

BPF Brexit Questionnaire EU Exit Engagement

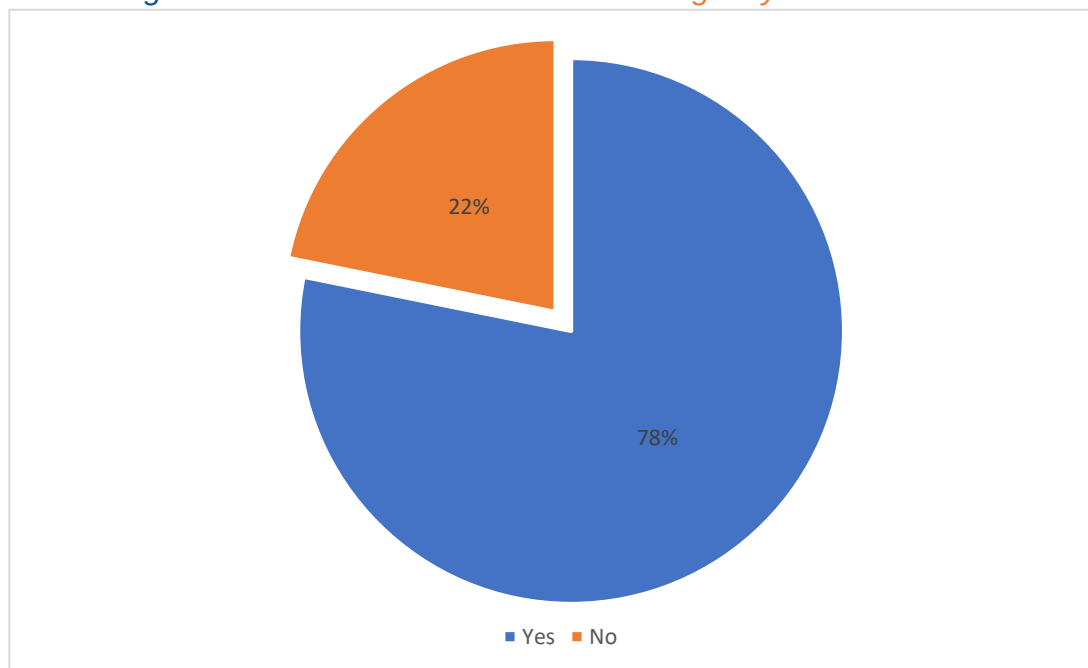
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Introduction

The following responses were provided by members of the British Plastics Federation in response to a survey carried out during October 2019. Responses were invited from companies across the entire plastics industry supply chain, including recyclers and equipment suppliers.

