

LET'S TALK ABOUT HYDE!

Public Survey Results_January 2023_V1

Over 1500 people have taken part in our initial fact-finding exercise, contributing to shaping the future of Hyde town centre.

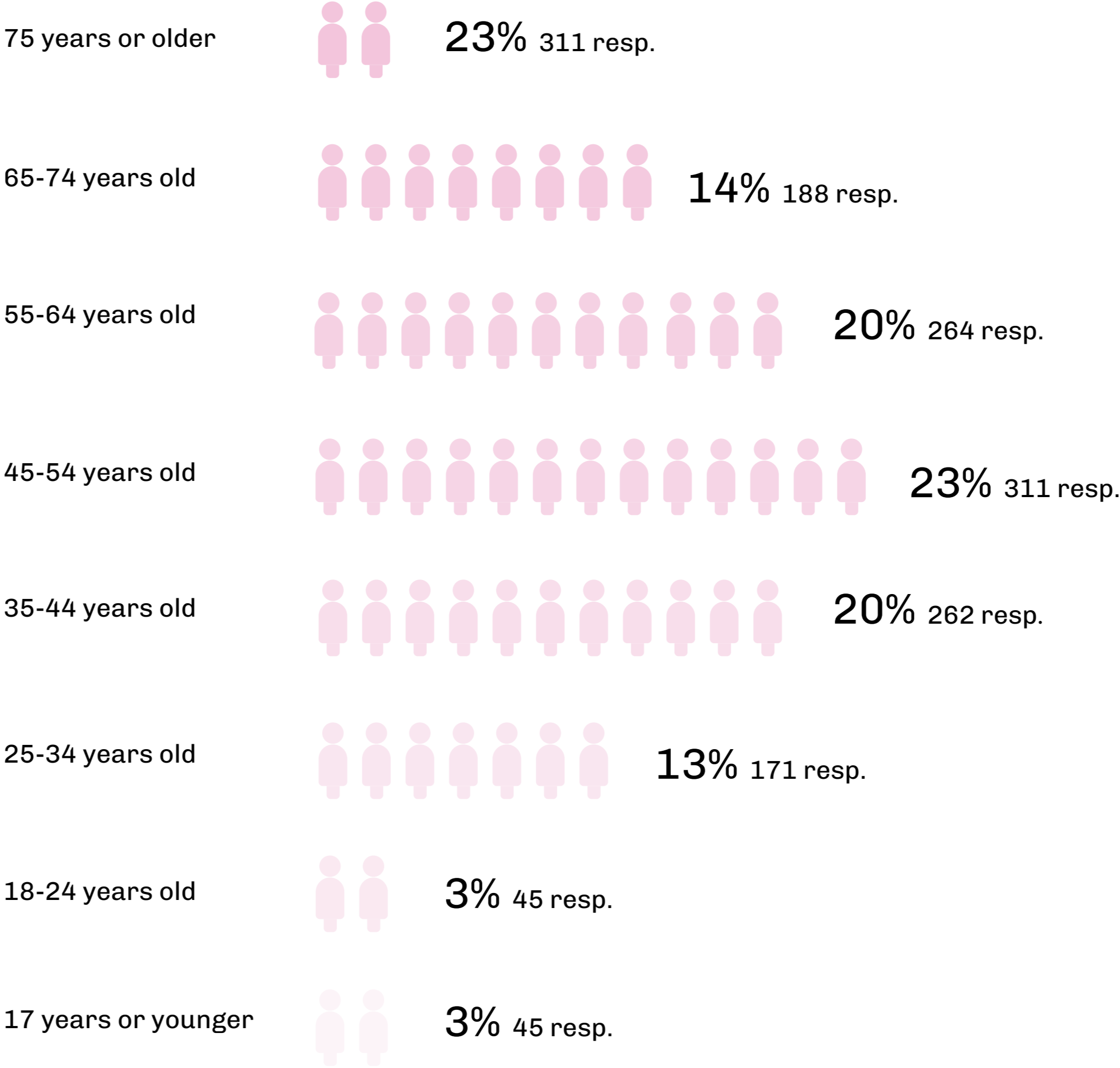
This document is an analysis of the responses from the survey, which was open from the 5th of December 2022 to the 3rd January 2023. The survey closed with a total of 1,967 starts of which 1,339 people submitted their answers. Completion rate was 68%, with respondents spending an average of 20 minutes completing the survey.



Demographics

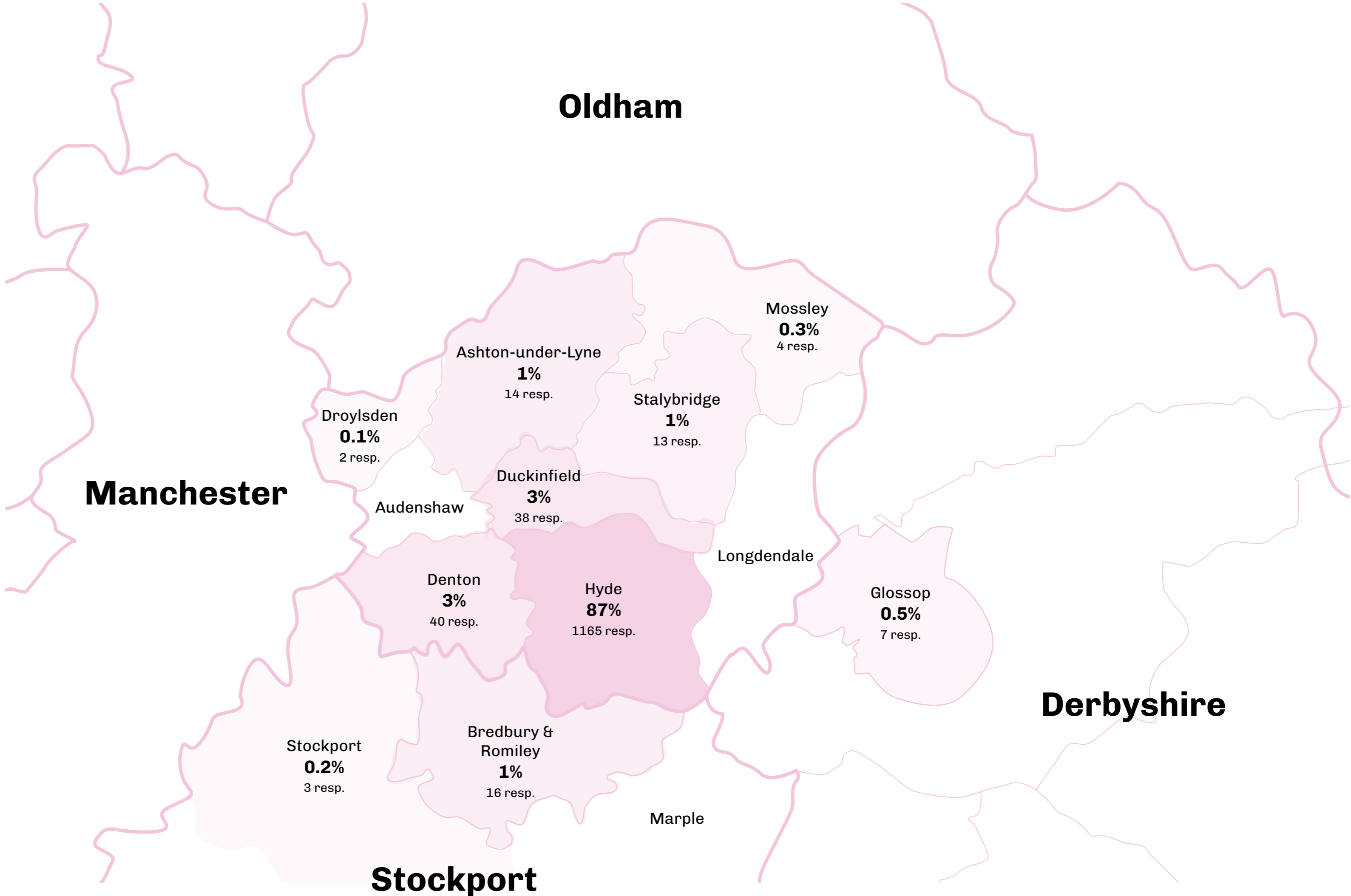
The public survey received the greatest response from those aged between 45-54years old. Under 25s make up for 6% of survey responses.

Which age bracket do you fall into?



Demographics

87% of survey respondents are Hyde (SK14) residents.



Demographics

Common reasons as to why respondents chose to live in Hyde are for its proximity to both the countryside and Manchester city centre and its affordability

Many respondents were born in, and have lived in Hyde for most of their lives, or moved to live with or close to family.

Why did you choose to live in Hyde?

Moved here to be close to family

Born here

Access to countryside (e.g. Peak District)

Access to motorway

Moved to live with my partner

It's affordable

For work

Transport links - good connections to Manchester

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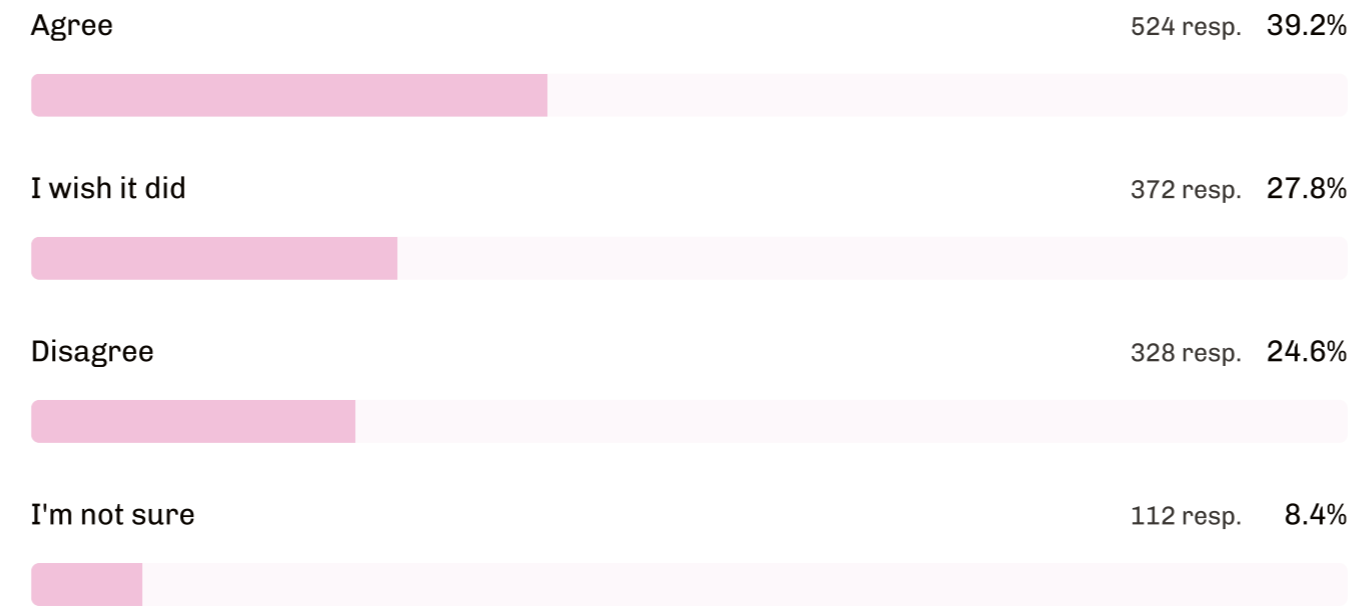
CURRENT PERCEPTIONS

Perception

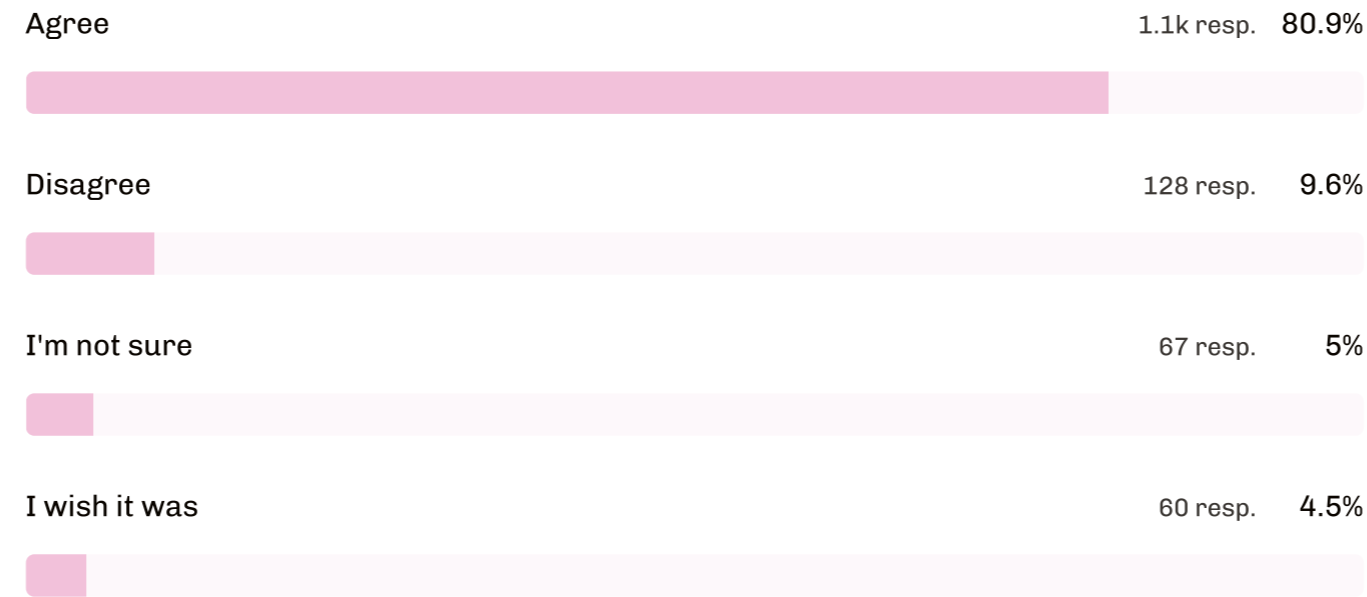
Respondents feel Hyde town centre is easy to walk around and not too spread out. However when asked if there are attractive alternative ways to travel in to Hyde, other than by car 34% wish there was and 42% disagree.

40% of respondents feel Hyde town centre is full of beautiful historic buildings, whilst 52% either disagree or wish it had.

