



13th EGS Congress

Fortezza da Basso, Florence, Italy

19/22 May 2018



European Glaucoma Society

Innovation, Education, Communication, Implementation

13th EGS Florence Feedback

Scientific Programme

	Prague 2016	Florence 2018
Total number of Main Sessions	8	8
Total number of Courses	84	48
Total number of Faculty Members	206	189
Total number of Poster Sessions	6	5
Total submitted Abstracts	483	597
Total Posters presented	463	478

Meeting Rooms attendance

Session	Day	Attendance
Congress Welcome and EGS Showcase	May 19	340-400
Main Session 1 - Trabeculectomy revisited: 50 years of history	May 19	780-850-980
Main Session 2 - Optic nerve in focus	May 19	650-780-780
Main Session 3 - Which patients are really at risk?	May 20	310-420-650
Main Session 4 - The diagnosis	May 20	950-950-965
Main Session 5 - The Follow-up	May 21	300-575-650
Main Session 6 - Patient-centred management - EGS/AGS Symposium	May 21	550-545-625
Main Session 7 - Glaucoma and driving	May 22	120-230-355
Main Session 8 - Non-trabitional surgery	May 22	380-420-420

Meeting Rooms attendance

Courses	May 19 – 14.15-15.15
C1.04 - Surgery: Critical appraisal of MIGS evidence	152-182-189
C1.01 - Clinical skills: OCT	288-356-328
C1.03 - Pros&cons: Combined surgery	82-95-102
C1.02 - Managing your iniNTG clc	83-141-141
C1.08 - Surgery: Non-penetrating surgeries	44-54-59
C1.05 - EGS Curriculum: Critical literature reading	7-14-14
C1.07 - EGS Leadership: Communication skills	14-16-16
C1.06 - EGS Scientific Committee: How to write grants	12-15-5

Meeting Rooms attendance

Courses	May 20 – 13.45-14.45
C2.05 - Surgery: Which surgery for which indication?	224-277-289
C2.04 - Surgery: Managing complications after long tubes	102-168-122
C2.02 - Managing your exfoliative glaucoma patients in the clinic	81-93-103
C2.06 - EGS leadership: The skills required for leadership	18-20-21
C2.08 - A dive into clinic: a practical approach to medical treatment	34-53-58
C2.07 - EGS Scientific Committee: EMA recommendations	19-27-45
C2.03 - Pros&cons: Progression: VF or OCT	180-200-154
C2.01 - Clinical skills: Gonioscopy	165-184-126

Meeting Rooms attendance

Courses	May 20 – 15.15-16.15
C3.08 - Management of post-operative complications of glaucoma	208-243-265
C3.06 - Surgery: Trabeculectomy	106-118-110
C3.03 -Pros&cons: Laser vs medication	108-120-140
C3.05 - Surgery: Managing complications after MIGS	145-183-183
C3.01 - Clinical skills: VF (basic)	42-64-51
C3.04 - Tips&tricks: How to make the most out of your patient's OCT	183-198-208
C3.07 - EGS Curriculum: Risk factors	10-10-18
C3.02 - Managing your glaucoma suspects/OH	56-67-28

Meeting Rooms attendance

Courses	May 21 – 14.45-15.45
C4.02 -Phacoemulsification in glaucoma	98-145-140
C4.05 -Surgery: Non-penetrating surgery	88-123-115
C4.06 -EGS Curriculum: Glaucoma medication - Today and tomorrow	56-72-85
C4.04 -Tips&tricks: Glaucoma differential diagnosis	160-214-194
C4.07 -EGS Education Theme: Comprehensive course about...	38-51-60
C4.03 -Managing glaucoma in the low and middle income populations	11-14-15
C4.08 -Instructional Course Quality of life in glaucoma	20-23-23
C4.01 - Clinical skills: Optic disc	57-95-103

Meeting Rooms attendance

Courses	May 21 – 15.45-16.45
C5.07 - Tandem course: Matching clinic and research	12-19-15
C5.05 - Surgical challenges (interactive discussion)	146-207-192
C5.01 - Clinical skills: IOP (basic)	29-35-38
C5.03 - Managing secondary glaucomas	118-149-149
C5.02 - Managing angle-closure	130-150-149
C5.08 - EGS Scientific Committee: Genetics...	12-18-21
C5.04 - Surgery: tubes (basic)	63-45-45
C5.06 - EGS Scientific Committee: How to design your RCT in glaucoma	24-37-41

Meeting Rooms attendance

Courses	May 22 – 8.30.9.30
C6.05 - EGS Education Theme: Comprehensive course in OCT...	95-142-138
C6.04 - Surgery: Phaco as IOP lowering procedure	16-43-41
C6.03 - Surgery: Managing complications after trabeculectomy	40-97-110
C6.07 - Cyclodestruction: safe surgery or last resort?	40-42-45
C6.08 - Adherence in glaucoma: are we making progress?	5-7-11
C6.01 -Tips&tricks: How to make the most out of your patient's VF	29-57-61
C6.02 - Pros&cons: Virtual clinics	14-26-30
C6.06 - EGS Education Theme: How to implement EGS curriculum...	9-11-10

