

# Survey of Cuban and Cuban American Resident Adults in Miami-Dade and Broward

September, 2006



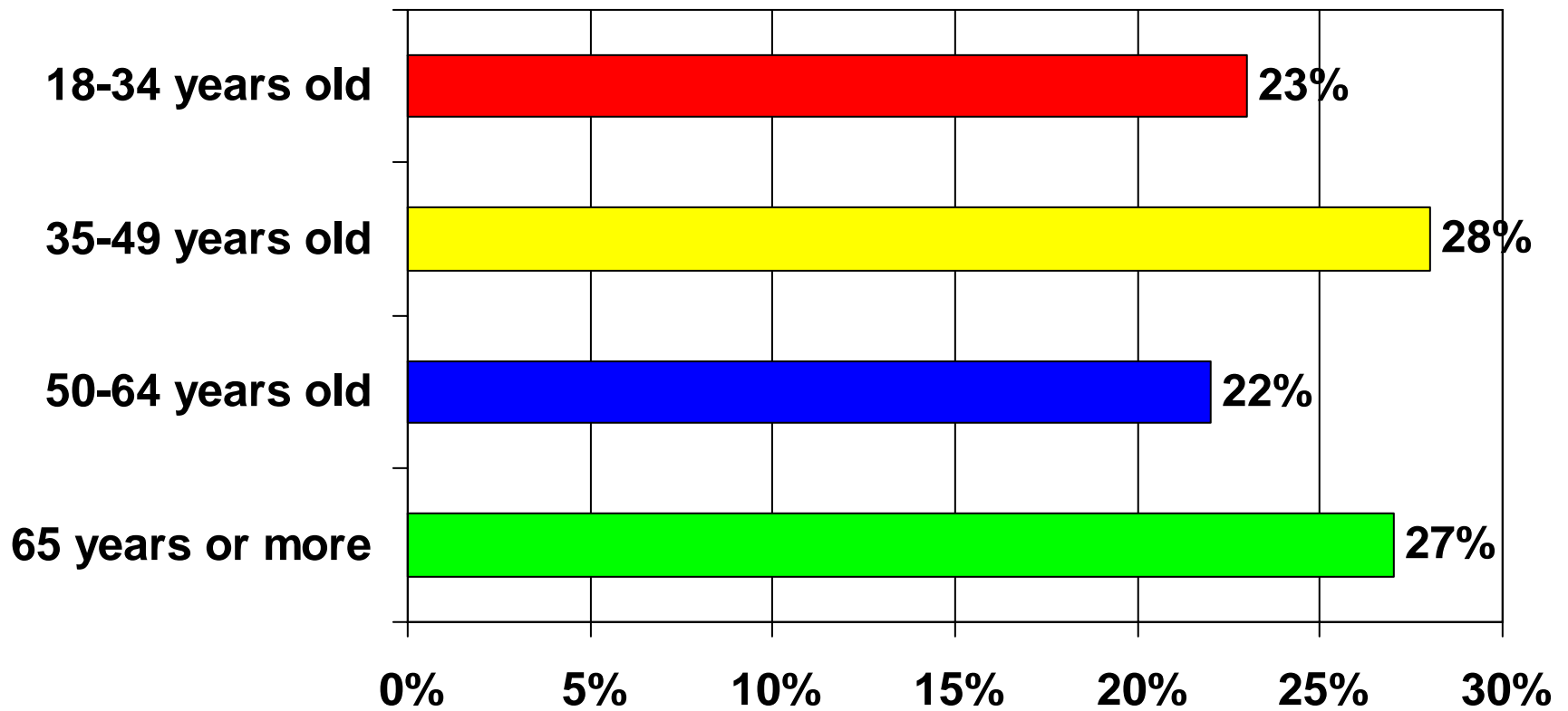


# Methodology

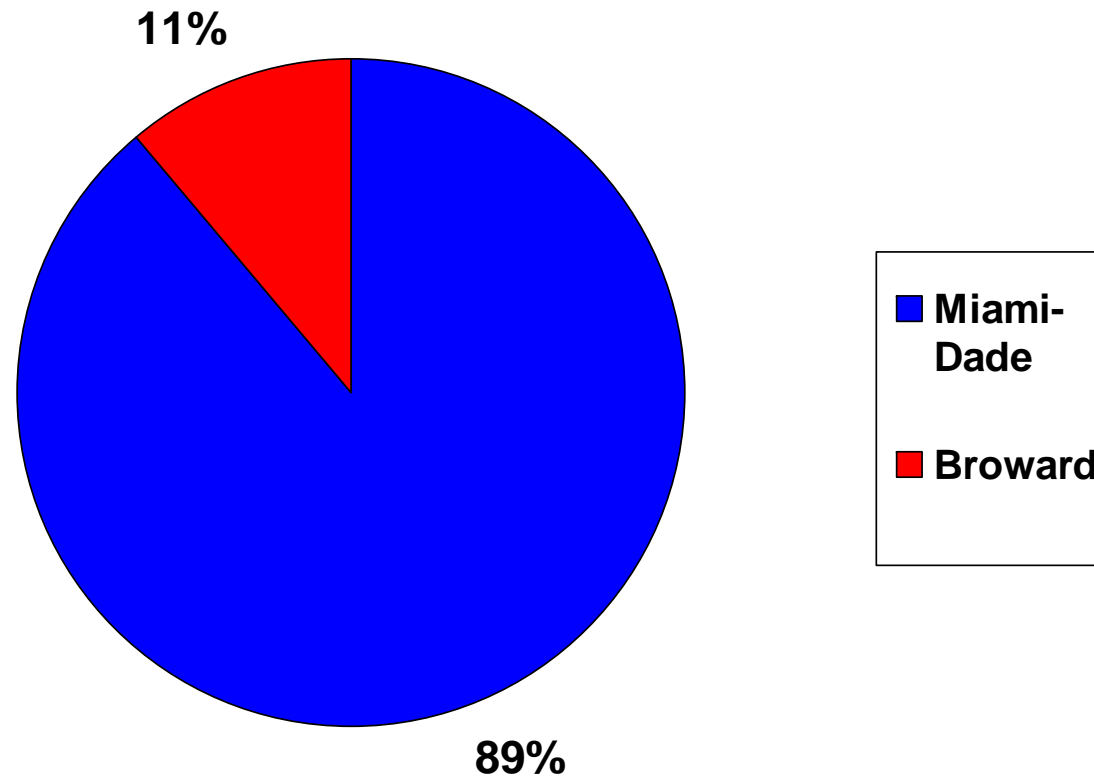
<i>Sample size</i>	600 Cuban and Cuban American adults in Miami-Dade and Broward counties
<i>Dates of interviews</i>	September 14-20, 2006
<i>Margin of error</i>	4 percentage points
<i>Languages of interviews</i>	English, Spanish



