

PUBLIC OPINION REPORT ON ENVIRONMENT SURVEY

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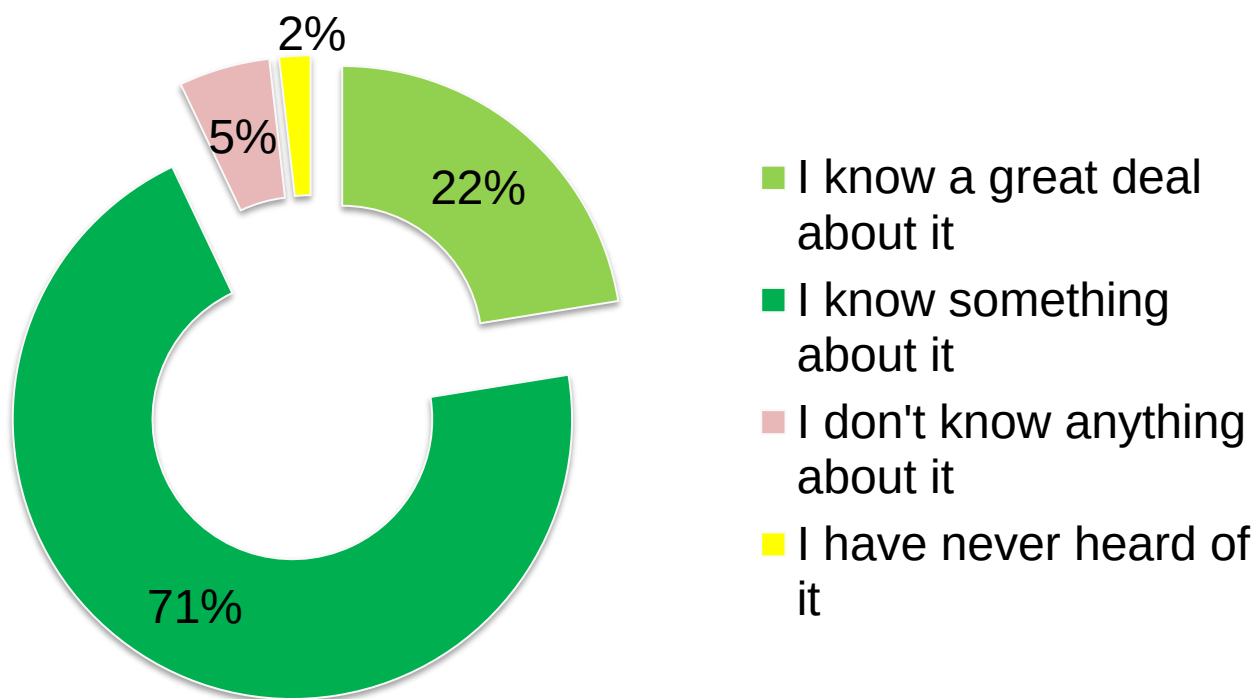
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1. Knowledge and Climate Change

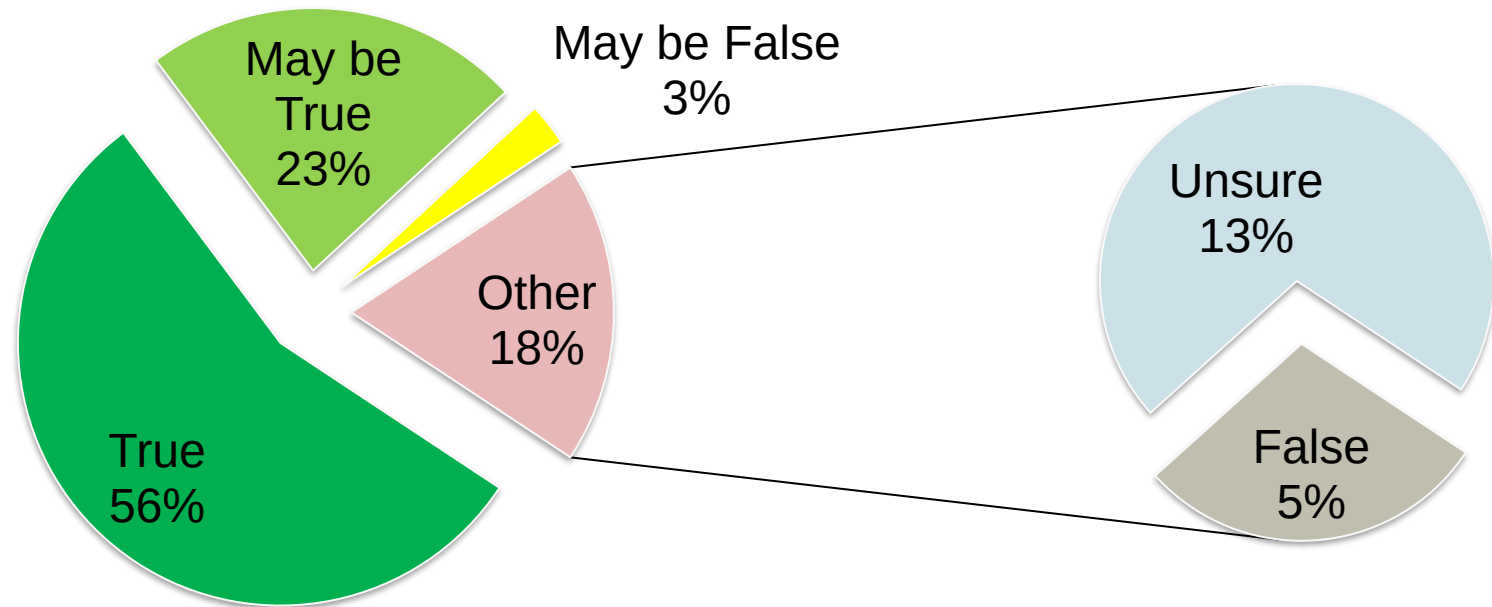
Question: How much do you know about climate change?

A vast majority, 93% of Pakistanis claim to know a great deal or something about climate change while only 7% of Pakistan claim to know nothing or have never heard of climate change.



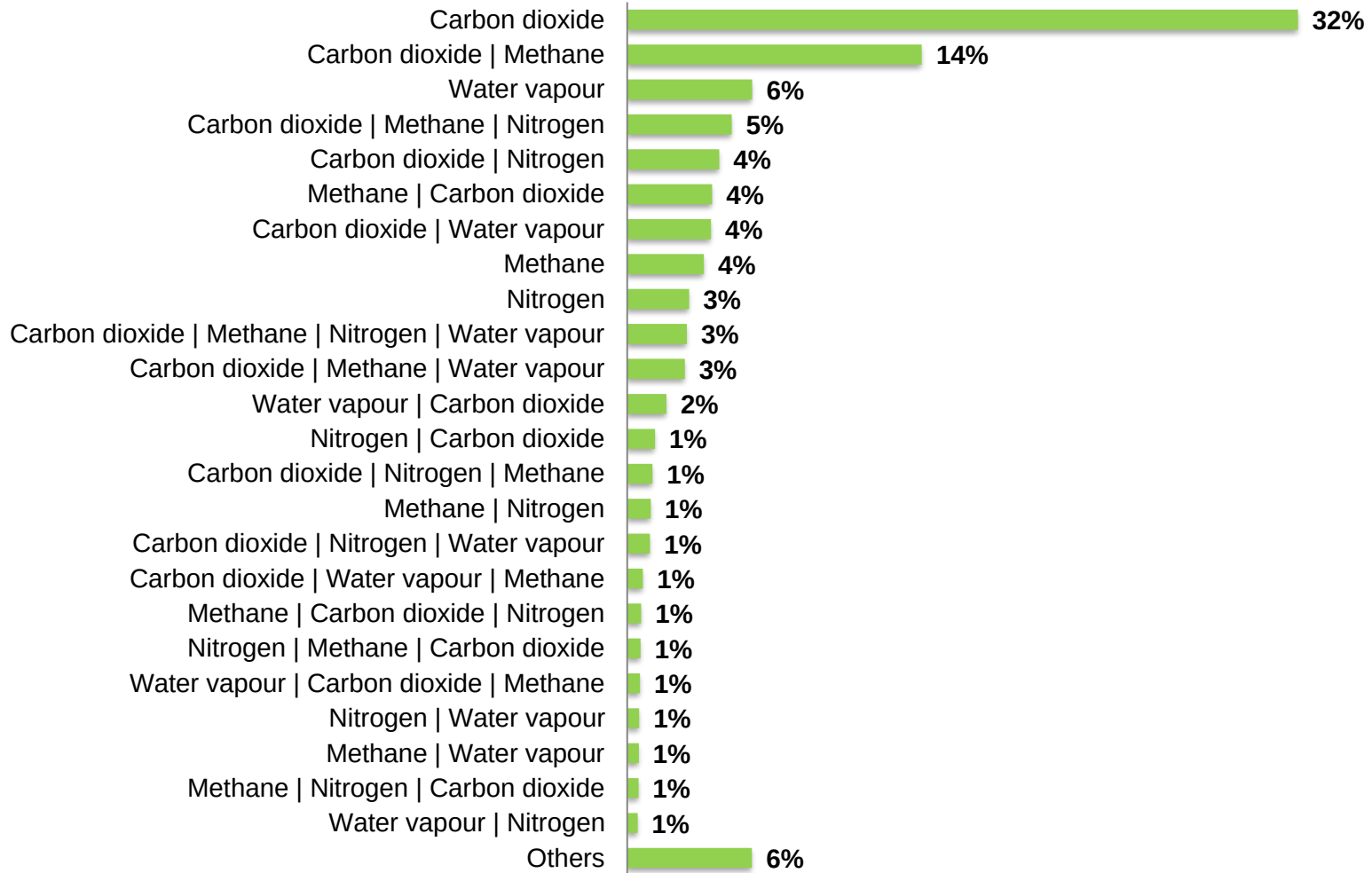
Question: The greenhouse effect occurs when the atmosphere traps heat from the sun as it re-radiates from the Earth?

Half of the Pakistanis (56%) believe that greenhouse effect occurs due to atmosphere trapping the heat from the sun as it re-radiates from Earth



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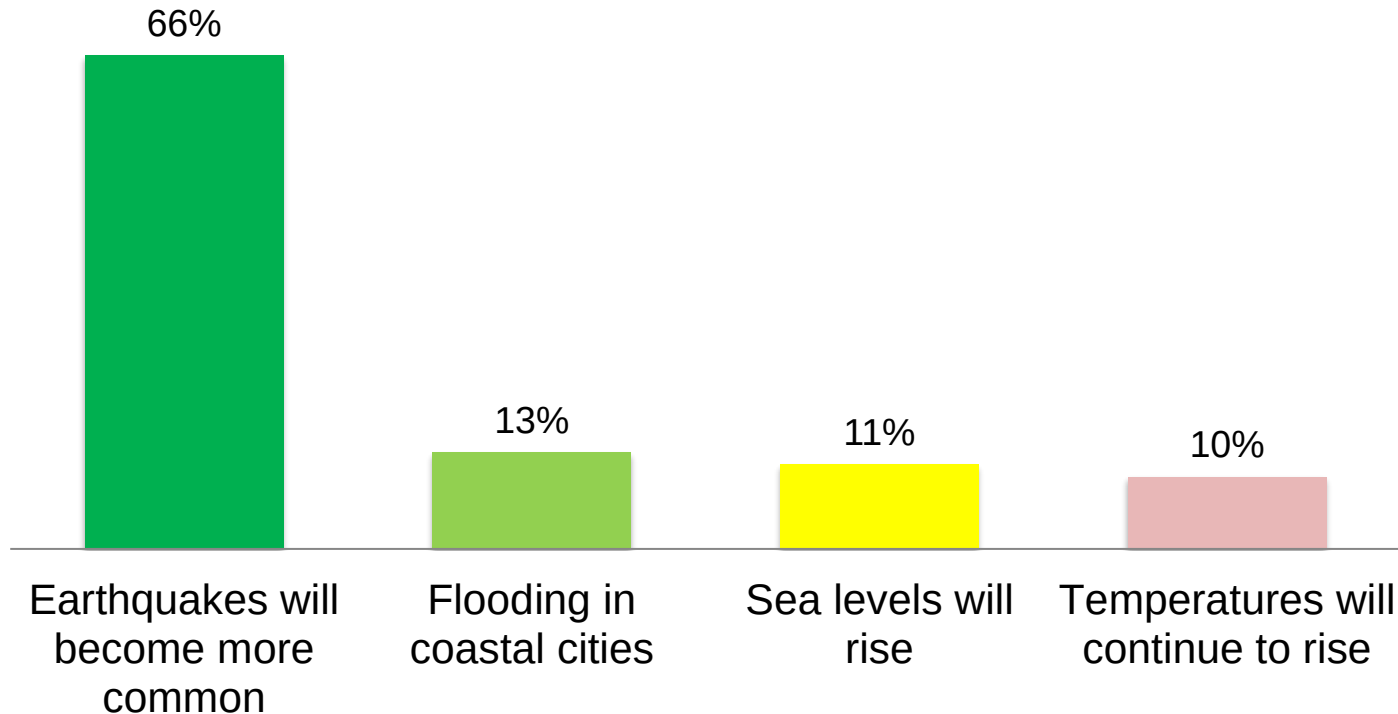
Question: Please select the options that are heat-trapping greenhouse gases?



