



Teaching in Fall 2020

Results from a Snapshot Survey of the Voting Faculty

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■ About the Survey

1263 Respondents = 34% response rate

47% from the College of Arts and Sciences (represents approximately 60% of the CAS faculty)

66% Tenured/Tenure Track

34% Fixed Term

71% were aged 59 or below

52% are scheduled to teach undergraduates in the fall of 2020

More About the Survey

Created by a group process with expert consultation.

Opened June 3, 2020. Closed on June 10, 2020.

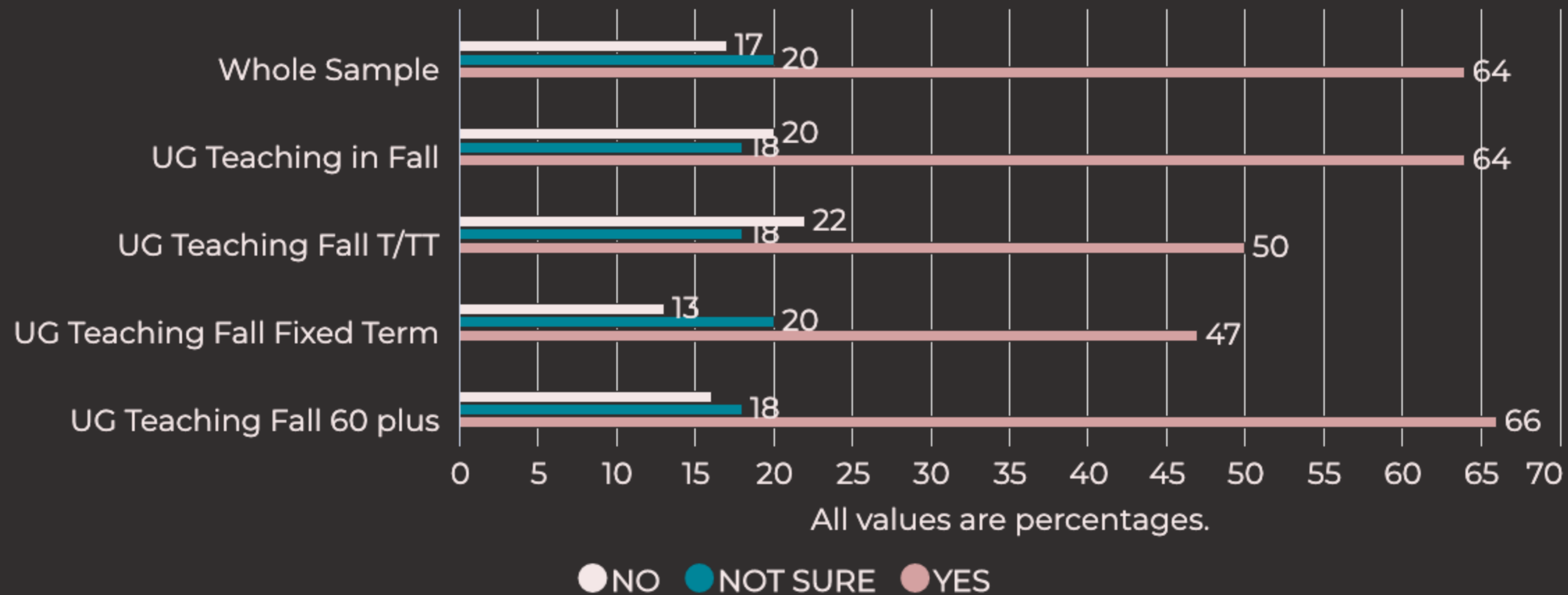
Results today compare five categories:

- the whole sample
- total undergraduate instructors
- tenure track undergraduate instructors
- fixed term undergraduate instructors
- faculty 60 years of age or older who will be teaching undergraduates.