Contingency Plans

Percentage of BPF Members That Made Contingency Plans for No-Deal Brexit

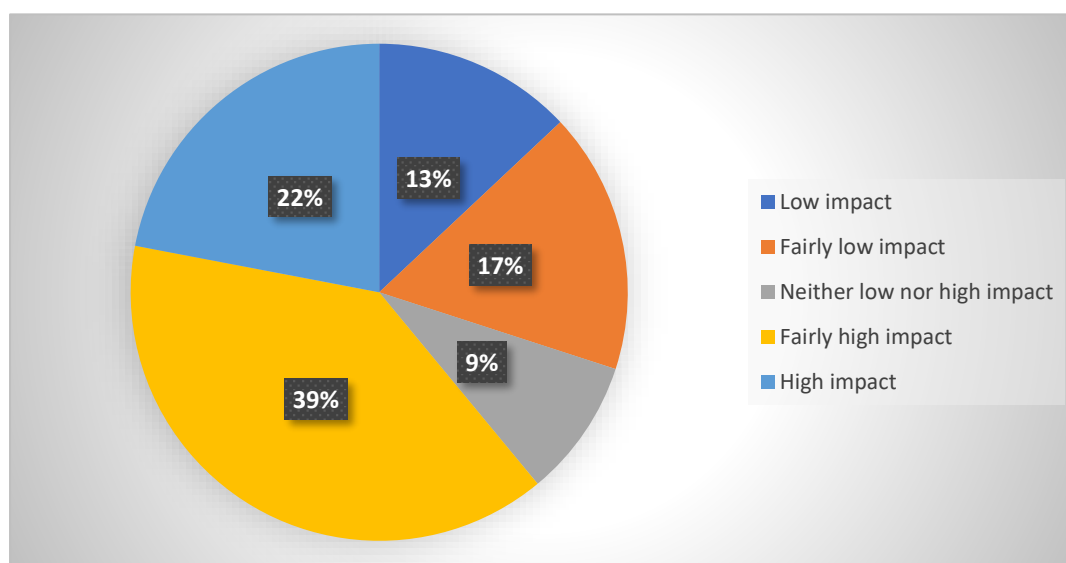


Respondents were asked if their companies had made any contingency plans in preparation for a No-Deal Brexit, the majority said they had.

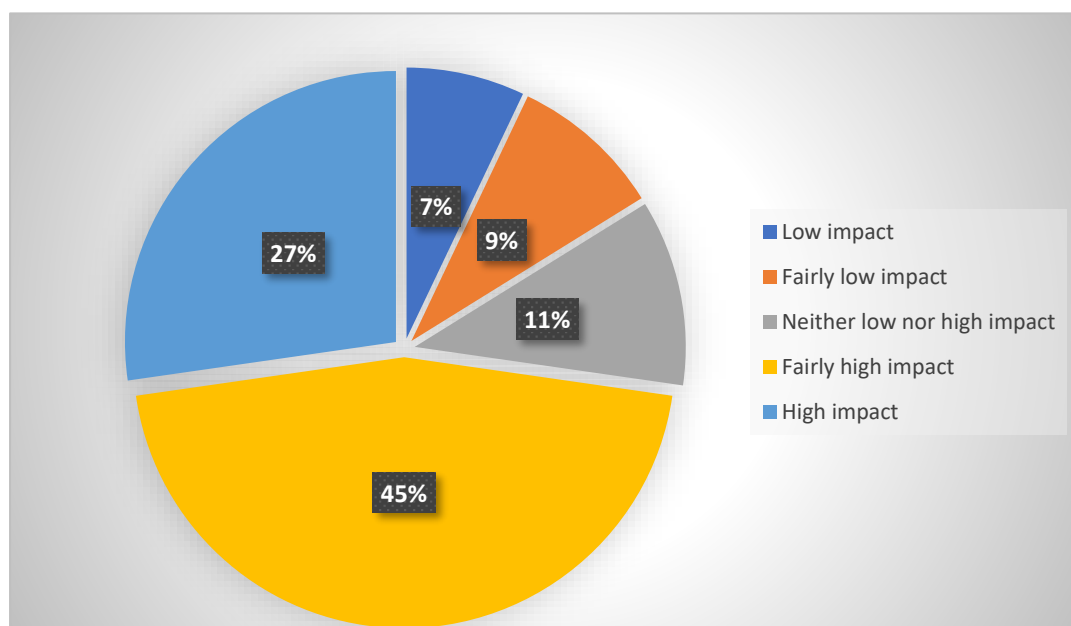
Impact

The BPF asked companies how impactful a No-Deal Brexit would be, specifically focusing on: Tariffs, Border Delays, Changes to Customs & VAT Procedures, Changes to Regulations and Standards & Conformity Testing. The results showed that No-Deal Brexit would have a fairly-high impact overall.