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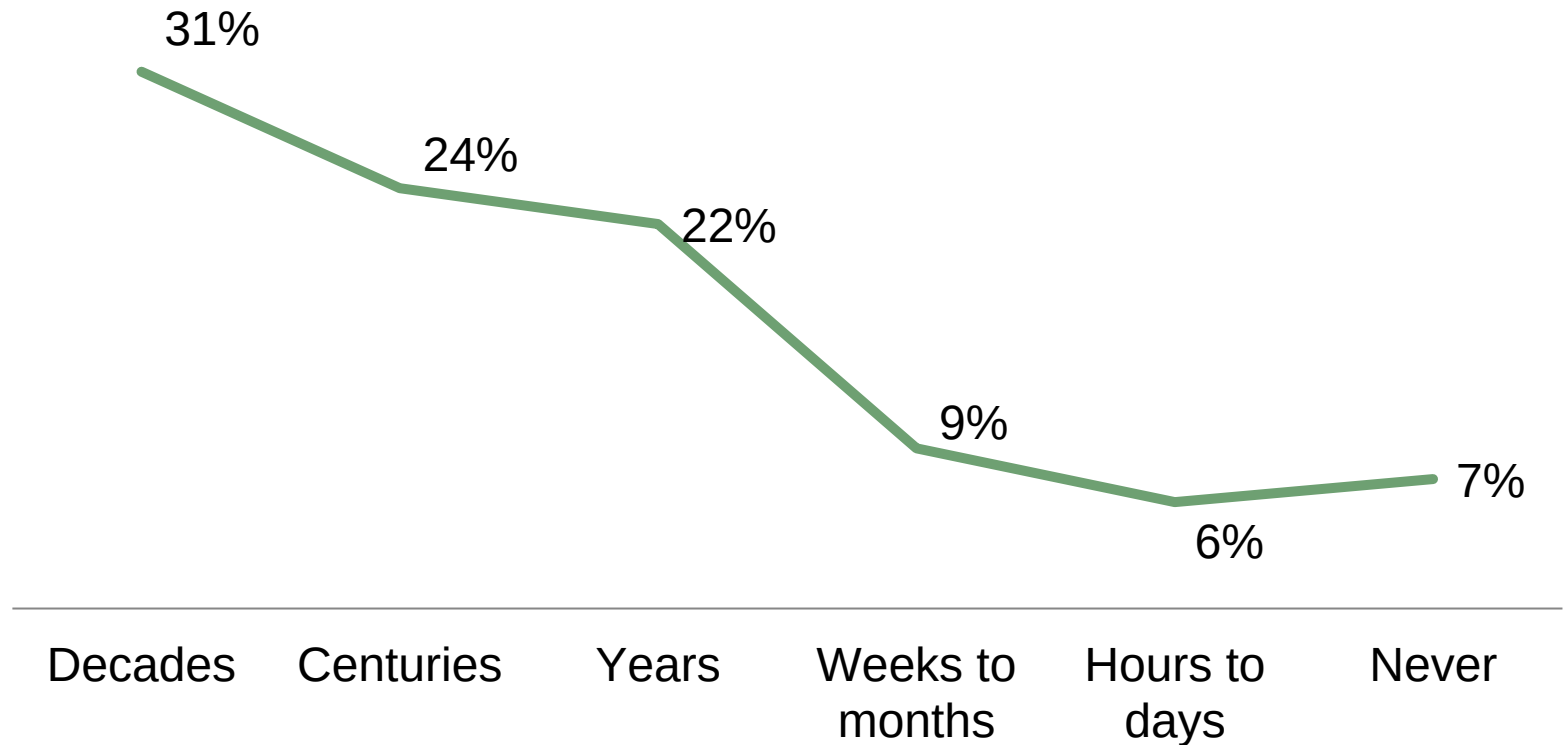
Question: Which of these is NOT an expected effect of climate change?

66% of Pakistanis think that frequent Earthquakes are not a likely effect of climate change.



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Question: Imagine all modern factories, transportation and power plants stopped emitting carbon dioxide today. How long would it take for the greenhouse gases in the air to fall back to what they were before these modern factories, transportation and power plants existed?

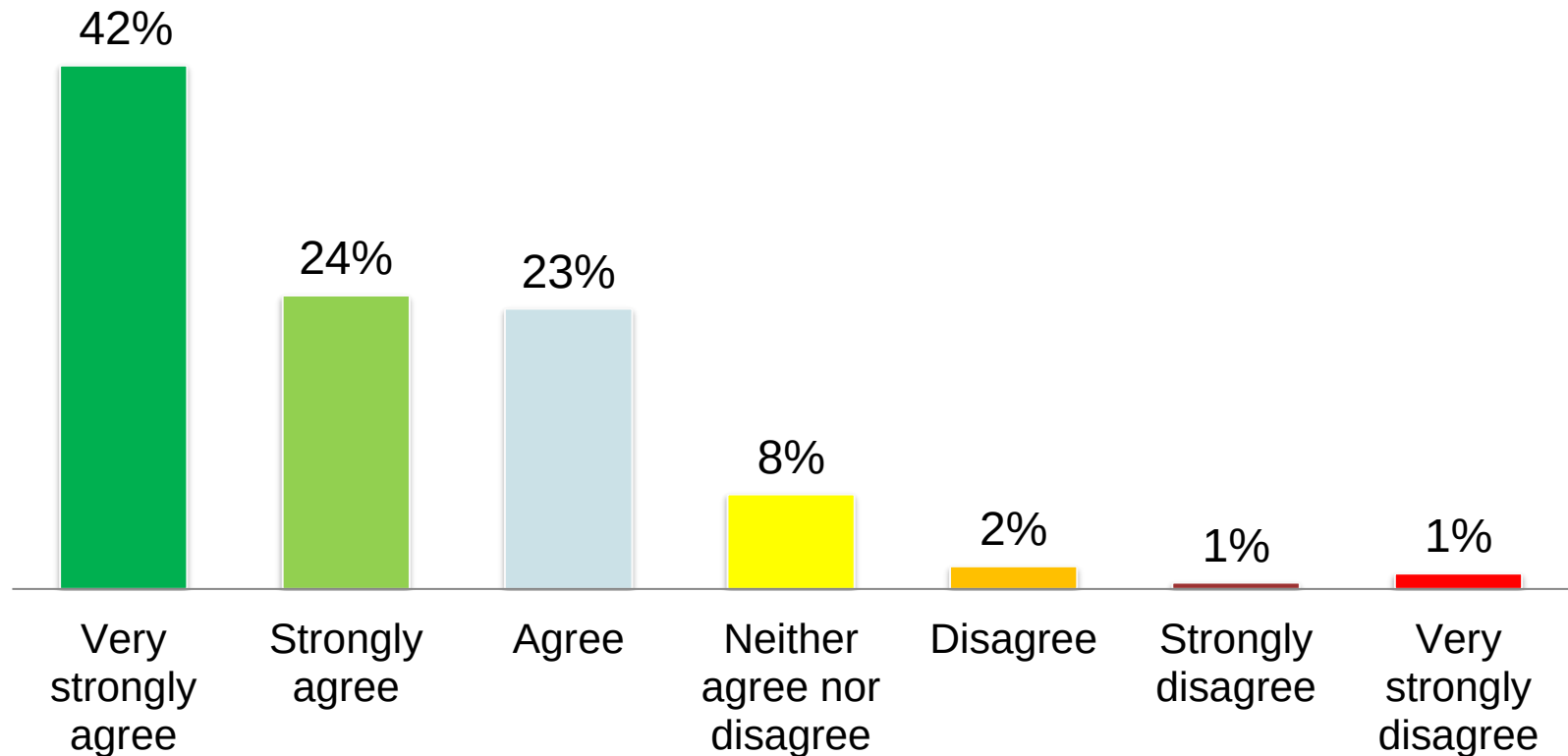


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2. Concern about Climate and Environment

Question: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement: The world climate is changing for the worse?

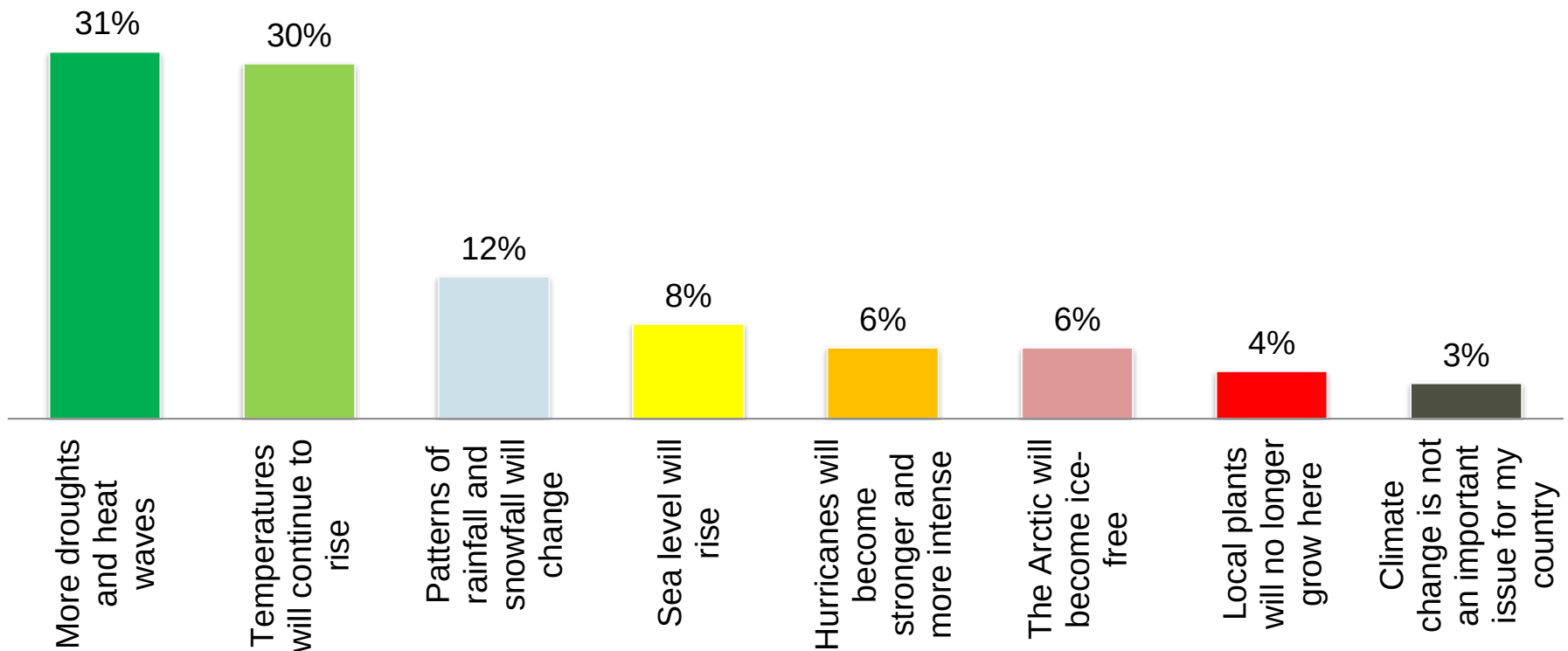
88% of Pakistanis agree to some extent that the world climate is changing for the worst while only 4% disagree



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Question: Scientists have predicted all of the changes below as possible effects of climate change. In your view, which would have the single most important effect on your country?

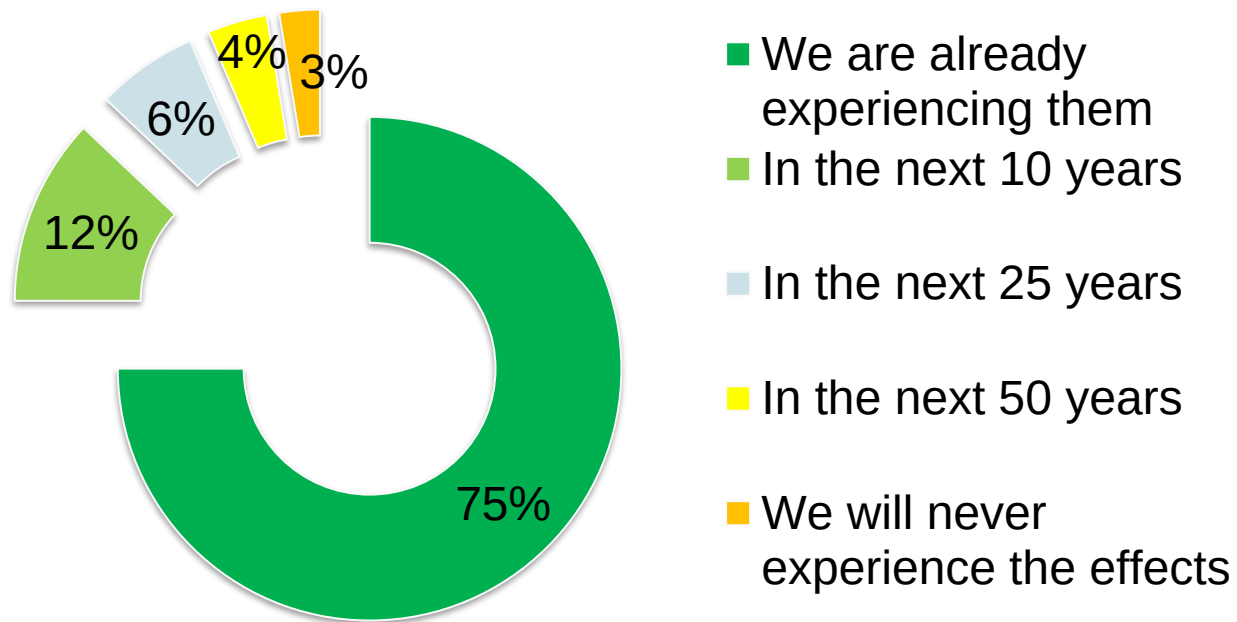
31% of Pakistanis believe that more drought and heat waves are the biggest threat of climate change for Pakistan followed by 30% of Pakistanis who believe that rising temperatures are one of the biggest threat.



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Question: When, if at all, do you think you will start experiencing the effects of climate change in your country?

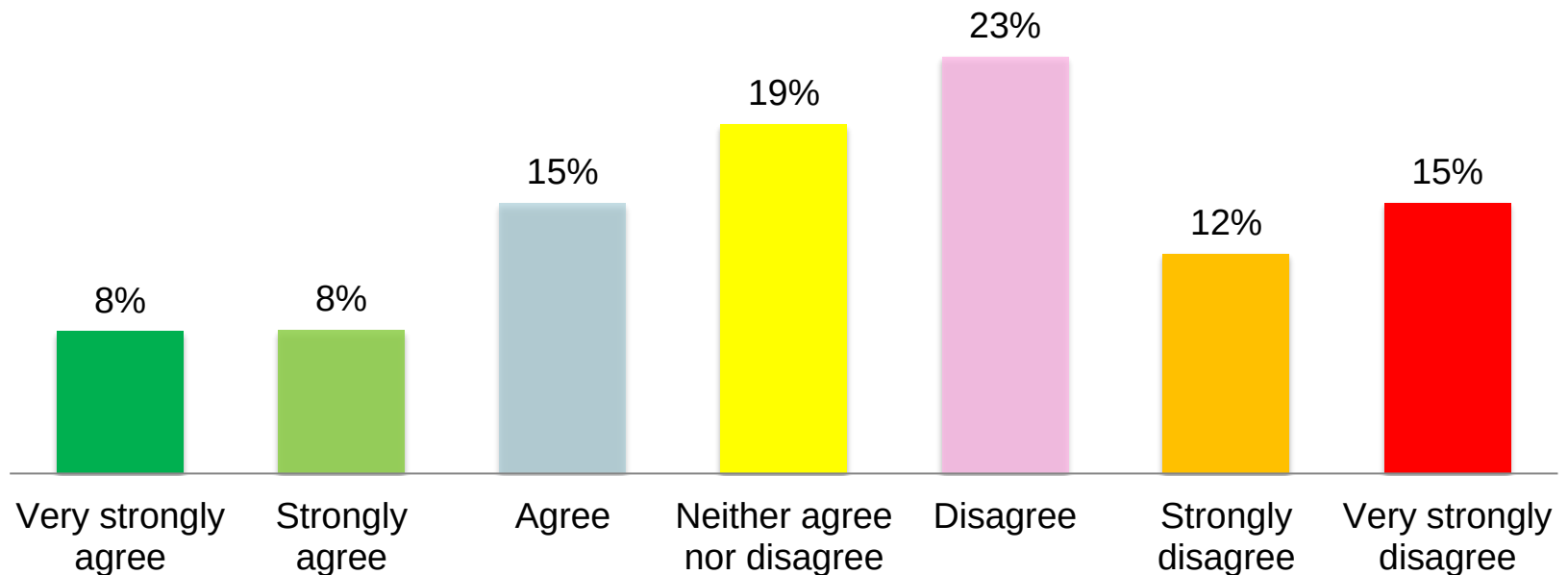
3 in 4 Pakistanis (75%) believe that we are already experiencing the effects of climate change in Pakistan while only 3% believe that we will never experience them.