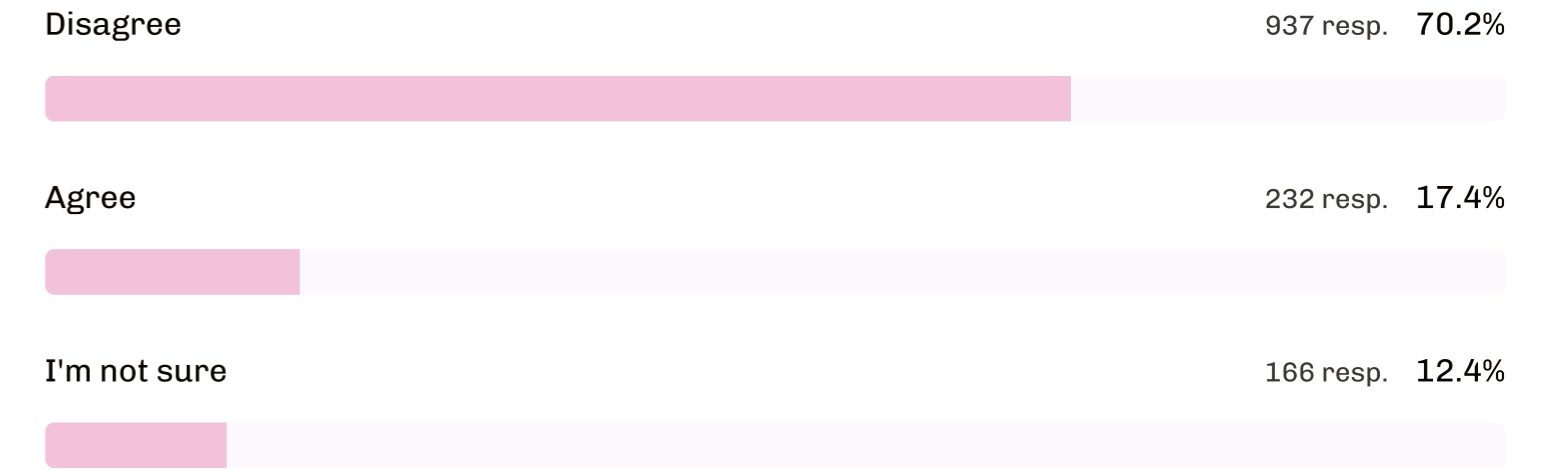
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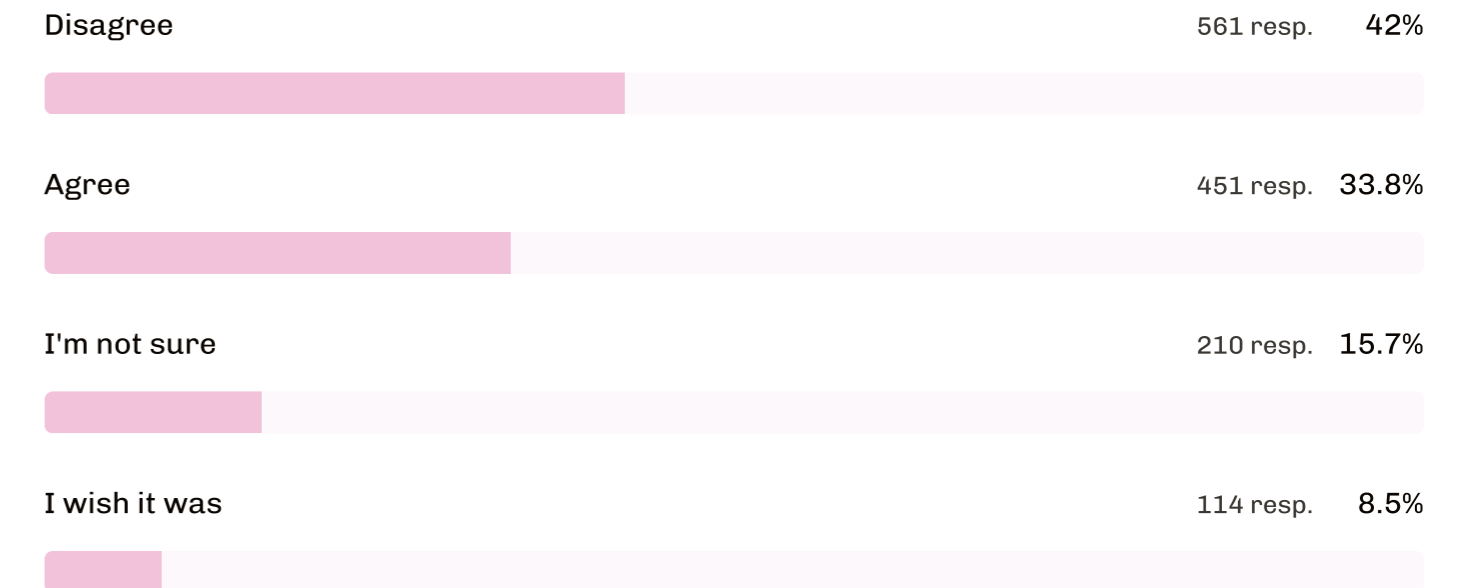
The centre of Hyde is easy to walk around



Hyde town centre is too spread out



There are attractive alternative ways to travel in to Hyde, other than by car.



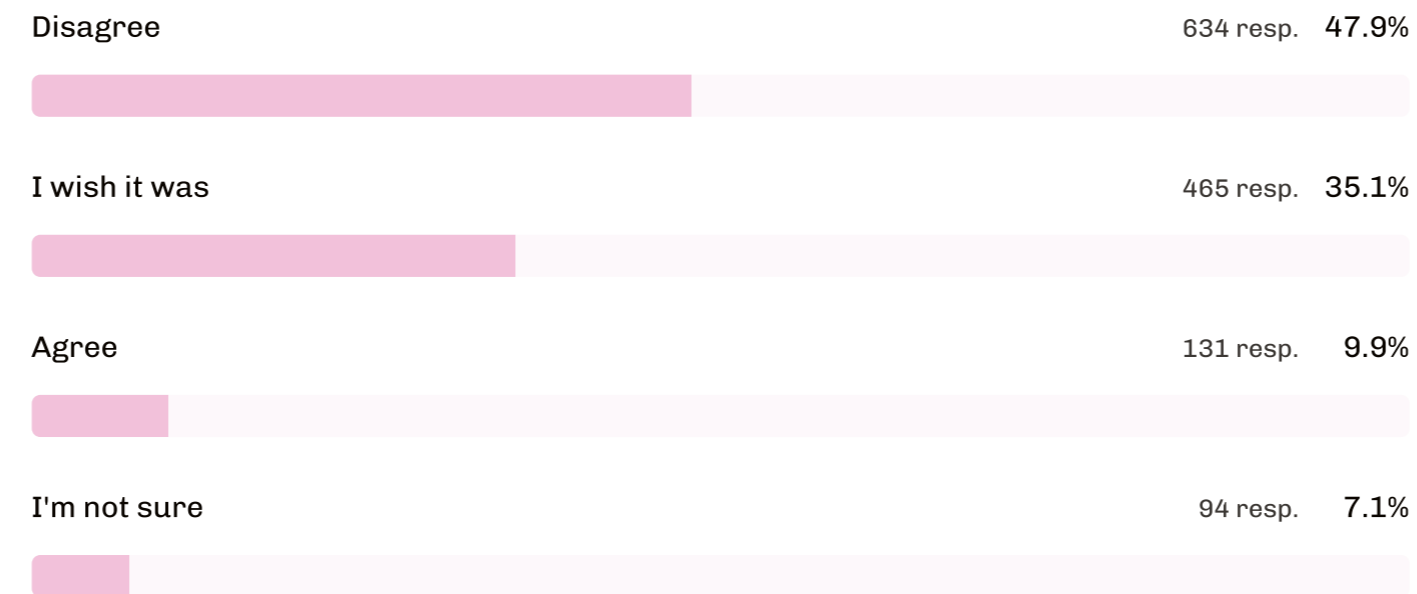
Perception

There is clear need for an improved food & drink offer, with less than 10% of respondents agreeing the town centre has great places to eat and drink both during the daytime and evening.

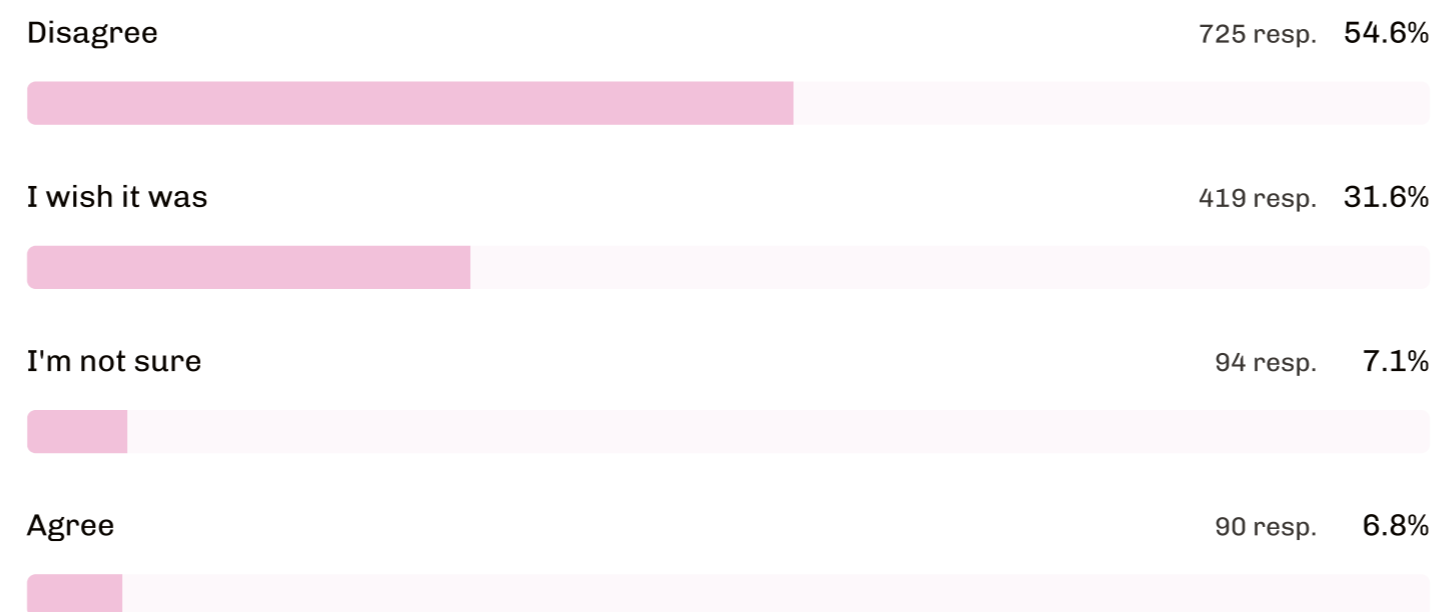
Very few respondents feel Hyde town centre offers an interesting range of shops. 63% disagree with the statement, whilst 31% wish it did.

Only 7% feel that the town centre provides plenty of spaces to socialise. 59% disagree, whilst 25% wish it did.

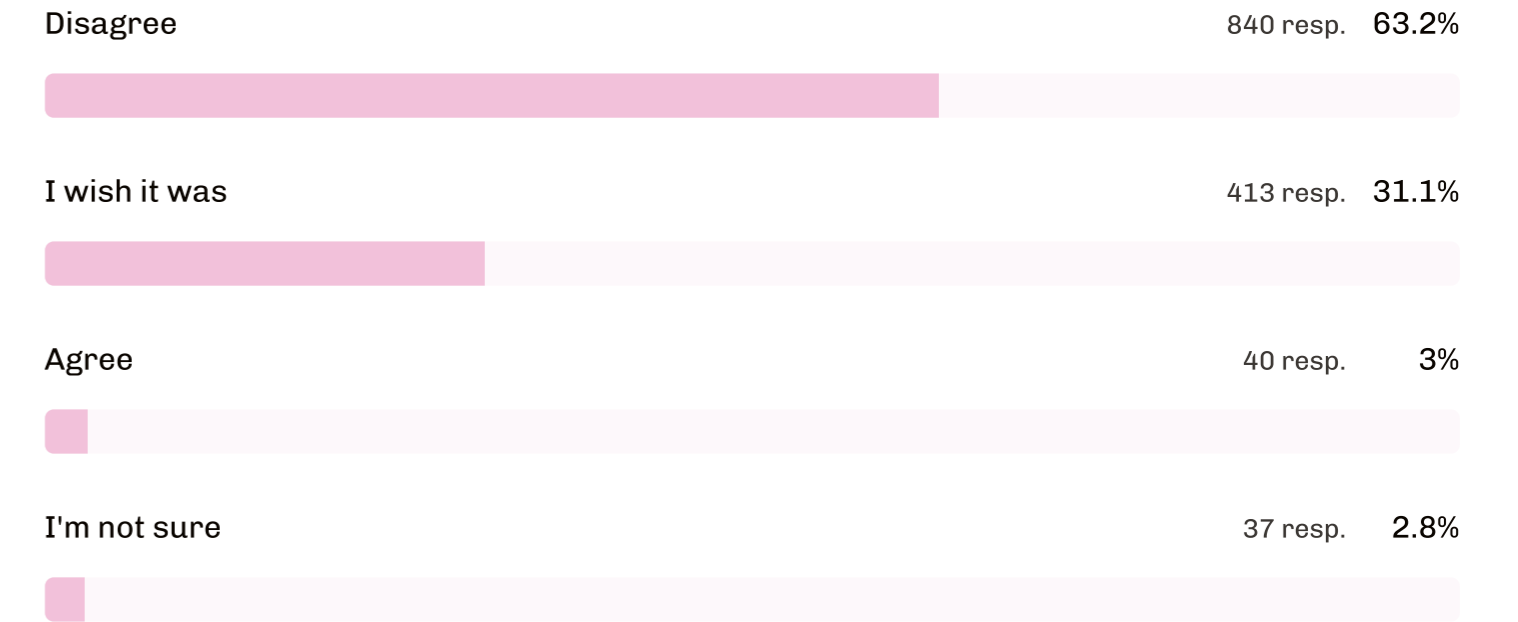
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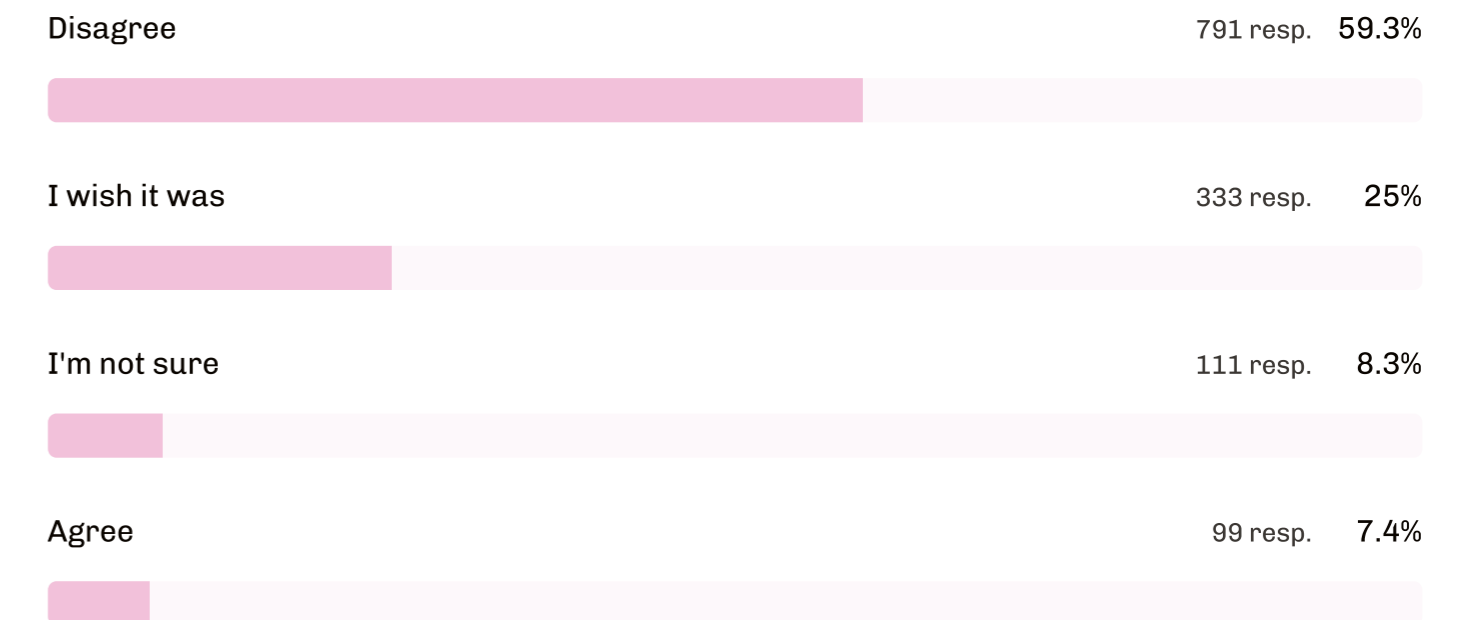
Hyde has a town centre full of great places to eat and drink in the evening



Hyde is a town centre full of interesting shops



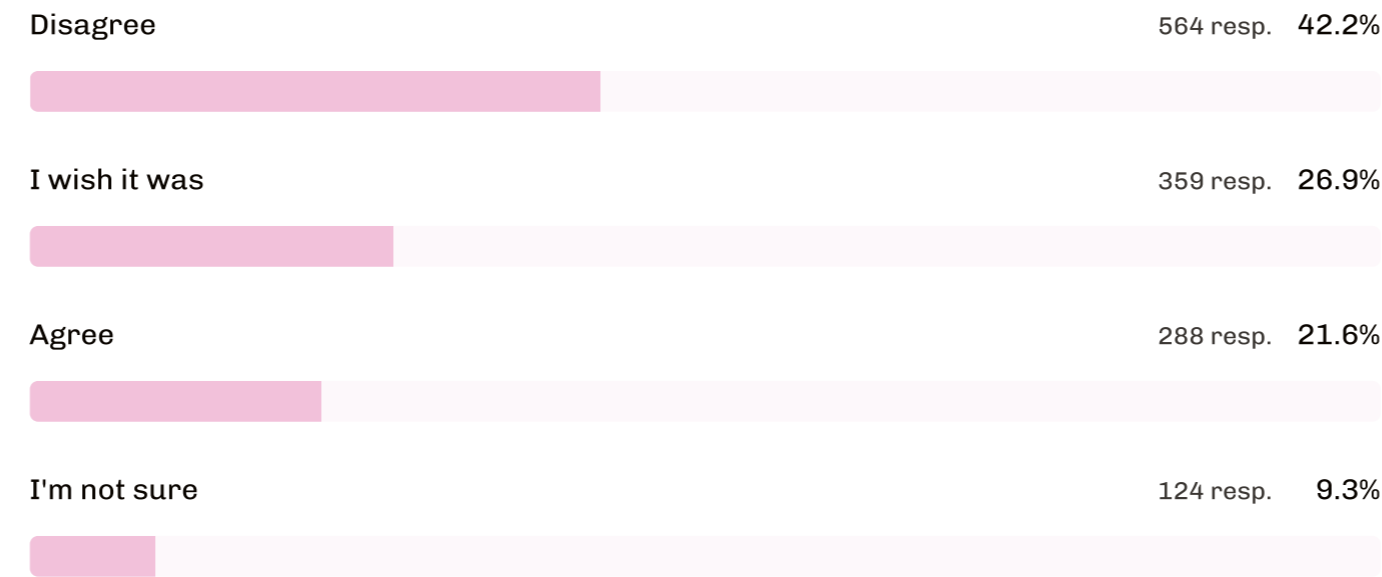
Hyde is a town centre with plenty of places to socialise