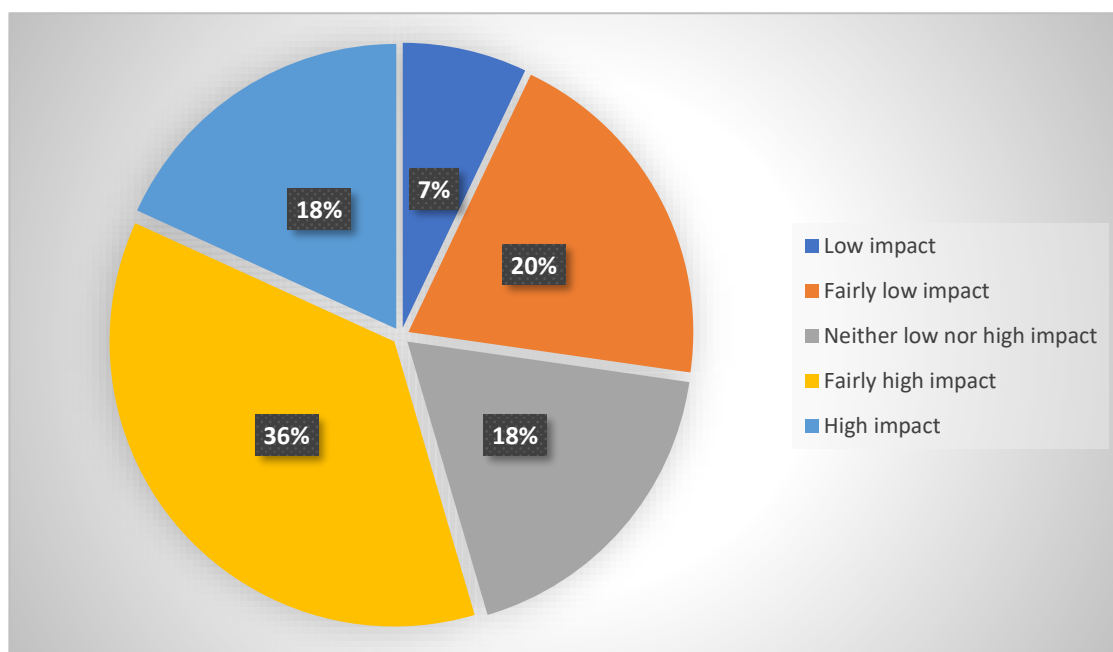
How Impactful Do BPF Members Think Tariffs Will Be for Your Business as a Result of No-Deal Brexit



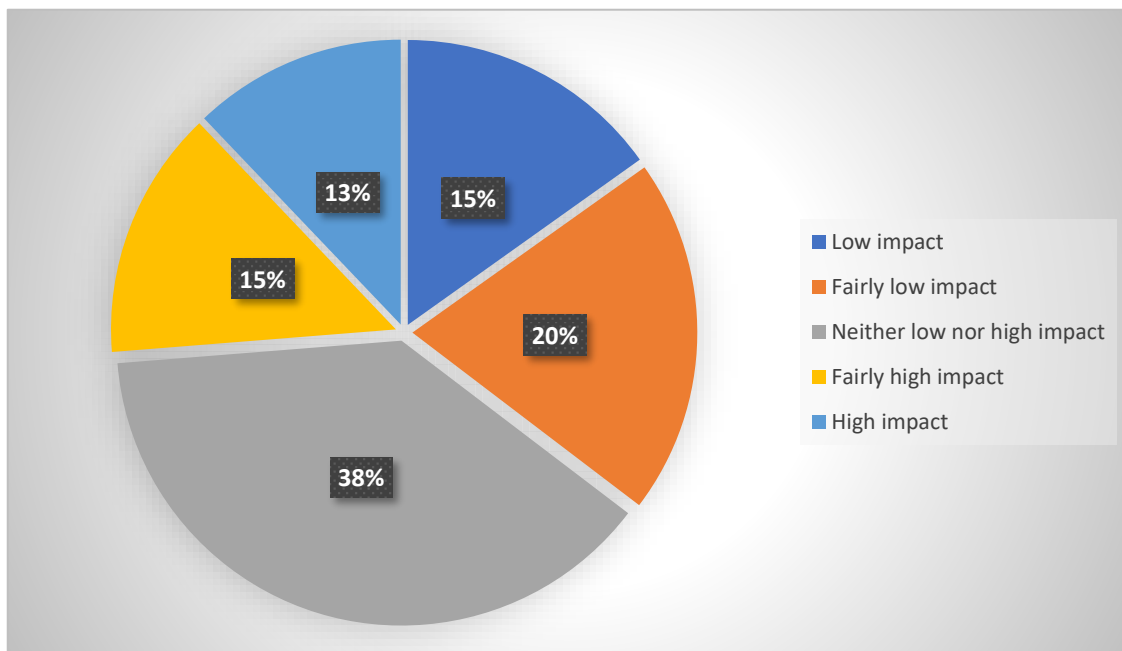
*How Impactful Do Respondents Think **Border Delays** Will Be for Your Business as a Result of No-Deal Brexit*



