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Lepton Photon 2021

30TH INTERNATIONAL SYMPOSIUM ON LEPTON PHOTON INTERACTIONS
AT HIGH ENERGIES — 10-14 JANUARY 2022 — ONLINE

C11 MEETING — 10 JULY 2022



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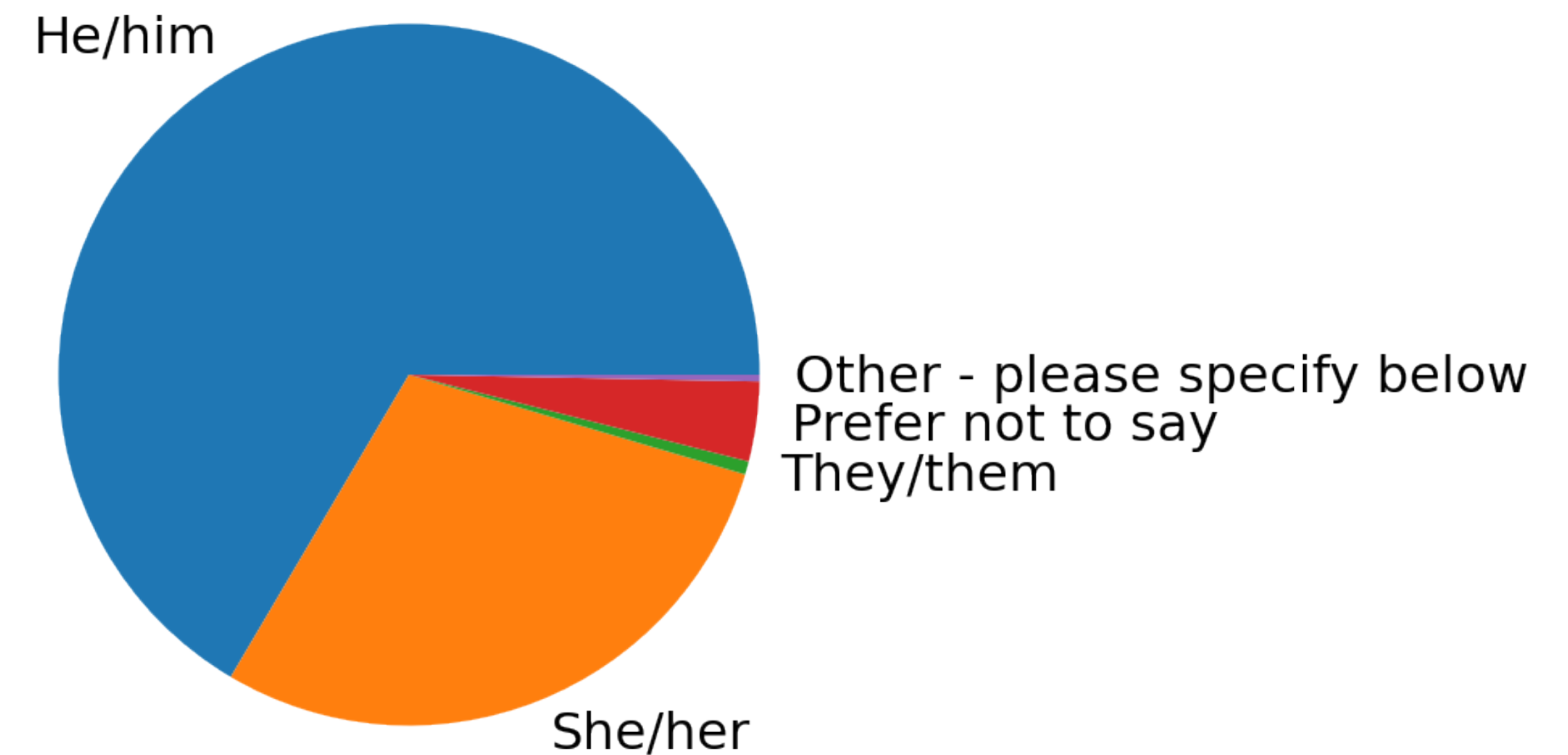
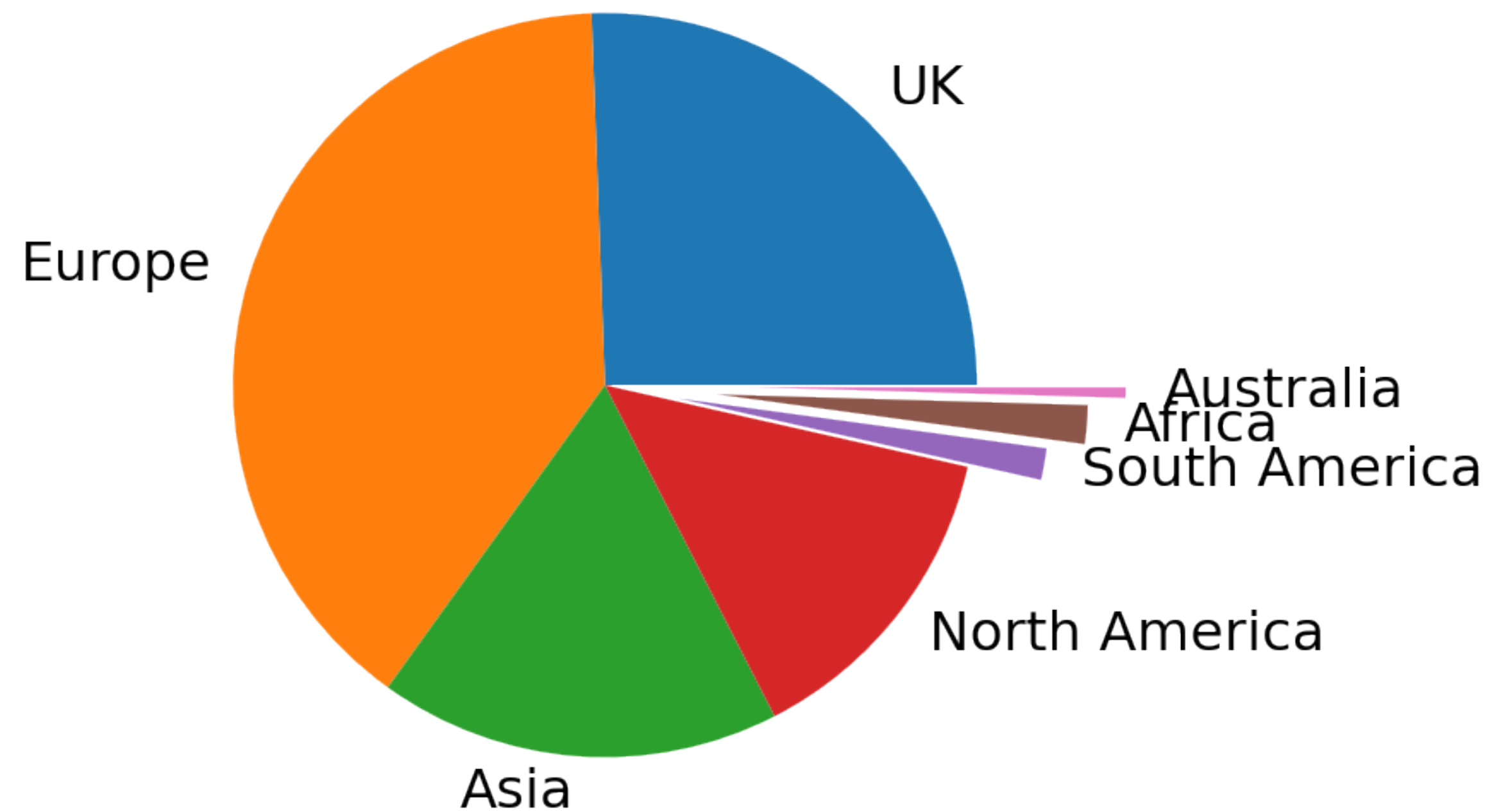
Scientific Programme