# Age

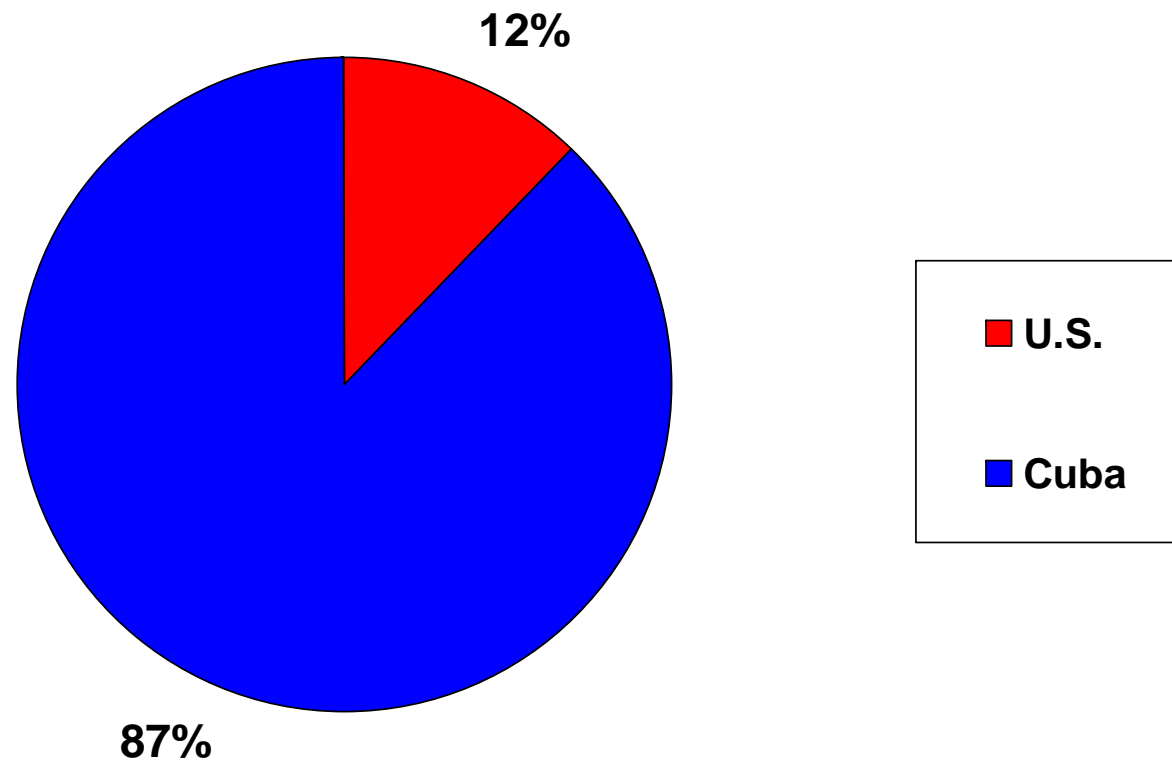


# Are you a resident of Miami Dade County or Broward County?

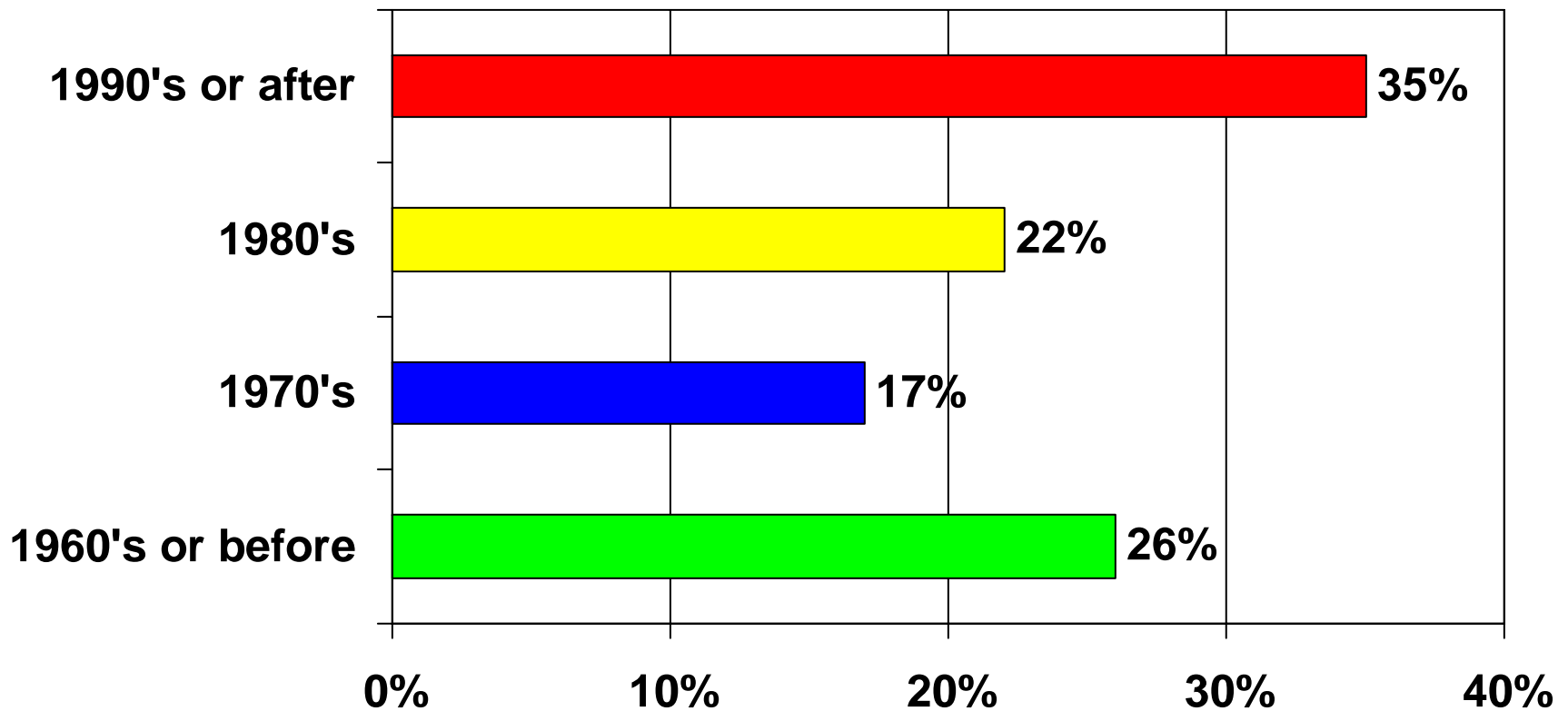




# Country of Birth

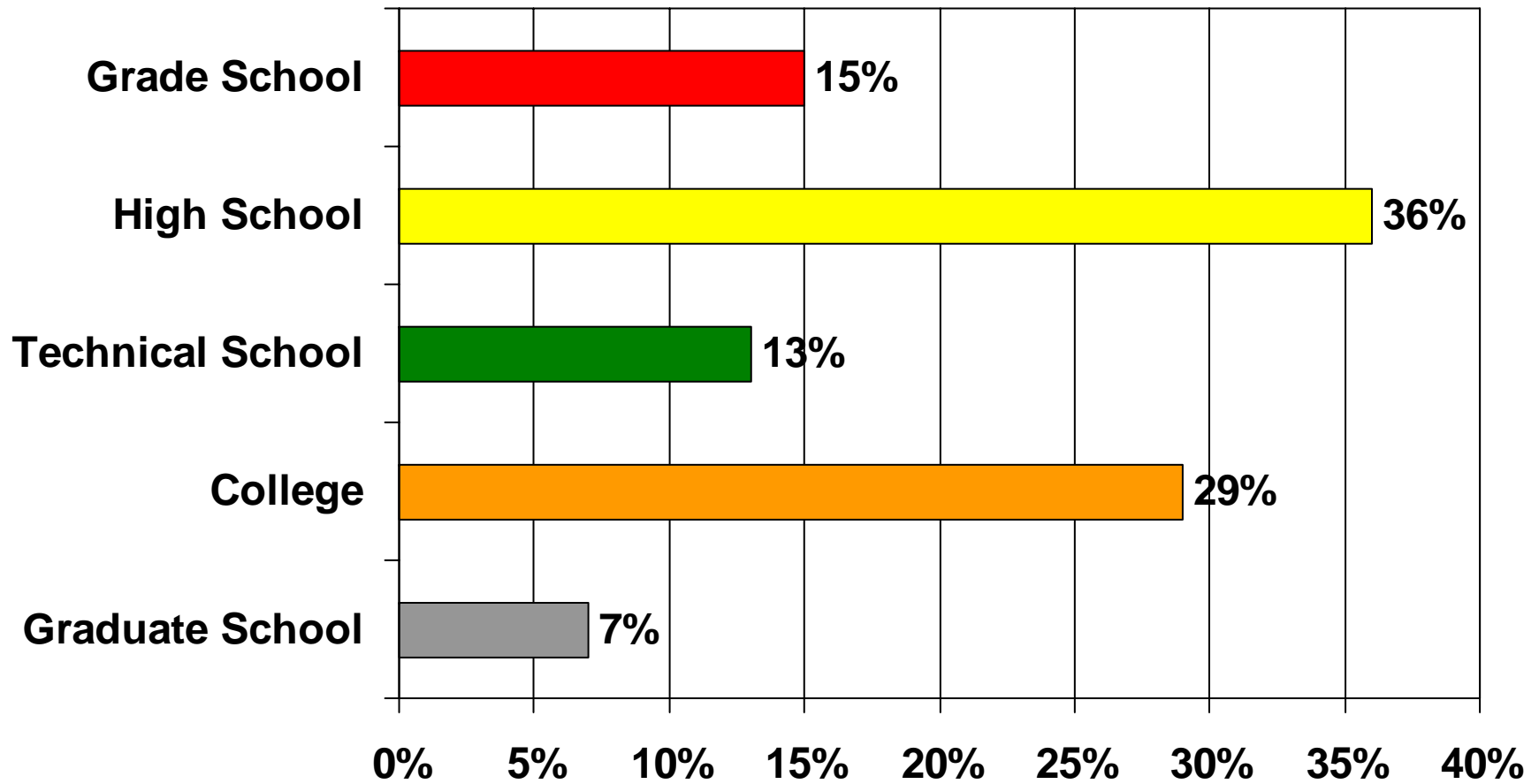


# In what year did you arrive in the United States?



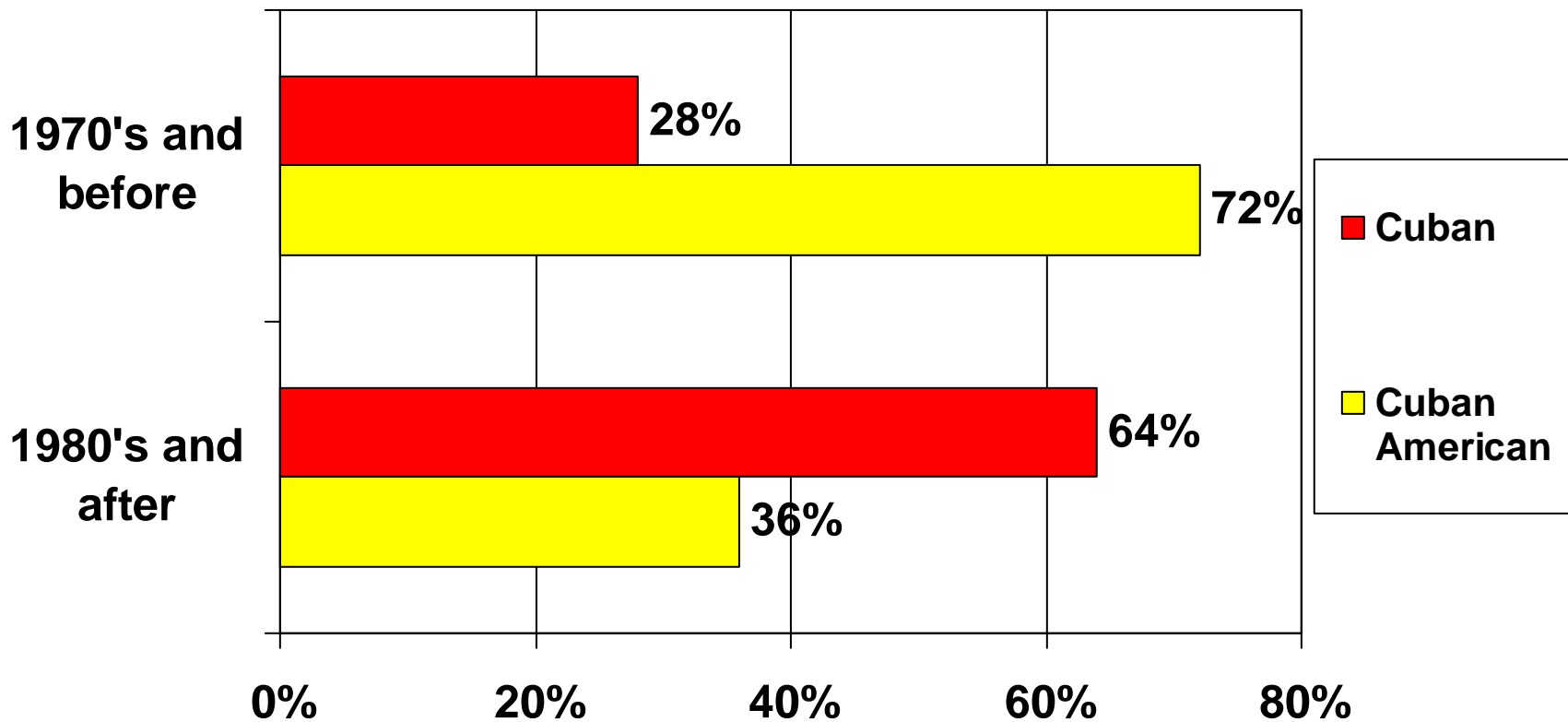


# Education

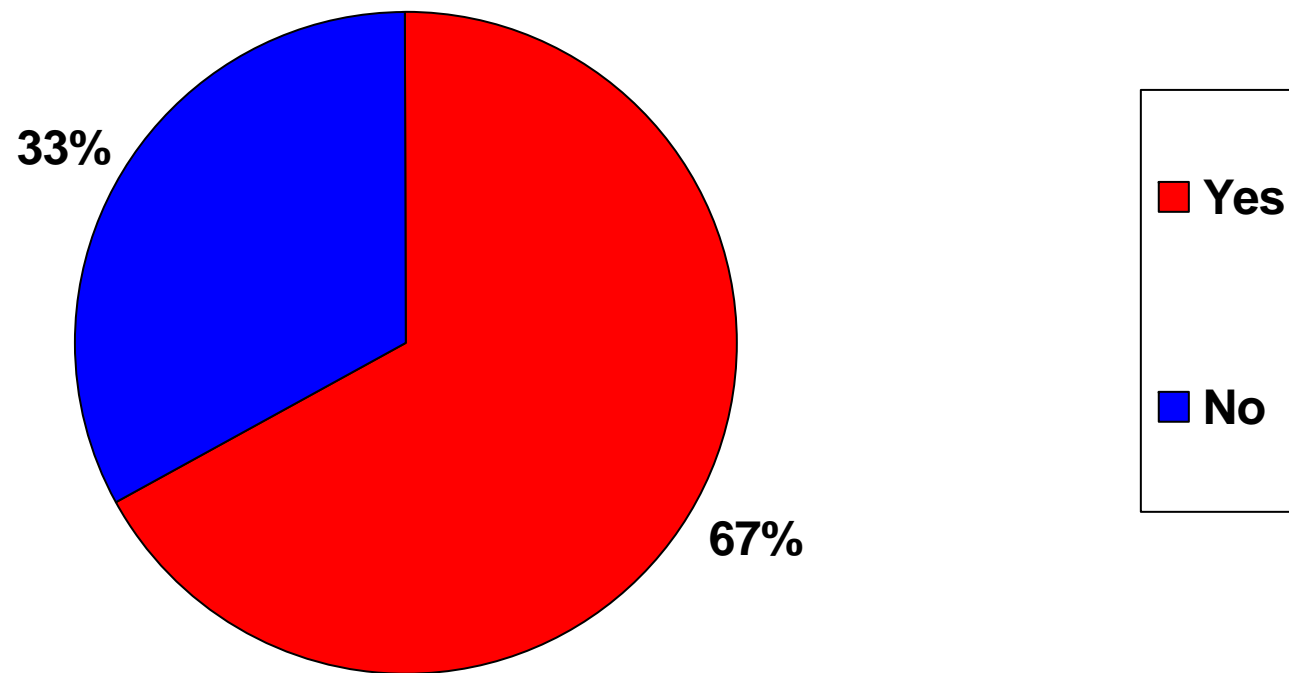


# Do you consider yourself Cuban or Cuban American?

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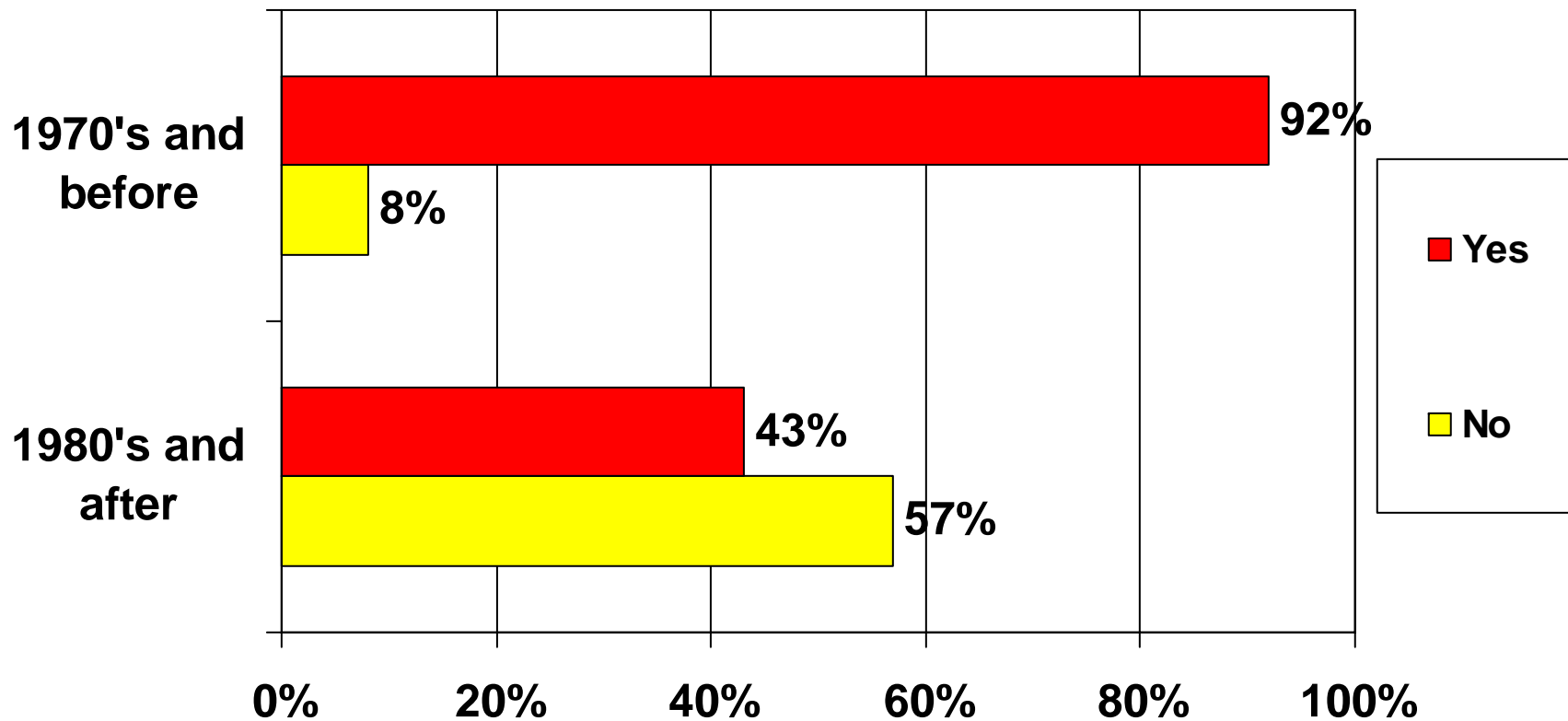


# Are you registered to vote in Miami Dade or Broward?



# Registered to Vote

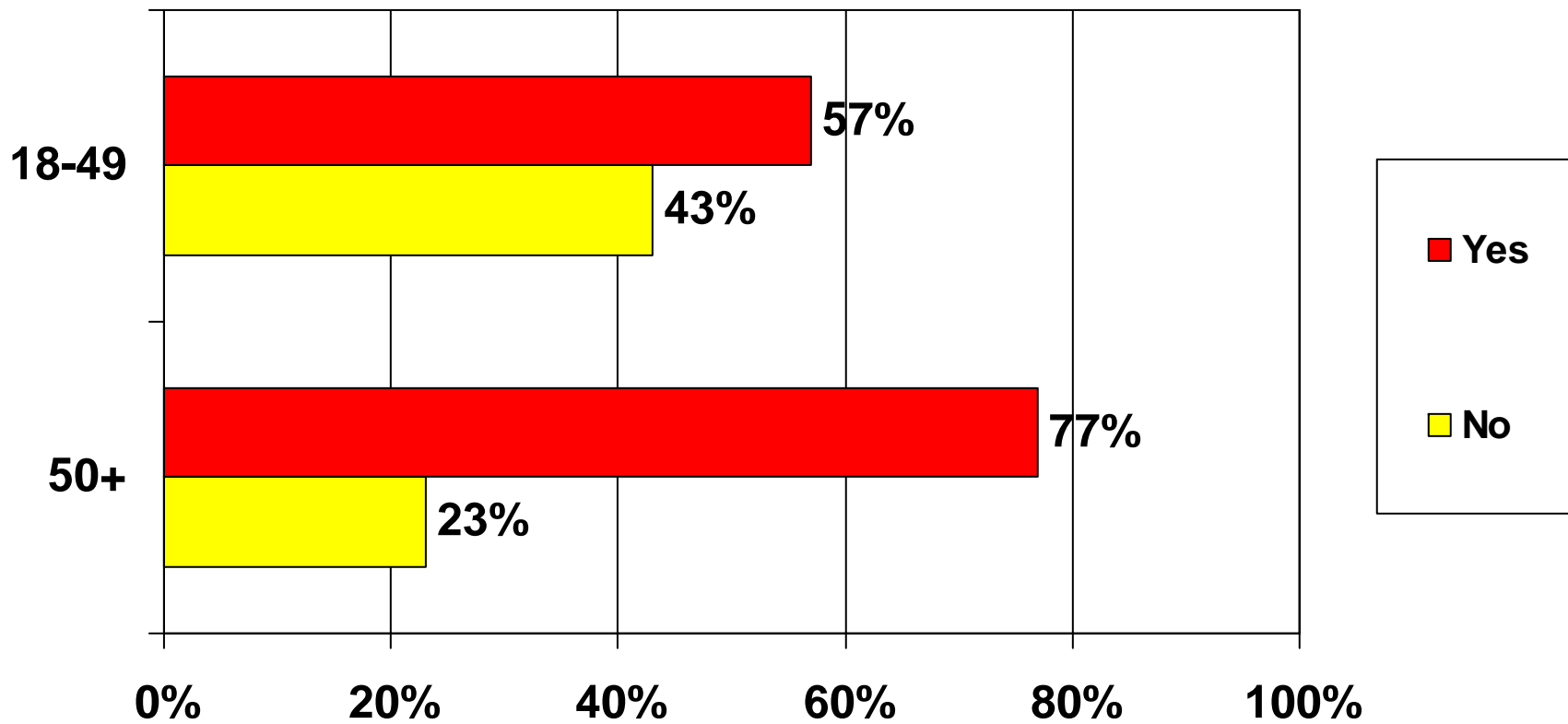
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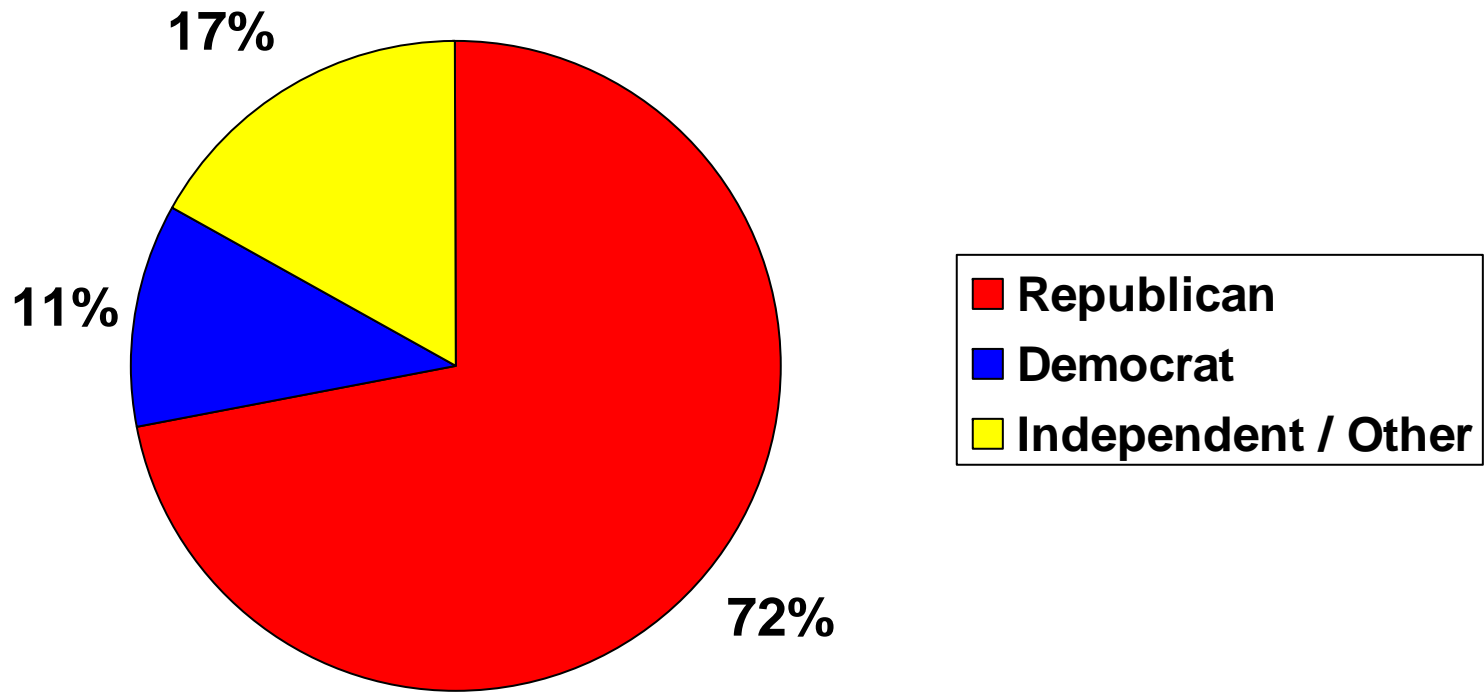