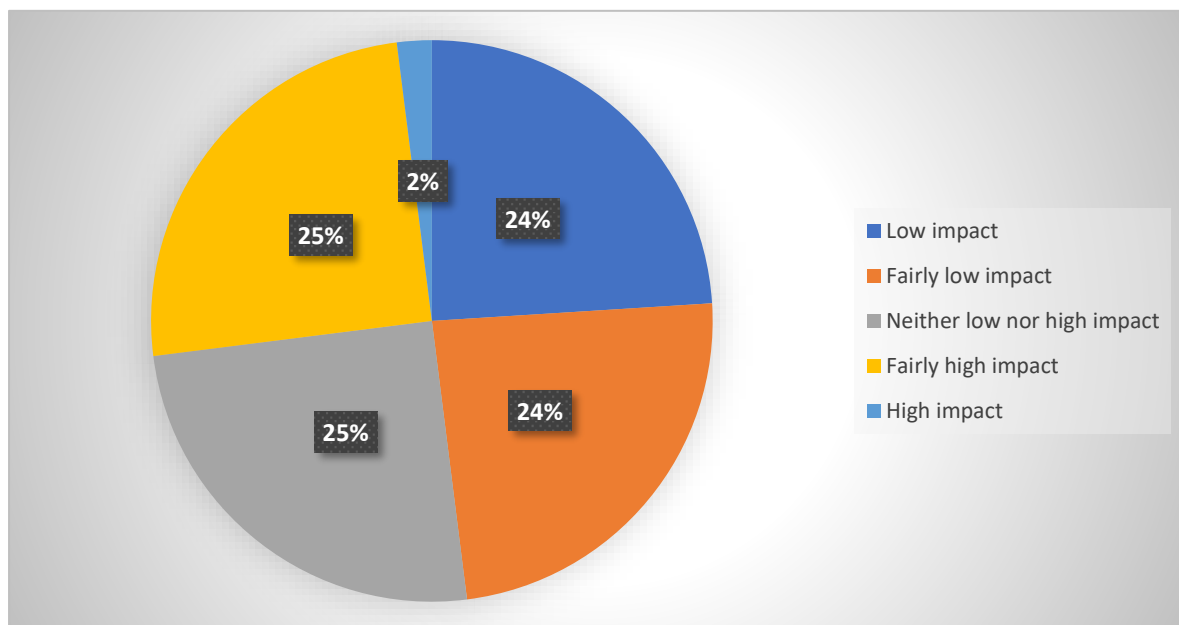
*How Impactful Do Those Surveyed Think **Changes to Customs and VAT Procedures** Will Be for Your Business as a Result of No-Deal Brexit*



How Impactful Do Respondents Think *Changes to Regulations, Such As REACH* Will Be for Your Business as a Result of No-Deal Brexit