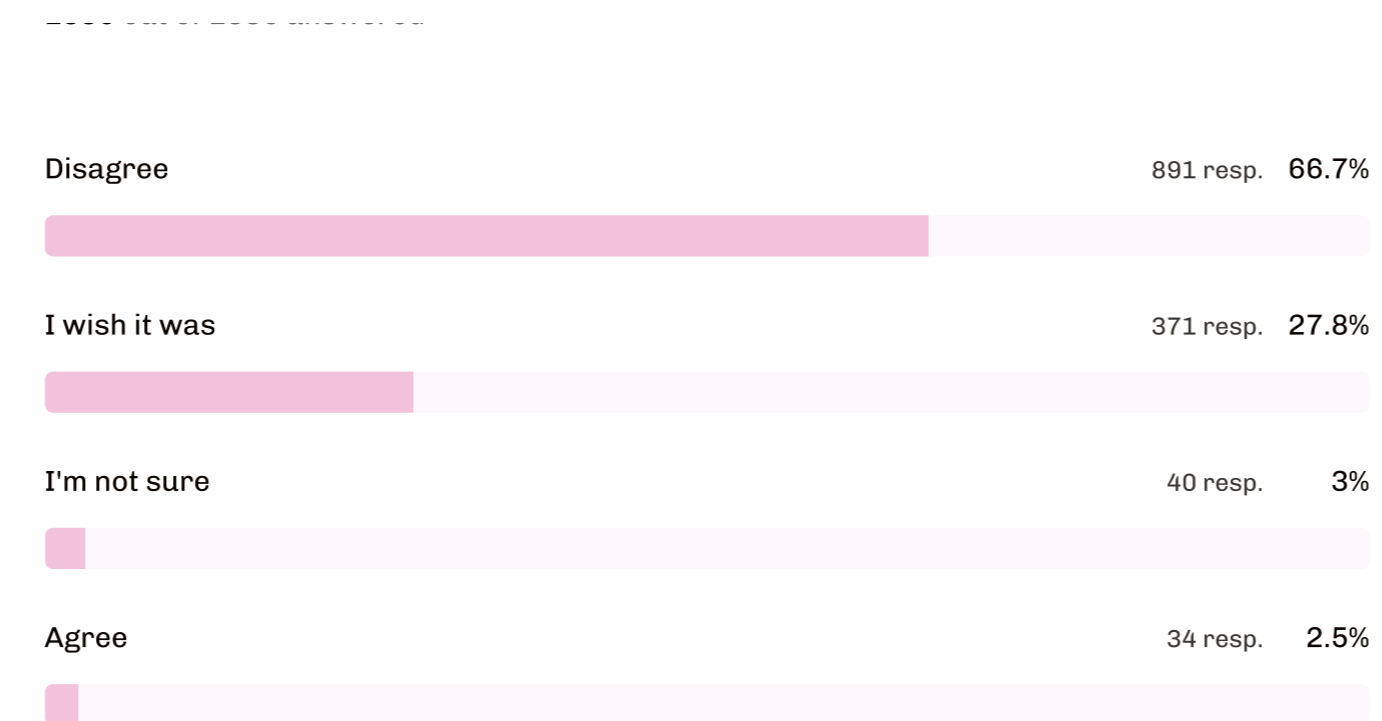
Perception

The survey highlights a clear need for an improved market offer in Hyde town centre. Only 3% of respondents agree that Hyde has an interesting outdoor market. Whilst perception of the indoor market is slightly better than the outdoor market offer, there is plenty of room for improvement. 22% of respondents feel the current market offer is interesting, whilst 42% disagree, and 27% wish it was.

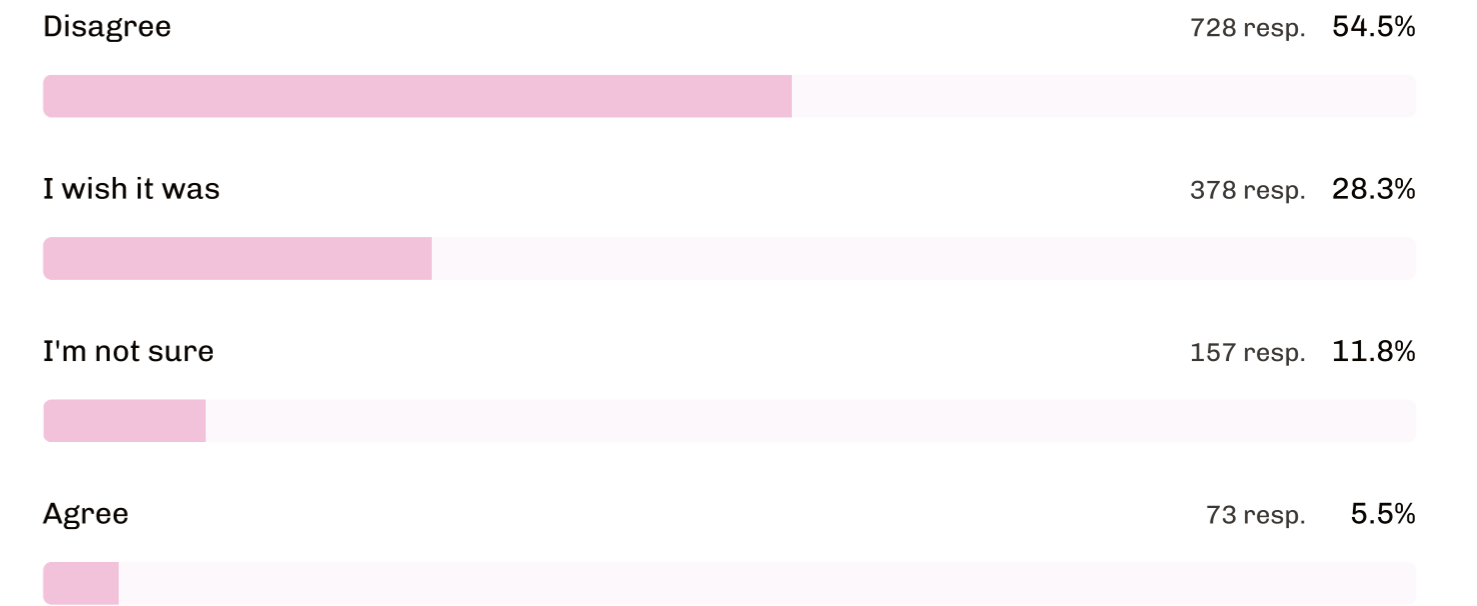
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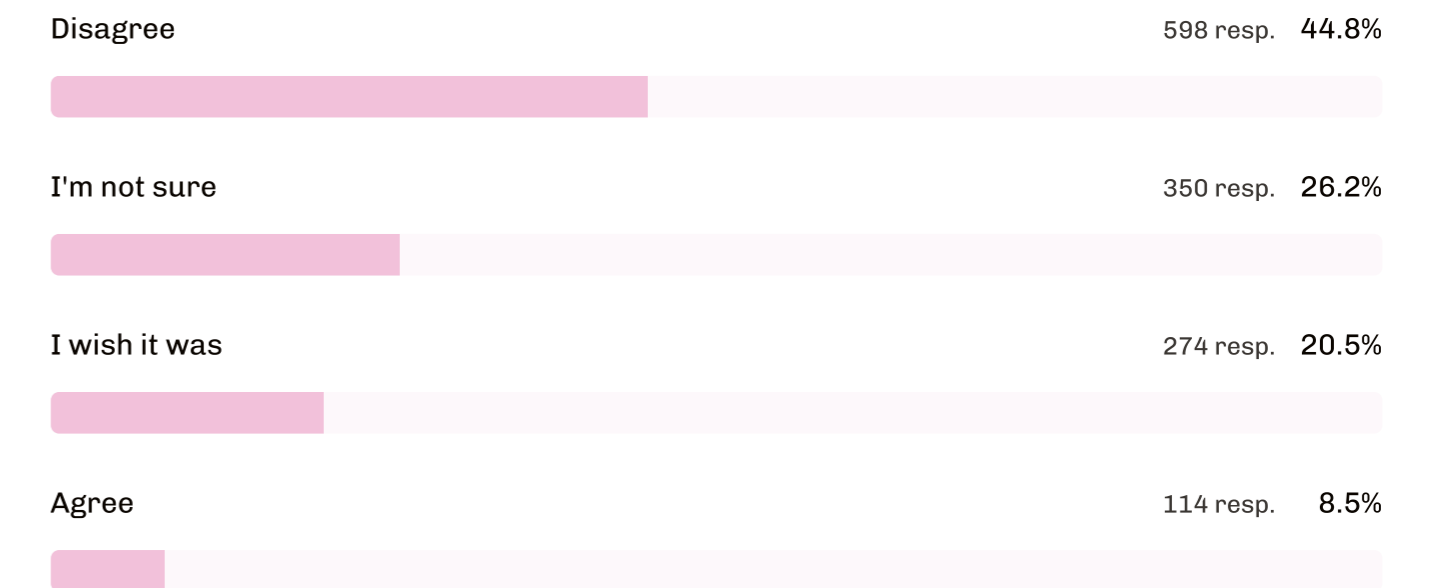
Hyde is a town centre with interesting outdoor markets



Hyde is a town centre with a good range of events and festivals



Hyde town centre is a good place to start a business



Perception

Respondents were asked which areas of Hyde town centre have potential to be better and what could be done to improve them. Common themes include:

Market Square

- Public realm improvements including more seating and greenery
- Activating more frequently with better quality markets and events

Pedestrianisation

Traffic calming and/or pedestrianisation of Market Place and Market Street (outside Town Hall)

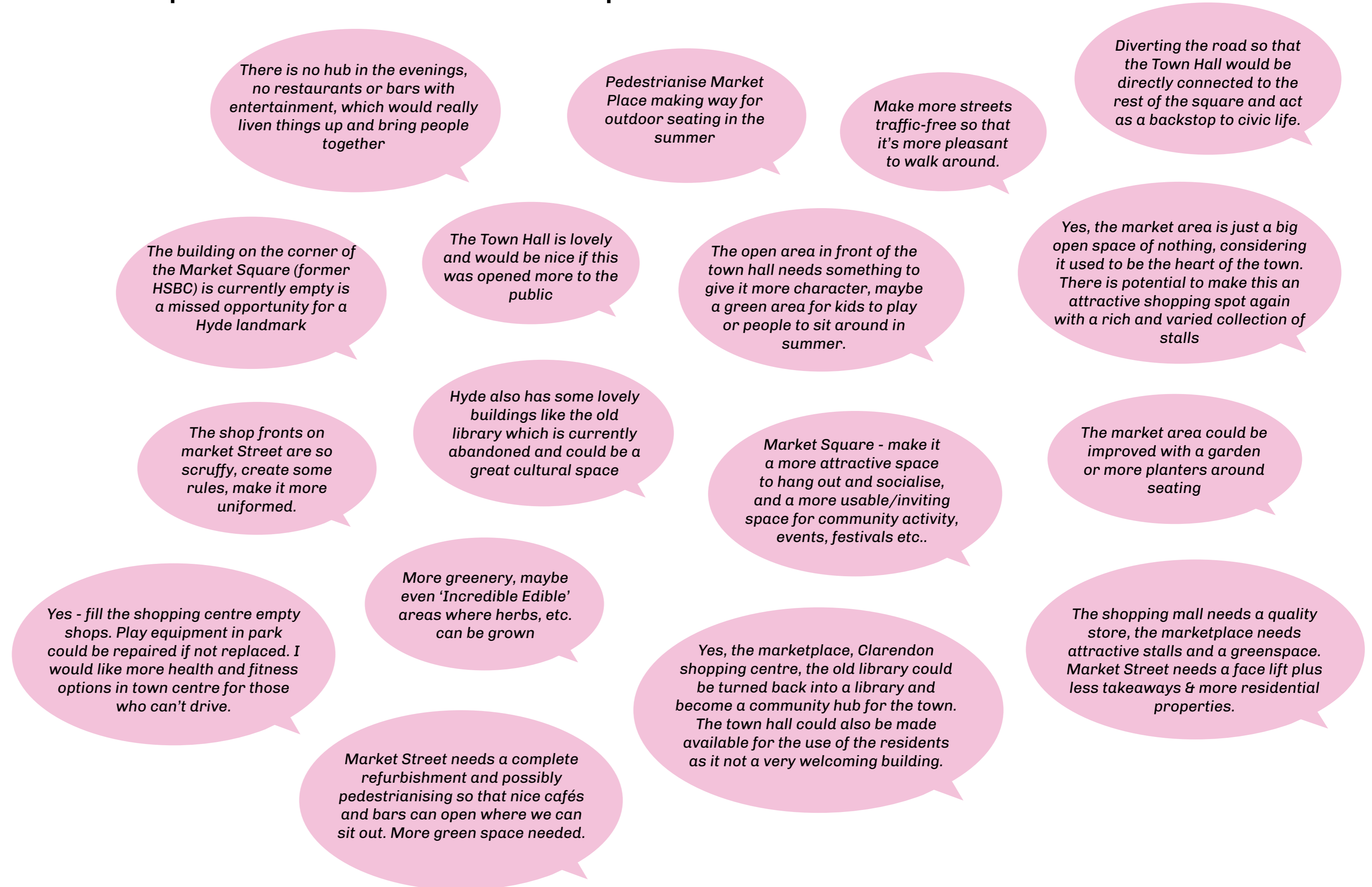
Heritage/Civic Buildings

Celebrating and utilising key heritage/civic buildings such as the Town Hall, Old Library, former HSBC building etc. for community, arts and cultural use.

Building/Shop-front Improvements

- Implementation of a shop-front improvement strategy/guidelines
- Redevelopment of Clarendon centre

Do you think there are spaces/areas in the town centre that have potential to be better? And what could improve them?



Assets

There is a variety of favourite places within the town centre, including green spaces, historic and civic buildings, independents, cultural and community venues, as well as chain retail and cafés.

What are your favourite places in the town centre?



Distinctiveness

Key things that respondents feel make Hyde distinctive include proximity to the countryside, motorway connections, its diverse community, heritage and cultural buildings, and green spaces. Whilst many respondents feel that Hyde lacks distinctive qualities.

What makes Hyde distinctive to you?