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Question: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement: Scientists will find solutions to climate change without people having to make big changes to their lifestyle?

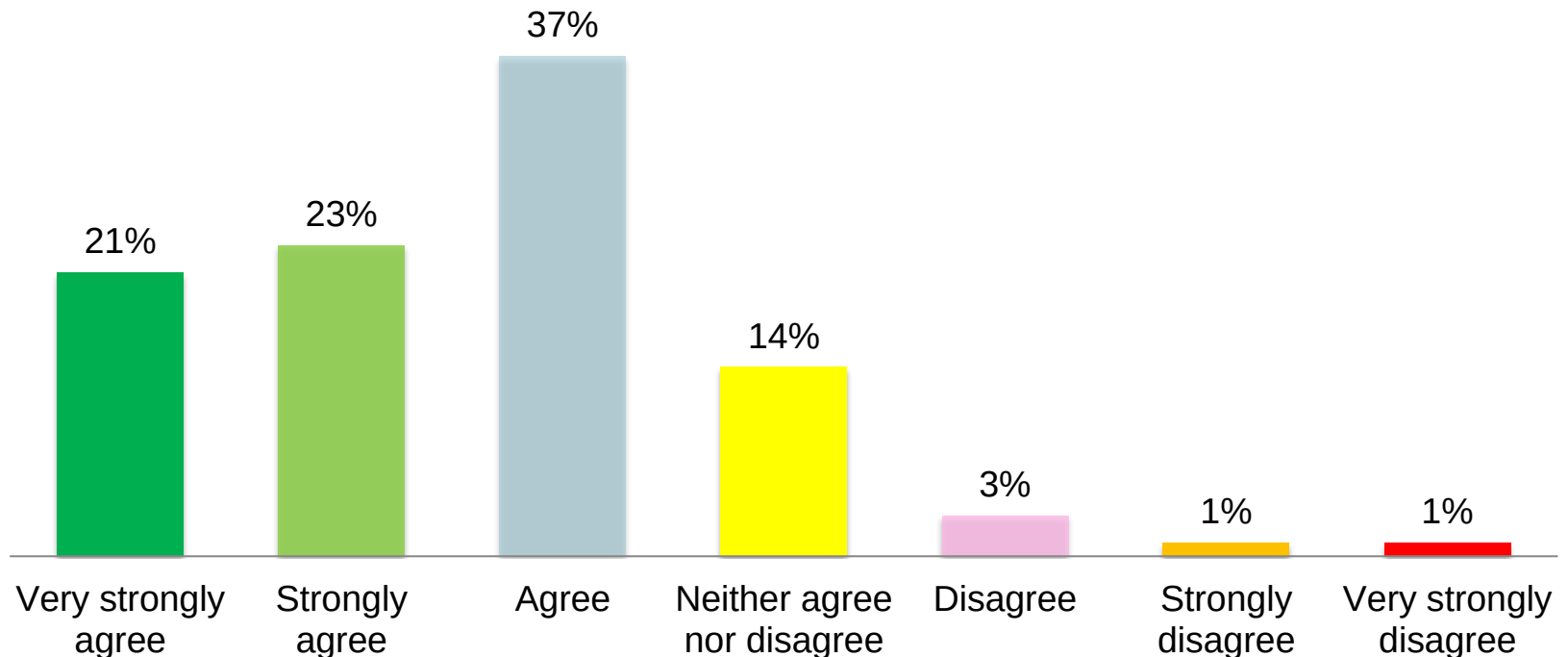
50% Pakistanis believe to some extent that scientists cannot find solutions to climate change problems without people having to make big changes to their lifestyles



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Question: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement: I am someone who is very concerned with environmental issues?

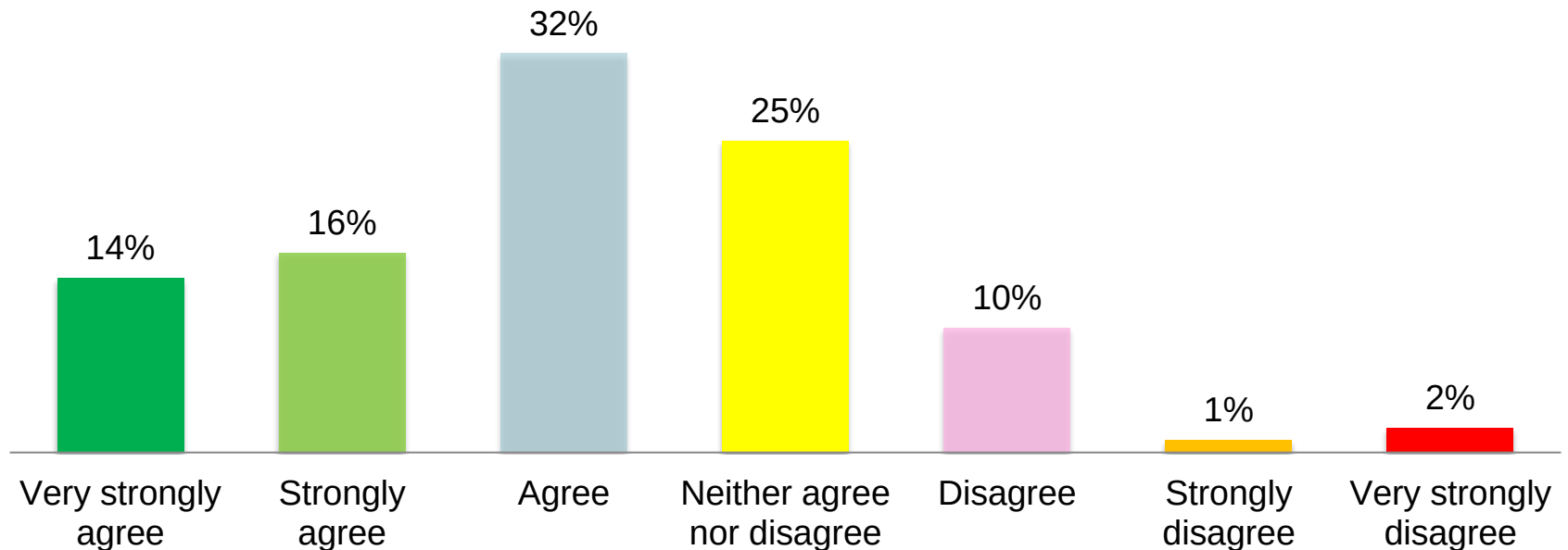
4 in 5 Pakistanis (81%) agree to some extent that they are very concerned with environmental issues



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Question: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement: I am someone who is closely connected with environmentally-conscious people?

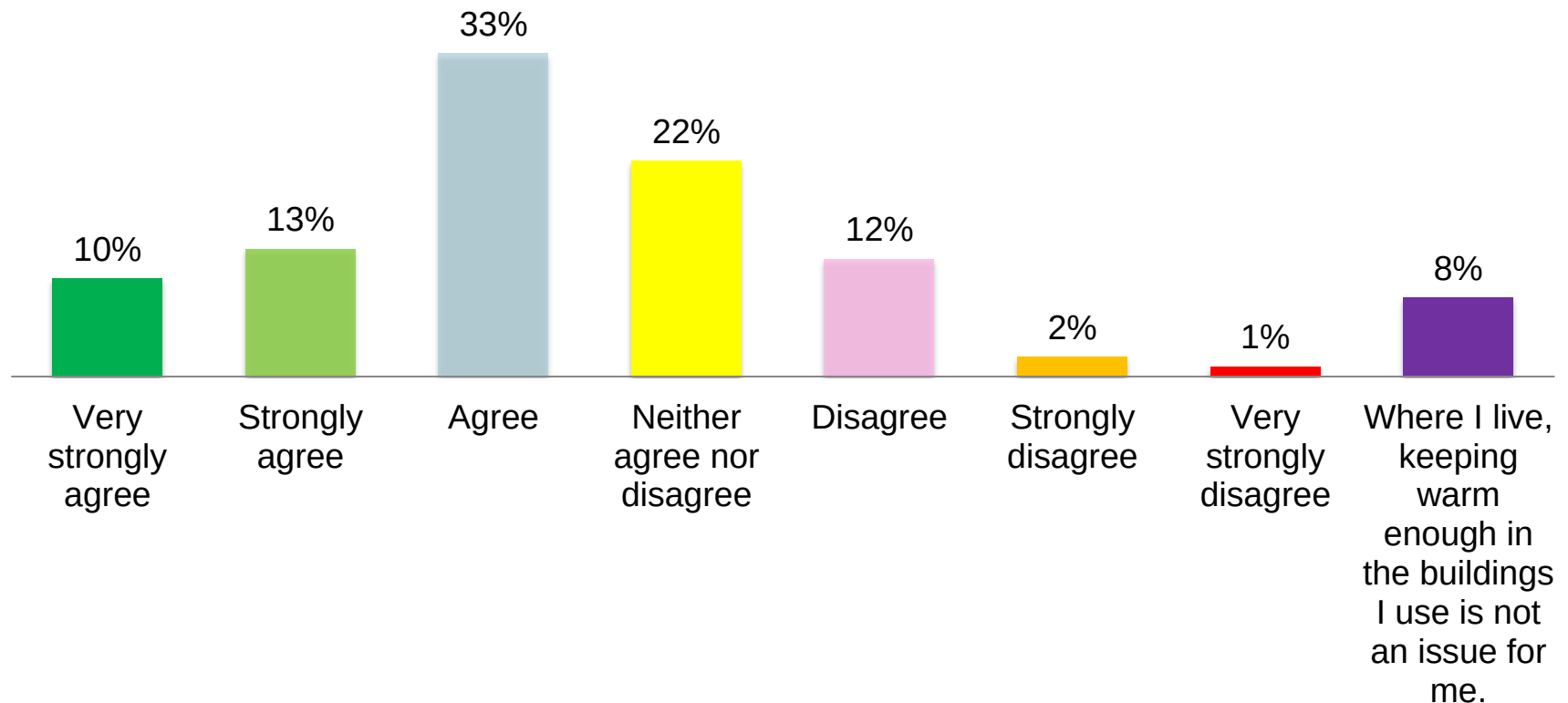
A significant majority, 73% of Pakistanis claim that they are closely connected with environmentally conscious people.



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Question: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement: When it is cold outside, I am very worried about keeping warm enough in the buildings I use?

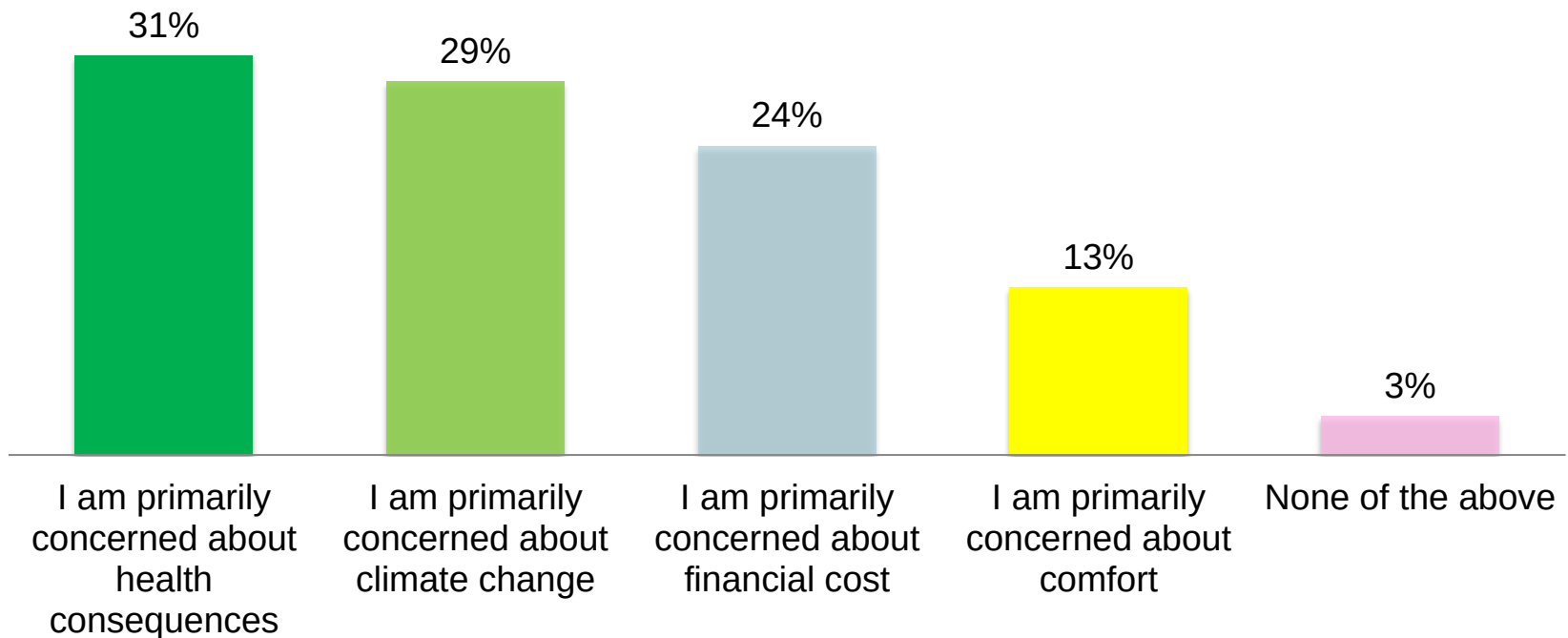
More than half of the Pakistanis (56%) worry about keeping warm in their building during cold seasons.



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Question: What is your main concern about keeping warm in the buildings where you live or work?

