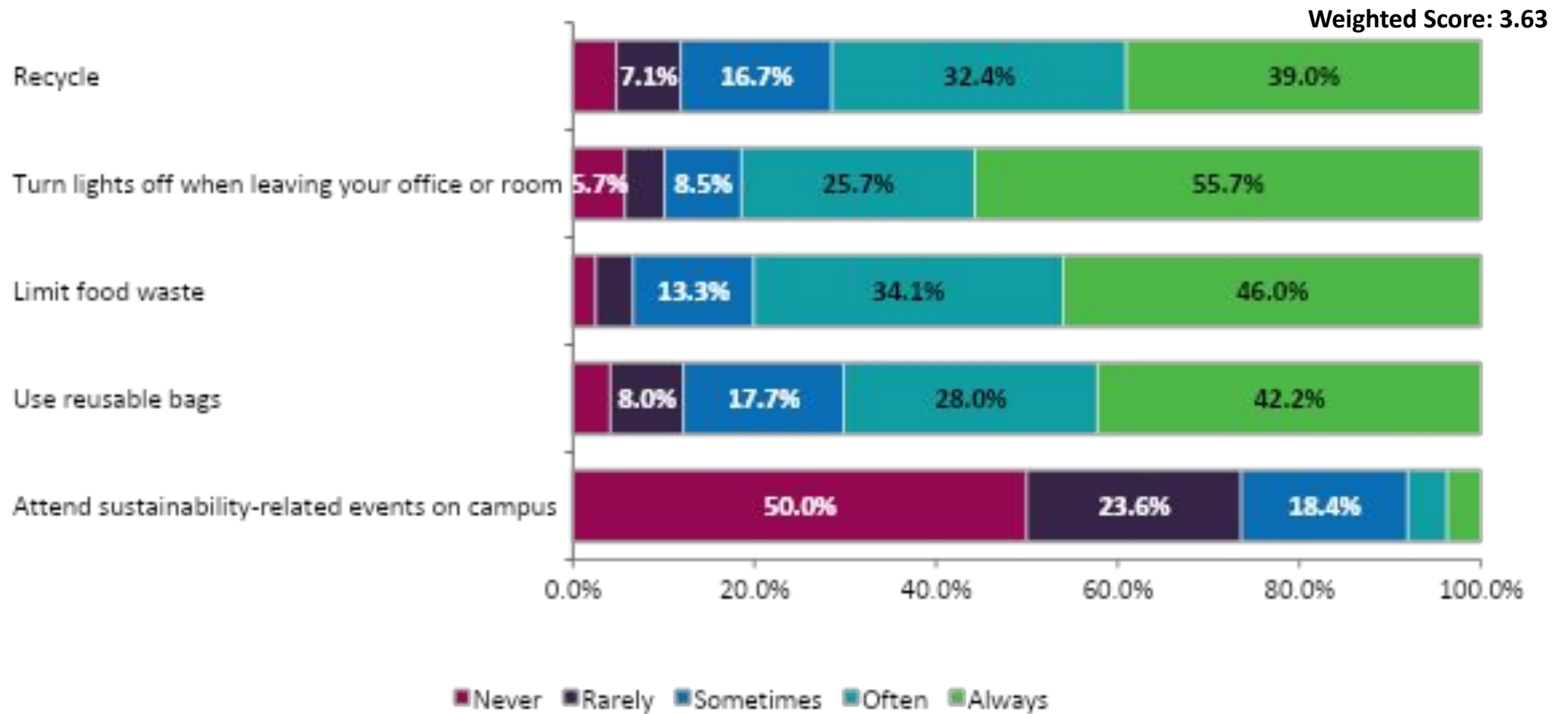


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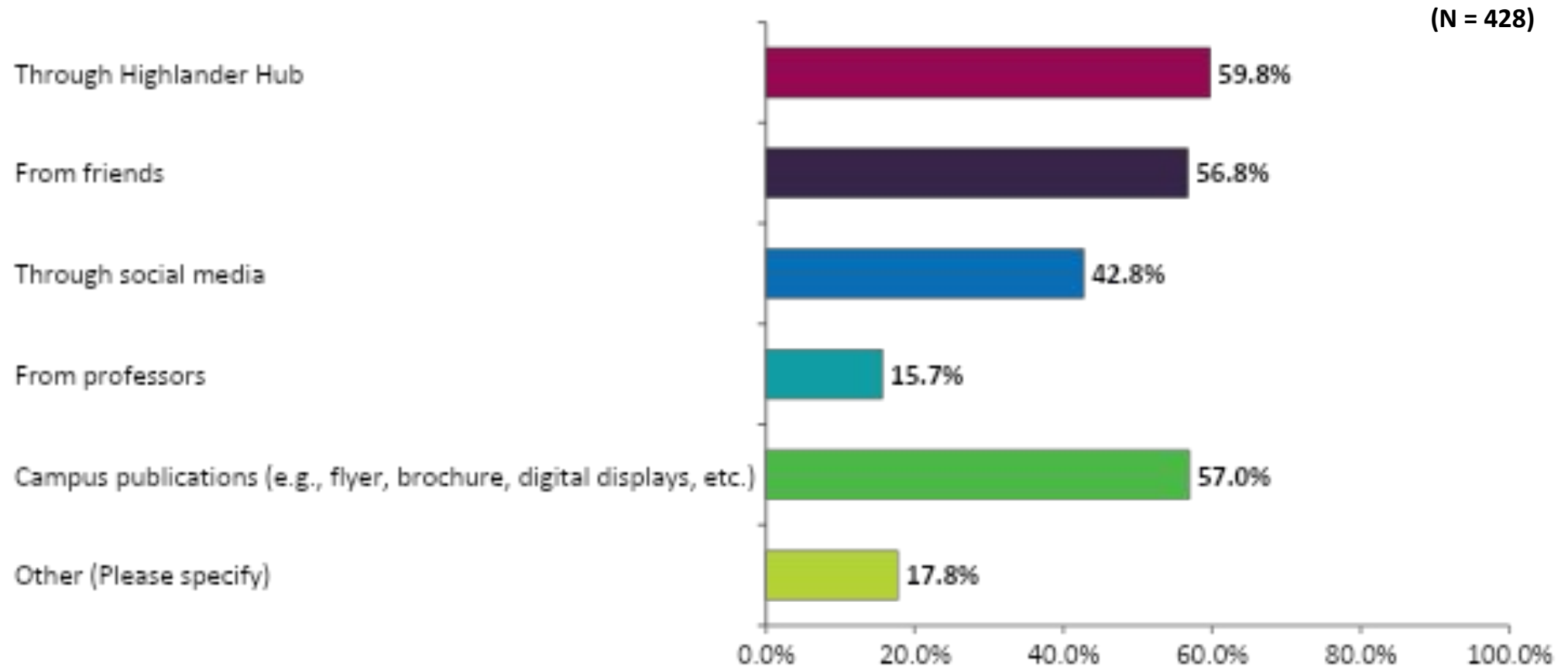
How often do you engage in each of the following sustainability practices on-campus?



How often do you engage in each of the following sustainability practices on-campus?