UEMS and EBO credits

Number of UEMS credits

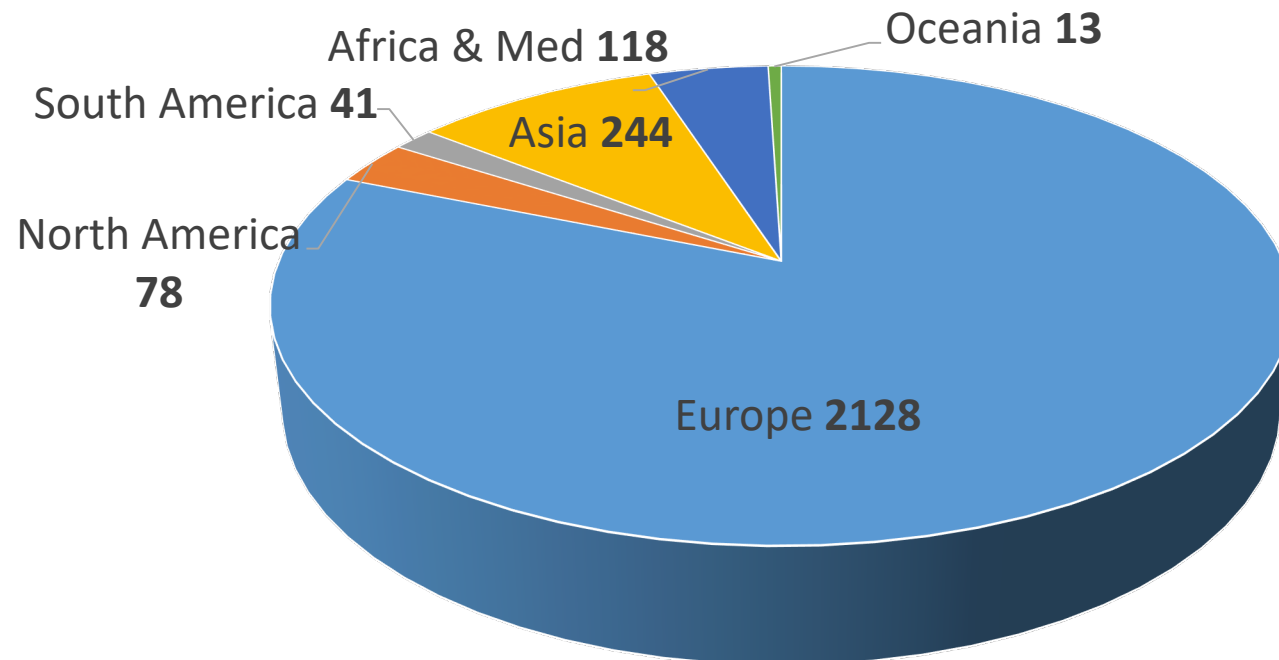
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Number of EBO accredited Courses

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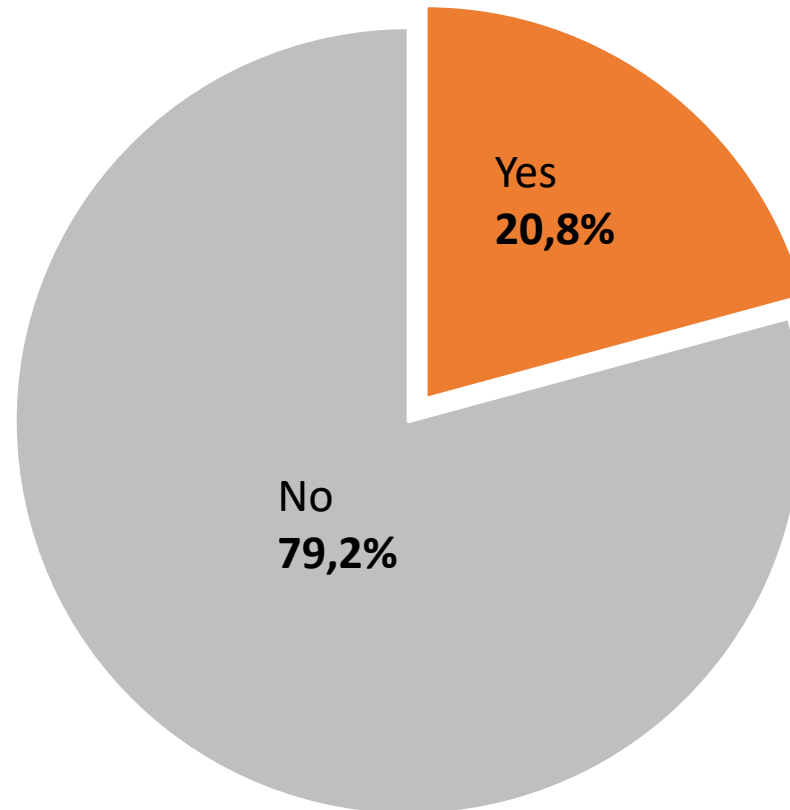
How useful for your professional activity did you find this event?	Extremely useful 120	Useful 207	Fairly Useful 33	Not useful 2	
Did the event fulfil your educational goals and expected learning outcomes?	Very much 192	Somewh at 158	Not much 9	Not at all 1	Undecided 2
Was there adequate time available for discussions, question & answers and learner engagement?	Yes always 186	Yes, sometimes 168	Only rarely 6	Never 0	Undecided 2
Did all the faculty members provide their potential conflict of interest declaration with the sponsor(s) as a second slide of their presentation?	Yes, all 192	Yes, the majority 127	Yes, but a small part 11	No 17	Undecided/Dont' know 15