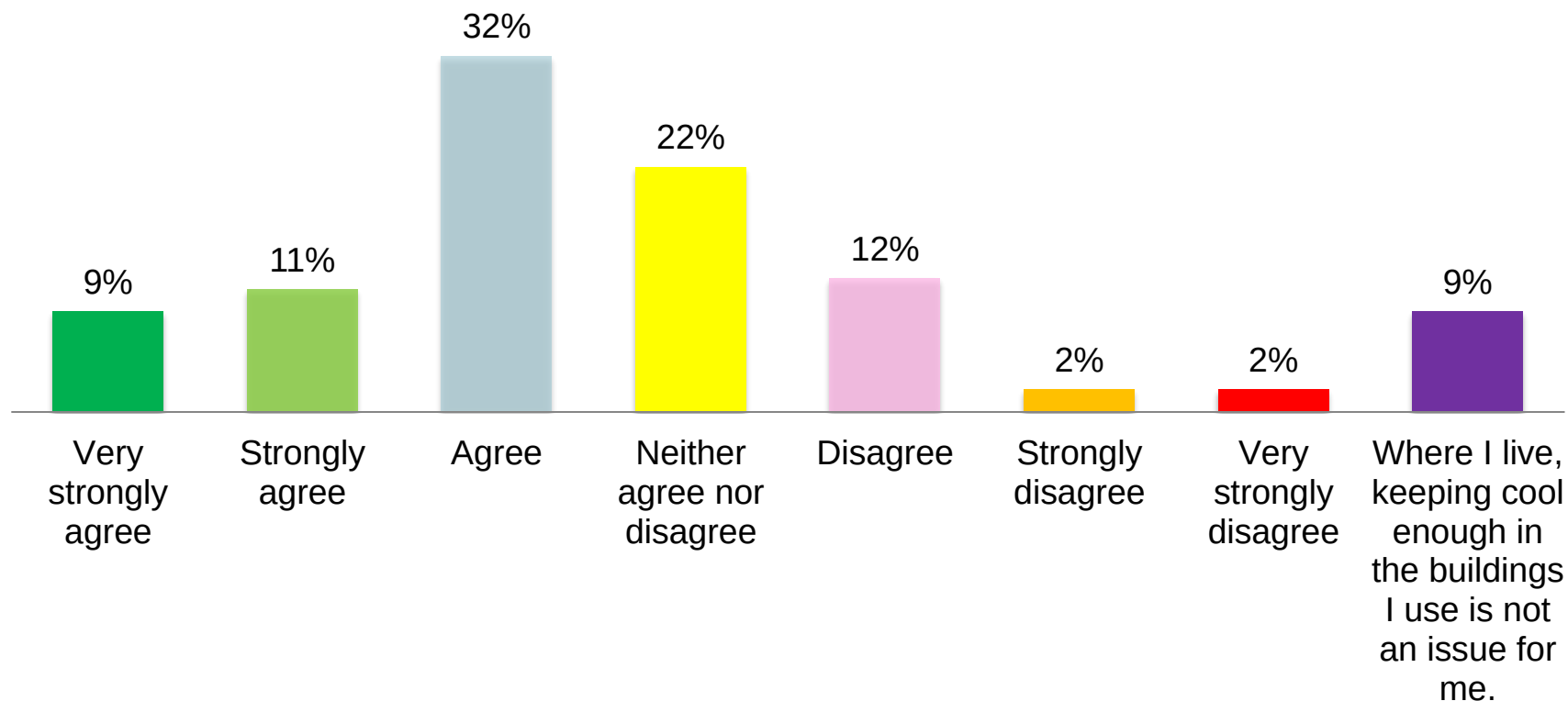
31% of Pakistanis are concerned about health consequences when keeping warm in the building where they live or work.



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Question: How strongly do you agree or disagree with the following statement: When it is hot outside, I am very worried about keeping cool enough in the buildings I use?

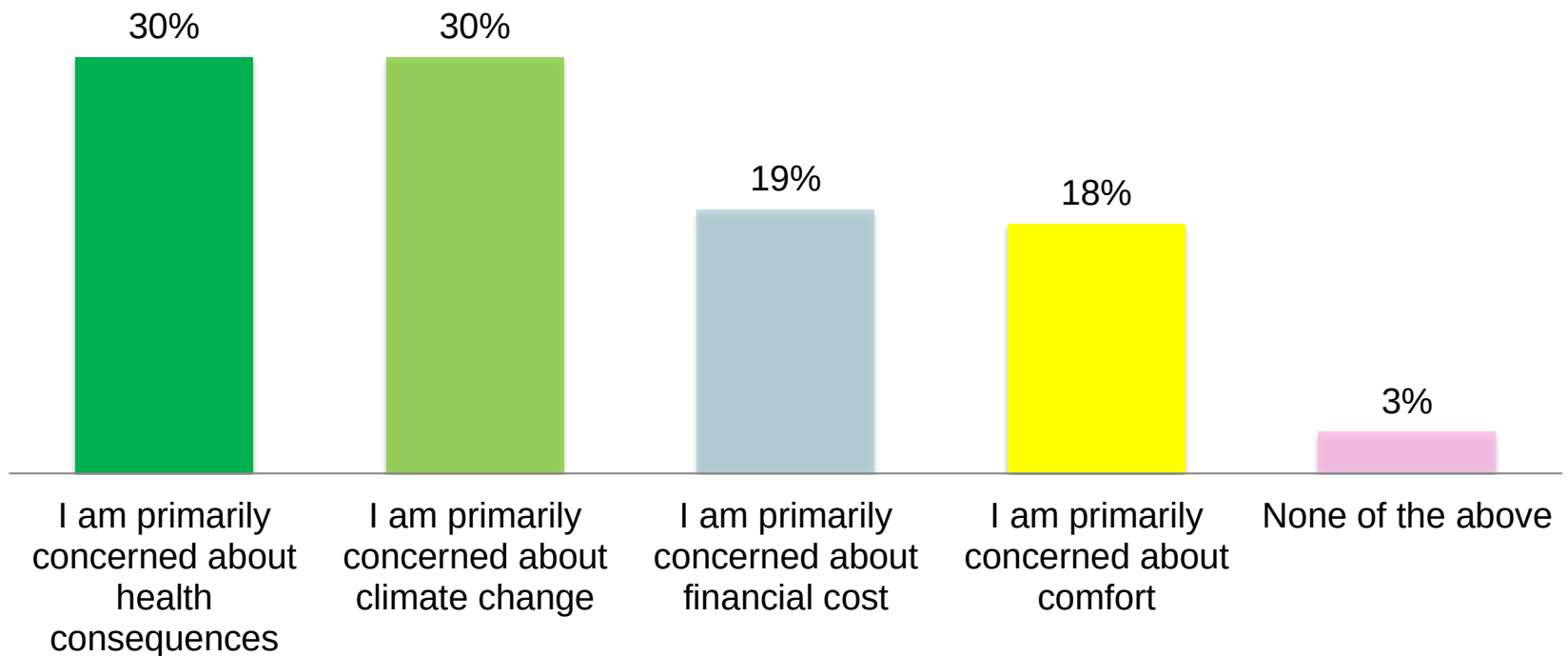
More than half of the Pakistanis, 52% worry about keeping themselves cool in their building when it is hot outside.



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Question: What is your main concern about keeping cool in the buildings where you live or work?

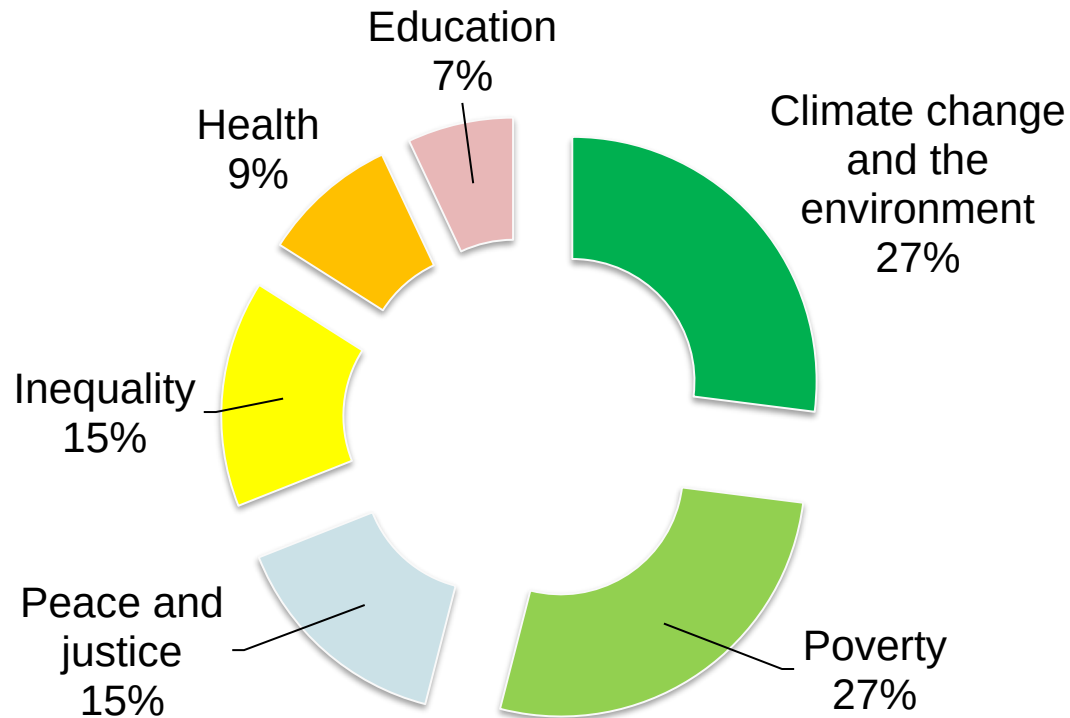
An equal percentage of Pakistanis (30% each) are concerned about health consequences and climate change when keeping themselves cool in the buildings they use.



3. Priorities and Responsibilities

Question: Below are a number of issues your country might be facing. In your opinion, which one of the issues is the top priority for your country?

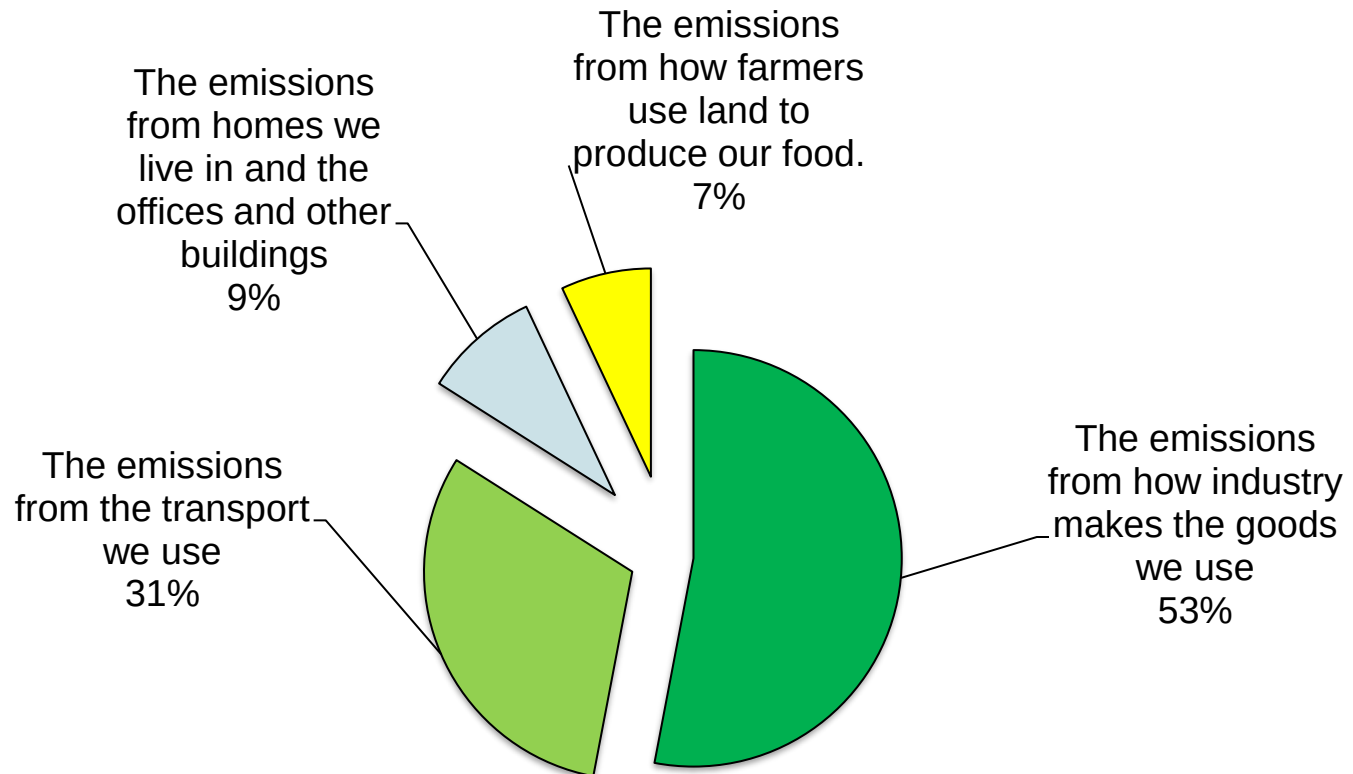
An equal percentage of Pakistanis (27% each) believe that poverty and Climate change are the top priority issues being faced by Pakistan.



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Question: Which of the following is contributing most to climate change?