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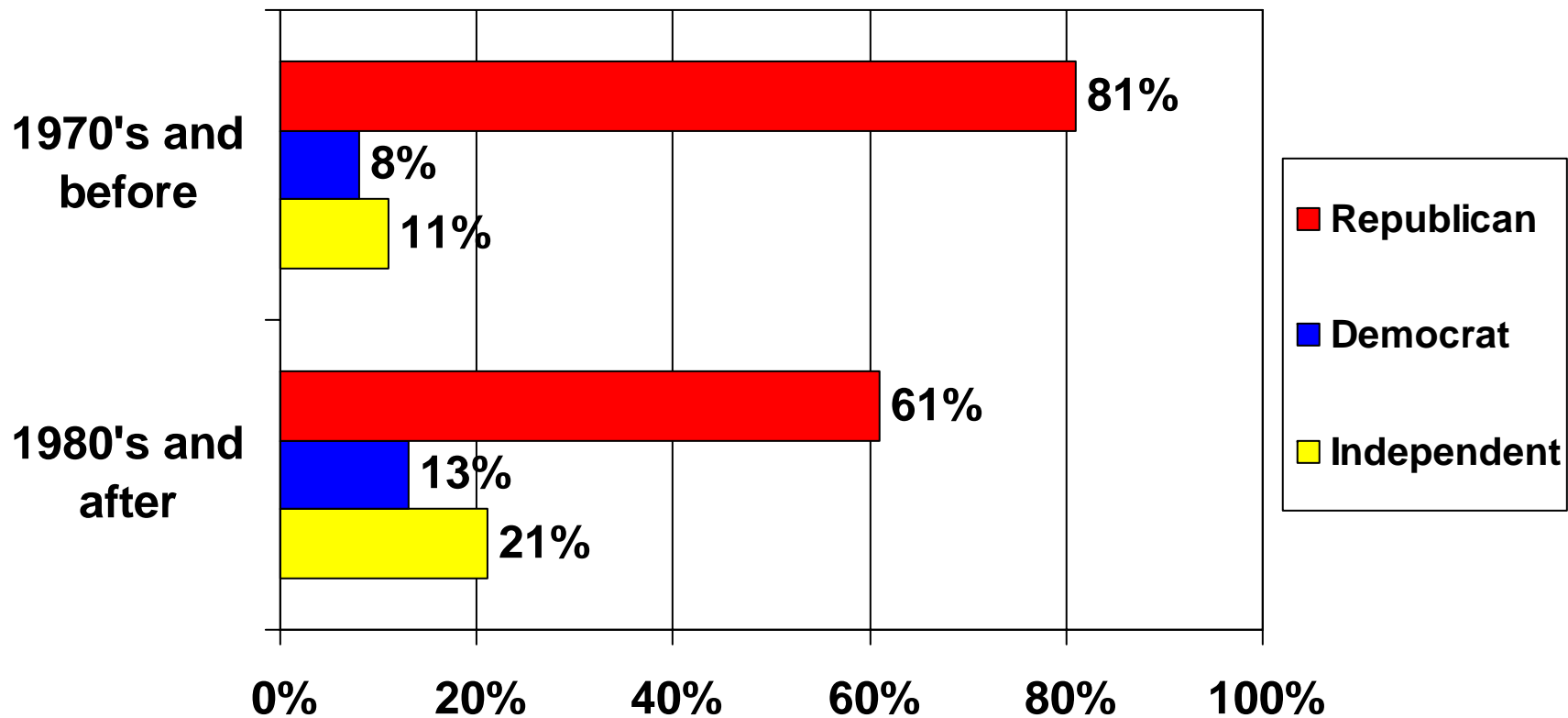


Are you registered as a Republican, as a Democrat, or as Independent?



# Party Registration

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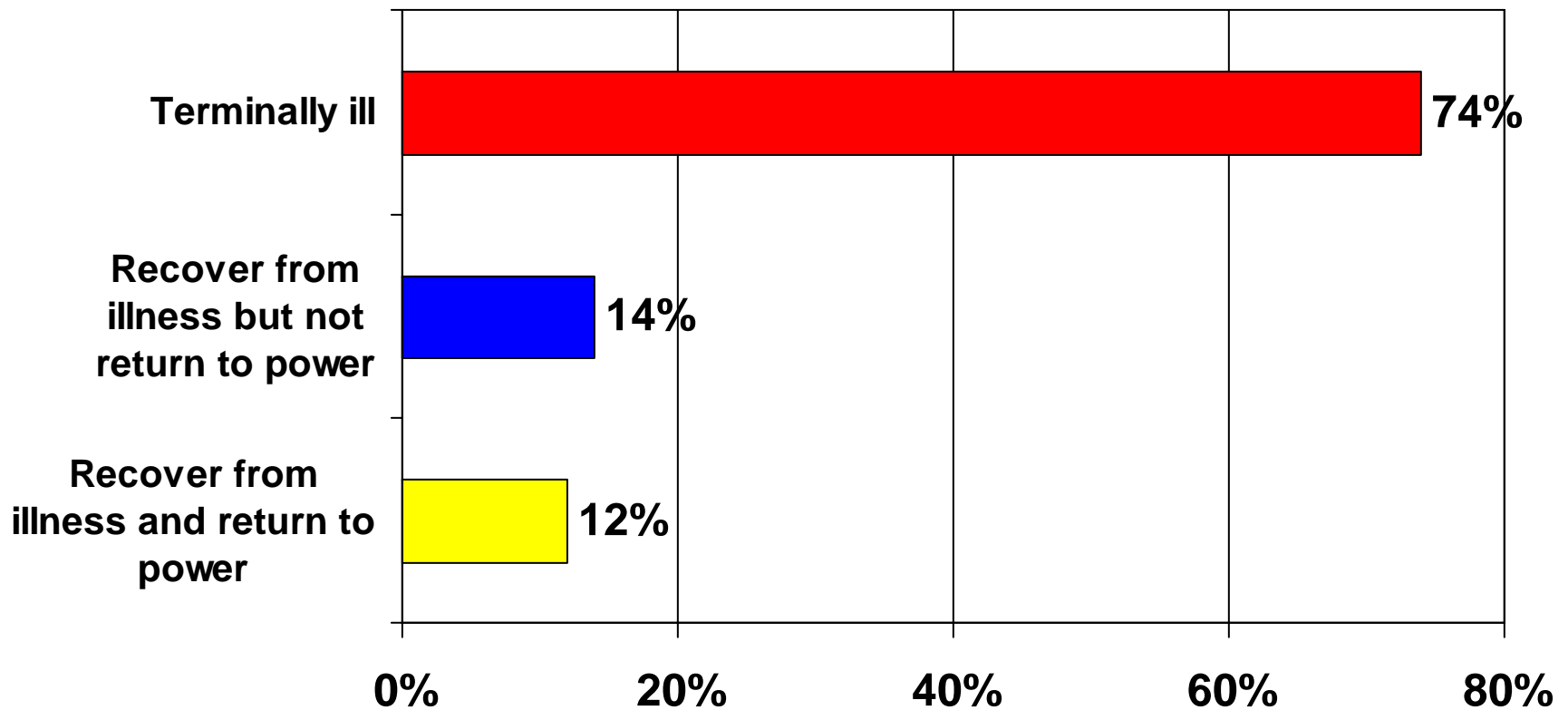


# Fidel Castro

An overwhelming majority of Cubans in South Florida feel that Fidel Castro will never return to power.



# The Political Future of Fidel Castro

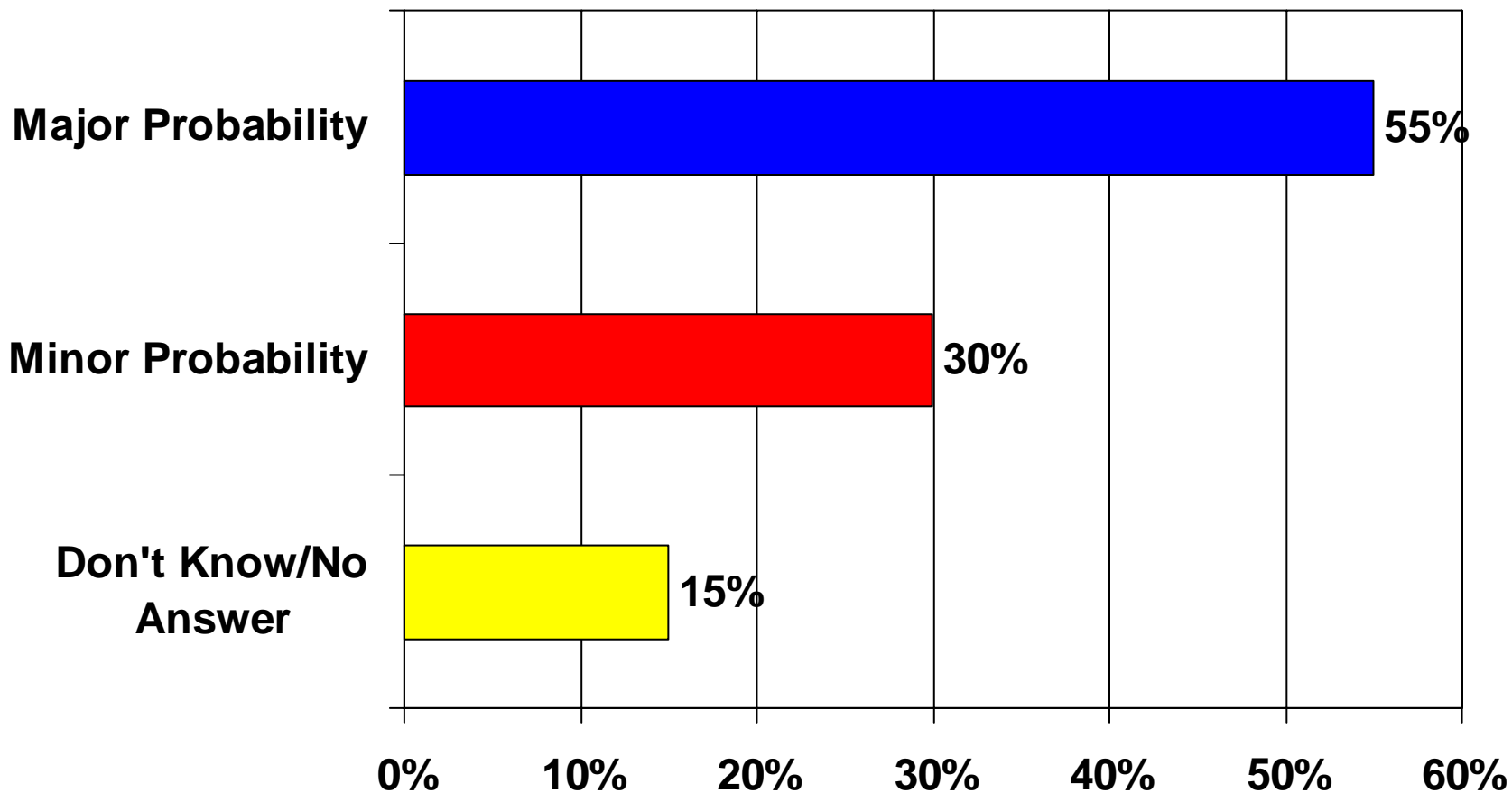




# Political Expectations

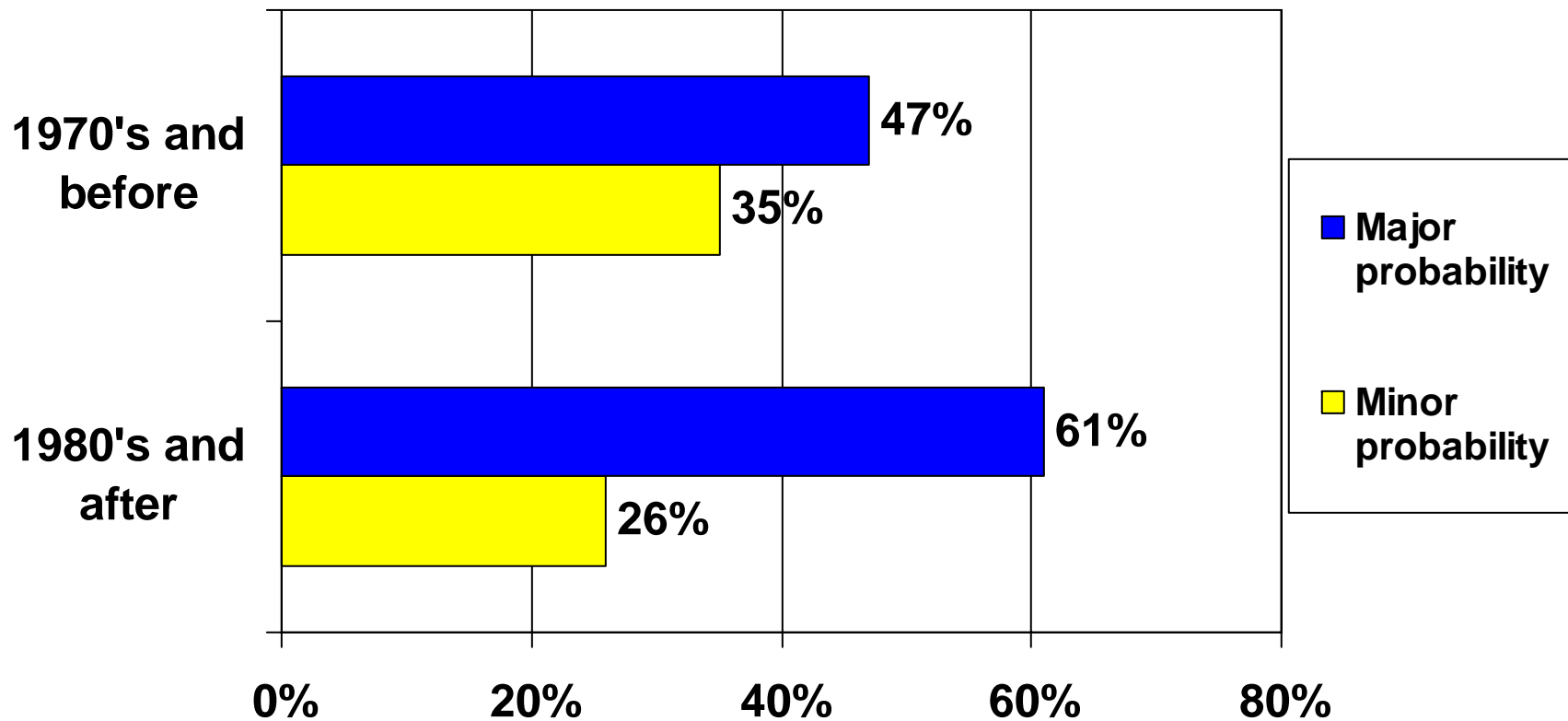
Cubans in South Florida are optimistic about a return to democracy in Cuba – 4 years is the average estimate.

