

# **The 2016 Jewish Federation of Broward County Population Study: A Portrait of the Broward Jewish Community**

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# Topics Covered in the Study

- Survey Methodology
- Jewish Population Size
- Geographic Profile
- Demographic Profile
- Religious Profile
- Types of Marriage
- Membership Profile
- Jewish Education: Adults
- Jewish Education: Children
- Jewish Agencies
- Social Service Needs
- Israel
- Anti-Semitism
- The Media
- Philanthropic Profile
- Political Profile

# Survey Methodology



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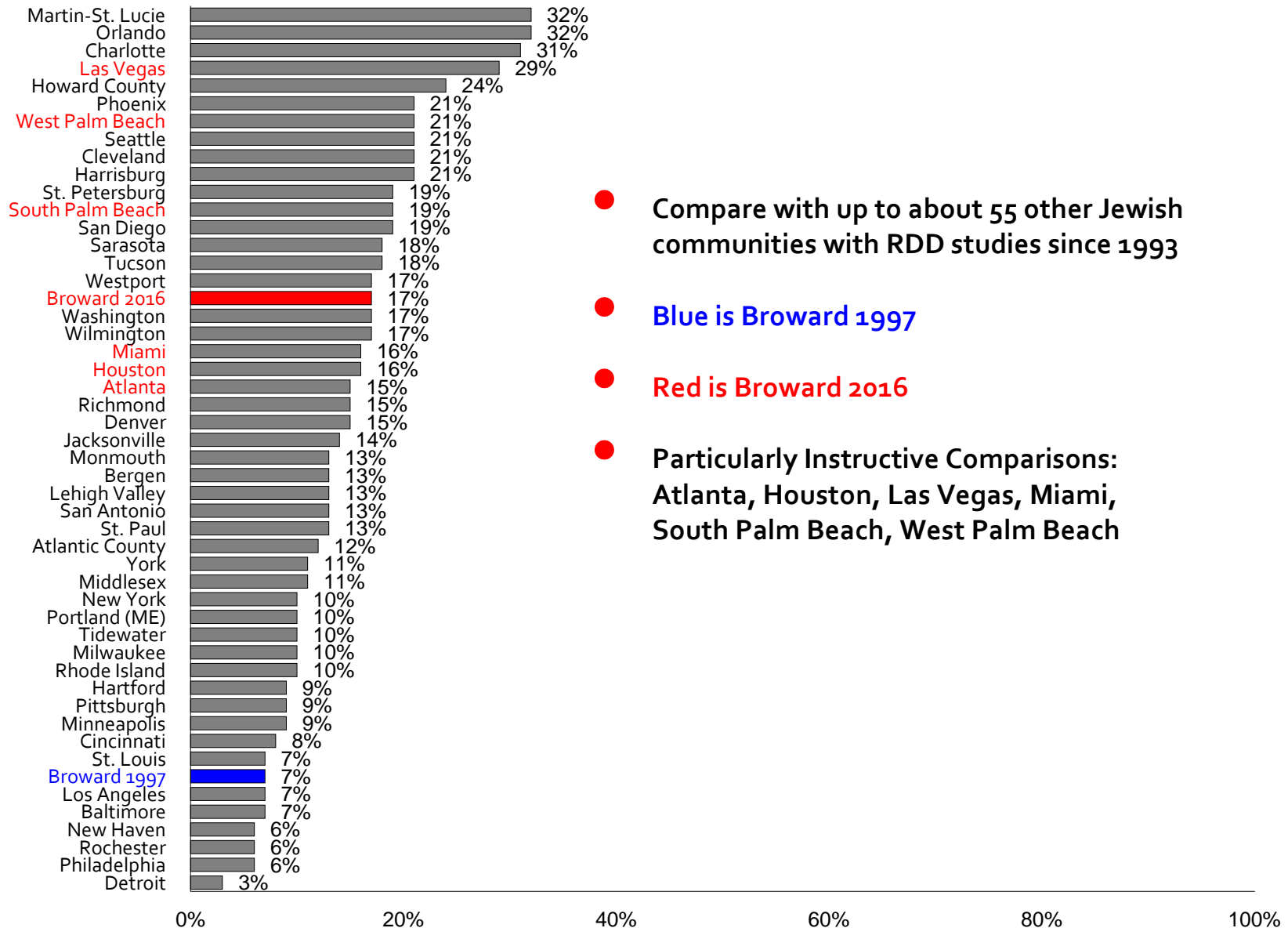
- Random Digit Dialing (RDD) Telephone Survey methodology provides scientific validity
  - Population estimate
  - Produces the “purest” random sample
- (954) 435 - \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_
- RDD Telephone Survey(300 surveys)
- List Telephone Survey (900 surveys)
- Cell Phone Households with non-local area codes with DJNs based on billing zip codes
- 1,200interviews
- Response Rate (AAPOR RR<sub>3</sub>) is 39%and cooperation rate is 83%
- Weighting factors are used to combine the samples
- Interviews averaged about 22 minutes each
- Phones were dialed 121,477 times
- Interviewing April to June 2016

# Resources Available to the Community

- Main Report (1000+ pages)
- Executive Report (150 pages)
- 900+ Slides
- Posted at [www.jewishbroward.org](http://www.jewishbroward.org) and [www.jewishdatabank.org](http://www.jewishdatabank.org)

# Sample

## Comparison Bar Chart

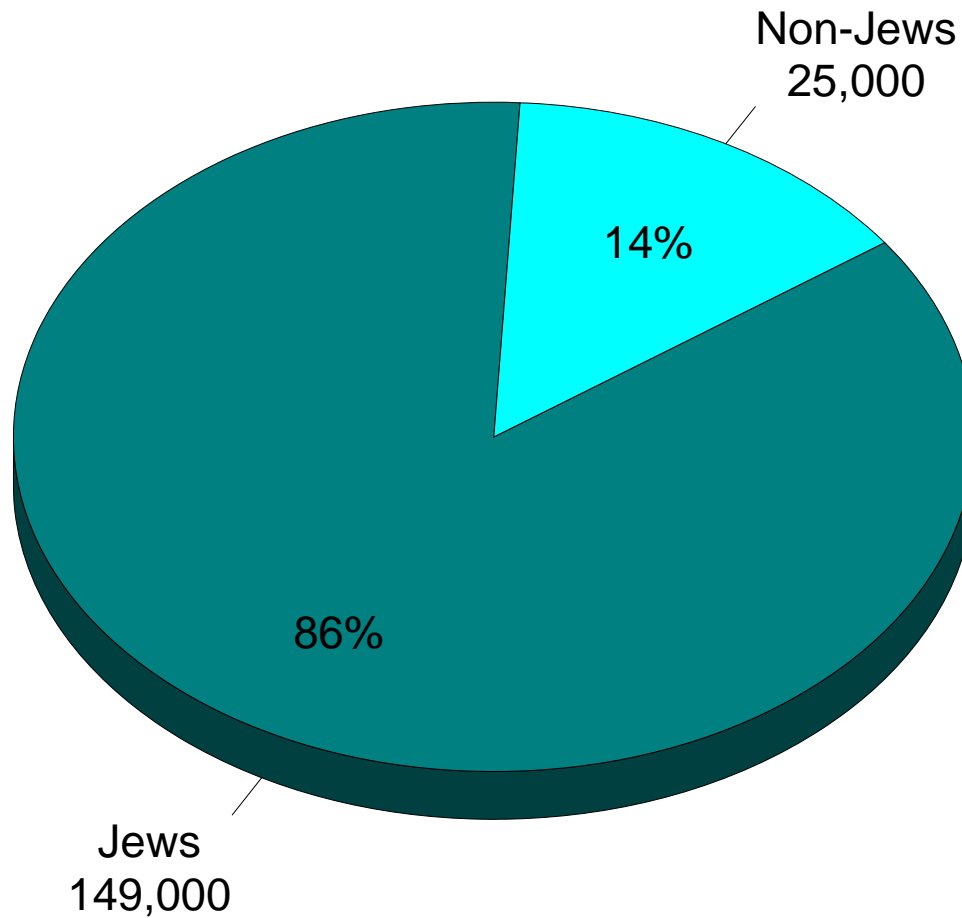




## **Jewish Population Size and Geography**

# The Jewish Community of Broward

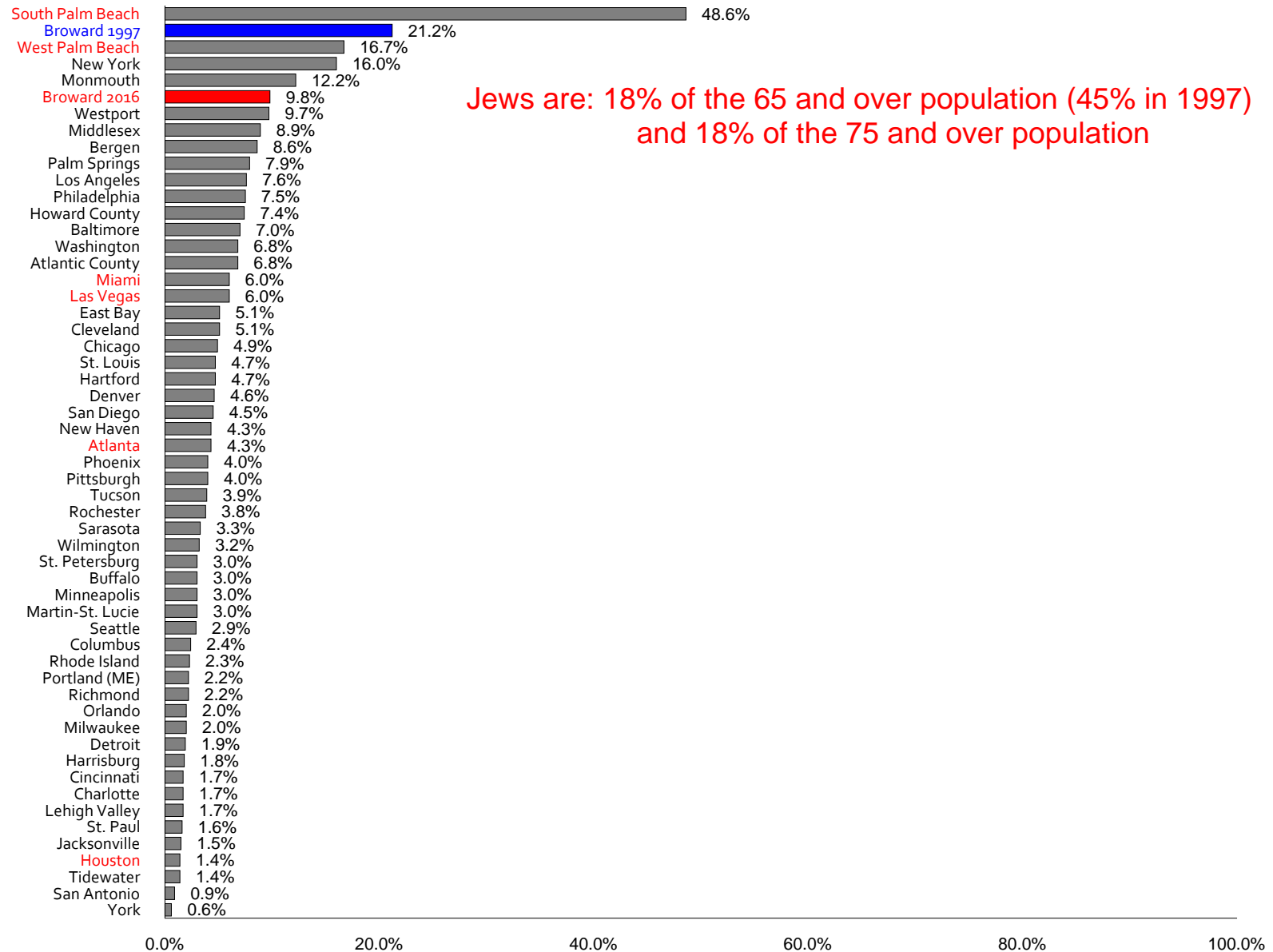
174,000 persons live in 72,000 Jewish households,  
of whom 149,000 persons are Jewish





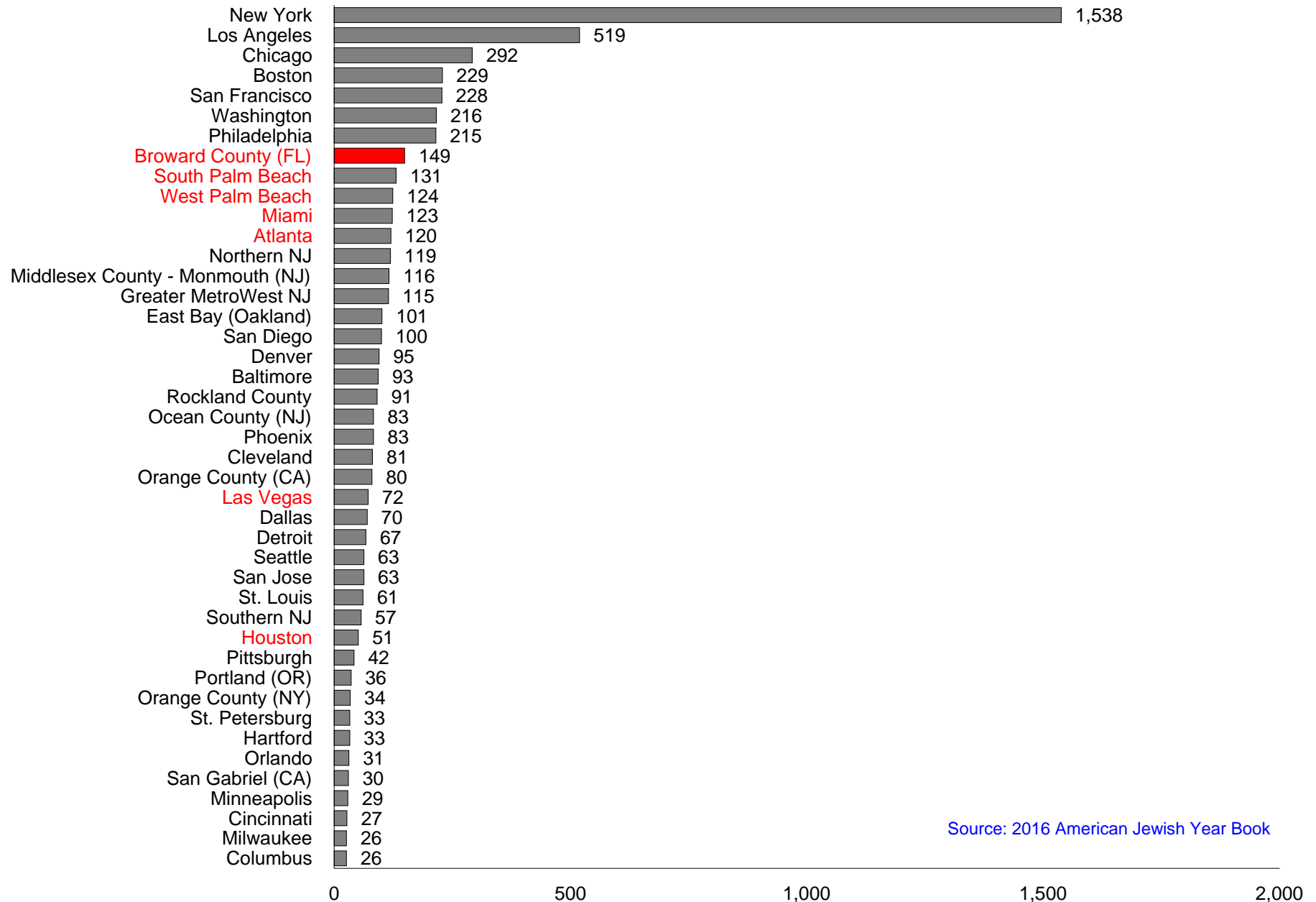
# Percentage of Households in the Community Who Are Jewish Households

(Jewish Households)



# American Jewish Communities of 50,000+: 2016

(Number of Jews in Jewish Federation Service Areas)



Source: 2016 American Jewish Year Book

## CHANGES IN THE SIZE OF THE JEWISH COMMUNITY OF BROWARD COUNTY - 1997-2008-2016

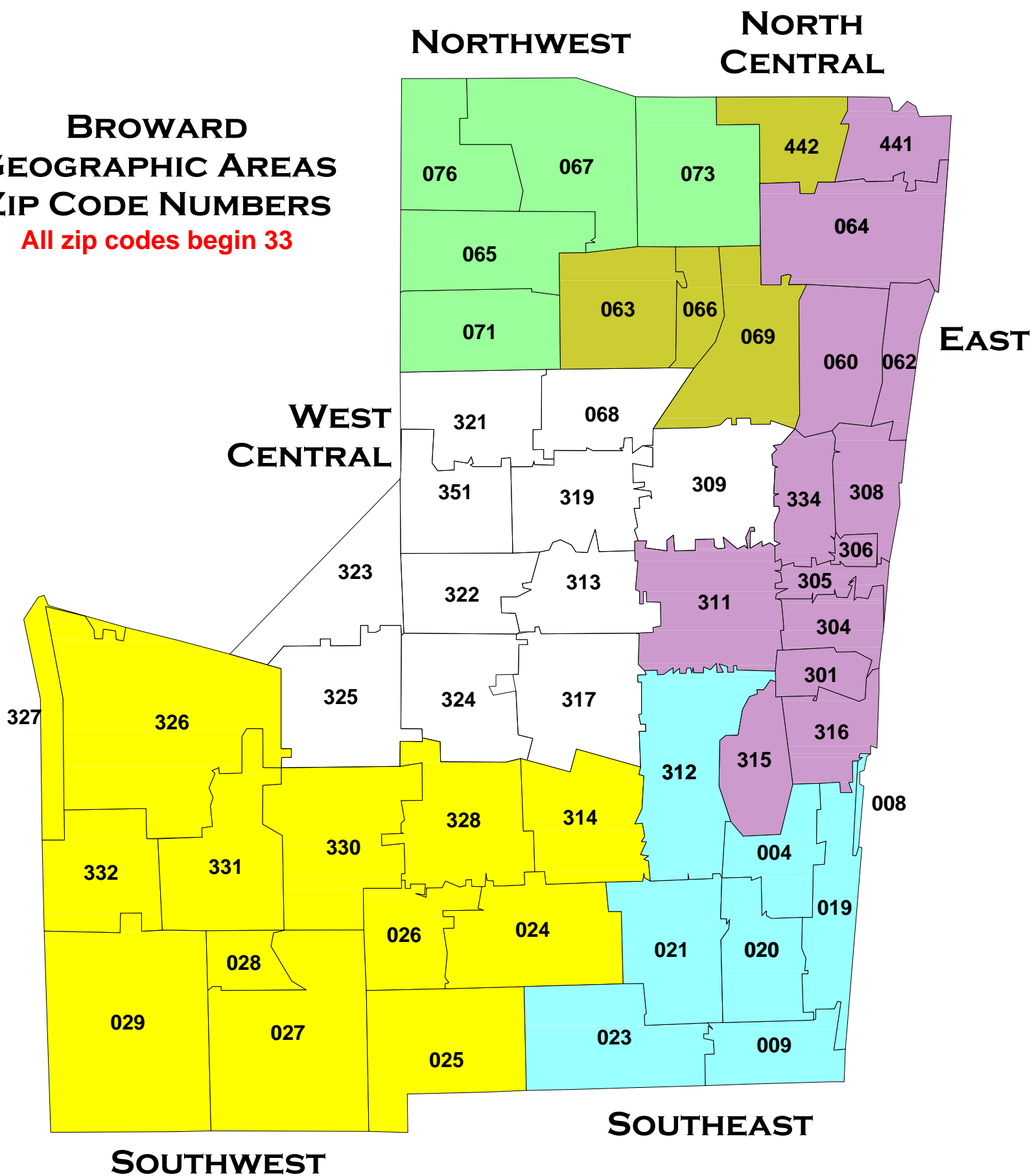
Number of	1997	2008	2016	Decrease 1997-2016
Households	133,000	100,000	72,000	-61,000
Persons in Jewish Households	269,000	207,000	174,000	-95,000
Jews	243,000	186,000	149,000	-94,000

# BROWARD GEOGRAPHIC AREAS CITY NAMES



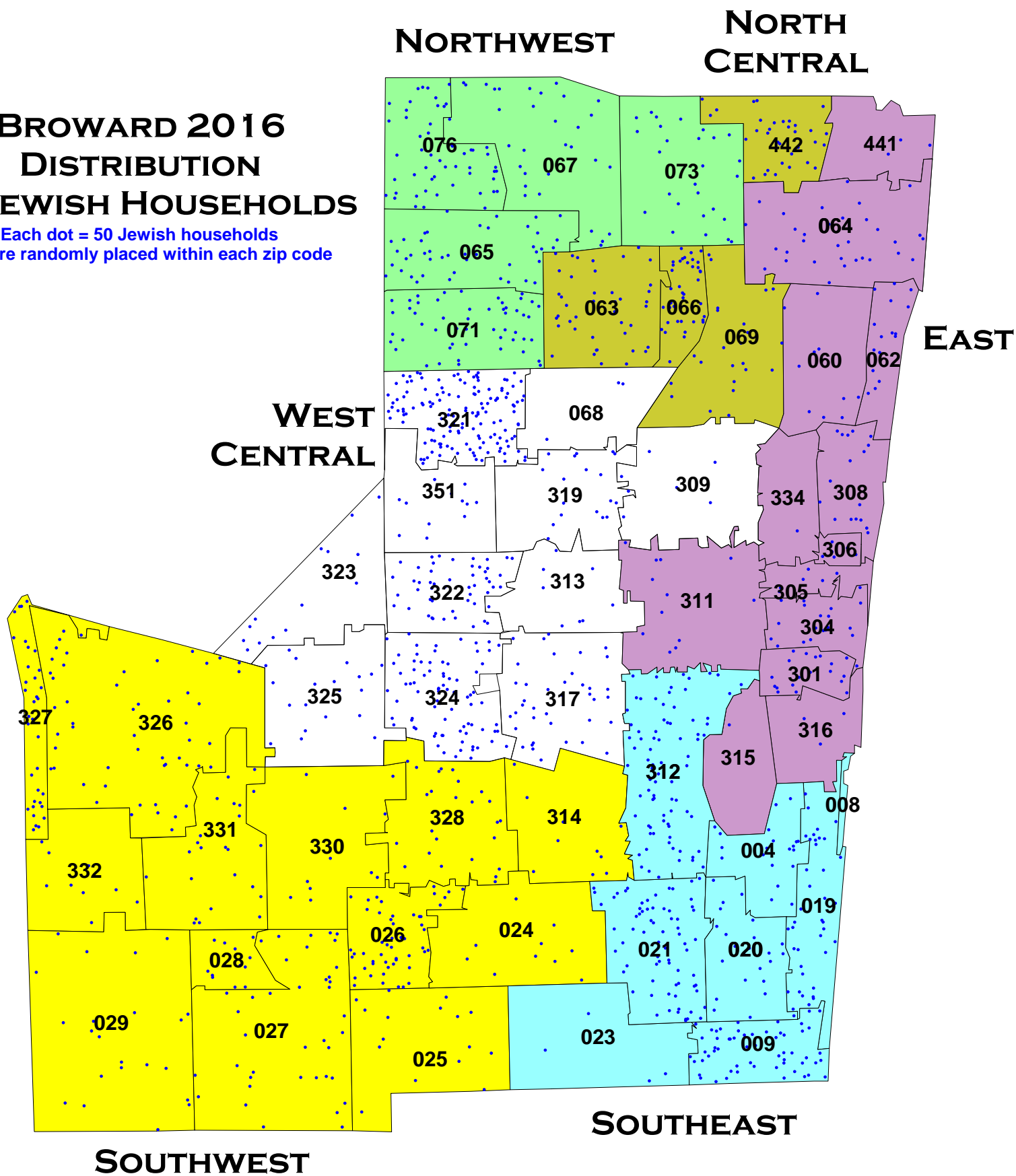


**BROWARD  
GEOGRAPHIC AREAS  
ZIP CODE NUMBERS**  
*All zip codes begin 33*

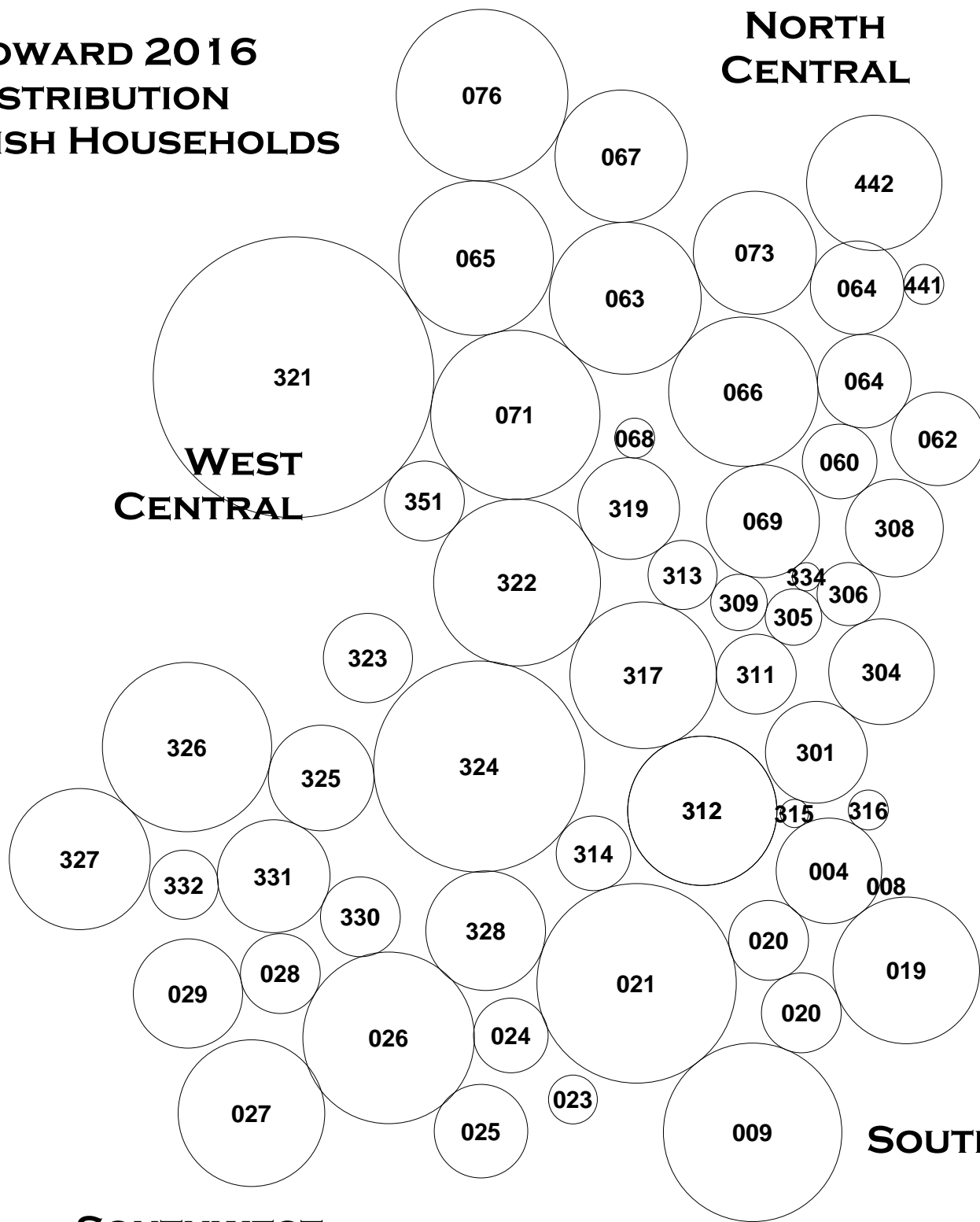


# BROWARD 2016 DISTRIBUTION OF JEWISH HOUSEHOLDS

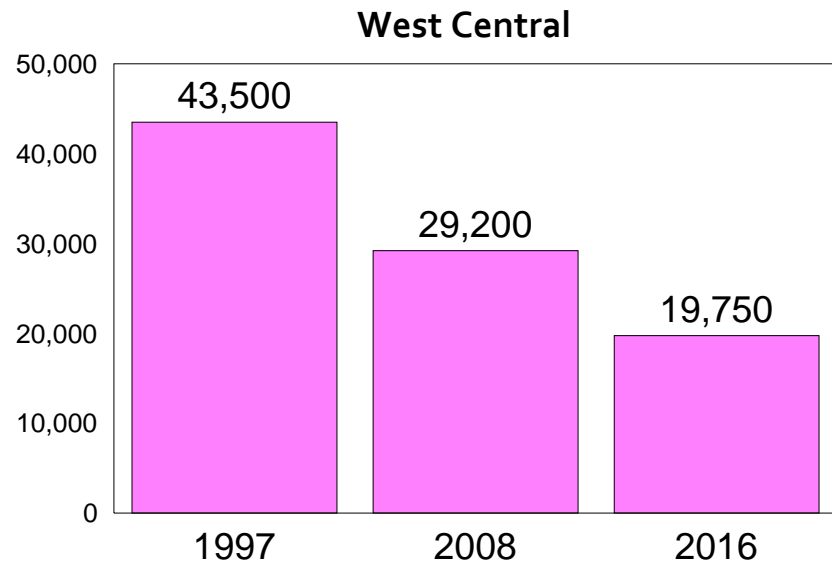
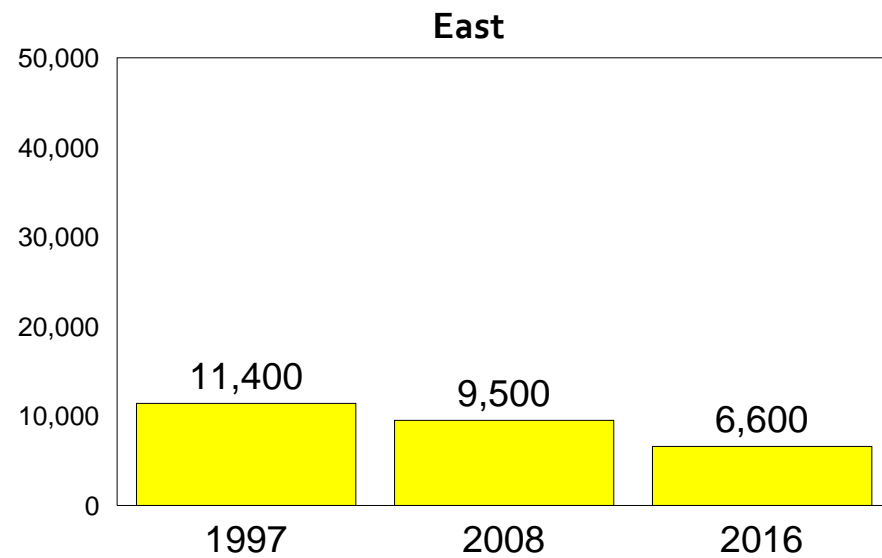
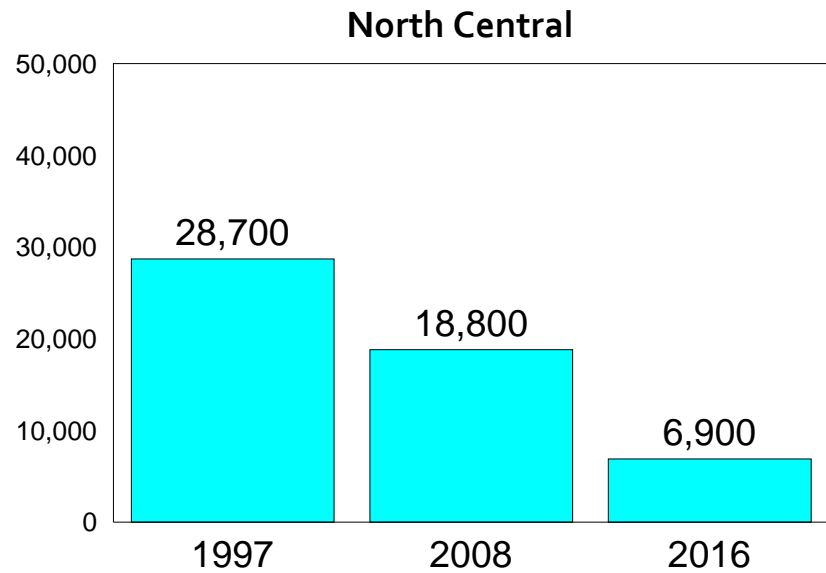
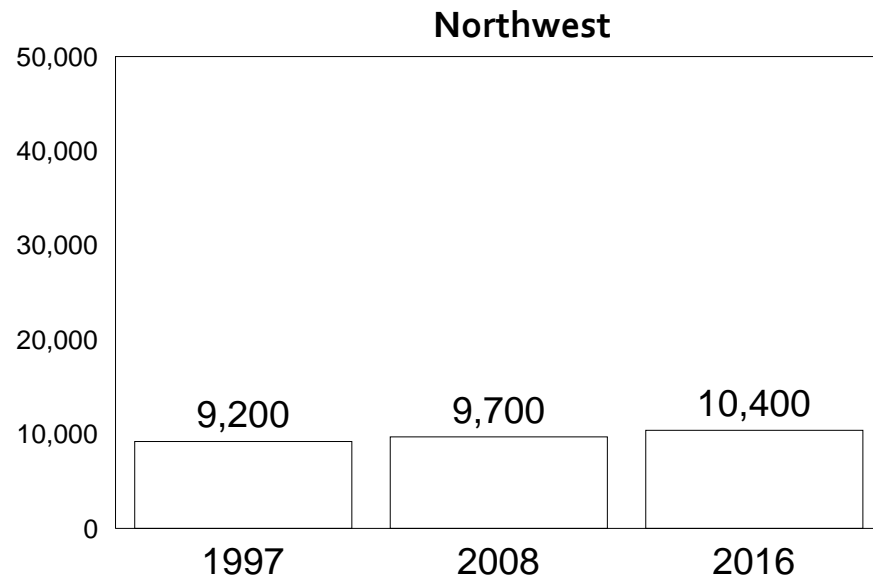
Each dot = 50 Jewish households  
Dots are randomly placed within each zip code



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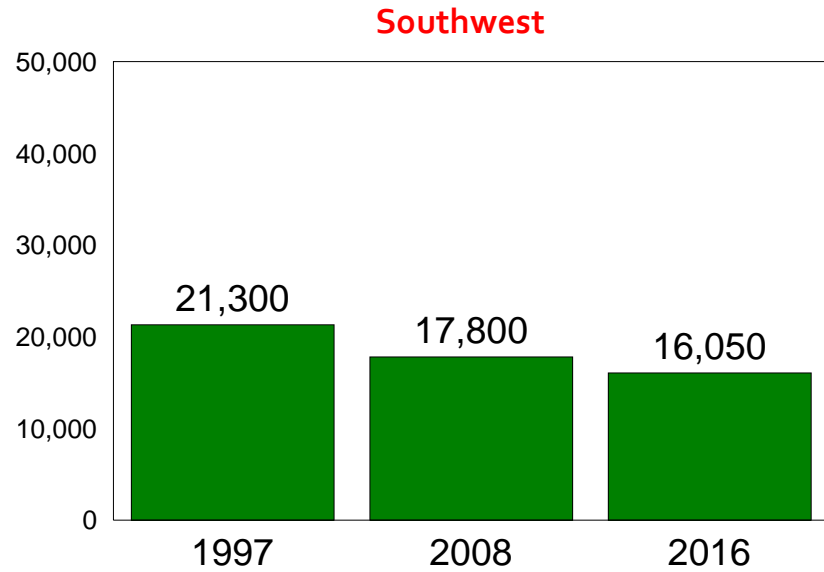
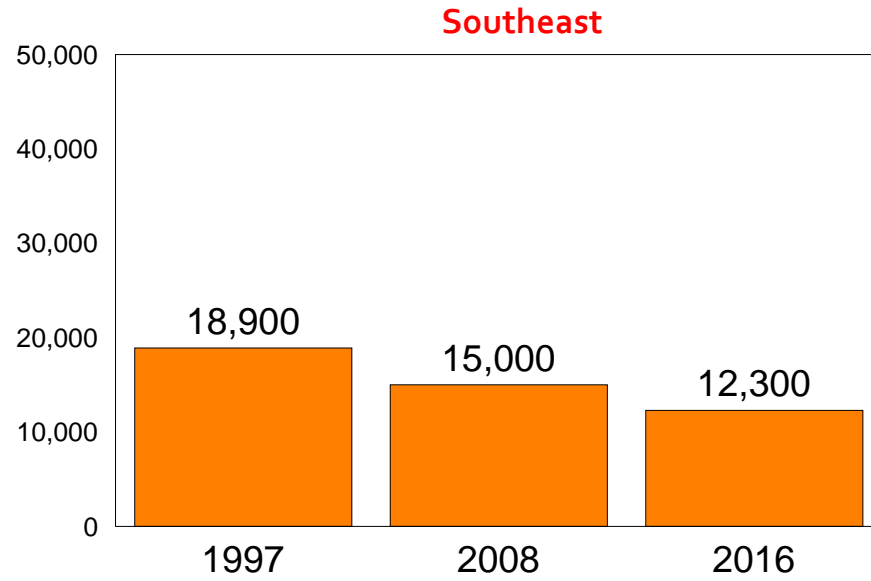