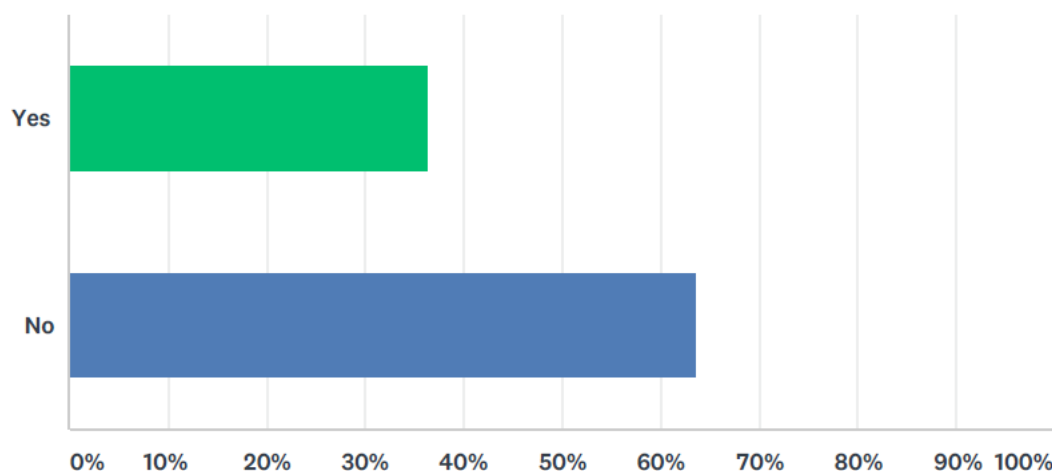


How Impactful Do BPF Members Think *Standards & Conformity Testing* Will Be for Your Business as a Result of No-Deal Brexit



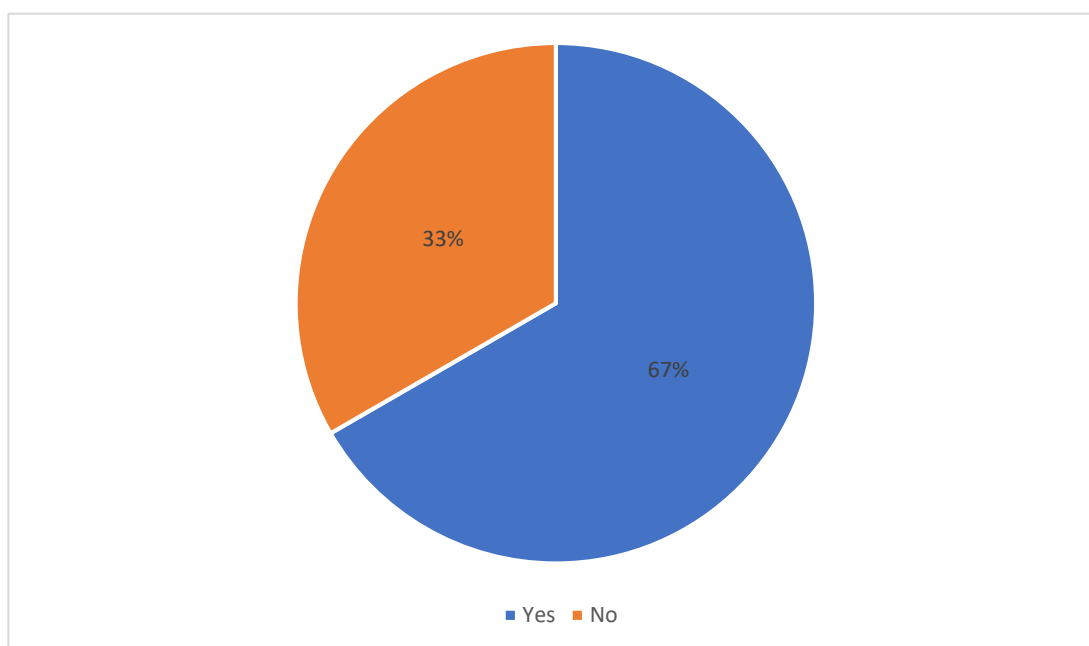
Transfer of Personal Data / GDPR

Respondents Were Asked If They Share *Personal Data* of Staff, Customers or Business Between Sites or Companies in the UK and EU