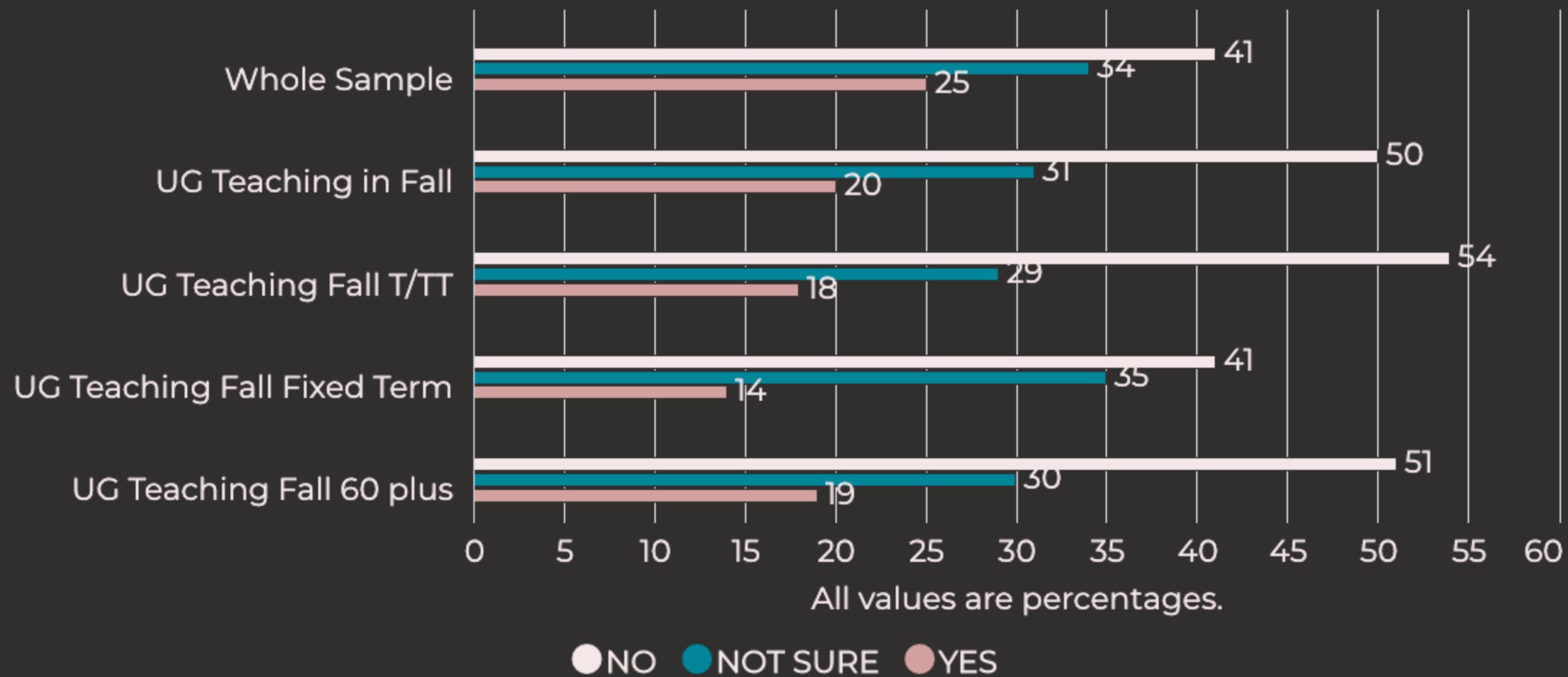
Response categories were collapsed into three:

- strongly agree/agree= yes
- strongly disagree/disagree= no
- unsure

I understand what safety precautions are planned for face-to-face teaching.



I believe the safety precautions planned for F2F teaching in the fall will reasonably protect me from COVID-19.