# Jewish Households 1997-2016



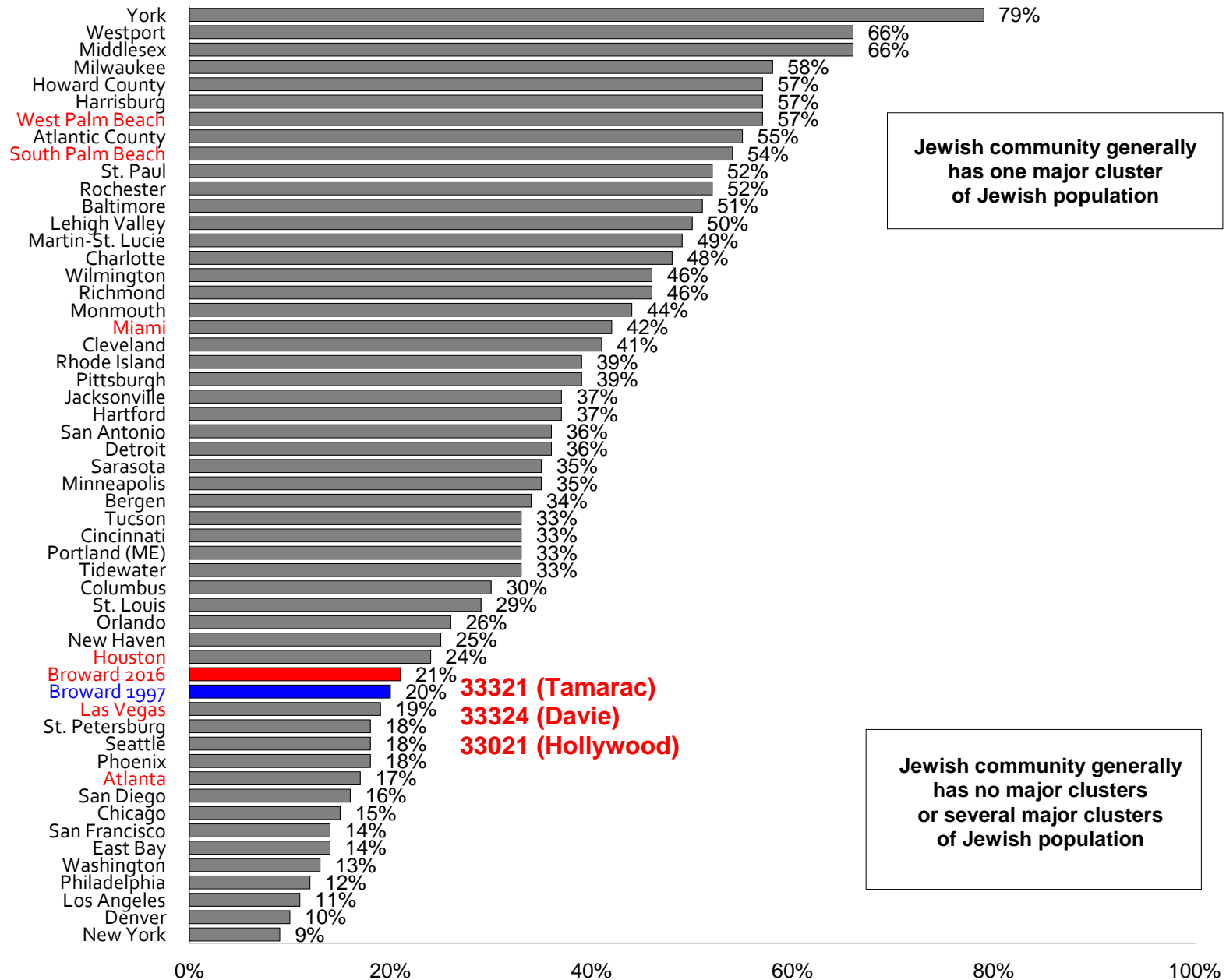


# Jewish Households 1997-2016



# Households in Top Three Zip Code Areas

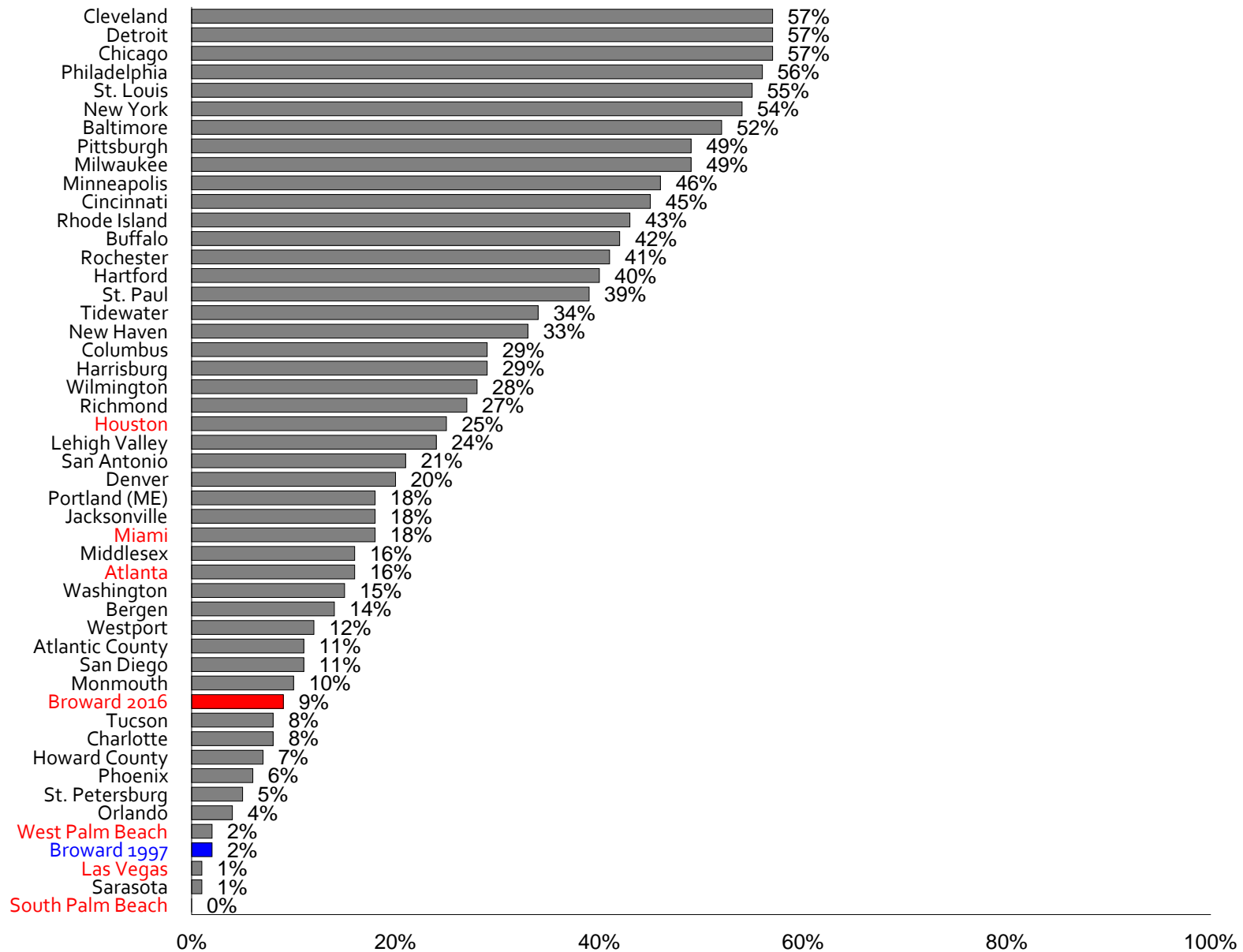
(Jewish Households)



## Birth Place and Migration

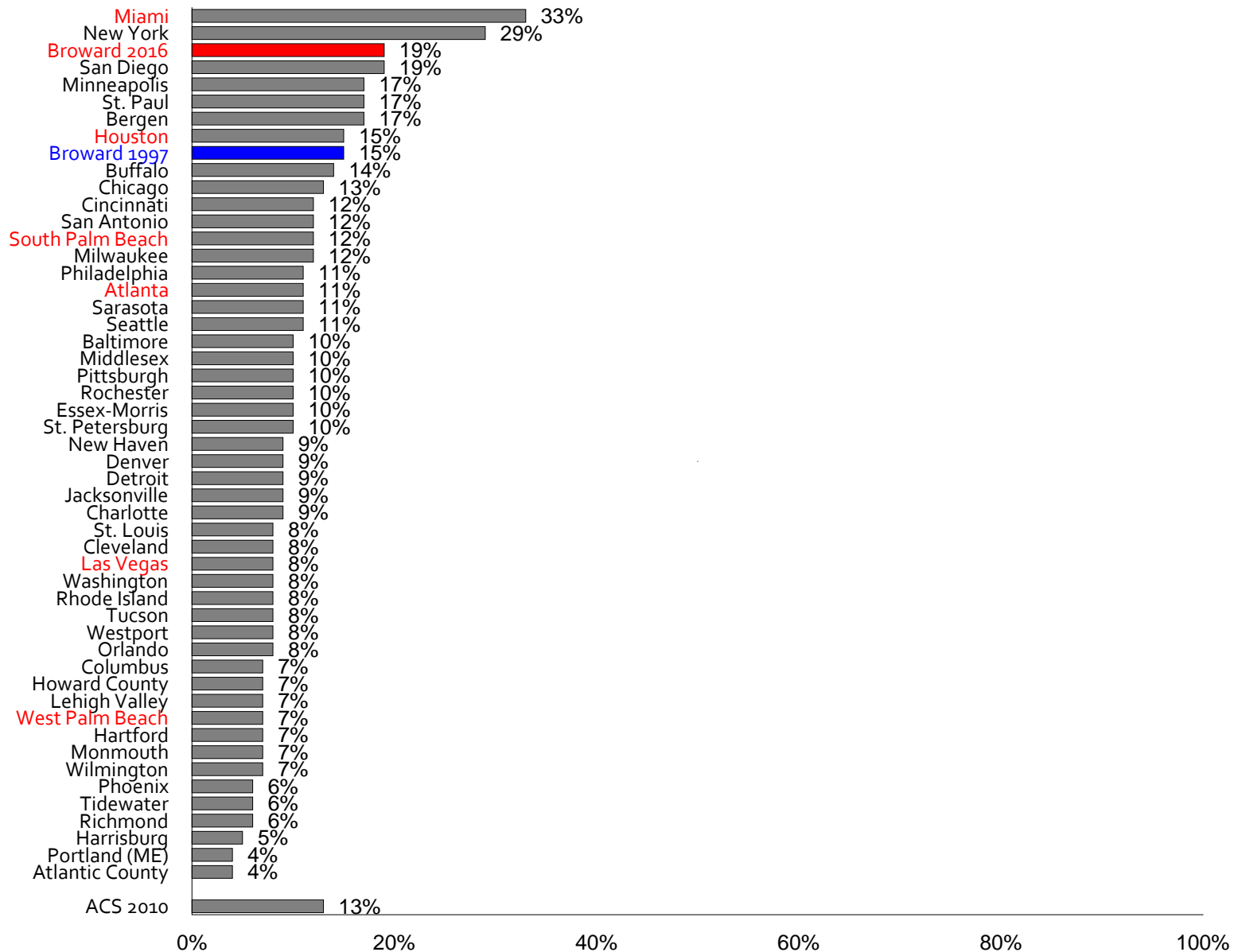
## Locally Born

(Adults in Jewish Households)



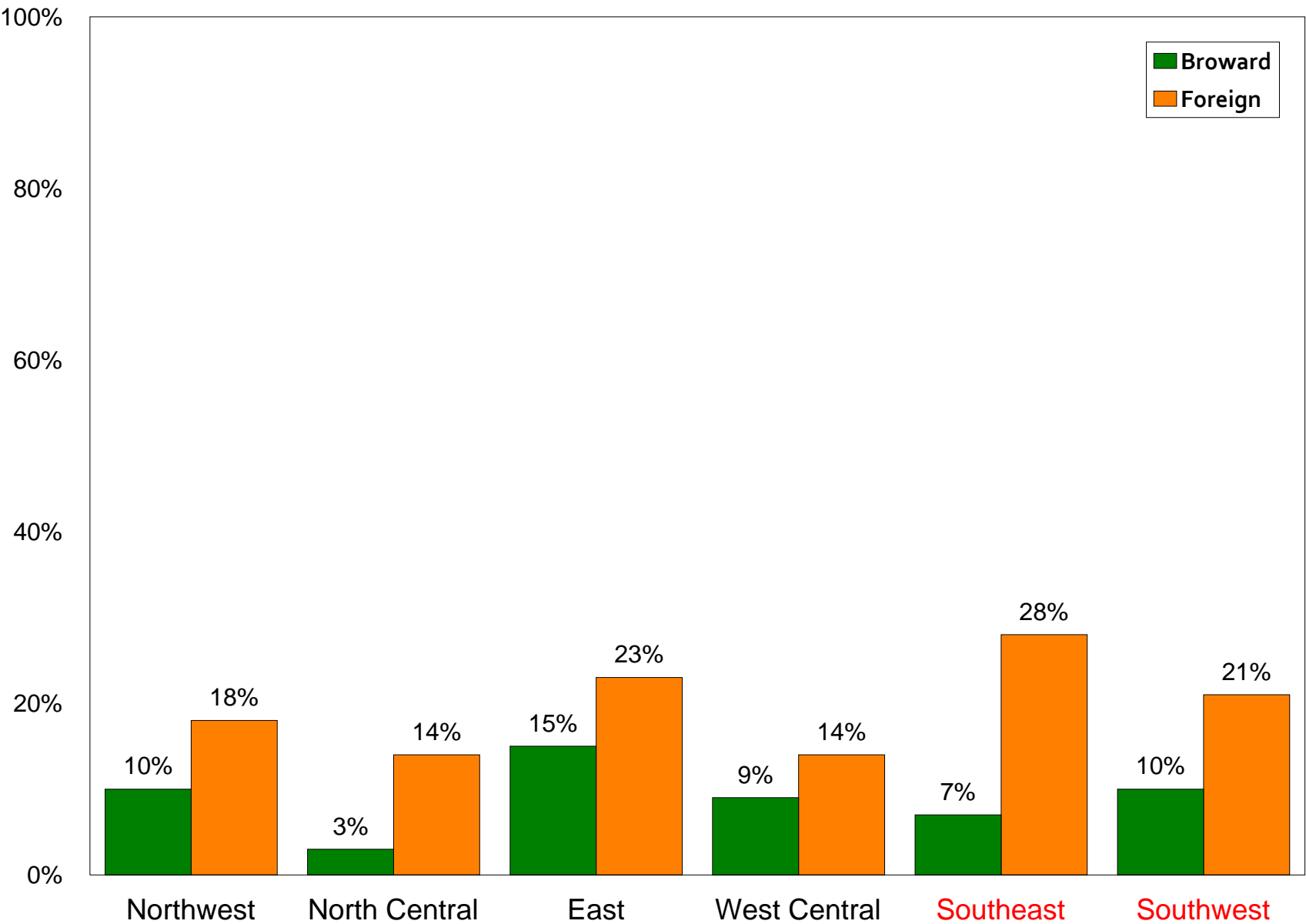


## Foreign Born (Adults in Jewish Households)



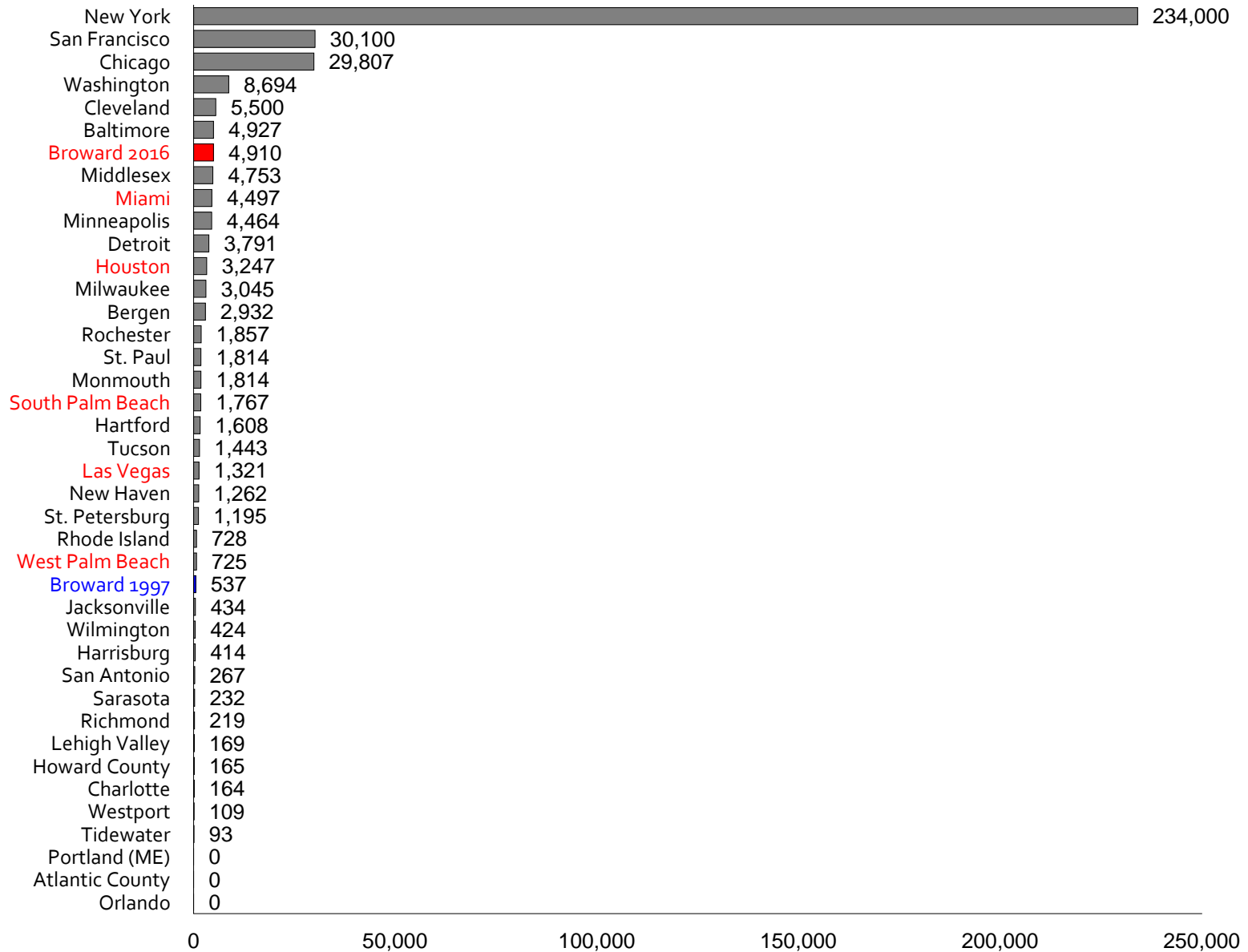
# Place of Birth by Geographic Area

(Adults in Jewish Households)



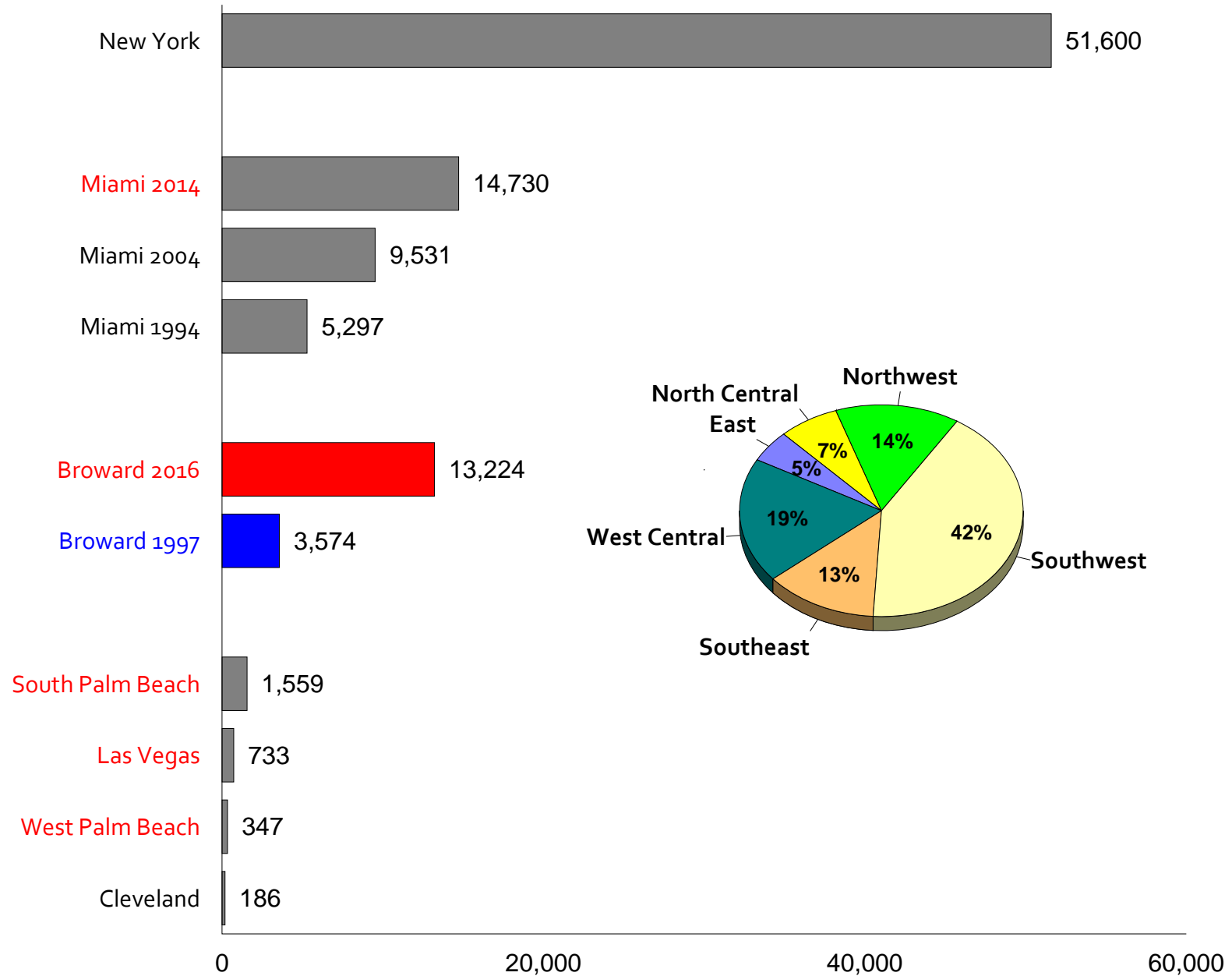
# Number of Persons in FSU Households

(Persons in Jewish Households)



# Number of Hispanic Jewish Adults

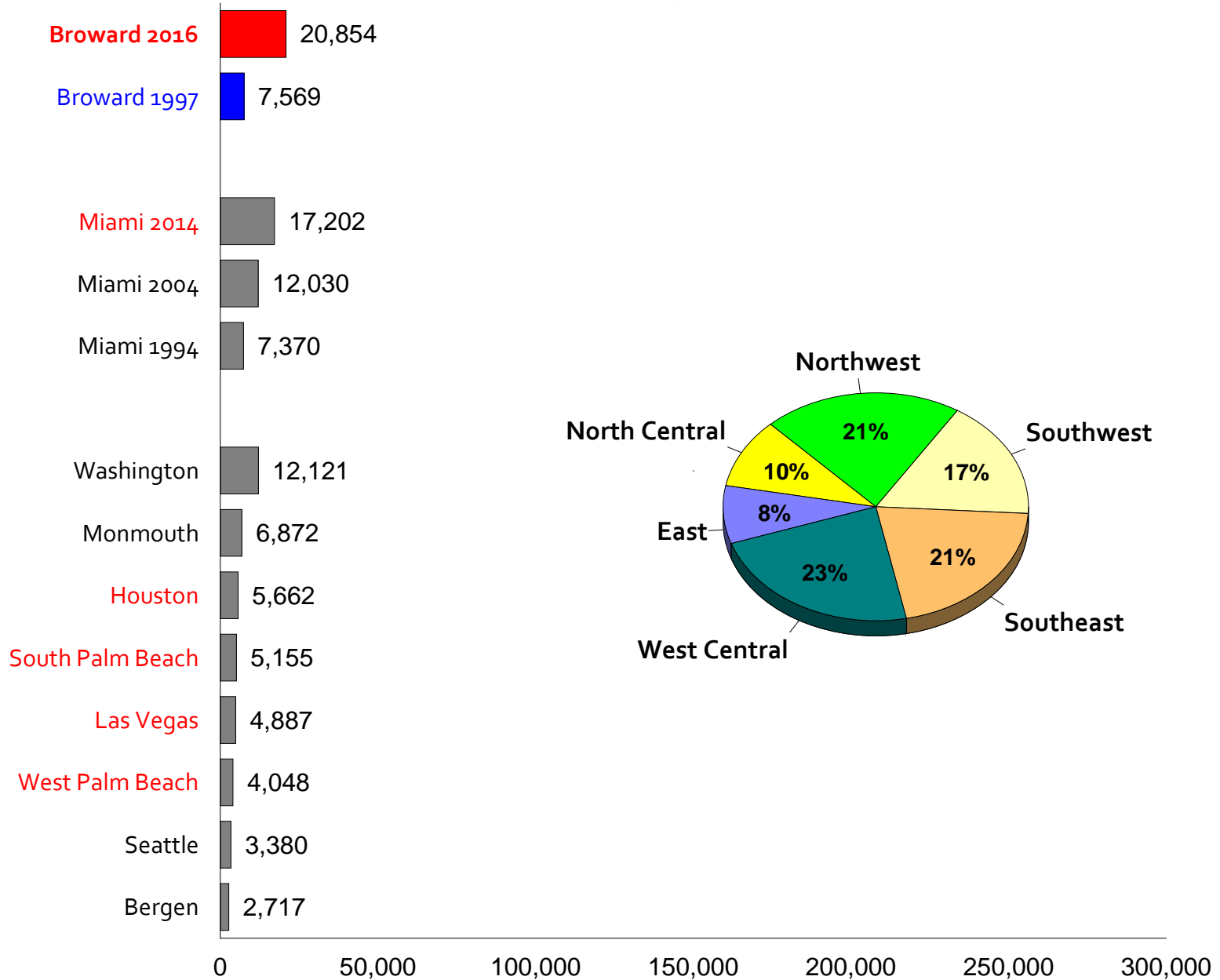
(Jewish Adults)





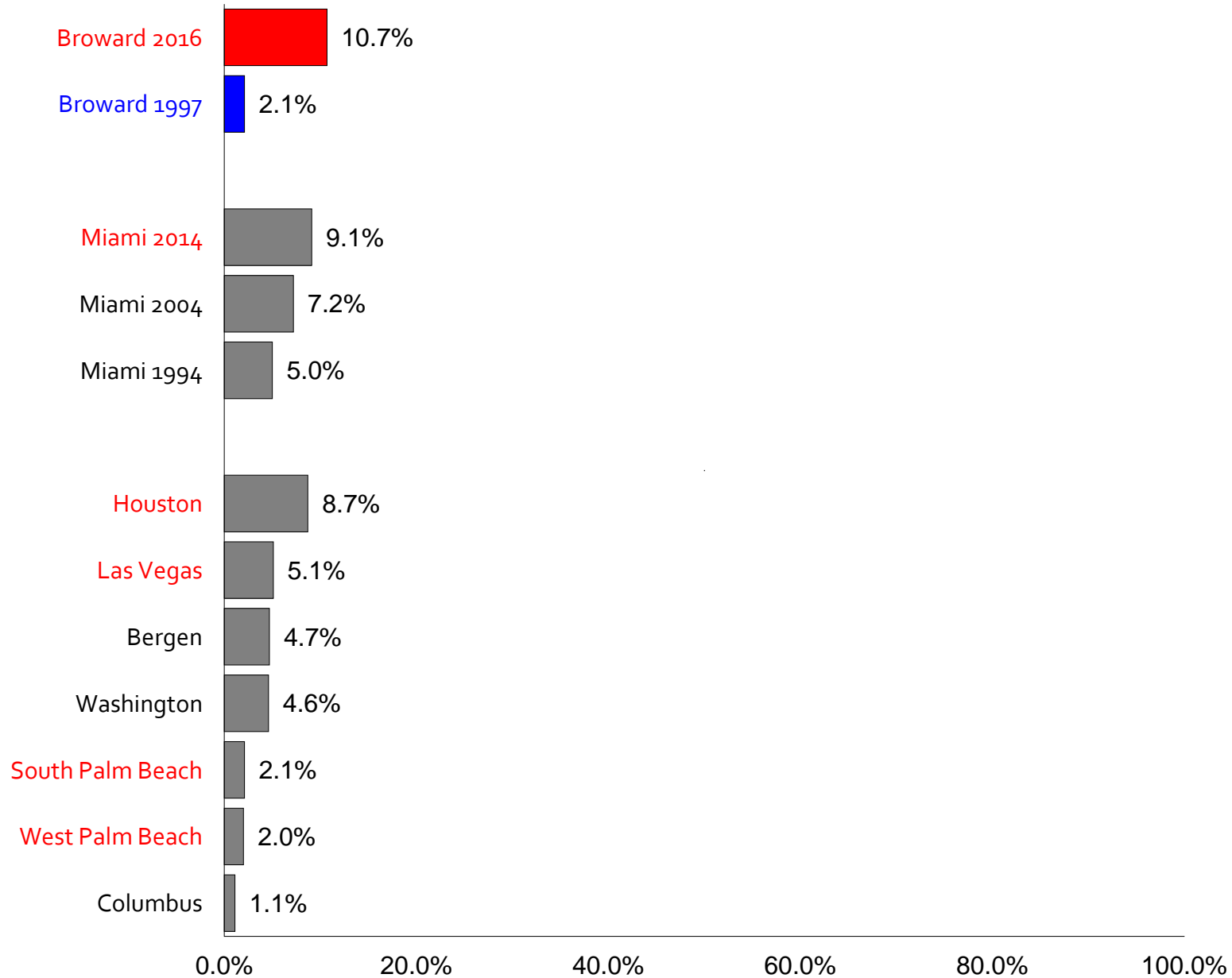
# Number of Sephardic Jewish Adults

(Jewish Adults)



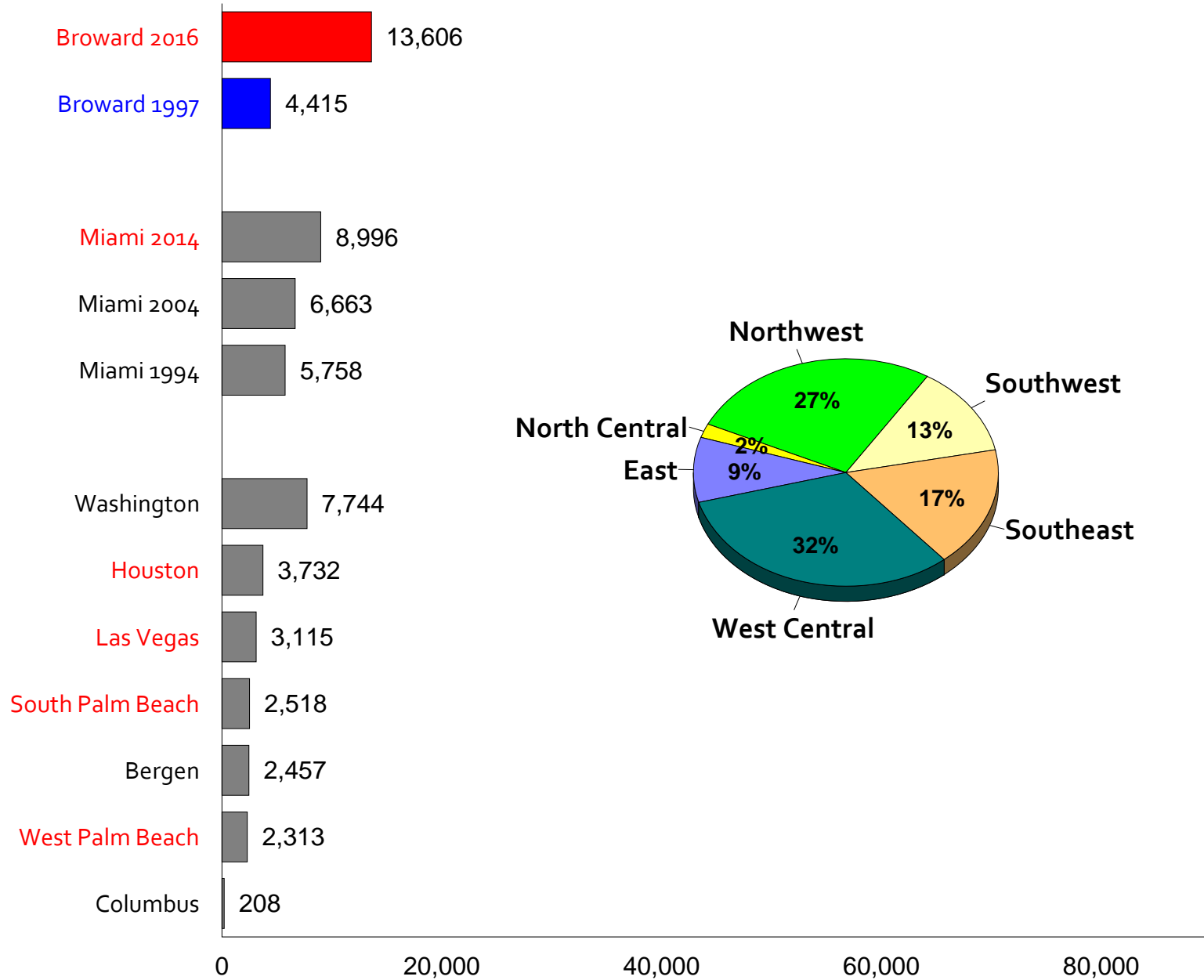
## Israeli Jewish Adults

(Jewish Adults)



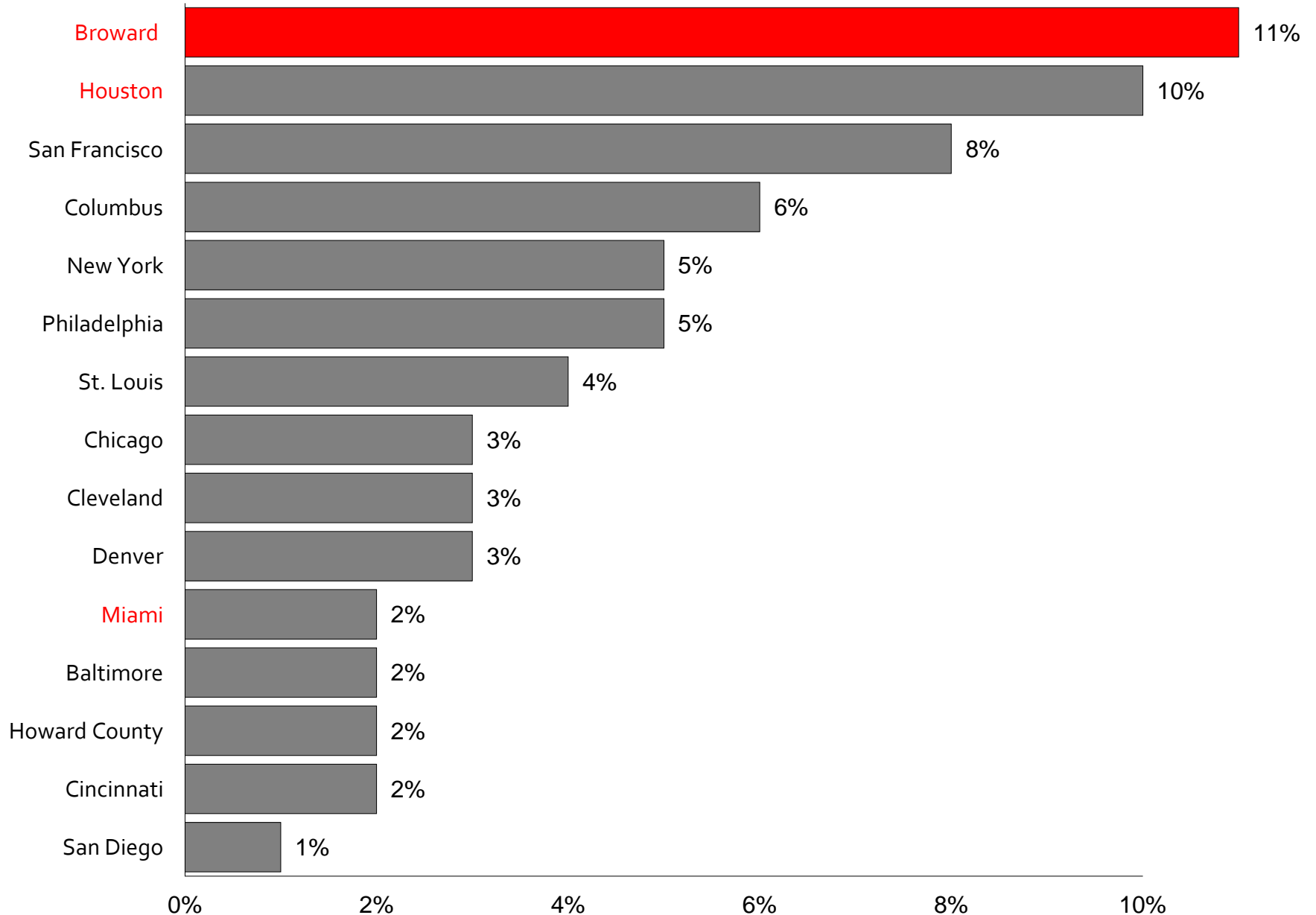
# Number of Israeli Jewish Adults

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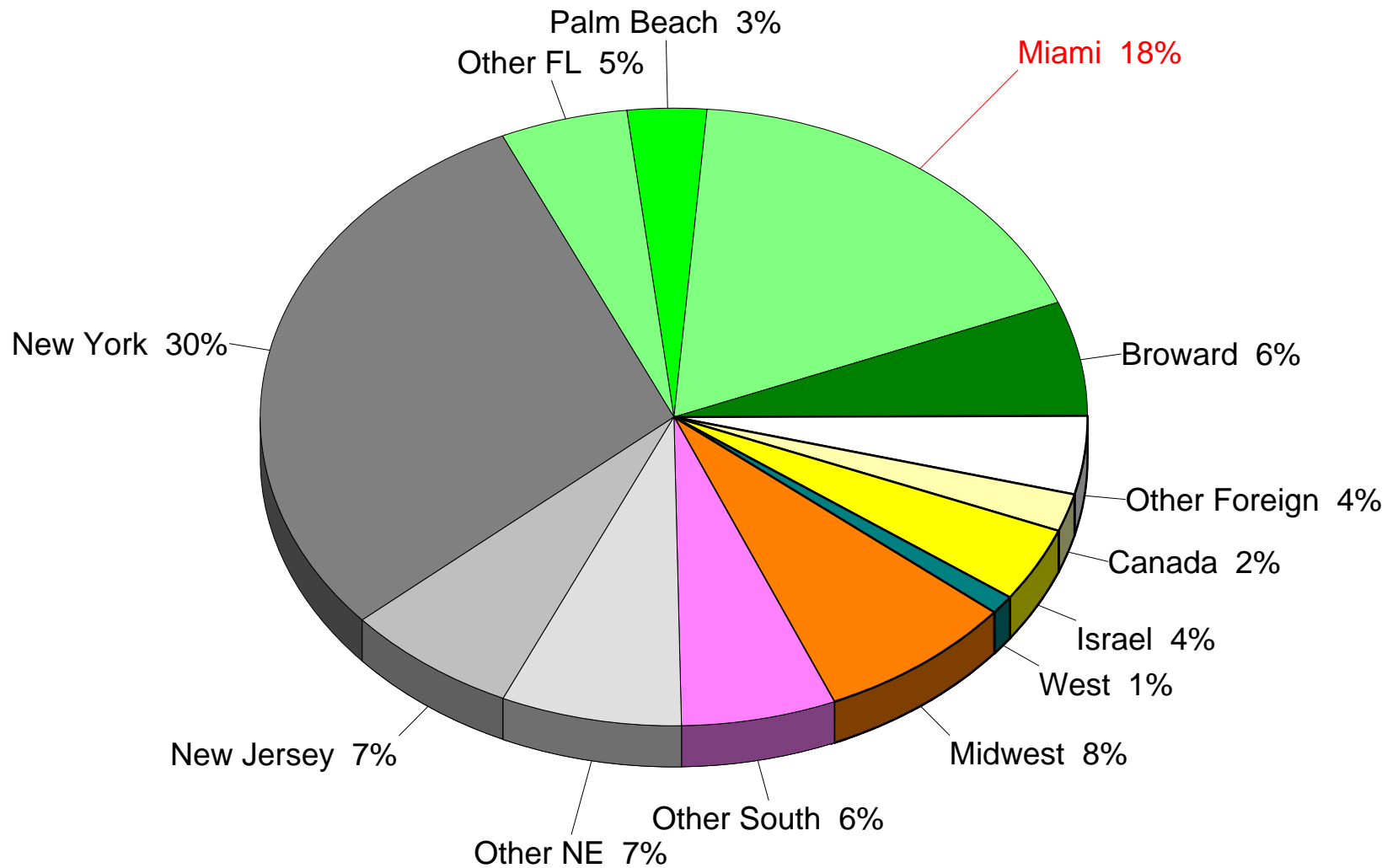
## Someone in Household Considers Themselves to Be LGBT

(Jewish Households)