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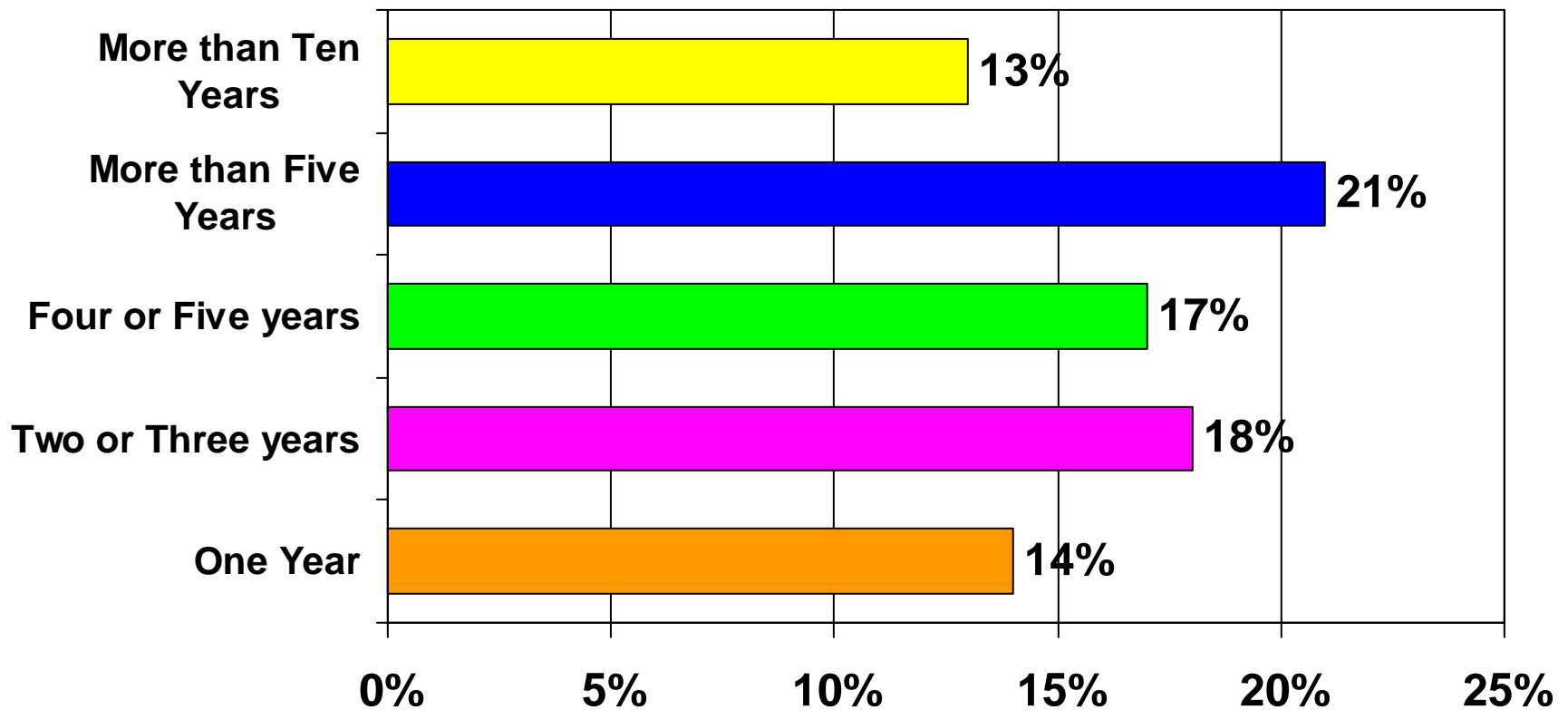


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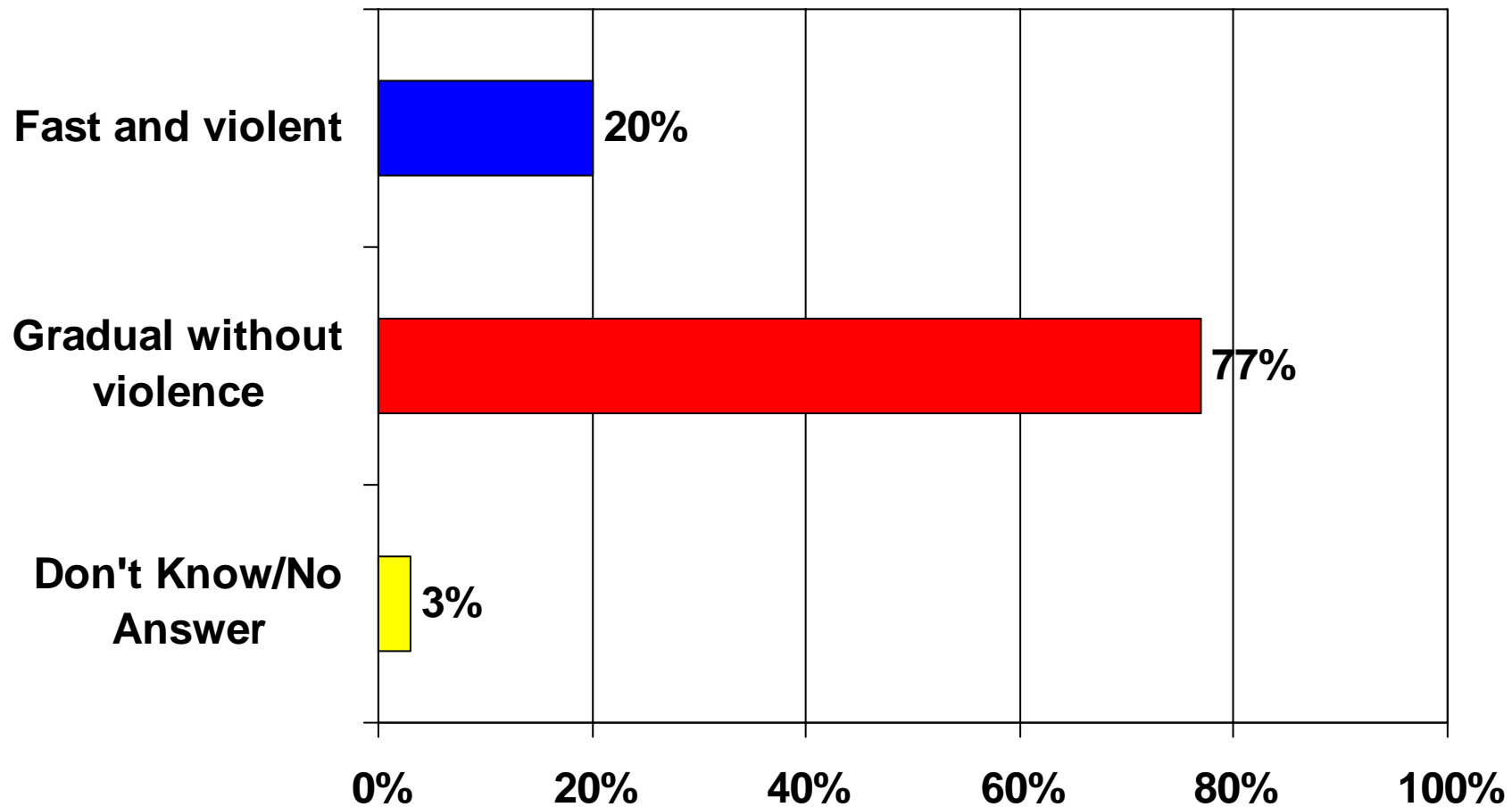


How many years do you think it will take for the democratization and the liberation of Cuba to be established?



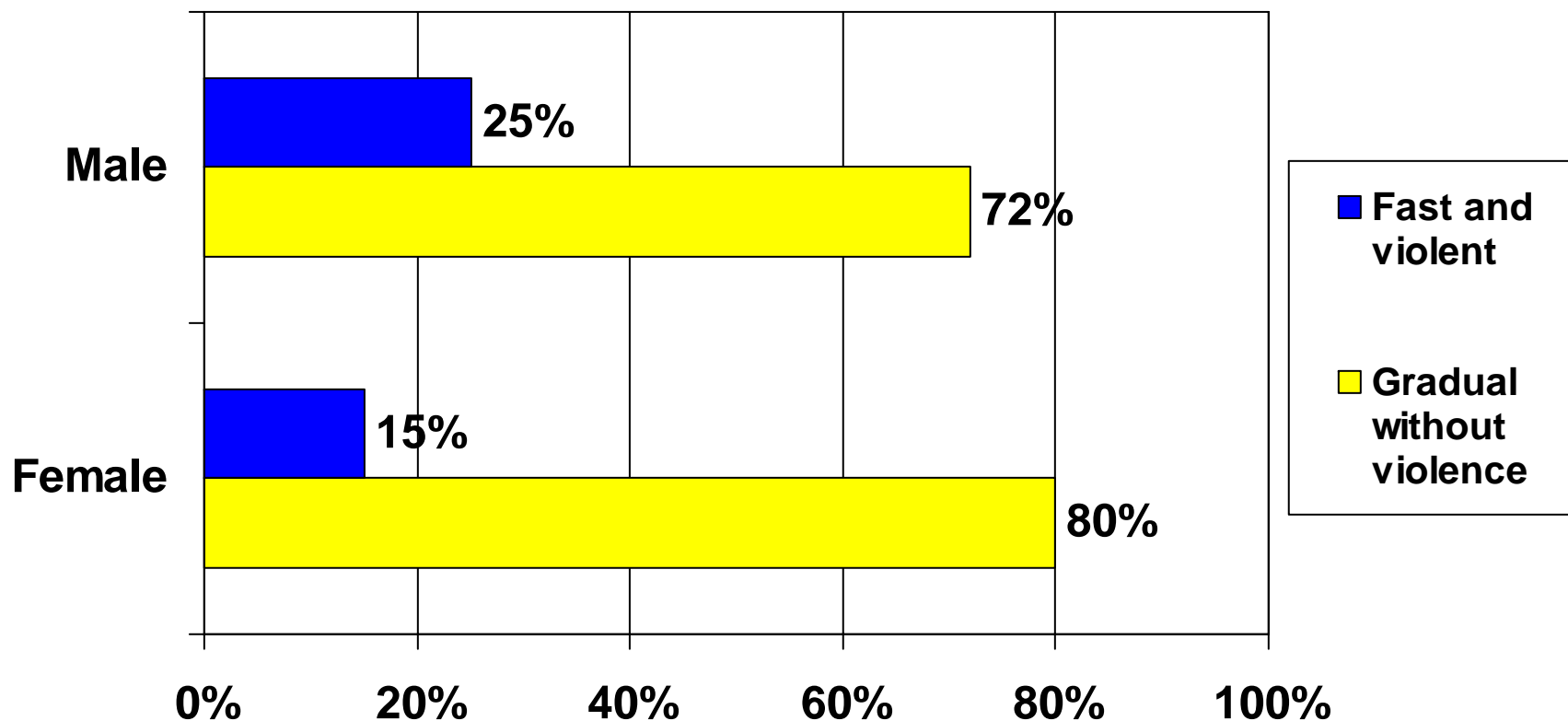
**Average = 4 years**

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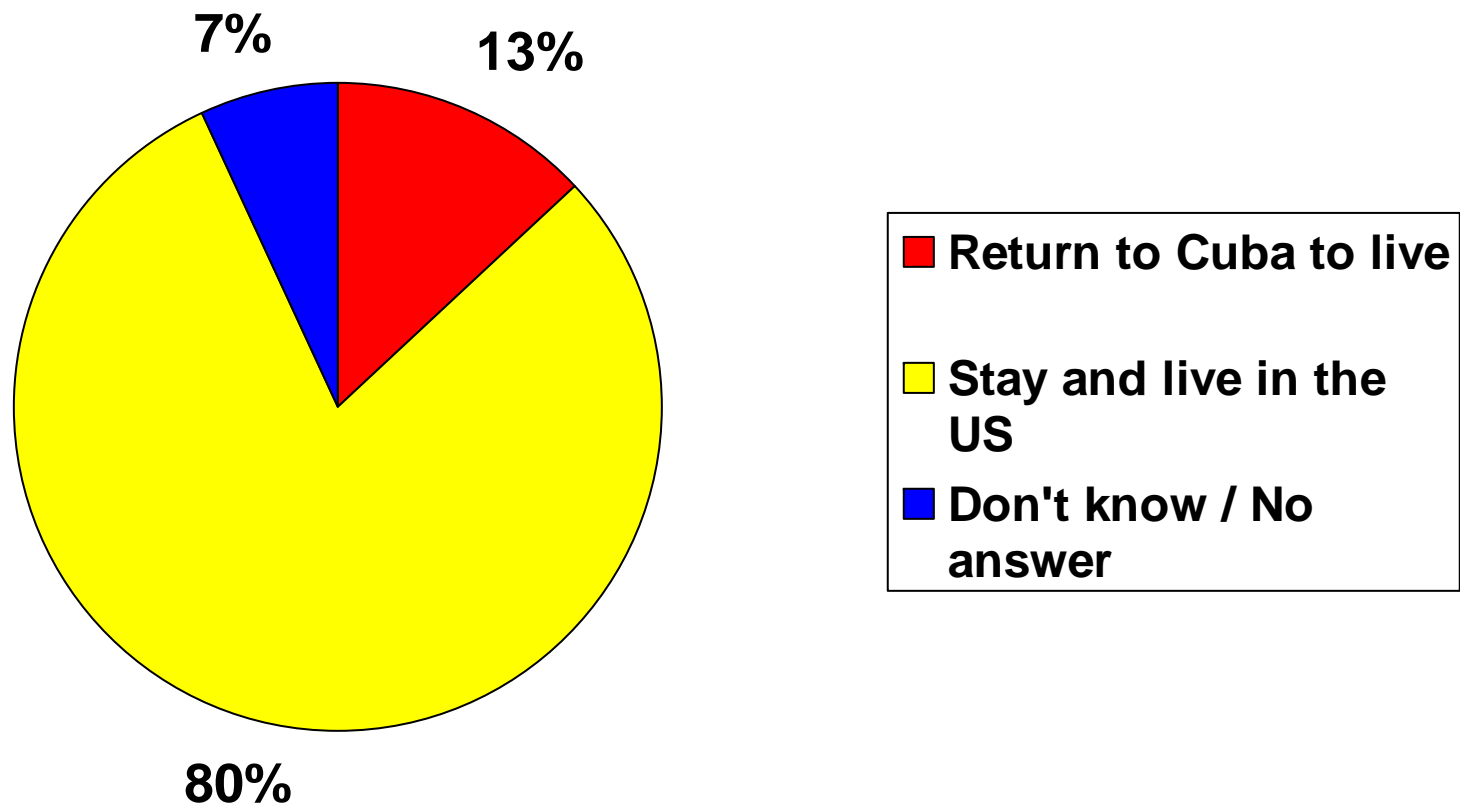


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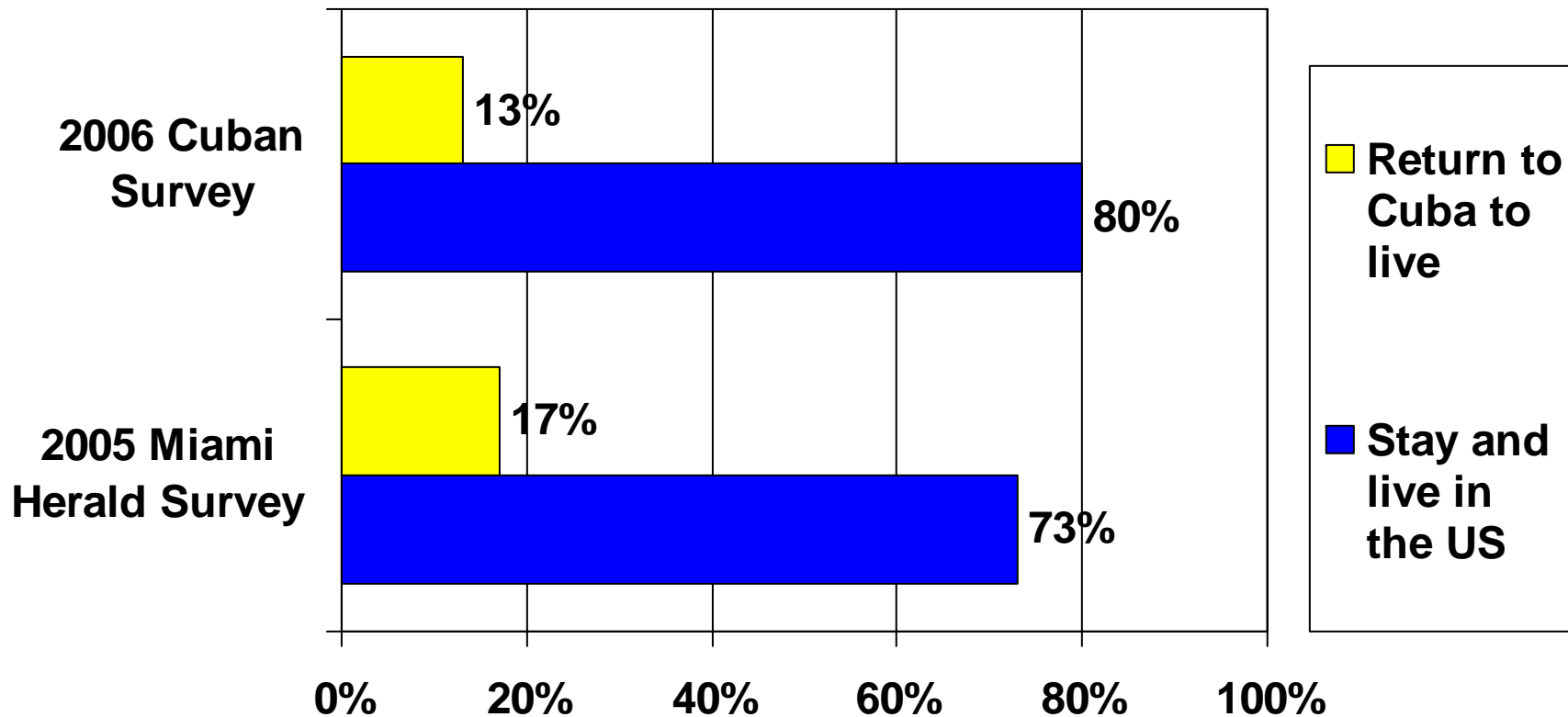
*By Gender*