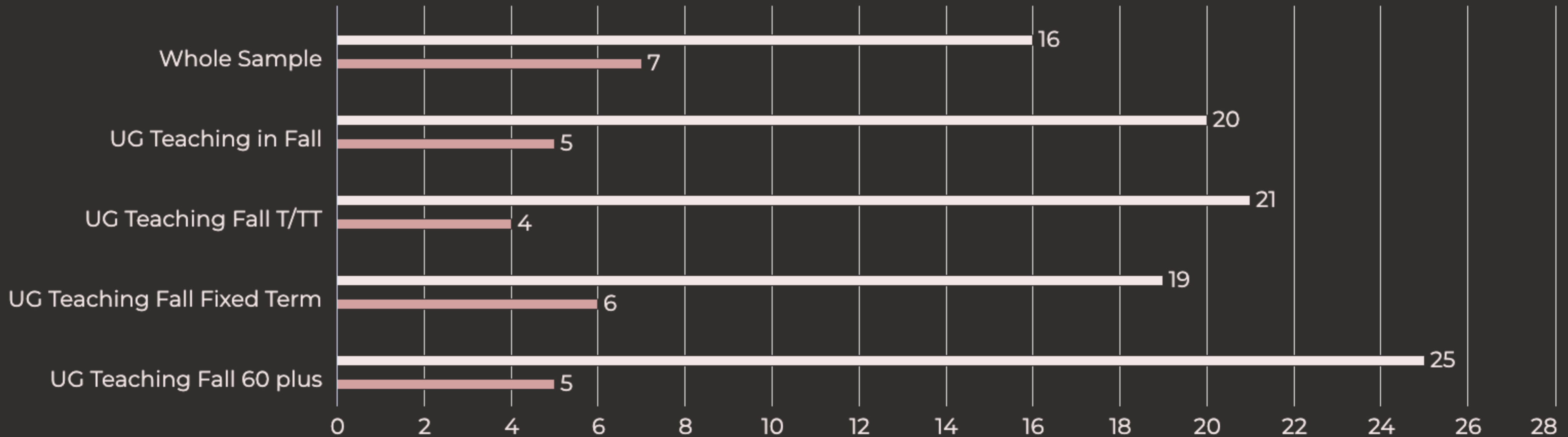


I am comfortable teaching on campus in the fall of 2020 given the safety precautions described on the Carolina Together website.



In order to feel safe teaching on campus, I need more information about:

Percentages of faculty that require no further information.



All values are percentages.

● There is no information that will help me feel safe on campus. ● I have all the information I need to feel safe on campus.

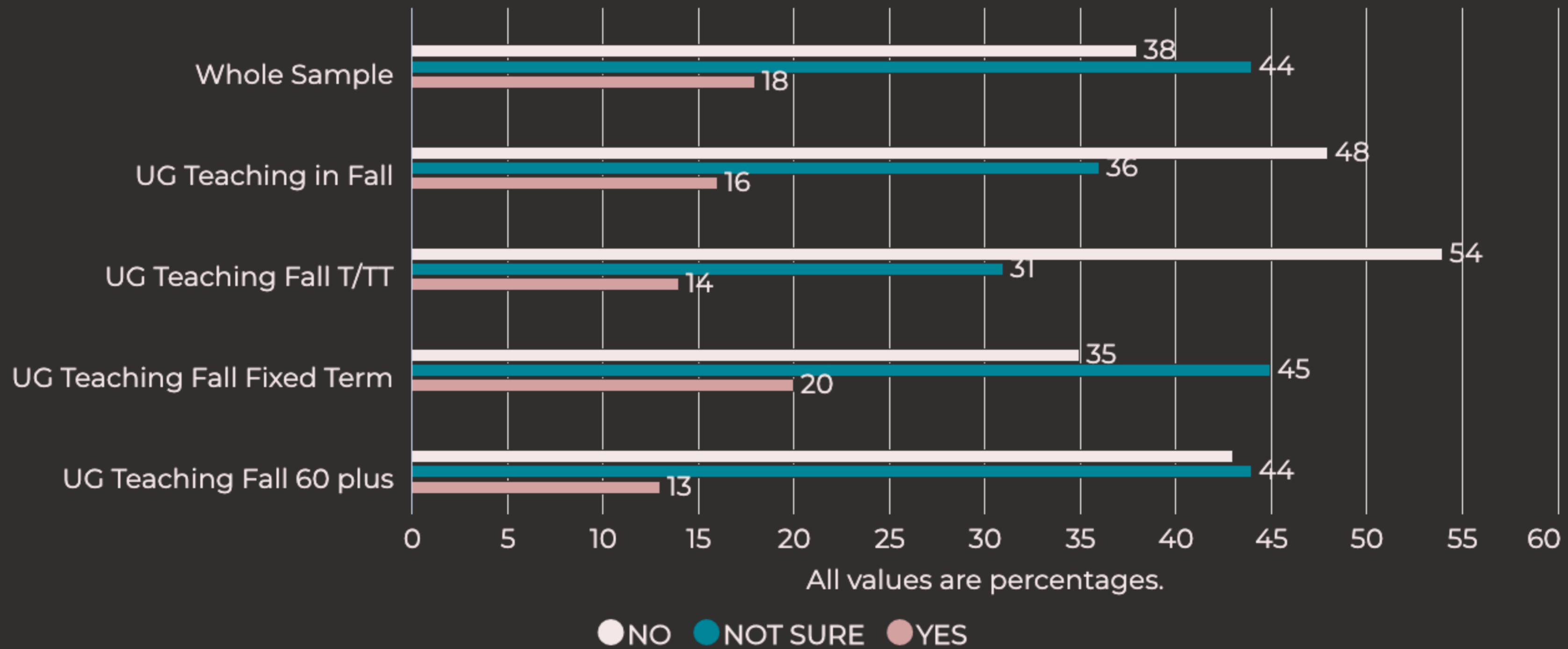
Most People Need More Information About:



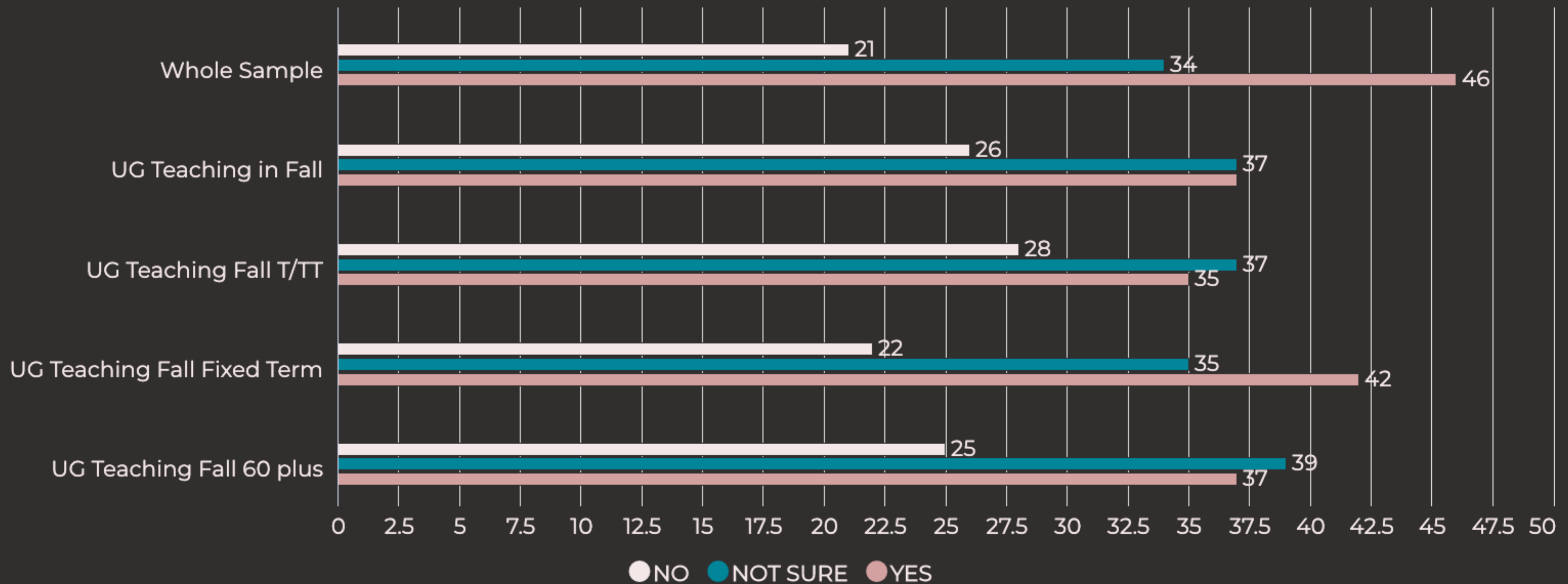
70% plus need more information:

- . Mask Wearing/Enforcement
- . Testing, Contact Tracing, Isolation
- . Building Safety: Distancing, Ventilation
- . Direct Info from Infectious Disease Experts

I believe the safety of graduate/professional students who interact w/ undergrads through teaching has been adequately considered.