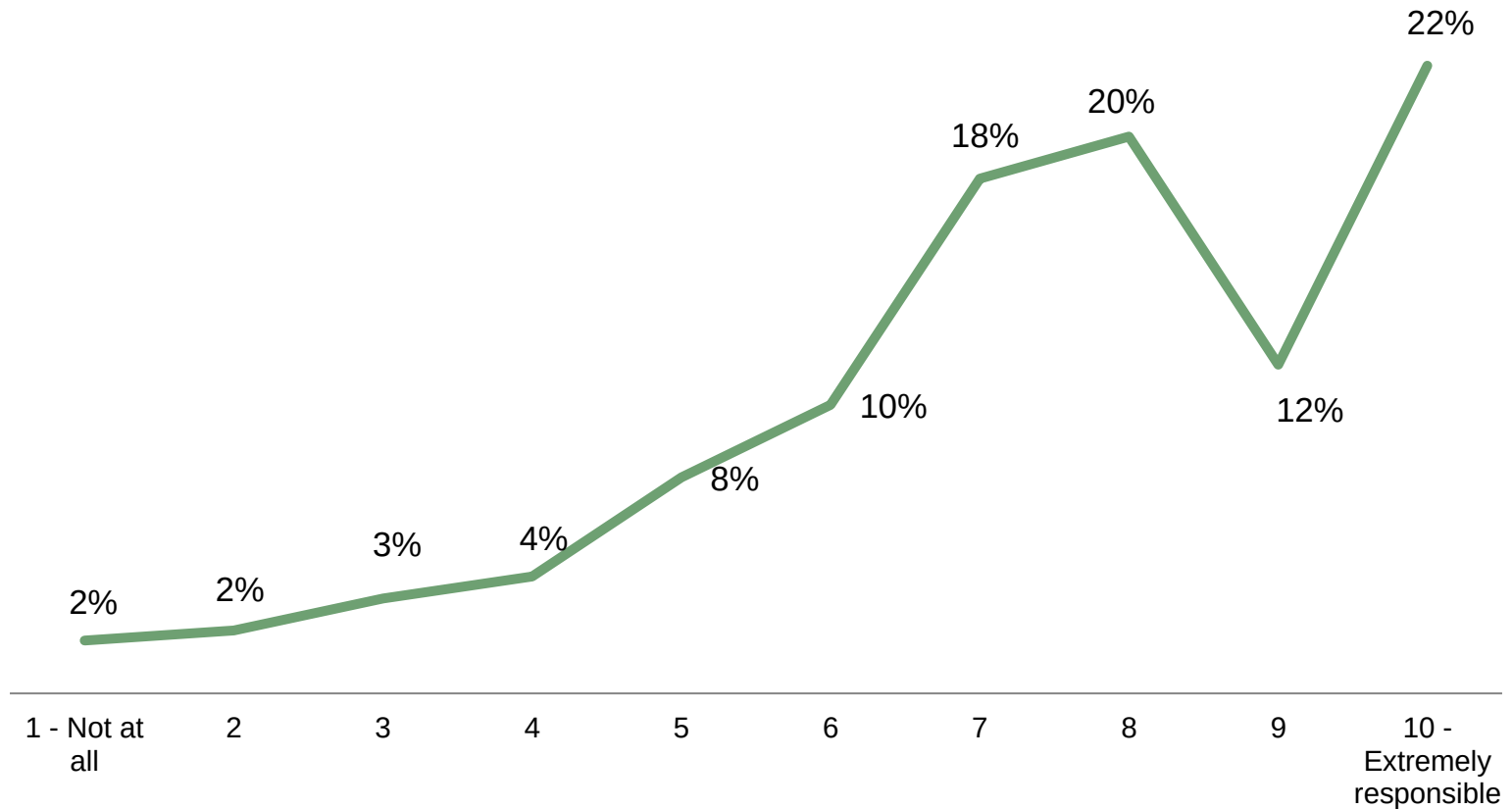
More than half of Pakistanis (53%) believe that emissions from industries are the biggest contributor to climate change.



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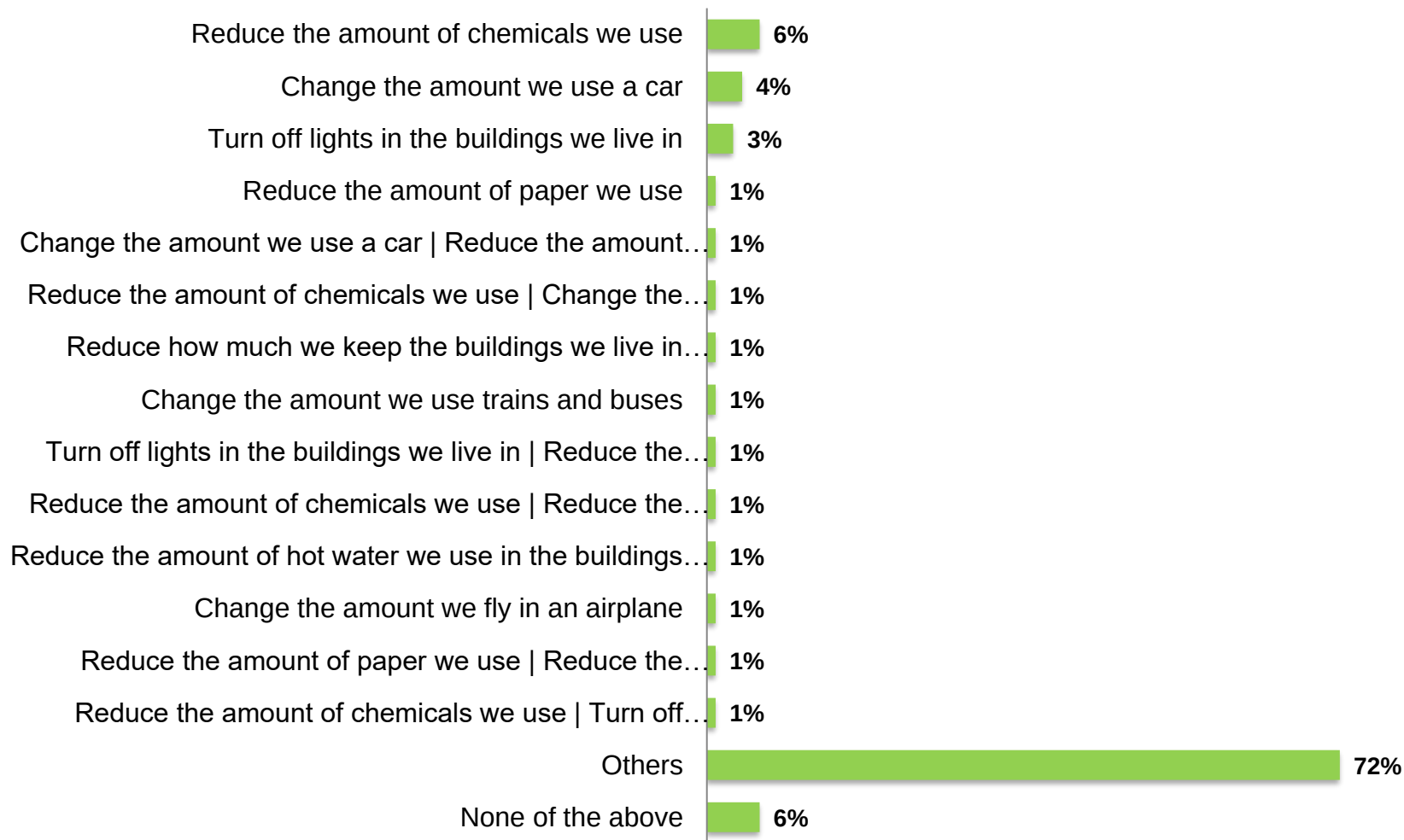
Question: To what extent do you feel a personal responsibility to try to reduce climate change?

1 in 5 Pakistanis (22%) feel an extreme sense of responsibility towards reducing climate change.



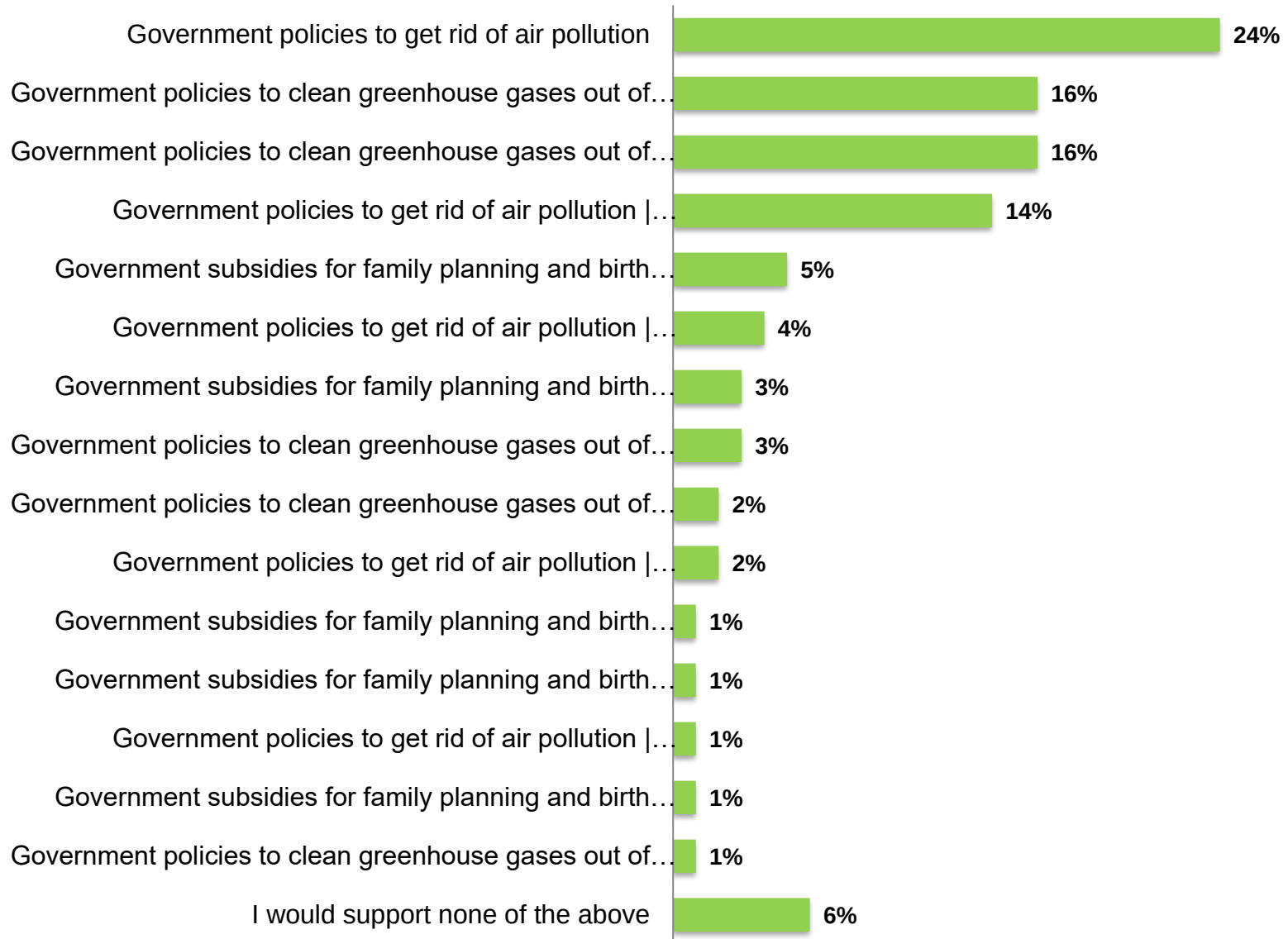
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Question: For the actions below, indicate whether you personally plan to take or to encourage your friends and family to take them, within the next six months?



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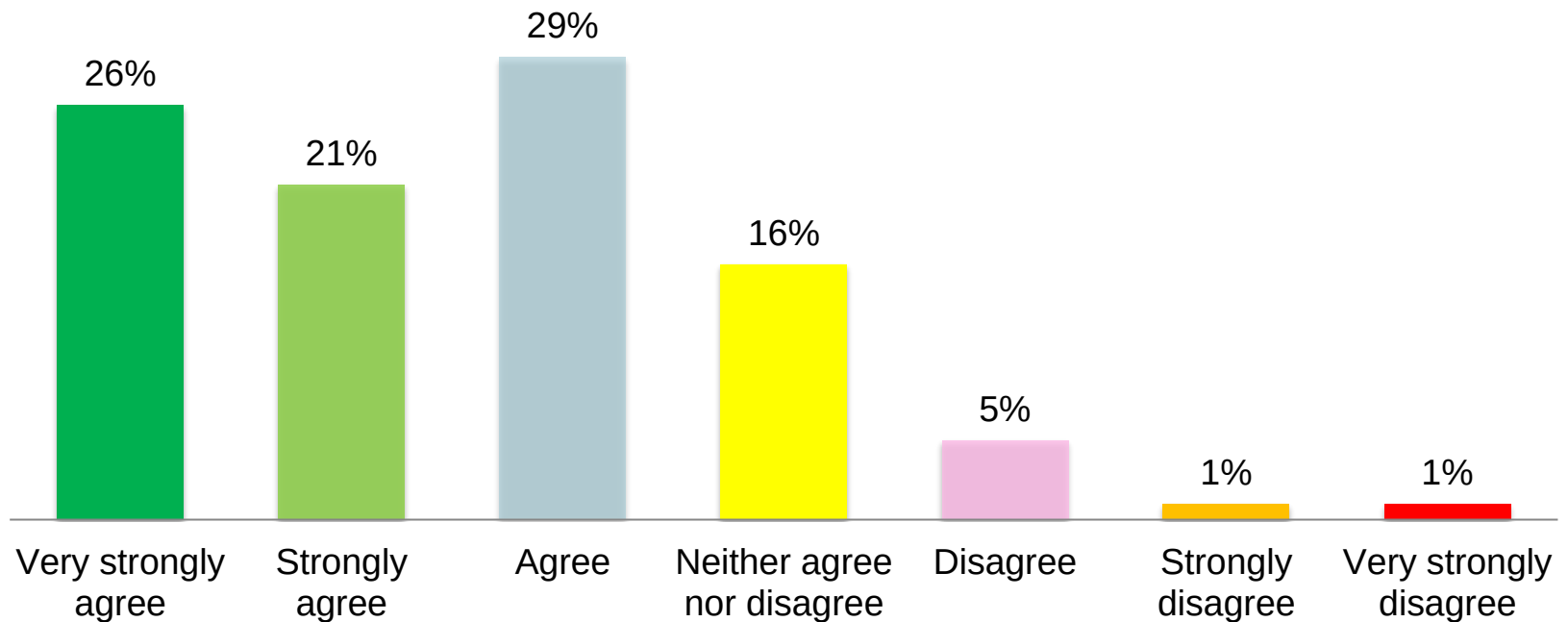
Question: Imagine the government took some actions designed to influence global warming, which of the following would you support?



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Question: I believe my country is directly responsible for dealing with climate change?