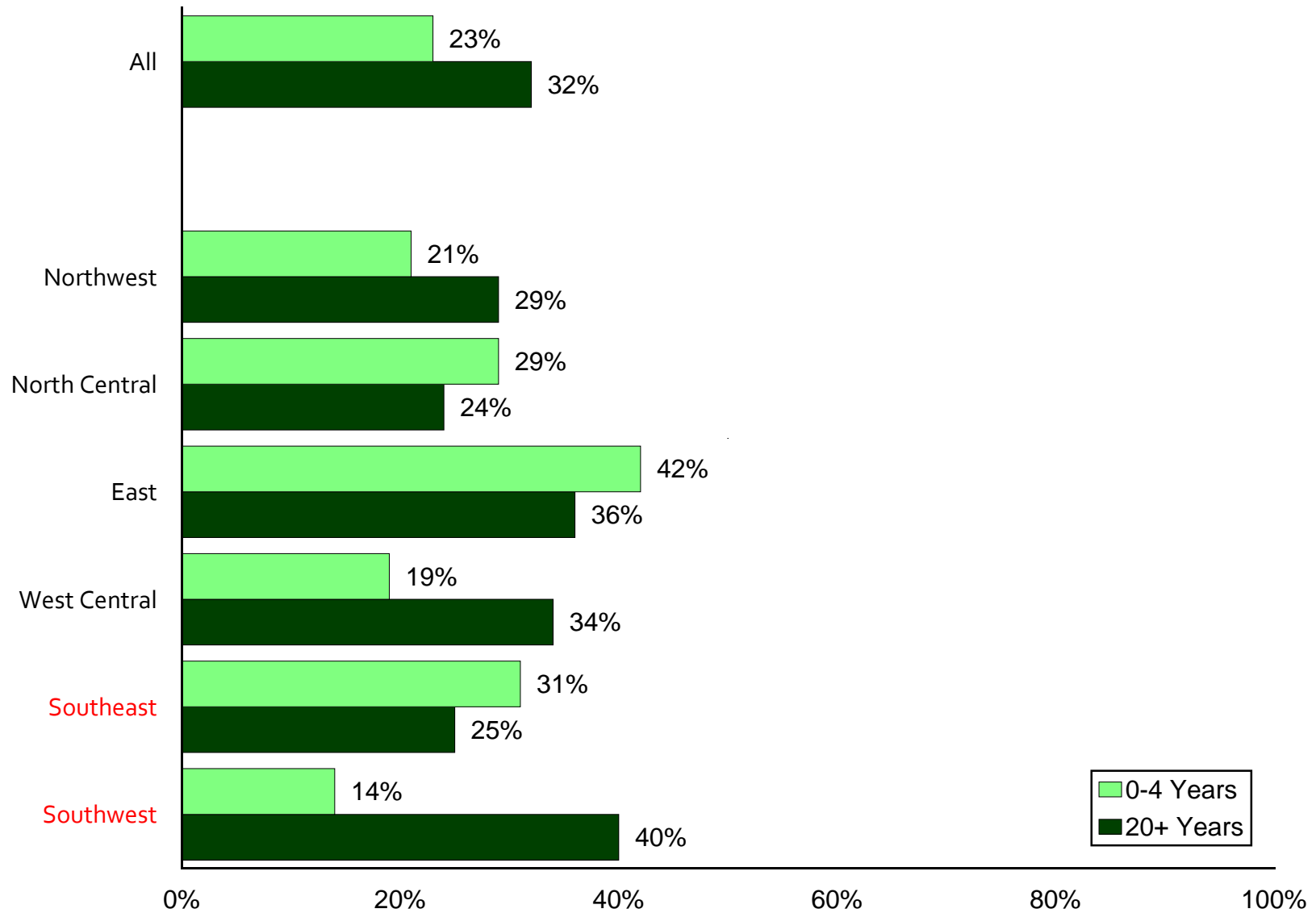
## Location of Residence Prior to Broward

(Respondents in Jewish Full-Year Households)



## Years at Current Address by Geographic Area

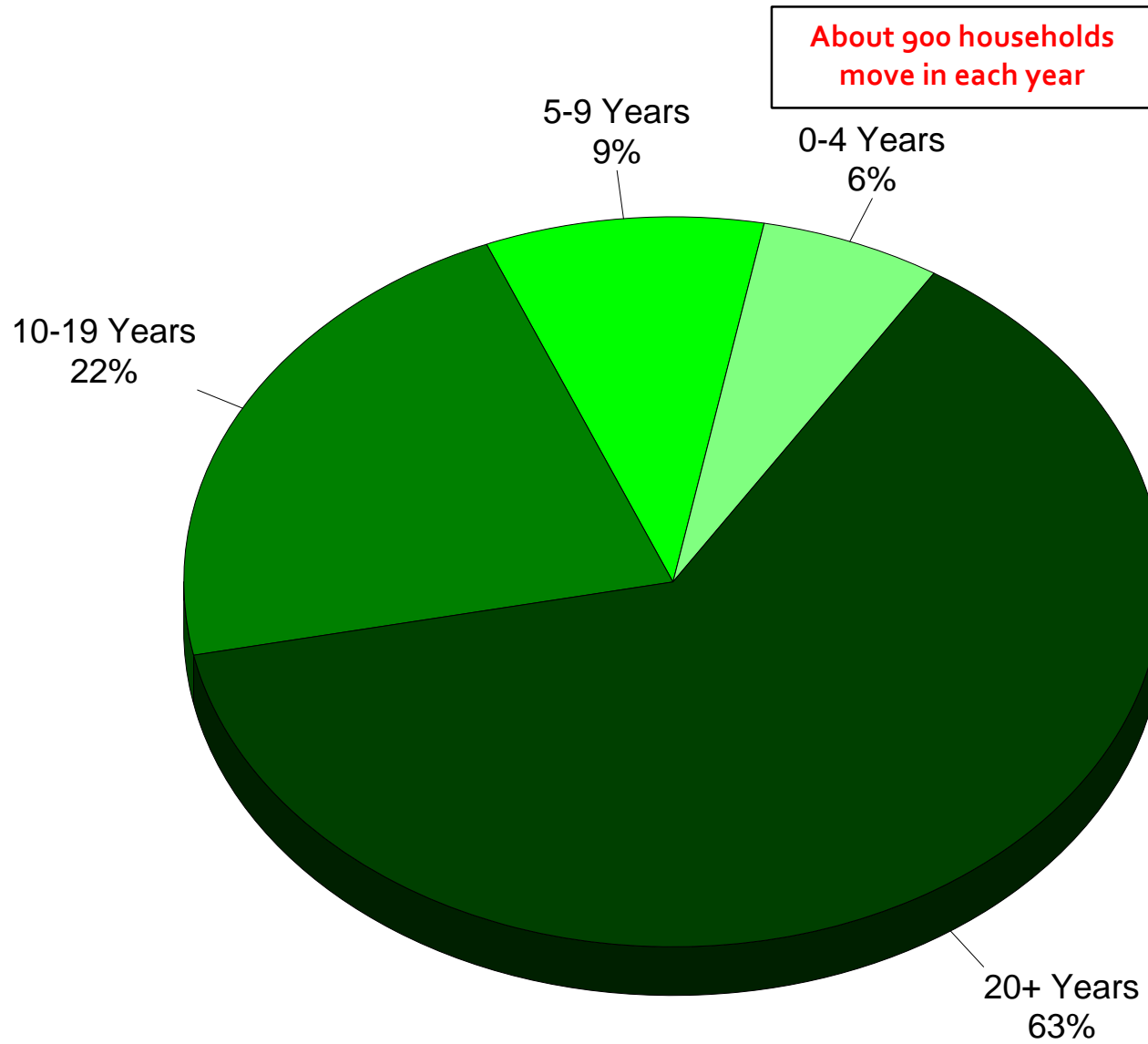
(Respondents)



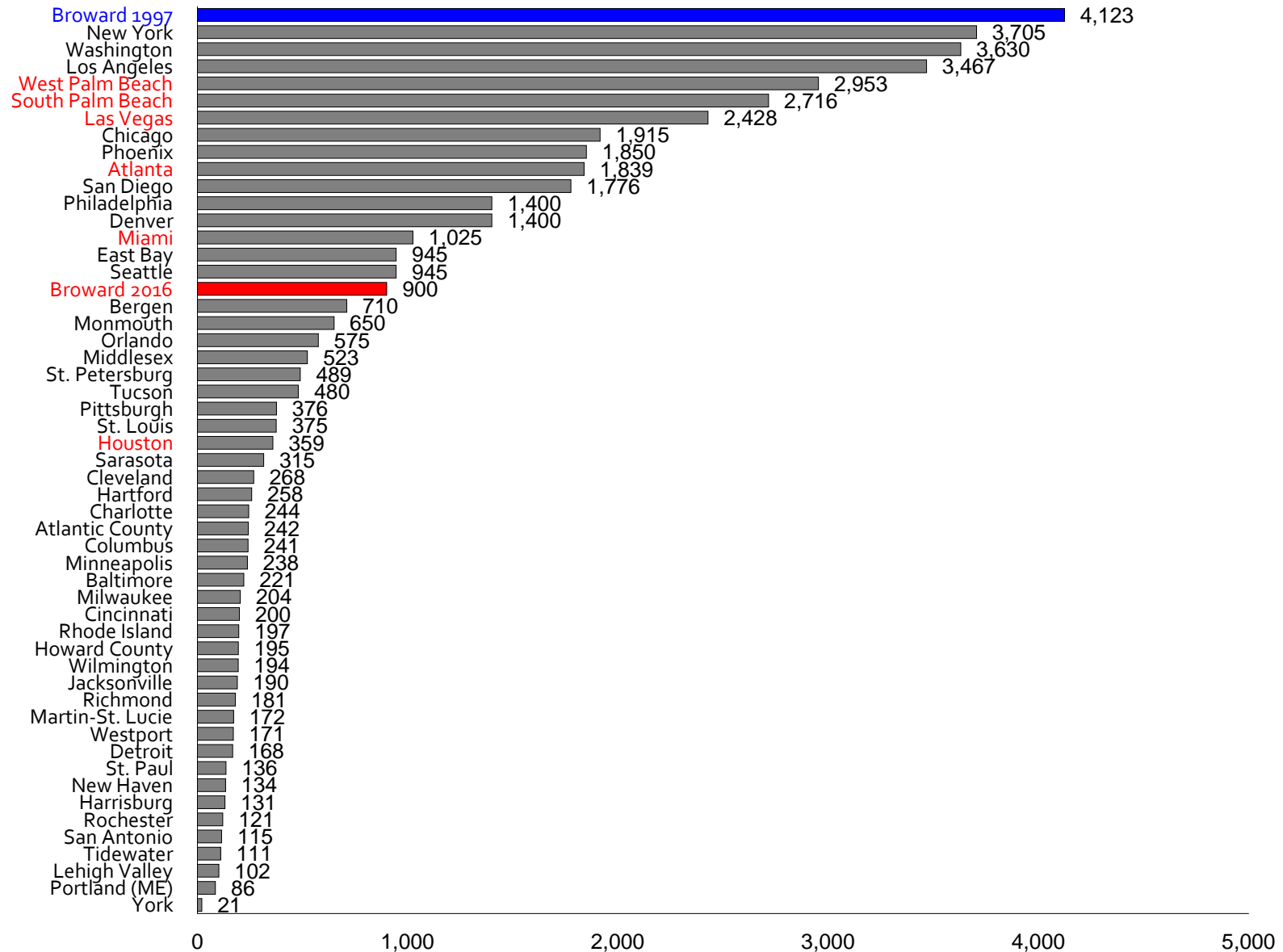


# Length of Residence in Broward

(Respondents)

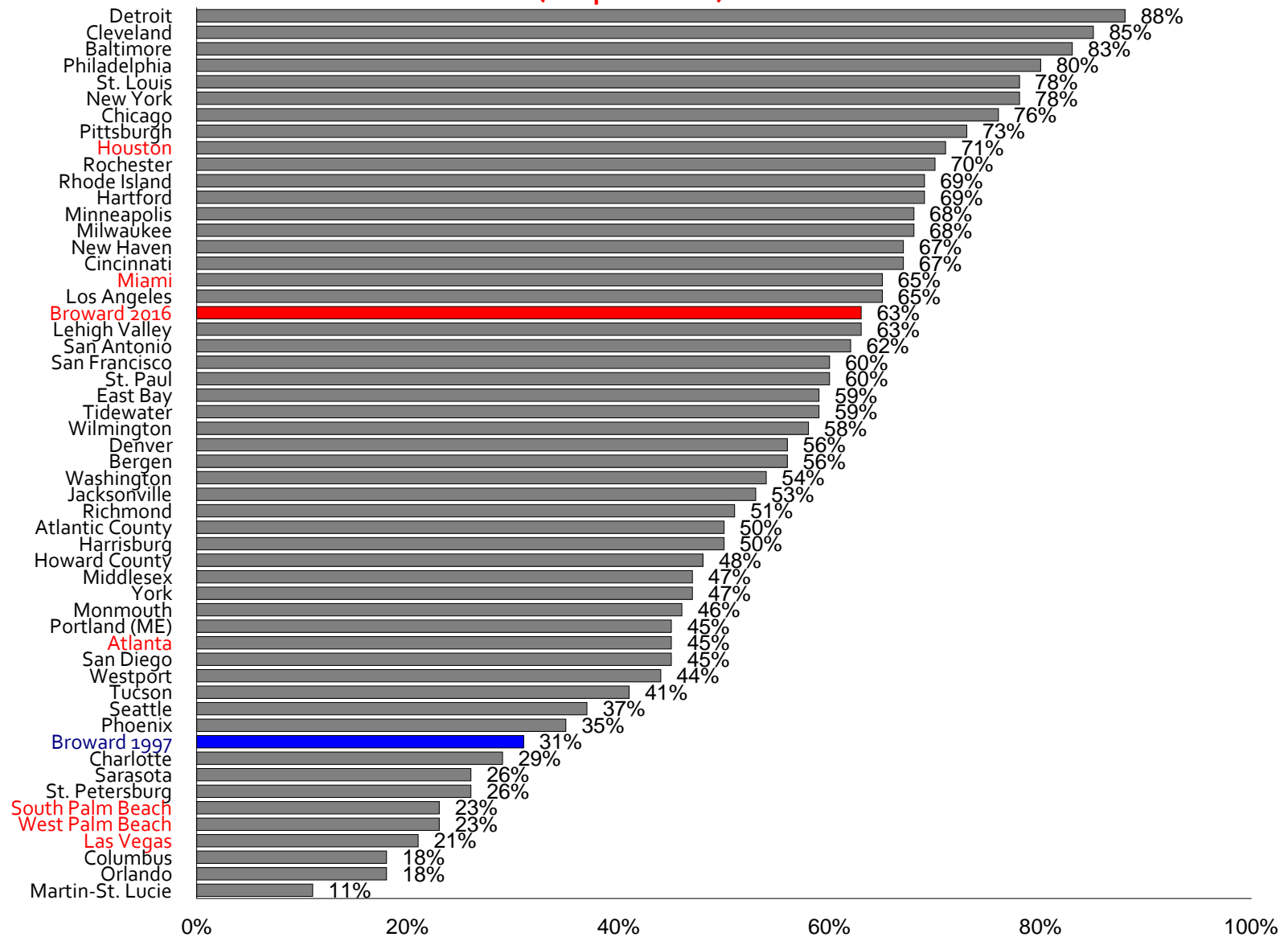


## Average Number of New Households Per Year During the Past Five Years (Jewish Households)



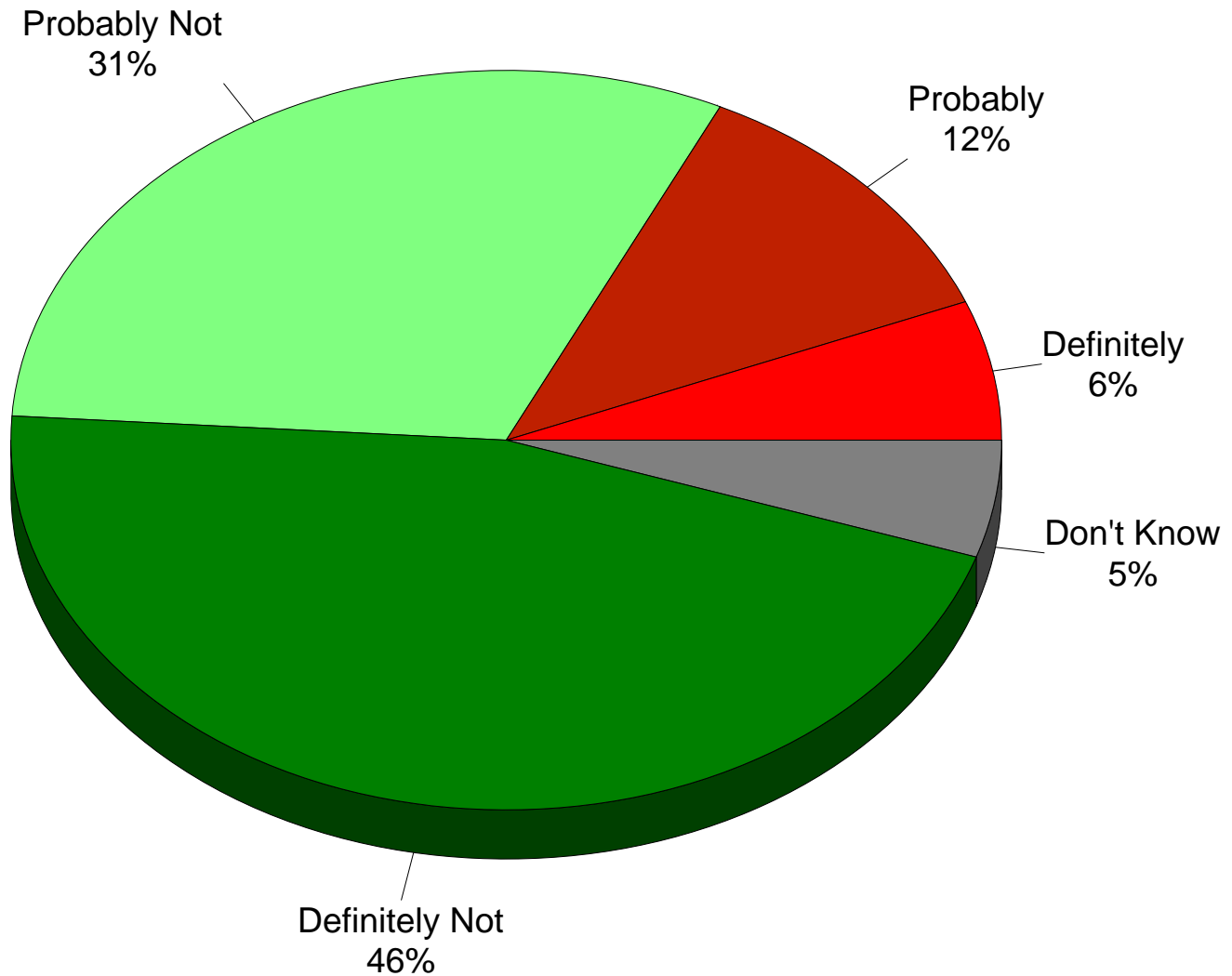
# Long-Term Households (20 or More Years)

(Respondents)



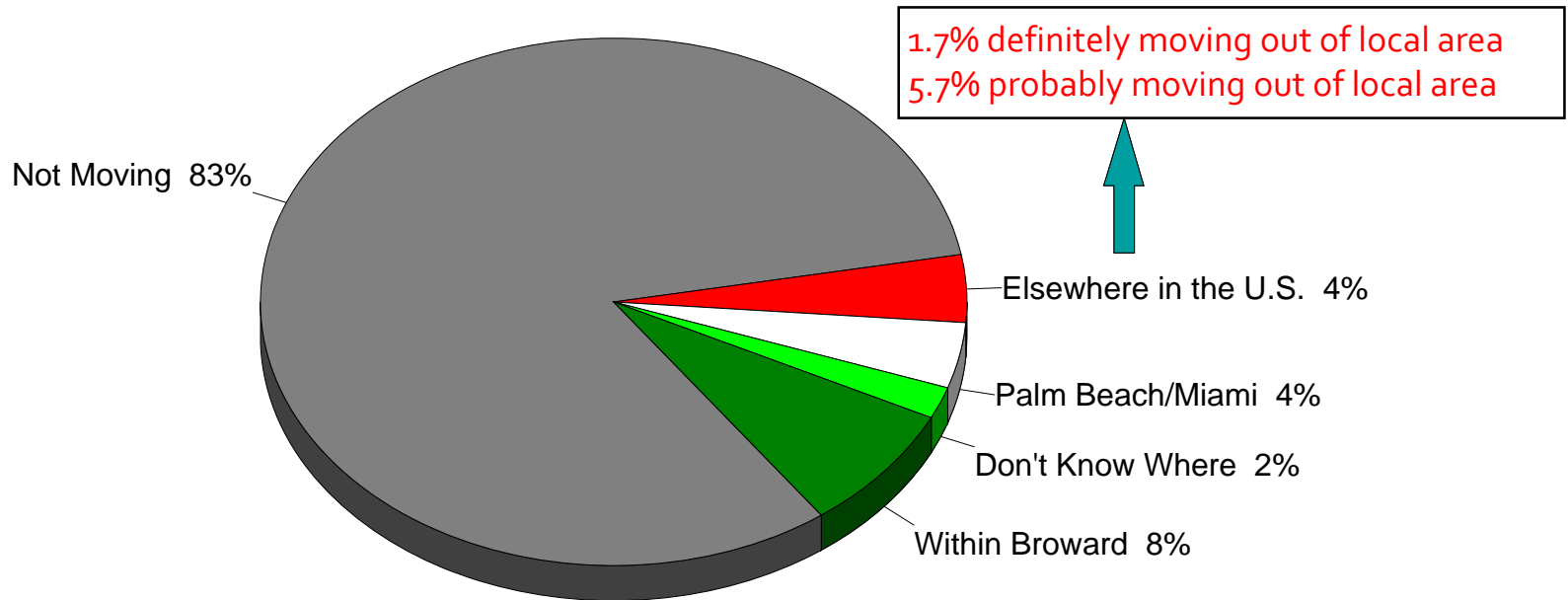
## Probability of Moving Within the Next Three Years

(Jewish Households)



# Expected Destination for Households Who Are Moving Within the Next Three Years

(Jewish Households)



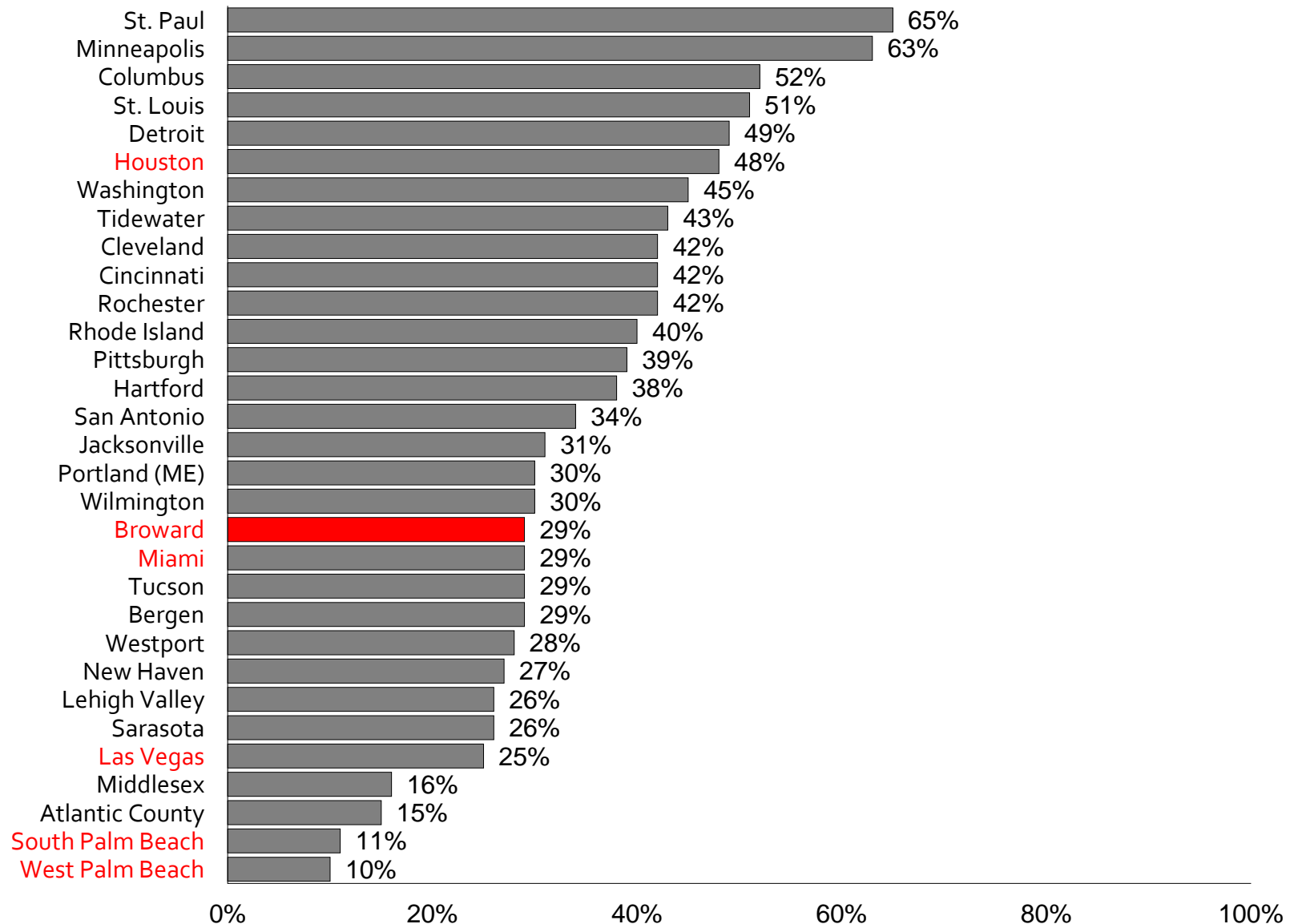
## Migration of Full-Year Households

- Average Annual In-Migration
  - 900 full-year households moved in each year during the past five years
- Projected Average Annual Out-Migration
  - 400 full-year households definitely moving out of Broward each year during the next three years
  - 1,300 full-year households probably moving out of Broward each year during the next three years
- Projected Change
  - the Jewish population should continue to decrease in the next few years as a result of migration



## Percentage of Adult Children Who Have Established Their Own Homes in Local Community

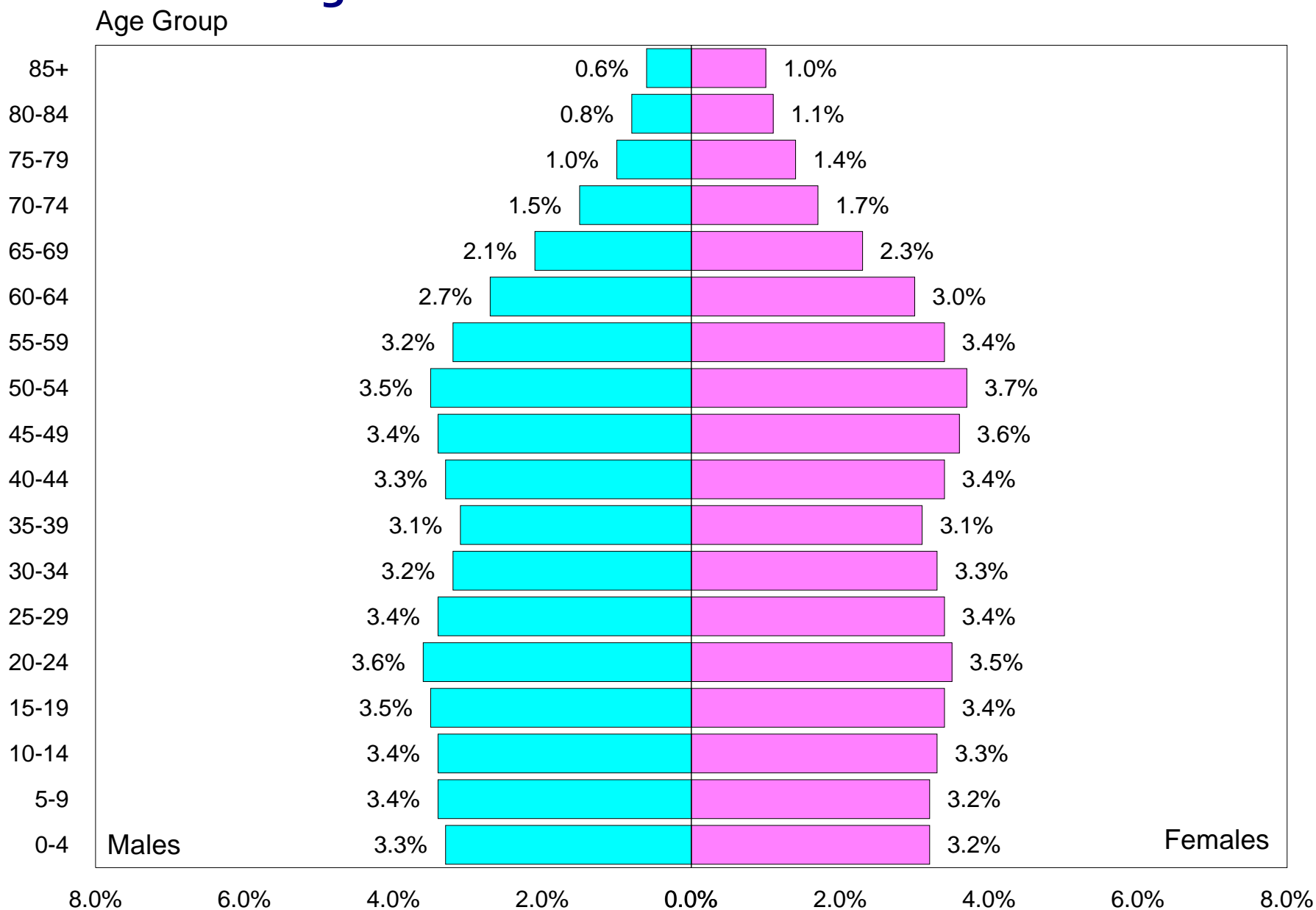
(From Households in Which the Respondent Is Age 50 or Over)



# Demography

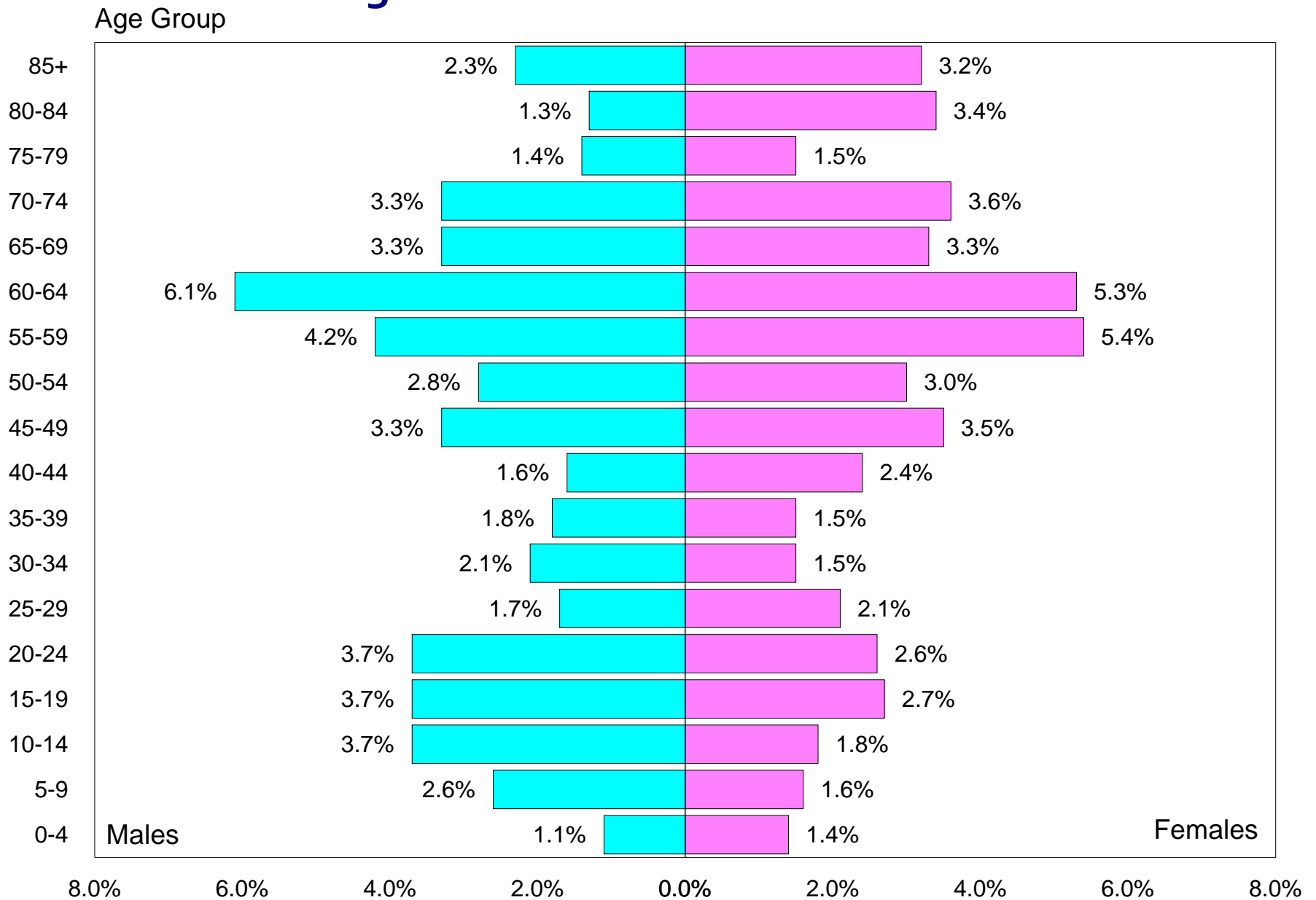
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## Age Distribution-All Americans - 2012



Median Age is 37 Years 13% are Age 65 and Over 6% are Age 75 and Over

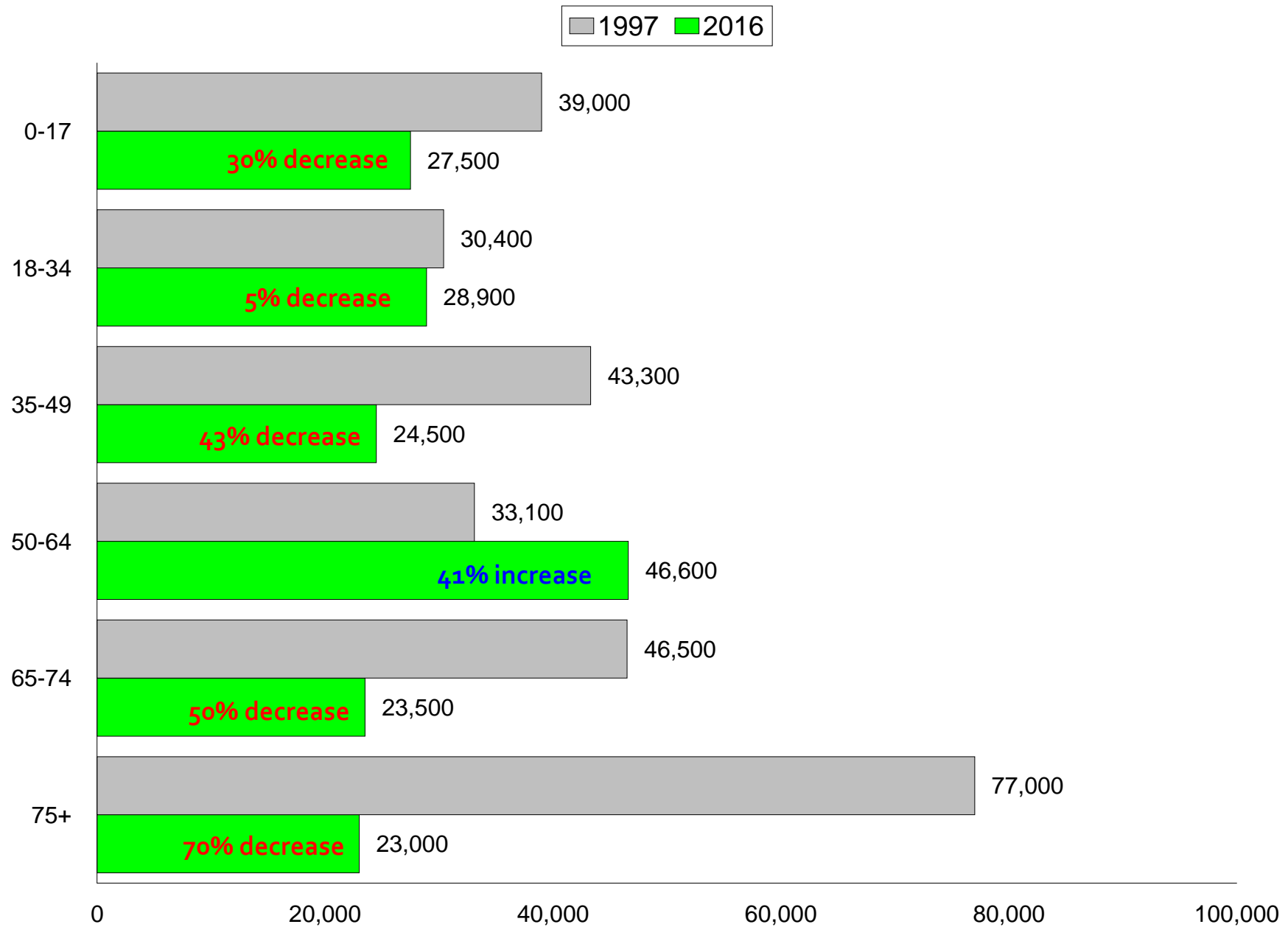
## Age Distribution-Broward - 2016



Median Age is 53 Years    27% are Age 65 and Over    13% are Age 75 and Over

# Changes in Age Over Time

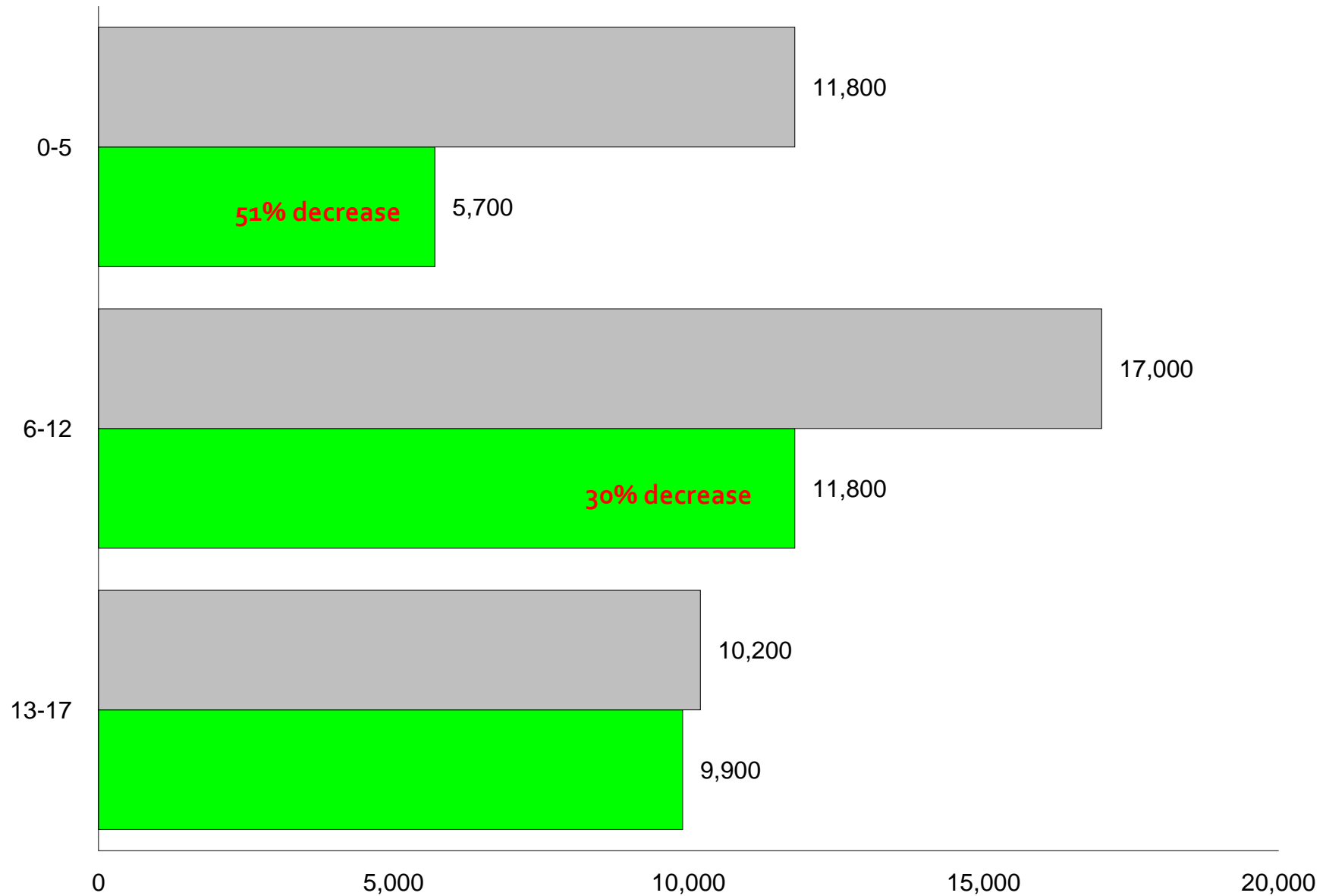
(Persons in Jewish Households)