Response	Never	Rarely	Someti mes	Often	Always	Weigh ted Score	Total Respo nses
Recycle	4.8%	7.1%	16.7%	32.4%	39.0%	3.94	438
	21	31	73	142	171		
Turn lights off when leaving your office or room	5.7%	4.4%	8.5%	25.7%	55.7%	4.21	436
	25	19	37	112	243		
Limit food waste	2.5%	4.1%	13.3%	34.1%	46.0%	4.17	437
	11	18	58	149	201		
Use reusable bags	4.1%	8.0%	17.7%	28.0%	42.2%	3.96	436
	18	35	77	122	184		
Attend sustainability-related events on campus	50.0%	23.6%	18.4%	4.4%	3.7%	1.88	436
	218	103	80	19	16		
Weighted Score: 3.63							

How do you find out about campus events? (Check all that apply)



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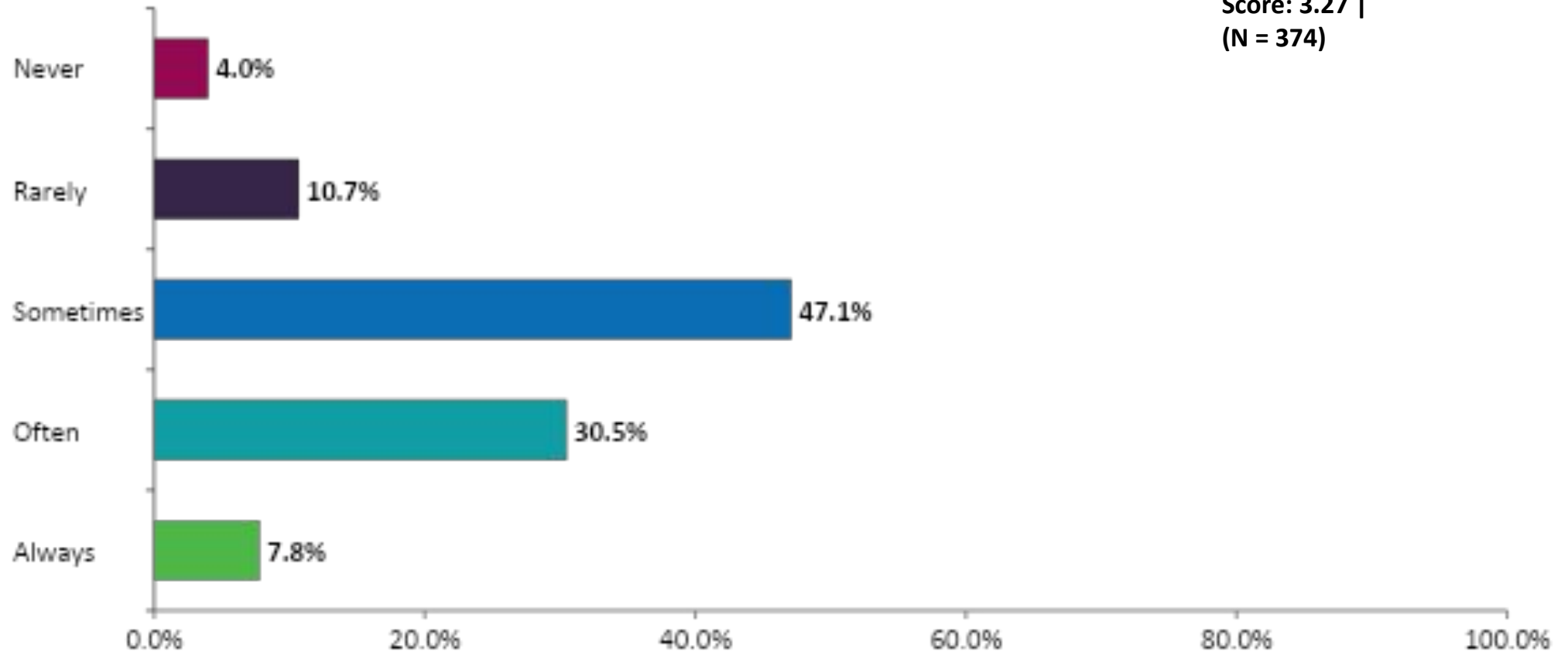
Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Through Highlander Hub	256	59.8%
From friends	243	56.8%
Through social media	183	42.8%
From professors	67	15.7%

How do you find out about campus events? (Check all that apply) (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Campus publications (e.g., flyer, brochure, digital displays, etc.)	244	57.0%
Other (Please specify)	76	17.8%
Total Unique Responses	428	
Total Responses	1069	

How often do you buy Eco-friendly products?

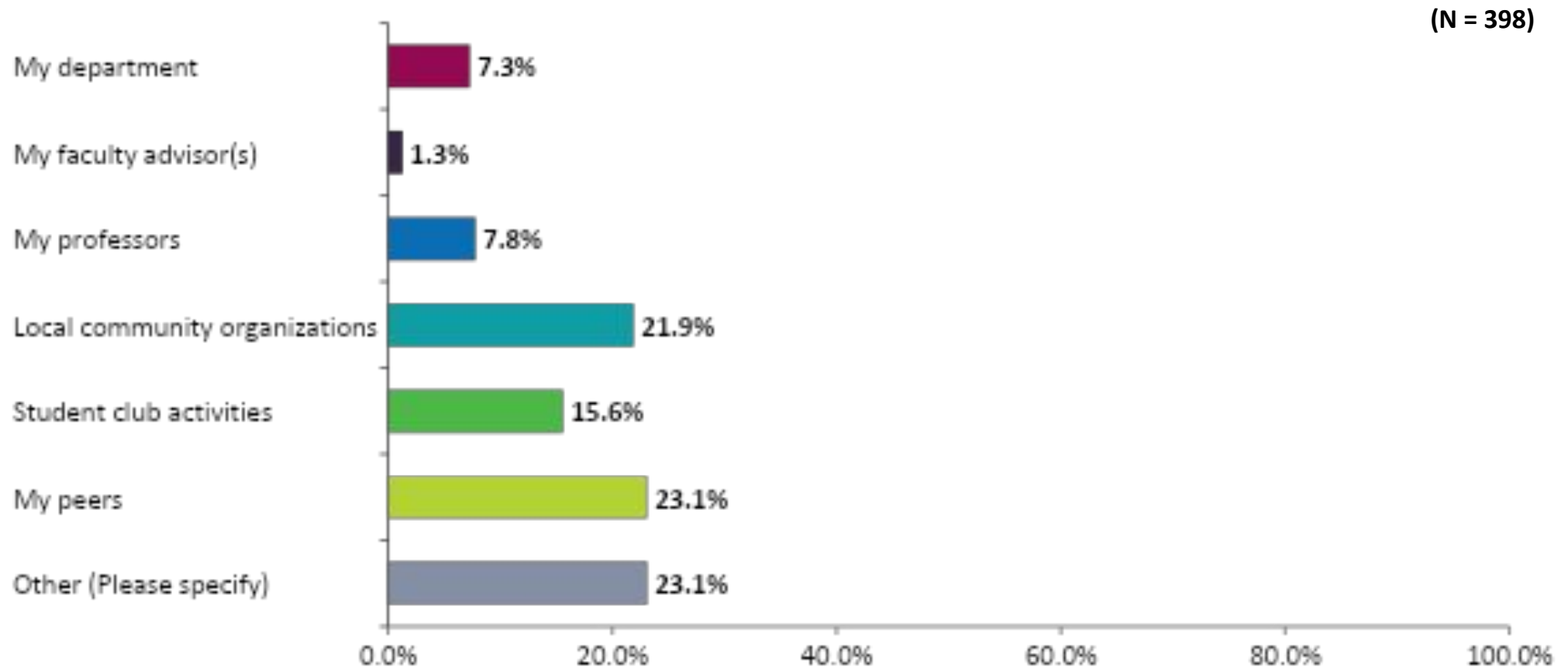
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(N = 374)



How often do you buy Eco-friendly products?

Response	Count (N)	Value	Percentage (%)
Never	15	1	4.0%
Rarely	40	2	10.7%
Sometimes	176	3	47.1%
Often	114	4	30.5%
Always	29	5	7.8%
Total Responses	374		
Weighted Score	3.27		

Do you learn about sustainability ideas and practices from the following sources?