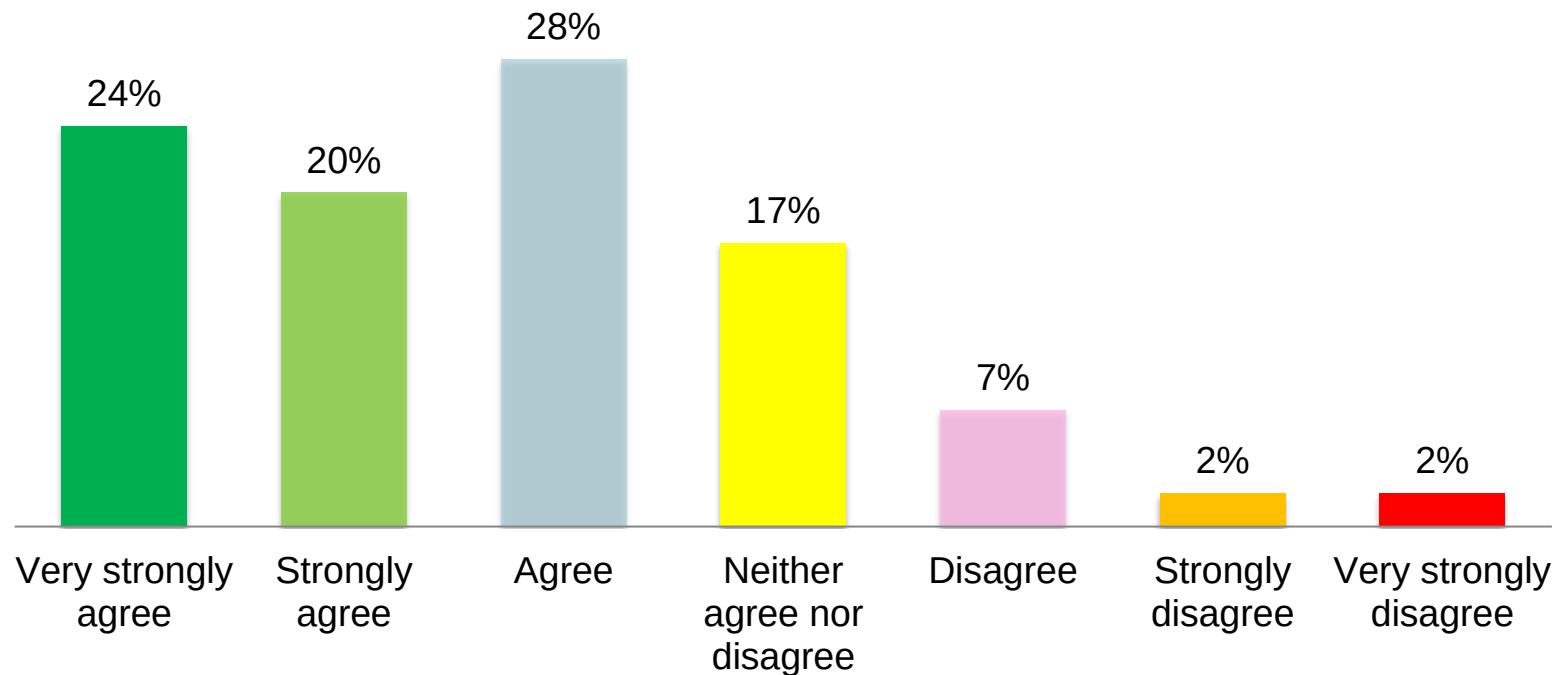
3 in 4 Pakistanis (76%) agree to some extent that their country is directly responsible for dealing with climate change.



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Question: Climate change is the primary responsibility of countries that have historically contributed to it the most?

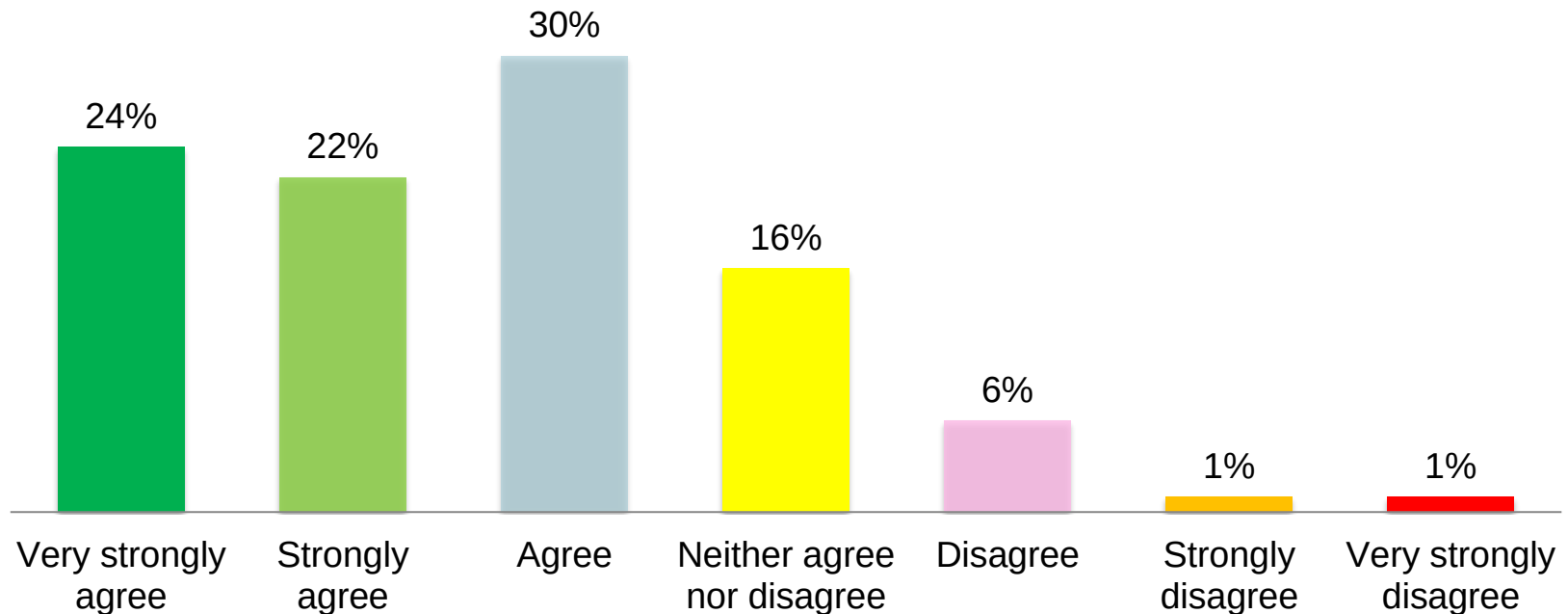
More than 2/3rd, 72% of Pakistanis agree to some extent that Climate change is the primary responsibility of those countries that contributed most to it.



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Question: Climate change is the primary responsibility of countries that are contributing to it the most right now or will contribute the most in the near future?

76% of Pakistanis agree to some extent that climate change is the primary responsibility of those countries that are contributing to it the most right now or will contribute most to it in the near future.

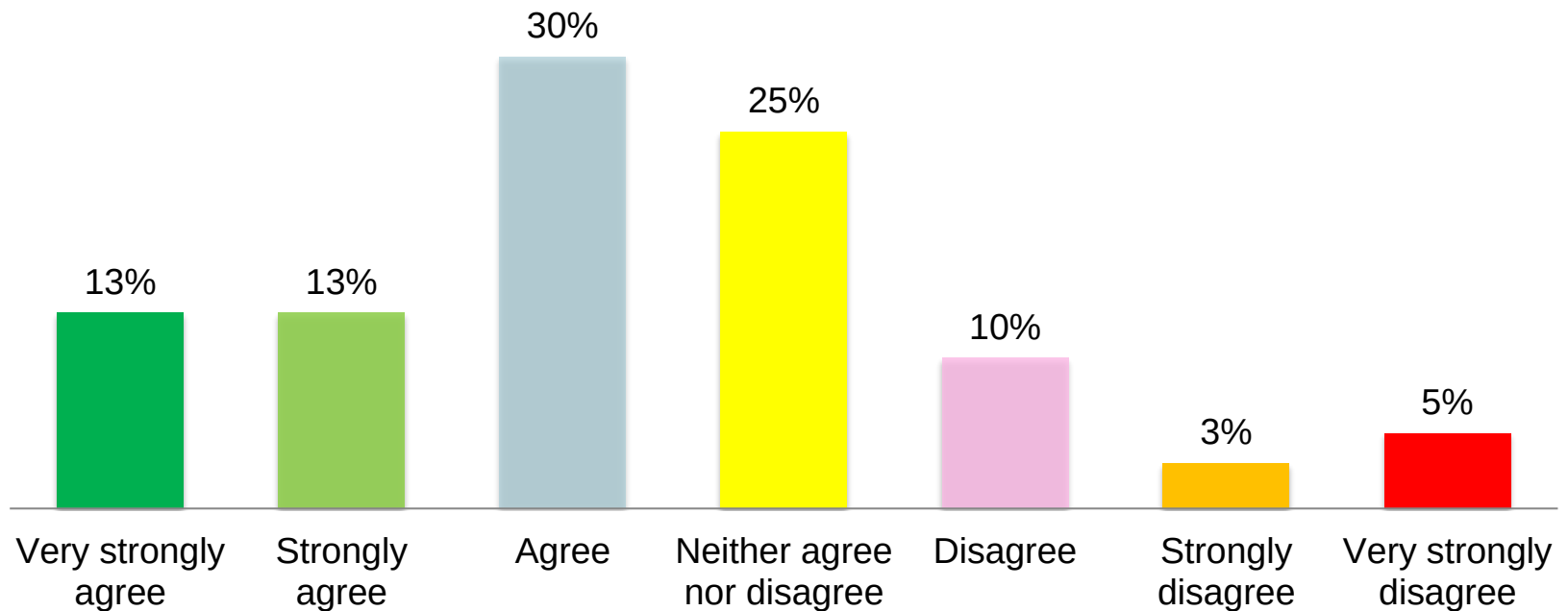


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4. Sacrifices to Reduce the Impacts of Climate Change

Question: I would be willing to give up some of my current income if I knew this would make things better for future generations?

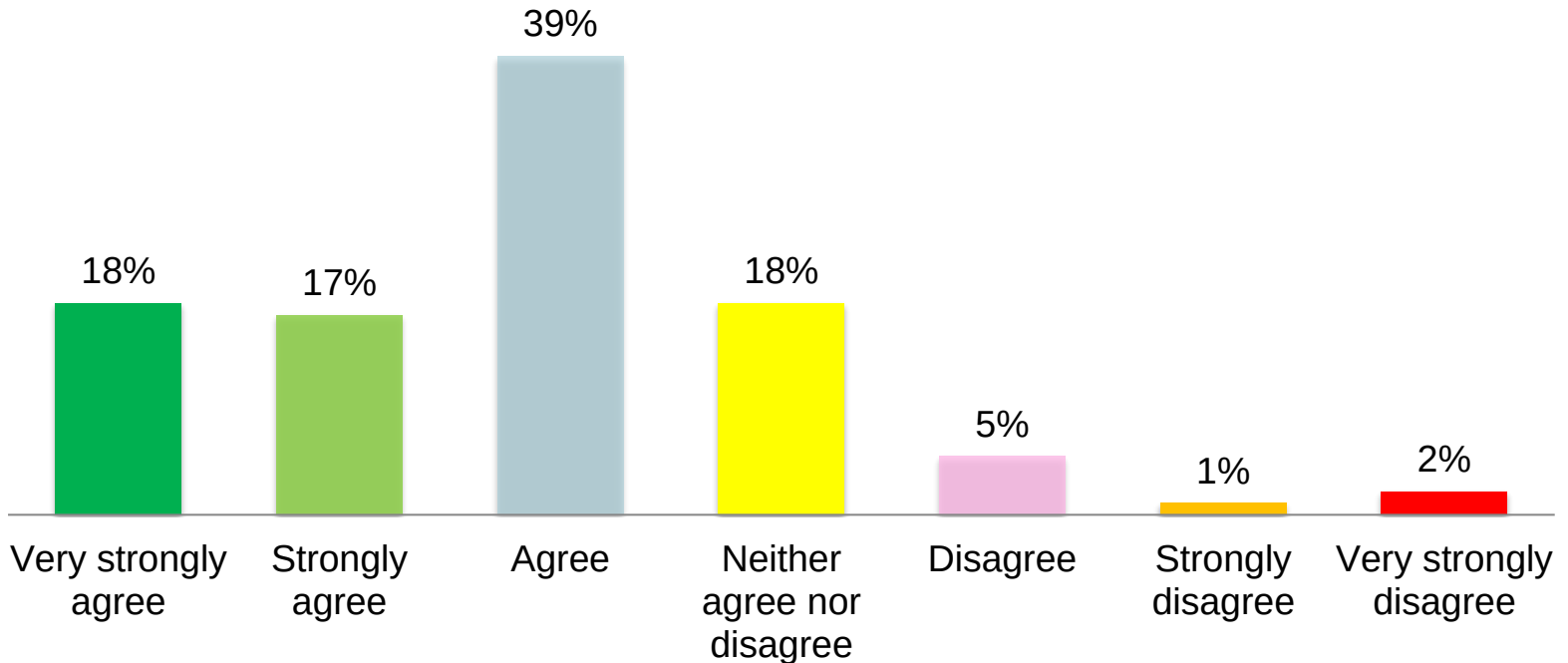
More than half (56%) of Pakistanis are willing to let go some portion of their current income if it makes things better for their future generations.



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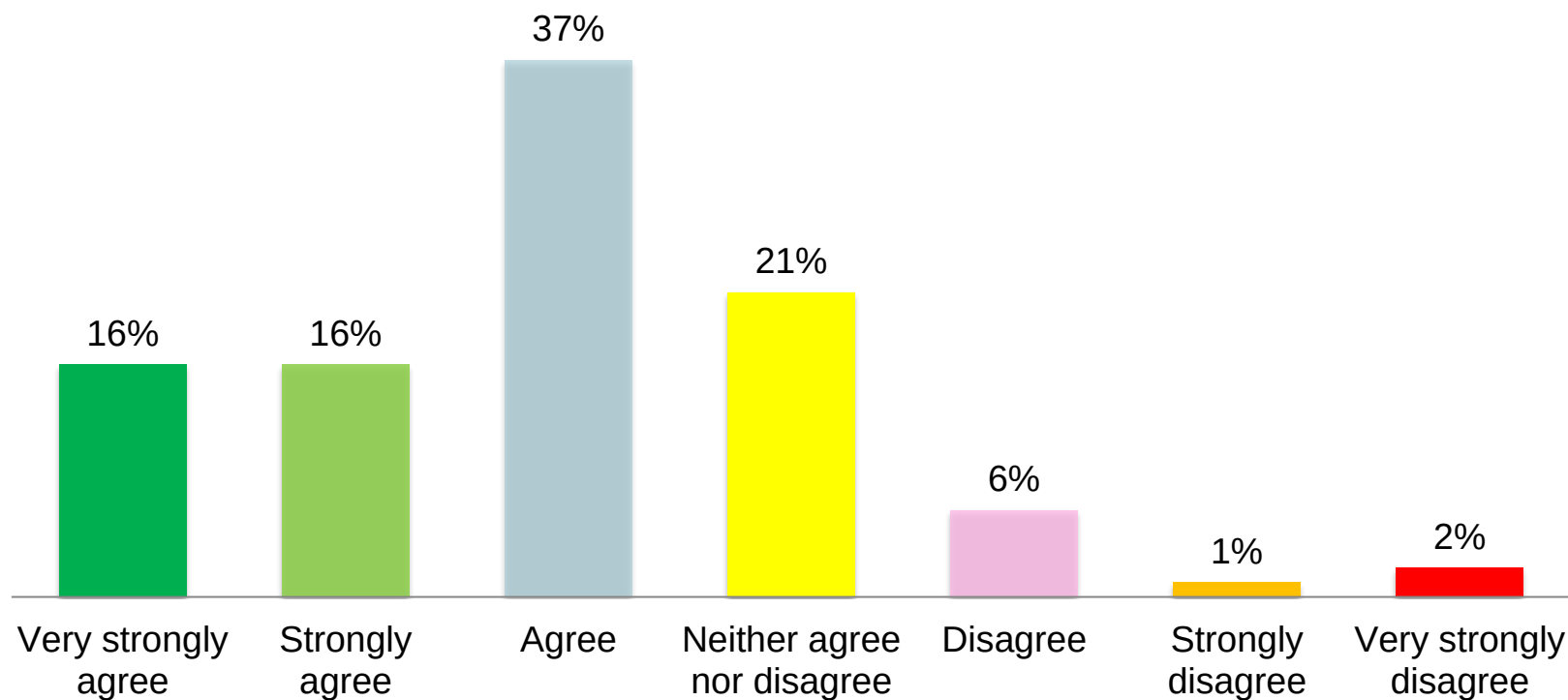
Question: I would agree to sacrifice my comfort to reduce the impacts of climate change as long as doing so would benefit my family and friends?