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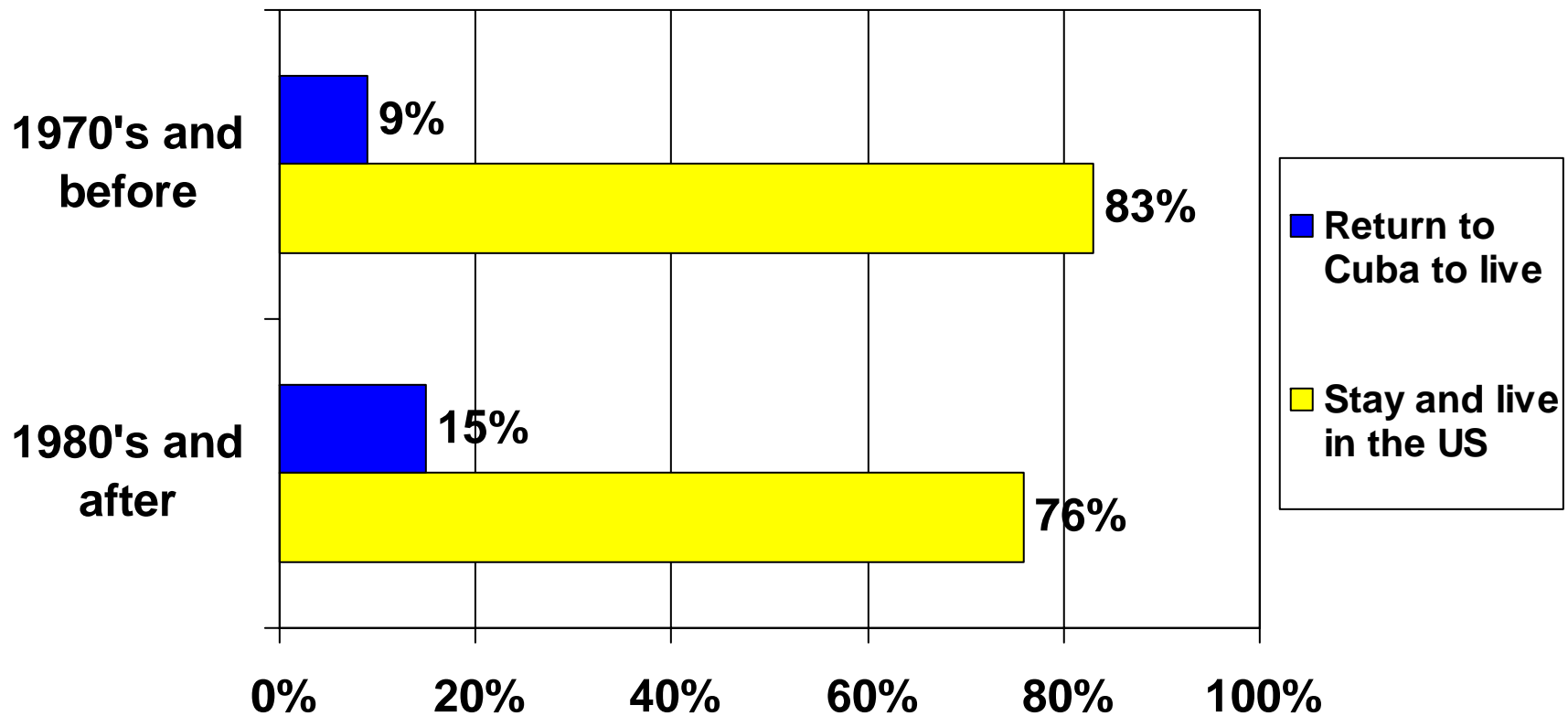


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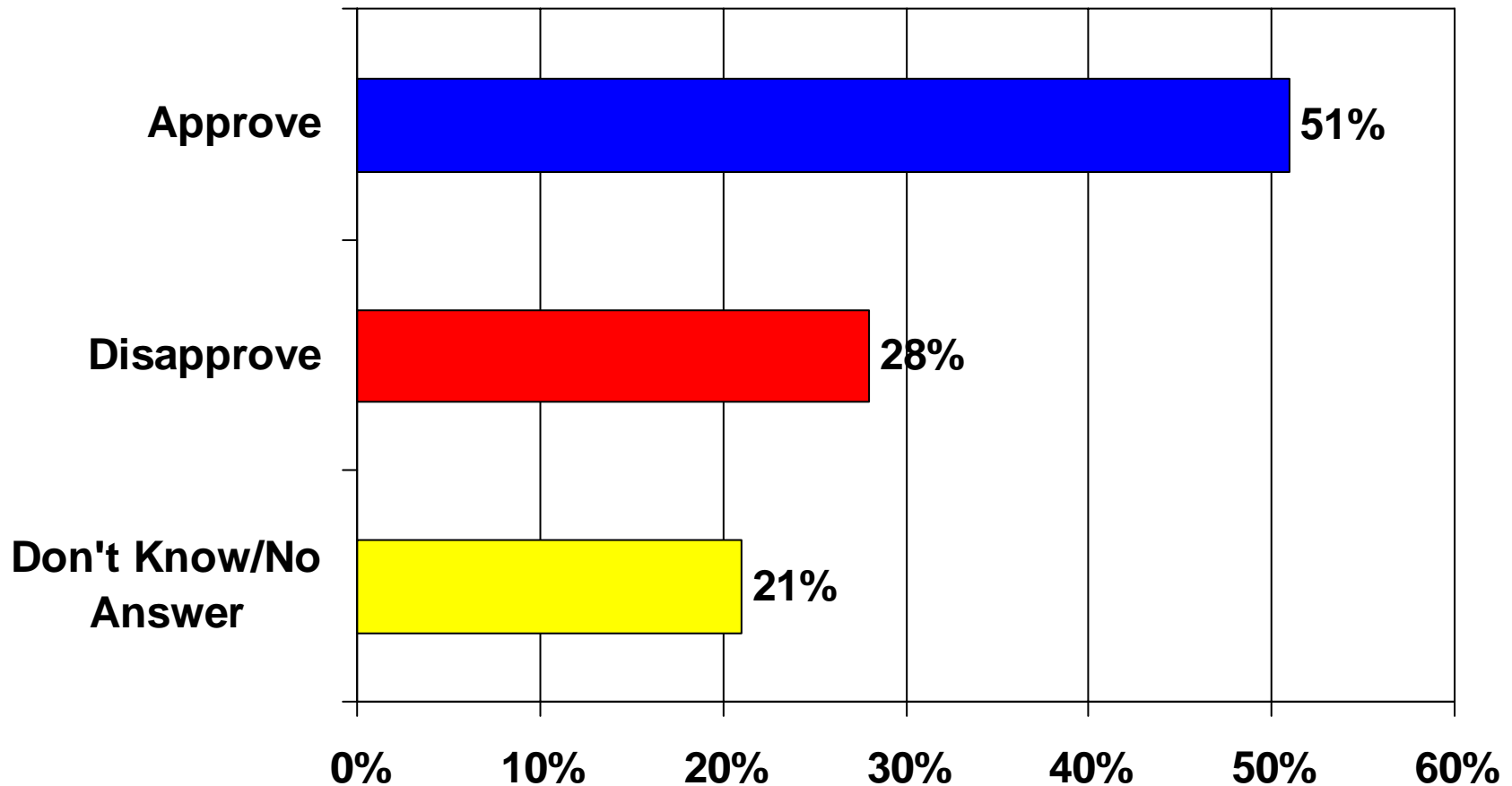




# U.S. Policy Towards Cuba

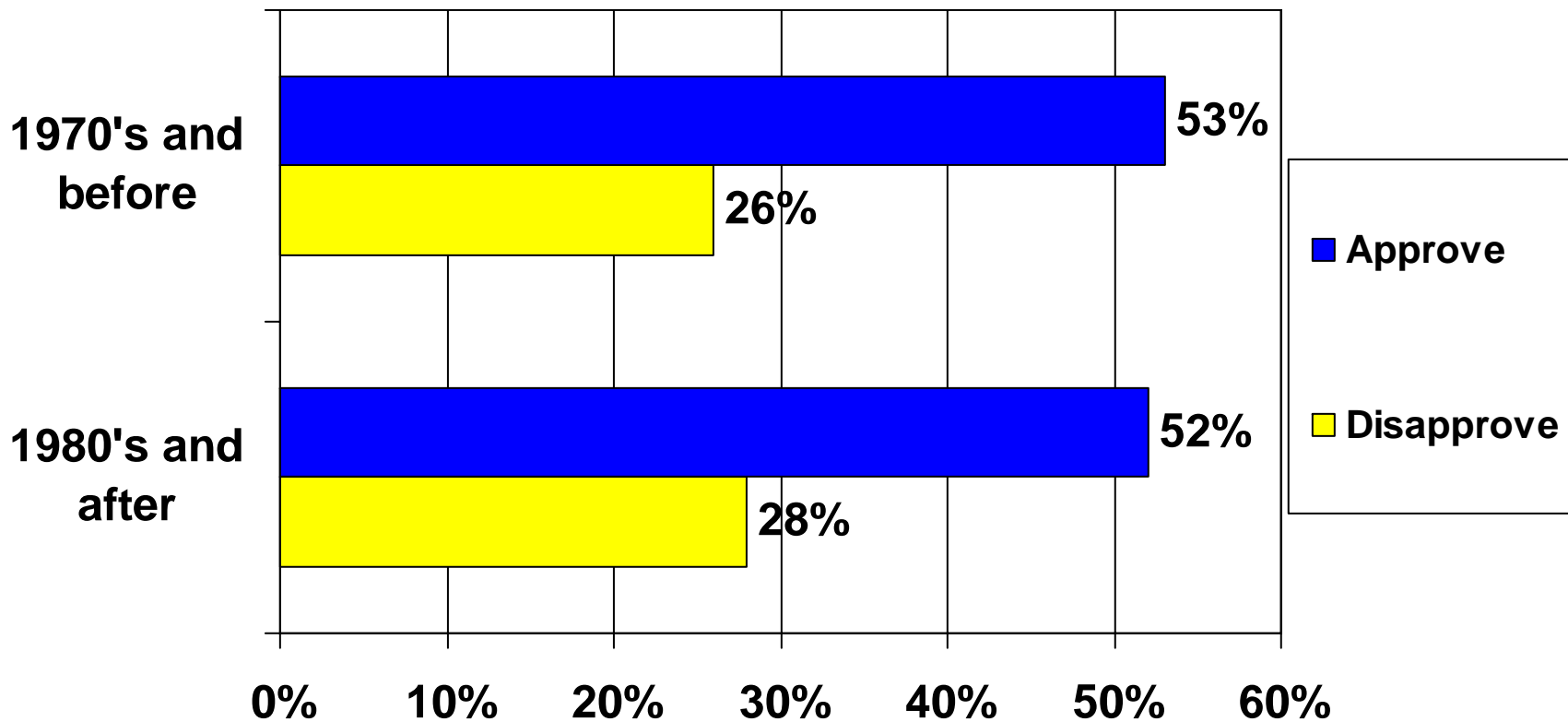
A majority of Cubans approve of President Bush's handling of Cuba policy. Nevertheless, most of those that came after Mariel feel that restrictions on travel and remittances should be lifted.

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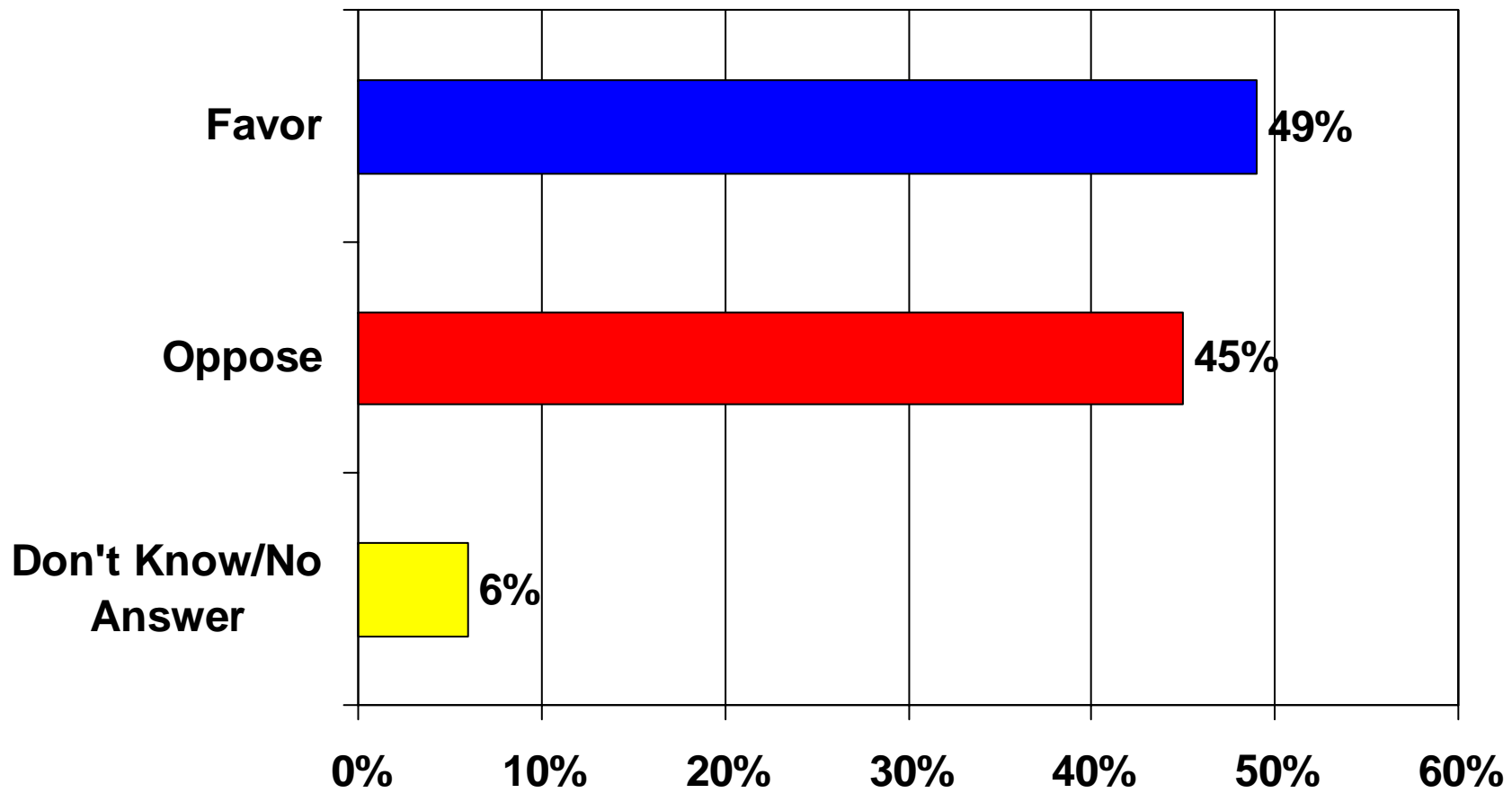