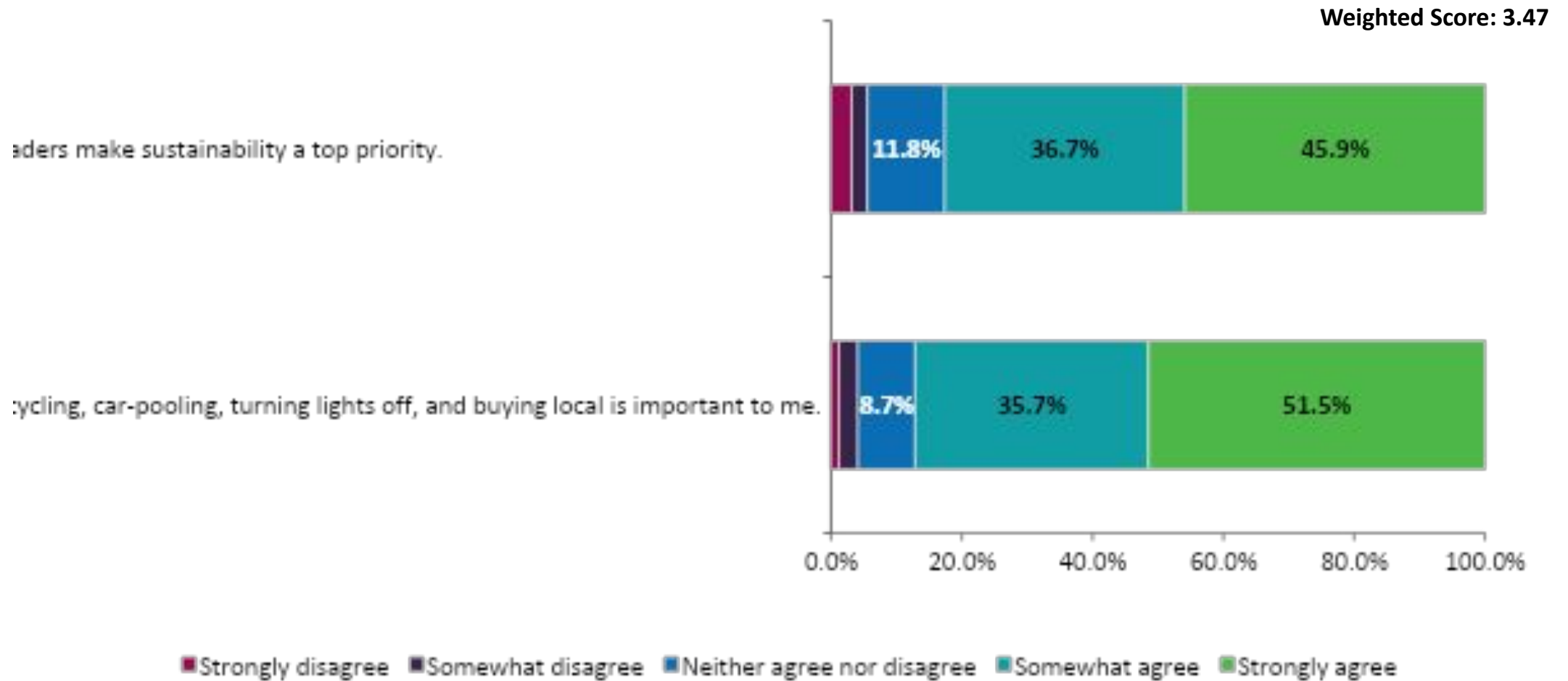
Do you learn about sustainability ideas and practices from the following sources?

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
My department	29	7.3%
My faculty advisor(s)	5	1.3%
My professors	31	7.8%
Local community organizations	87	21.9%

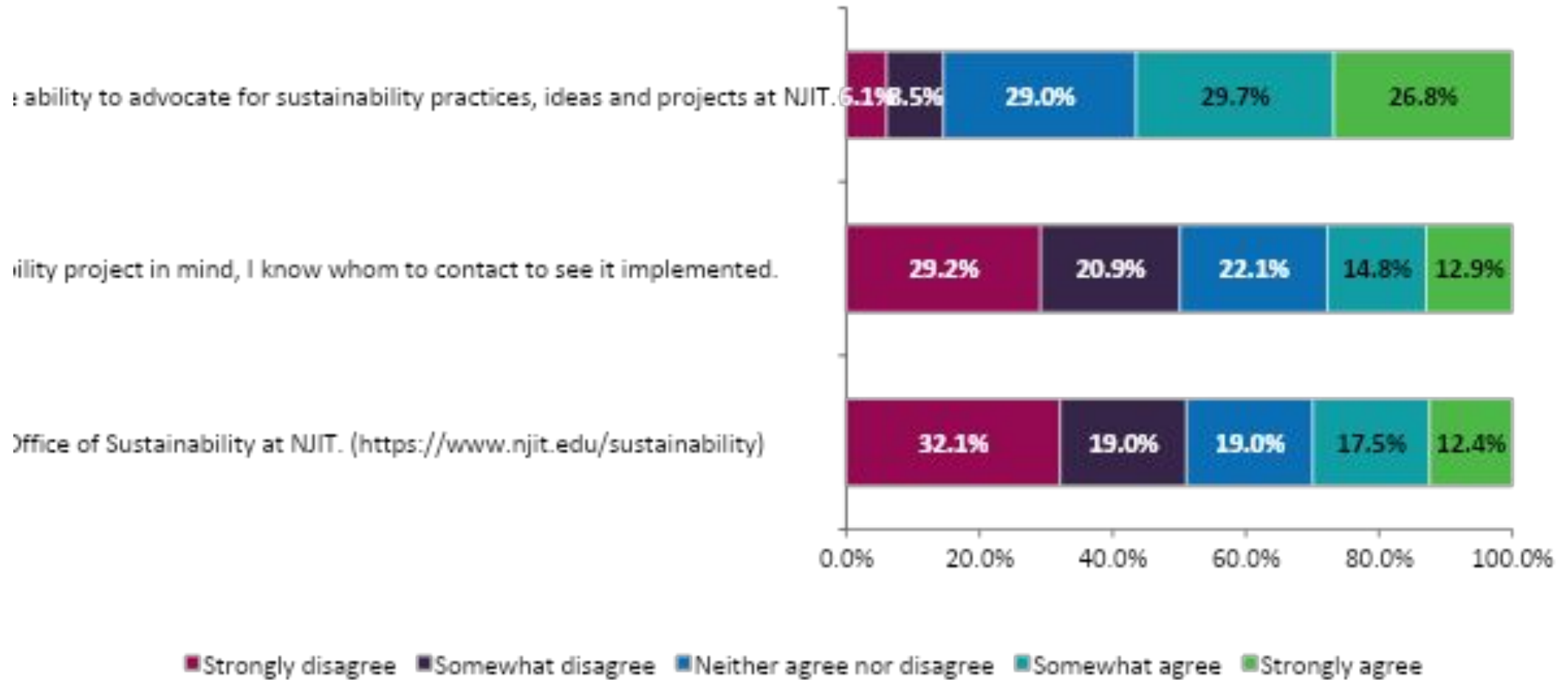
Do you learn about sustainability ideas and practices from the following sources? (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Student club activities	62	15.6%
My peers	92	23.1%
Other (Please specify)	92	23.1%
Total Responses	398	

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?



How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Continued)