# Changes in Age of Children Over Time

(Persons in Jewish Households)

1997 2016



## Number of Persons in Jewish Households

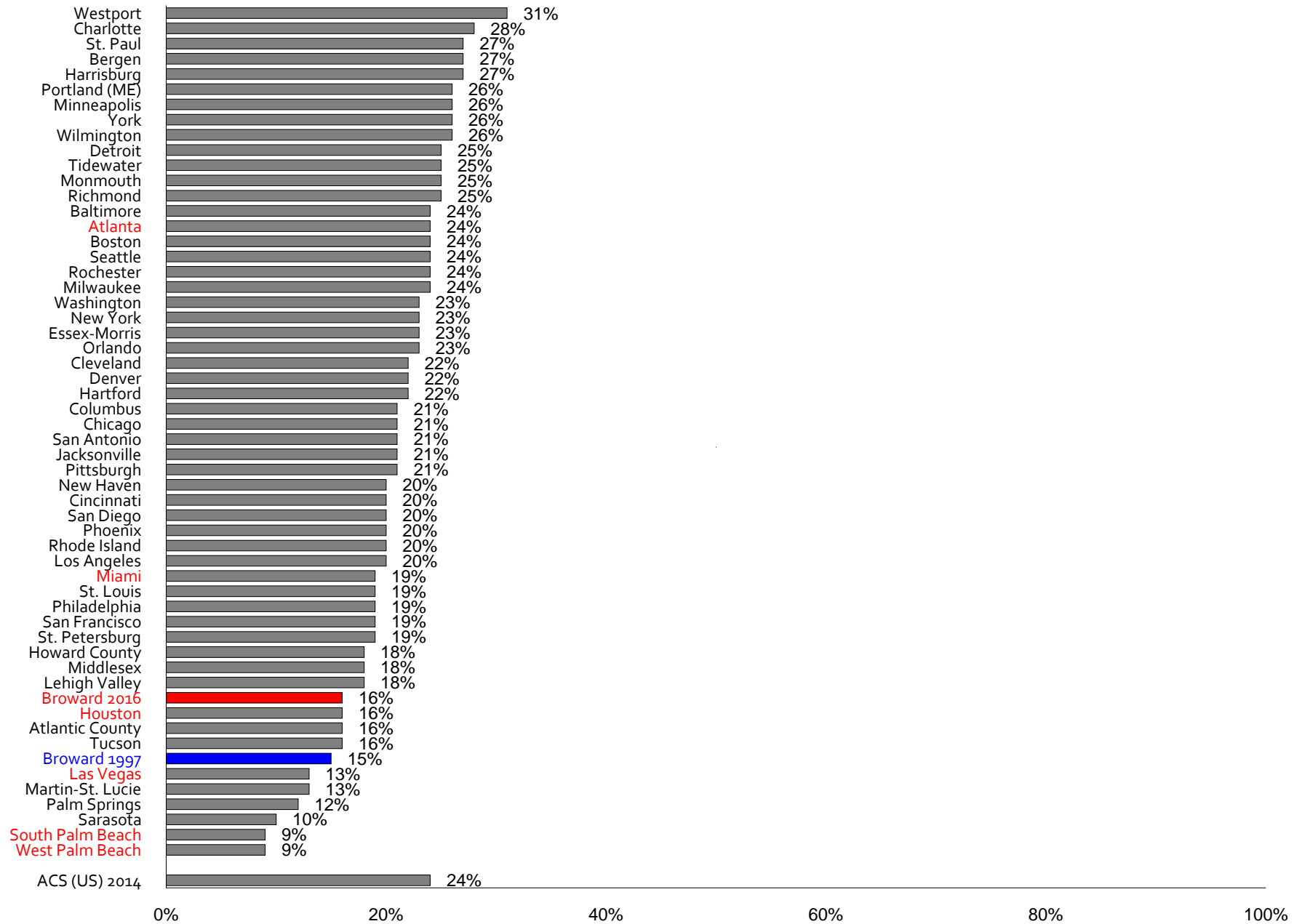
(Rounded to Nearest 100)

- 174,000 total persons in Jewish households
- 46,300 persons age 65 and over
- 22,800 persons age 75 and over
- 27,500 children age 0-17 (Jewish, part Jewish, and not Jewish)
- 146,500 persons are of voting age

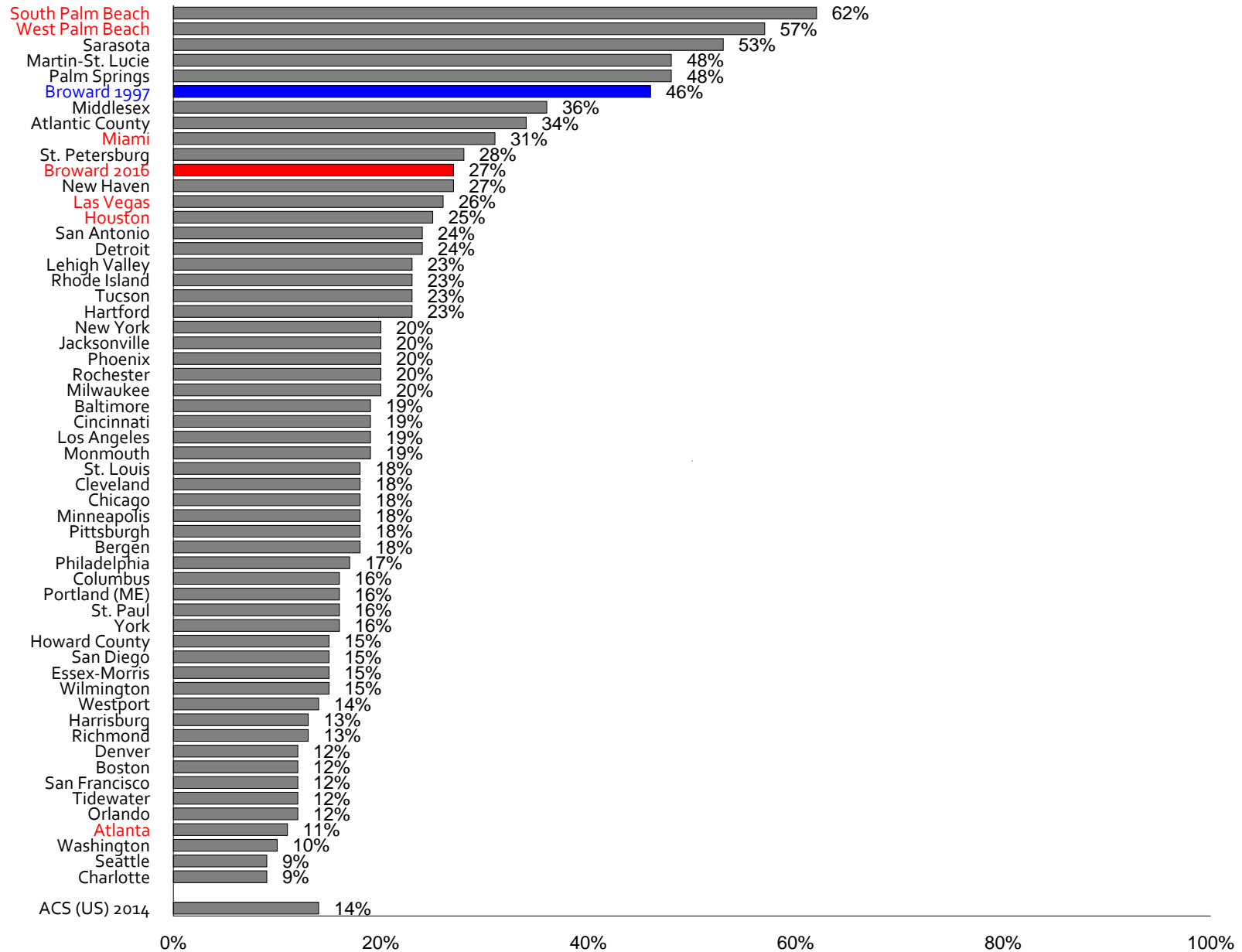


## Age 0-17

(Persons in Jewish Households)

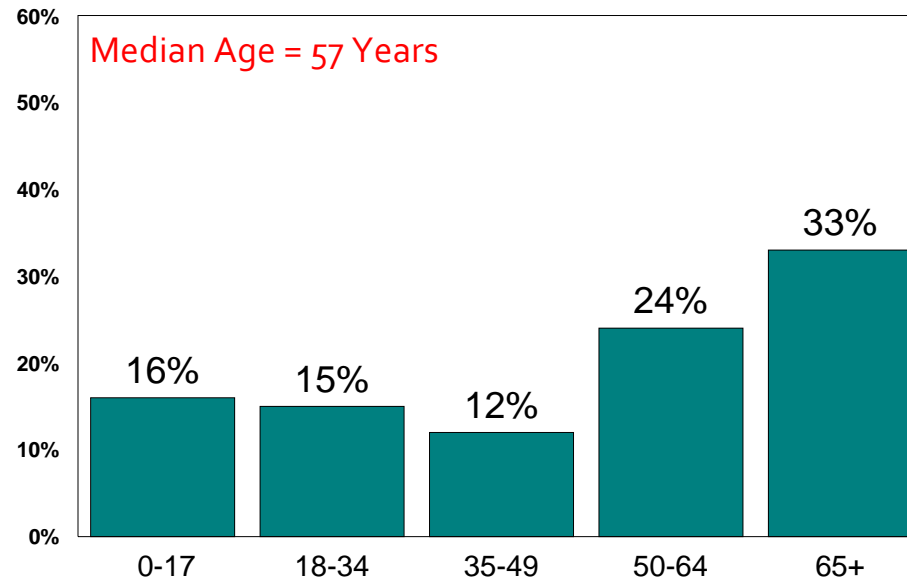


## Age 65 and Over (Persons in Jewish Households)

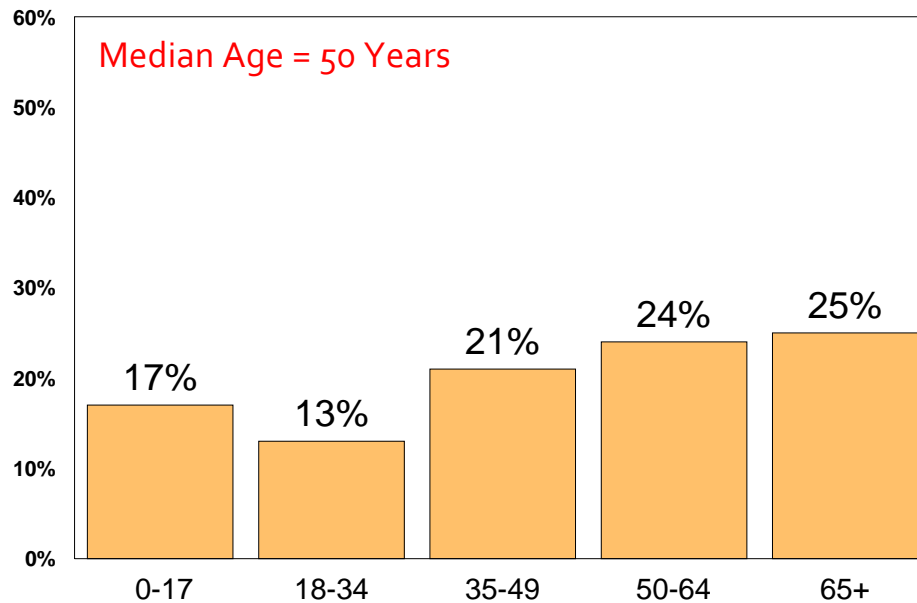


# Age Distribution by Geographic Area

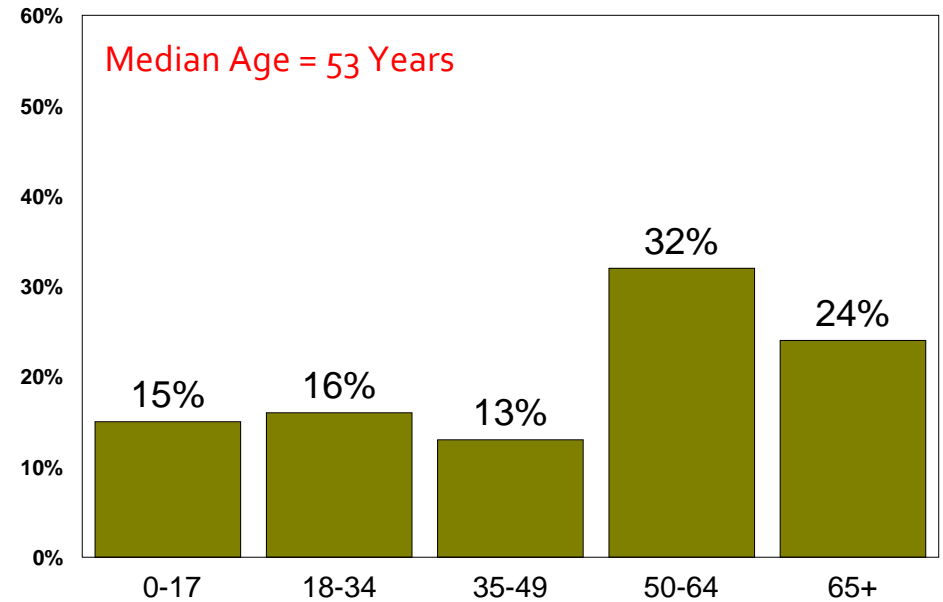
## West Central



## Southeast

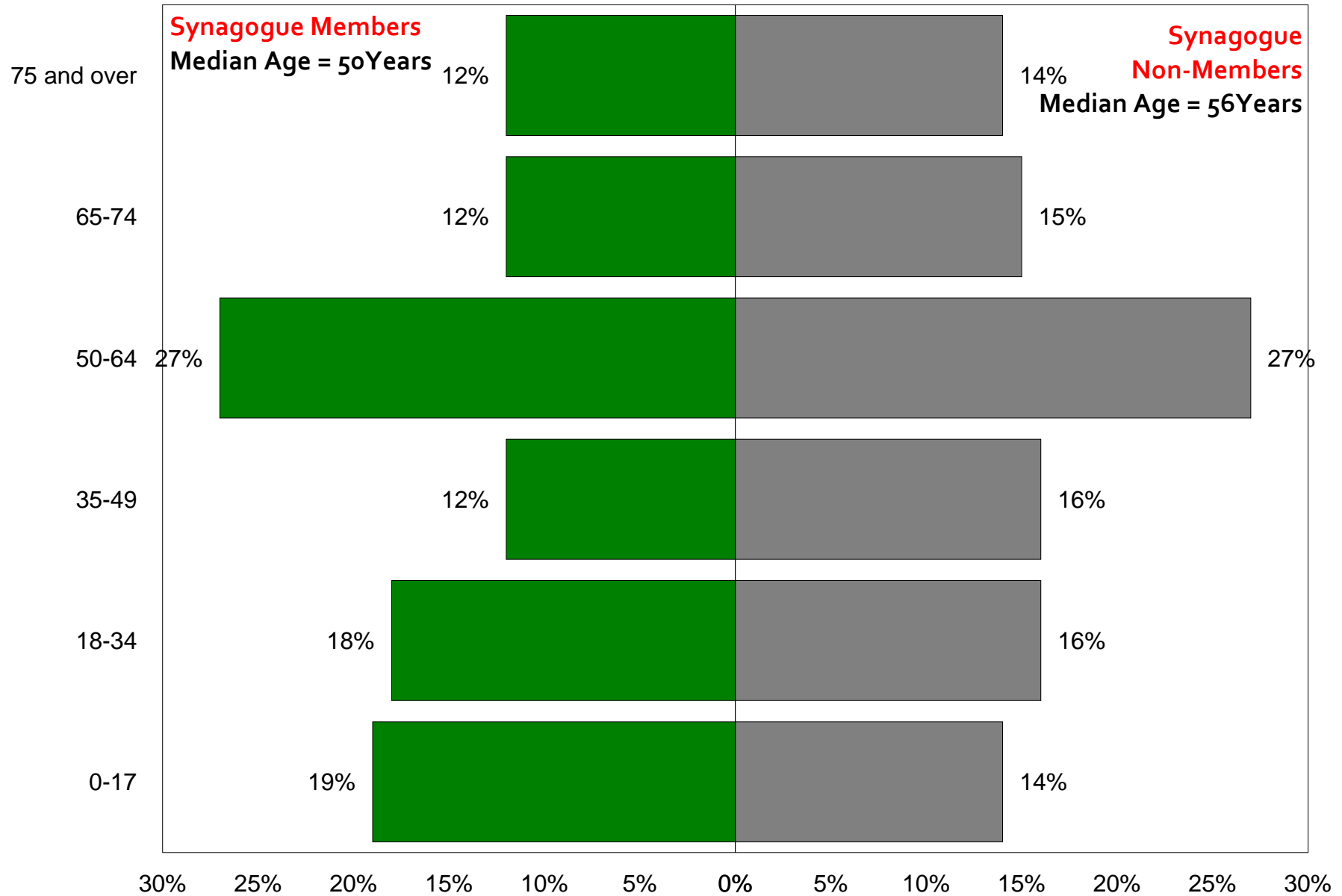


## Southwest



# Age Distribution by Synagogue Membership

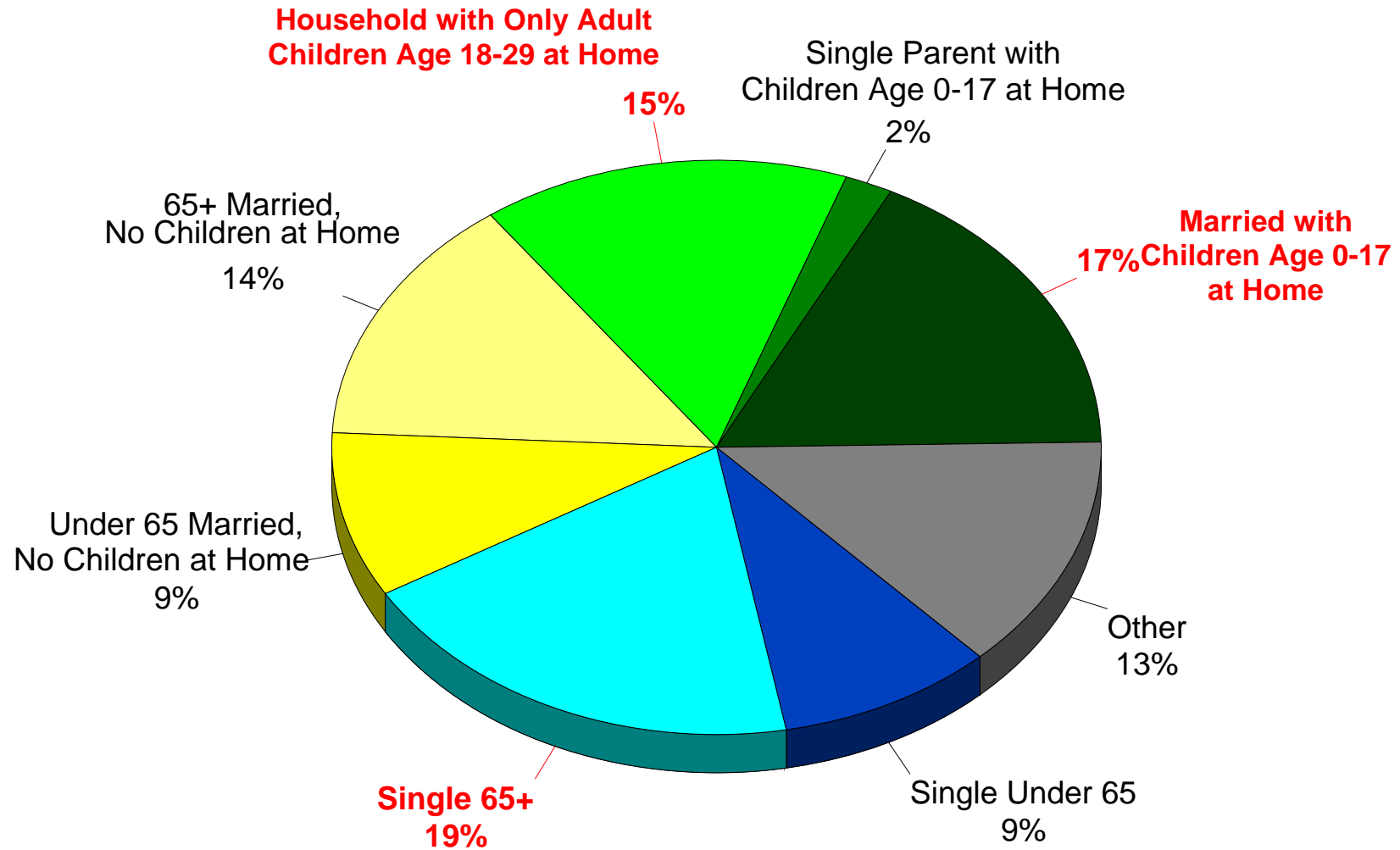
(Persons in Jewish Households)



## Household Size and Structure

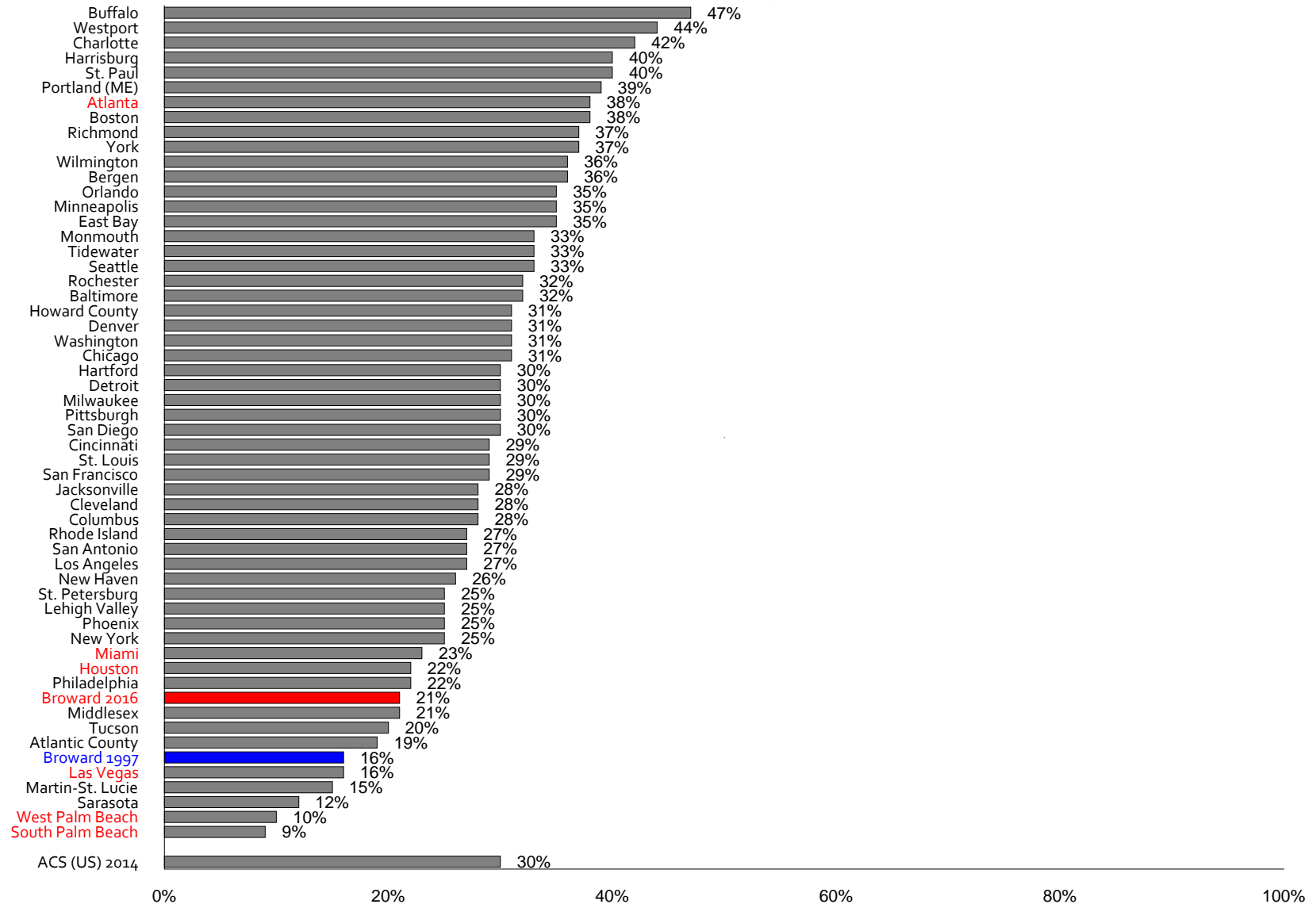
# Household Structure

(Jewish Households)



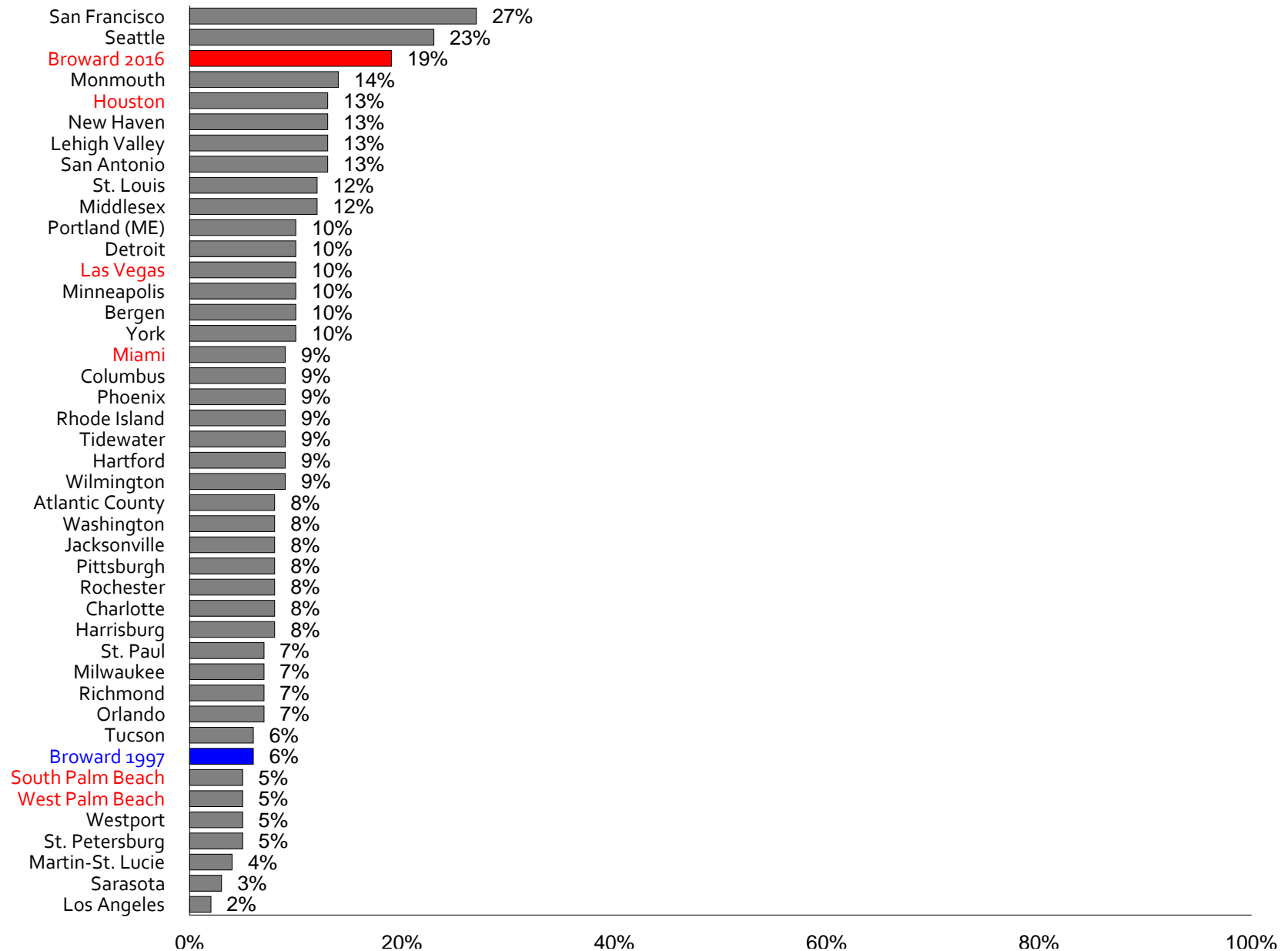
# Households with Children Age 0-17 at Home

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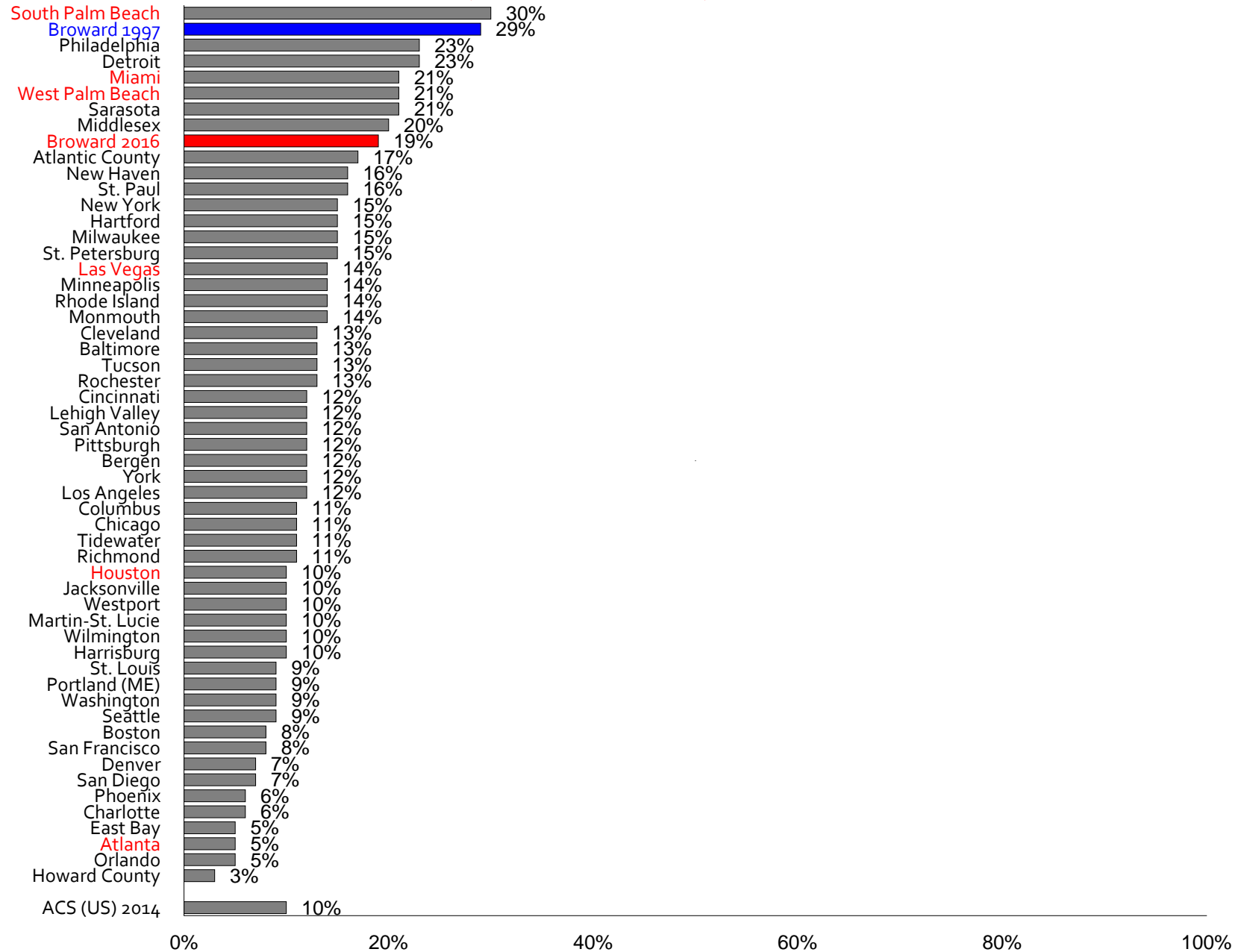


## Households with Only Adult Children Age 18 and Over at Home (Jewish Households)



# Single Person Households Age 65 and Over

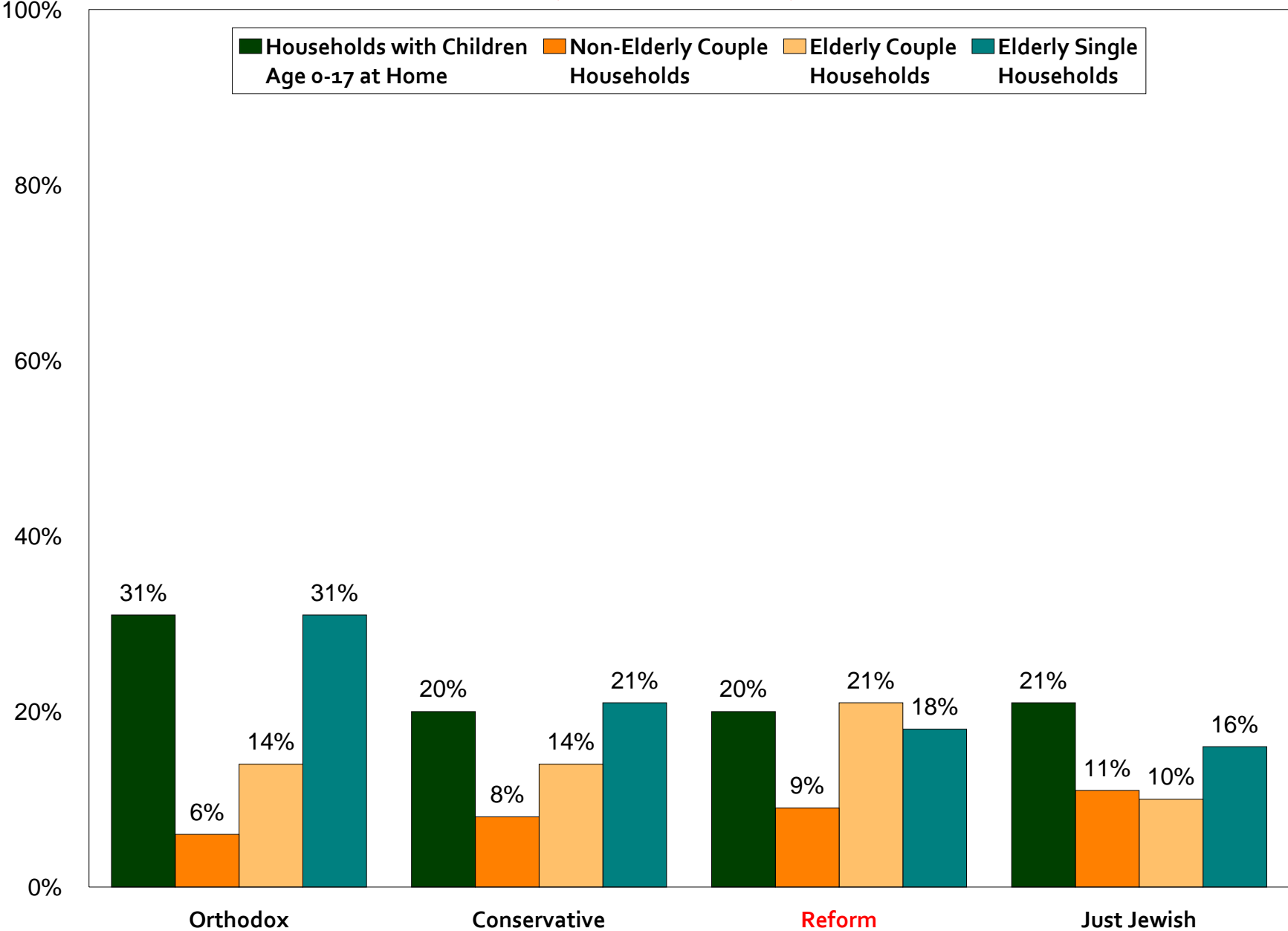
(Jewish Households)



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# Household Structure by Jewish Identification