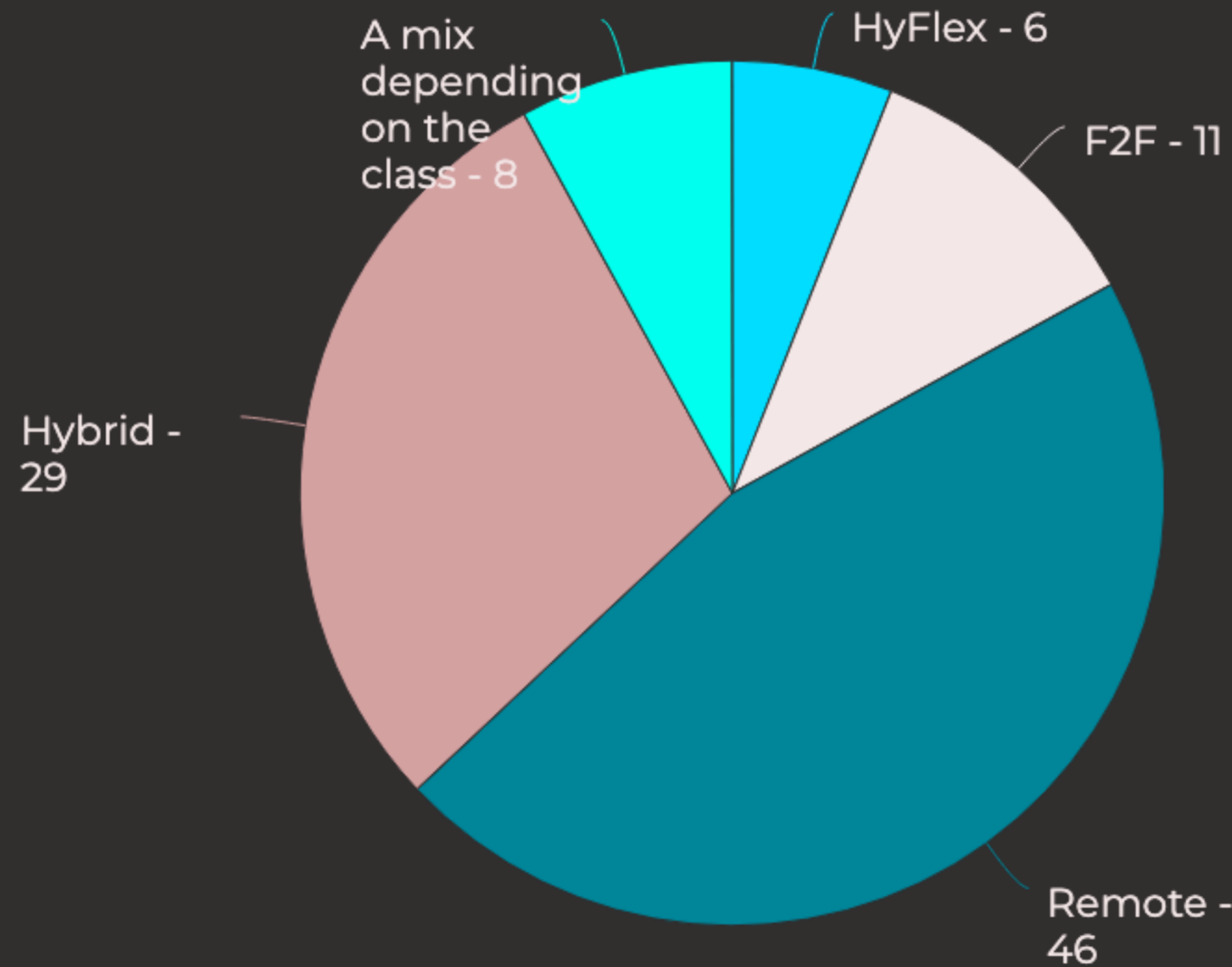


I believe I will have enough flexibility to teach in ways that will keep me safe from COVID-19.