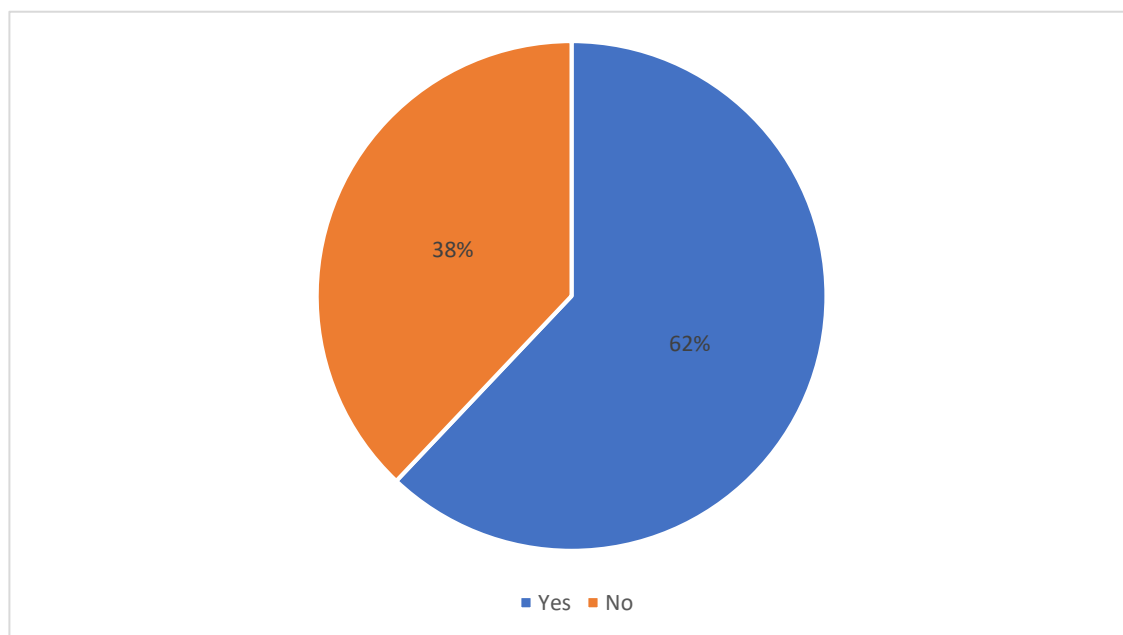


64% of BPF Members claimed they do not share personal data with the EU, with 36% admitting they did.

Percentage of BPF Members Aware That No-Deal Brexit Will Have an Impact on Their *GDPR Data Protection Responsibilities*



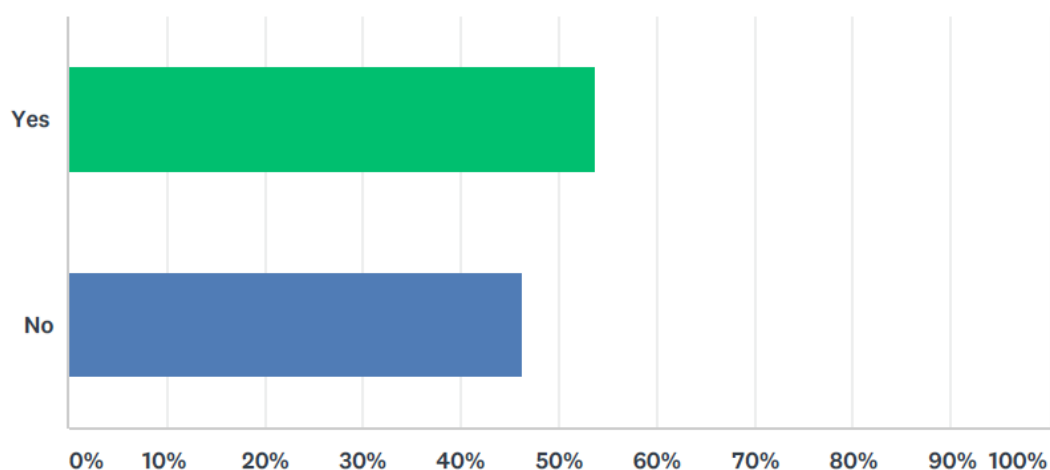
*Percentage of Respondents That Have Taken Action To Address The Impact That No-Deal Brexit Will Have On Their **GDPR Data Protection Responsibilities***



Of those surveyed, 62% claimed to have taken action whilst 38% didn't.