How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

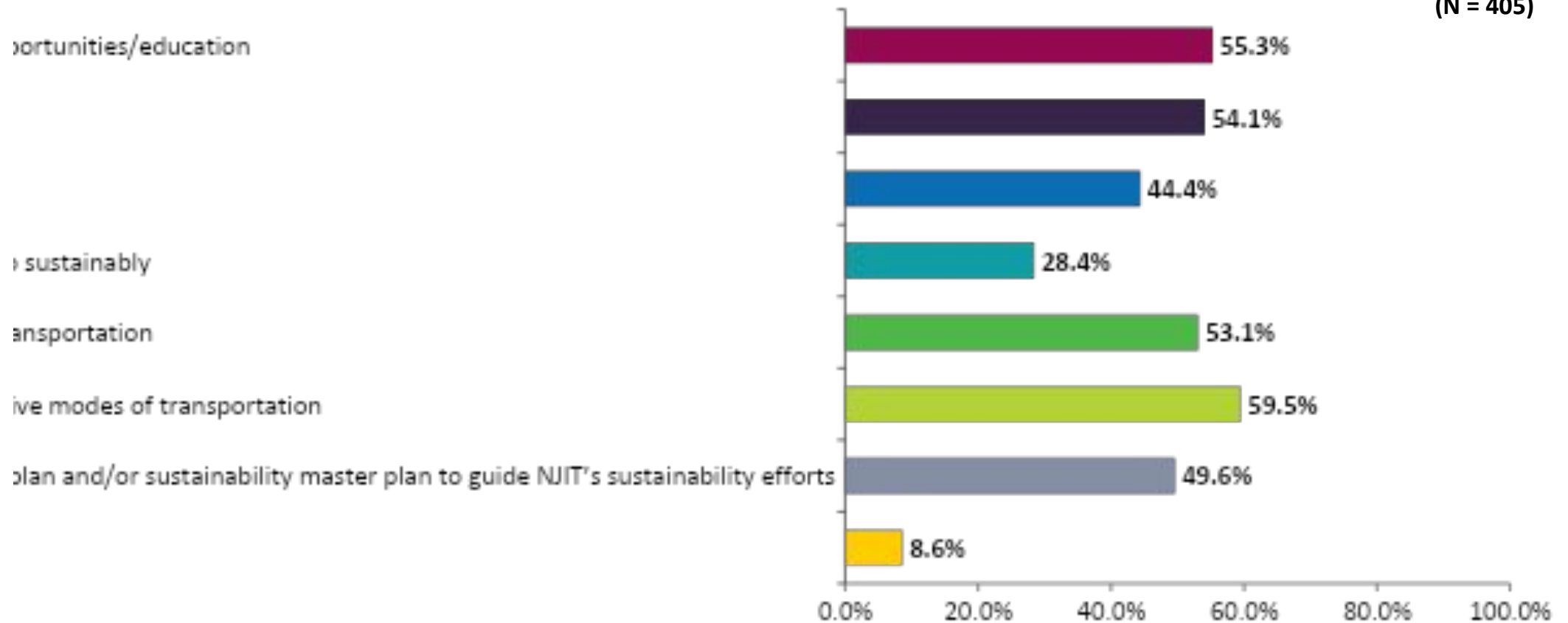
Response	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree	Weighted Score	Total Responses
It is important to me that the campus leaders make sustainability a top priority.	3.1%	2.4%	11.8%	36.7%	45.9%	4.2	414
Practicing sustainability behavior like recycling, car-pooling, turning lights off, and buying local is important to me.	1.2%	2.9%	8.7%	35.7%	51.5%	4.33	412

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Continued)

Response	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree	Weighted Score	Total Responses
I believe I have the ability to advocate for sustainability practices, ideas and projects at NJIT.	6.1%	8.5%	29.0%	29.7%	26.8%	3.63	411
	25	35	119	122	110		
If I had a sustainability project in mind, I know whom to contact to see it implemented.	29.2%	20.9%	22.1%	14.8%	12.9%	2.61	411
	120	86	91	61	53		
I know about the Office of Sustainability at NJIT. (https://www.njit.edu/sustainability)	32.1%	19.0%	19.0%	17.5%	12.4%	2.59	411
	132	78	78	72	51		
Weighted Score: 3.47							

Which of the following sustainability initiatives do you think NJIT should pursue?(Check all that apply)

(N = 405)



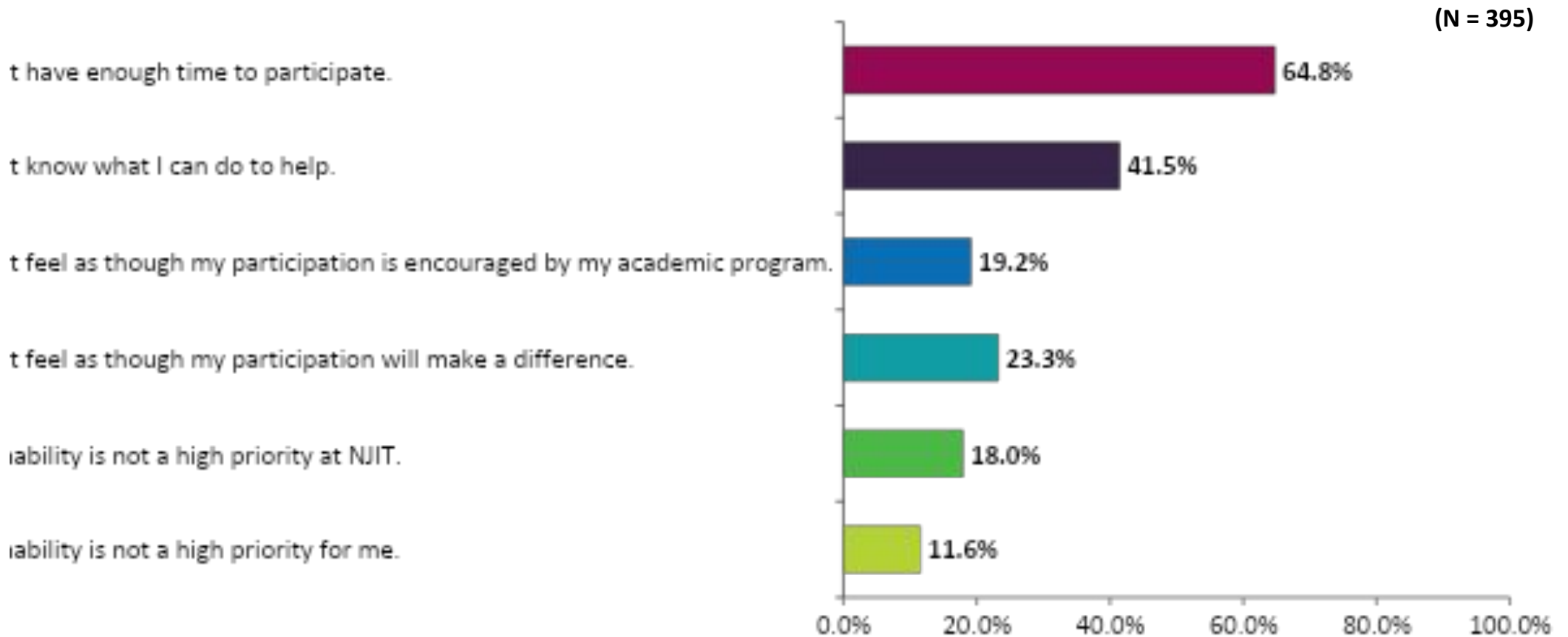
Which of the following sustainability initiatives do you think NJIT should pursue?(Check all that apply)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Additional recycling opportunities/education	224	55.3%
On-campus composting	219	54.1%
Zero waste events	180	44.4%
More courses related to sustainability	115	28.4%
Alternative modes of transportation	215	53.1%
Accessibility to alternative modes of transportation	241	59.5%

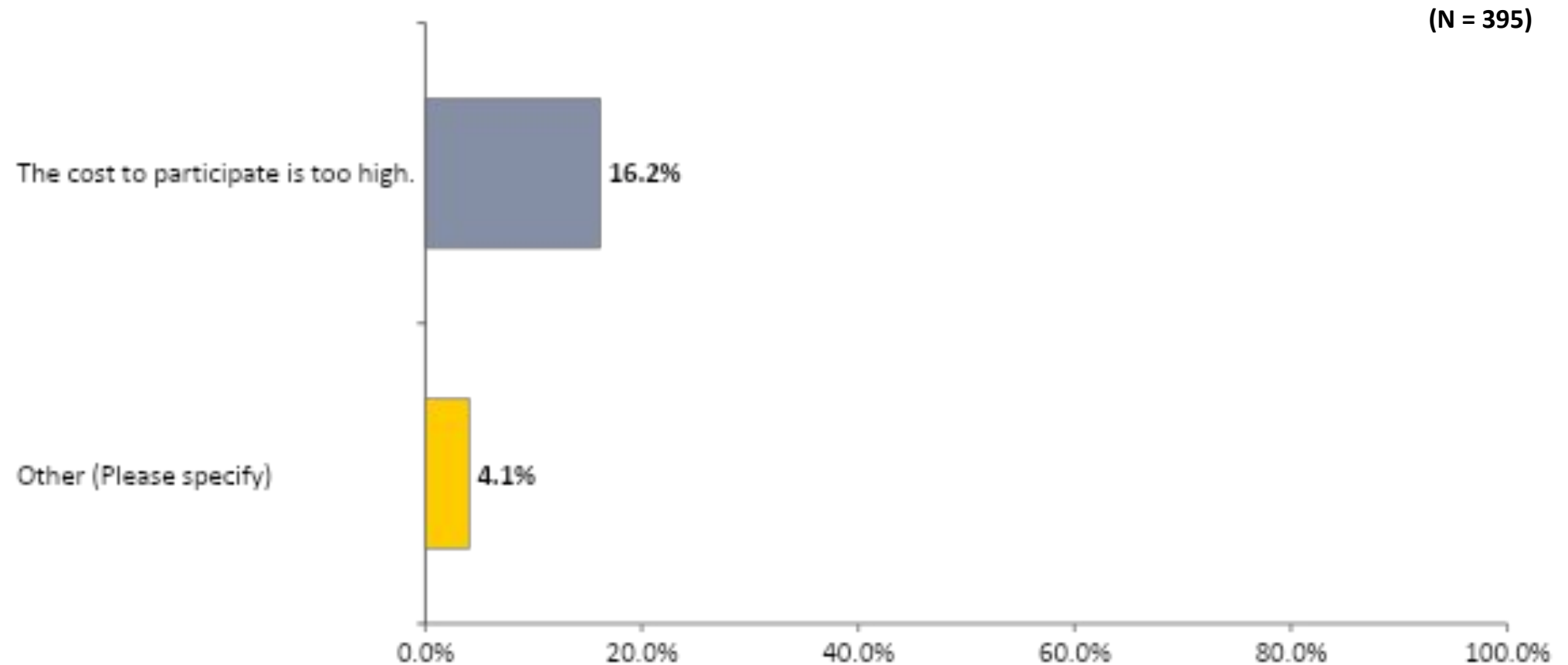
**Which of the following sustainability initiatives do you think NJIT should pursue?(Check all that apply)
(Continued)**