- Programme between 8-13/14-19 GMT
- All sessions on YouTube
- Plenary
 - 48 talks
 - +Poster prize talks
 - +1h EDI panel discussion
- Parallel
 - 2 half-days, 5 tracks = 110 talks
- Posters
 - Mo pm/Tu am two 1h sessions with private Zoom rooms
 - Supported by 5' videos
- Discussions live on Zoom and on Mattermost

	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr
am	Plenary	Plenary/ Poster	Parallel	Plenary	Plenary
pm	Plenary/ Poster	Parallel	Plenary	Plenary	Plenary

Attendance

- 650 registered participants overall
- About 1/3 students



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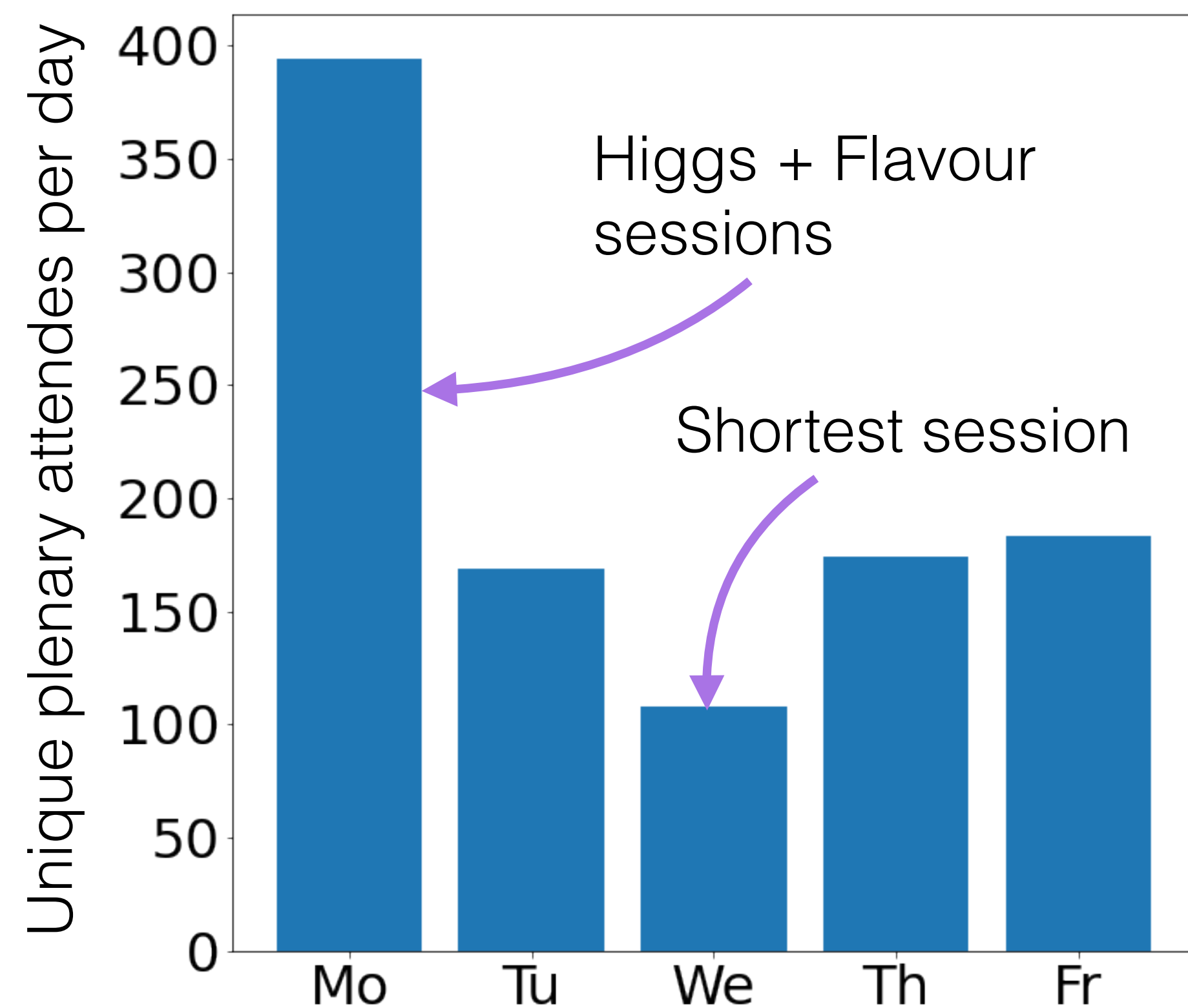
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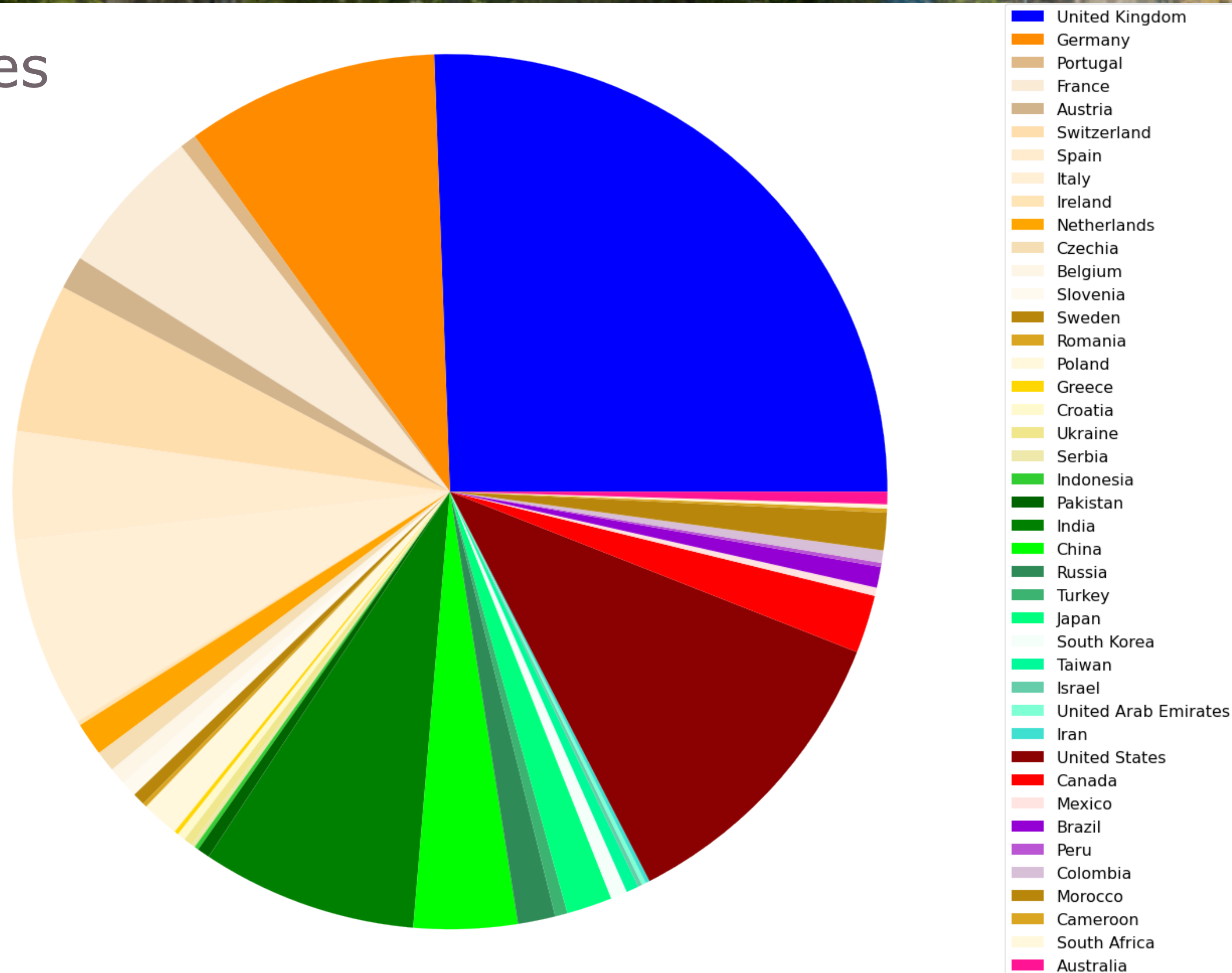
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Attendance