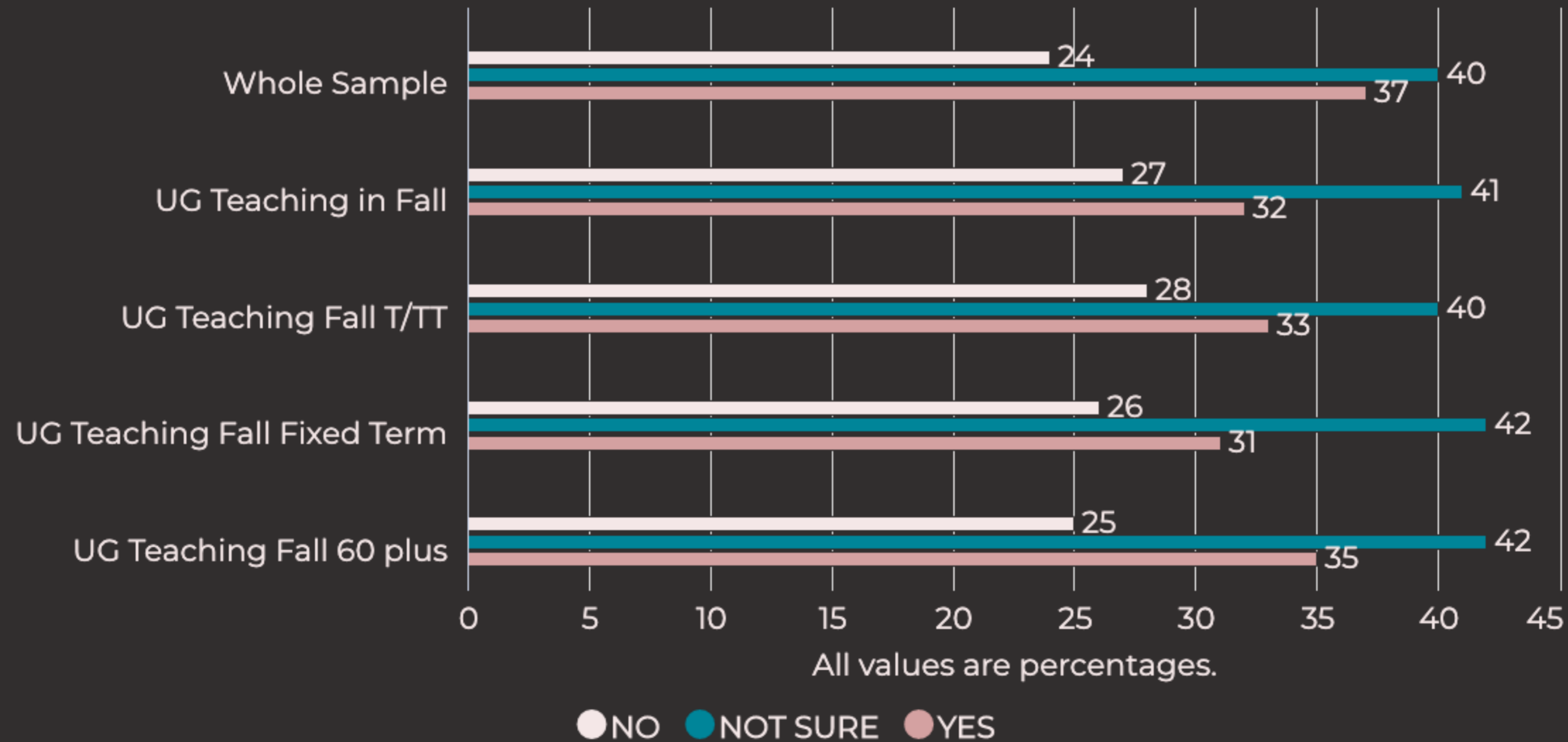


Preferred Teaching Modalities: Whole Sample