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Adopt a climate action plan and/or sustainability master plan to guide NJIT's sustainability efforts	201	49.6%
Other (Please specify)	35	8.6%
Total Unique Responses	405	
Total Responses	1430	

Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply)



Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply) (Continued)



Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
I do not have enough time to participate.	256	64.8%
I do not know what I can do to help.	164	41.5%
I do not feel as though my participation is encouraged by my academic program.	76	19.2%
I do not feel as though my participation will make a difference.	92	23.3%
Sustainability is not a high priority at NJIT.	71	18.0%
Sustainability is not a high priority for me.	46	11.6%

Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply) (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
The cost to participate is too high.	64	16.2%
Other (Please specify)	16	4.1%
Total Unique Responses	395	
Total Responses	785	

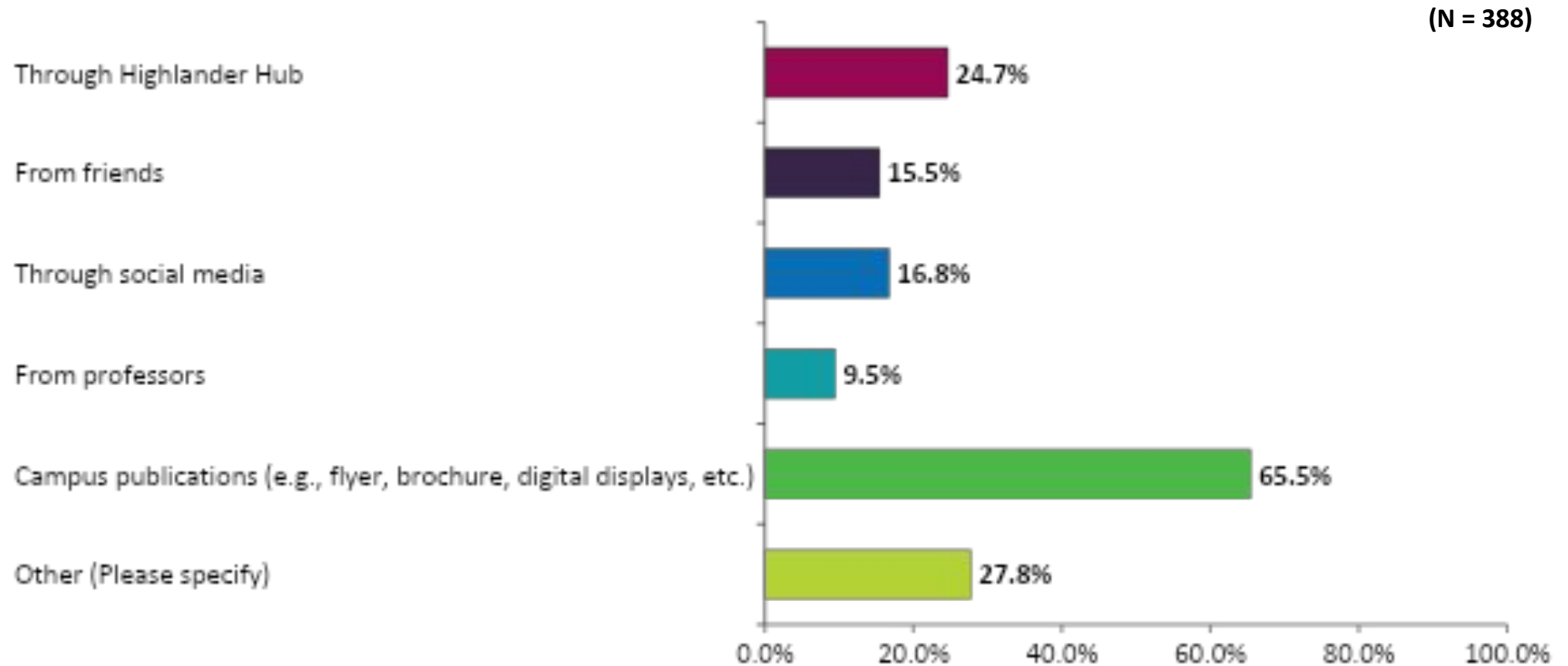
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How often do you engage in each of the following sustainability practices on-campus?

Response	Never	Rarely	Sometimes	Often+Always	Weighted Score	Total Responses
Recycle	2.5%	2.5%	11.0%	84.1%	4.32	402
	10	10	44	338		
Turn lights off when leaving your office or room	1.7%	4.2%	10.0%	84.1%	4.37	402
	7	17	40	338		
Limit food waste	1.5%	3.2%	14.1%	81.1%	4.19	403
	6	13	57	327		
Use reusable bags	3.7%	2.2%	10.0%	84.1%	4.24	402
	15	9	40	338		
Attend sustainability-related events on campus	46.5%	25.8%	19.0%	8.8%	1.93	400
	186	103	76	35		
Weighted Score: 3.81						

How do you find out about campus events? (Check all that apply)



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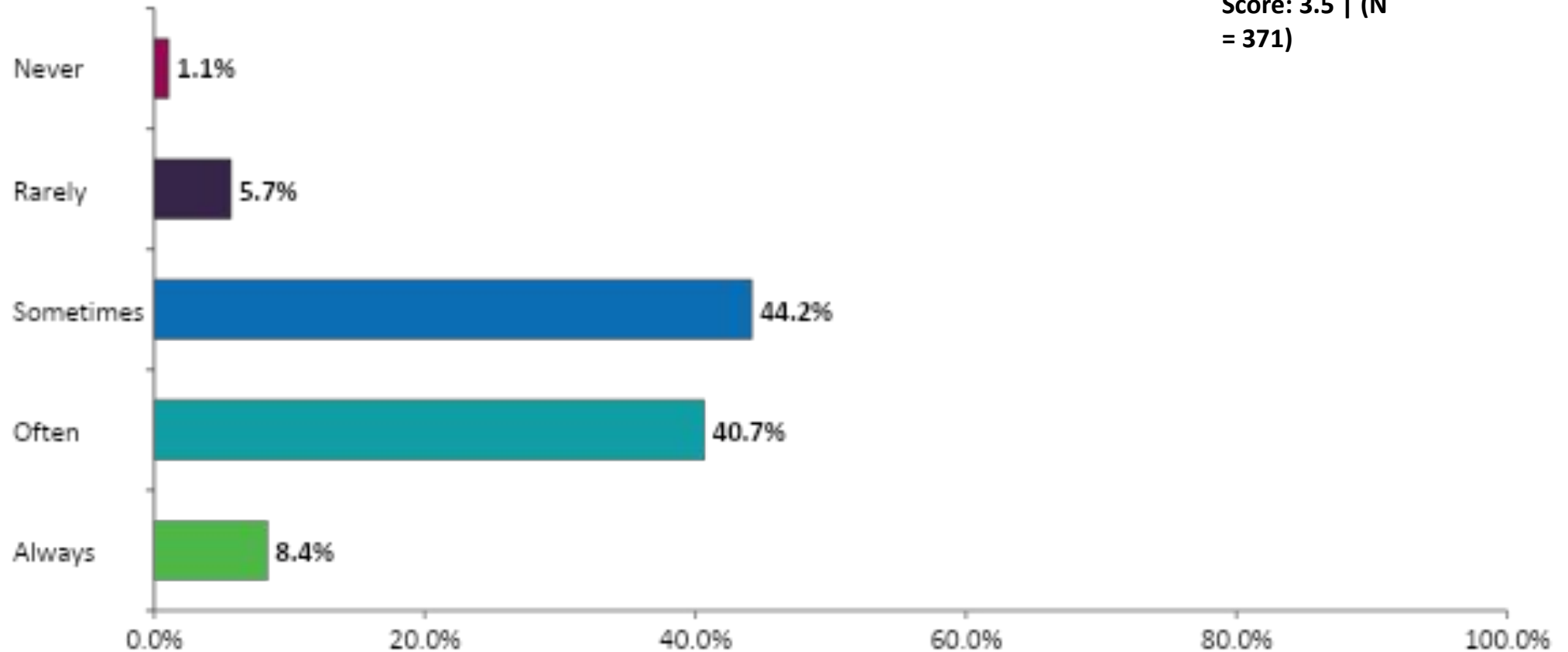
Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Through Highlander Hub	96	24.7%
From friends	60	15.5%
Through social media	65	16.8%
From professors	37	9.5%