- 495 unique Zoom attendees in plenaries



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Gender balance

- International Advisory Committee
 - 35 members, 17 female
- Local Organising Committee
 - 19 members, 6 female
- Registered participants
 - 650 total, 188 female
- Plenary speakers
 - 53 total, 21 female
 - Plenary speakers invited or nominated by experimental collaborations
 - Collaborations were explicitly asked to consider diversity

Feedback survey

- 58 responses reflecting a good cross-section of participants
 - See backup for details
- Programme found to be well balanced and no significant support for narrower focus
- Overall talk/poster quality found to be excellent
- Live captioning used at least sometimes by $>1/4$ of respondents
 - Found to be of very good quality and helpful for understanding
 - Difference to automatic captioning in parallels was noticable and made these unusable for the hearing impaired
- Number of parallel tracks: 1/2: keep 5, 1/3: fewer, 1/6: more
- Main criticisms related to poster session
 - Understandable as most affected by short-notice move online
 - Good participation in many posters and subsequent vote

Fee and Budget

- Fee categories initially:
 - Remote participation: £90
 - Student fee: £285
 - Early full fee: £570
 - Late full fee: £720
- Remote fee linked to actual costs incurred for the benefit of remote participants
 - Also minimises risk from large fluctuations in in-person attendance

Online only budget

- Online only conference operated without fee
 - Income through sponsorship
- Main costs
 - Live captioning for plenary sessions
 - Costs for venue (planning and Zoom support)
 - Support for unrecoverable expenditure of participants with travel grants (9 participants out of 36 with financial support)
 - Local student support salaries (e.g. hosting parallel Zoom rooms)
 - Delegate packs and consumables



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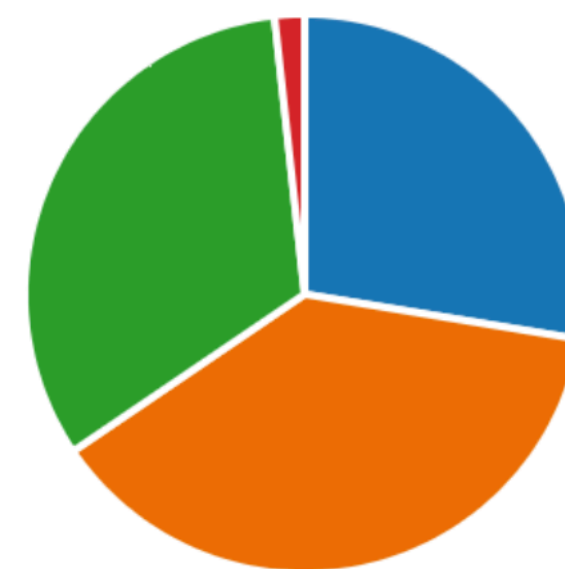
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Feedback survey