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VISITING THE TOWN CENTRE

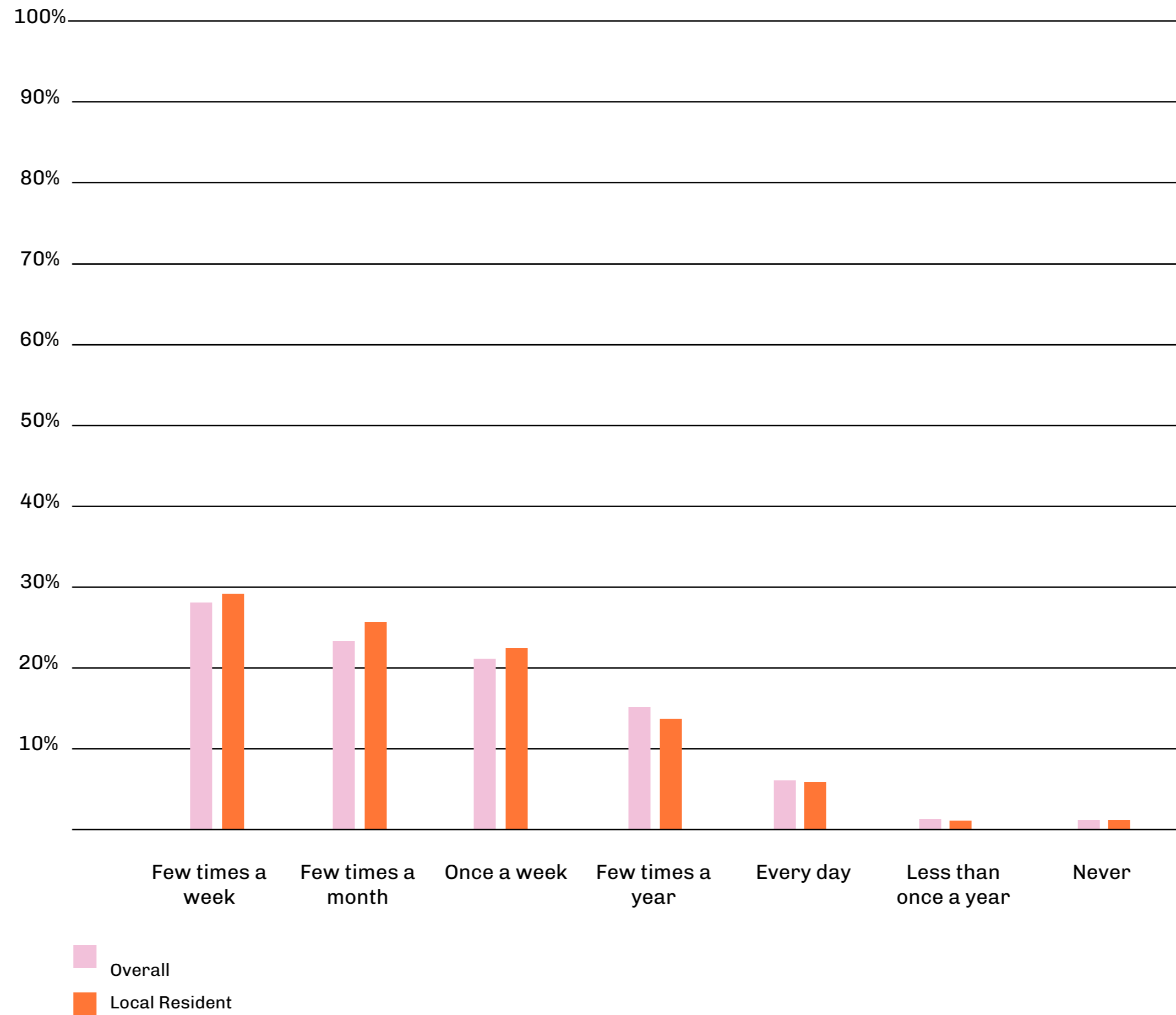
Visits

Just over a third of local respondents visit the town centre more than once a week.

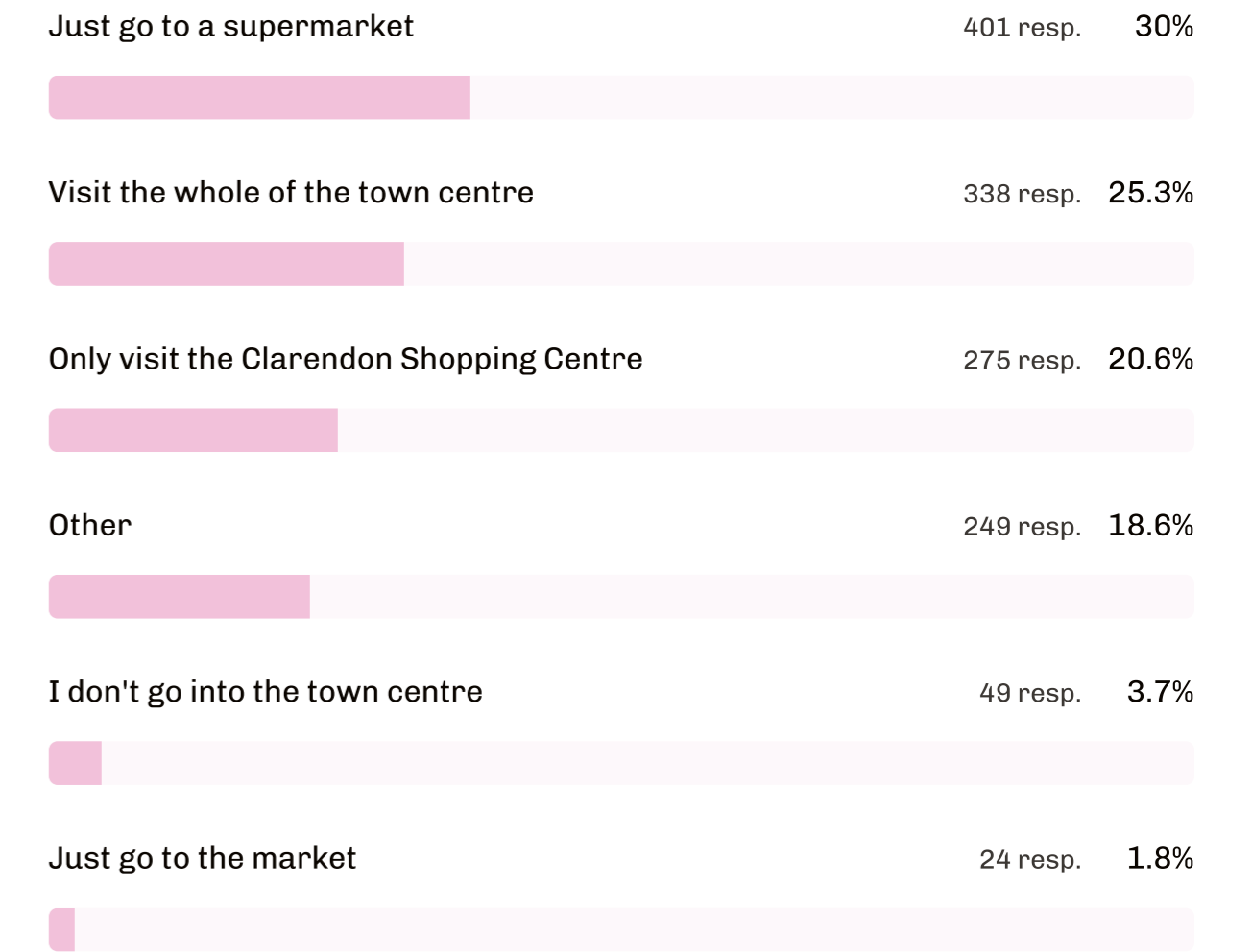
30% of respondents only visit the supermarket, whilst 20% only visit the Clarendon Shopping centre.

25% of respondents tend to visit the entire town centre.

How often do you visit Hyde town centre?



And where do you go when visiting?

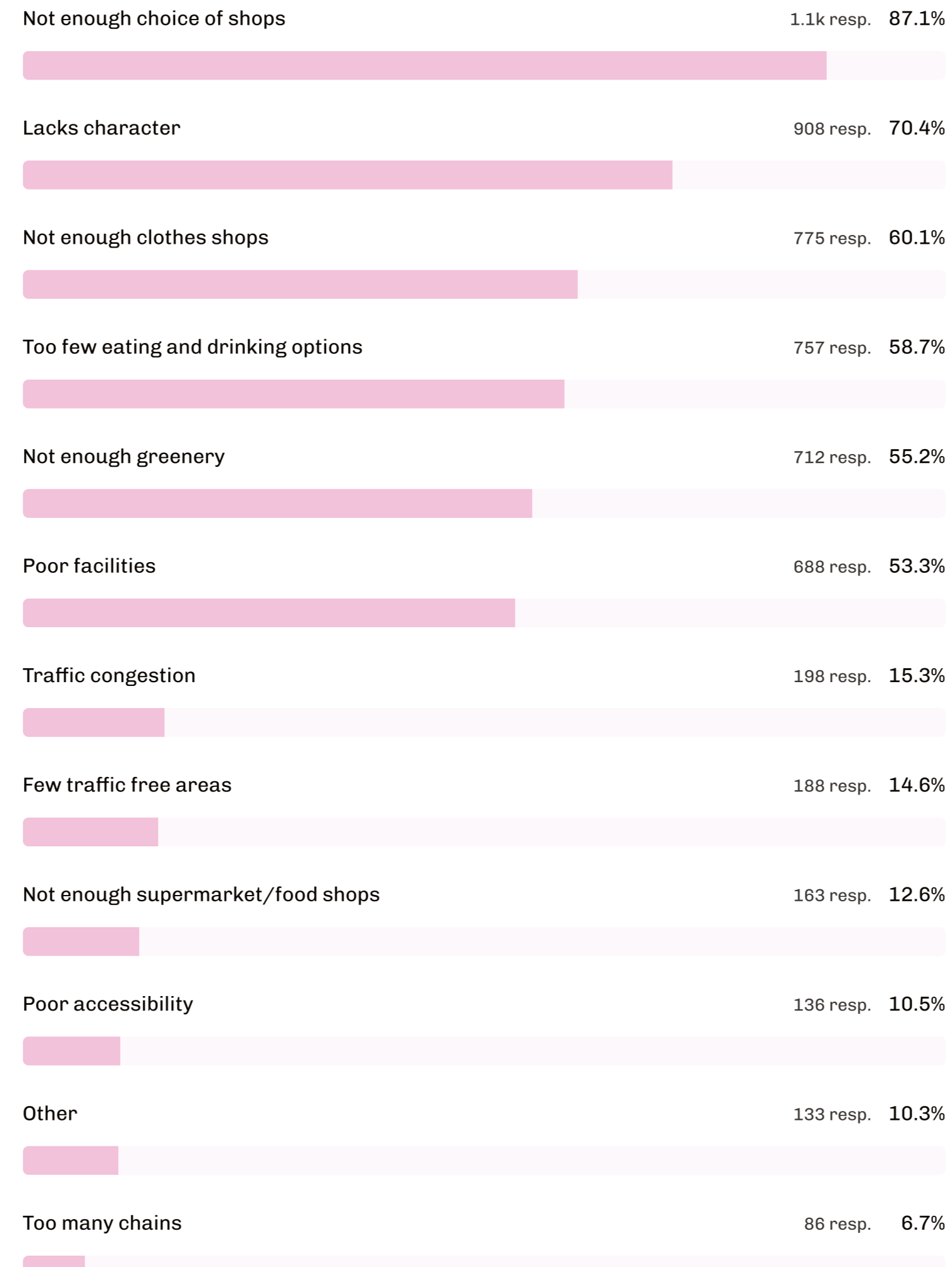


Visits

Not enough choice of shops and lack of character are the top two things respondents dislike most about the town centre.

Other responses to what they dislike about the town centre include poor/scruffy appearance, the dominance of takeaway food shops, lack of free parking, lack of night-time economy, and it feeling unsafe.

Is there anything you dislike about the town centre?



Other:



Visits

80% of respondents state their main reason for visiting the town centre is to shop.

Fewer than 20% of respondents visit the town centre to eat, drink or socialise during the daytime, this drops to 13% in the evening.

Key messages:

Whilst 80% of respondents mainly visit the town centre to shop, only 3% feel Hyde town centre is full of interesting shops, which suggests that many visitors frequent the town centre shops out of necessity.

The town centre lacks spaces/ places to get together and socialise.

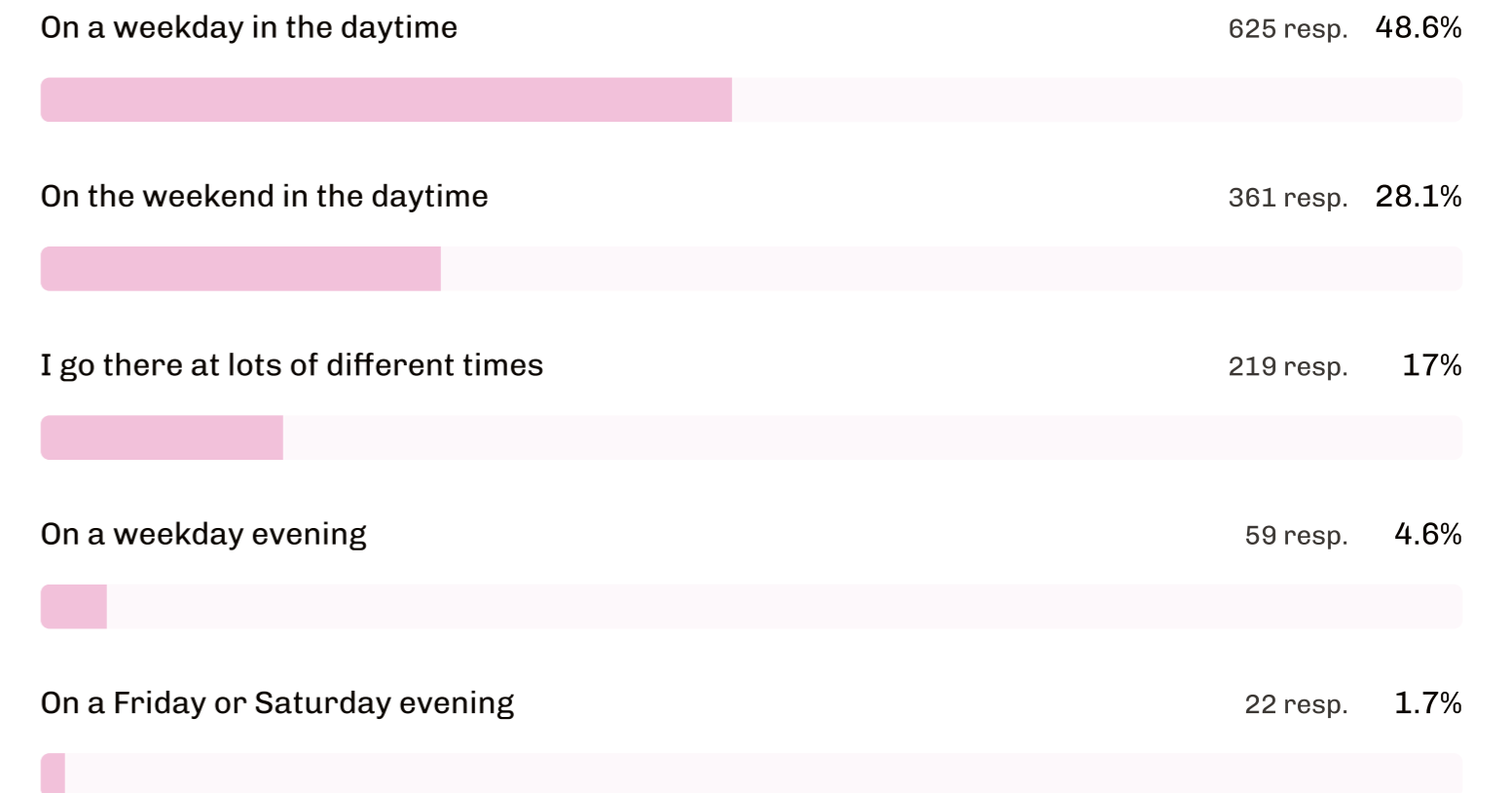
There is a clear need for an improved evening and cultural offer.

What are your main reasons for visiting the town centre?

You can select up to three options:



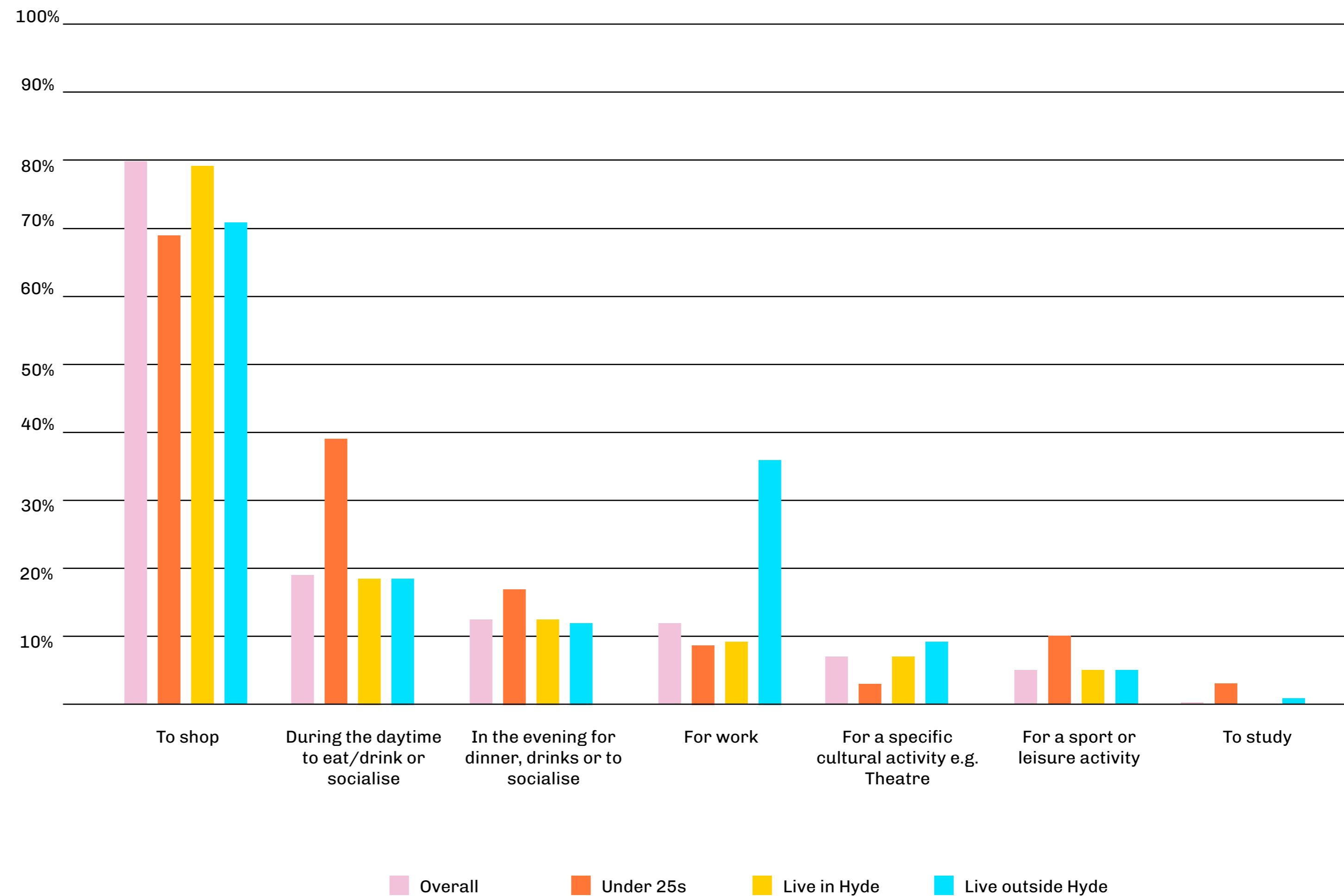
When are you most likely to visit the town centre?