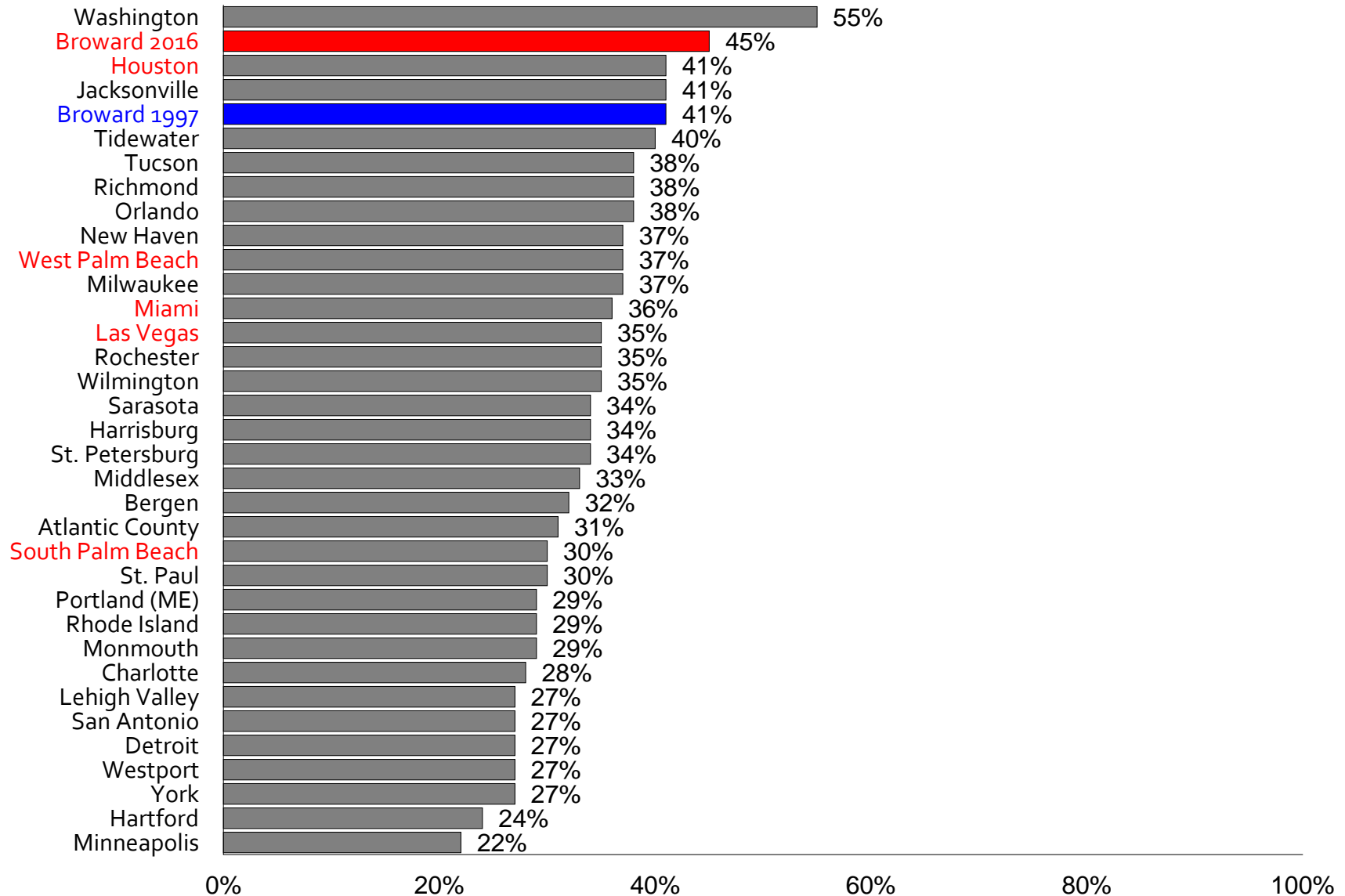
(Jewish Households)



**What Percentage of Children  
Age 0-12 Have Two Full-Time  
Working Parents?**

## Percentage of Children Age 0-12 Living in Households with Full-Time Working Parents

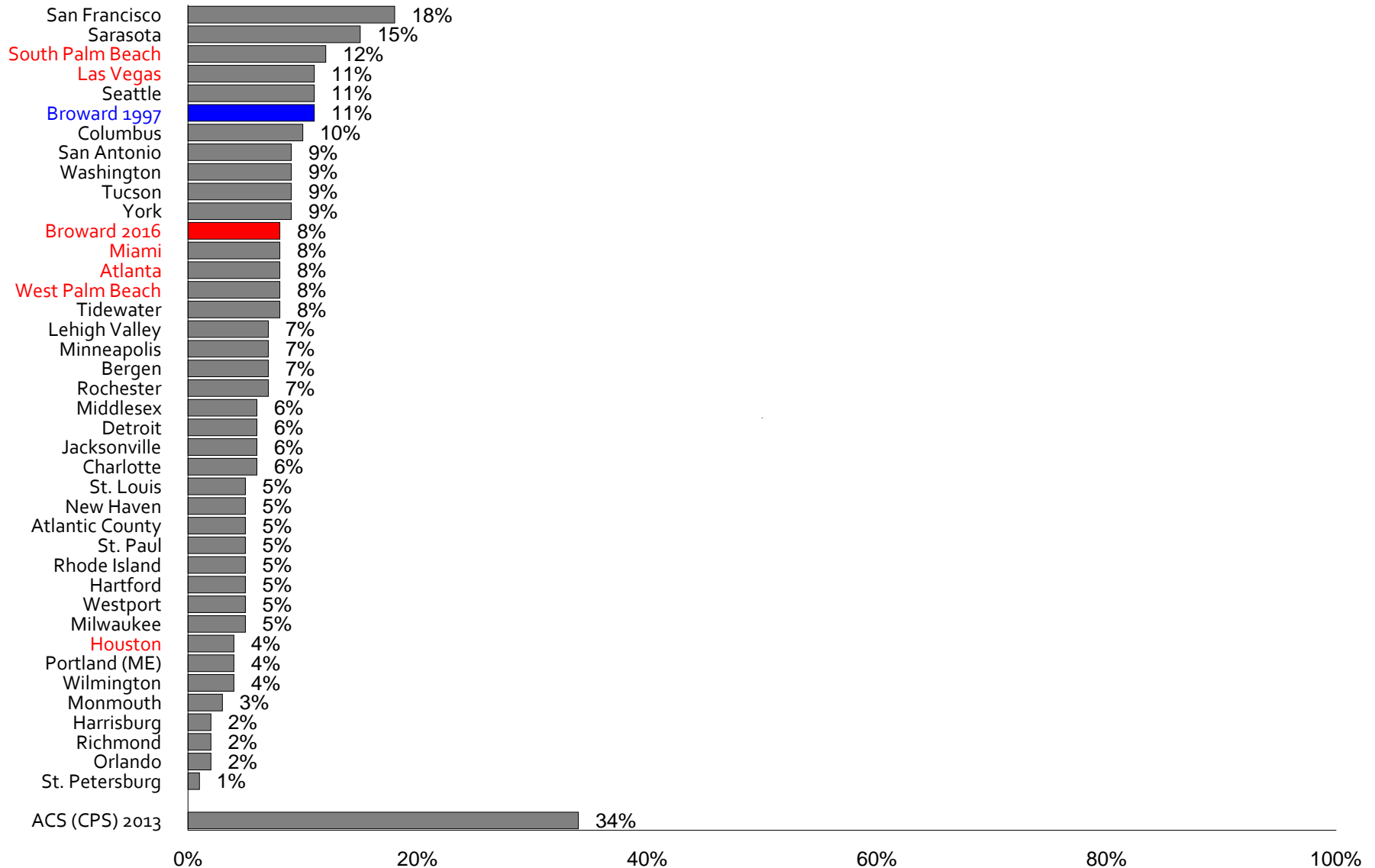
(Children Age 0-12 in Jewish Households)



**What Percentage of Children  
Age 0-17 Live in a  
Single Parent Household?**

## Percentage of Children Age 0-17 Living in Single Parent Households

(Children Age 0-17 in Jewish Households)

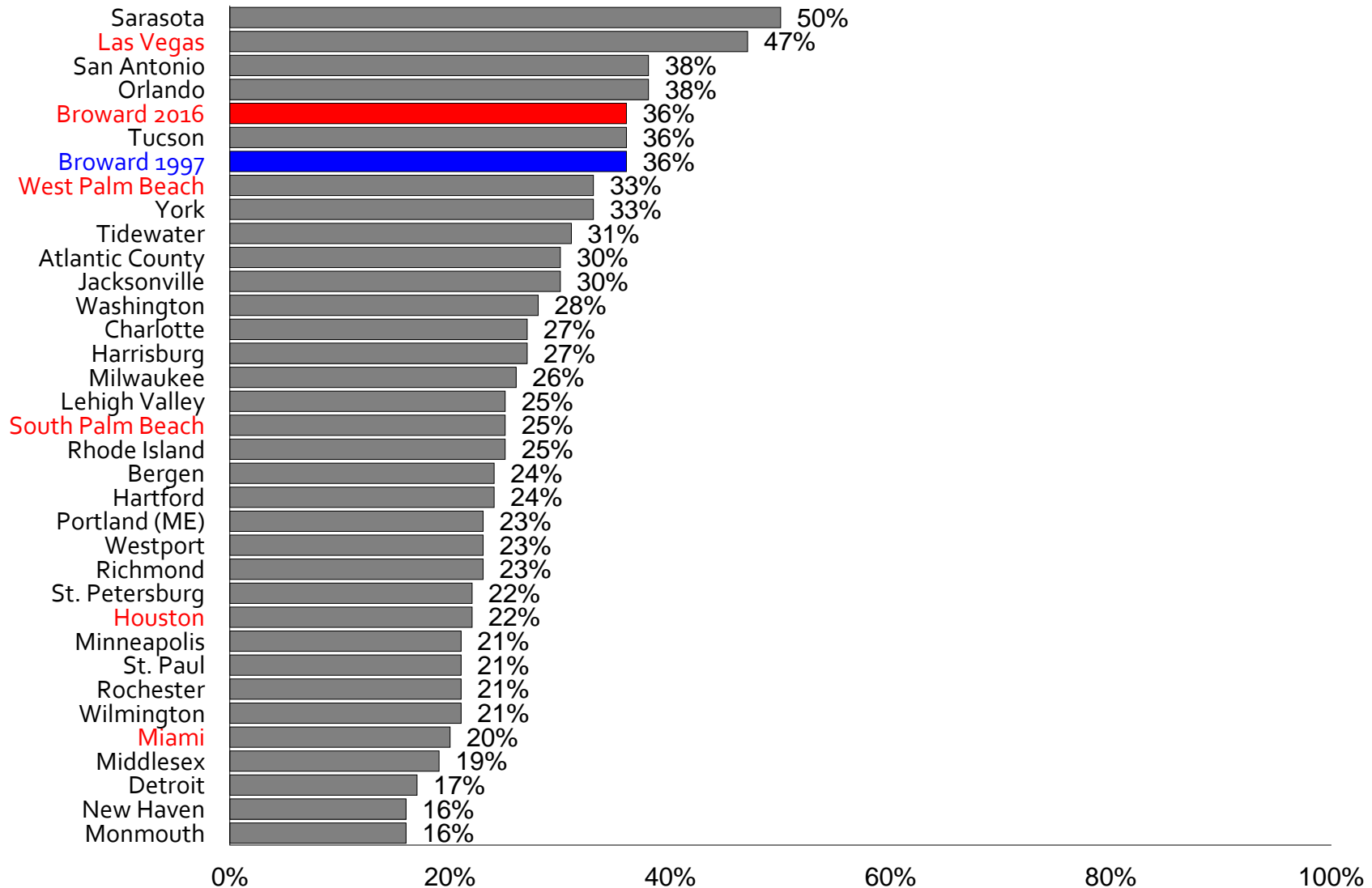


**What Percentage of Children  
Age 0-17 Live in a Household  
in Which an Adult Is or Was  
Divorced?**



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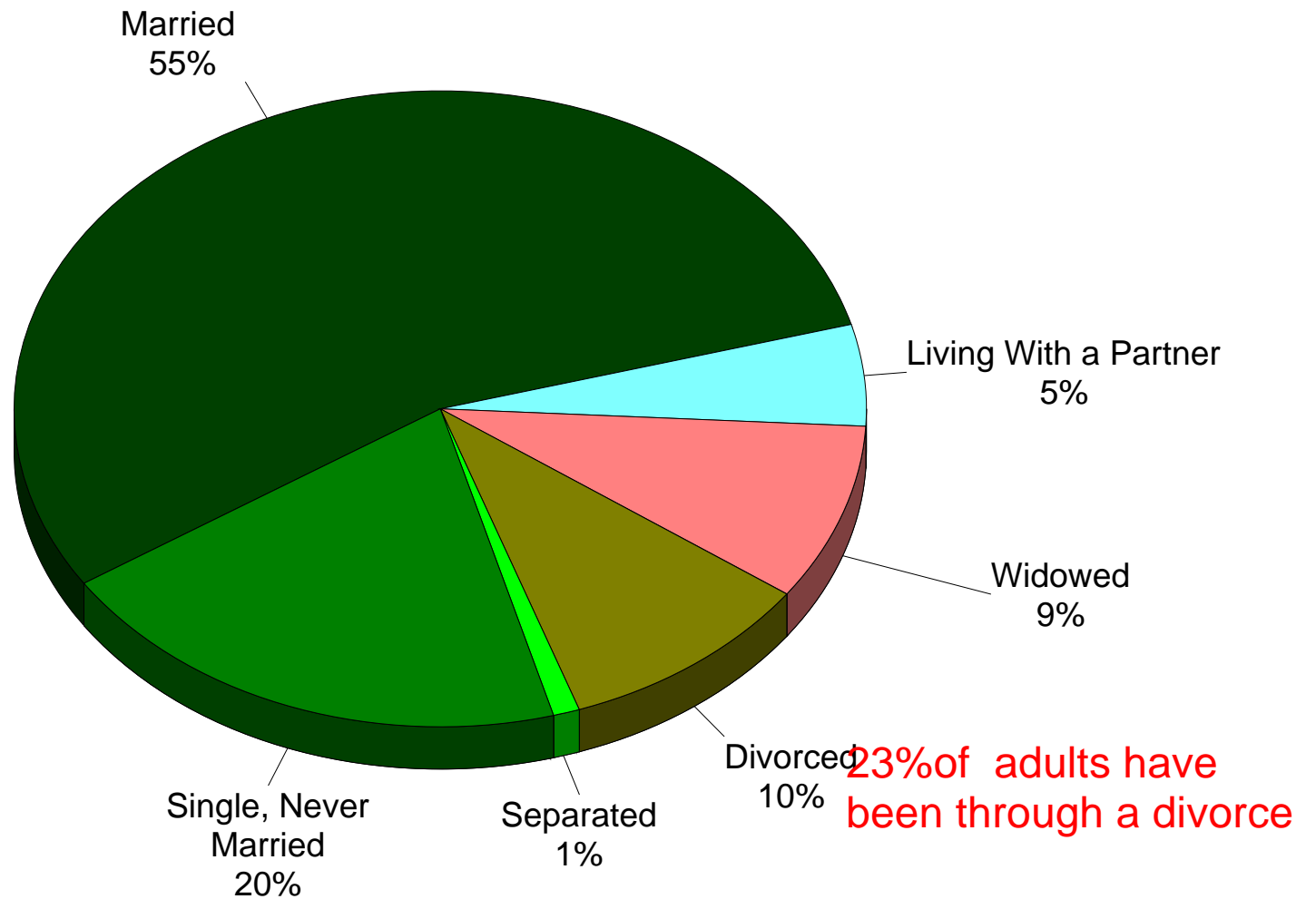
(Children Age 0-17 in Jewish Households)



## **Marital Status, Education, Employment Status**

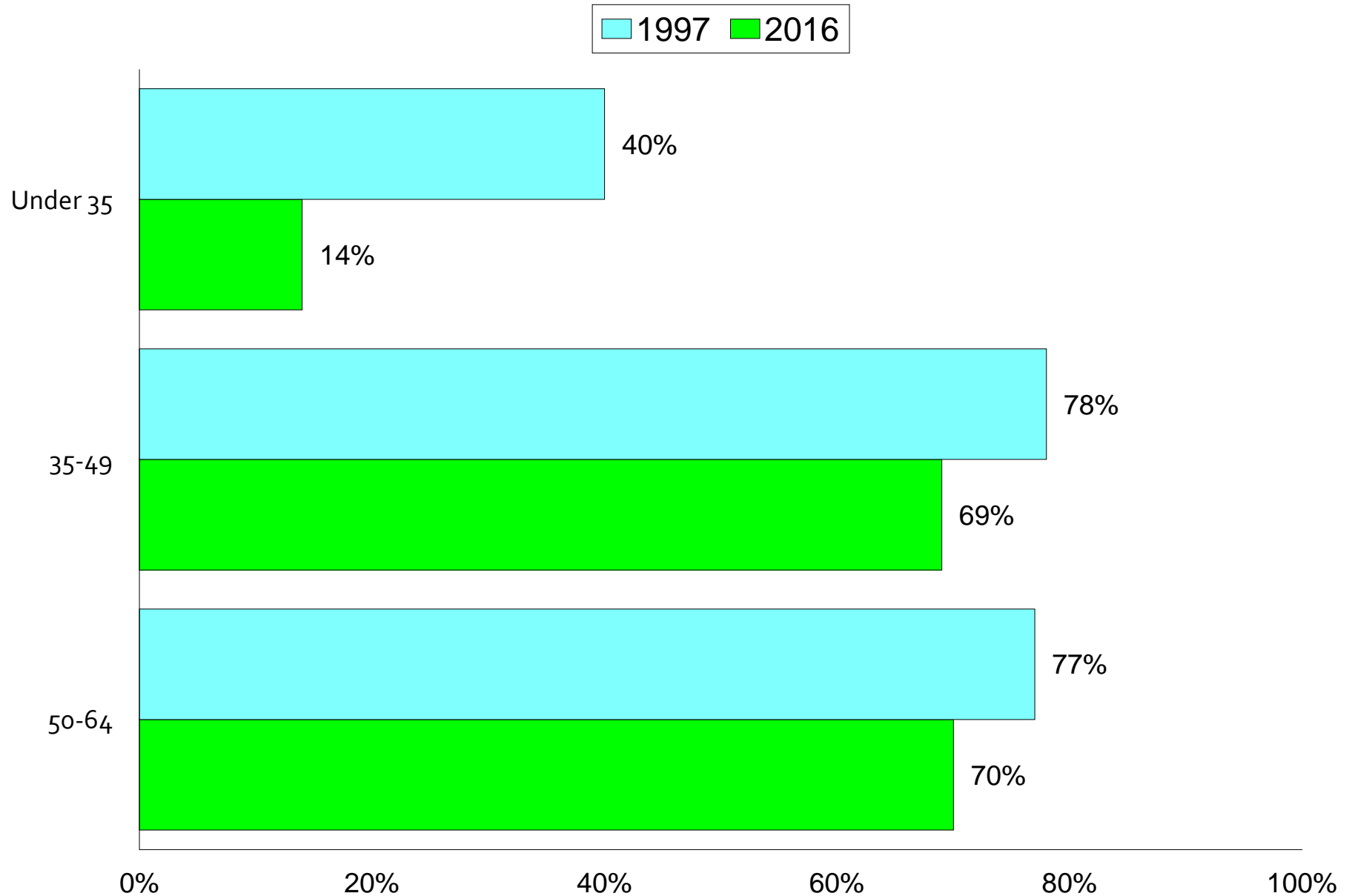
# Marital Status

(Adults in Jewish Households)

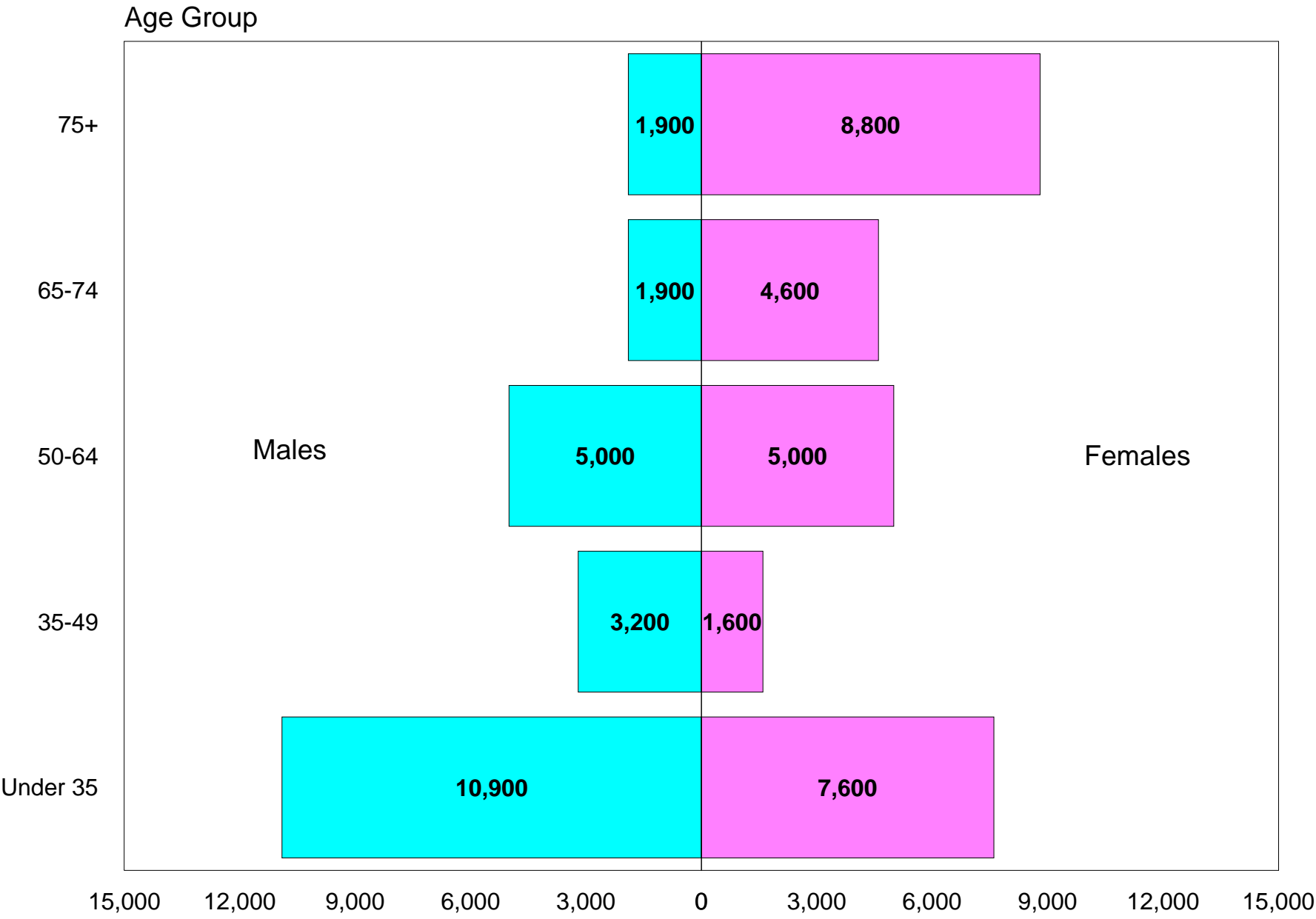


# Currently Married, 1997-2016

(Adults in Jewish Households)

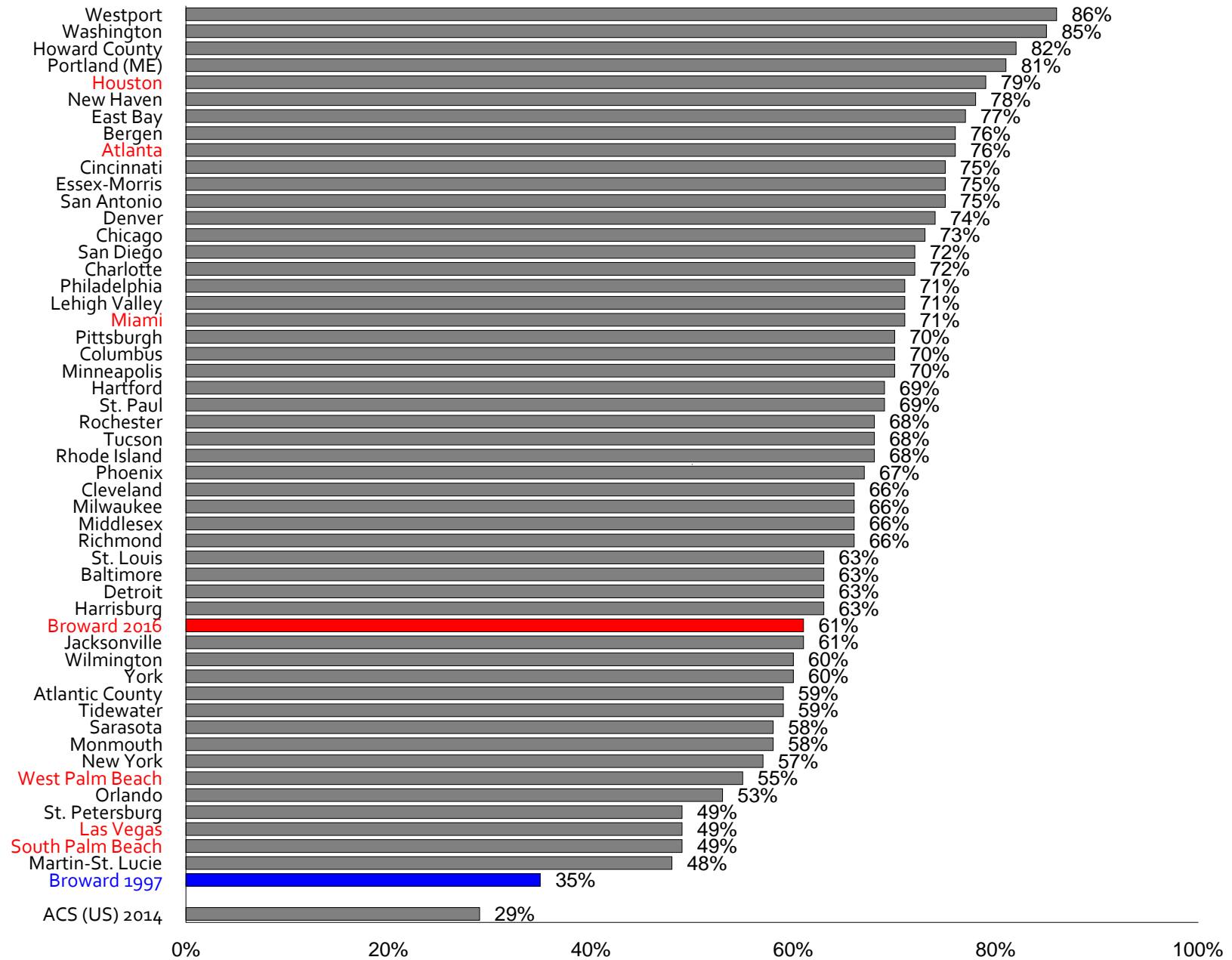


# Single Jewish Adults



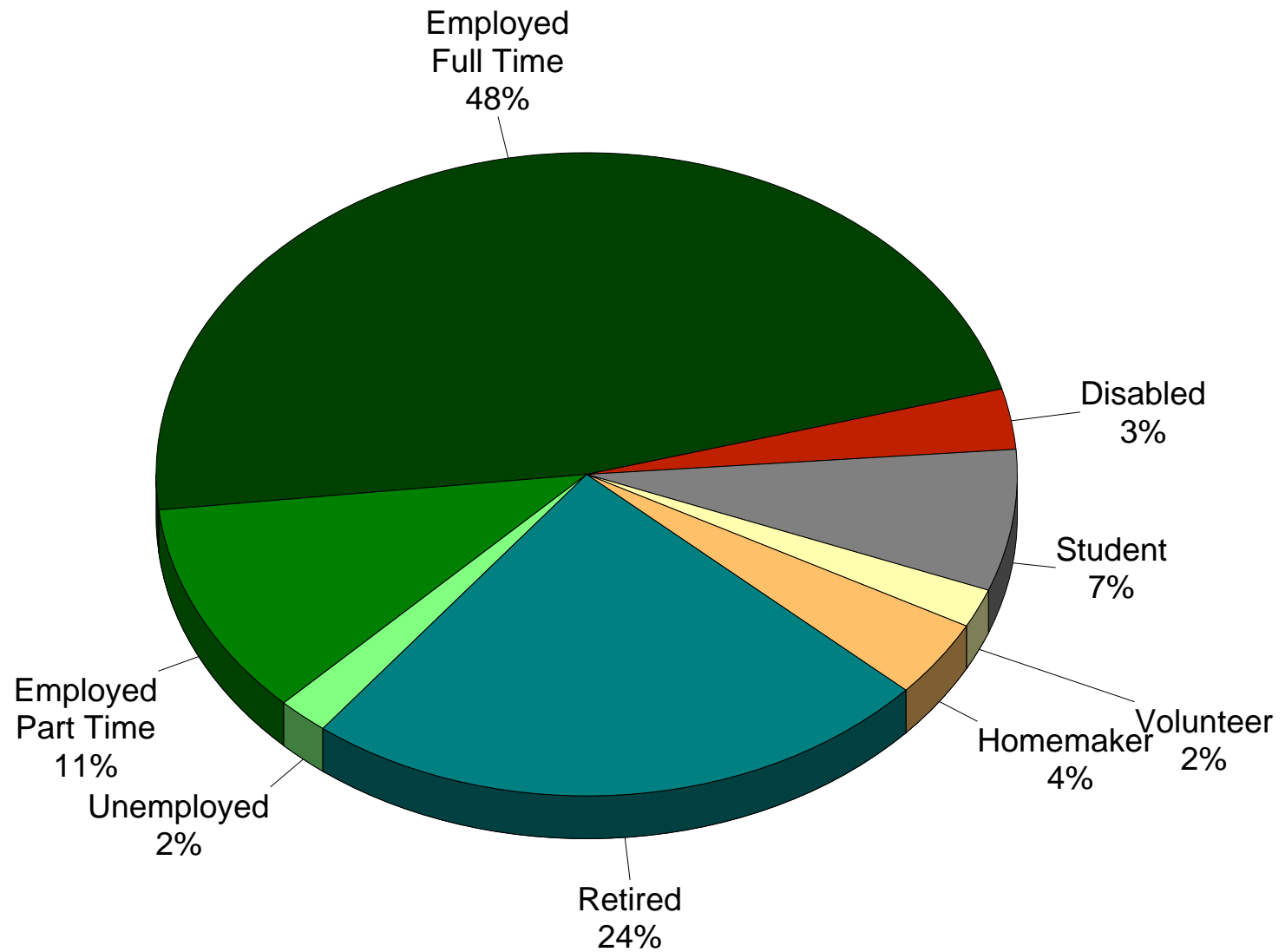
## 4-Year College Degree or Higher

(Adults Age 25 and Over in Jewish Households)



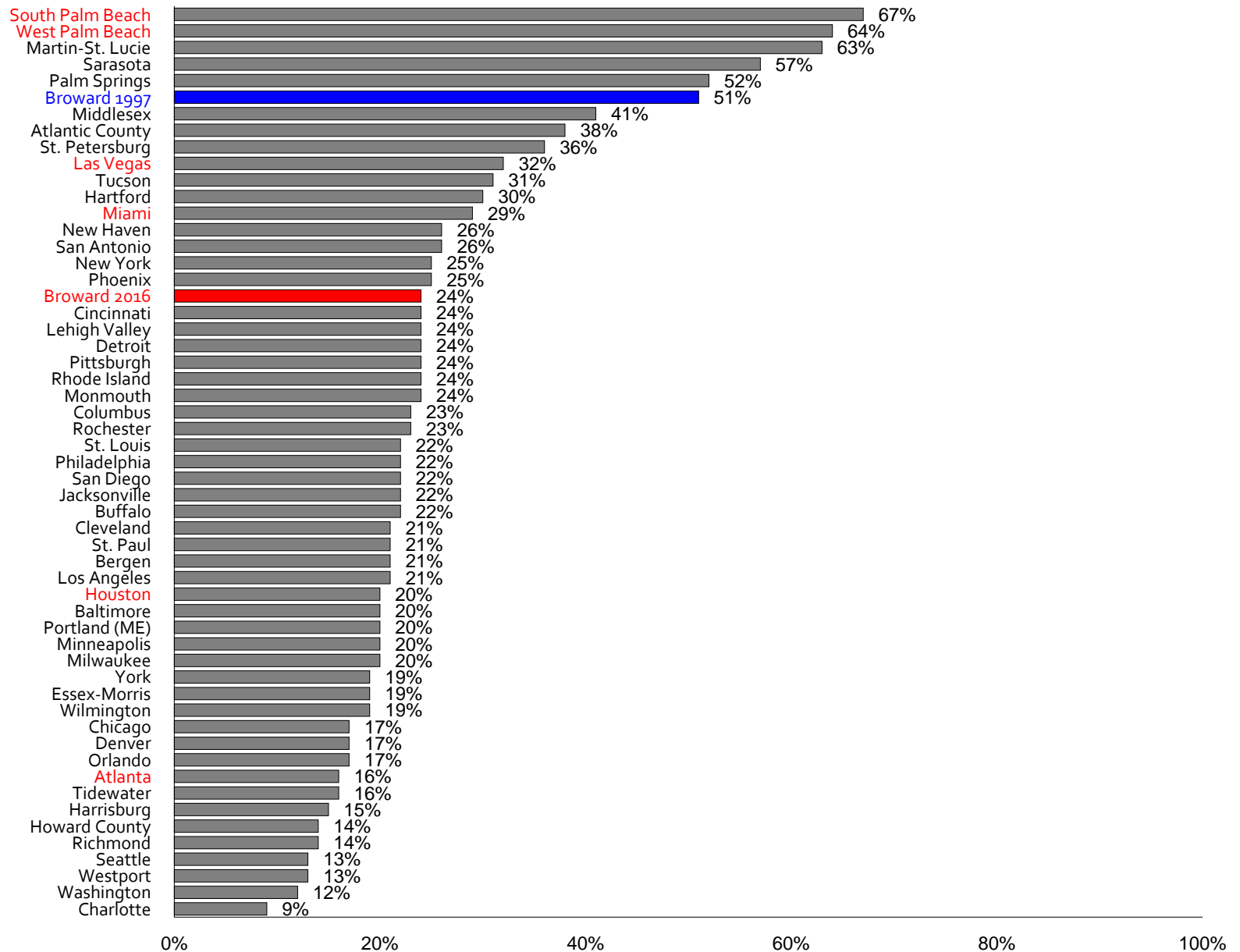
# Employment Status

(Adults in Jewish Households)



# Retired

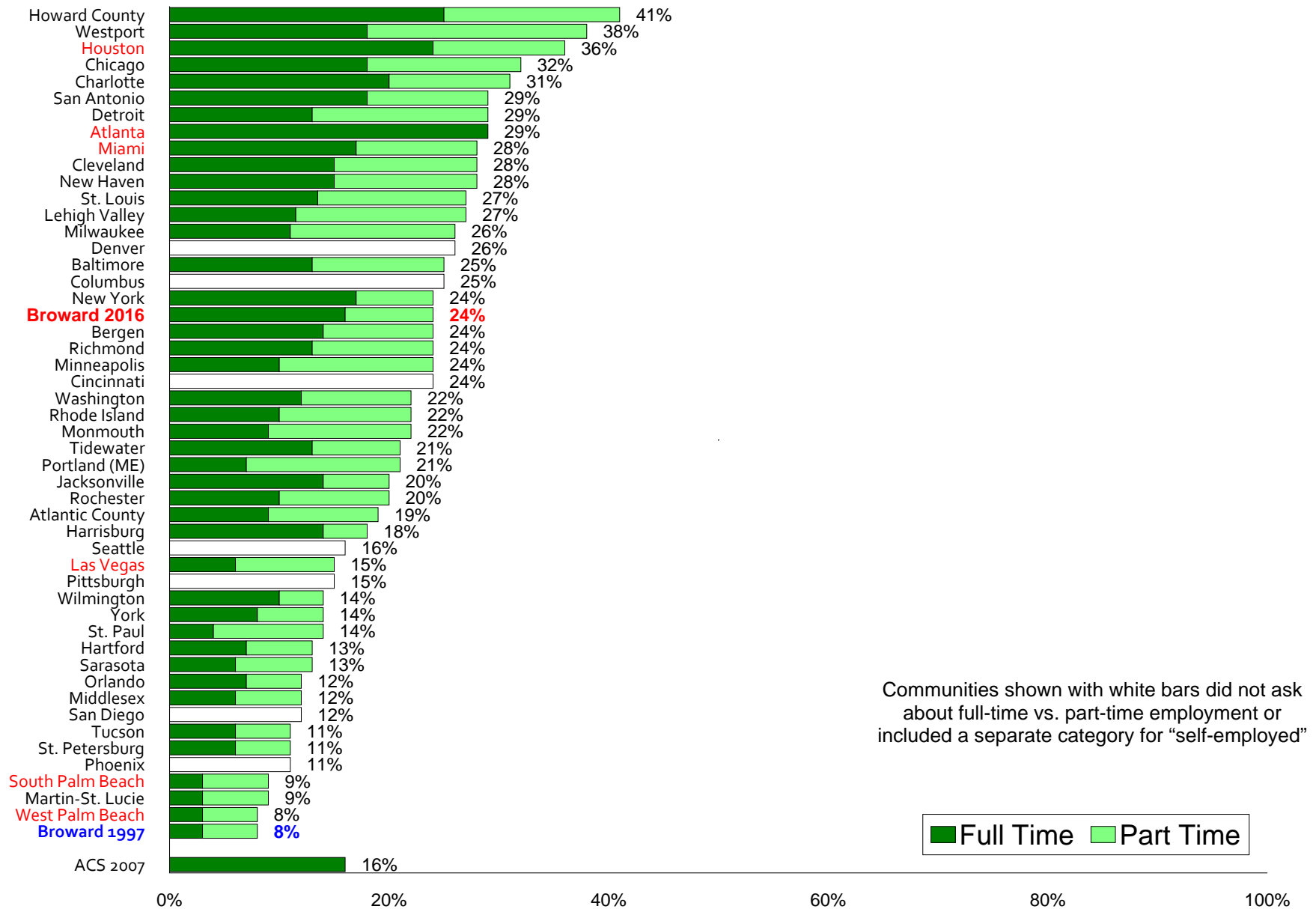
(Adults in Jewish Households)





# Elderly Persons Employed Full or Part Time

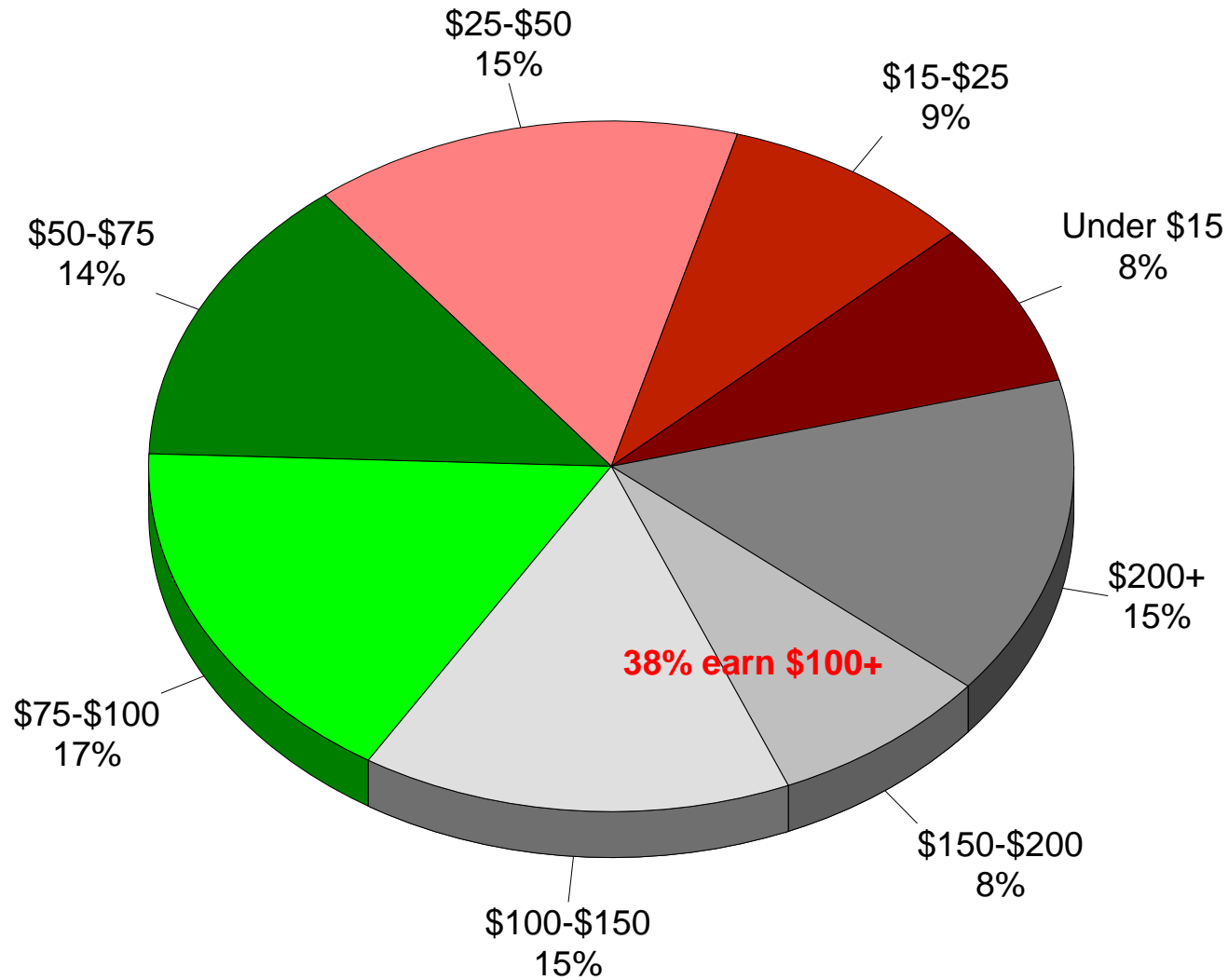
(Persons Age 65 and Over in Jewish Households)