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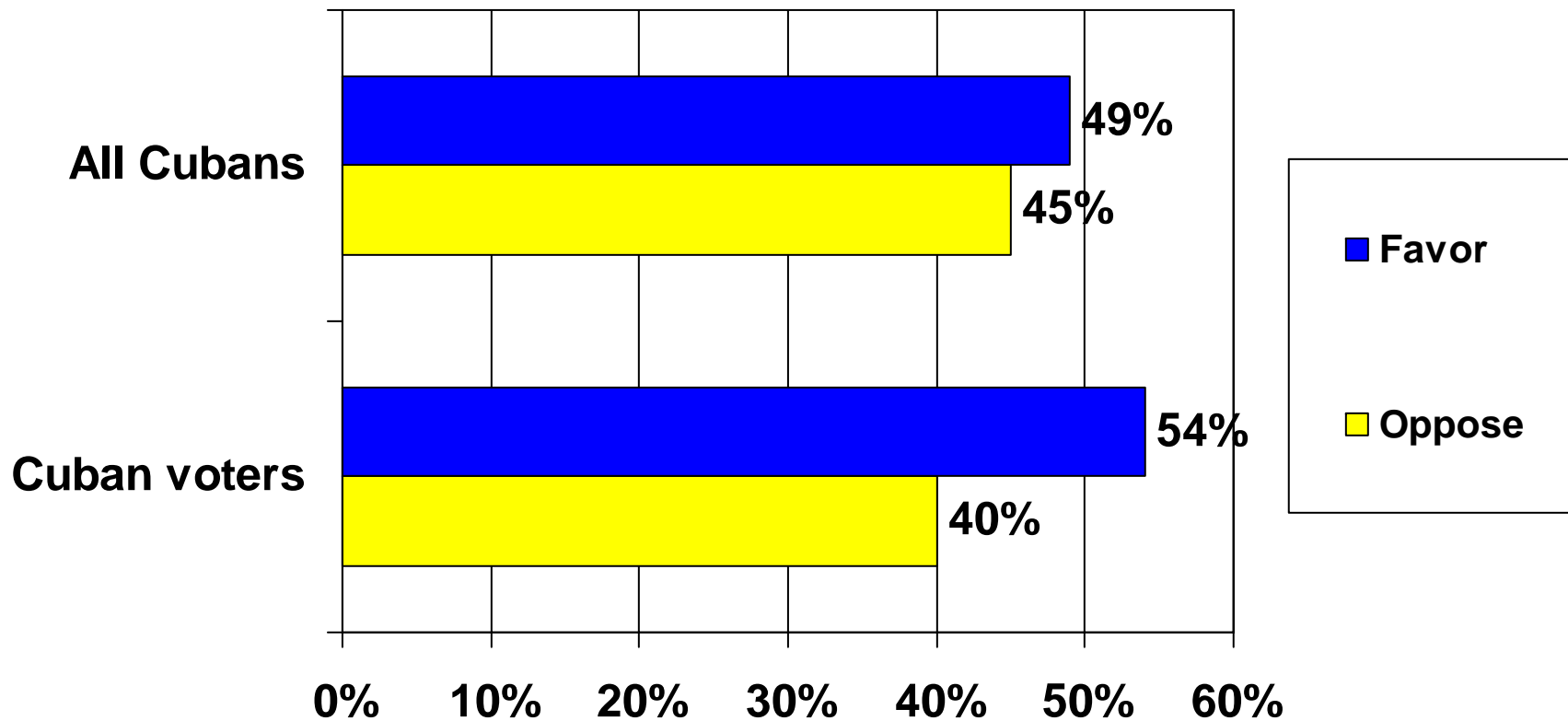


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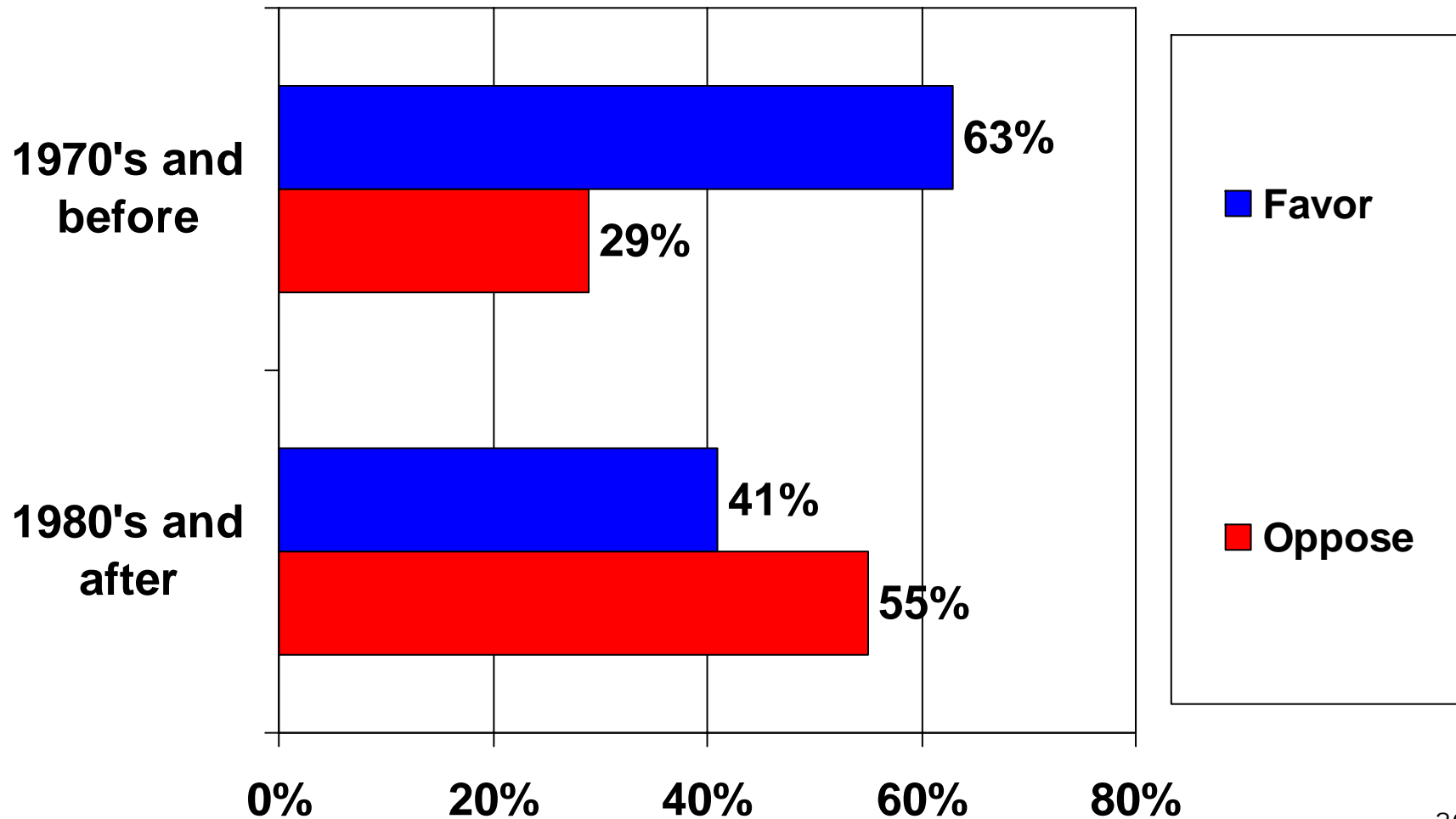
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*By Voters*

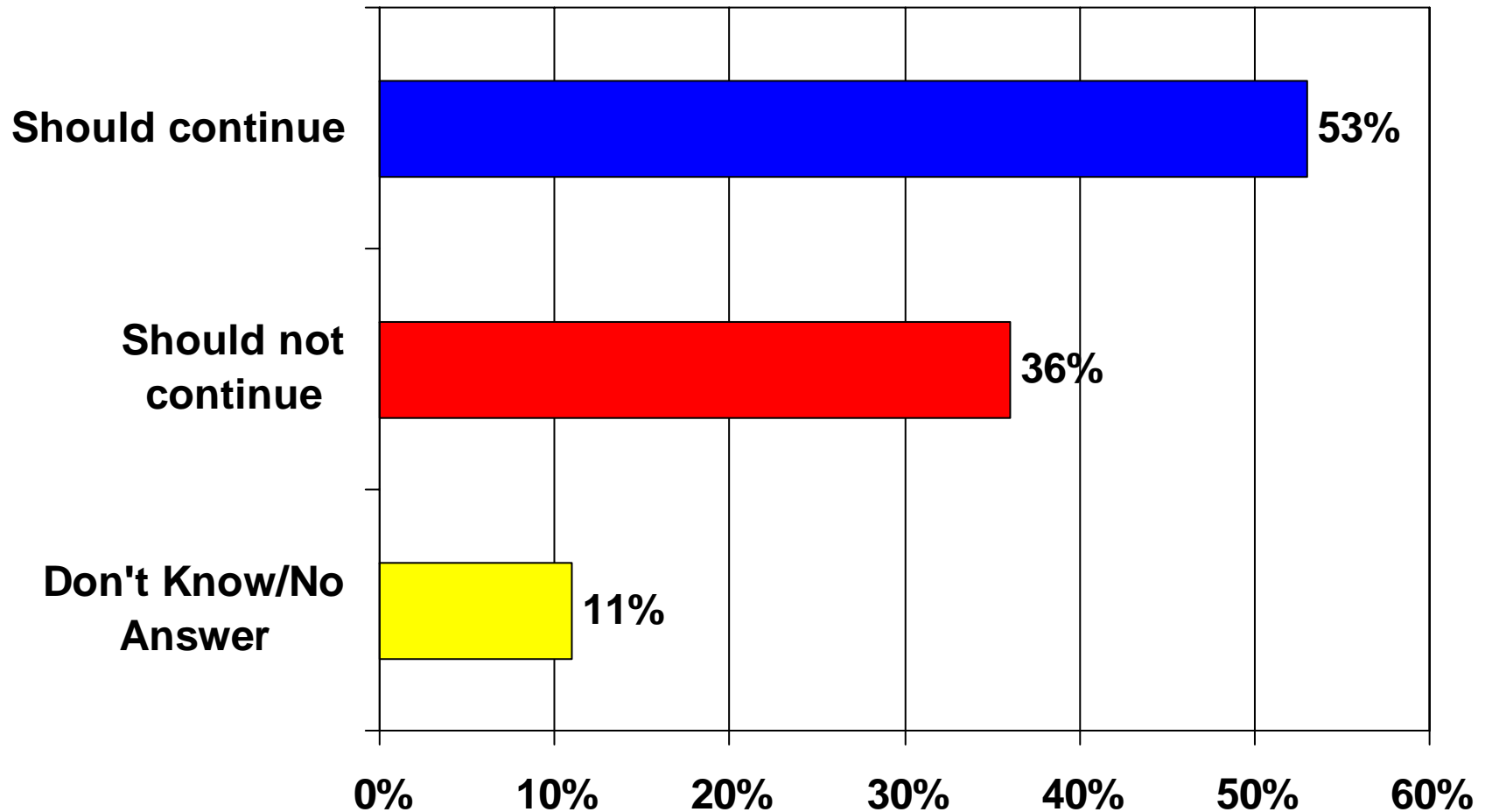


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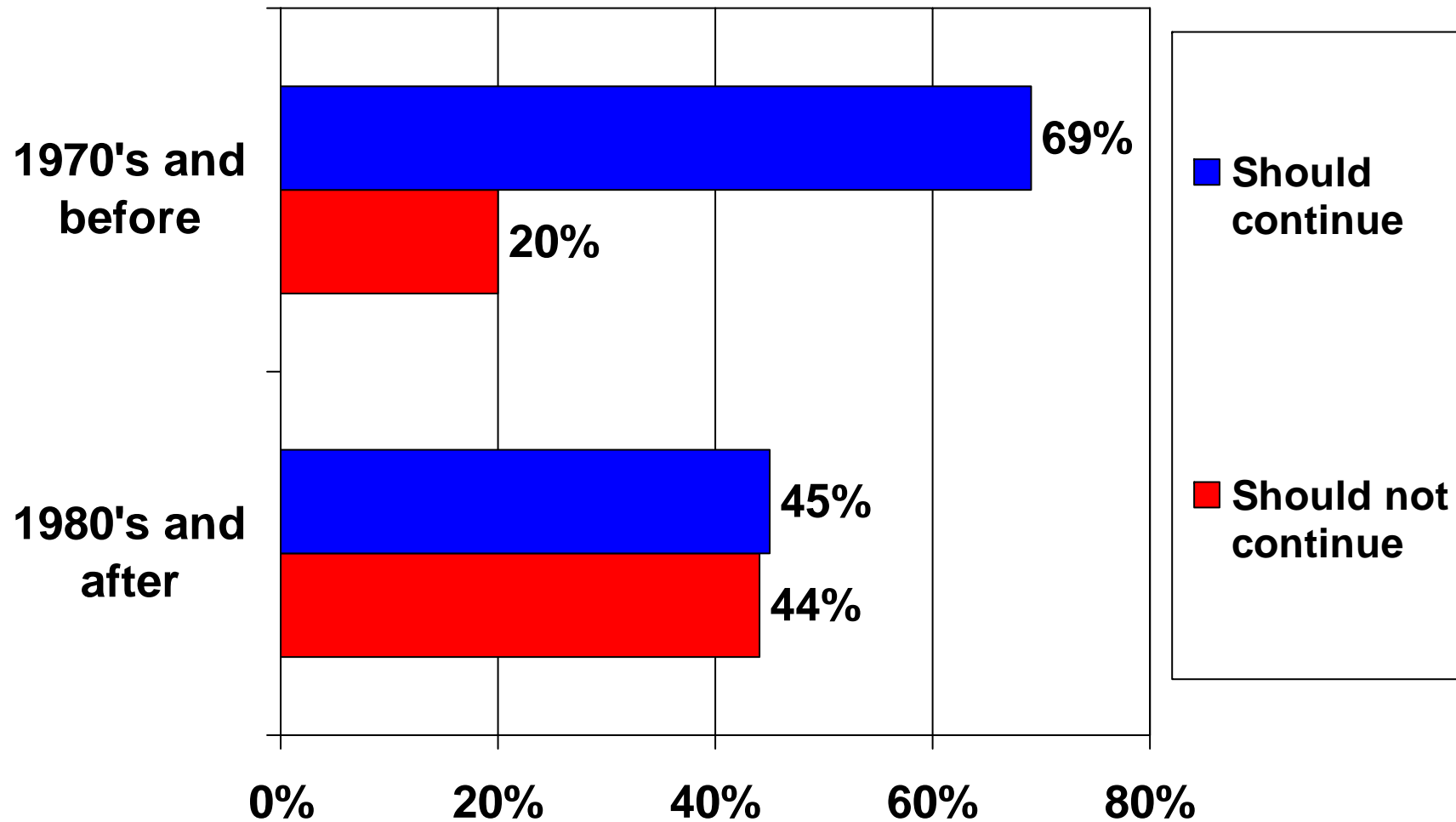


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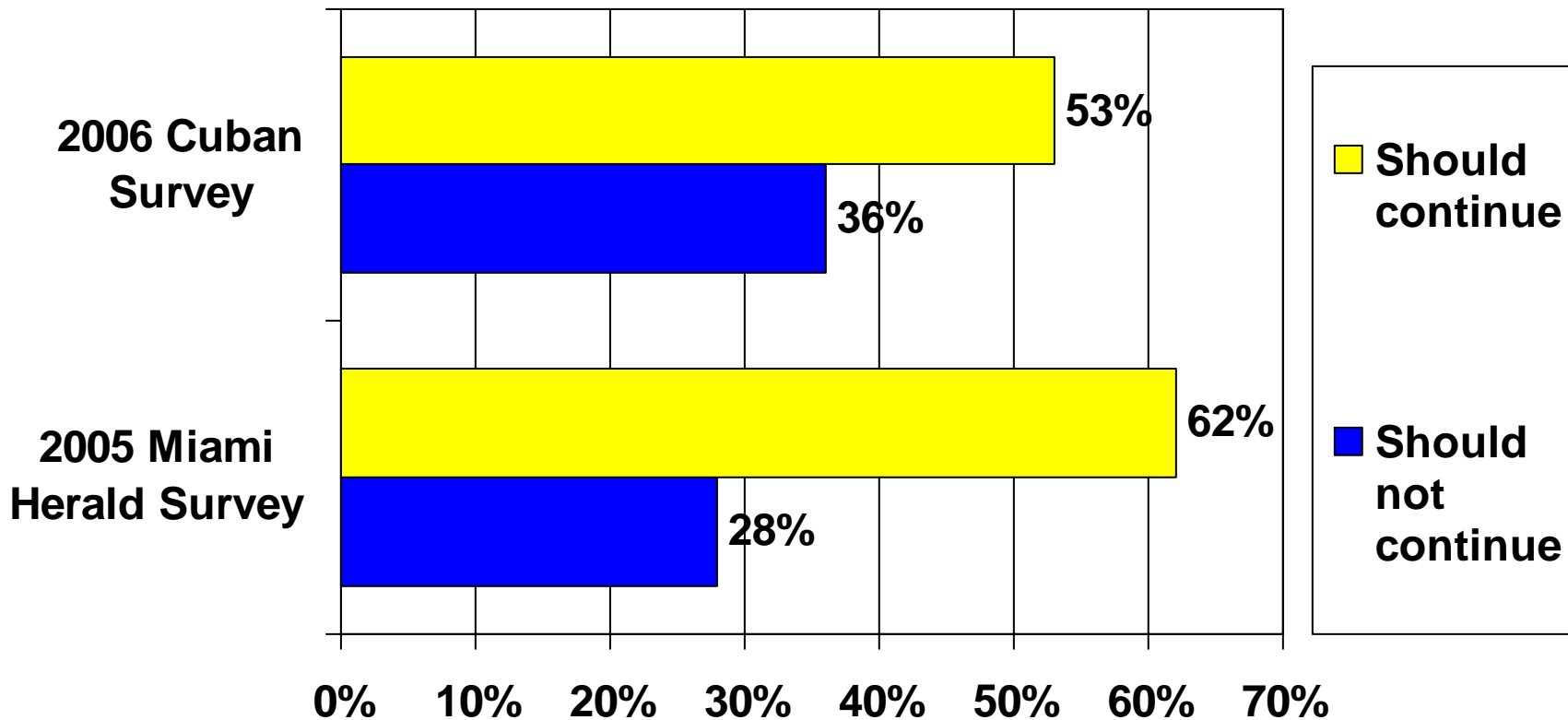