Participants 2622 from 87 Countries



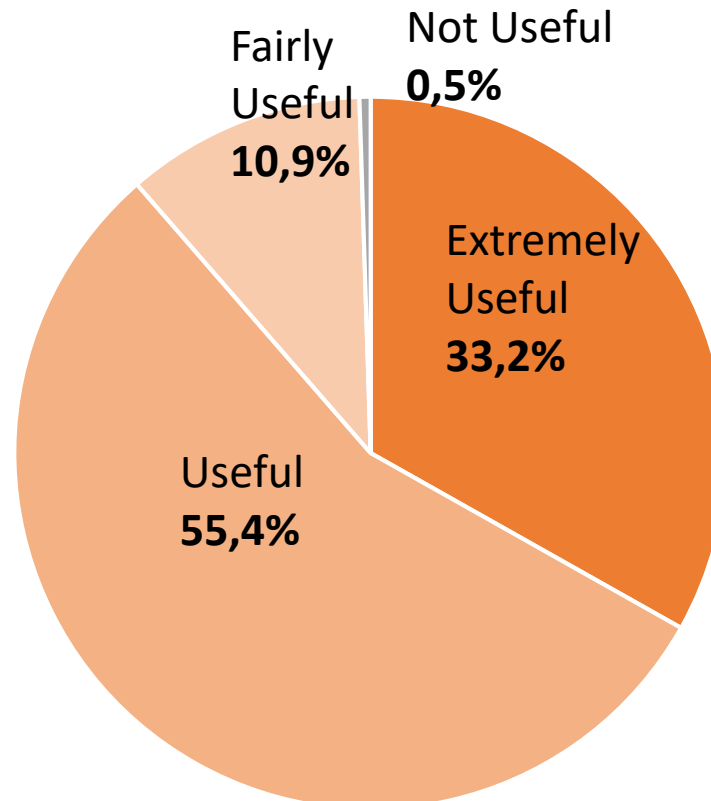
Congress Evaluation

Are you a member of the EGS?



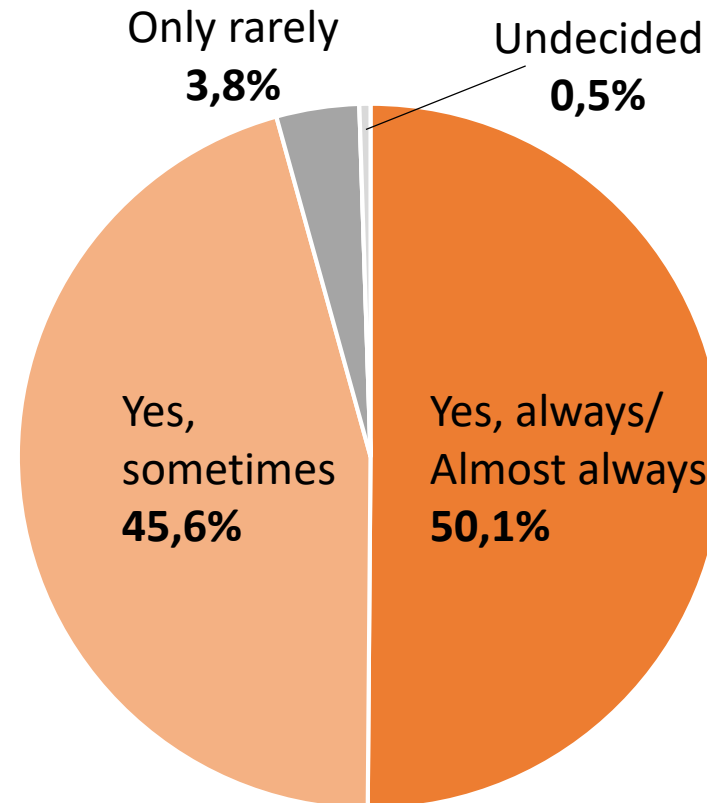
Congress Evaluation- Quality of the event