How do you find out about campus events? (Check all that apply) (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Campus publications (e.g., flyer, brochure, digital displays, etc.)	254	65.5%
Other (Please specify)	108	27.8%
Total Unique Responses	388	
Total Responses	620	

How often do you buy Eco-friendly products?

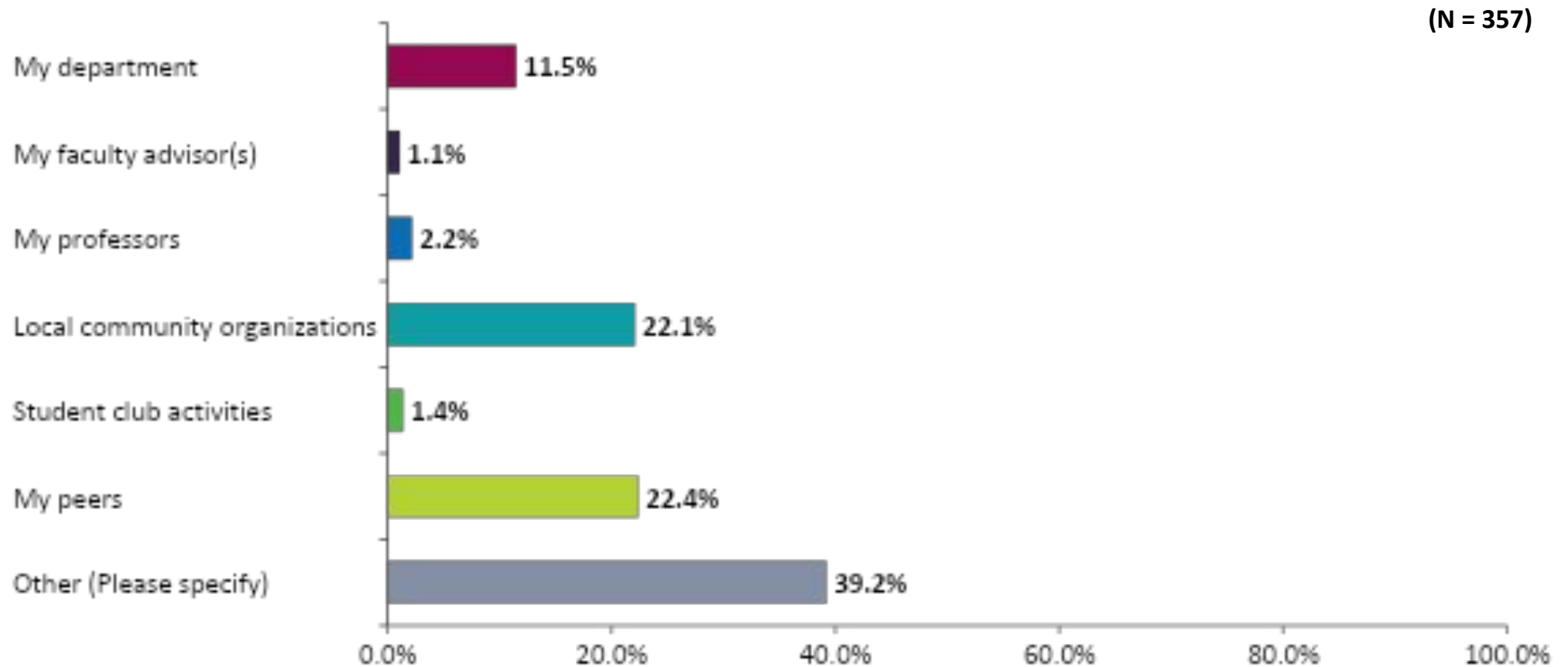
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How often do you buy Eco-friendly products?

Response	Count (N)	Value	Percentage (%)
Never	4	1	1.1%
Rarely	21	2	5.7%
Sometimes	164	3	44.2%
Often	151	4	40.7%
Always	31	5	8.4%
Total Responses	371		
Weighted Score	3.5		

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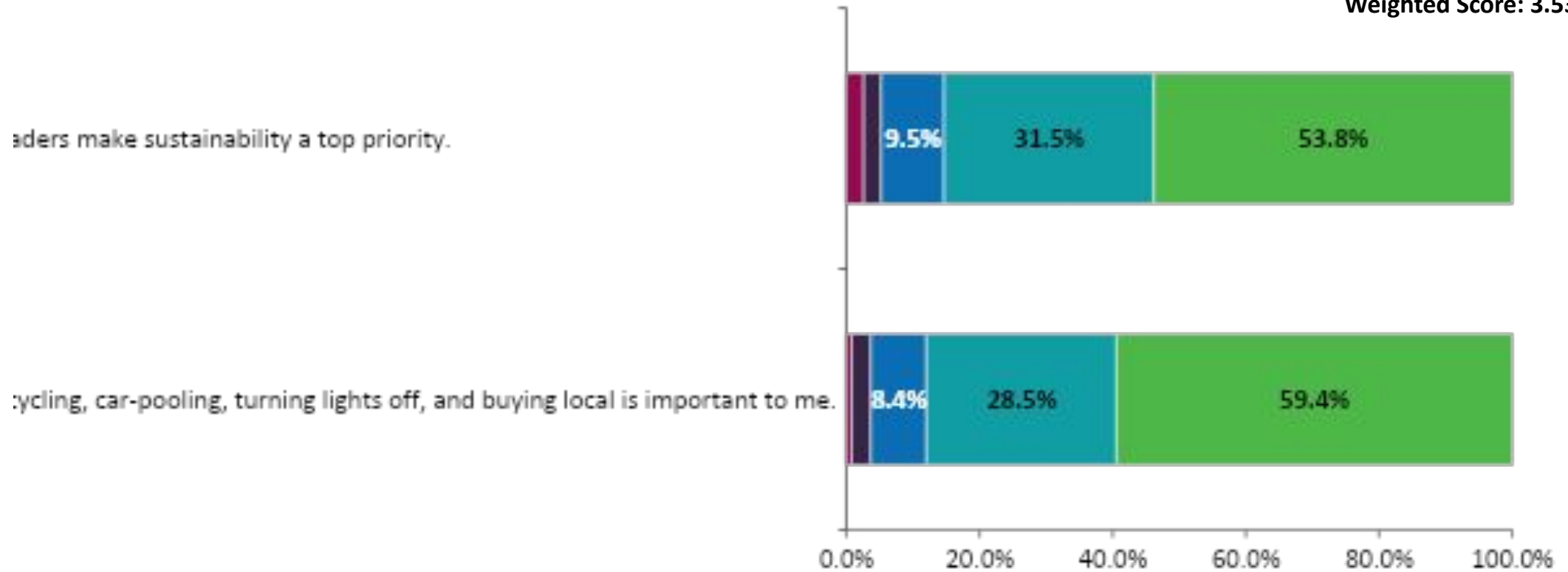
Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
My department	41	11.5%
My faculty advisor(s)	4	1.1%
My professors	8	2.2%
Local community organizations	79	22.1%