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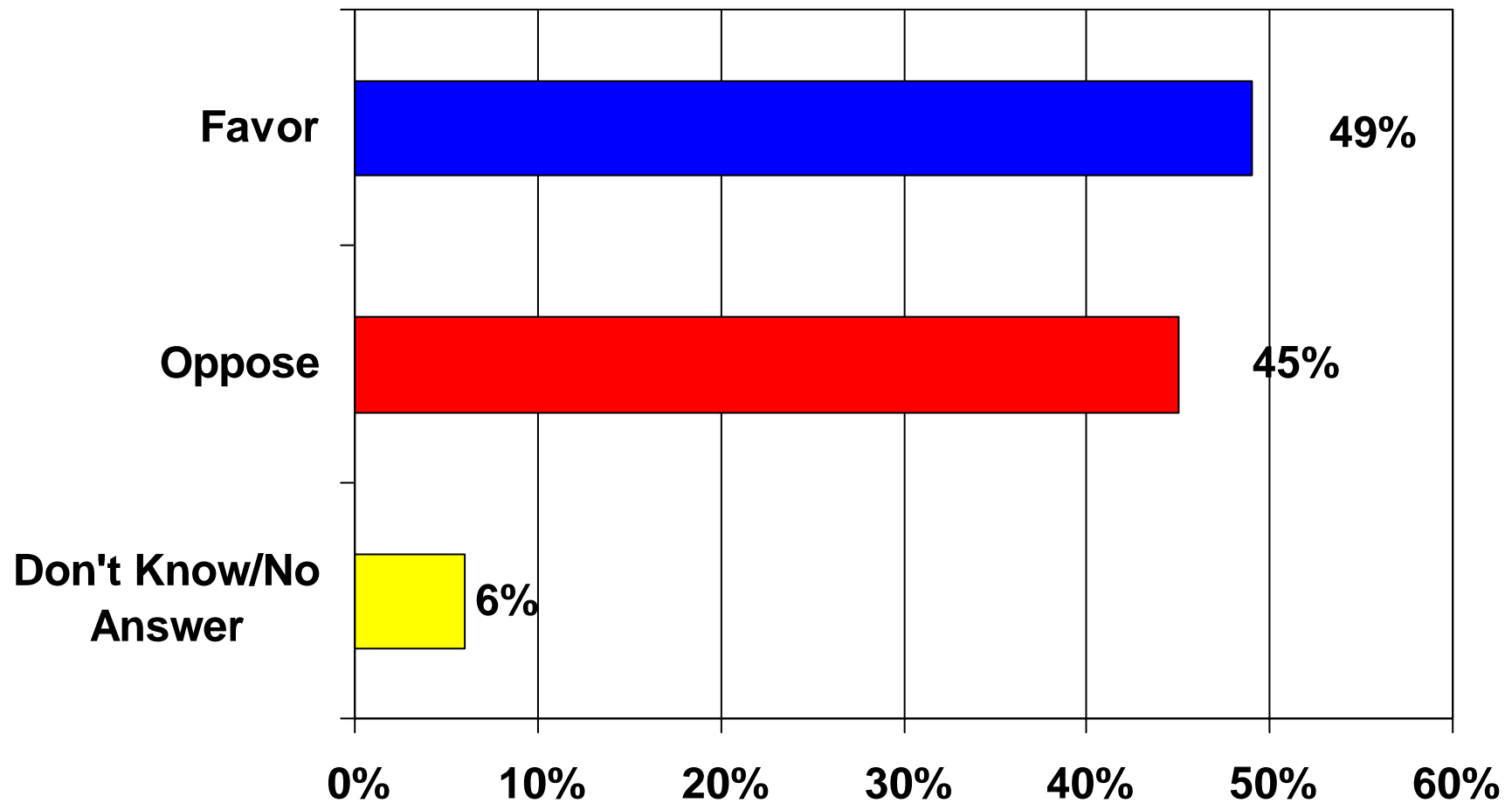


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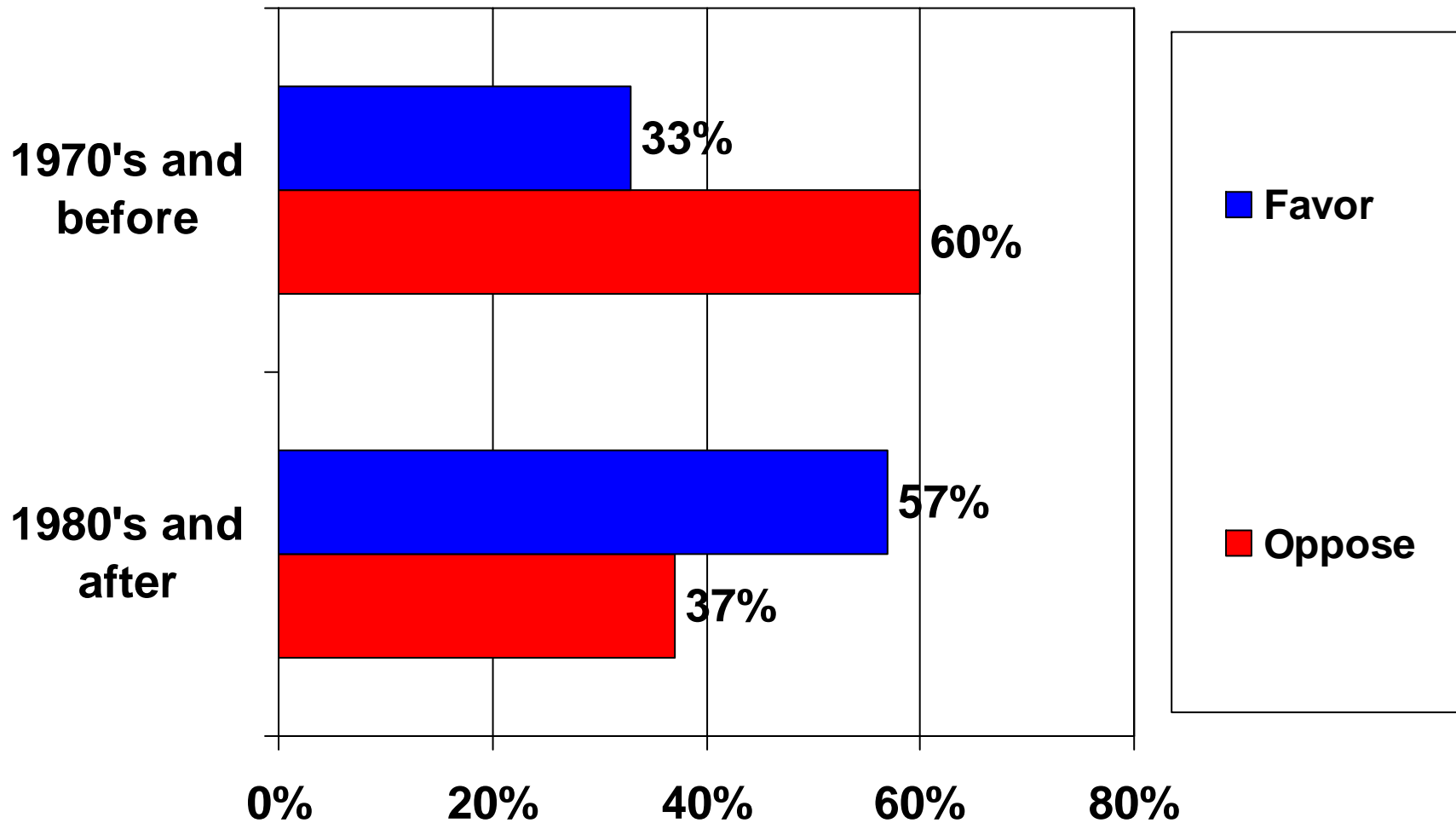


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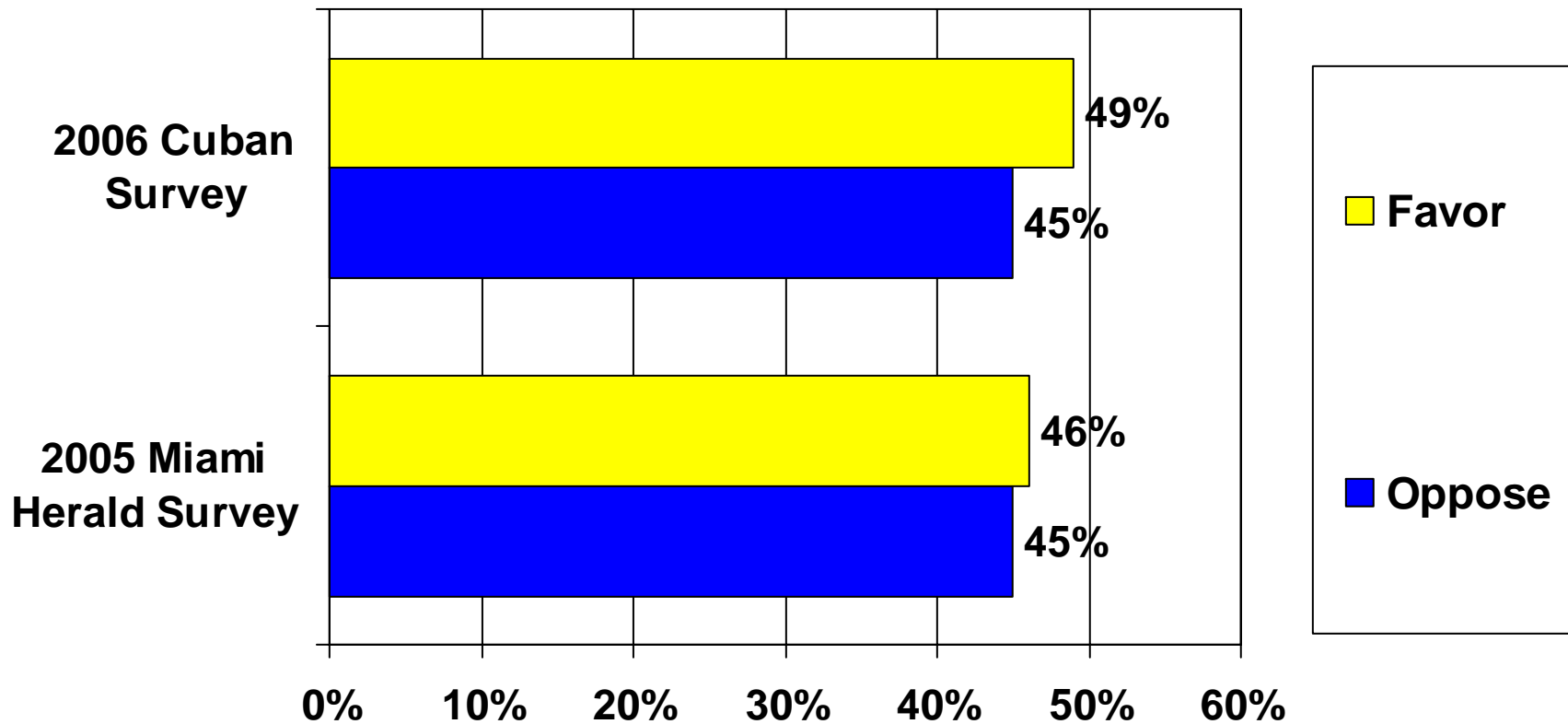


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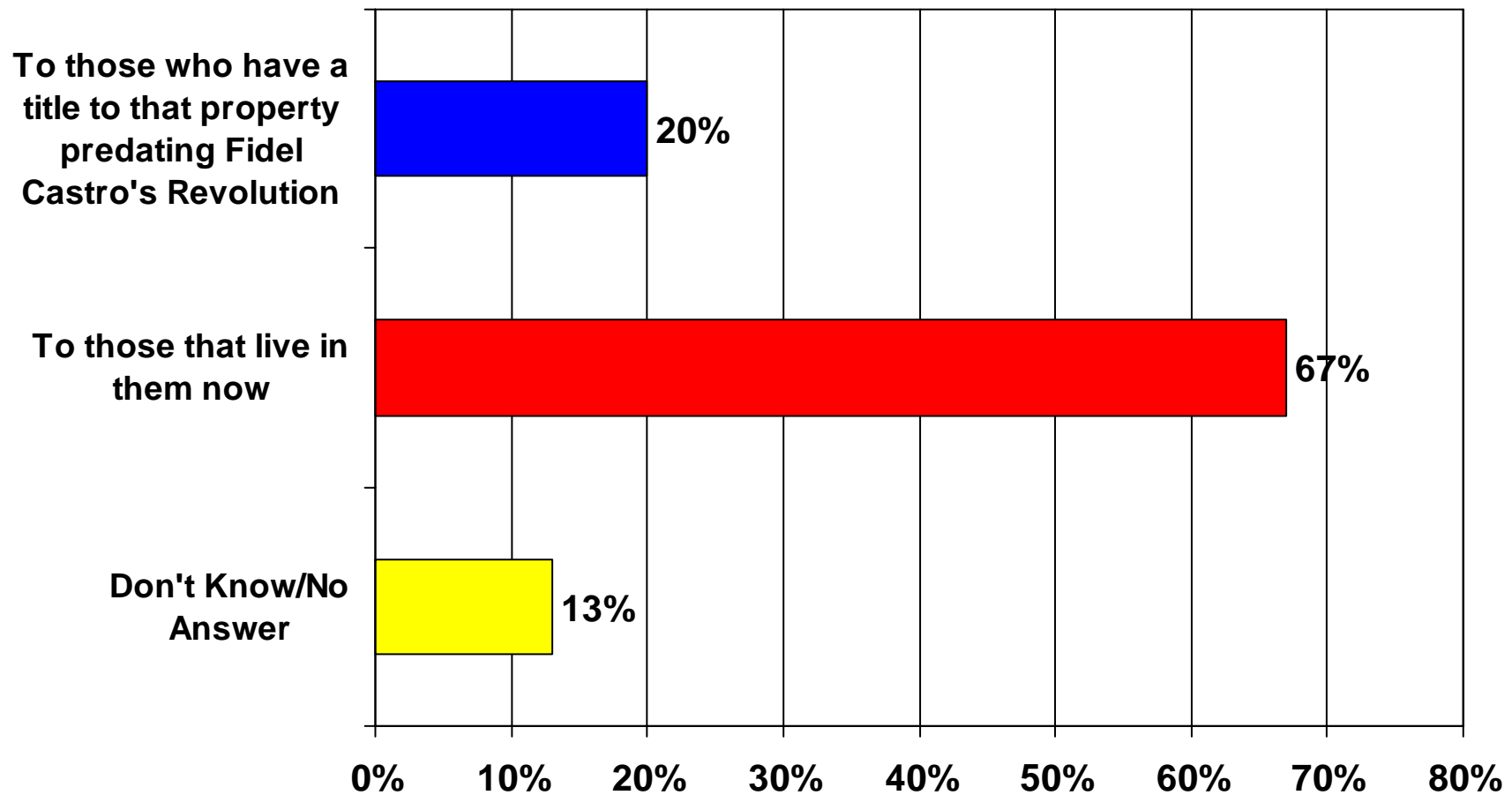
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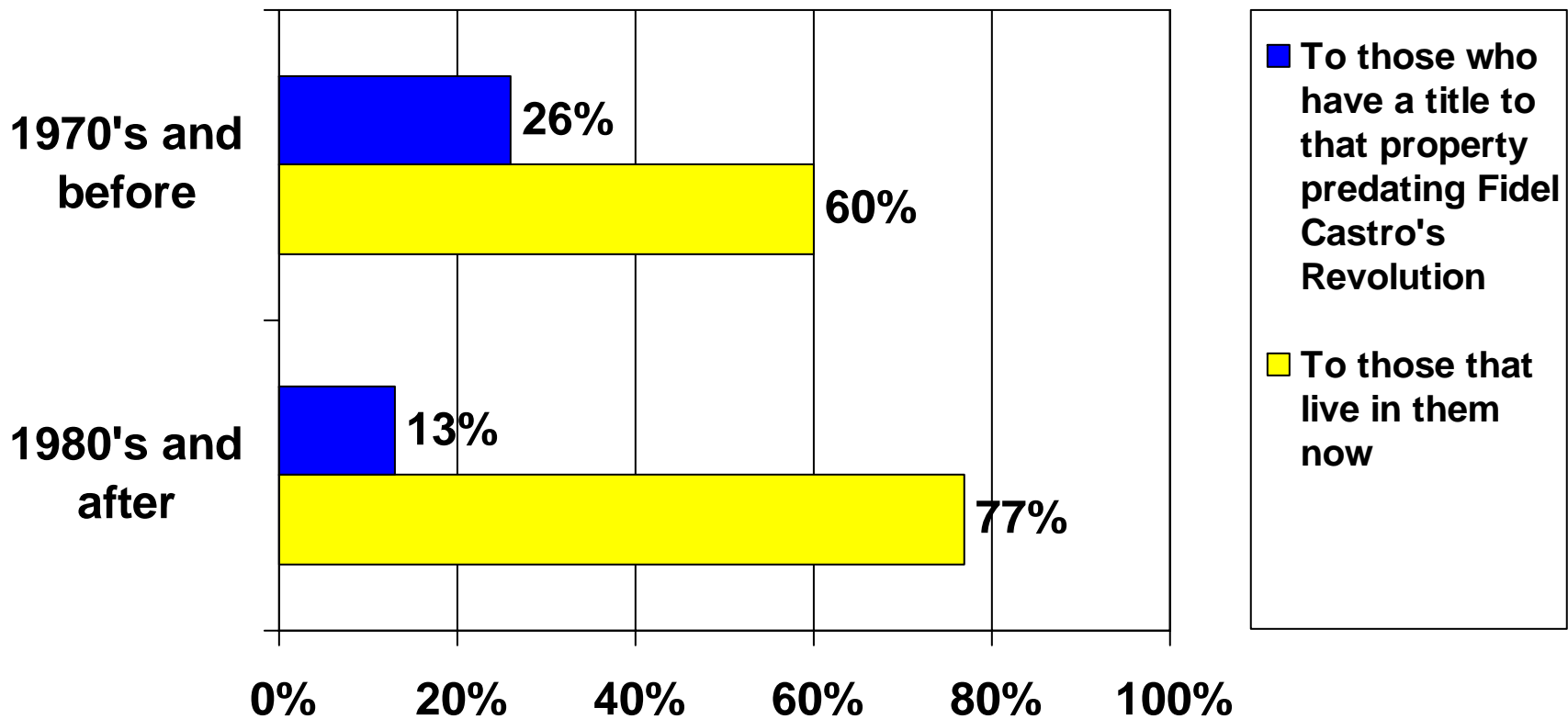