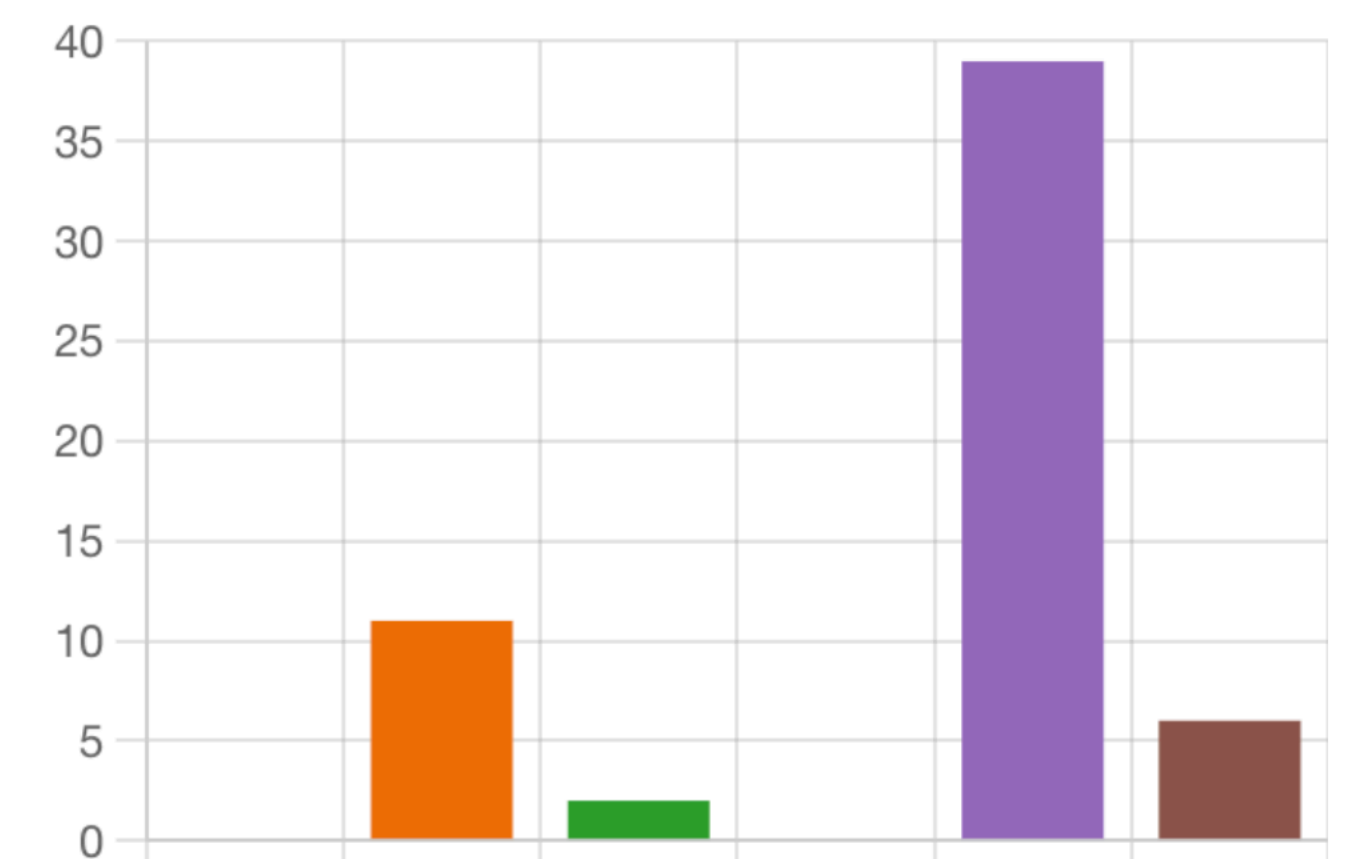
1. How many sessions did you attend live?