Visits

A higher percentage of Under 25s visit the town centre in the daytime to eat/drink, or for a sport or leisure activity.

What are your main reasons for visiting the town centre? You can select up to three options:

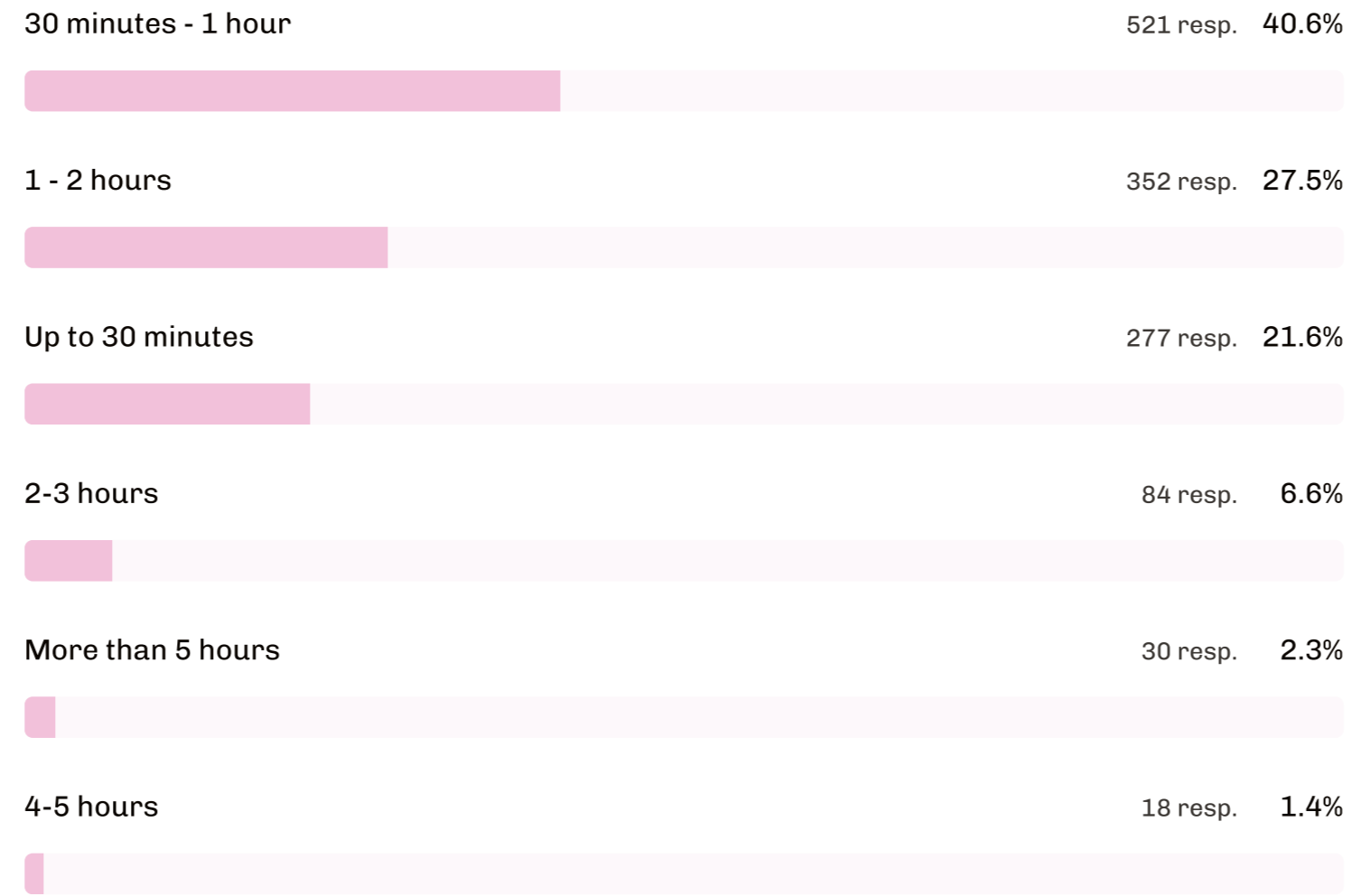


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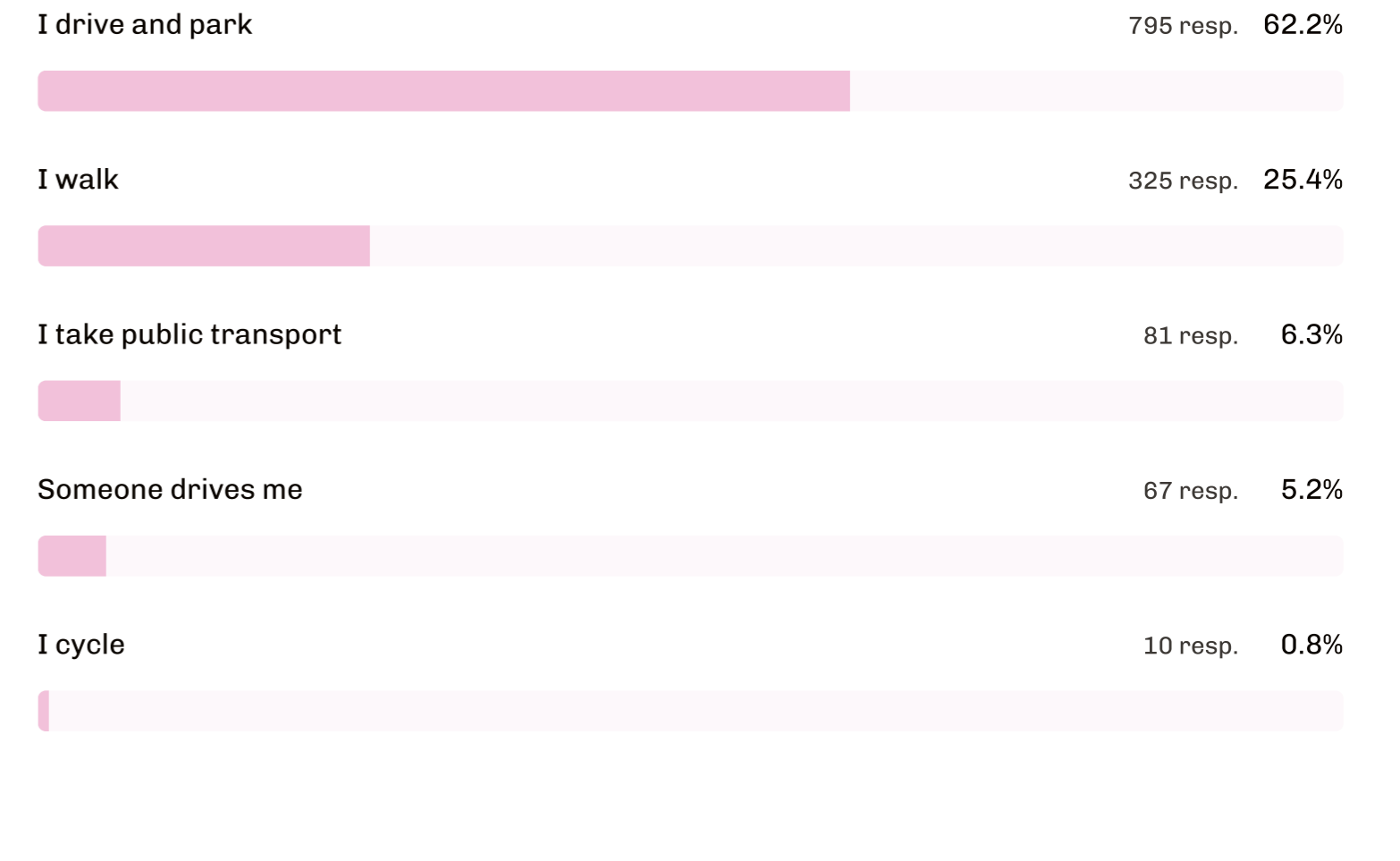
62% of respondents spend an hour or less visiting the town centre. Only 12% of respondents are likely to stay in the town centre for more than 2 hours.

64% of local residents travel to the town centre by car. 27% walk or cycle.

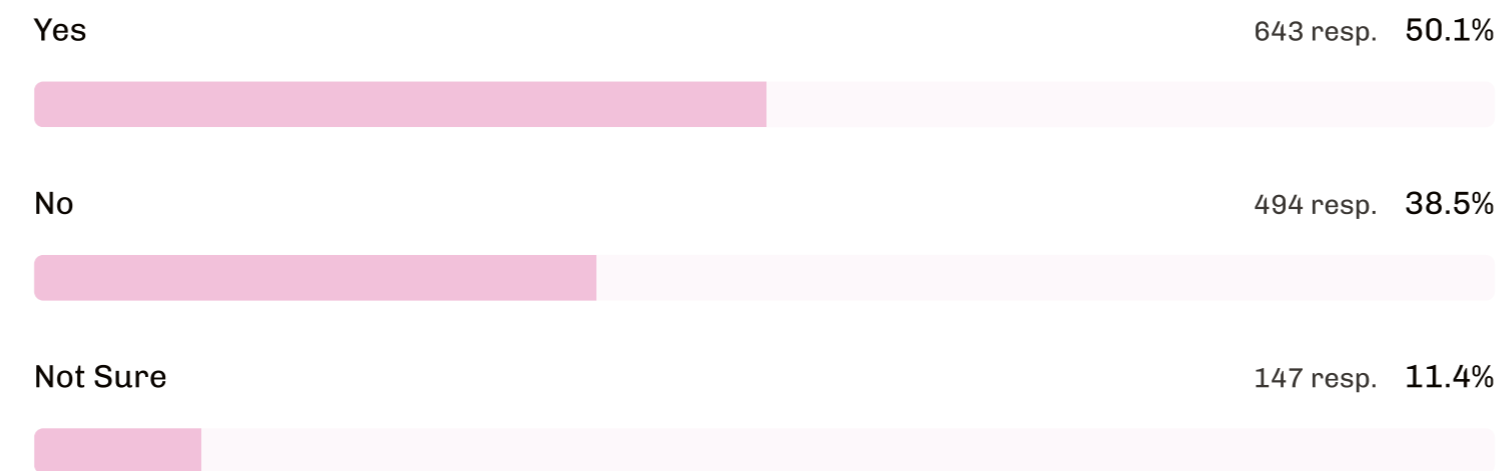
On average, how long do you usually stay in the town centre?



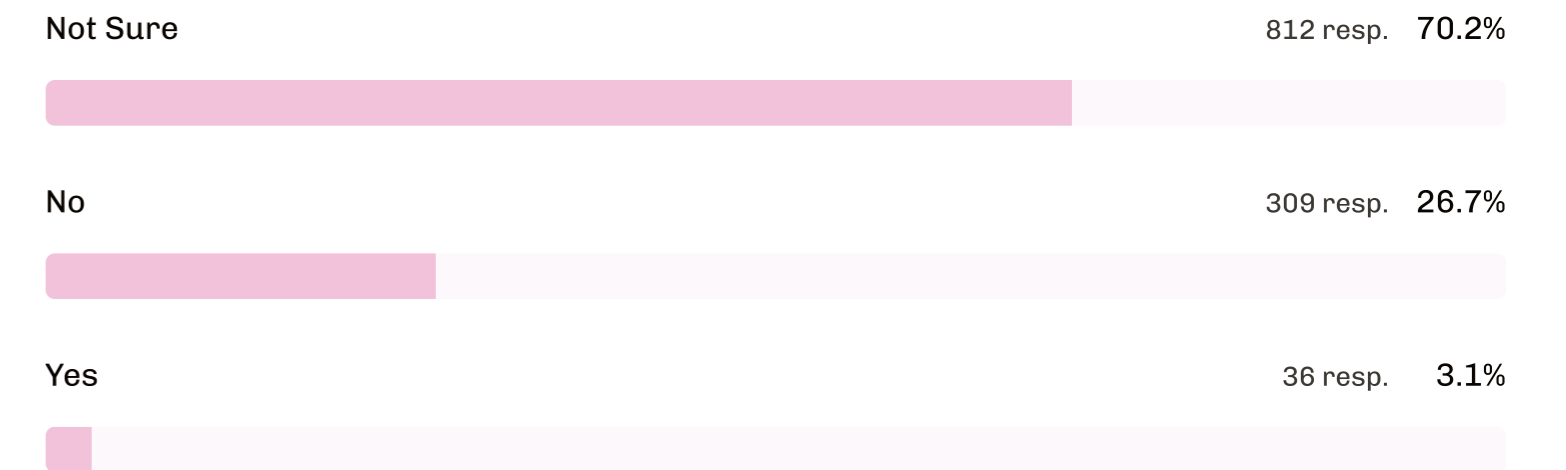
How do you usually travel to the town centre?



Do you feel there are enough places to park in Hyde town centre?



If you cycle, are there enough secure places to park your bicycle?



Visits

Residents that travel to the town centre by car are most likely to only visit the supermarket. Those that walk or cycle are most likely to visit the whole of the town centre.

Residents that drive and park spend marginally more per visit than those that travel to the town centre on foot. However those that walk are likely to visit the town centre almost twice as often over the space of a month than those that drive.