Do you learn about sustainability ideas and practices from the following sources? (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Student club activities	5	1.4%
My peers	80	22.4%
Other (Please specify)	140	39.2%
Total Responses	357	

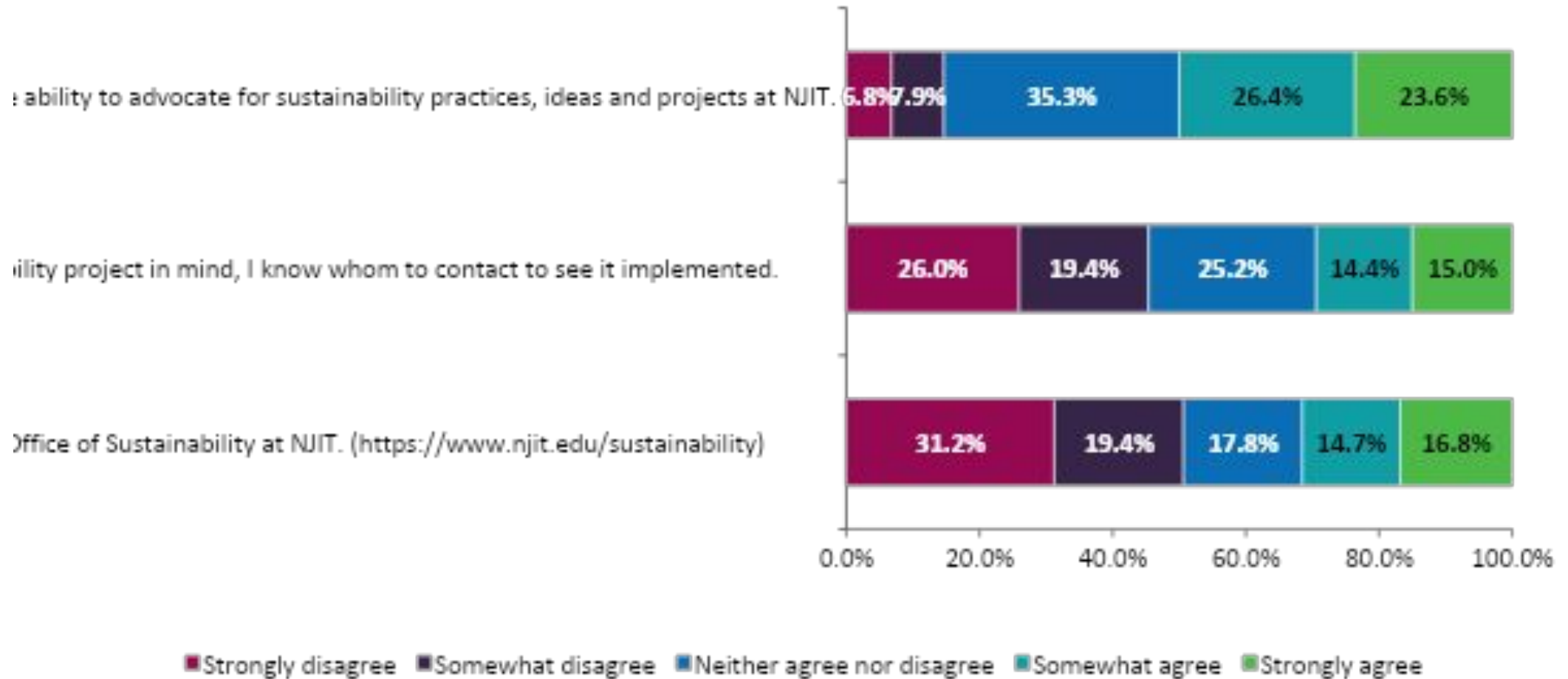
How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Weighted Score: 3.53



Strongly disagree Somewhat disagree Neither agree nor disagree Somewhat agree Strongly agree

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Continued)



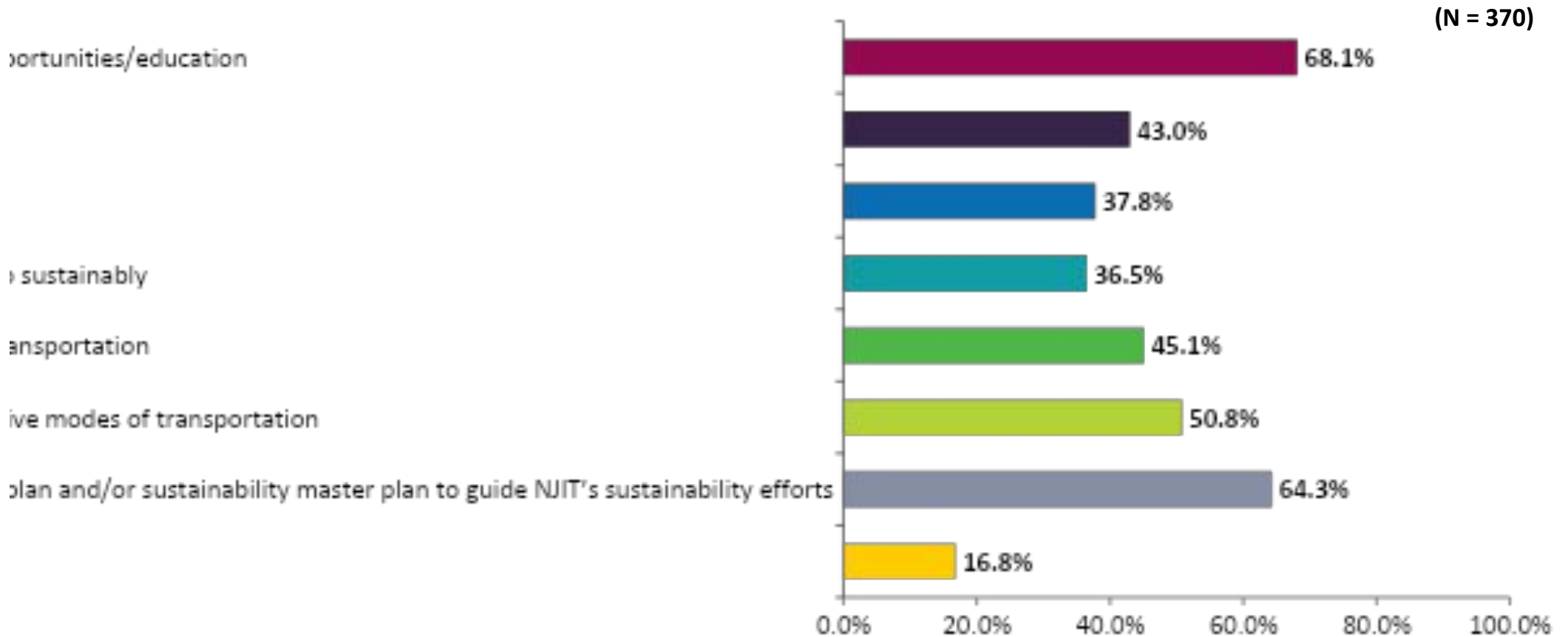
How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements?