## Economic Status

# Household Income

(Jewish Households)  
(In thousands)



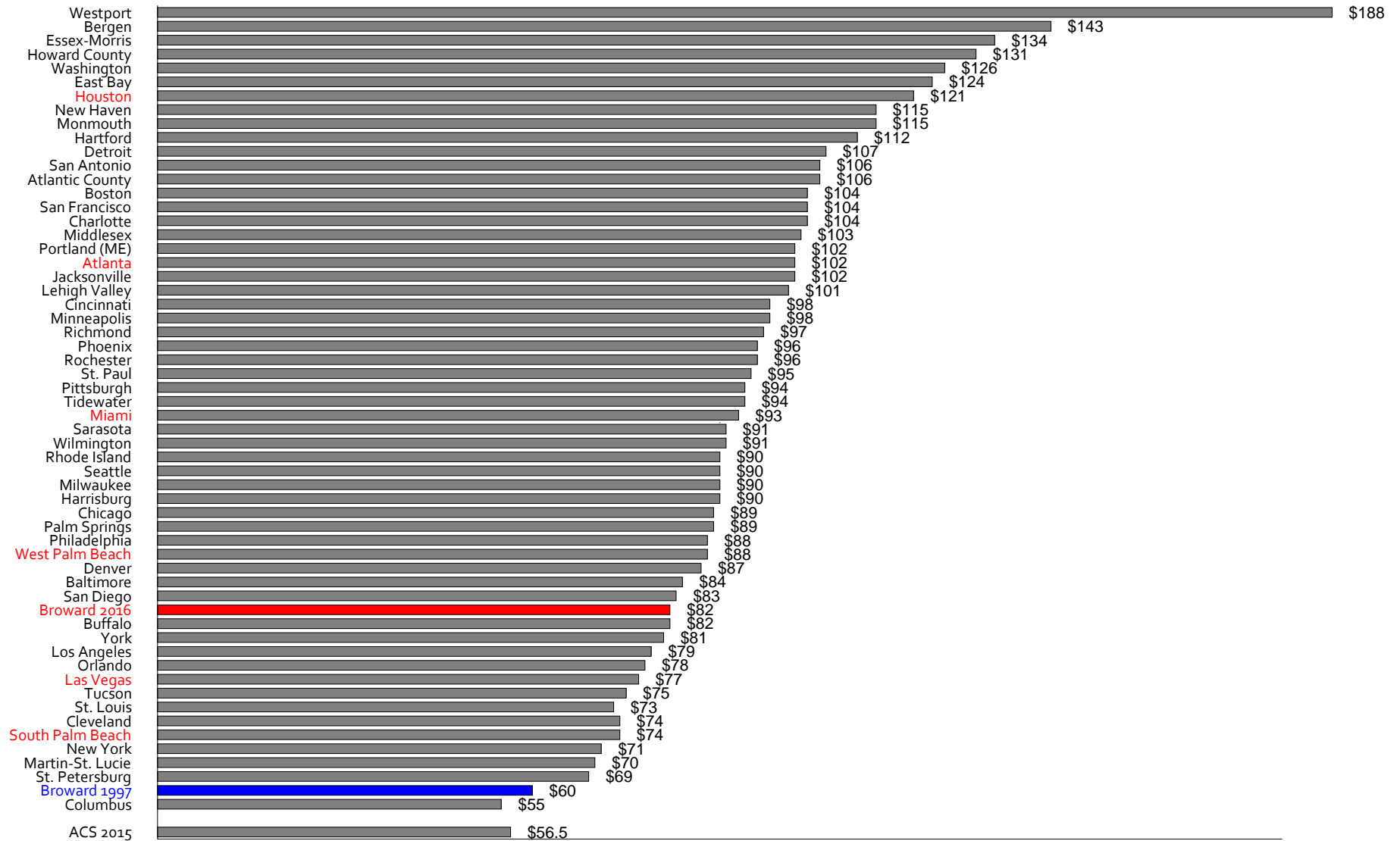
38% earn \$100+

75% answered this question

# Median Household Income

(Adjusted for inflation to 2015 dollars)

(Jewish Households)



\$0

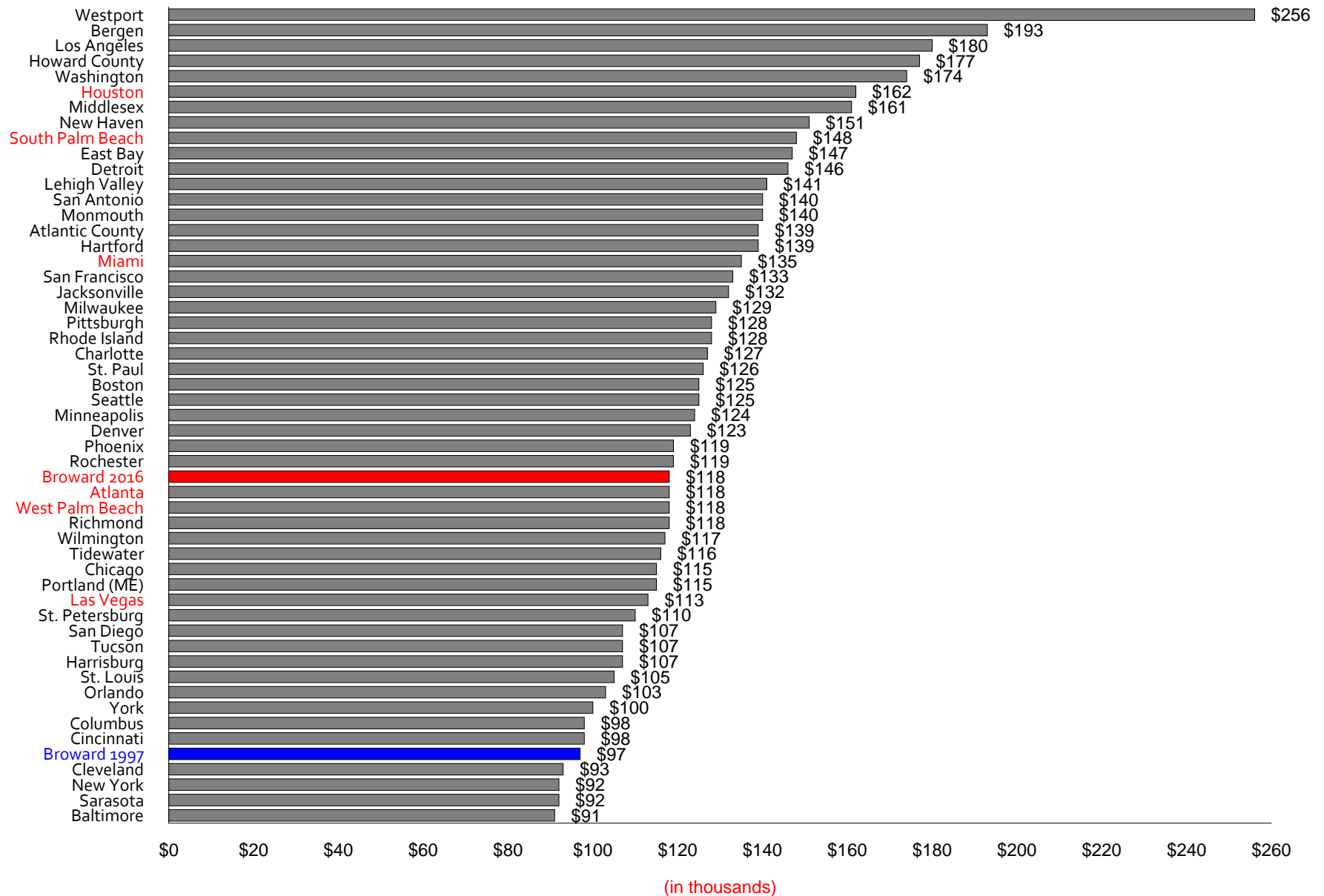
\$70

\$140

(in thousands)

## Median Household Income of Households with Children

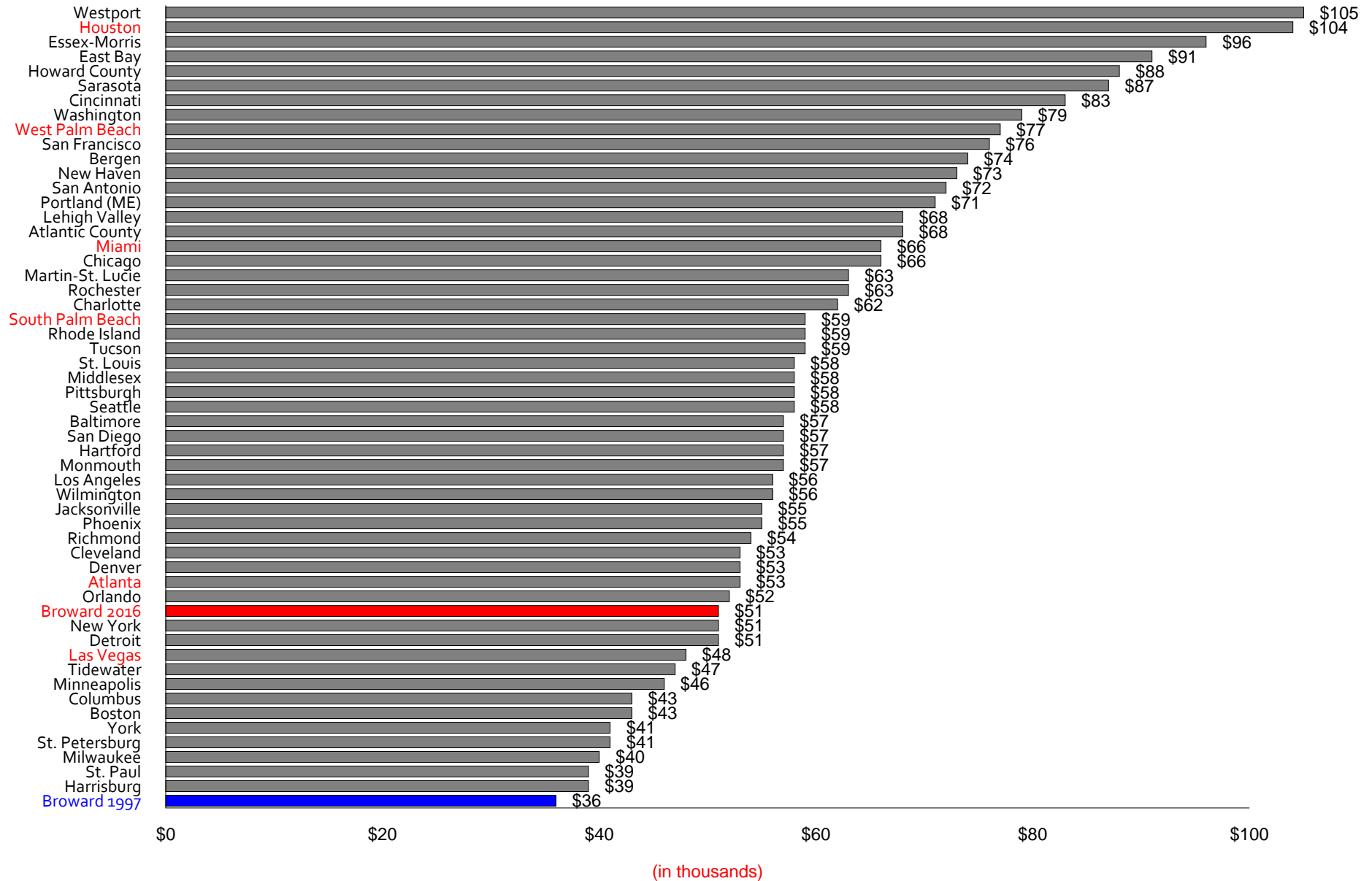
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# Median Household Income of Elderly Households

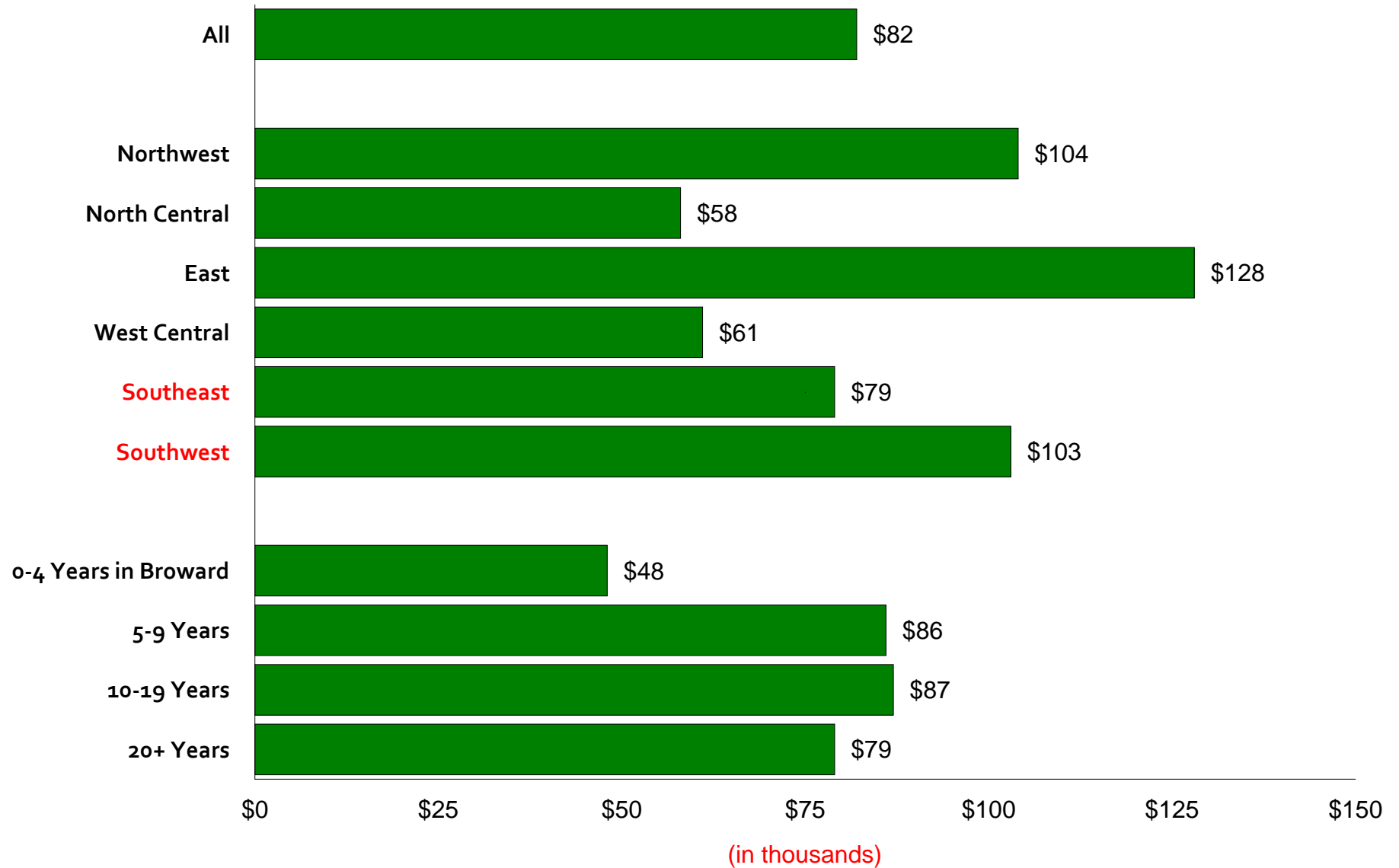
(Jewish Households with Persons Age 65 and Over)

(Adjusted for inflation to 2015 dollars)



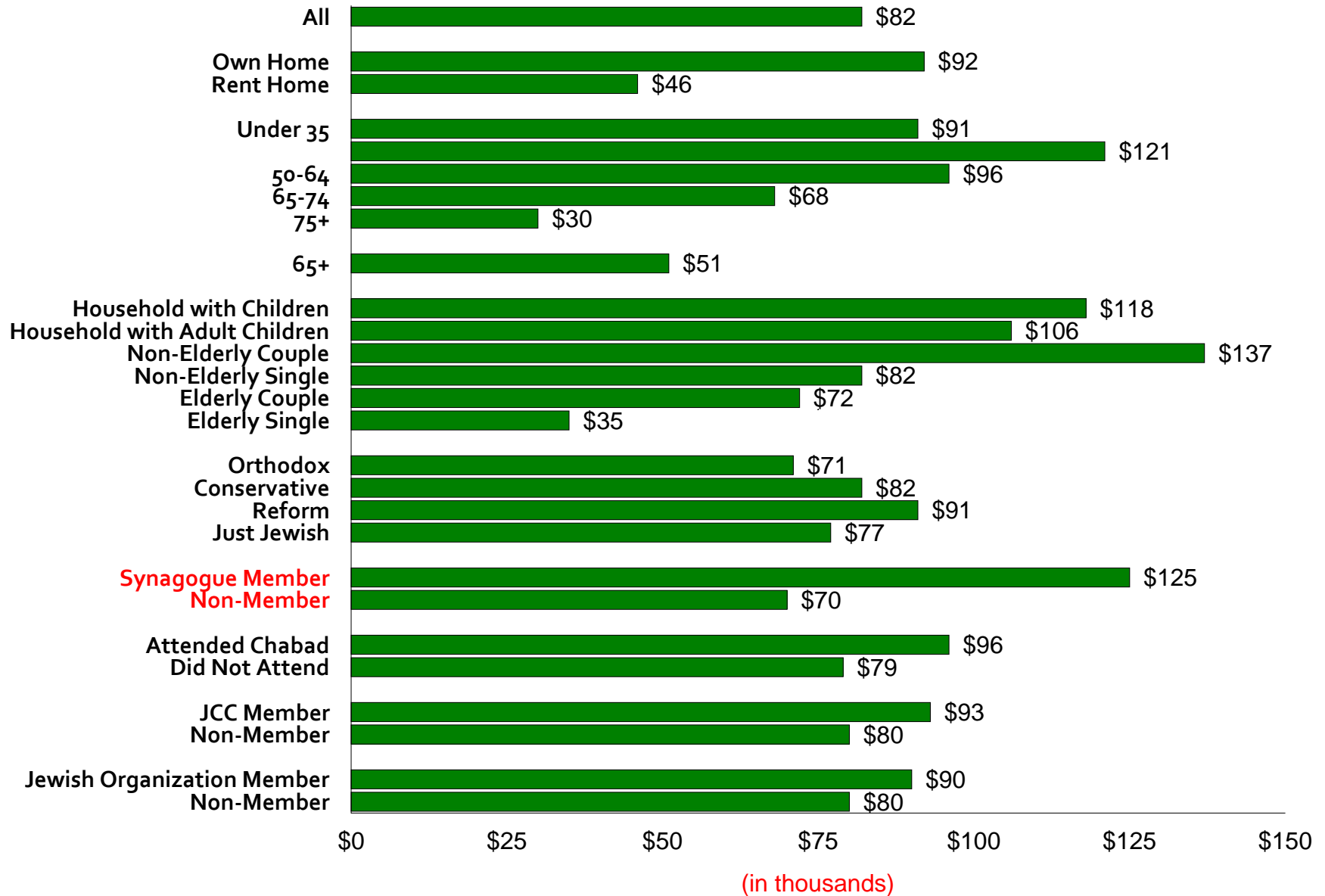
# Median Household Income

(Jewish Households)



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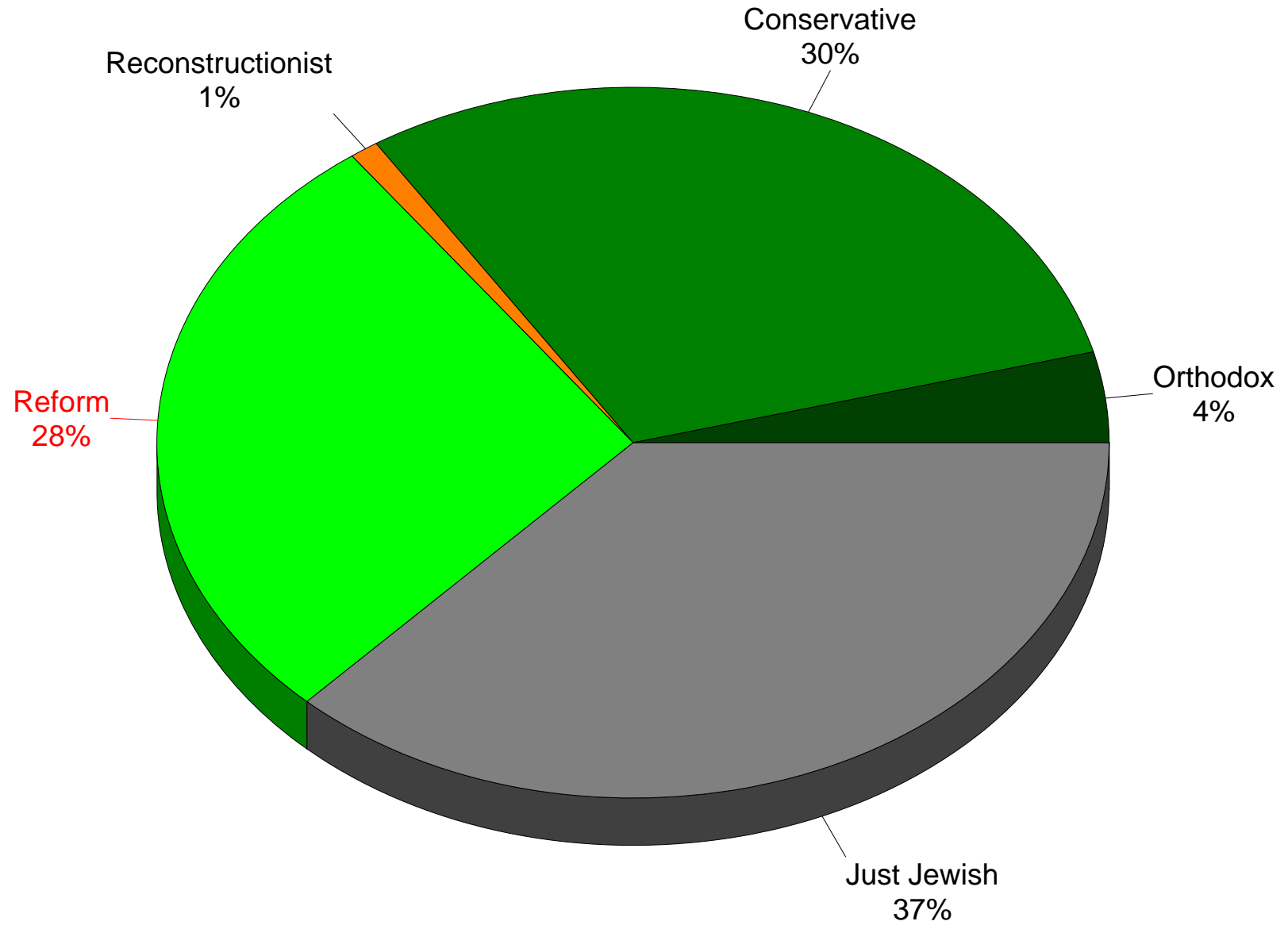




## Religious Profile: Jewish Identification

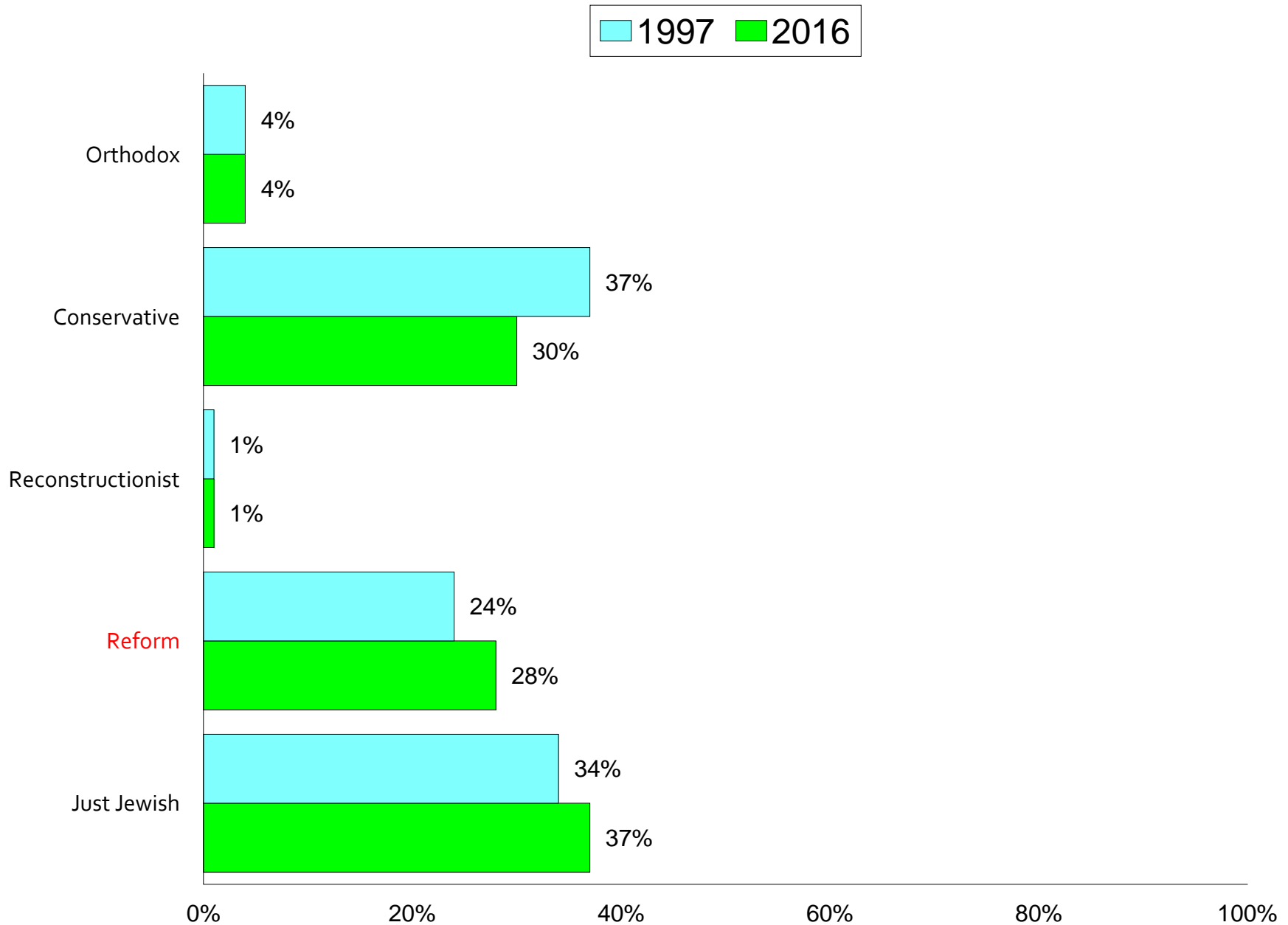
# Jewish Identification

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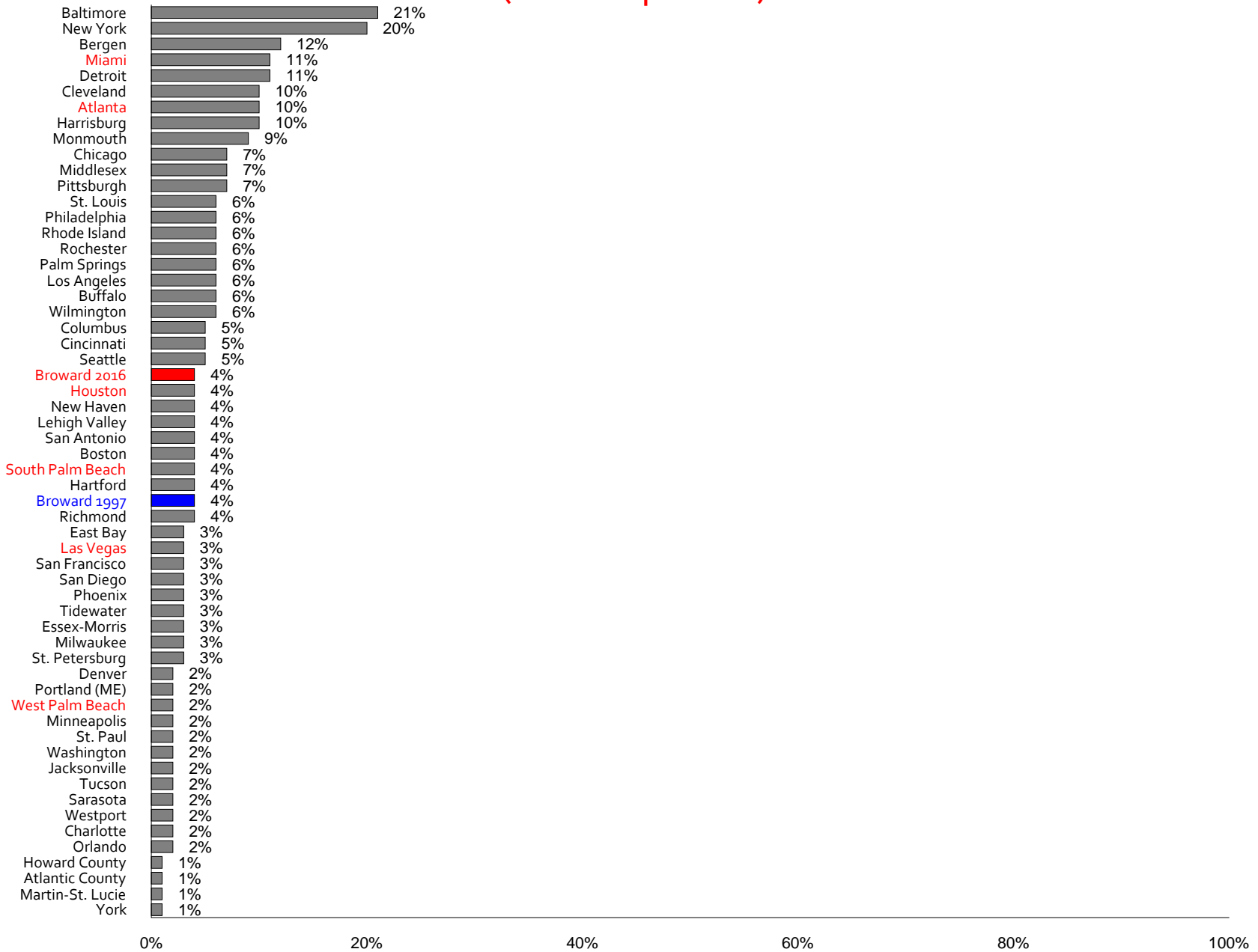
# Changes in Jewish Identification, 1997-2016

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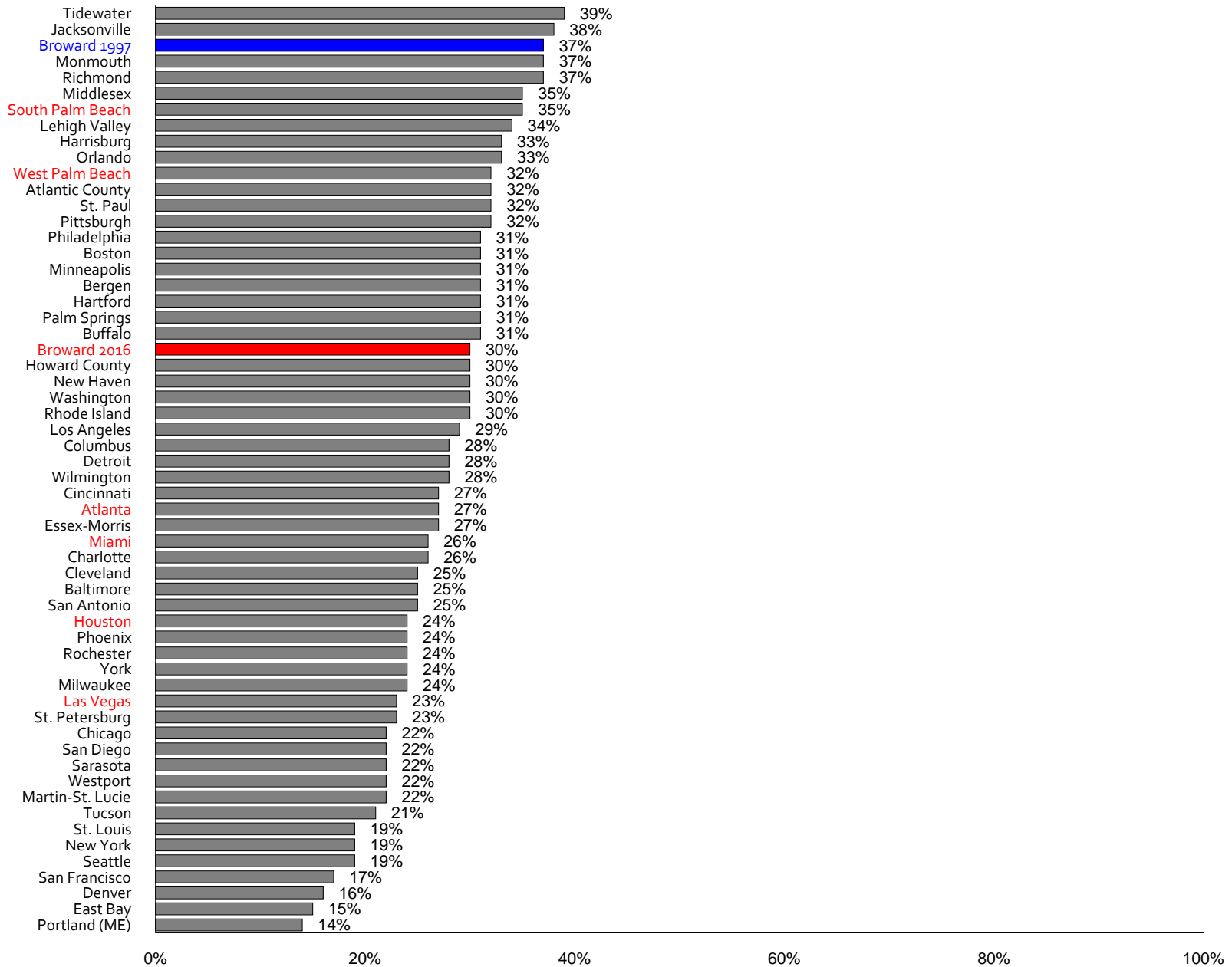
# Orthodox Identification

(Jewish Respondents)

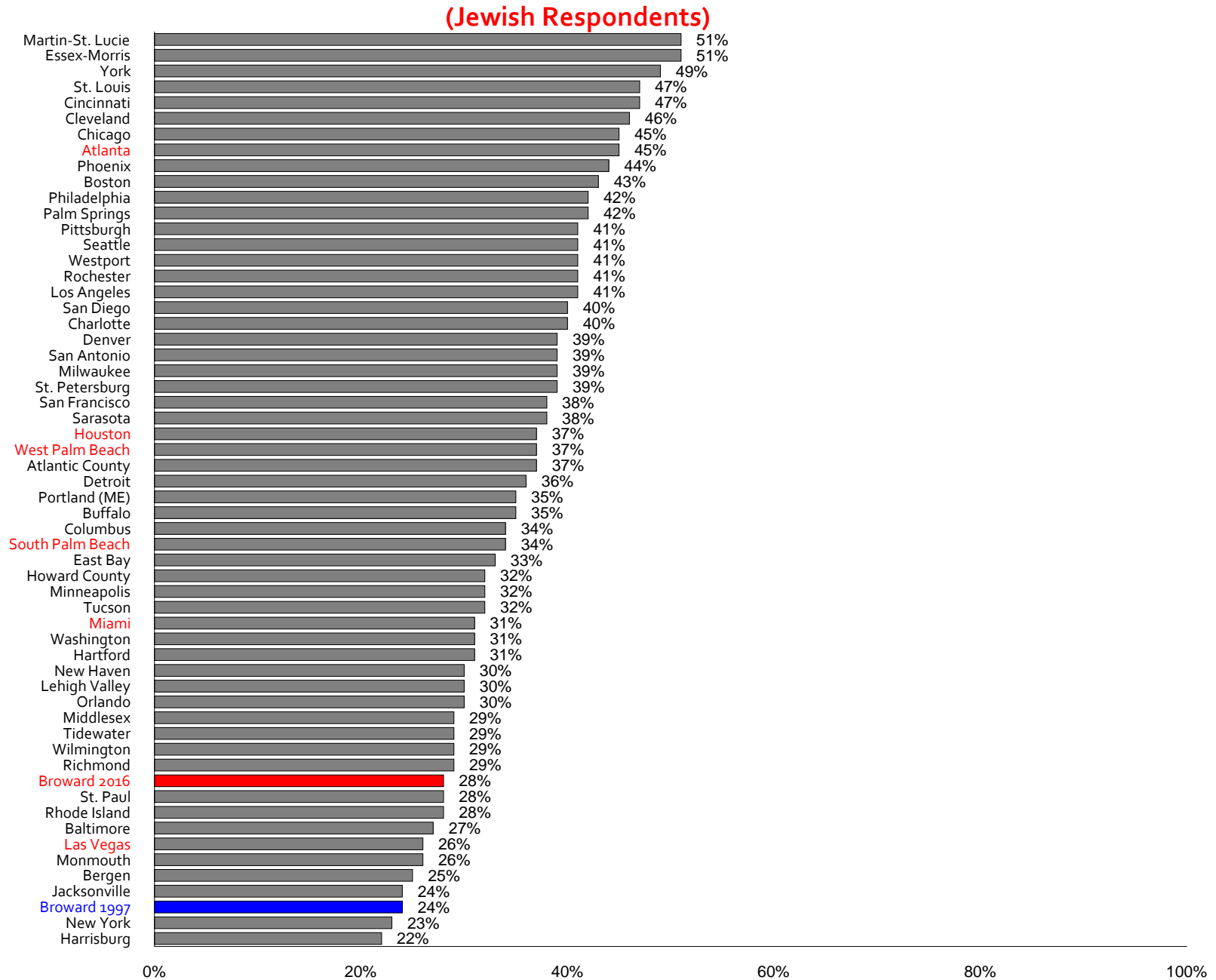


# Conservative Identification

(Jewish Respondents)