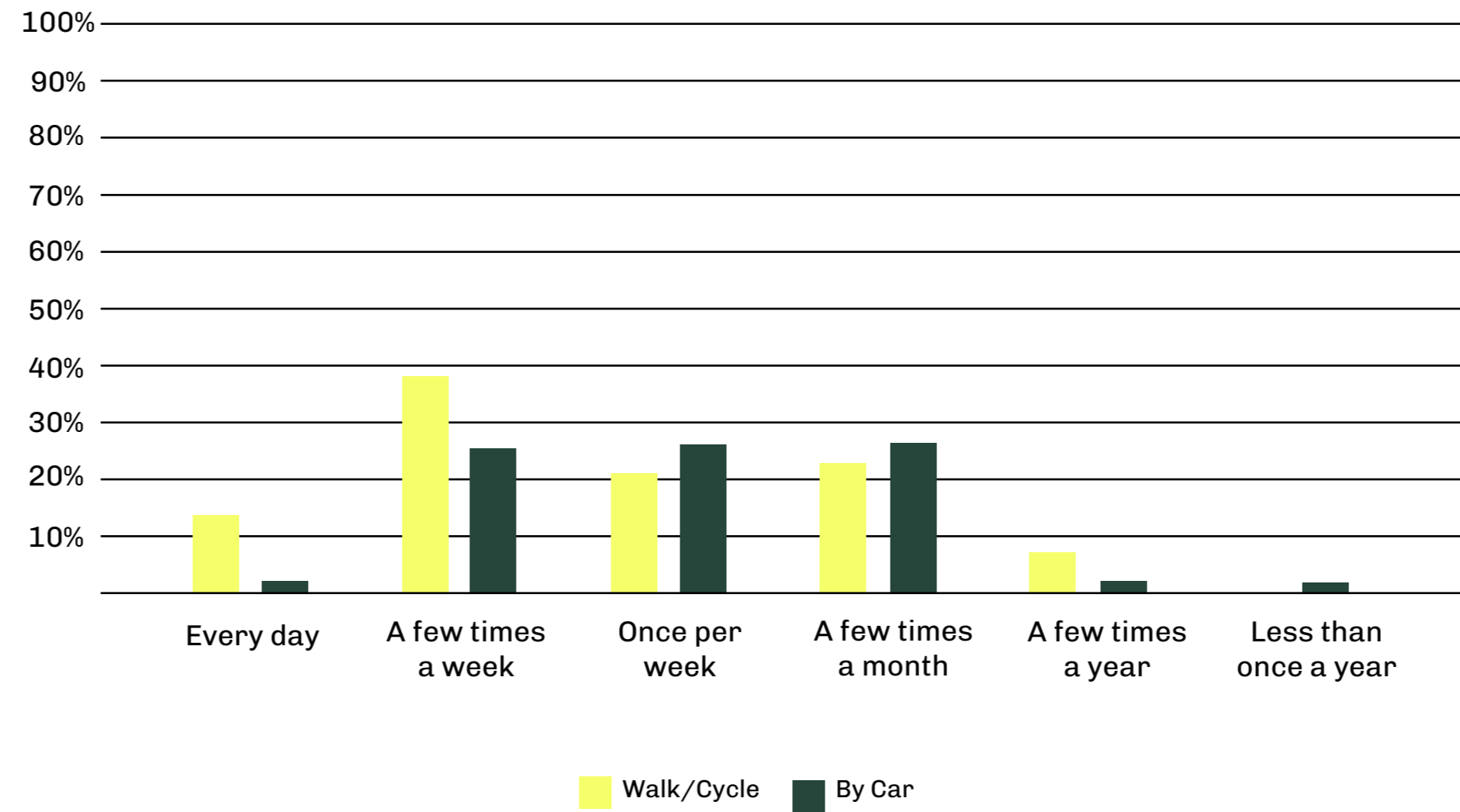
66% of those that drive to the town centre and spend over £50 state they only visit the supermarket.

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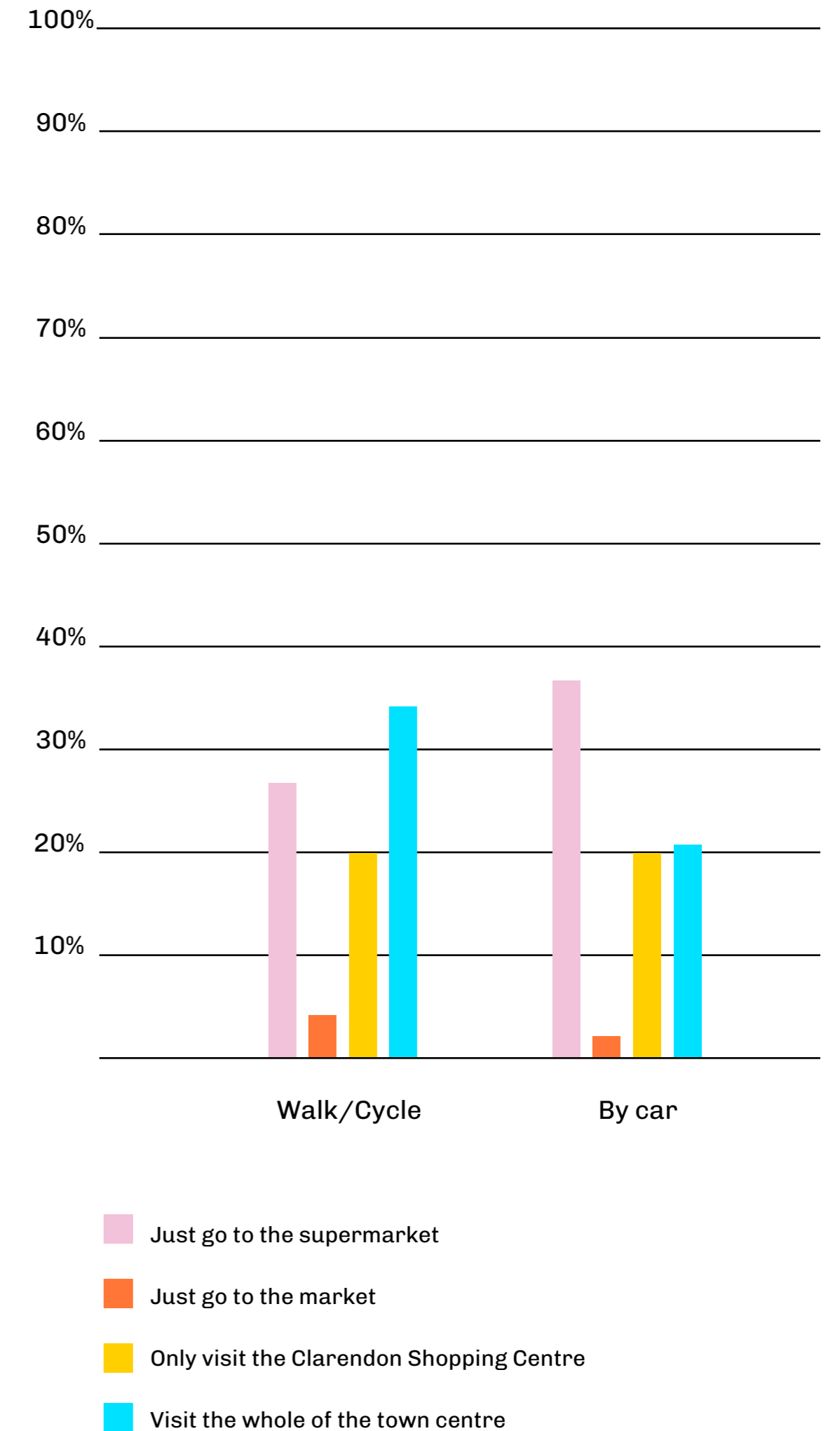
Residents that walk/cycle to the town centre, visit more often and are more likely to visit more of the town centre than those that drive and park

A key priority must therefore be to encourage more visits on foot or bicycle.

Frequency of visit (Local residents)



Location of visit (Local residents)



Average spend per visit (Local residents)



Visits

Respondents were asked what other local town centres they like to visit. The most popular town centres to visit are Stockport, Denton and Glossop.

What other local town centres do you like to visit?



Stockport



Denton



Glossop



Ashton-under-Lyne



Other
E.g. Manchester City Centre



Stalybridge

Other:

- **Bury**
- **Manchester City Centre**
- **Woodley**
- **Romiley**
- **Oldham**
- **Marple**
- **Altrincham**

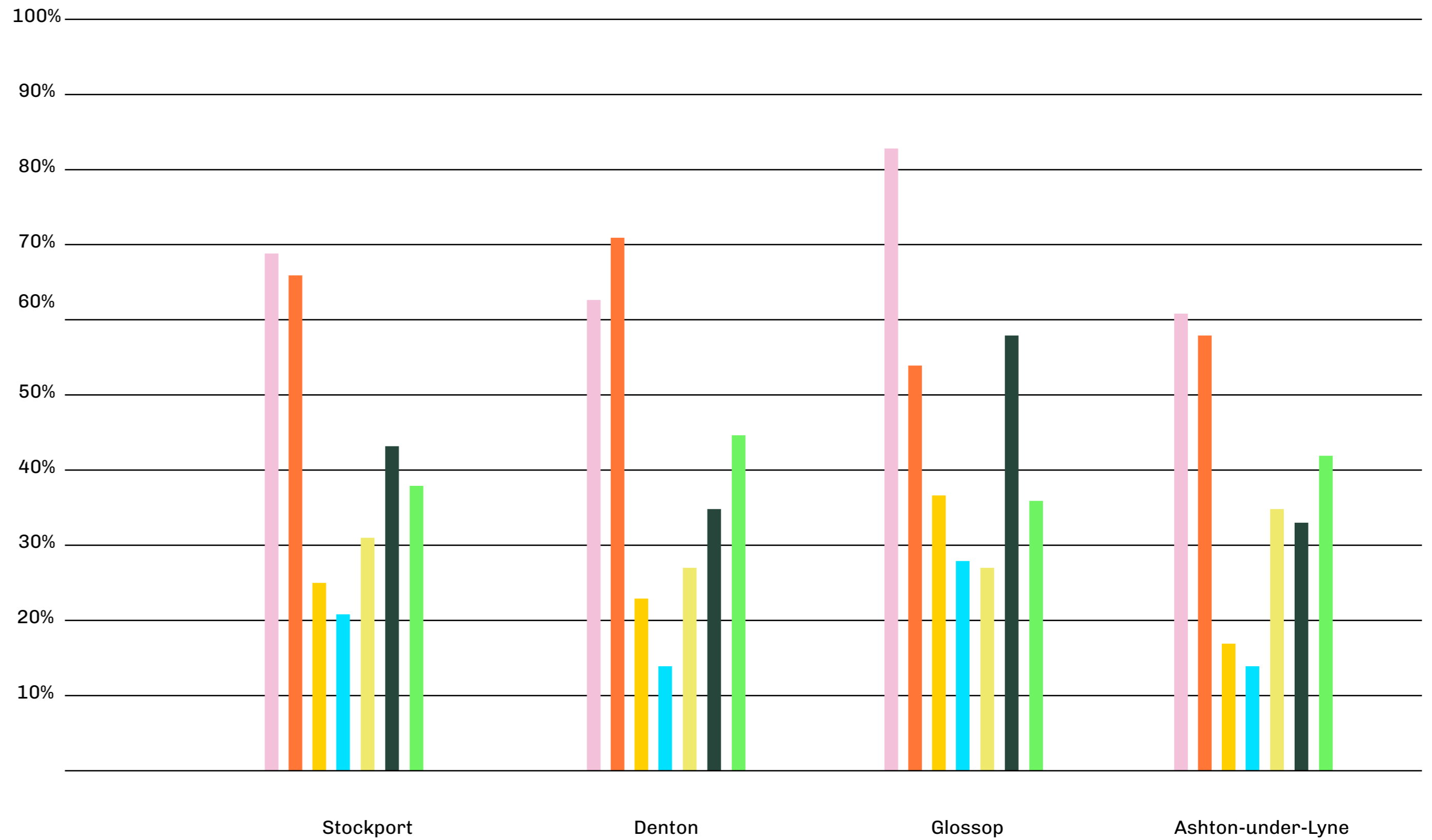
Visits

Respondents enjoy visiting Stockport for its independent shops, cafés and restaurants, as well as the chain retail stores and atmosphere.

Glossop is popular for its independent shops, cafés and restaurants, its atmosphere, as well as its chain stores, & restaurants, and nightlife. Its cultural offer is also clearly a draw.

And, why do you like to visit here?

- There is a good range of independent shops, cafés & restaurants
- There is a good range of chain stores & restaurants
- I enjoy the nightlife here
- There's a good cultural offer
- It has a good market
- I enjoy it's atmosphere
- It's convenient (easy for me to get here)



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FUTURE

Future

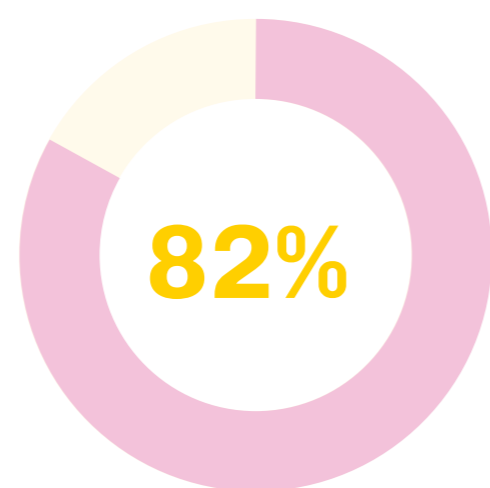
Top priorities include more local, independent shops, cafés and restaurants. Better maintenance of building fronts, more green space, planting/greenery, and street furniture, as well as better/more spaces for events, festivals, arts and cultural activity.

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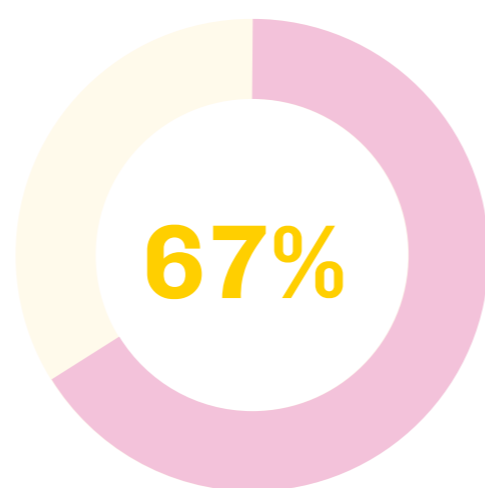
The top priority for young people is more 'spaces for young people to hang out' - of which over 60% of U25s highlighted as a priority compared to 35% of overall respondents.

Under 25s also consider more cultural space, workspace, and better access for/via walking, cycling & public transport of higher priority than other age groups.

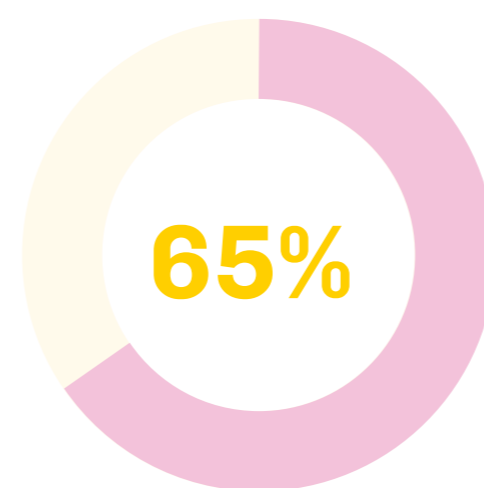
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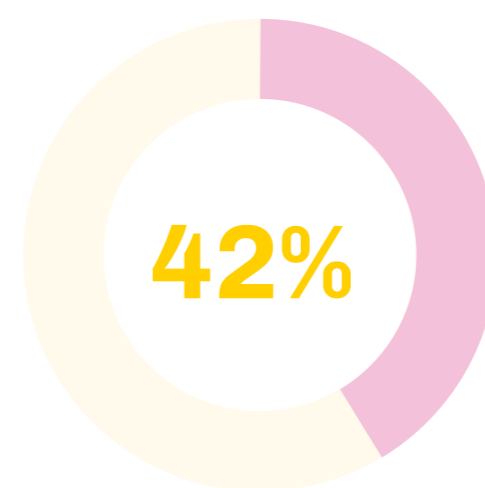
More local and independent shops



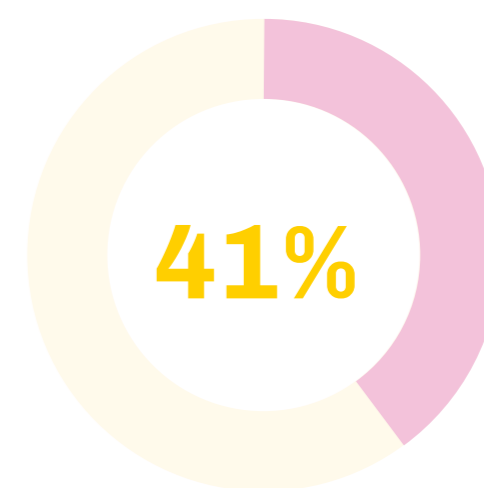
More local and independent cafés and restaurants



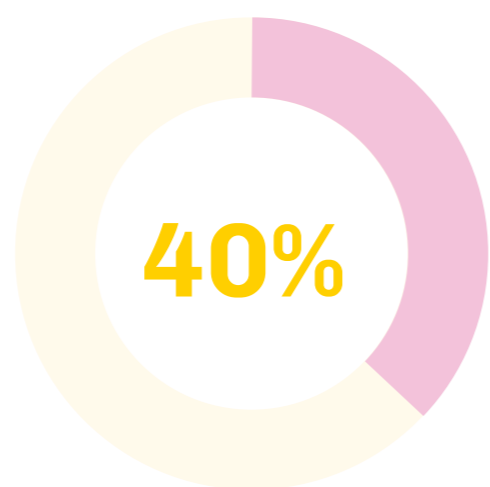
Better maintenance of building fronts on the high street