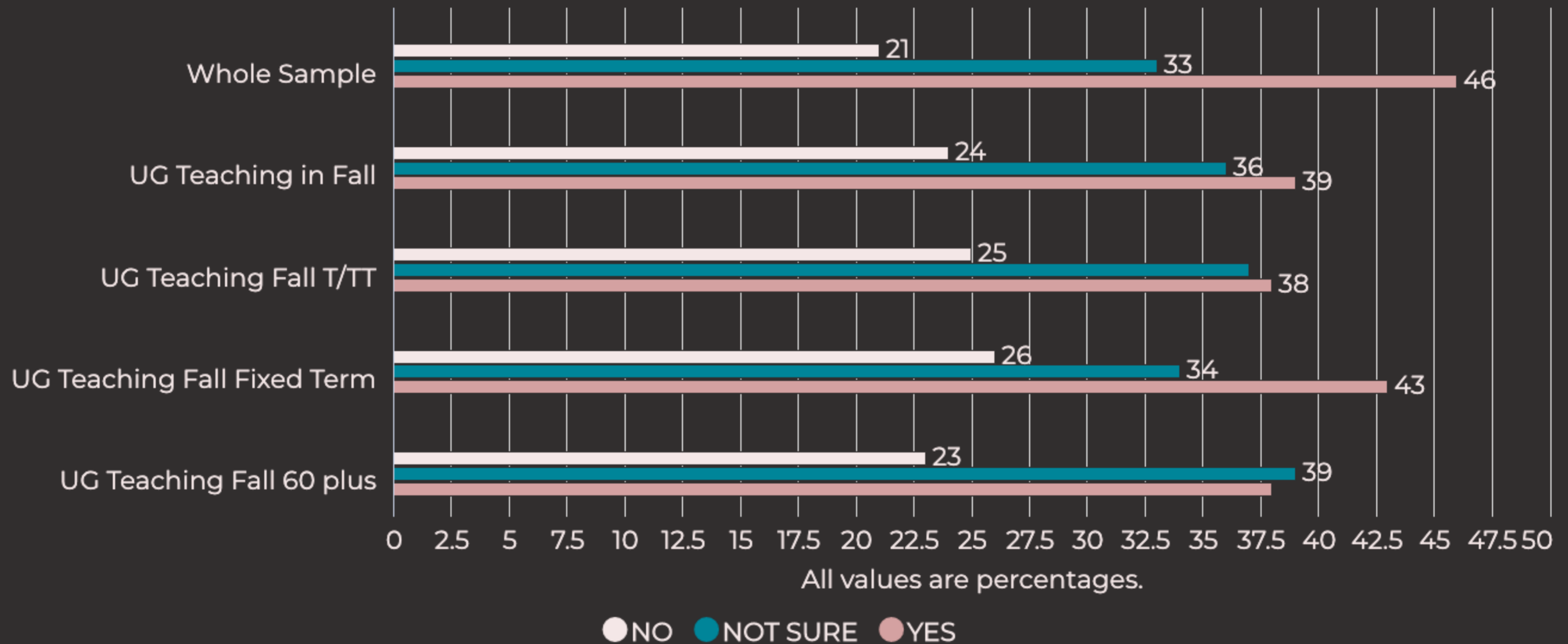
Preferred Instruction Method (%)