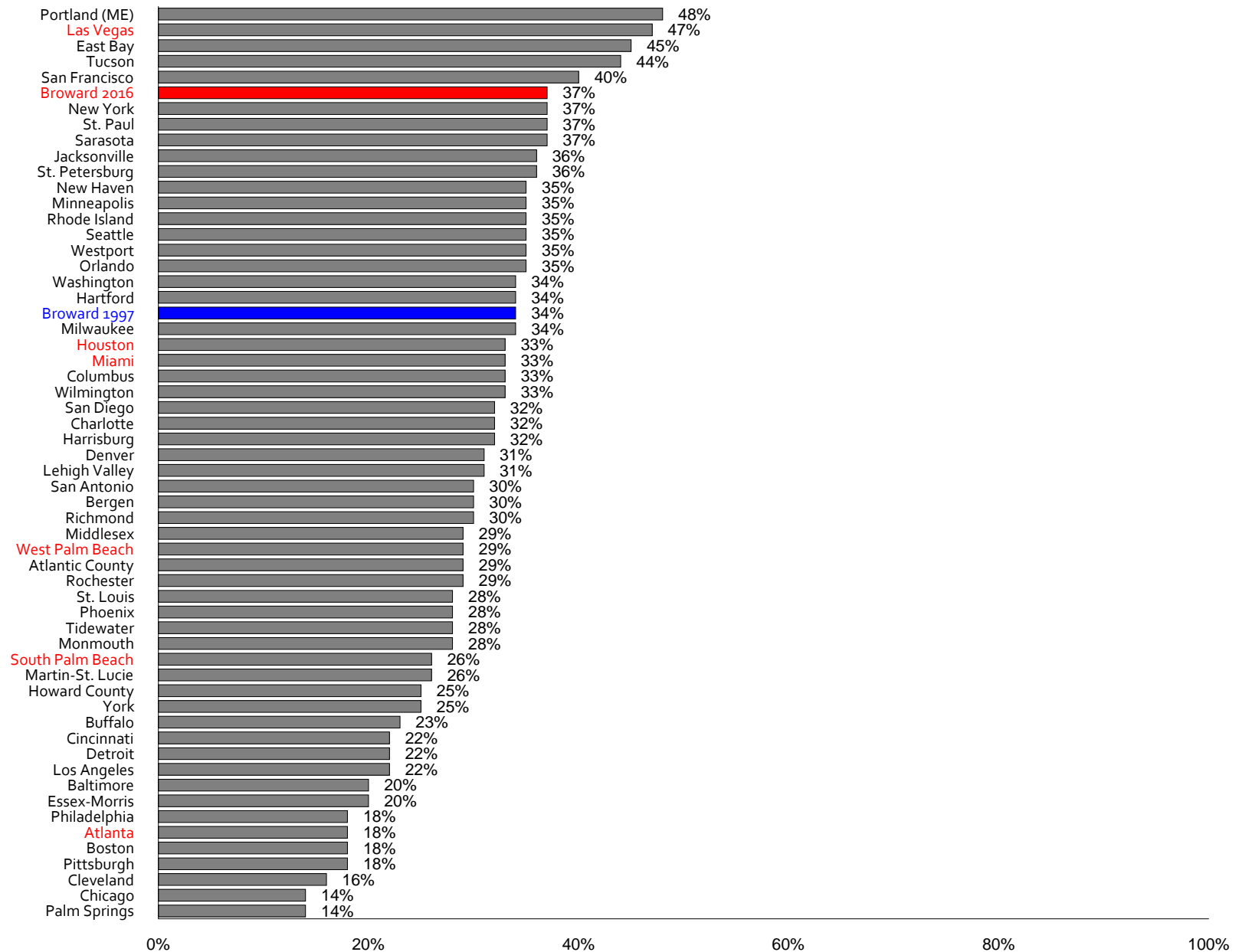


# Reform Identification



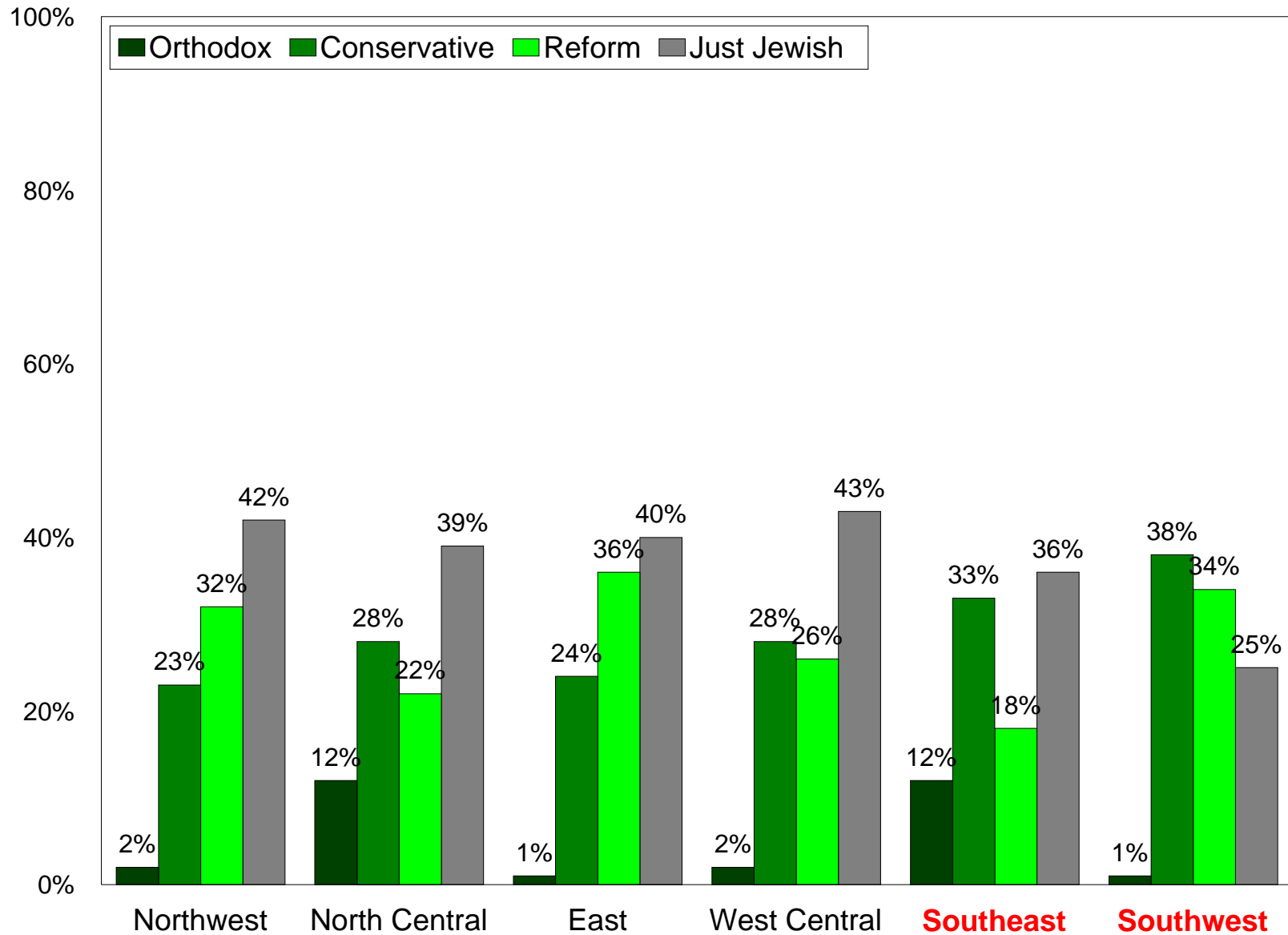
# Just Jewish Identification

(Jewish Respondents)



# Jewish Identification by Geographic Area

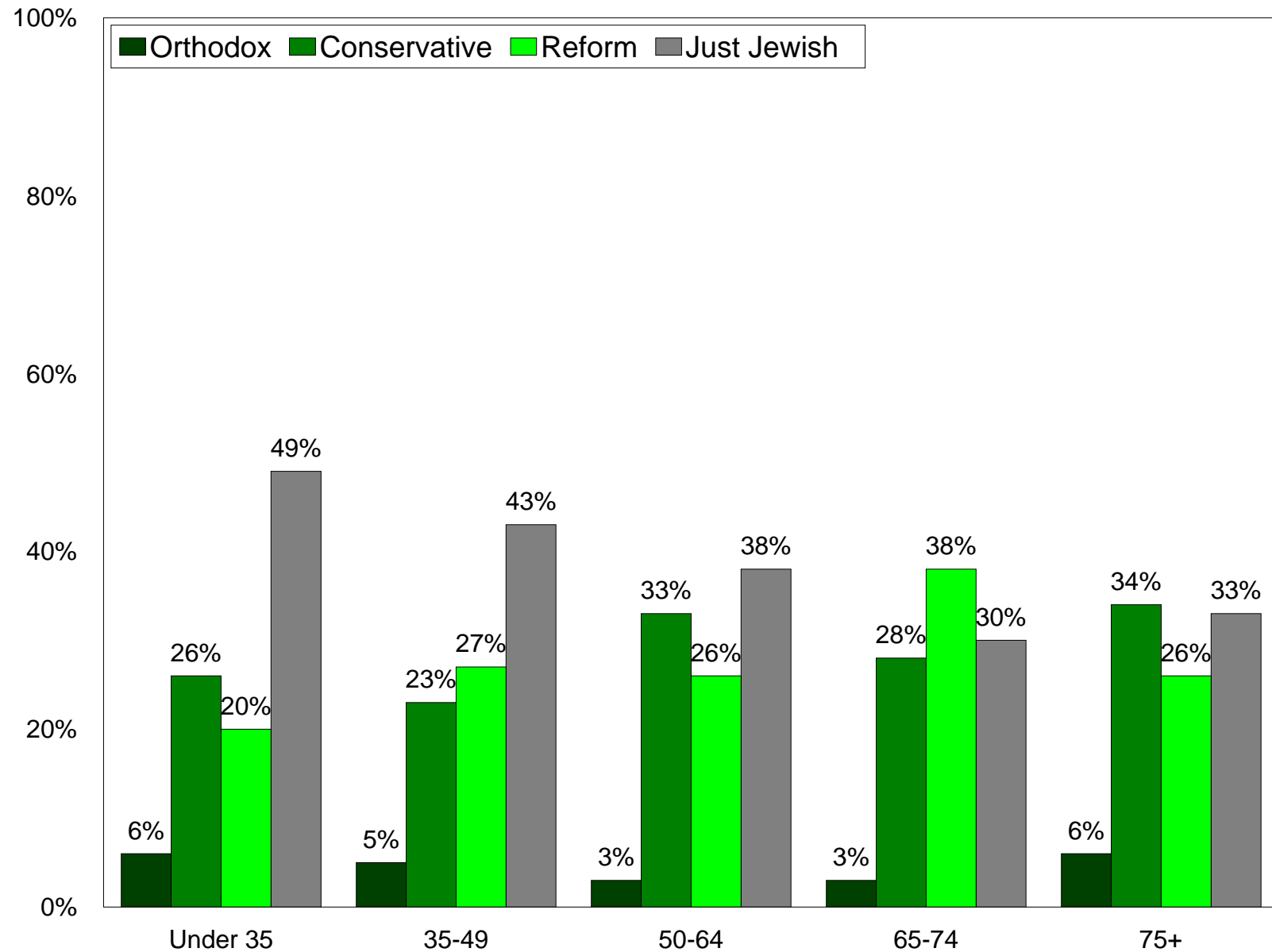
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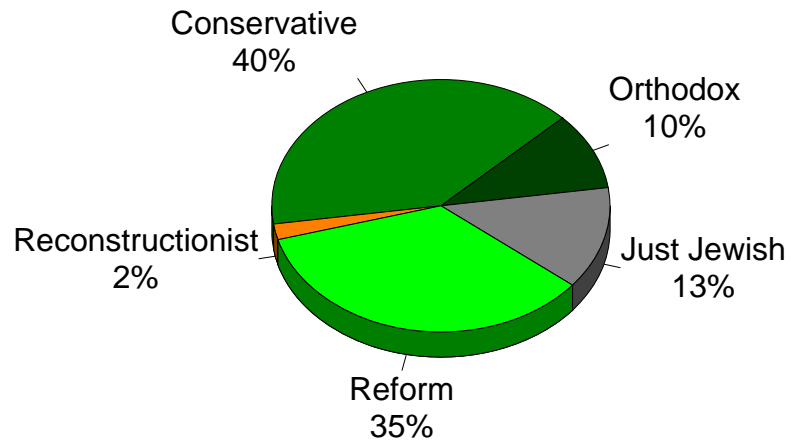
# 81 Jewish Identification by Age of Respondent

(Jewish Respondents)

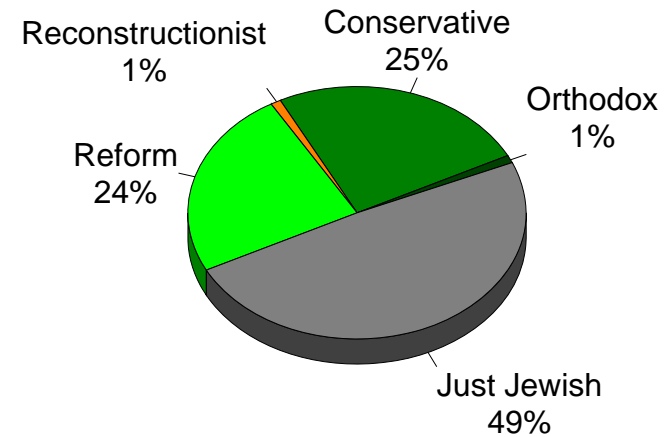


# 82 Jewish Identification by Synagogue Membership

(Jewish Respondents)



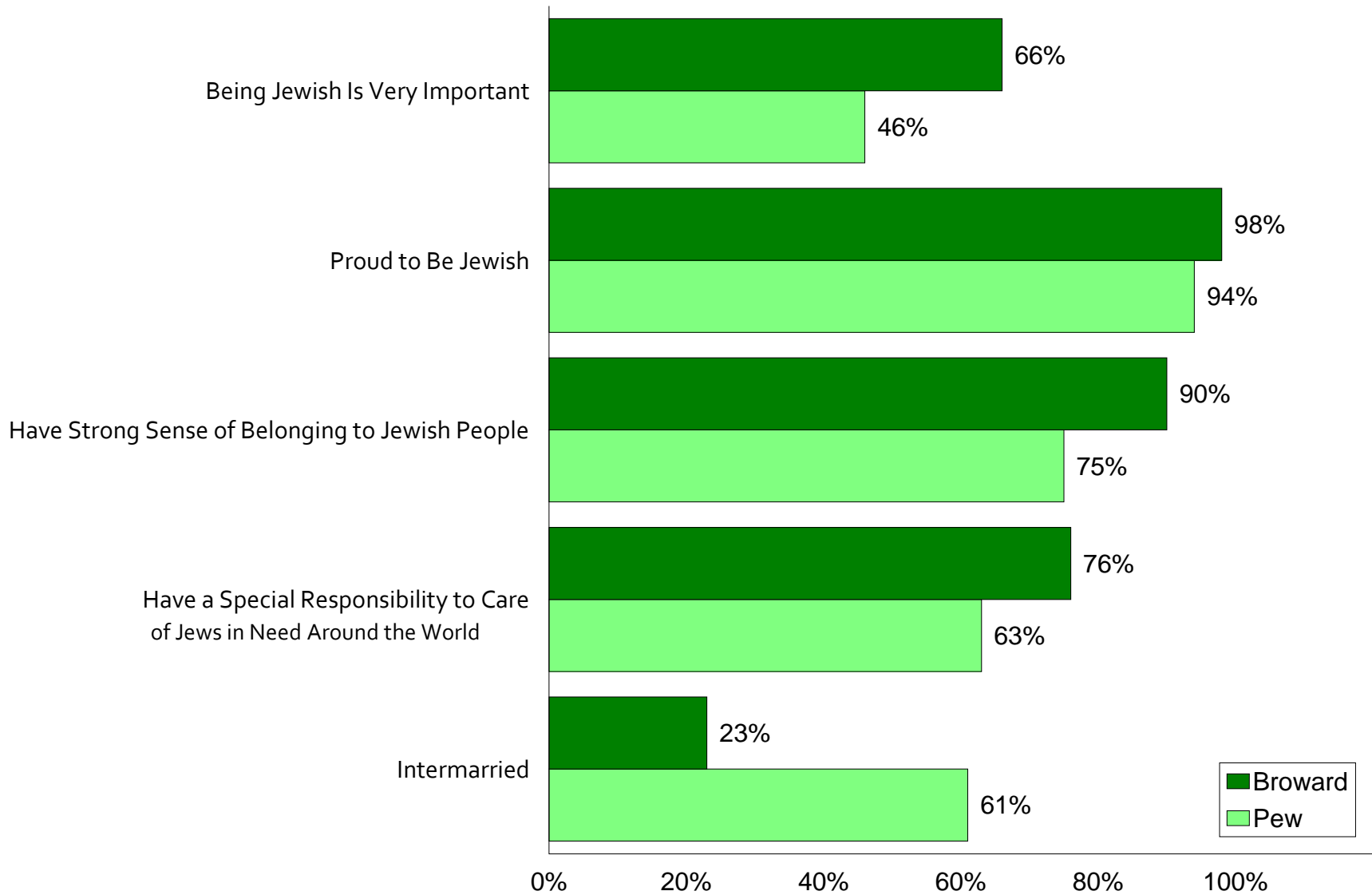
**SYNAGOGUE MEMBER**



**NON-MEMBER**

**Religious Profile:  
Attitudes Toward Being Jewish**

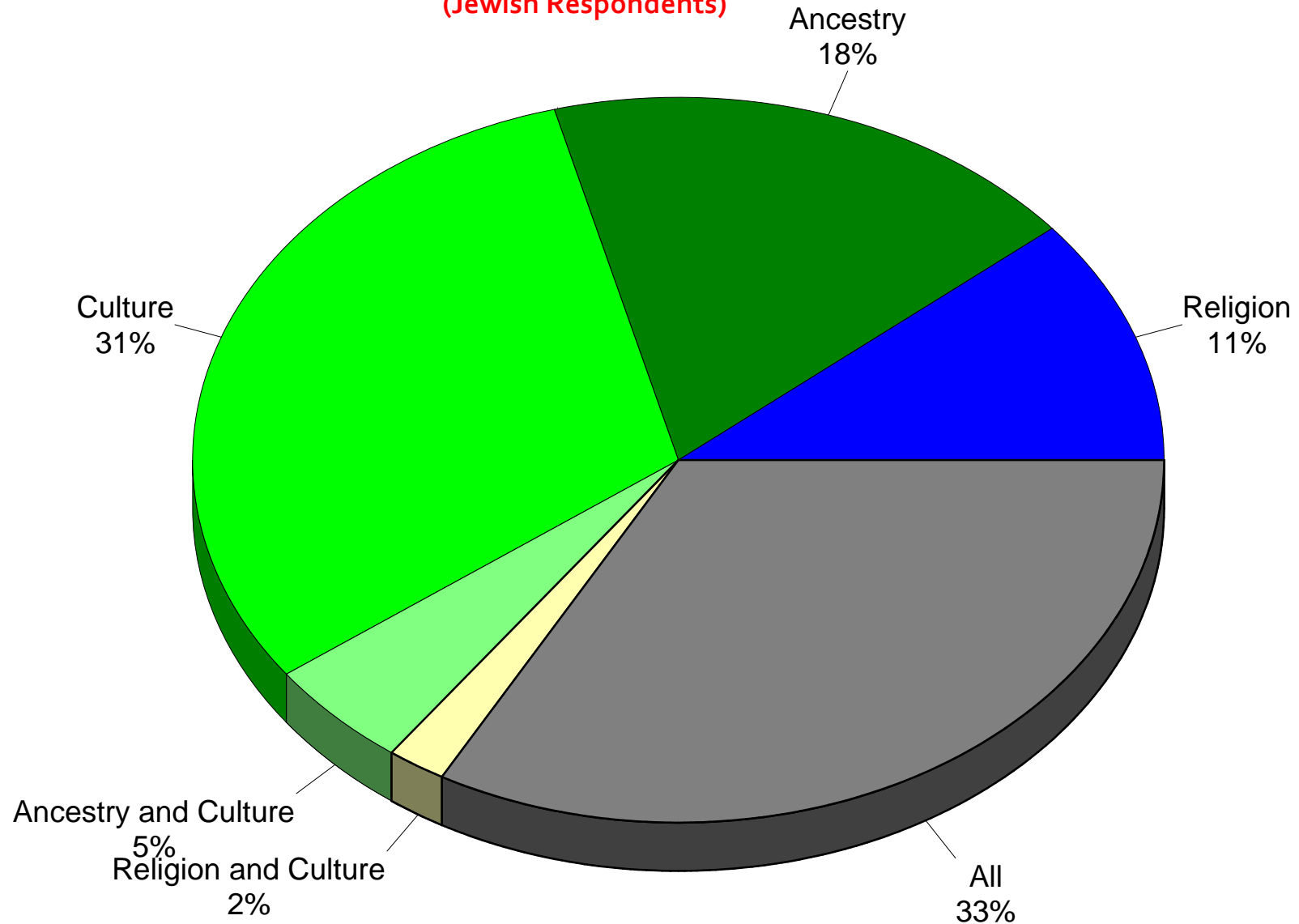
## Comparisons with Pew



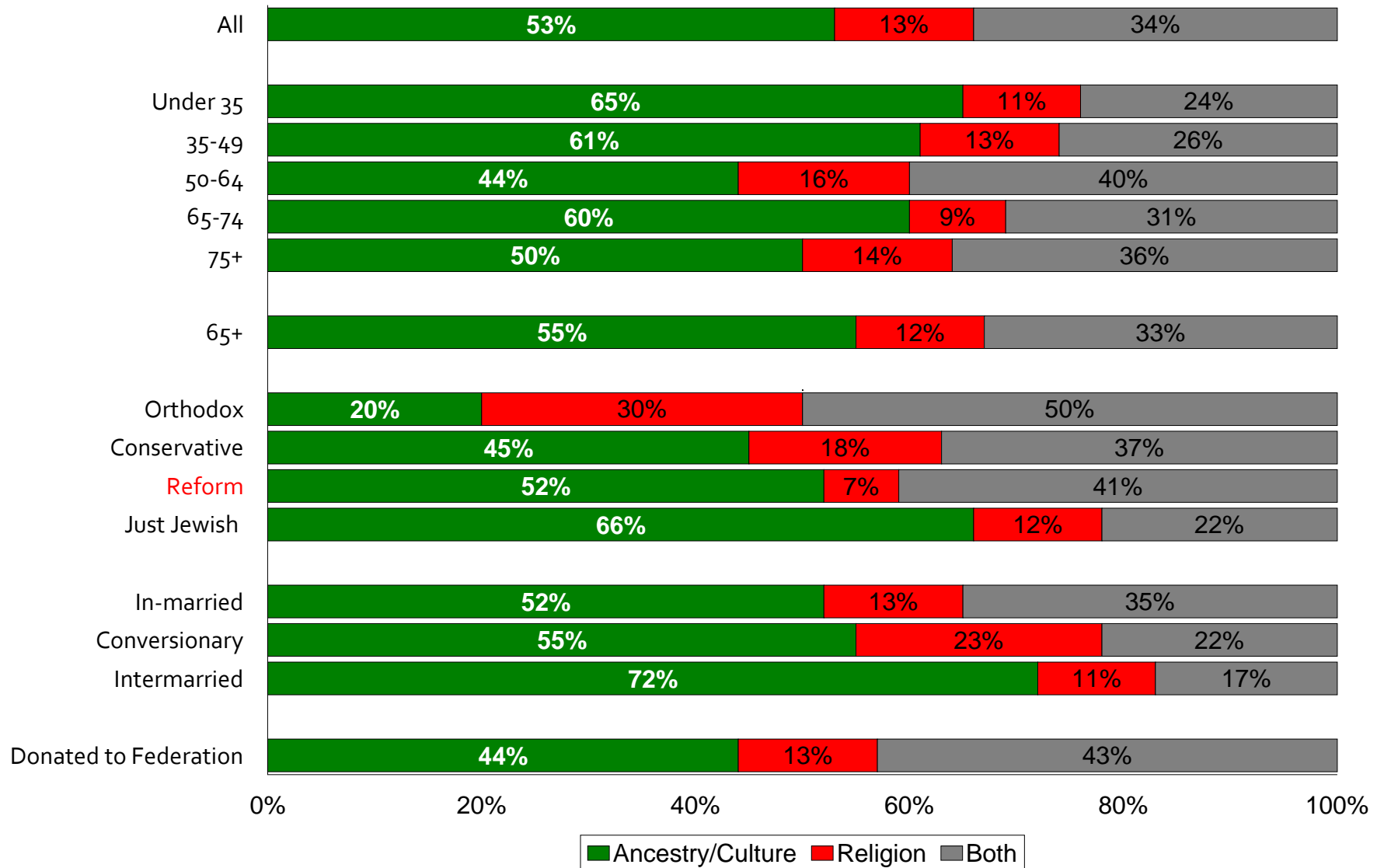
Source: Pew 2013

# Being Jewish Is Mainly a Matter of:

(Jewish Respondents)



## Being Jewish Is a Matter of:



Note: "Ancestry/Culture" includes ancestry + culture + ancestry and culture

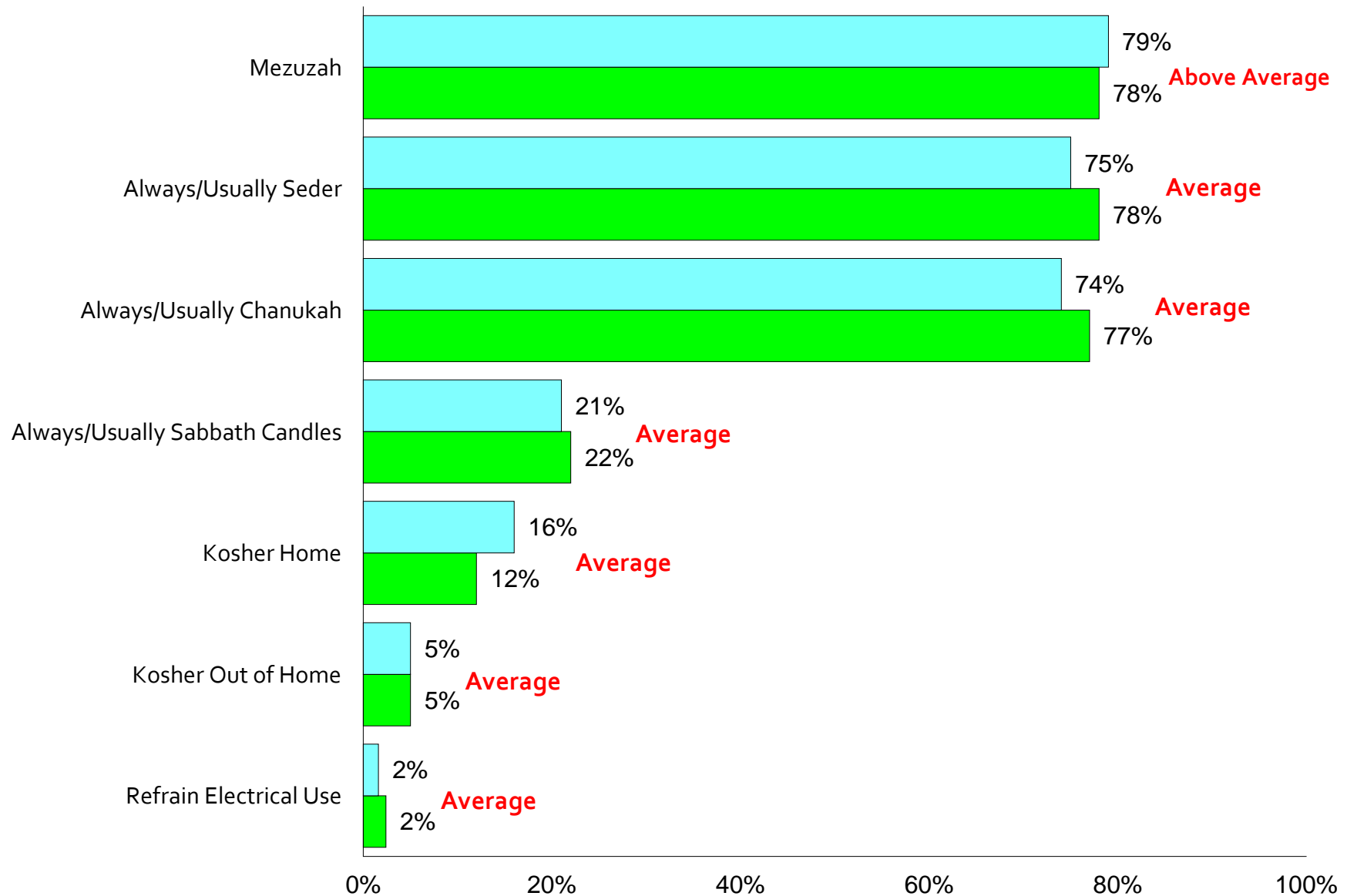
Note: "Religion" includes religion + religion and ancestry + religion and culture

## Religious Profile: Religious Practices

# Changes in Religious Practices Over Time

(Jewish Households)

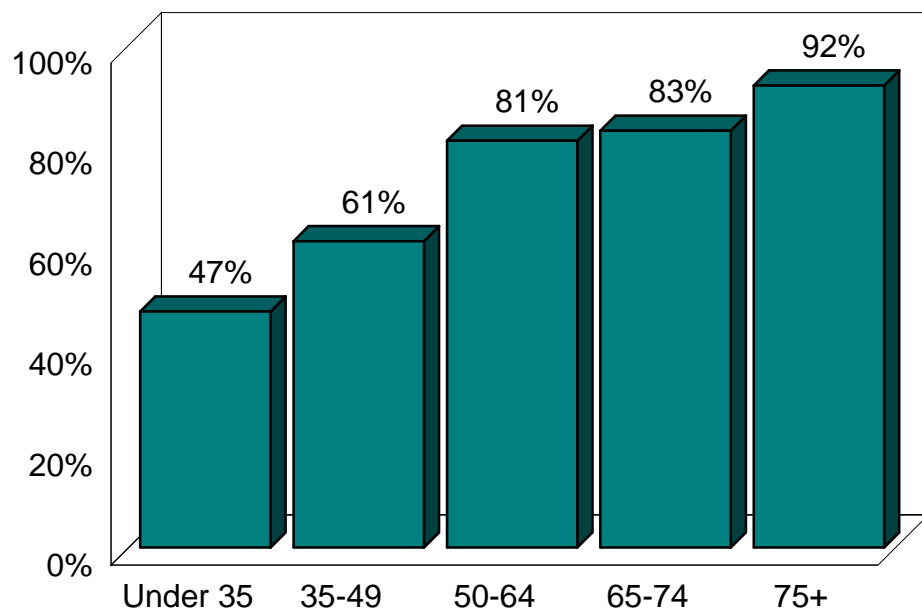
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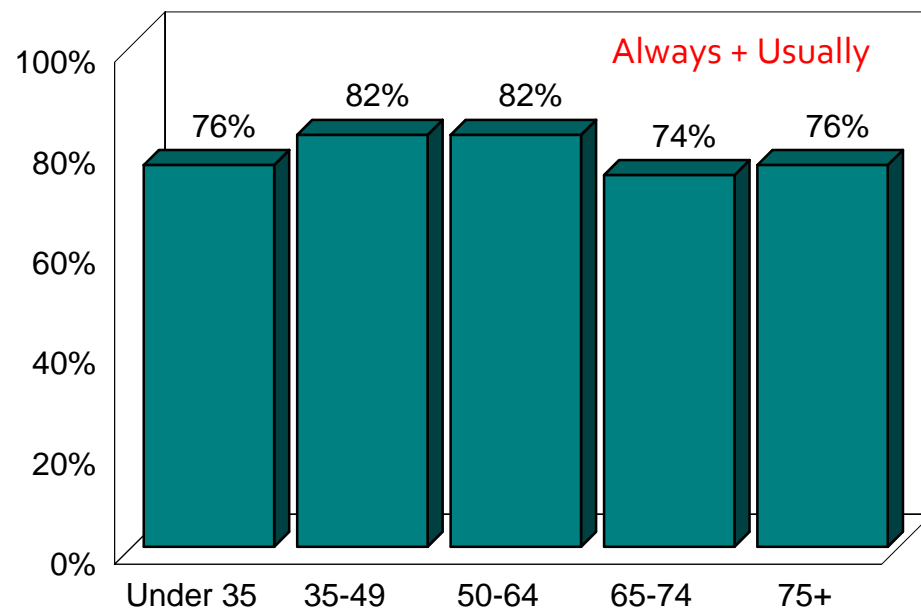


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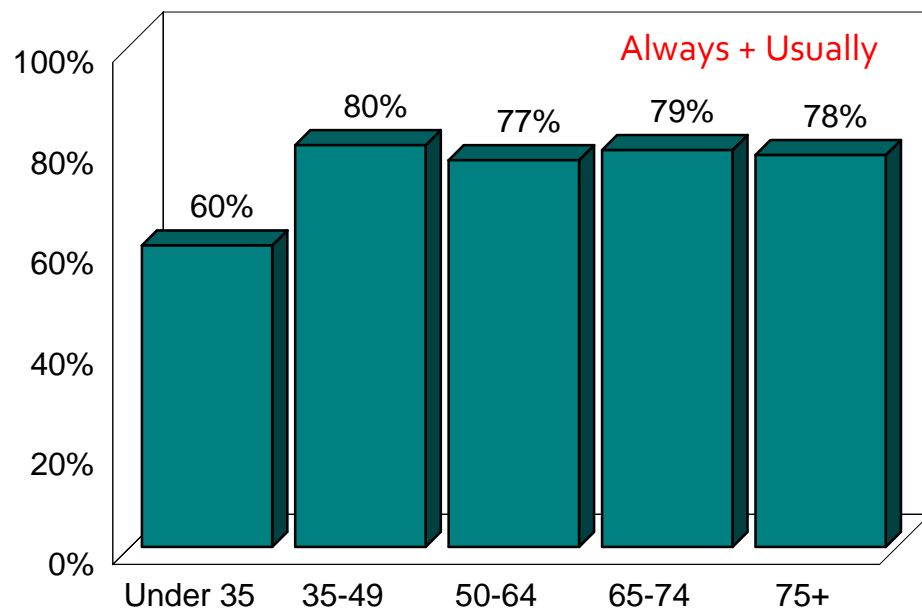
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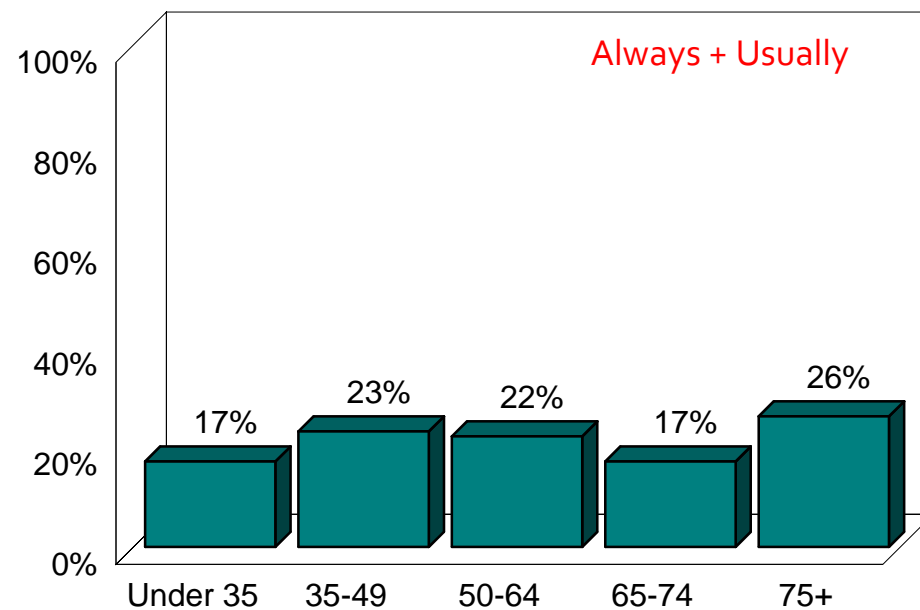
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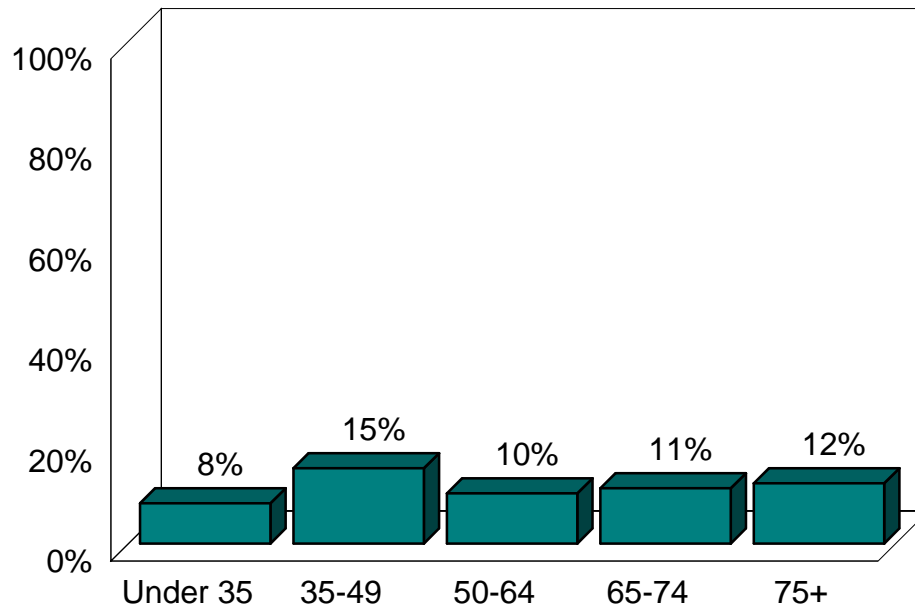


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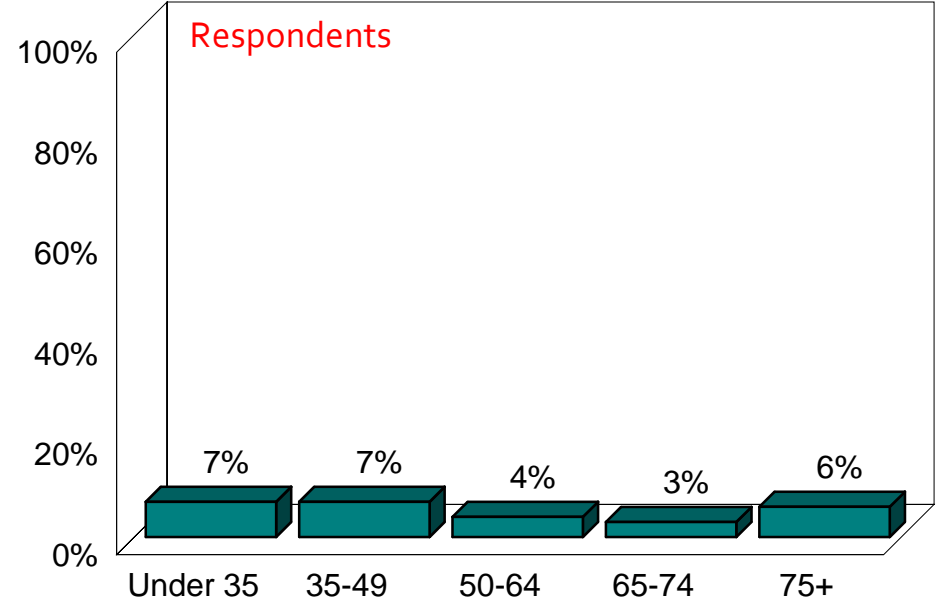