Most or all	16
About half	22
Few	19
Only the one I presented in	1
None	0



2. Where did you connect from?

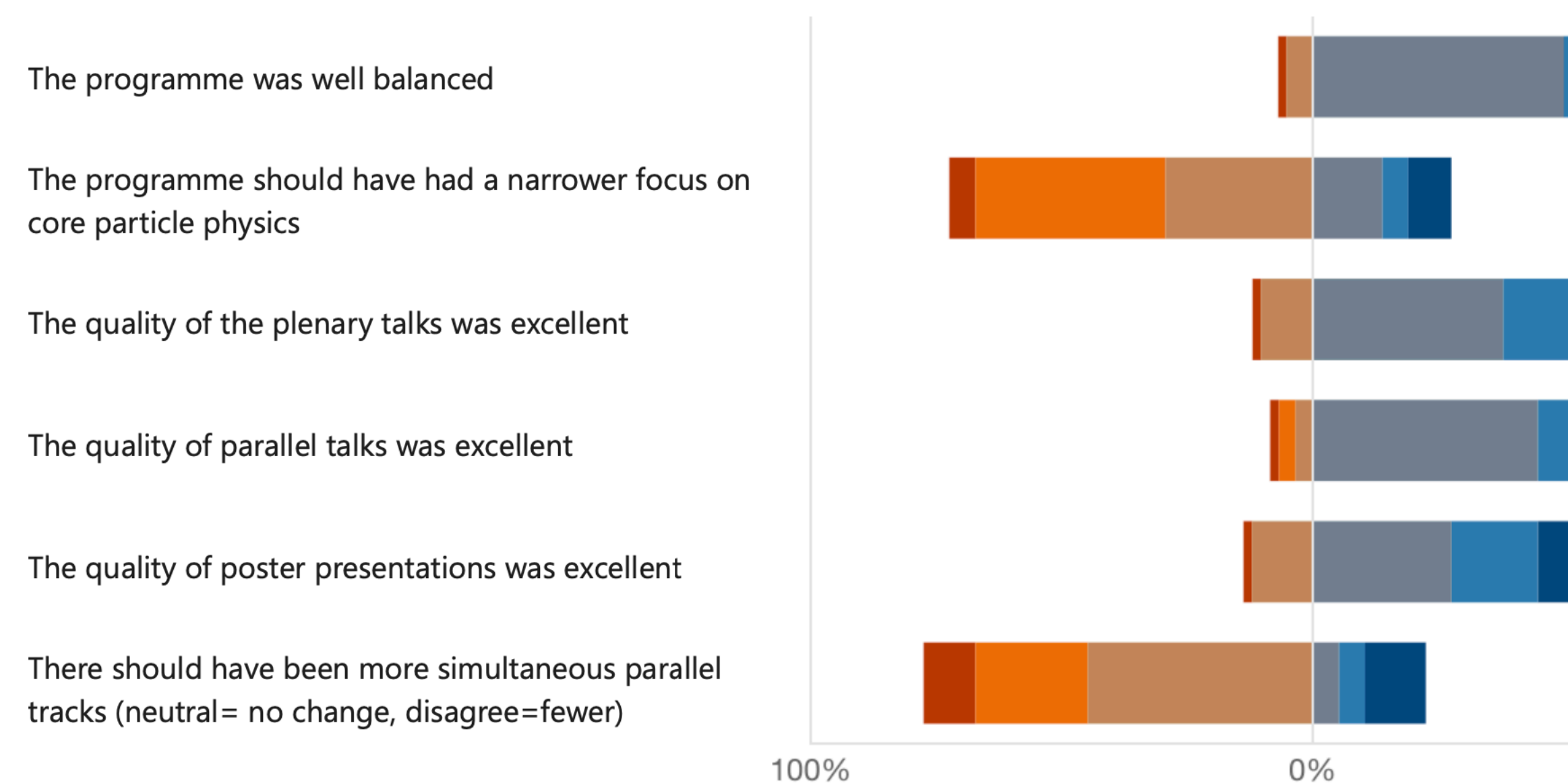
Africa	0
Asia	11
Australia and Oceania	2
Central and South America	0
Europe	39
North America	6



Feedback survey

3. Please indicate your agreement with the following statements

Strongly disagree Disagree Neutral Agree Strongly agree No opinion



Feedback survey

4. How often did you make use of the live captioning available during plenary sessions?

Always	3
Often	2
Sometimes	11
Never	42



5. Please indicate your agreement with the following statements

Strongly disagree Disagree Neutral Agree Strongly agree No opinion

The captions were of excellent quality

The captions helped me to follow the talks