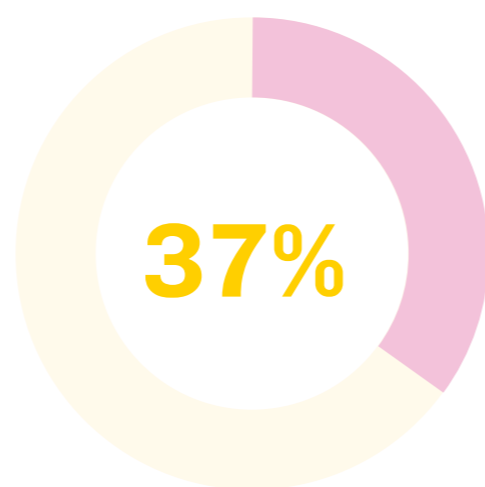
More green space



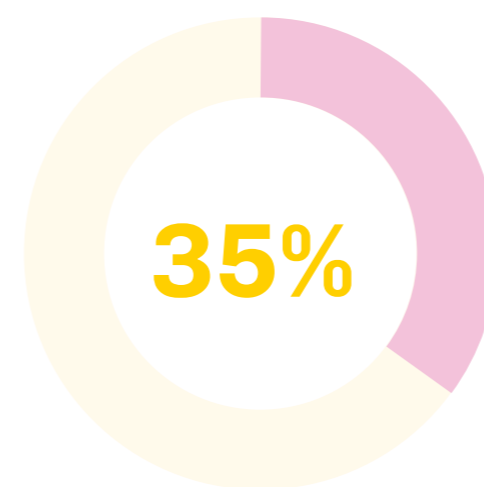
More street furniture, trees & planting



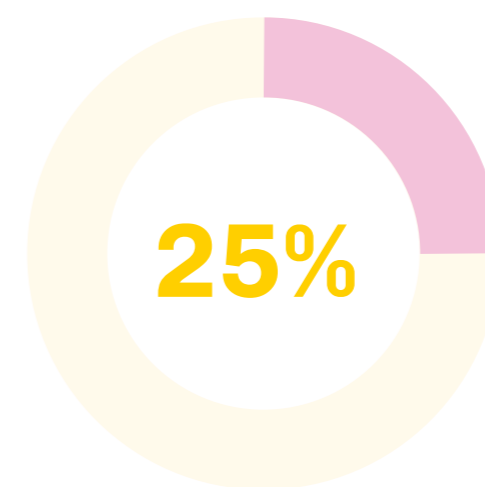
Better open public space to hold events and festivals



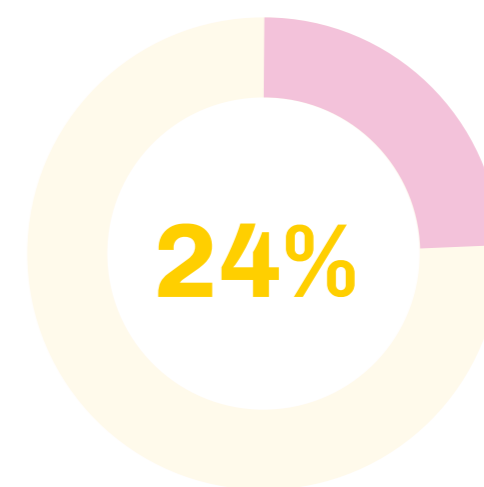
More cultural space for arts, music, film and theatre



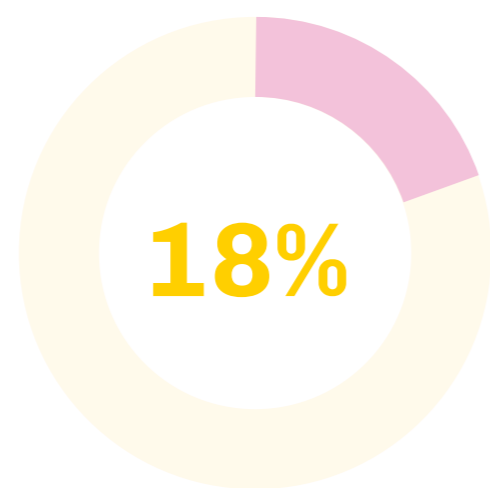
More spaces for young people to hang out



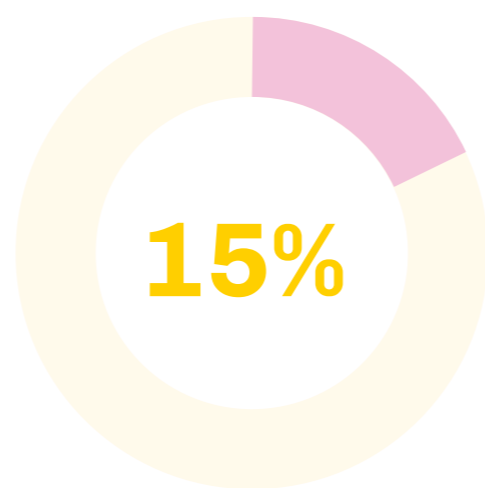
Improved access to green spaces such as Hyde Park



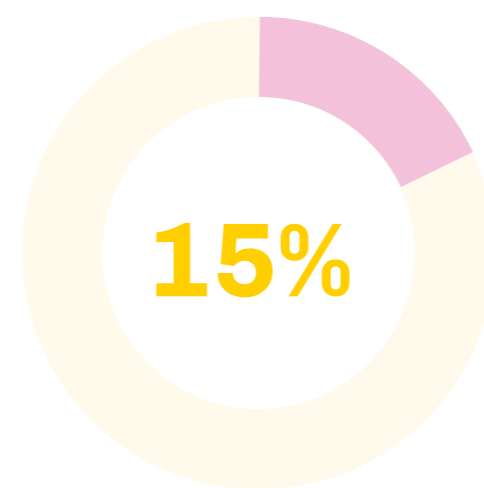
More child friendly spaces



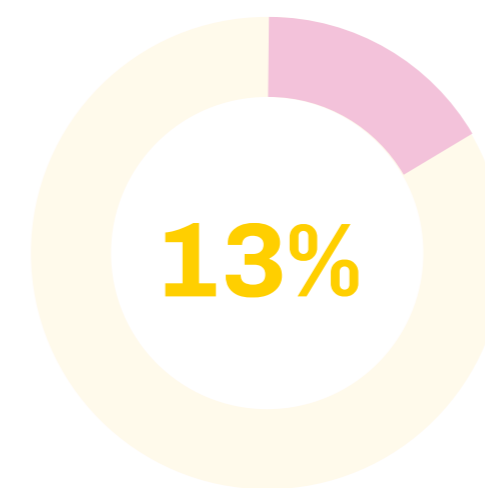
Improved access to the canal



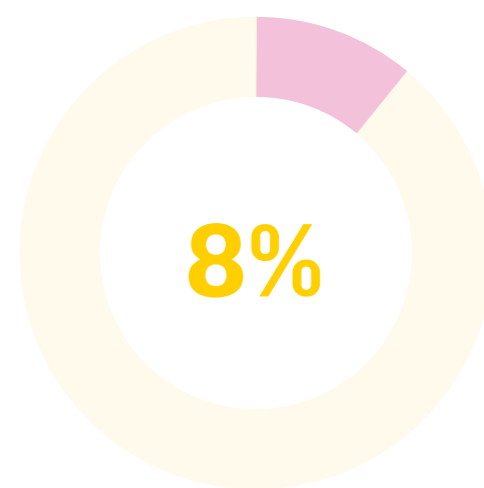
More people living in the town centre



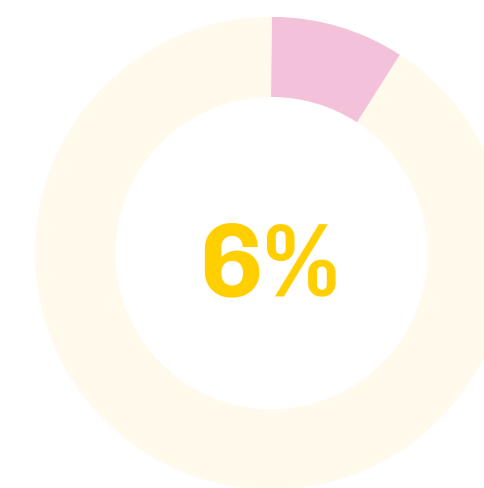
More work / studio / office / co-working space



Better public transport

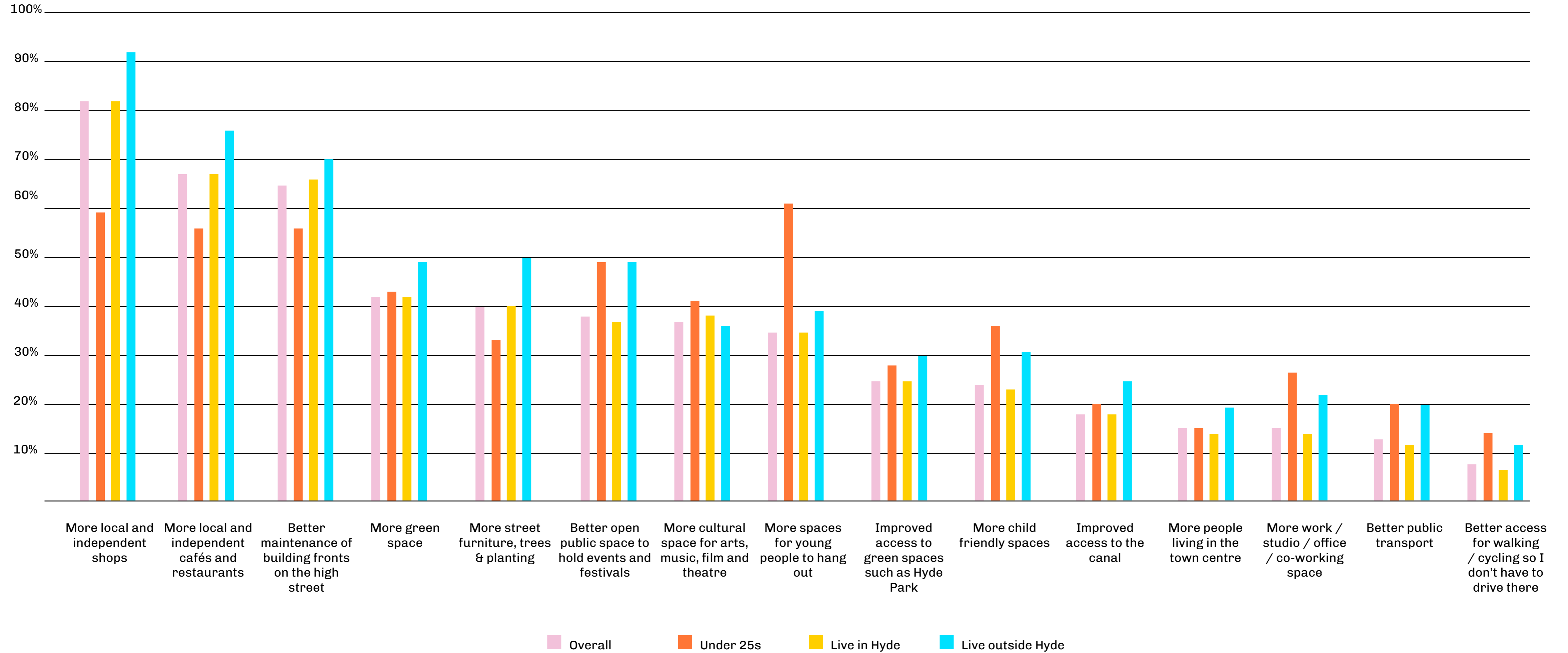


Better access for walking / cycling so I don't have to drive there



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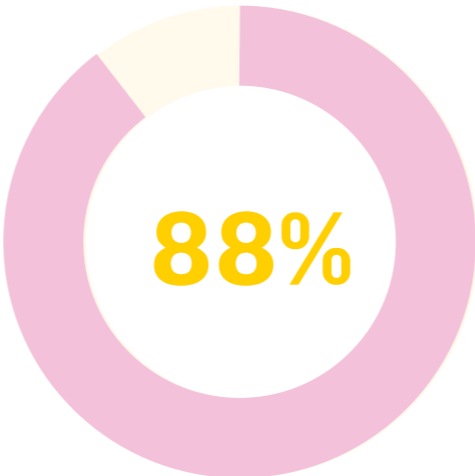
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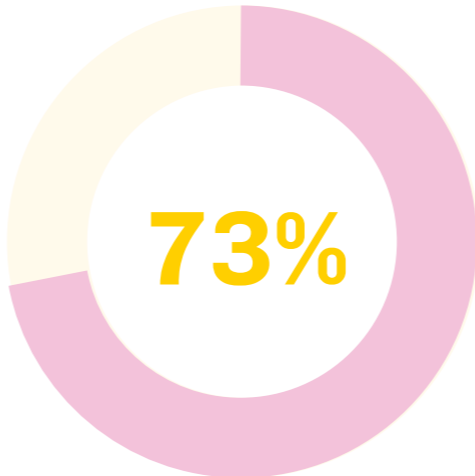
Future

Local, fresh food produce, street food, independent designer-makers & craftspeople, as well as pop-up activities and entertainment are what respondents would like most from a modern market in Hyde town centre.

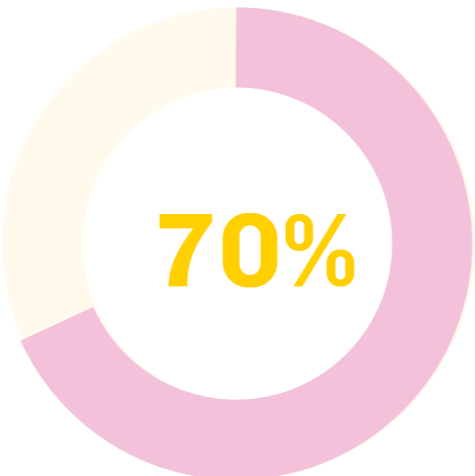
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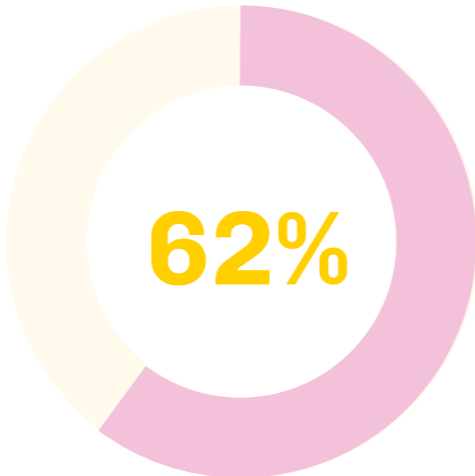
Local, fresh food produce



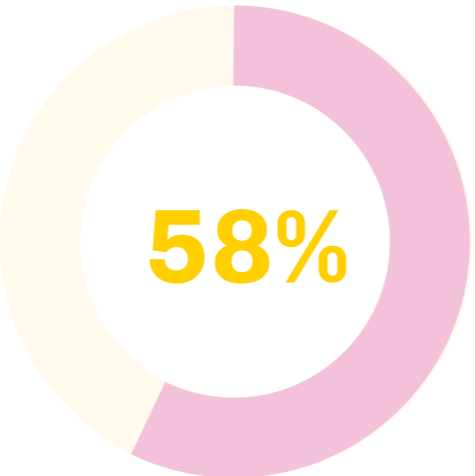
Street food traders



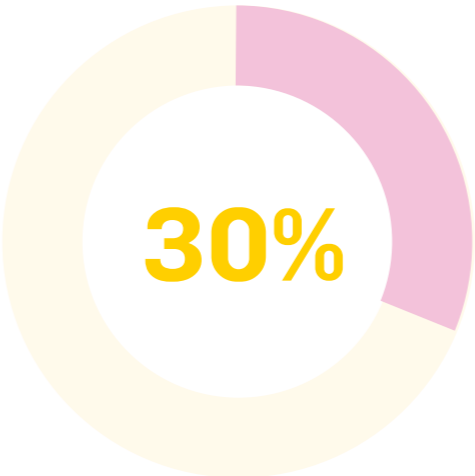
Product by local, independent designer-makers and craftspeople



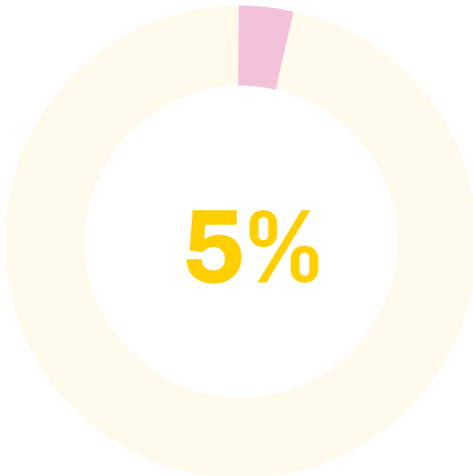
Pop-up activities (such as family friendly workshops and live music)