Response	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree	Weighted Score	Total Responses
It is important to me that the campus leaders make sustainability a top priority.	2.6%	2.6%	9.4%	31.5%	53.8%	4.31	381
Practicing sustainability behavior like recycling, car-pooling, turning lights off, and buying local is important to me.	0.8%	2.9%	8.4%	28.5%	59.4%	4.43	382

How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements? (Continued)

Response	Strongly disagree	Somewhat disagree	Neither agree nor disagree	Somewhat agree	Strongly agree	Weighted Score	Total Responses
I believe I have the ability to advocate for sustainability practices, ideas and projects at NJIT.	6.8%	7.8%	35.3%	26.4%	23.6%	3.52	382
	26	30	135	101	90		
If I had a sustainability project in mind, I know whom to contact to see it implemented.	26.0%	19.4%	25.2%	14.4%	15.0%	2.73	381
	99	74	96	55	57		
I know about the Office of Sustainability at NJIT. (https://www.njit.edu/sustainability)	31.2%	19.4%	17.8%	14.7%	16.8%	2.66	381
	119	74	68	56	64		
Weighted Score: 3.53							

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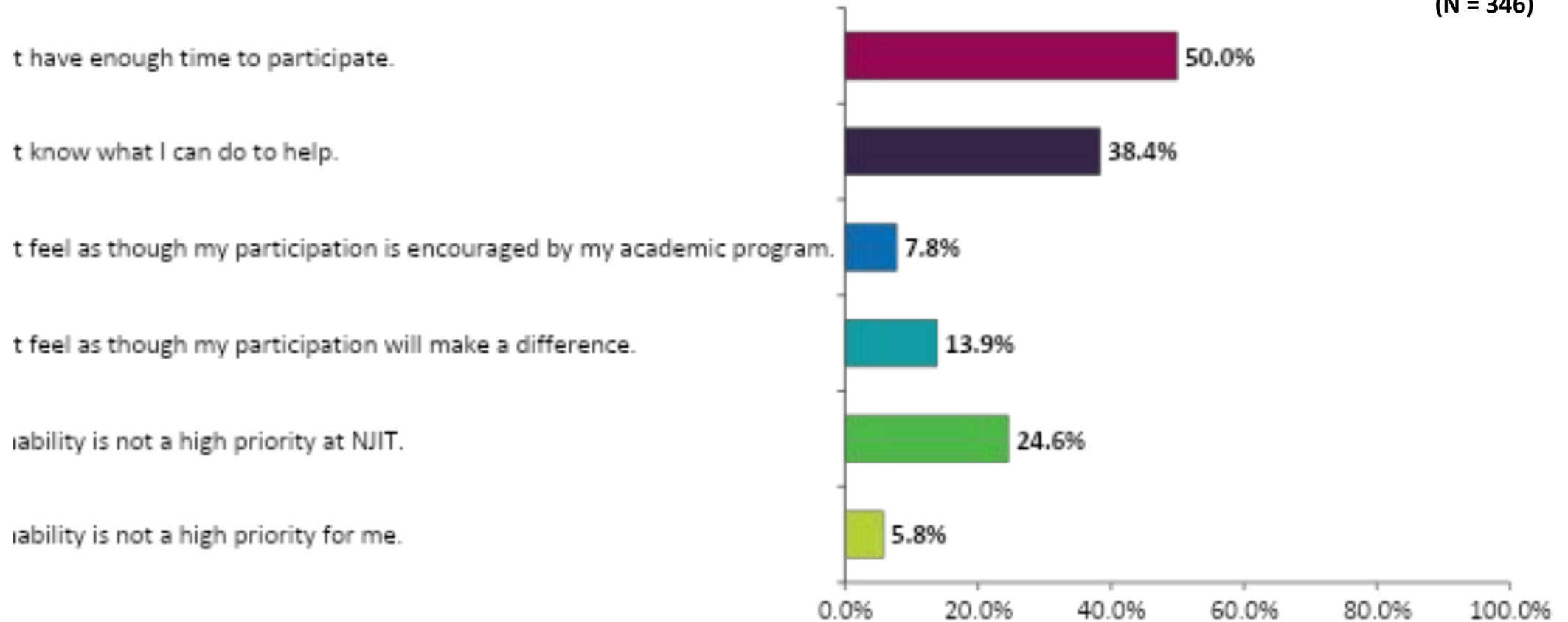
Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Additional recycling opportunities/education	252	68.1%
On-campus composting	159	43.0%
Zero waste events	140	37.8%
More courses related to sustainability	135	36.5%
Alternative modes of transportation	167	45.1%
Accessibility to alternative modes of transportation	188	50.8%

Which of the following sustainability initiatives do you think NJIT should pursue?(Check all that apply) (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
Adopt a climate action plan and/or sustainability master plan to guide NJIT's sustainability efforts	238	64.3%
Other (Please specify)	62	16.8%
Total Unique Responses	370	
Total Responses	1341	

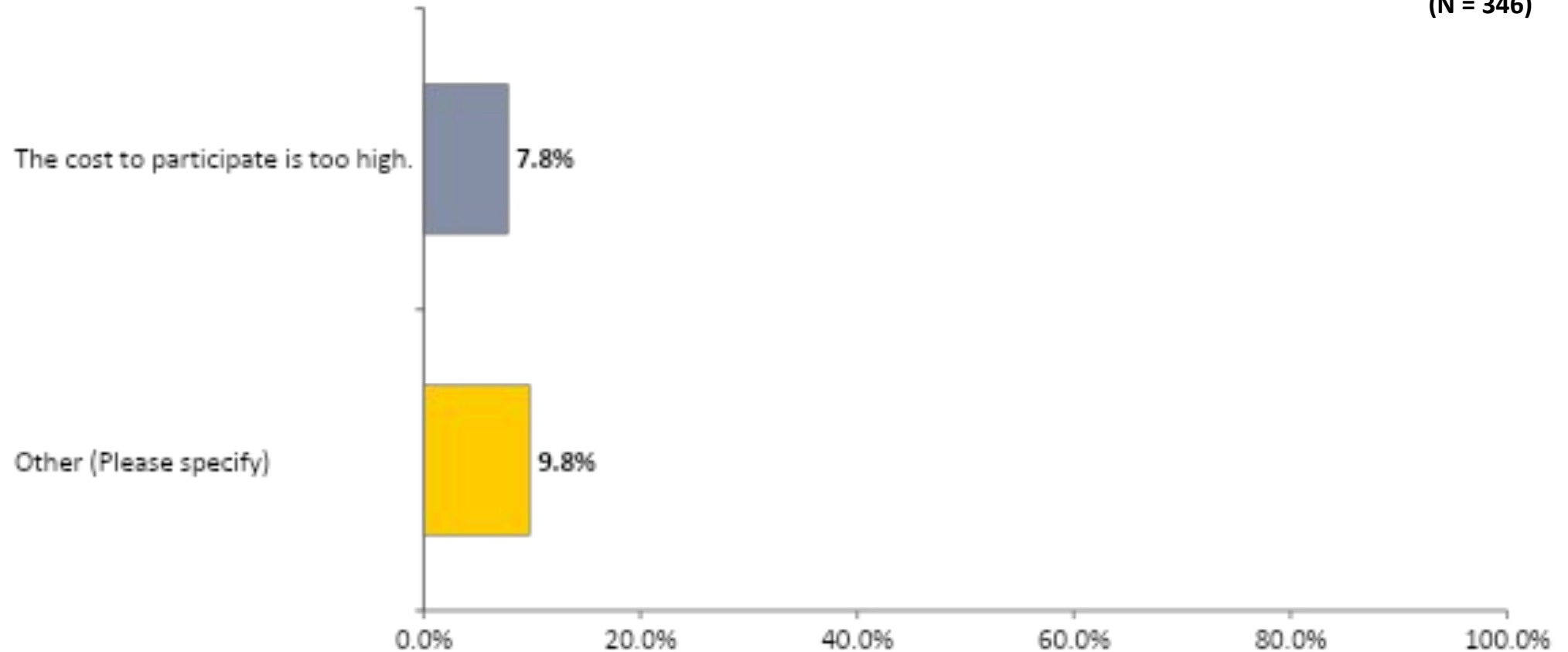
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(N = 346)



Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply) (Continued)

(N = 346)



Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
I do not have enough time to participate.	173	50.0%
I do not know what I can do to help.	133	38.4%
I do not feel as though my participation is encouraged by my academic program.	27	7.8%
I do not feel as though my participation will make a difference.	48	13.9%
Sustainability is not a high priority at NJIT.	85	24.6%
Sustainability is not a high priority for me.	20	5.8%

Which of the following barriers apply to you when it comes to participating in sustainability-related efforts at NJIT?(Check all that apply) (Continued)

Response	Count (N)	Percentage (%)
The cost to participate is too high.	27	7.8%
Other (Please specify)	34	9.8%
Total Unique Responses	346	
Total Responses	547	