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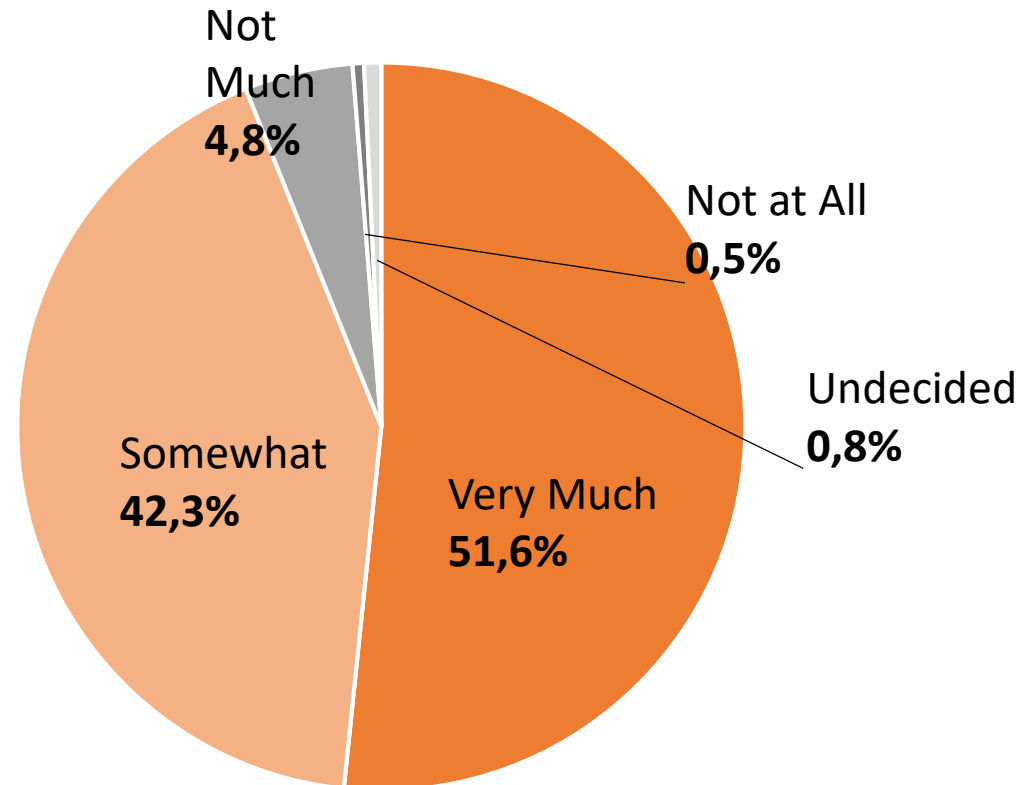
Congress Evaluation – Suitability of formats

Was there adequate time available for discussions, question & answers and learner engagement?



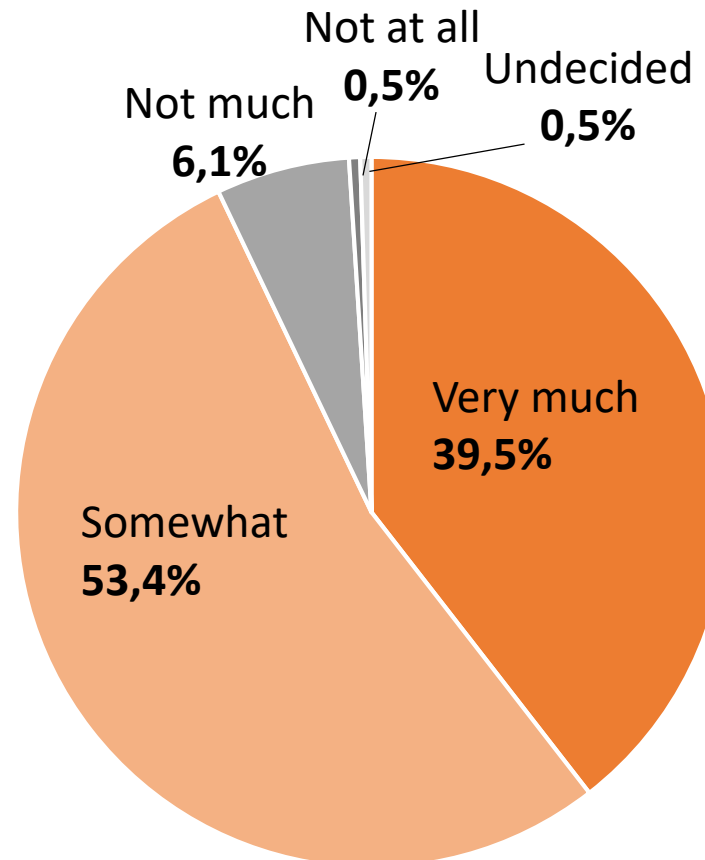
Congress Evaluation – Relevance of the event

Did the event fulfil your educational goals
and expected learning outcomes?