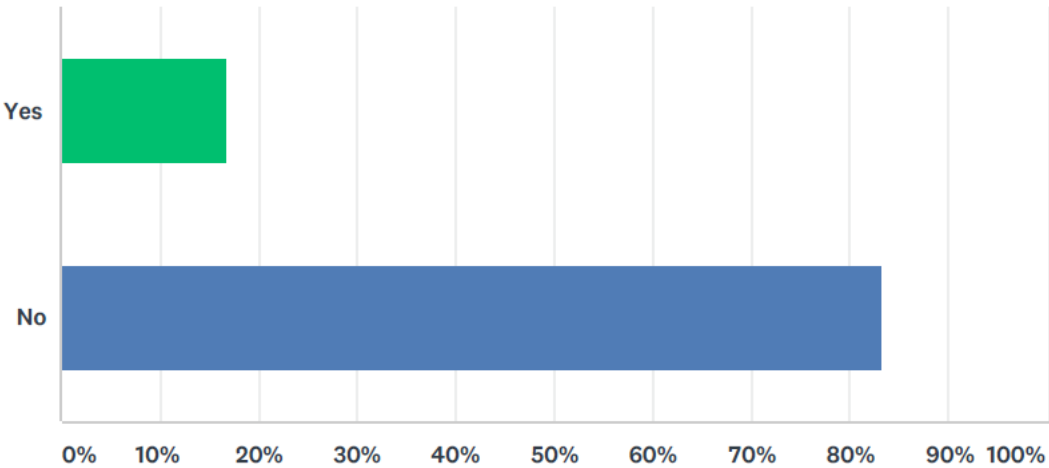
Product Marking

*Percentage of BPF Members That Are Aware That No-Deal Brexit Will Have An Effect On The Way That **Products Are Marked** (e.g. The Introduction of the UKCA Marking)*



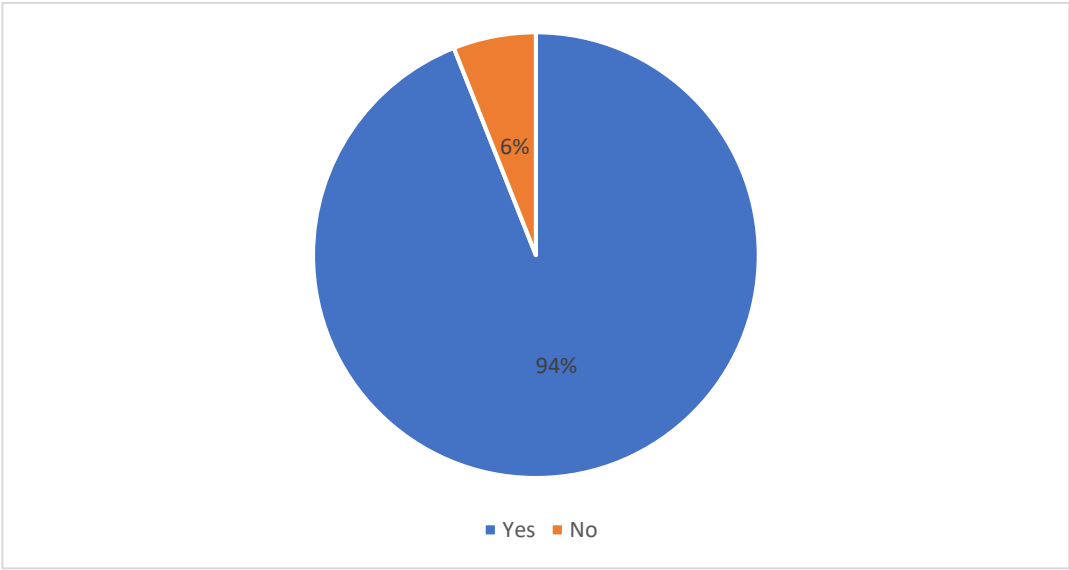
54% of those surveyed claimed they are aware that No-Deal Brexit will have an effect on product marking, but 46% were not.

Percentage of Respondents That Have Acted on Addressing *Product Marking* Changes