Affordable clothing and household items



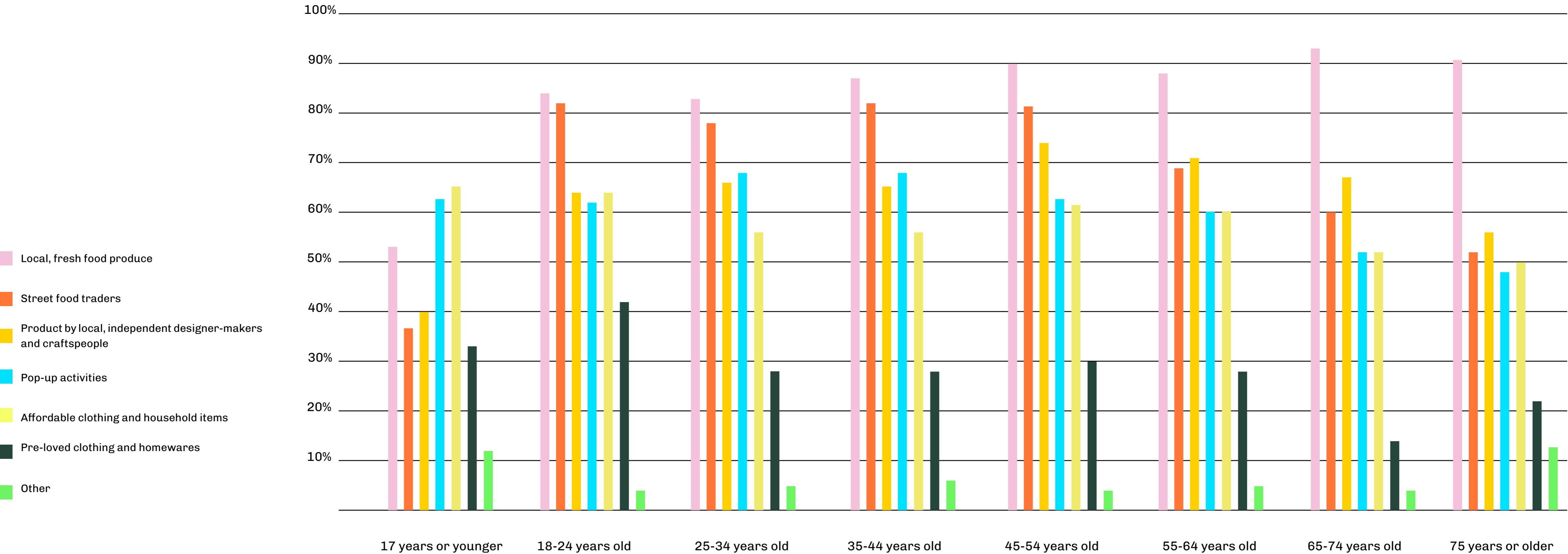
Pre-loved clothing and homewares



Other

Future

What would you like to see from a modern market in Hyde town centre?



Future

When asked “What would you do improve Hyde town centre”, we had 1254 responses.

Common Themes:

- Celebrating and utilising historic buildings such as the Town Hall for cultural and community uses
- Improvements to Market Square including increasing planting/greenery & public furniture.
- Improving the market offer
- Creating more traffic-free areas
- Introducing free parking
- Improving shop/building front appearance
- Improving the cultural offer including more (a better range of) town centre events and activities
- Encouraging more small, independent businesses to establish in the town centre with incentives including reduced business rates.

Bring empty and derelict buildings back to life and offer people and businesses incentives to live and do business in the centre. You need people living centrally to support initial growth.

Improve the market square, make the rents lower to attract independent businesses, have more green space

I would look at the empty buildings and see which could be developed into affordable housing. Then see which could be attractive for new business. Take Market Street shop frontage and supplement a common town centre frontage, making it attractive. Remove car parking charges. Reach out to high street stores to encourage them to come/return to Hyde. Look at Denton and Droylsden they are a hype of activity with good shops and eating and drinking nightlife... over the past couple of years these two towns have boomed

Clean it up, make some green spaces with places to sit and socialise in summer.

I would complete remodel the shopping centre. Make it more visually appealing and enticing and fill the centre with interesting shops that are both popular chain and small businesses to attract all people. Introduce a better market that can facilitate farmers markets and foodie Fridays similar to Stalybridge and Stockport. Improve nightlife options, create a community like the one in Glossop and areas similar.

Create spaces for children and young people, encourage restaurateurs to open businesses in empty buildings, invest in small, independent businesses, add more green spaces

Invest in the empty historic buildings to create places for culture and events, improve the food, drink and retail offering with independent shops/restaurants in Clarendon square and on the high street. Make Hyde a nice place to go in the evening with bars/restaurants (this would also mean the need for improved lighting and later public transport coming out of the town centre). More people living in the centre would be good, however if new flats/accommodation were built I would want to ensure they are still affordable.

Add green spaces and social spots. Improve the market/add stalls. More independent stalls in the mall.

I would make the stalls and rent in the mall more affordable, this way you'd have more traders/shops interested. I'd open more stalls to wrap around the mall with space to show case events and have street food vendors. Scrap car parking fees and make use of one of the car parks. That space could be used for something else. I'd give the mall a refurb it looks old and outdated. Outside consider putting more seating and plants to make it look welcoming its very dull and grey at the moment.

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Improve all the areas/historical buildings/communal areas within the town centre that have remained derelict/empty for far too long but retaining their historical architecture. Provide incentives to attract/encourage quality, independent traders/shoppers back into the town, thereby making a visit to Hyde a worthwhile, attractive, pleasant experience. Improve/redevelop the barren/concrete spaces into attractive, communal, greenery areas for all to enjoy visiting, working and socialising.

I would start by reducing the price of market pitches to encourage traders into the centre. Once a month have street food stalls to encourage younger people to visit. I would enhance Hyde by keeping our old buildings in good repair and introduce some free parking.

Make more streets traffic-free so that it's more pleasant to walk around. Get rid of all on-street car parking around the town centre. There are already plenty of nearby car-parks. Build cycling infrastructure to help people get to the town centre without needing a car, and to help them get around the town centre safely. Build walking/cycling infrastructure to connect to the canal, the river, and Hyde Park. Don't let beautiful buildings like the old library on Union Street go to ruin. If buildings like that are in use they will attract people to the town centre, but if the town centre is full of derelict buildings people will avoid it. More green space and child-friendly areas are needed in and near the town centre. If walking/cycling infrastructure was built there would be less need for as much car-parking, which would free up land for green space. Don't let any more big-box stores open in the region. It makes it difficult for small shops in the town centre to compete with them.

Ask market traders what would make the stalls attractive to encourage their use, encourage restaurants and independent shops to open, clean the streets, provide benches for residents to sit and public toilets, protect historic buildings, prioritise safety for all, day and night and including women.

Improve marketing and promote the theatre, shopping centre and other historic venues to improve foot fall modern activities such as music events, summer outdoor cinema, family festivals etc.. There are far too many takeaways and not enough restaurants for evening activities. No nice bars available like other locations. It looks run down and scruffy to visitors driving through.

Brighten the place up. Re-establish the market. Pedestrianise more of the centre. Stop people parking in the middle of the town. Encourage more young people to visit.

Improve the shop fronts

Add more greenery. Renovate Hyde library and make it a useful community space. Renovate dilapidated rundown buildings on main streets. Especially market street.

Use the library building, its lovely and its sad to see it unused. Find a way to reroute the main road to bring the Town hall as part of the town centre and use empty retail units as pop ups to encourage better footfall.

Improve the market get a wide range of different types of stalls on different days (themes), improved seating and greenery/ planting, spruce up buildings and make use of empty buildings

Open the Town hall as a hub for the whole community. Put on events for all ages, mixed and targeted. Ask them for their ideas. Cooking, art & music bring people together and let them have a say so they have a sense of ownership and PLEASE make Union Street library a part of the town again - it's a great building with loads of space to use for living, working, creativity and community life.

Pedestrianise the road in front of the town hall, develop the block of buildings between the Market Place and the bus station to open a thoroughfare for pedestrians. Move the hard standing stalls from in front of the shops to make the units more appealing to businesses and allow for outdoor cafe/ restaurant seating.

Create a 'quarter' for creative, independent artists / artisans, which offers incentives for local start-ups to be based and trade from there. Link this to the market as an outlet for their goods and products. Move traffic flows on Market Street to allow the Town Hall to be fully connected to the Square (maybe use Water Street / Corporation Street and redesign part of Asda Car park as main thoroughfare). Create walking, cycling and jogging trails to access the canal, the rail station, the TPT etc. and to create green corridors that are focused on the market square, to bring people to the town centre. Use brownfield sites to build good quality accessible housing for young professionals that can use public transport or bikes to access Manchester if wanted for employment opportunities, but who will be engaged in the 'quarter'.

If possible, reduce business rates to entice traders and independent business owners to set up shop. Think of strategies to increase footfall such as workshops aimed at all ages. Themed event days such as celebrating cultures and places of the world, heritage of Hyde, games months in the Clarendon perhaps ping-pong table one month, pool table the next, to promote sports, health and wellbeing. As well as try and welcome the younger people, rather than trouble causing and congregating on the market..

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Lower the rent of shops and other buildings for independent retailers, improve frontage on buildings so they don't look scruffy, temporarily fill the empty shops with local craftspeople until the shops are filled, get more big-name brands in too

Restore the old library, open this and Town Hall up for events, markets, live music etc.. Set higher standards re shop frontages. Set targets / achieve better mix of independent shops, don't enable concentration of cheap food outlets. Establish food and veg / farmers markets. Increase pedestrian areas. Improve the aesthetic.

Make the shops on the high street keep the streets tidier and their shop fronts more attractive, plant more greenery, more outdoor market stalls at a decent rate for independent business to rent, less takeaways.

I'd make sure that there were greenspaces available for all people if possible, I'd look at local businesses and how I could best support them to be part of the town centre, I'd also consider what speciality Hyde can offer from other local centres like Denton for e.g. Hyde has a market place and this could be utilised much better with farmers markets, greengrocers or independent coffee shops and bars like Heaton Moor which has a thriving local centre.

Breathe new life into the outdoor market - make it look alive. Same for the indoor market. Try and get a good supermarket like M&S or Sainsburys into the old Wilkinson. Freshen up the route to Hyde Park. Think about what could be done with the town hall, the old post office, the old HSBC building

The idea of street food on the markets with music would be brilliant just like foodie Friday in Stockport. More popular shops. The old HSBC bank would be an amazing restaurant with live music.

Attract smaller independent retailers, cafés, etc.. Make better use of the old historic buildings Create events that attract the community

Community events, improve the night-time offer, reduce takeaways, encourage, and enforce maintenance of existing buildings

Add more youth spaces

Greenery to the market square, make a communal garden, reinvigorate the market to traders and make it worth their while, pop up markets (Look at Knutsford as an example)

1) Open the market on Saturdays and Sundays all year round. 2) Try and attract more interesting mix of stall holdings for the market e.g., record fairs. 3) Fix up the library building and convert it into a food court for independent food businesses (like what they have done in Altrincham). 4) Offer lower / subsidised rents to encourage independent businesses. 5) Plan an event at least once a month in the town centre in the evenings to encourage people to come out and socialise.

Hold more community events.

The old library is crying out for being used , it could be a arts/ music club for the local youths who have nowhere to go.

Get better links between Hyde's railway stations and the town centre and better parking provision outside the town centre, expanding pedestrianisation in the process

Improve the market square, make this the central focus for the town, improve public realm, introduce more greenery, make it a place that residents and visitors want to sit and hang out in. Programme with high quality events and markets. Utilise the Town Hall for cultural and community uses. Consider traffic calming measures/carrageway surfacing treatments to improve the setting of the Town Hall and enable spill-out on to an improved market square.

Start again; remove the enclosed shopping centre/mall and build a few small streets around an open square in its place. Invest in using the old original buildings near the library and theatre and make that the hub. Don't allow any more supermarkets.

Knock down Clarendon Centre, invest in large public square for high quality markets and events, restore and protect heritage assets, more greenery, fewer takea-ways, shop front improvements, ample free parking, inviting station , safe cycling facilities, be brave, big change needed, this is a crucial opportunity

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Pop-up Shop

On Friday 9th December 2022, working with Tameside Council, the design team hosted a pop-up shop in the former Jack Foultons store in Clarendon Shopping Centre.

Residents and visitors were invited to drop in to tell us about their thoughts on the current town centre and their desires for its future.

Despite the poor weather, between 100-200 people of all ages and backgrounds visited to share their views.

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We are on a fact-finding mission and want to understand what you feel Hyde town centre needs to **make it a better place to live, work, shop, socialise and visit.**

Visit our pop-up shop located at **48-50 Rutherford Way, The Clarendon Square Shopping Centre** to share your thoughts with us.

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needs to be family orientated

needs more selection of restaurants + bars.
ghost town
needs more events

Hall for Community events
loss of wetter spaces was a loss
Access for disabled: Autism Award

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leisure in the centre
mix of independent, local shops, not chains

ghost town
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more online pr

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come to a shop + go home. more inviting
too dark something for youngsters!
European markets are more lively + friendly
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If responsible for improving Hyde town centre, I would...
leisure in the centre
More spaces & places for young people to get together & socialise

If responsible for improving Hyde town centre, I would...
more closing market.
too many drug shops
needs more social food place need
more shoe shops
too much vandalism

needs more features on street
needs more maintenance
racism from drinkers.
more shop + places to each.

any vacant in town: pop up bars + food.
many vacant in town: pop up bars + food.

nothing to visit for.
- rather go to outlets - more convenient
- needs more life + culture
- needs bands - lost its identity
- lost its character - lost its identity
- shopping centre has ruined the town.

If responsible for improving Hyde town centre, I would...
Market is a better stalls
Shops are shutting
Shit hole.
less litter

If responsible for improving Hyde town centre, I would...
Pop up Bars
Live music
Bin areas

needs more features on street
needs more maintenance
racism from drinkers.
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needs a meeting point.
A case in the open where you can see

shops, independent shops
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Something for the youngsters to reduce anti-social behaviour in the town centre.

Too many charity shops
The market is not "the market" anymore
More leisure
Pop up cafés
Lack of things to do is affecting social behaviour

Nothing for kids to do
More shops
Better maintenance
Give it some wellie and start again
Too many cheap shops

Cultural events
Needs to be more welcoming
Market needs to be good
Community Hub
Still keep character
More independent shops

Cheaper rent for shop owners
More activities / social events
More market stalls
Old library could be used for homeless

Needs more variety
Too many take-aways
Outdoor market is poor
Hyde Park needs to stay open and improve

Park is run down and used to have concerts
Needs more restaurants and bars
Ghost town

Market is poor, needs to be more family orientated.

Variety of shops, more choices so people stay to shop.

Rent free periods for struggling shops and to attract new retailers
Better open space to encourage dwell time
Cleaner spaces

Ghost town, too many closed shops
Poor maintenance + not safe
Needs more variety, too quiet
Ashton gets all the money
Indoor market is poor
Milkbar / arcade for kids

Better quality and selection of shops

Improve market place
Create leisure spaces
Needs a community hub
Shops to attract younger people

Poor relation to Ashton
More market stalls
Too many vacant buildings
More shops open on high street and fresh produce

Needs more features on street
More maintenance
Racism from drinkers on Market Street. Asian community avoid this area in evenings
More shops and places to eat

Denton is on the up, more new restaurants
Market is failing
Needs a flea market
Ashton on a Sunday is busy
Better when market was bigger and shopping centre didn't exist

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Needs to be more multicultural
Needs to improve market

Nothing to visit for; Would rather go to outlets as it's more convenient. It lacks a sense of life, culture and character. The shopping centre has ruined the town and has contribute to its loss of identity.

Want mix of independent and local shops less chains
More leisure in town centre
More spaces/places for young people to socialise safely

Children's activities
Apartments (not social Housing)
Community Cohesion
Youth activities
Music Culture

Shops, independent shops, leisure places, community spaces, markets & no more food spaces.
" It's all gone downhill, the library is not doing great, and lots have moved to Aston"

Pop up Bars
Live music
Bin areas not suitable
More Accessible Parking

Hyde: Too many vacant unit, charity shops, barbers and nail salons.

Free parking days, regular events outside working hours & public events.

The town centre would benefit from more green spaces, trees and public realm where people can sit and talk.

Needs More going on
Utilise Market Sq more for events for all ages
I liked the craft market that used to be on. Needs to be more of this and better advertised

Feels sad, needs life

It needs a meeting point; a café or bar in the open place where you can see people enjoying themselves.

Hyde needs to have more family friendly and youth offer. It would be great to see a dog park in Hyde Park.

Pop up leisure activities (table tennis etc.)
Old people don't shop online
Create a community
Modernise town centre to bring people in

More play areas
New arcade
Cinema

More police
Asians don't feel safe

Thank you!

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