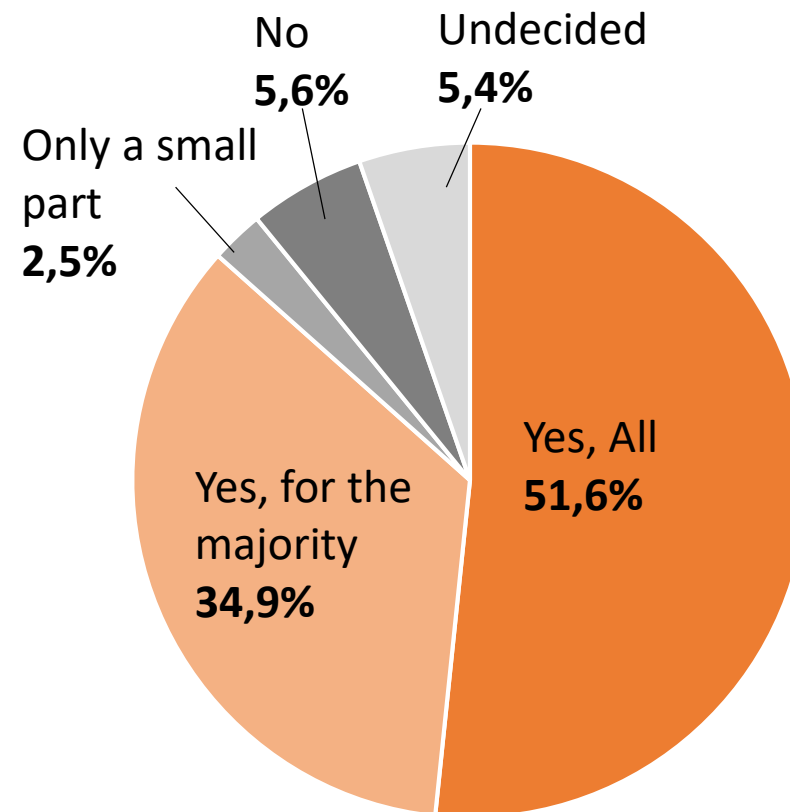
Congress Evaluation – Ways the event affect clinical practice

Will the information you learnt be implemented in your practice?

