



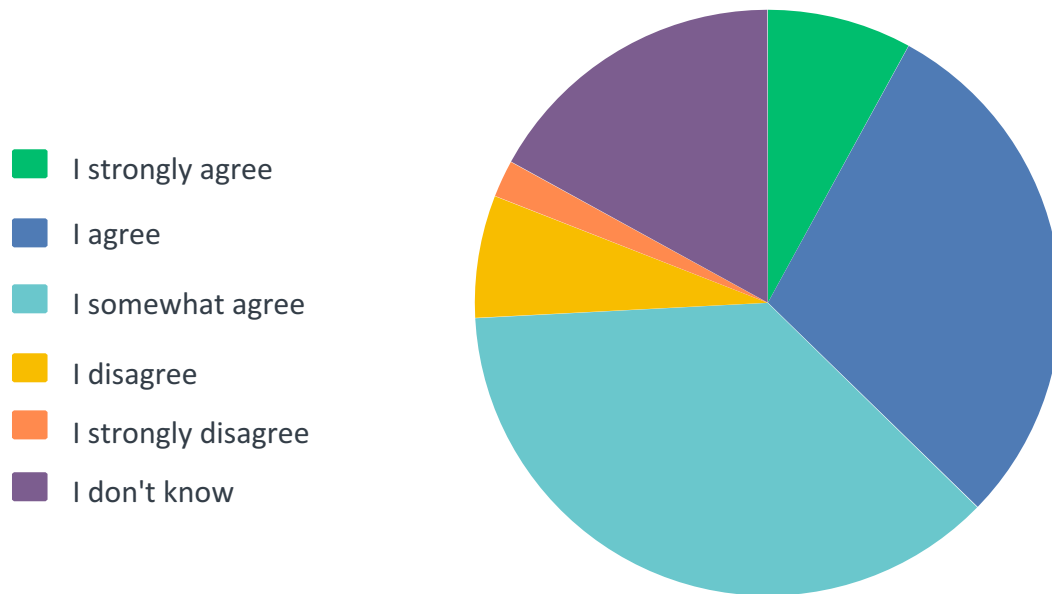
	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	SOMEWHAT AGREE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DON'T KNOW	TOTAL
Responses	3.68%	15.75%	34.97%	24.95%	5.32%	15.34%	489
	18	77	171	122	26	75	

Q9 Through my work or studies, I feel empowered to contribute to sustainability at UMMS.



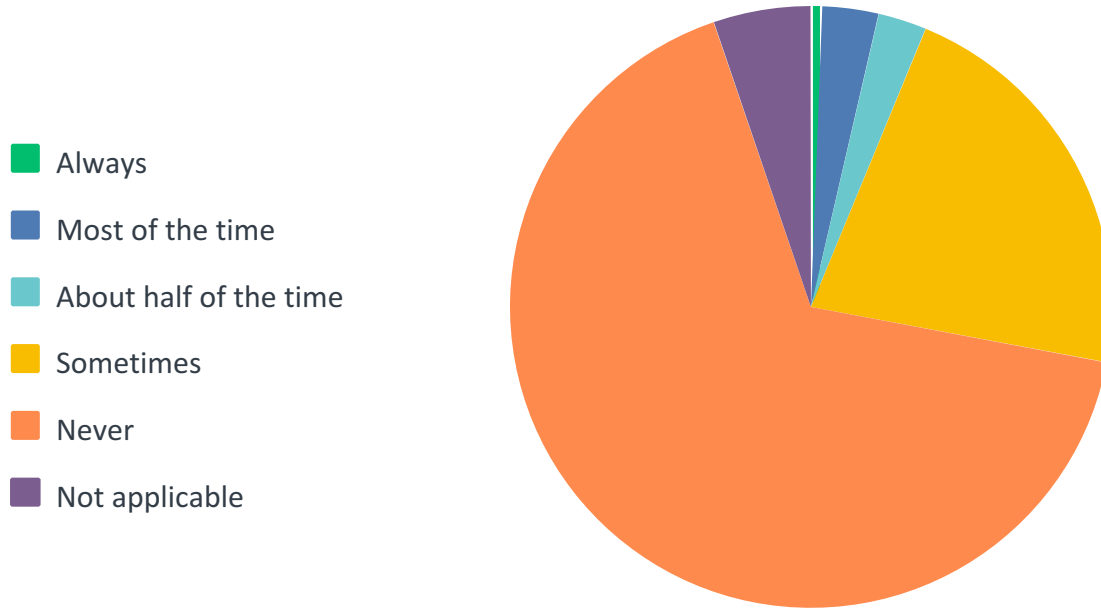
	I STRONGLY AGREE	I AGREE	I SOMEWHAT AGREE	I DISAGREE	I STRONGLY DISAGREE	I DON'T KNOW	TOTAL
Responses	11.24%	26.10%	35.34%	15.86%	4.02%	7.43%	498
	56	130	176	79	20	37	

Q35 The university understands the value of sustainability and encourages and supports sustainability.



	STRONGLY AGREE	AGREE	SOMEWHAT AGREE	DISAGREE	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DON'T KNOW	TOTAL
Responses	7.99%	29.30%	36.89%	6.76%	2.05%	17.01%	488
	39	143	180	33	10	83	

Q22 Participating in university-wide councils, forums, or other types of gatherings to facilitate positive change.



	ALWAYS	MOST OF THE TIME	ABOUT HALF OF THE TIME	SOMETIMES	NEVER	NOT APPLICABLE	TOTAL
Responses	0.60%	3.02%	2.62%	21.73%	66.80%	5.23%	
	3	15	13	108	332	26	497