74% of Pakistanis agree to sacrificing their own comforts to reduce impacts of climate change if it benefits their friends and families.



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Question: I would agree to sacrifice my comfort to reduce the impacts of climate change as long as doing so would benefit my country?

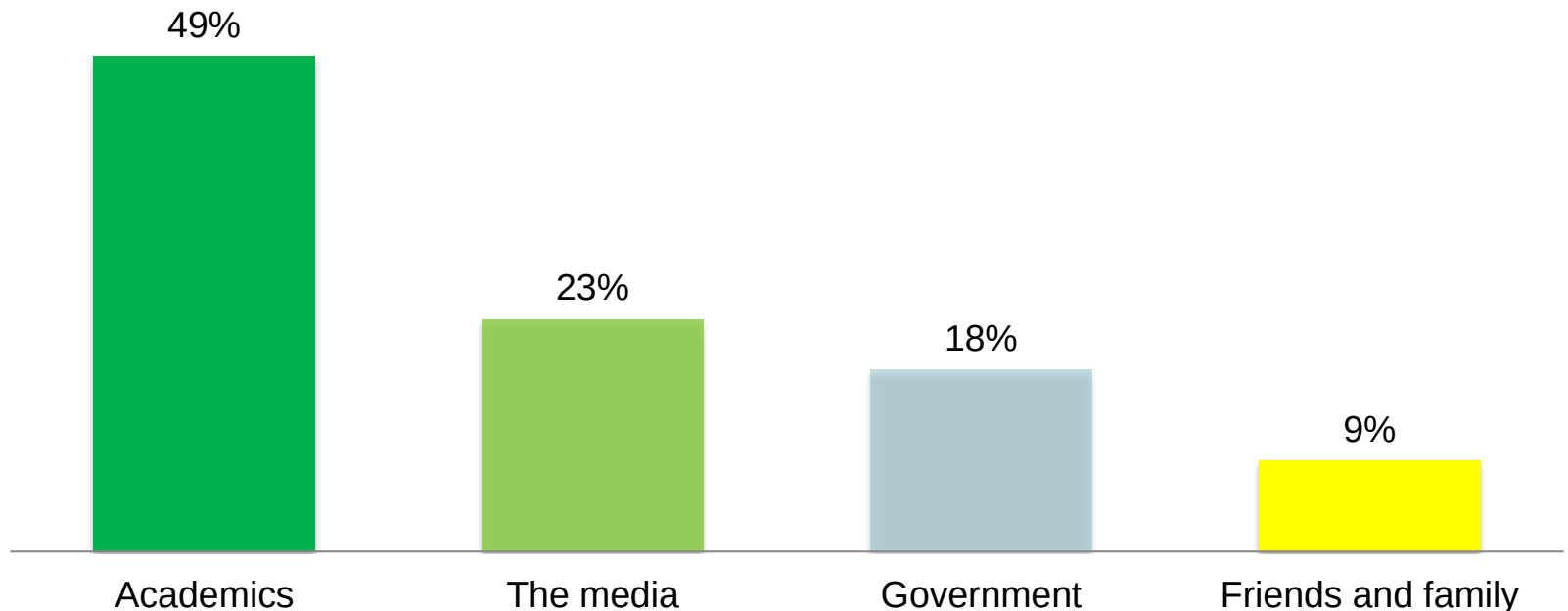


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5. Source of Information

Question: Which of the following sources of information do you most trust to provide you with information about climate change?

49% of Pakistanis trust Academic sources to provide them with trustable information about climate change.

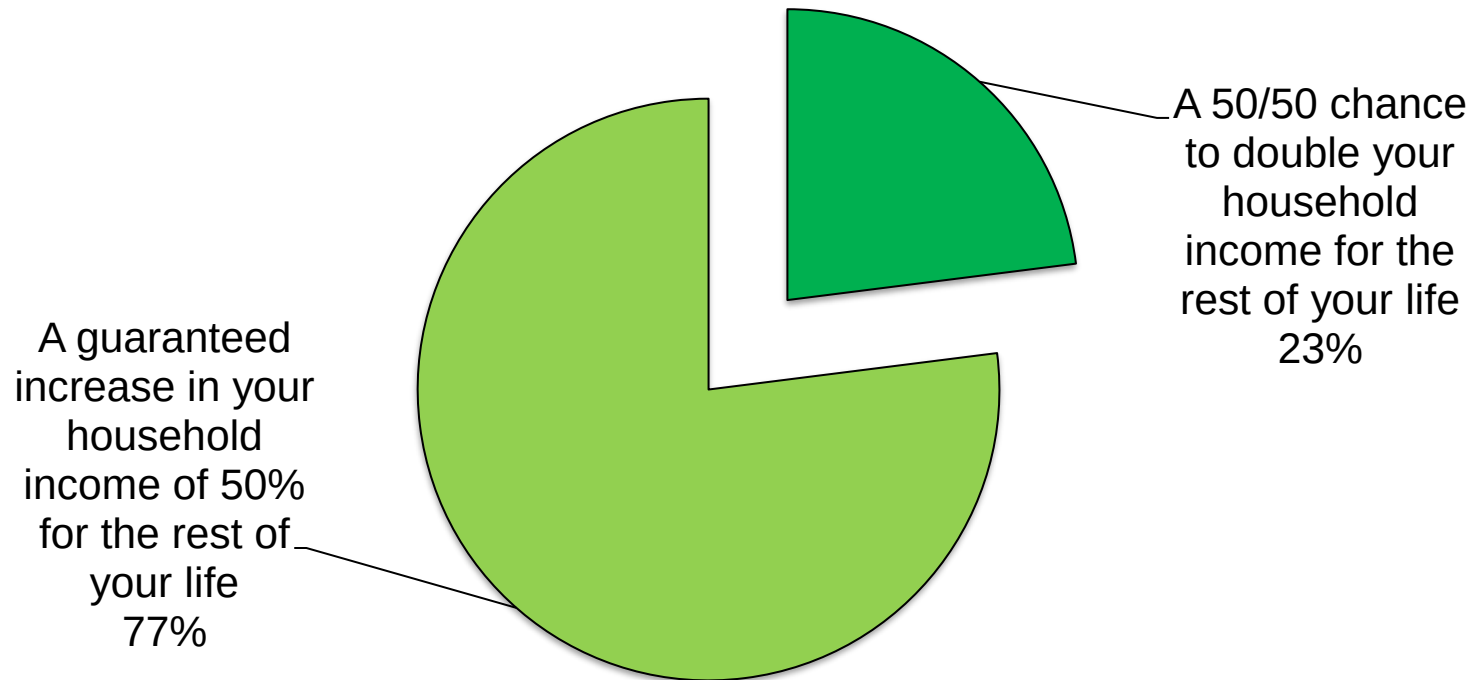


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6. Miscellaneous

**Question: Think about your current household income.
Which of the following would you choose if offered now?
[Offer 1]**

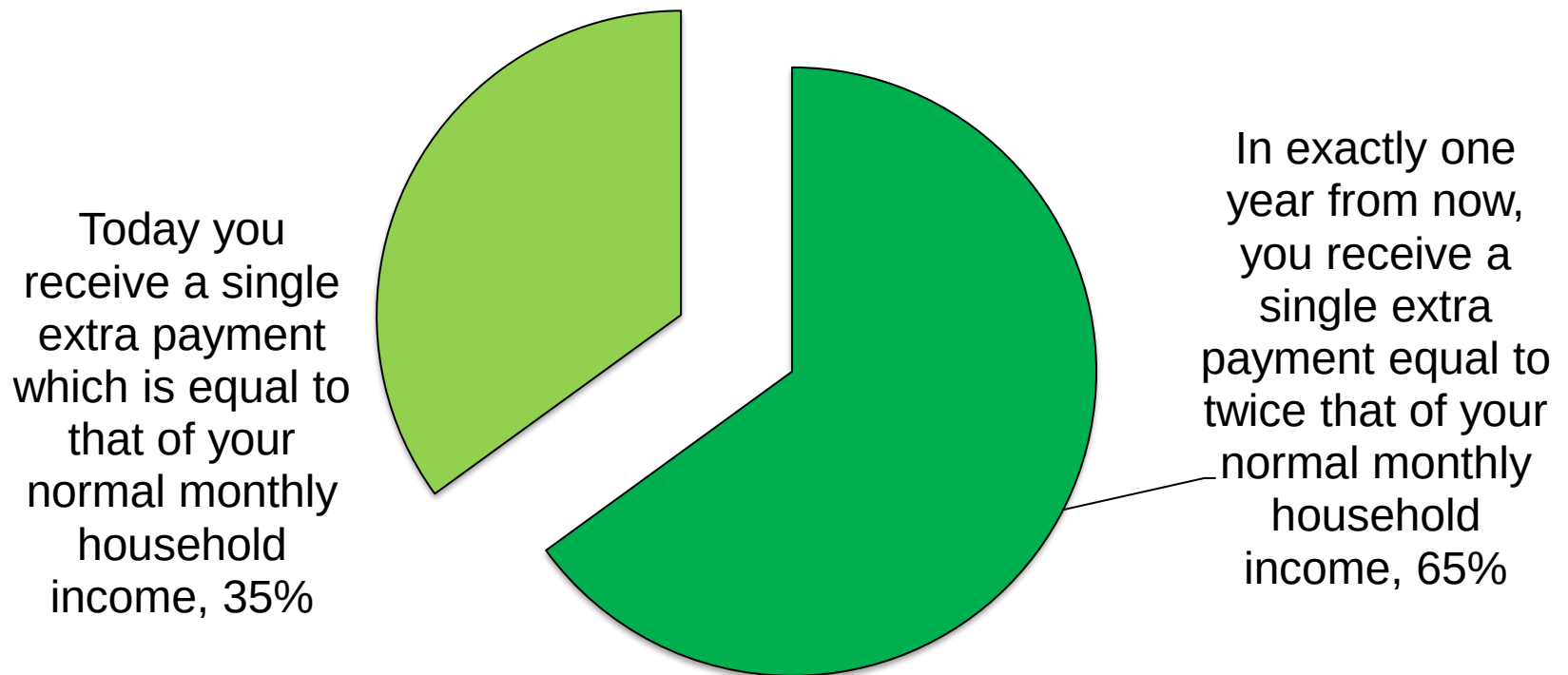
77% of Pakistanis chose a guaranteed 50% increase in their income for the rest of their lives over receiving a 50/50 chance to double their income for the rest of their lives.



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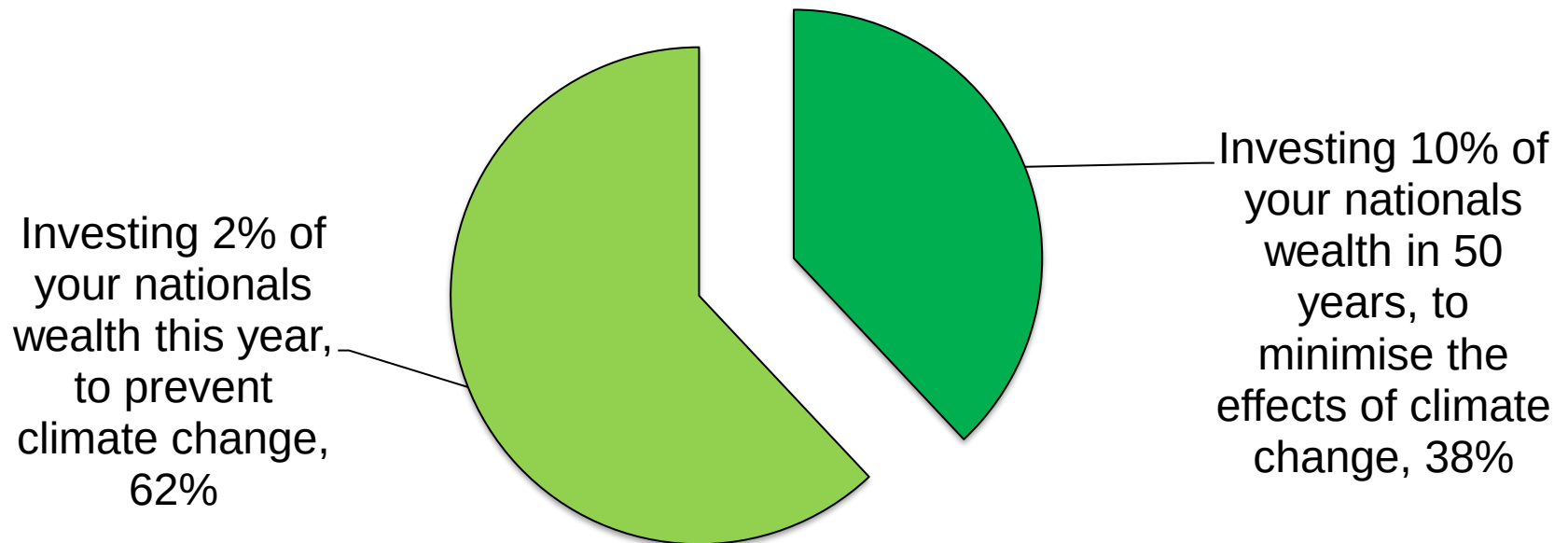
**Question: Think about your current household income.
Which of the following would you choose if offered now?
[Offer 2]**

65% Pakistanis chose to receive a payment equal to twice their monthly expense after one year instead of choosing a payment equal to their monthly expenses today.



Question: There are many ways to combat climate change, but they all cost money. Which of the following decisions would you prefer your nation made if you could be sure that all other nations would choose the same option?