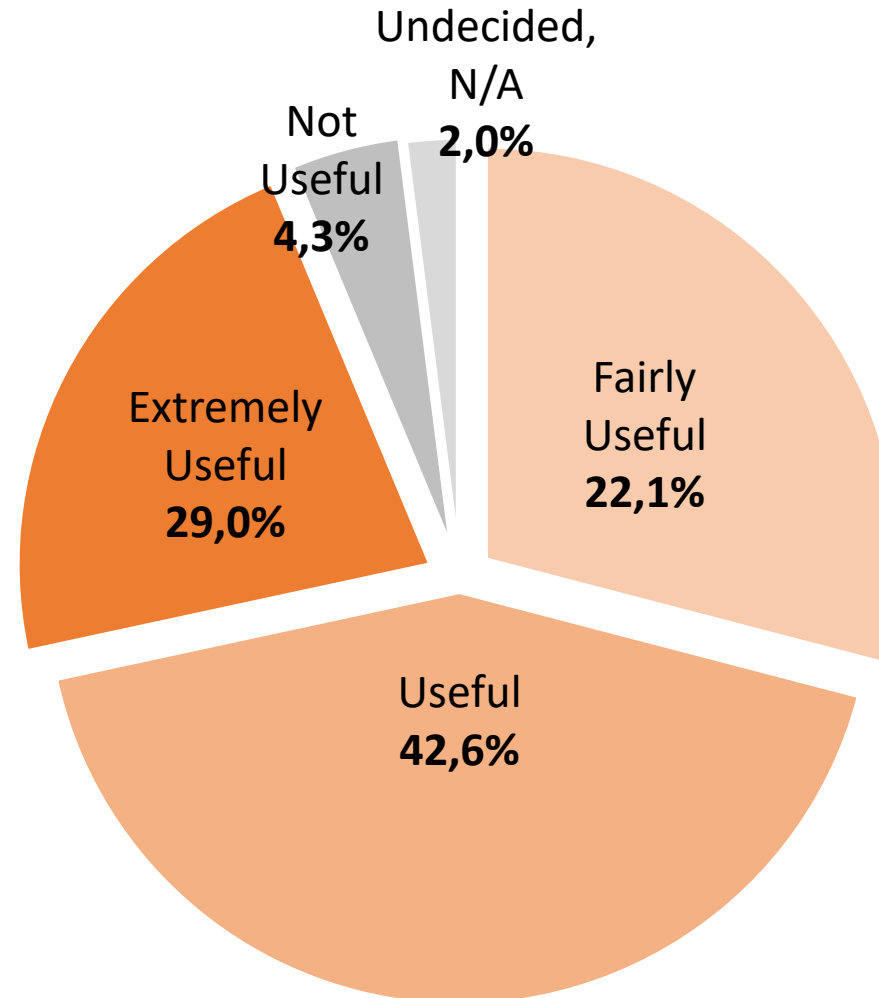


Congress Evaluation – Commercial bias

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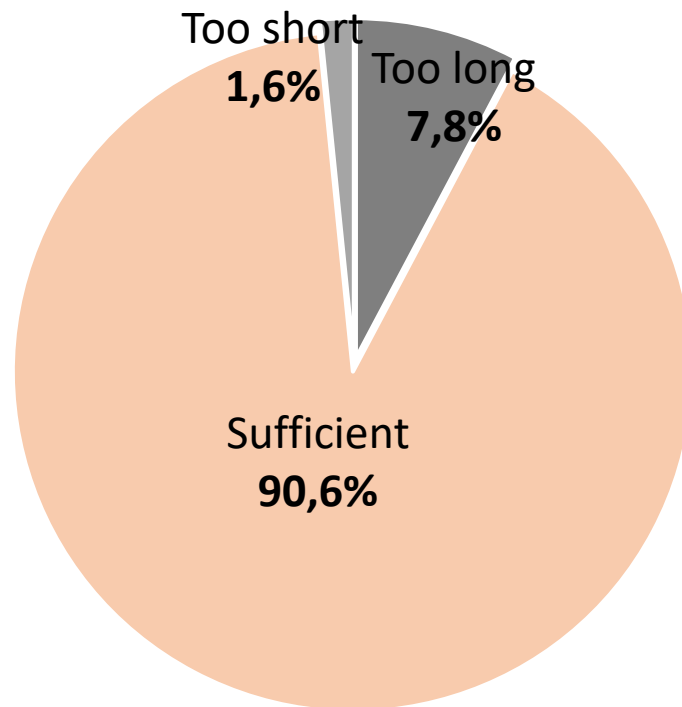


Average session evaluation

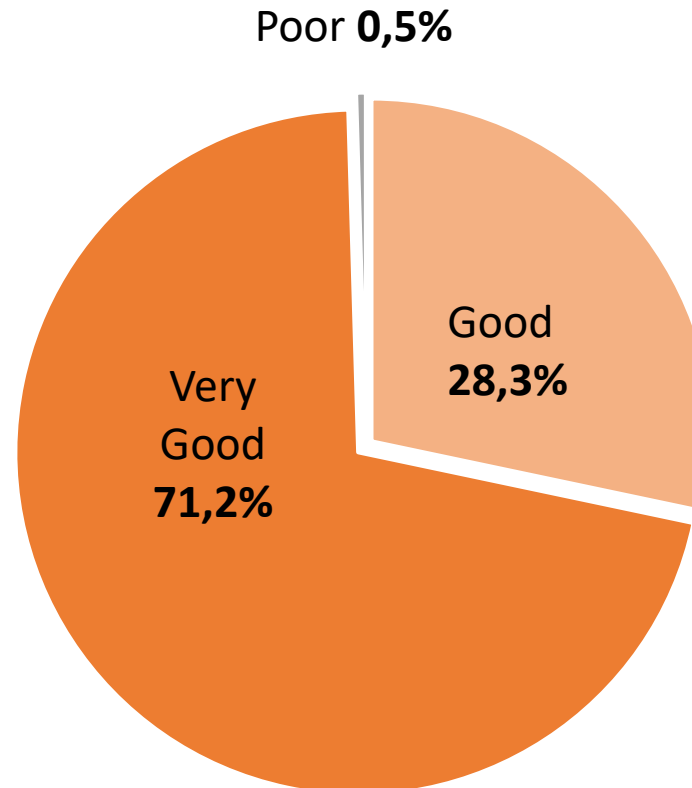


Participants Survey

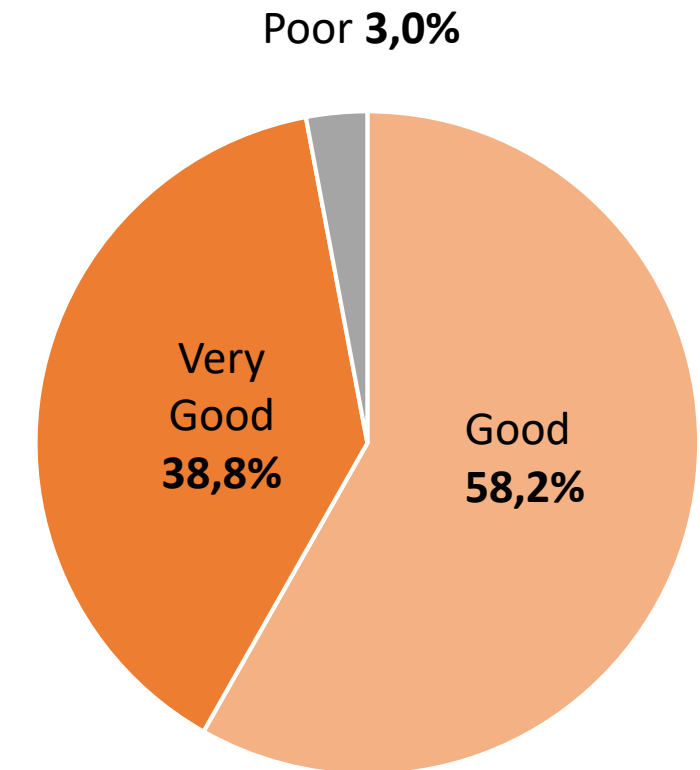
How would you rate the length of this meeting