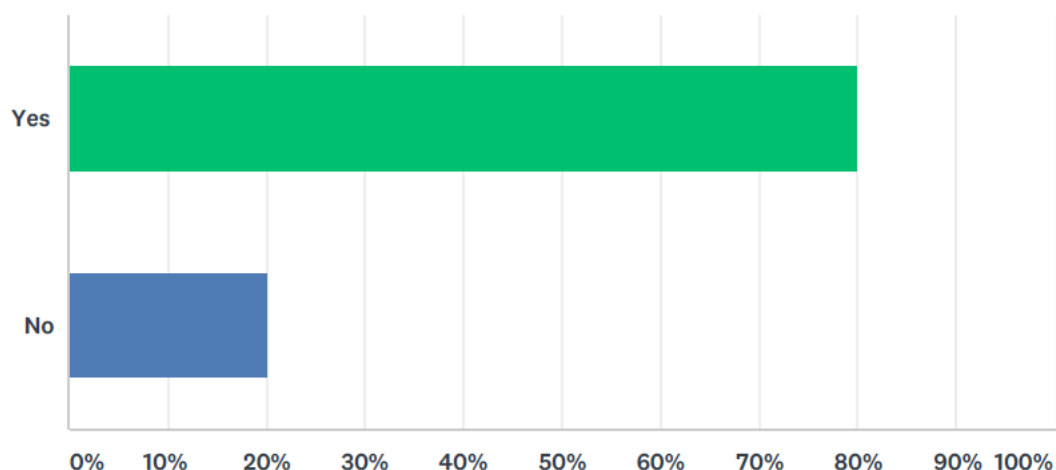


GOV UK Brexit Website

Percentage of BPF Members Aware of the Information Available at www.GOV.uk/Brexit?

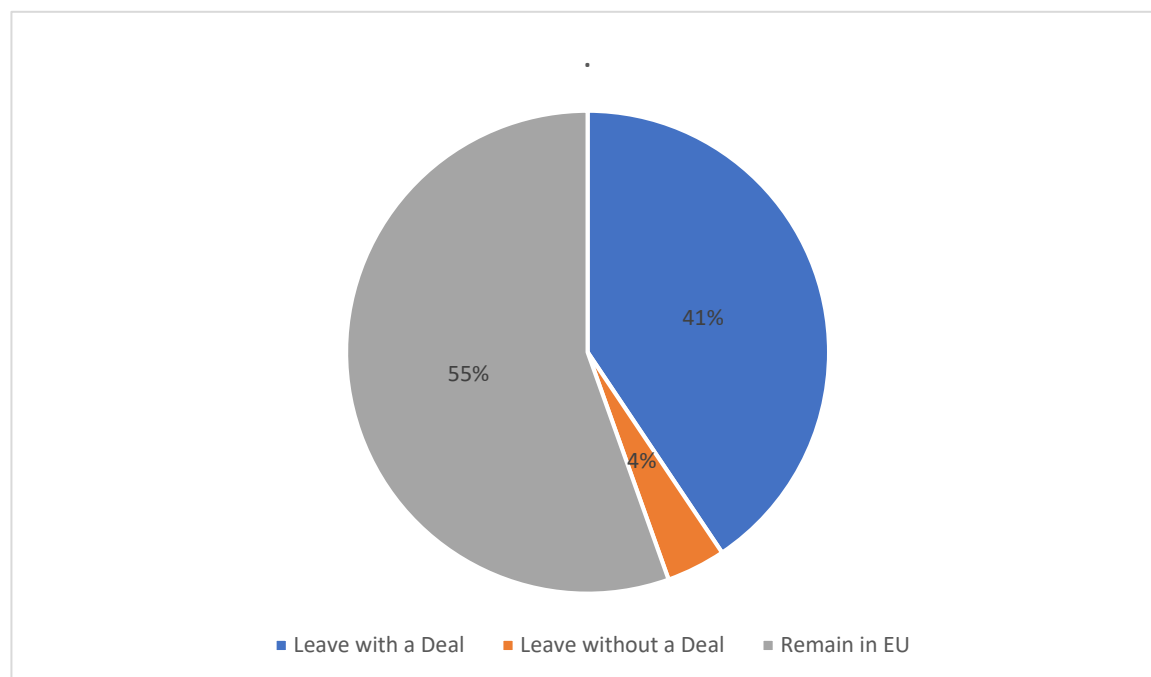


Percentage of Respondents That Have Used www.GOV.uk/Brexit to Access the Information?



80% of BPF Members have logged on to GOV UK's Brexit site to find out information on Brexit, with 20% claiming to have never used it.

Which Brexit Outcome Do BPF Members Think Would Be the Best Outcome for Their Business?



Of those surveyed, most respondents (55%) cited remaining in the EU as the best outcome for their business.



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