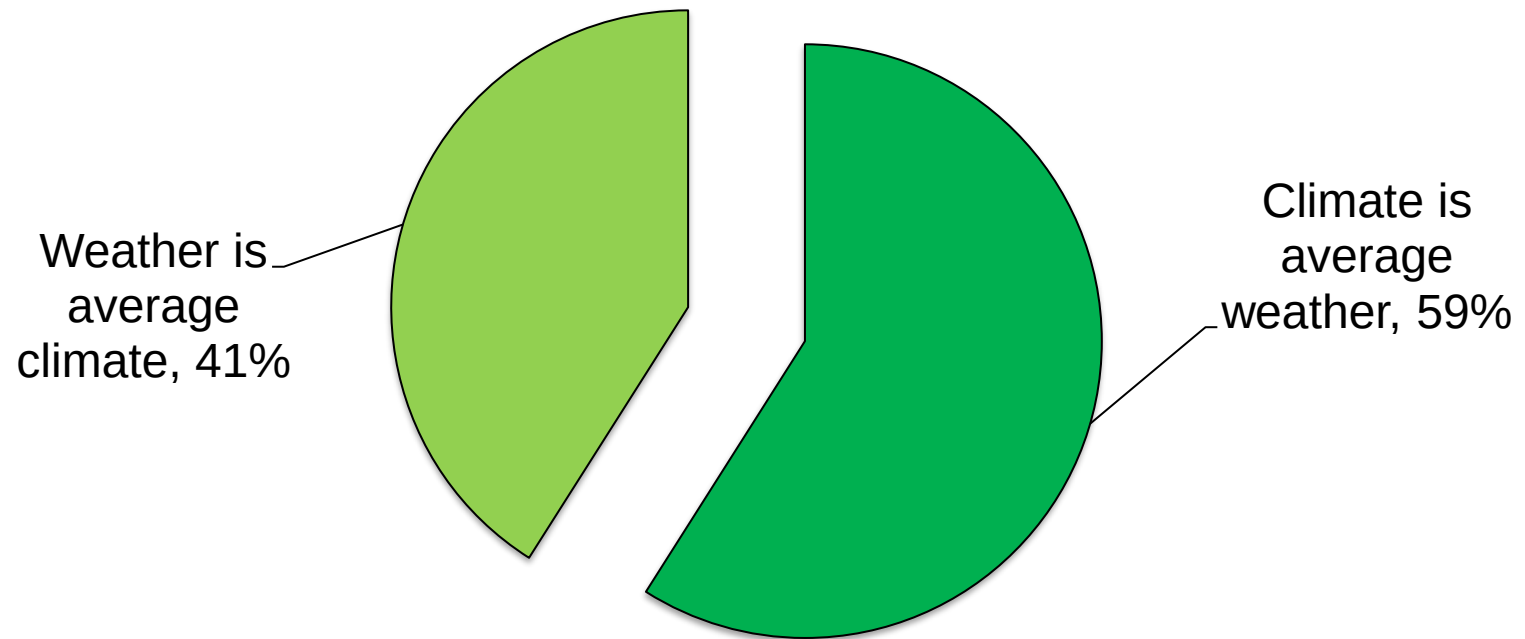
62% of Pakistanis prefer investing 2% of national wealth this year to prevent climate change over investing 10% of national wealth in the 50 years to minimize climate change



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Question: Indicate which of the following statements is true?

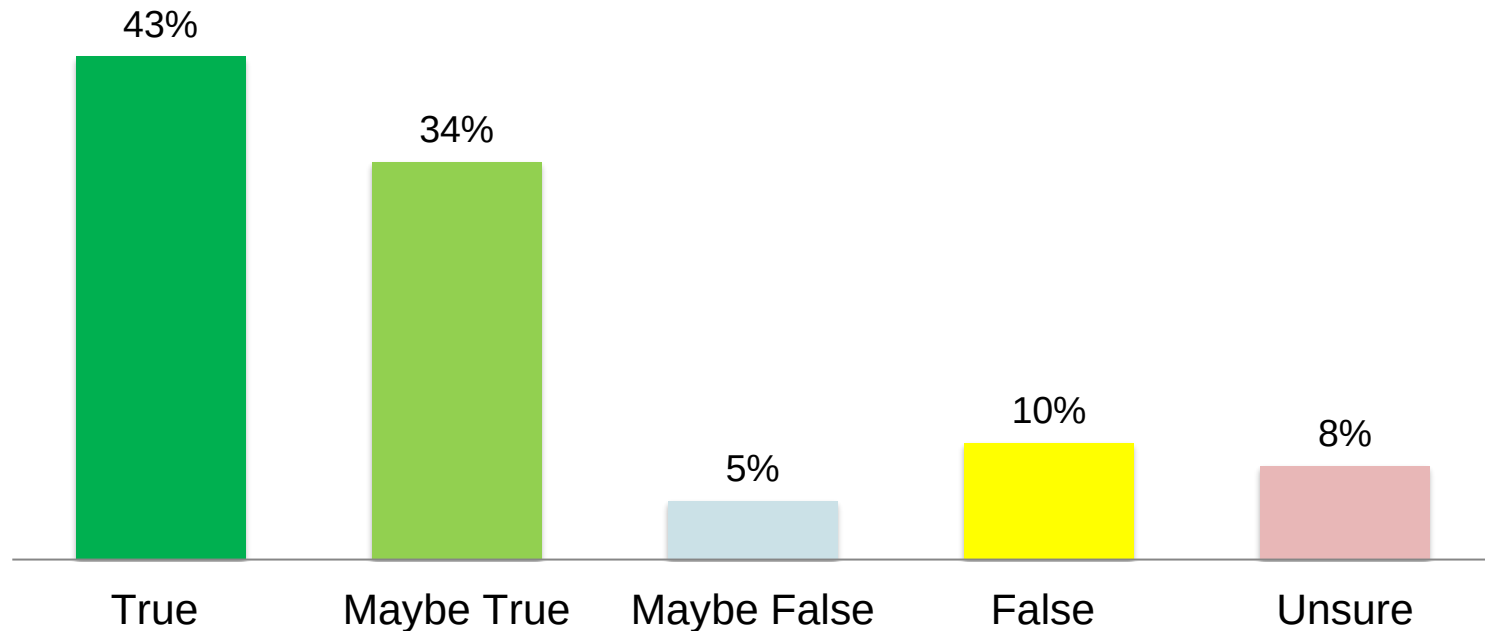
59% of Pakistanis believe that Climate is average weather



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Question: Please tell to what extend statement is true or false: The hole in the Antarctic ozone layer is a major cause of climate change?

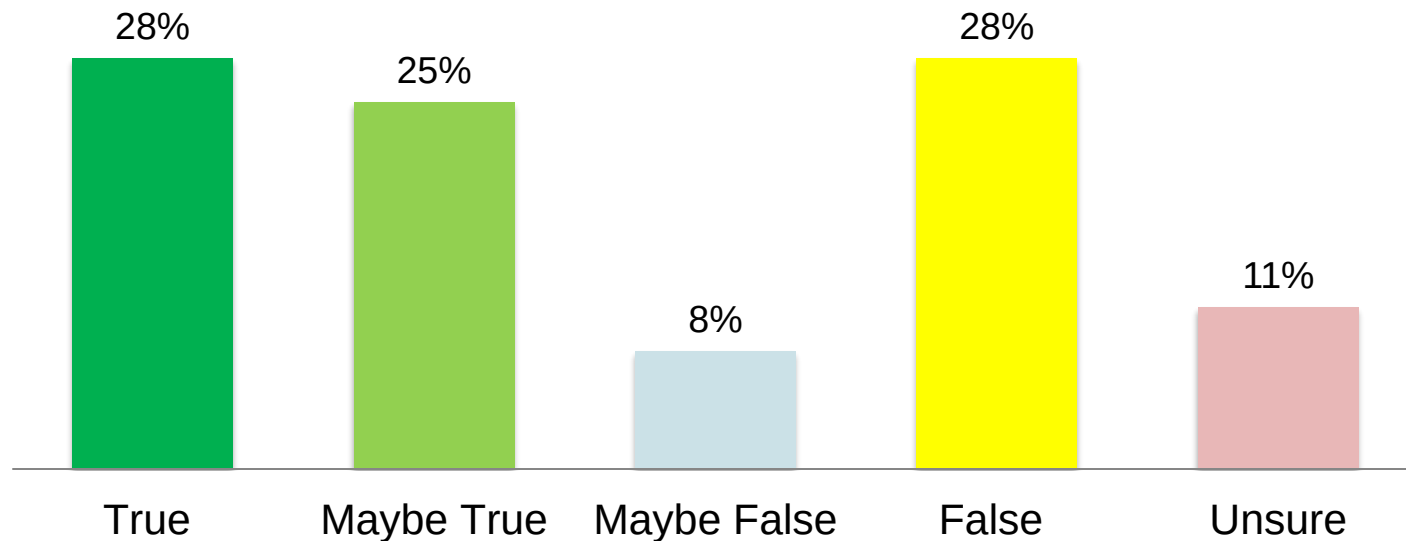
43% Pakistanis believe that the hole in Antarctic ozone layer is a major cause of climate change.



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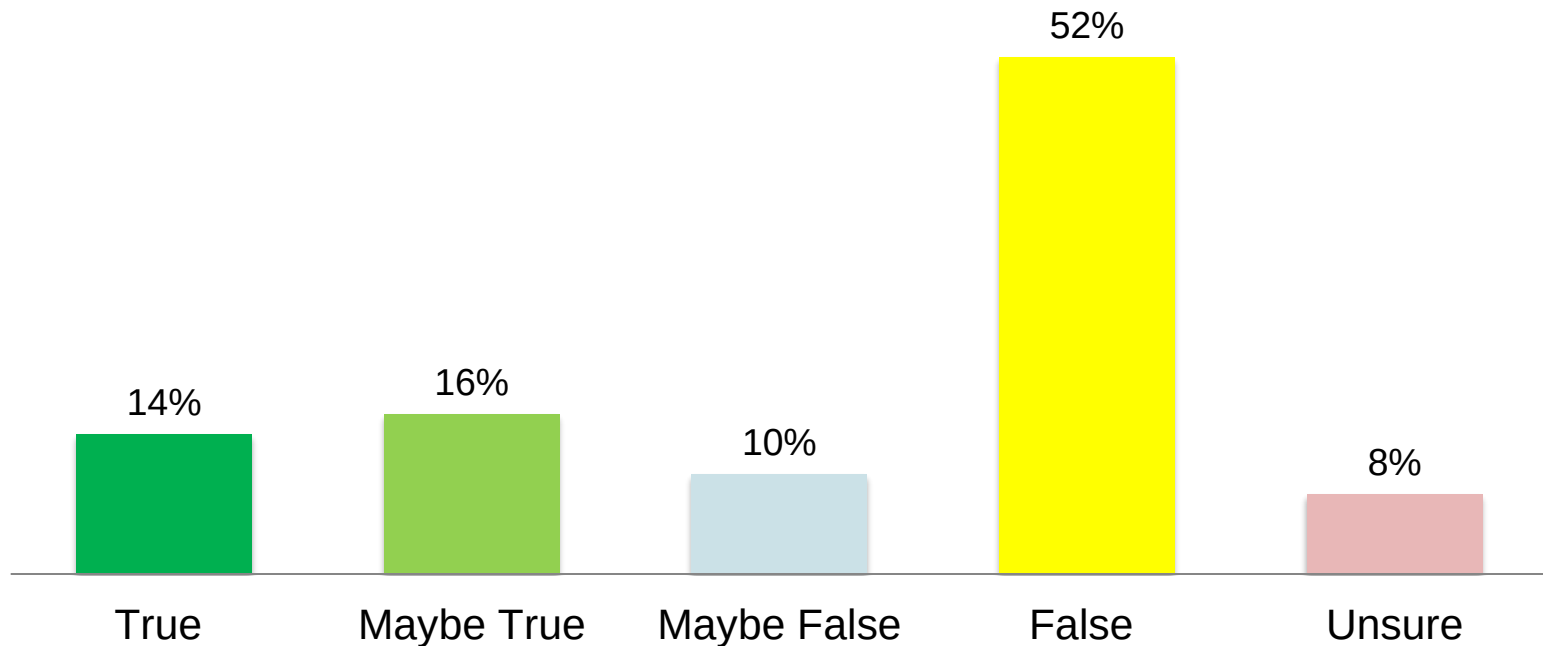
Question: Please tell to what extend statement is true or false: The greenhouse effect is what keeps the earth from being as cold as outer space?

28% of Pakistanis believe that the greenhouse effects prevents earth from being as cold as outer space and an equal percentage 28% believe that the greenhouse effect is not responsible for preventing earth from being as cold as outer space.



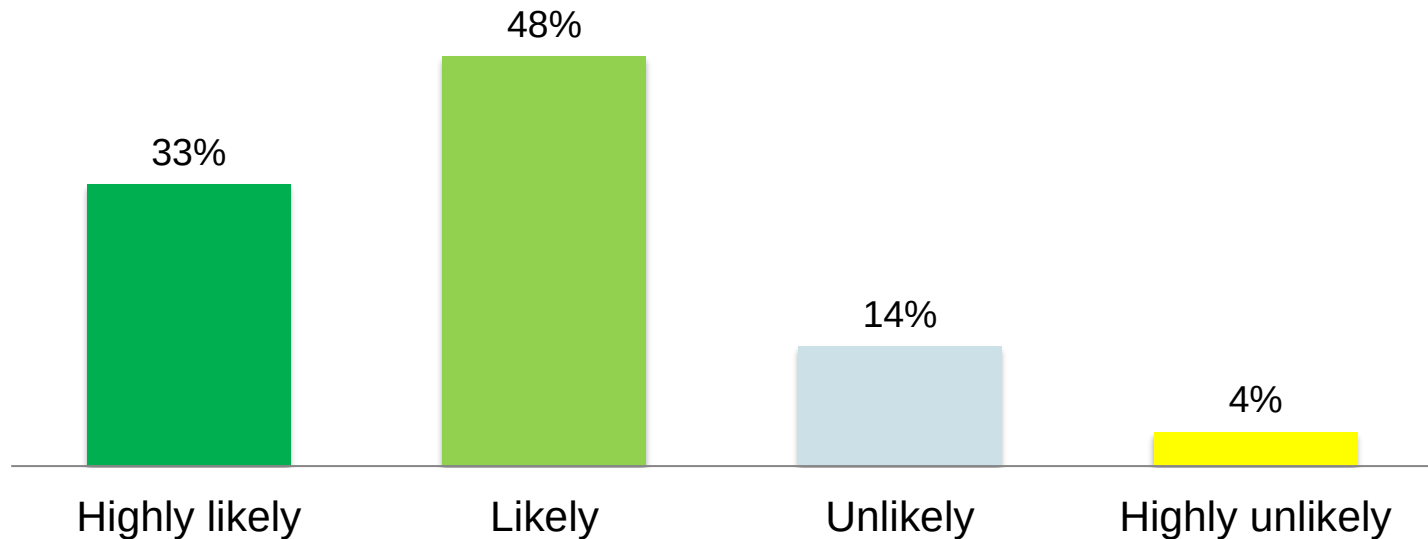
Question: Please tell to what extend statement is true or false: Cows, rice paddies, swamps and termites are ALL causes of climate change?

14% of Pakistanis believe that cows, rice paddies, swamps and termites are all causes of climate change.



Question: How likely do you think it is that limiting your own energy use would help reduce climate change?

82% of Pakistanis believe to some extent that limiting their energy consumption can help reduce climate change.



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