City selection



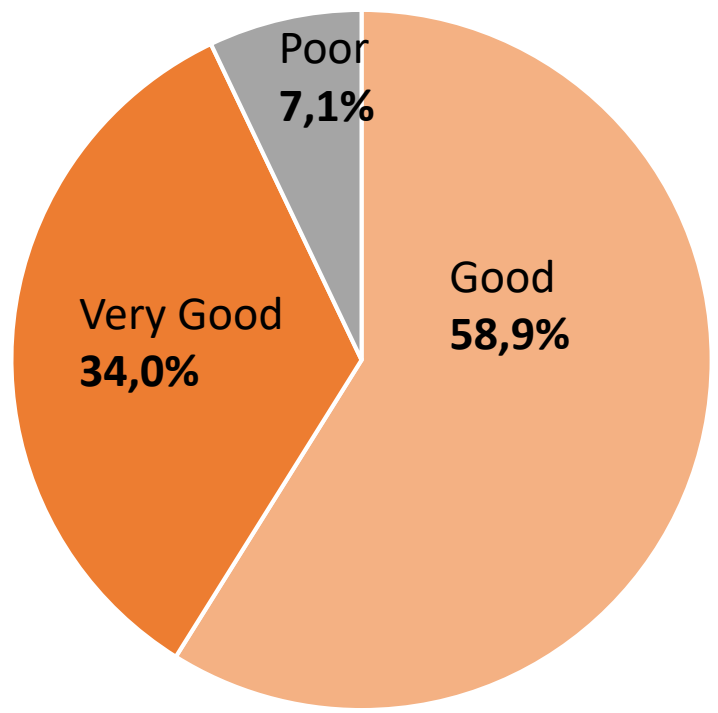
Conference Center



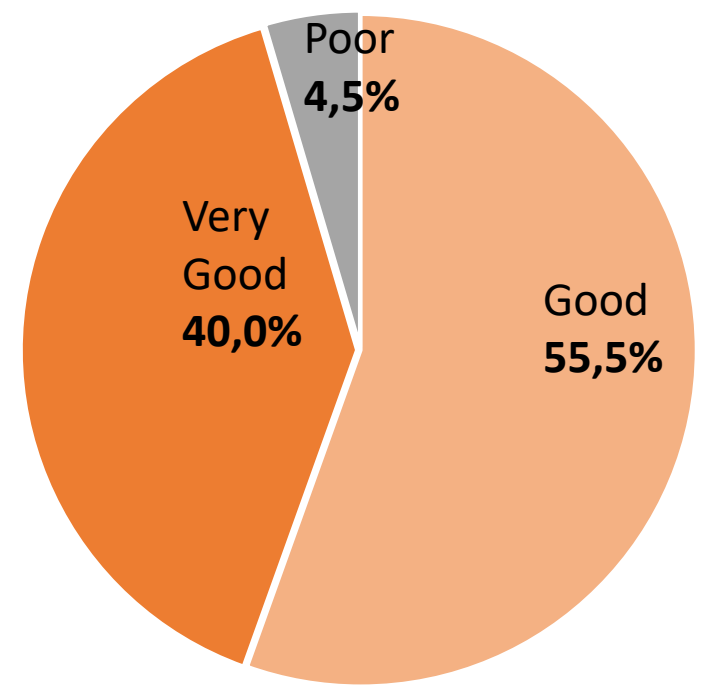


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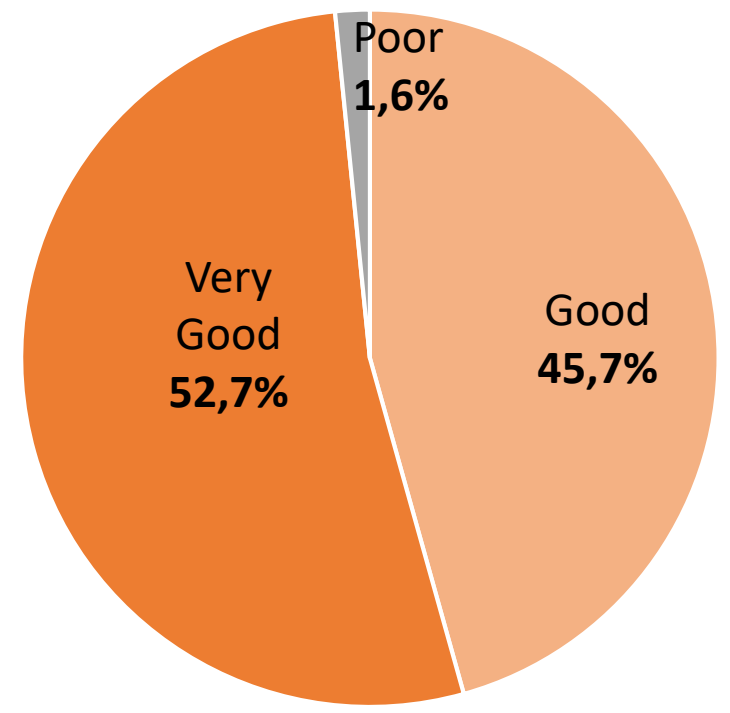
Catering



Room Temperature

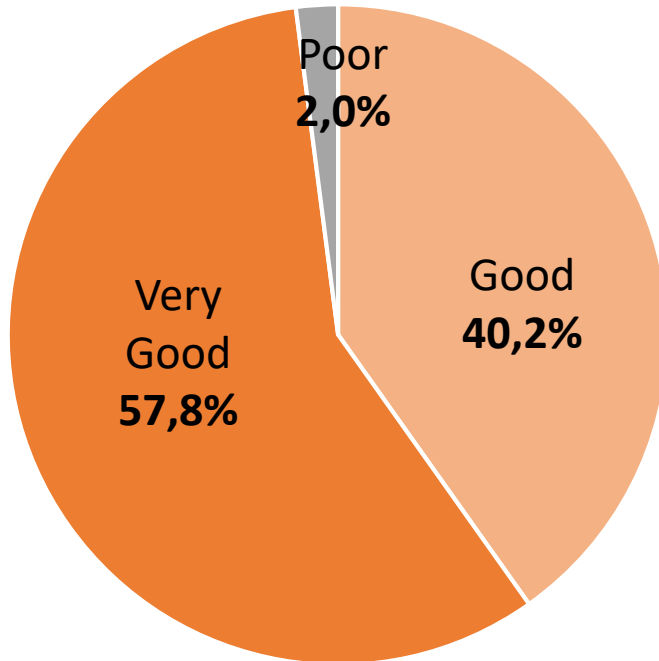


Finding your way

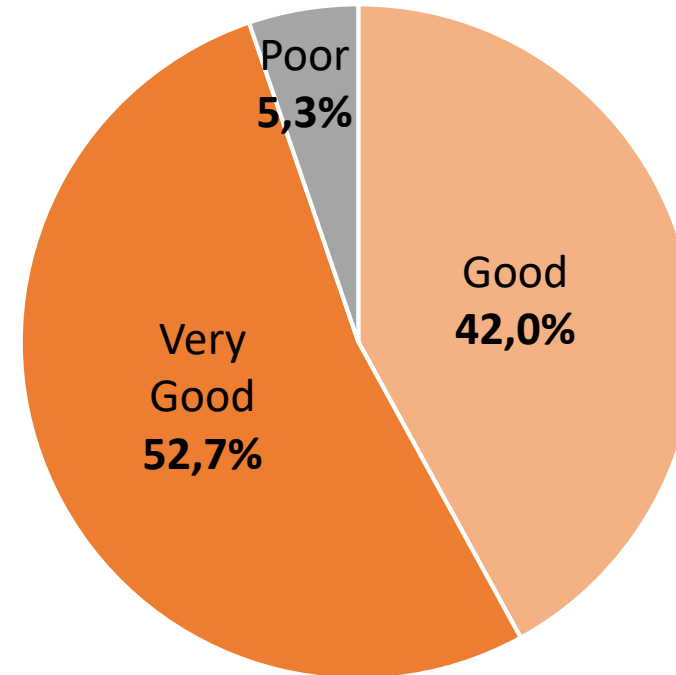


Participants Survey

Visibility



Sound



Comments

Question	Answers
If this activity was not useful, please explain why (9 comments)	Too few practical tips, commercial speeches, no new subjects
What was the best aspect of this event? (148 comments)	Networking, content, organization, timing, the city, great speakers, high level, innovation
What was the worst aspect of this events?	No live surgery, no videos, too many courses in parallel, too expensive, too much badge scanning, the weather,
Can you indicate any innovative elements during the activity?	App, interactive questions, live polls
Can you provide ONE example how this event will influence your future practice?	Better diagnosis, better interpretation of data, better approach to management
Can you provide an example of biased presentation in this activity?	Lunch symposia, sponsored talks

Suggestions and hints

More compact schedule	Less badge scanning
More emphasis to the posters	Dry/wet labs
Add short oral presentations	All courses available online
More surgery	More up to date diagnostics