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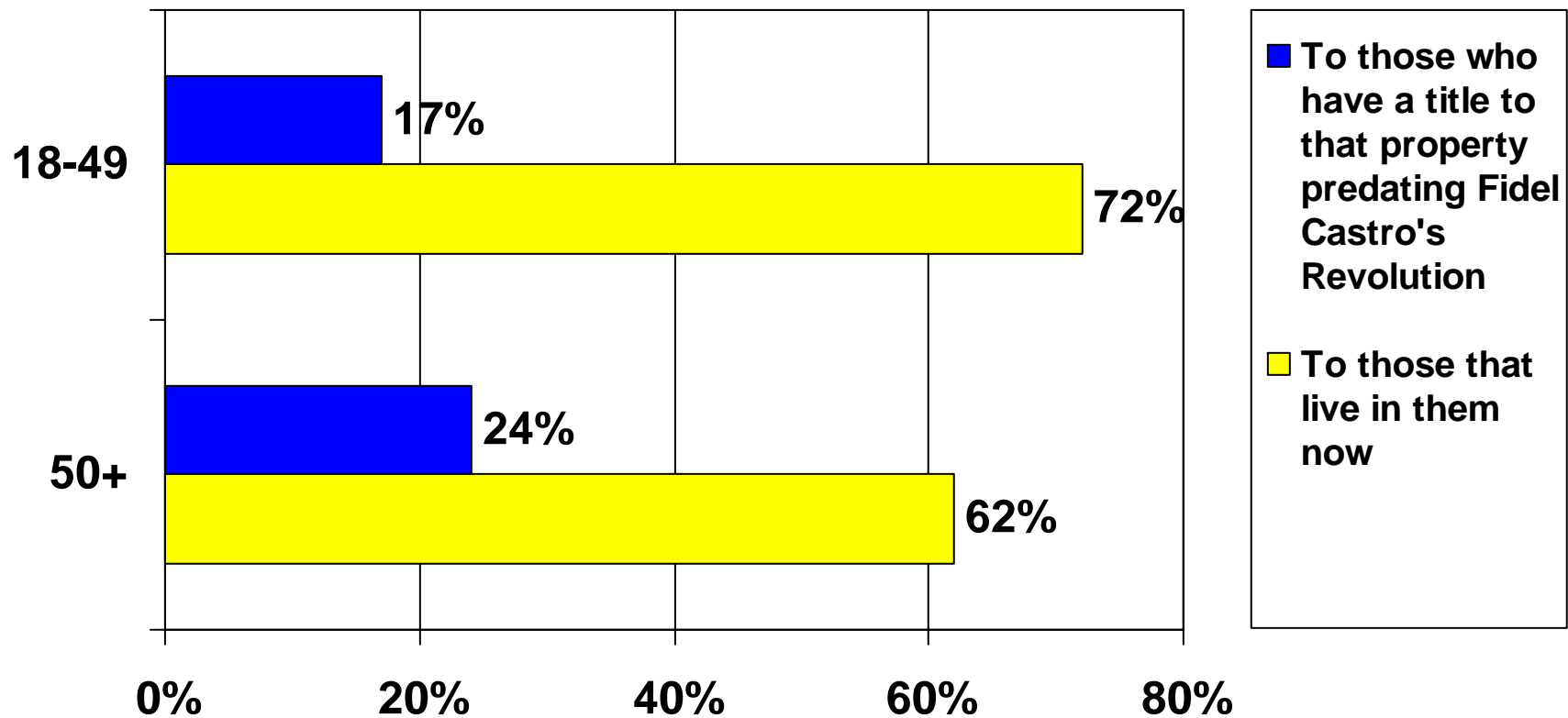
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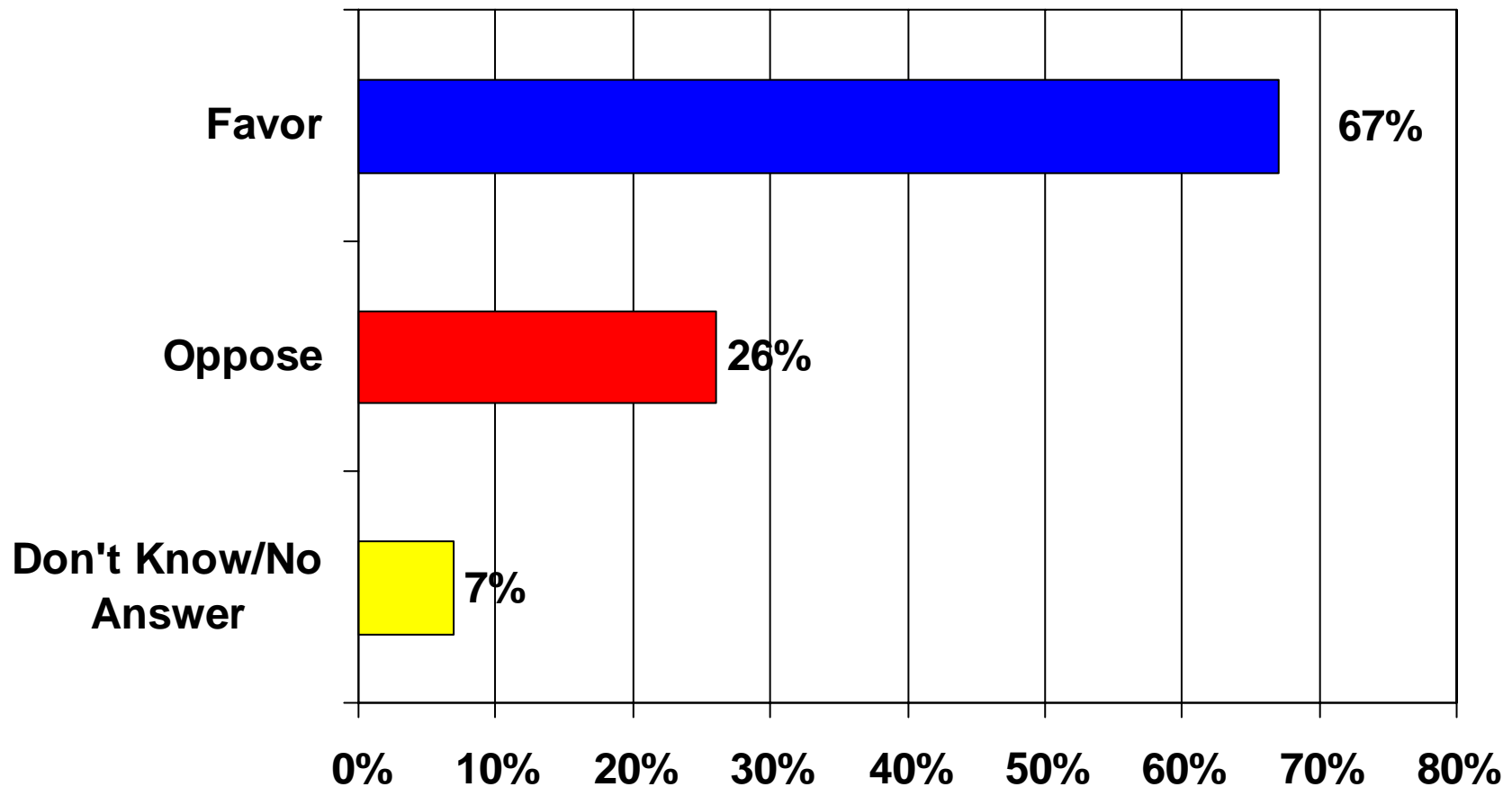


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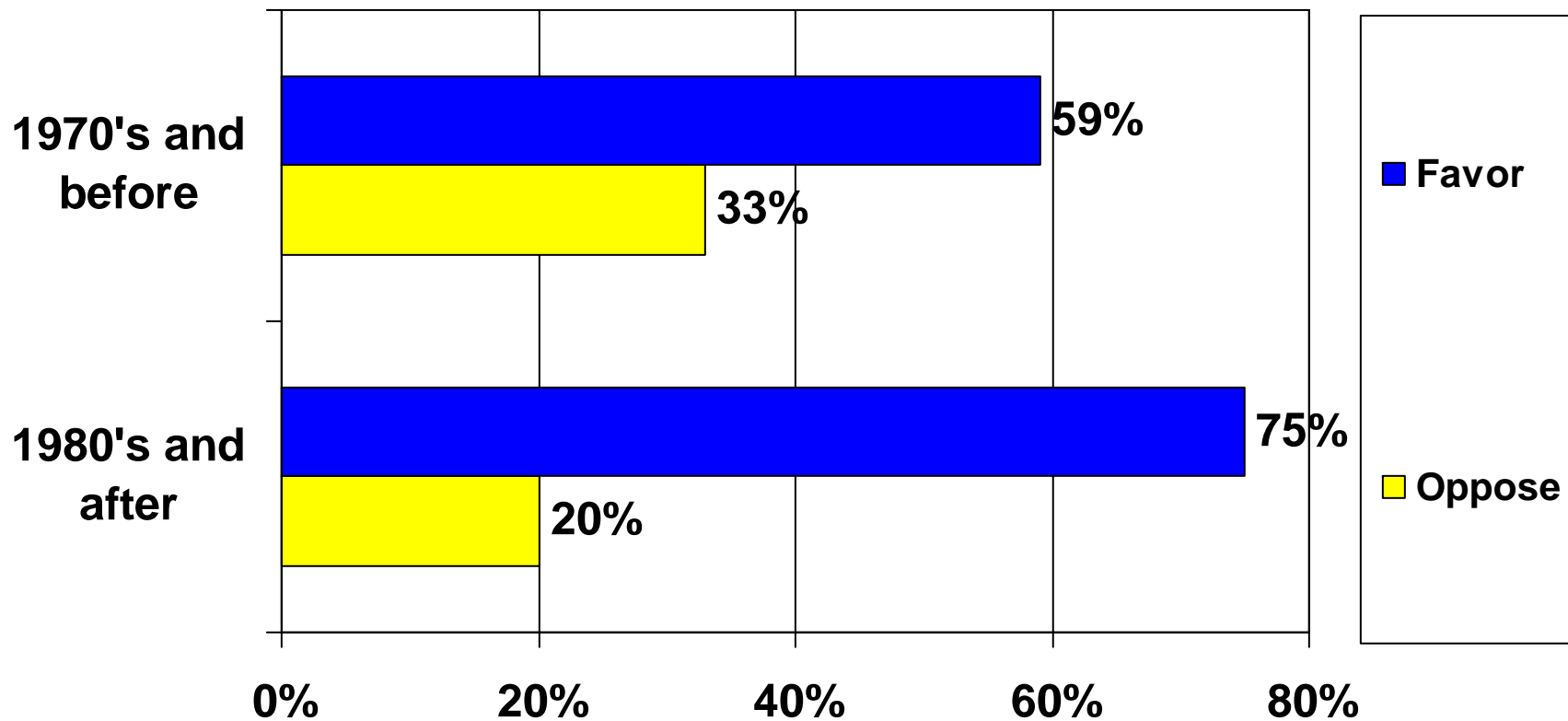


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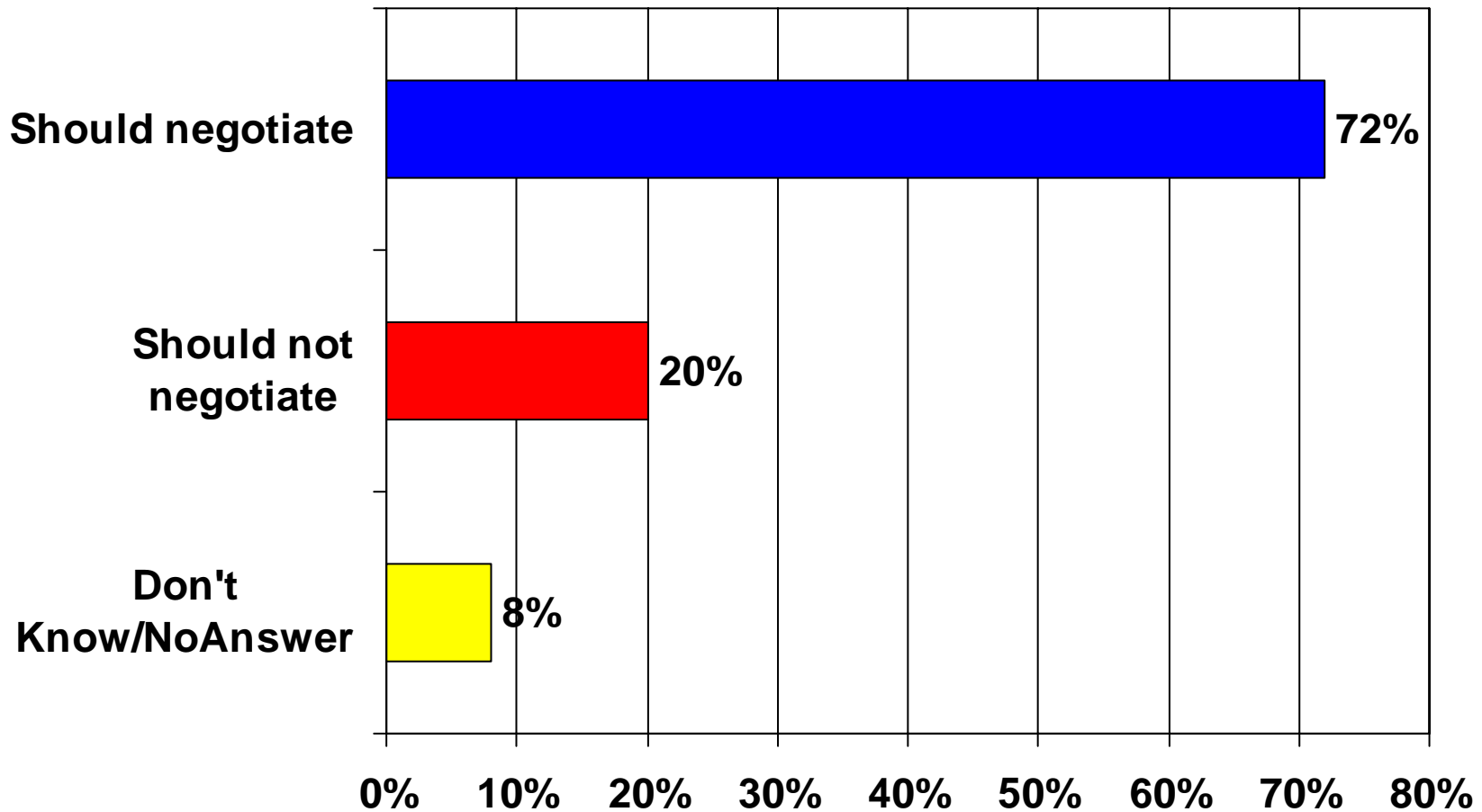


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