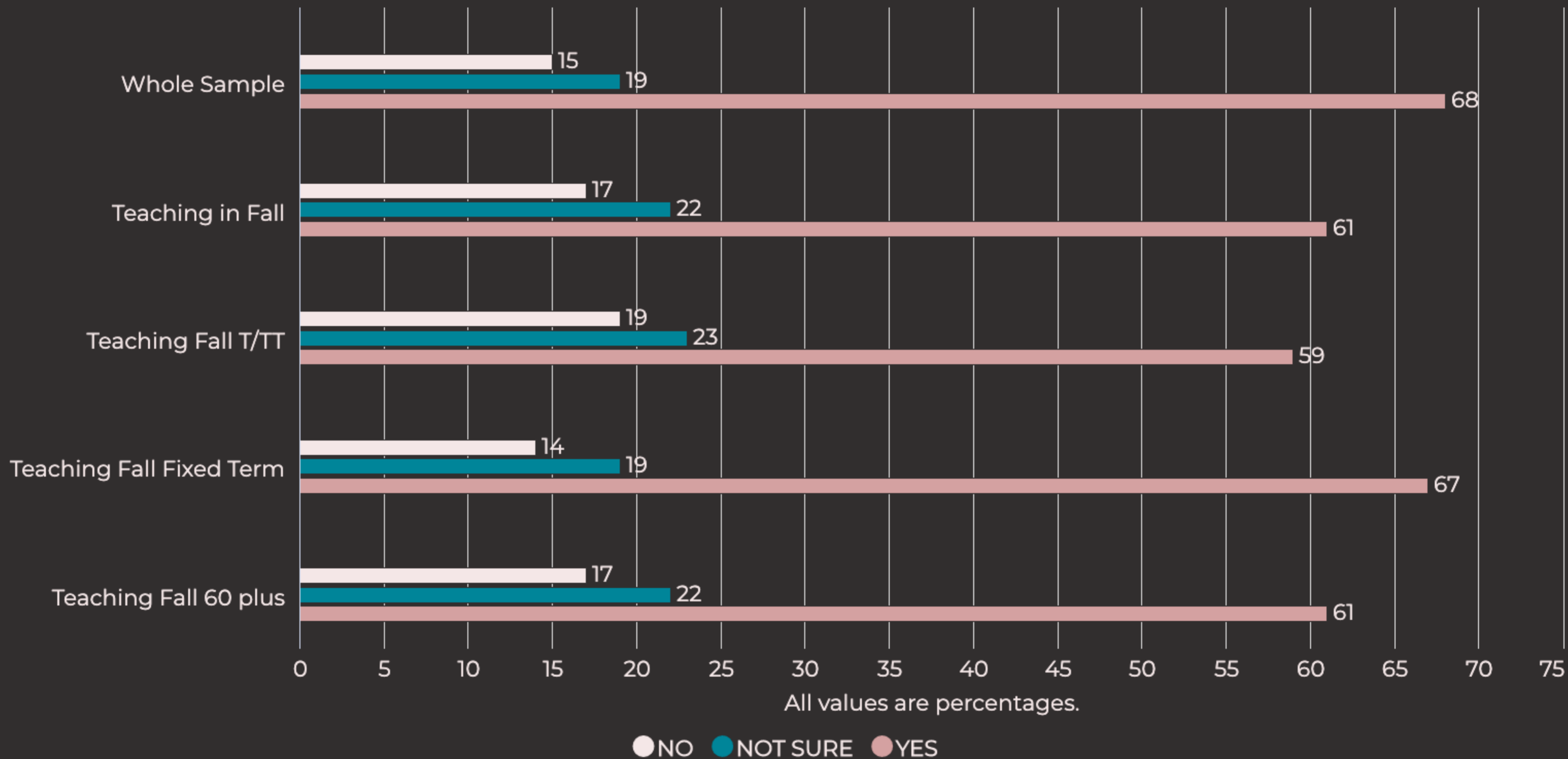
I believe I will be able to influence whether or not I teach on campus in the fall of 2020.



I believe I will be able to choose the teaching method that is most pedagogically appropriate for the courses I will be teaching.



Comfort Negotiating with Chair or Dean





A little about those teaching graduate students...

- 35% are not sure whether they are reasonably protected
- 69% are comfortable negotiating with their dean or chair
- 42% prefer remote teaching
- 31% prefer hybrid models
- 48% believe they will have pedagogical choice

Take Aways



Strong Need for Detailed Information from Experts. There is a lot of uncertainty in every area.



Most have confidence in chairs and deans to help them plan. Faculty believe they will have a voice at the department and school level.



Little enthusiasm for traditional classroom teaching, although hybrid models seem more acceptable.