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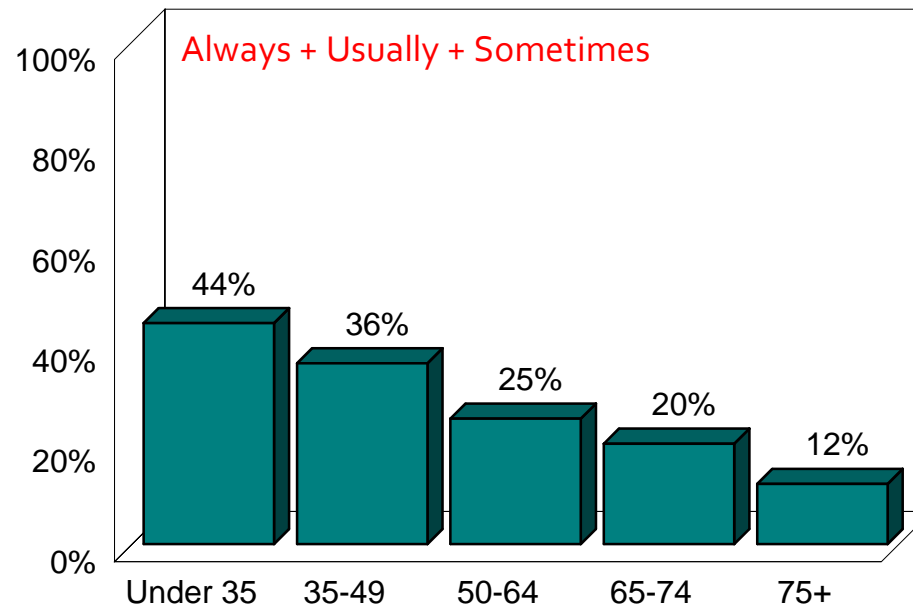
Kosher Home



Kosher In/Out of Home

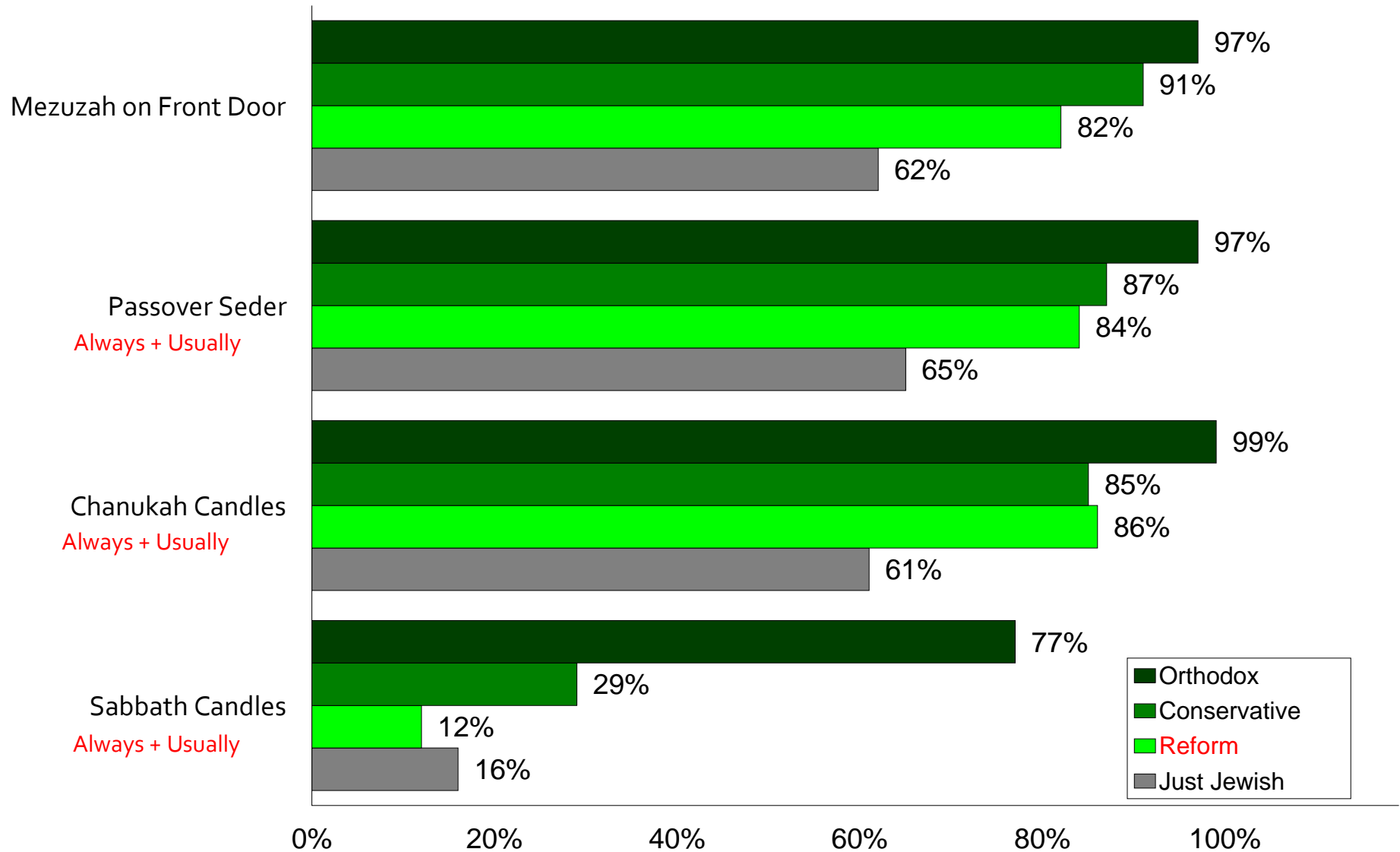


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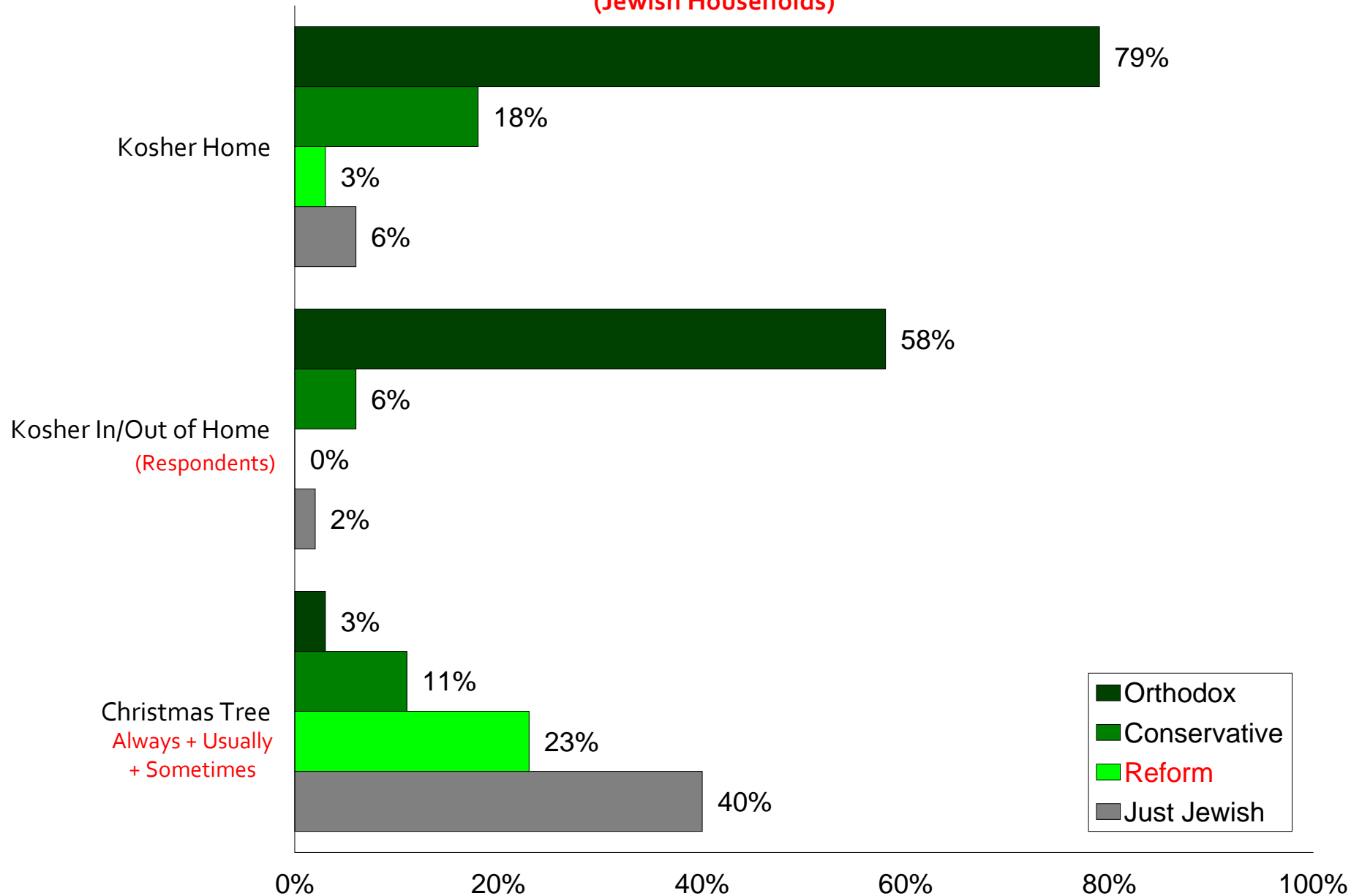
# 91 Religious Practices by Jewish Identification

(Jewish Households)



# Religious Practices by Jewish Identification

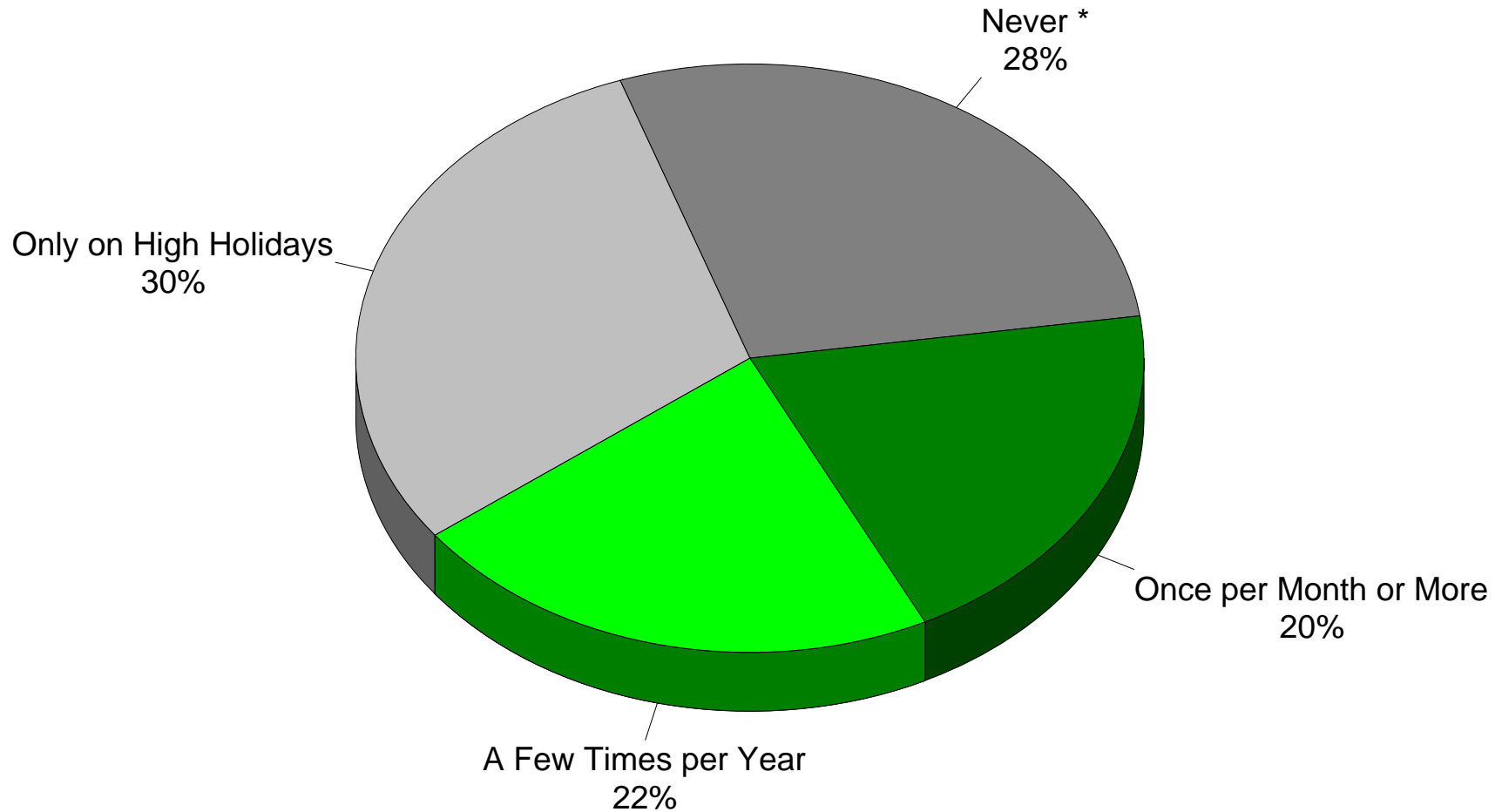
(Jewish Households)



## Religious Profile: Synagogue Attendance

# Synagogue Attendance

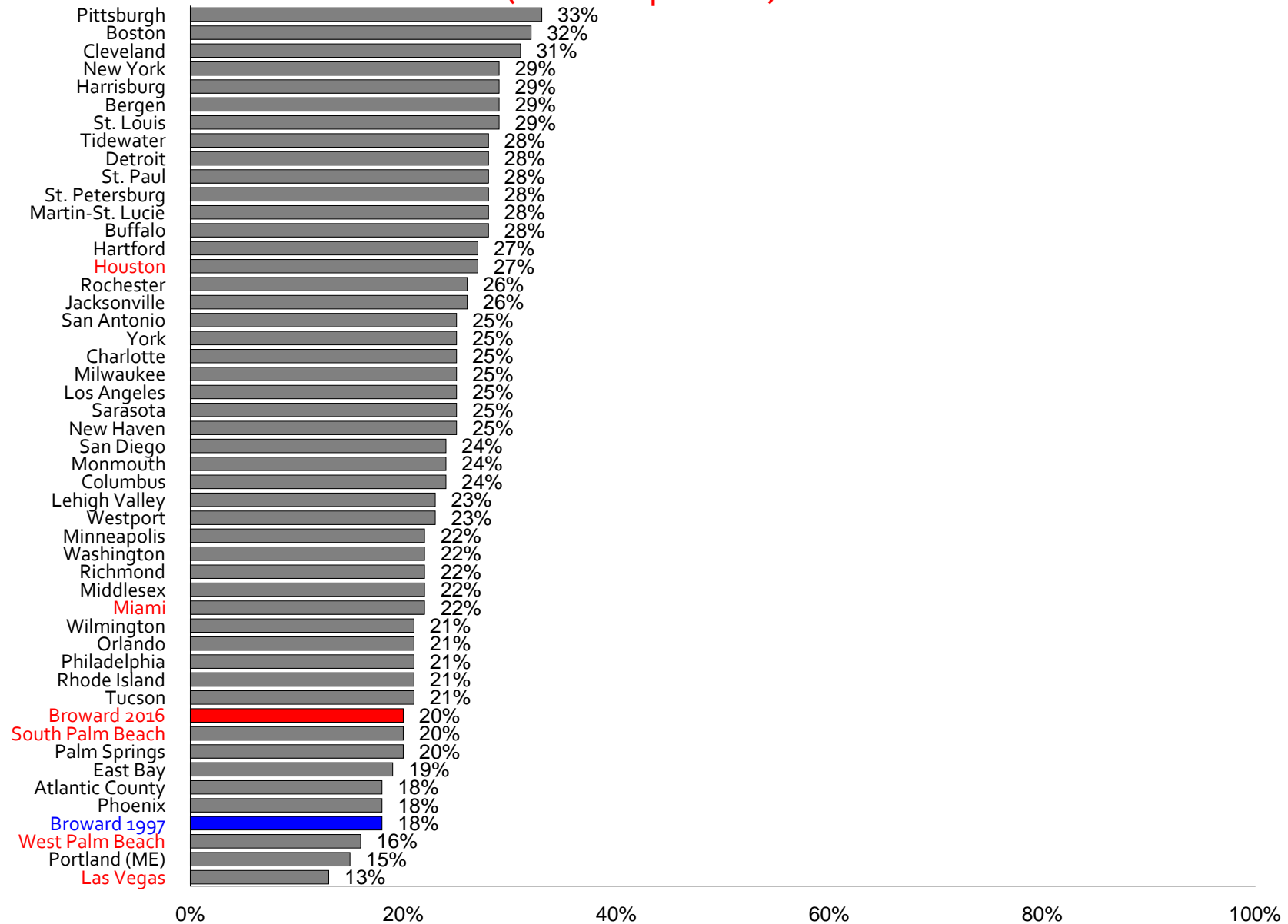
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\* or only for weddings/b'nai mitzvah

## Attend Synagogue Services Once per Month or More

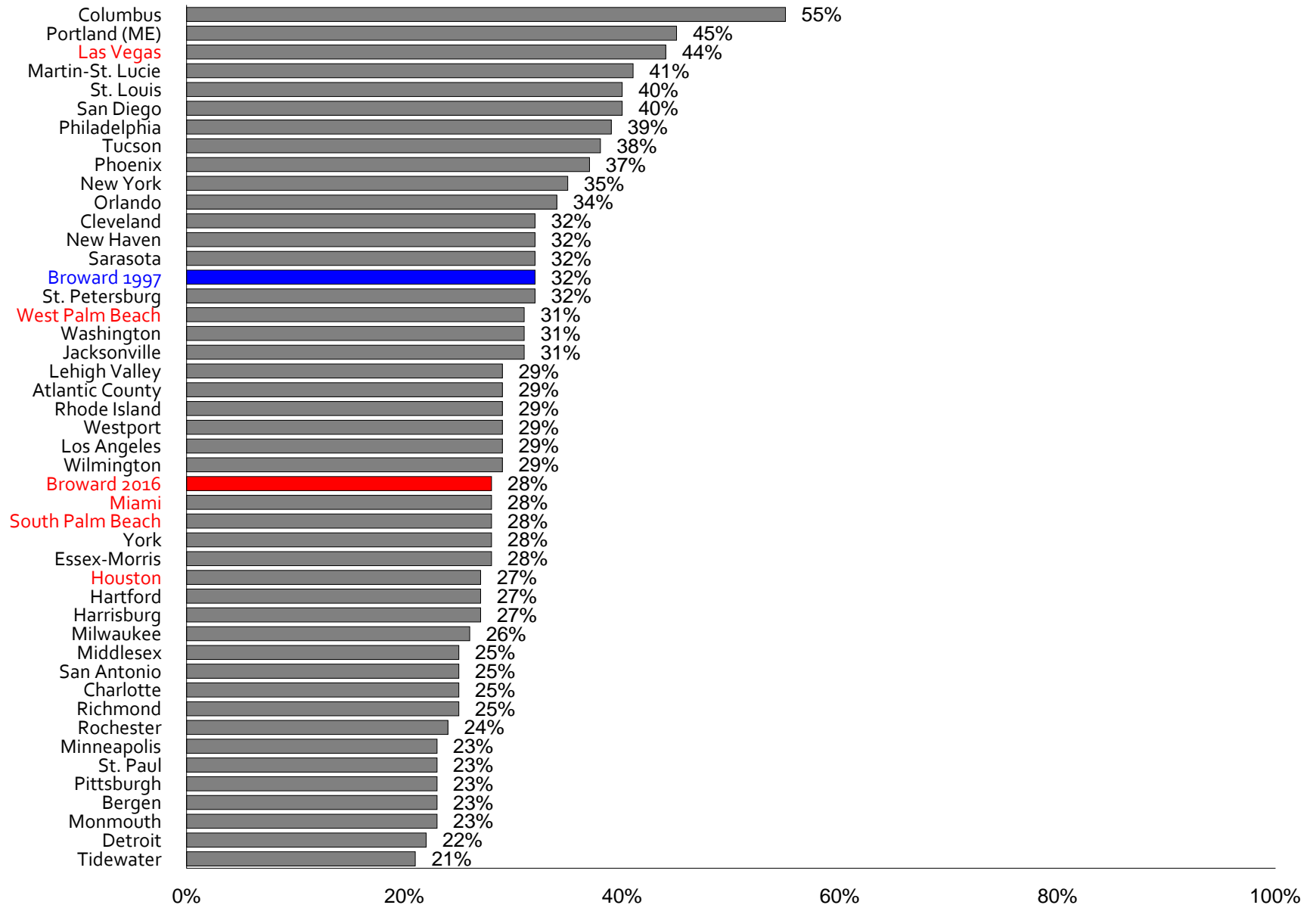
(Jewish Respondents)



# Never Attend Synagogue Services

(or only for weddings/b'nai mitzvah)

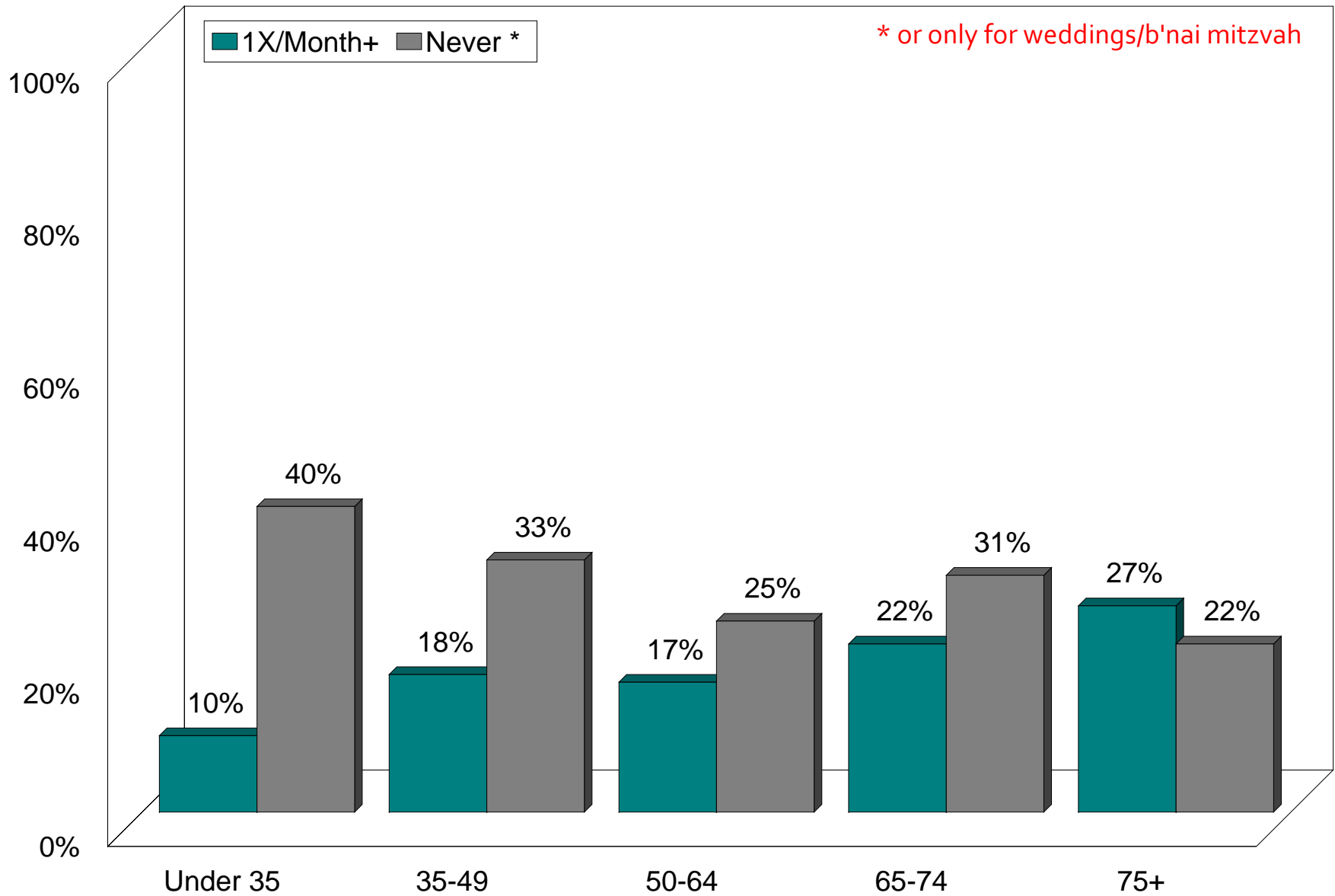
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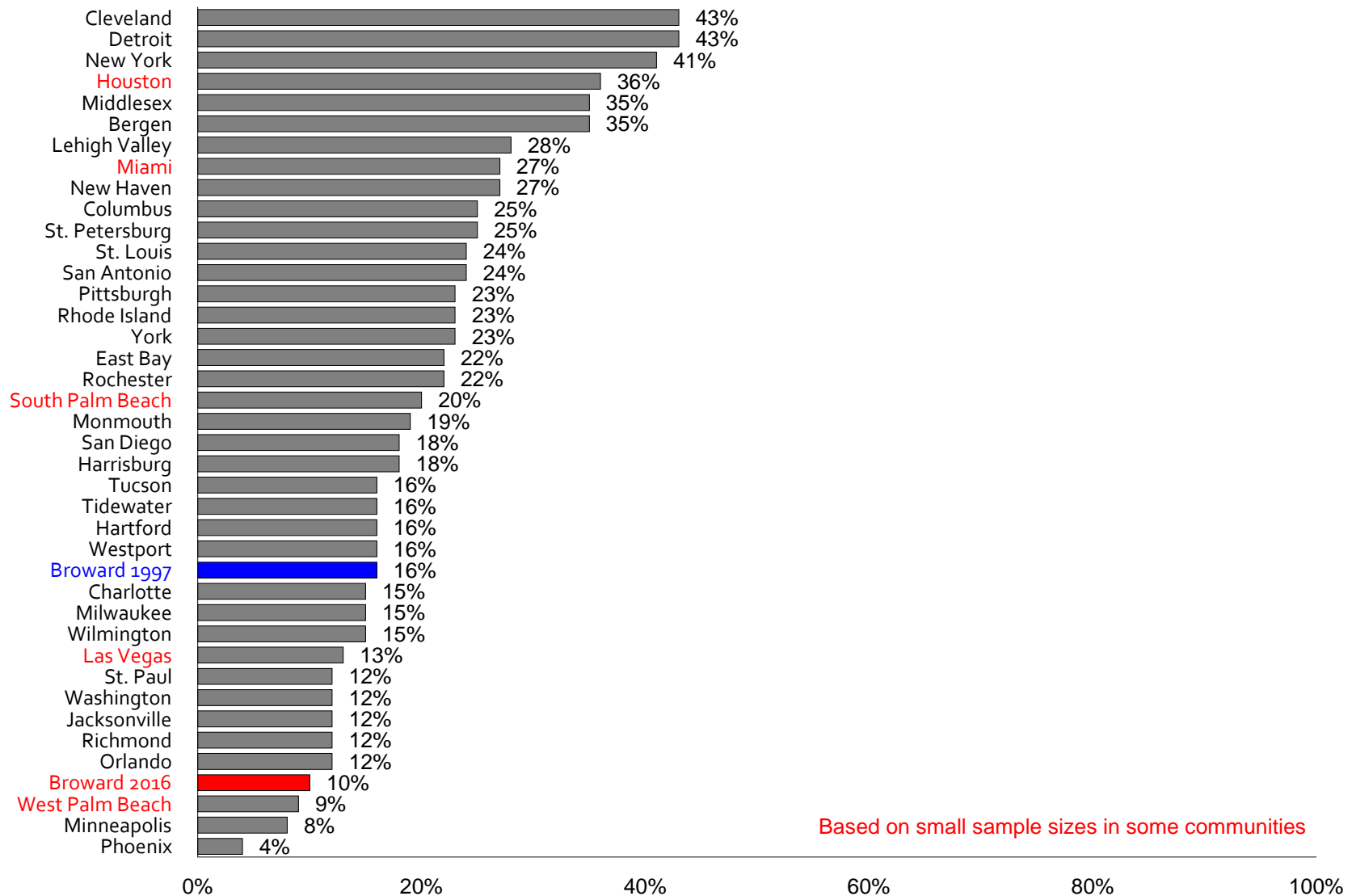
# Synagogue Attendance by Age

(Jewish Respondents)



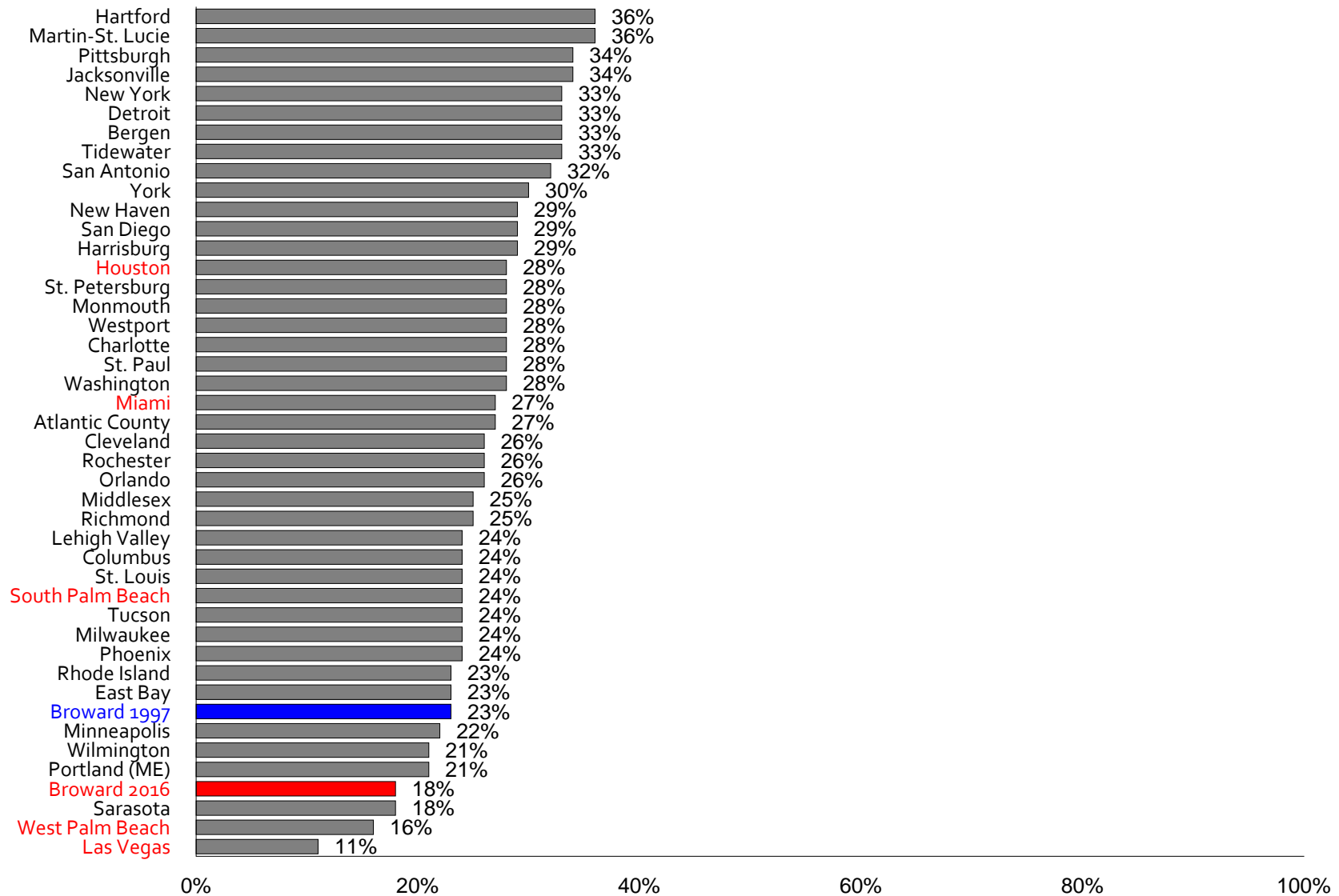
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**Respondent Under Age 35  
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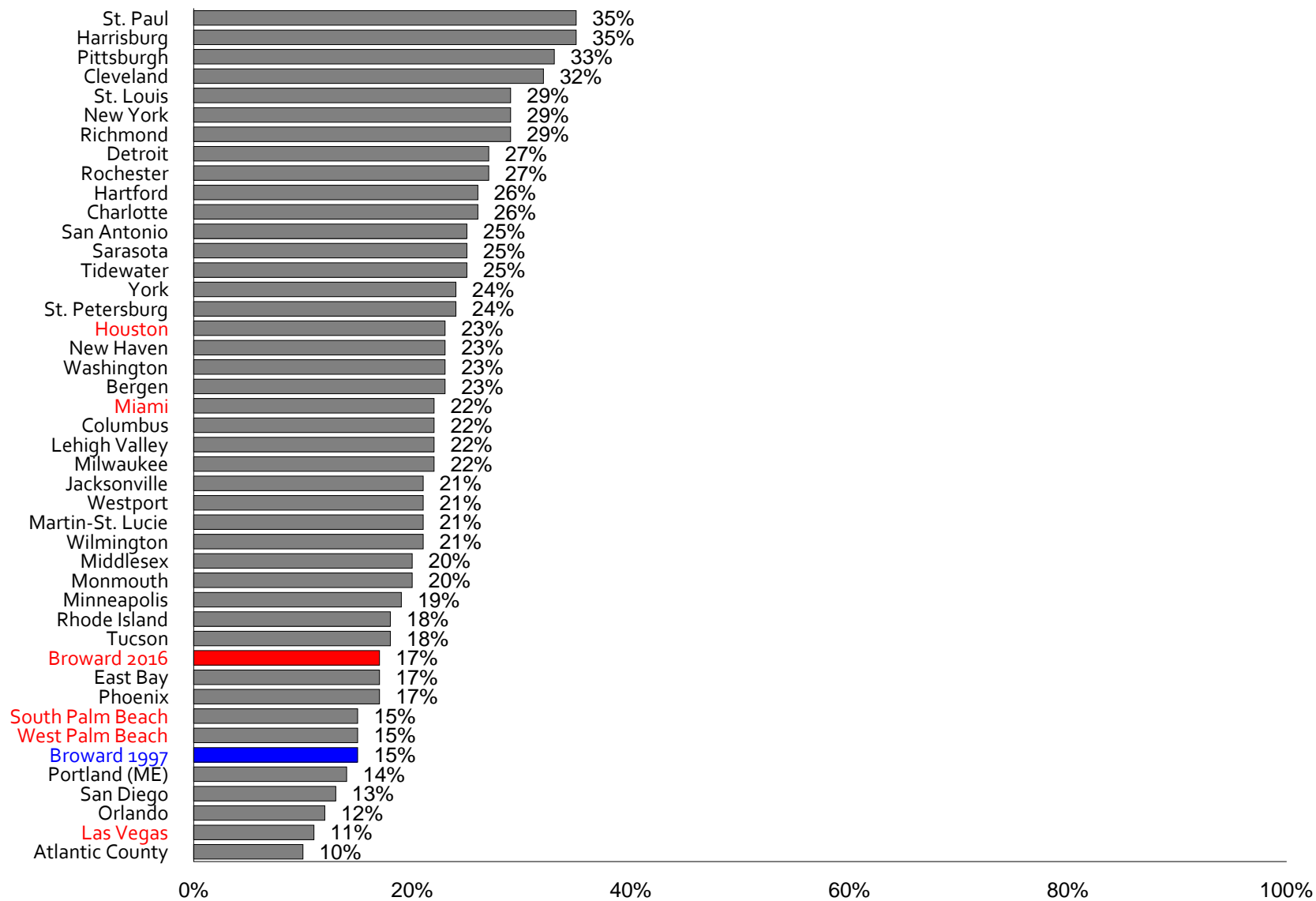
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**Respondent Age 35-49**  
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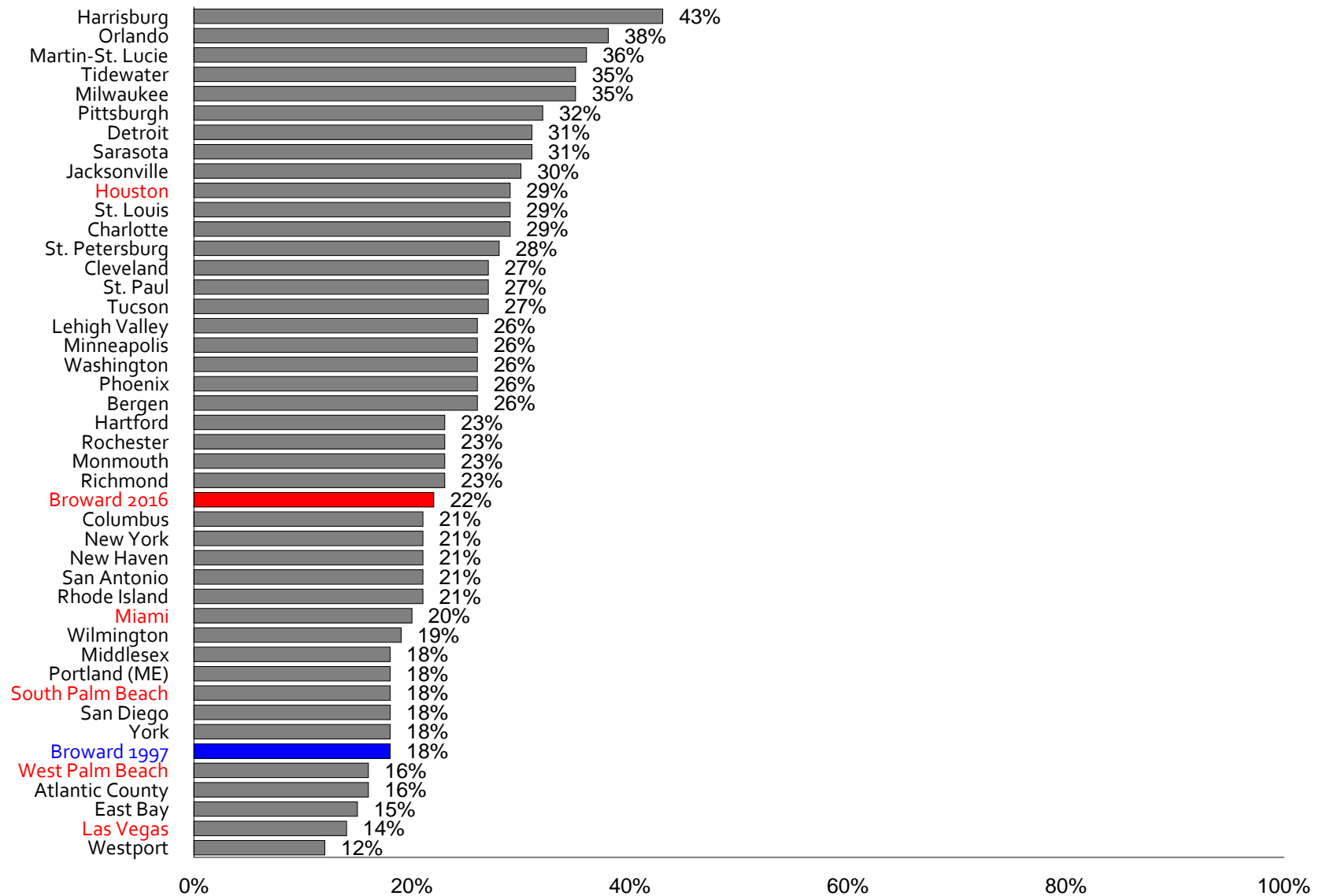
# Attend Synagogue Services Once per Month or More

**Respondent Age 50-64**  
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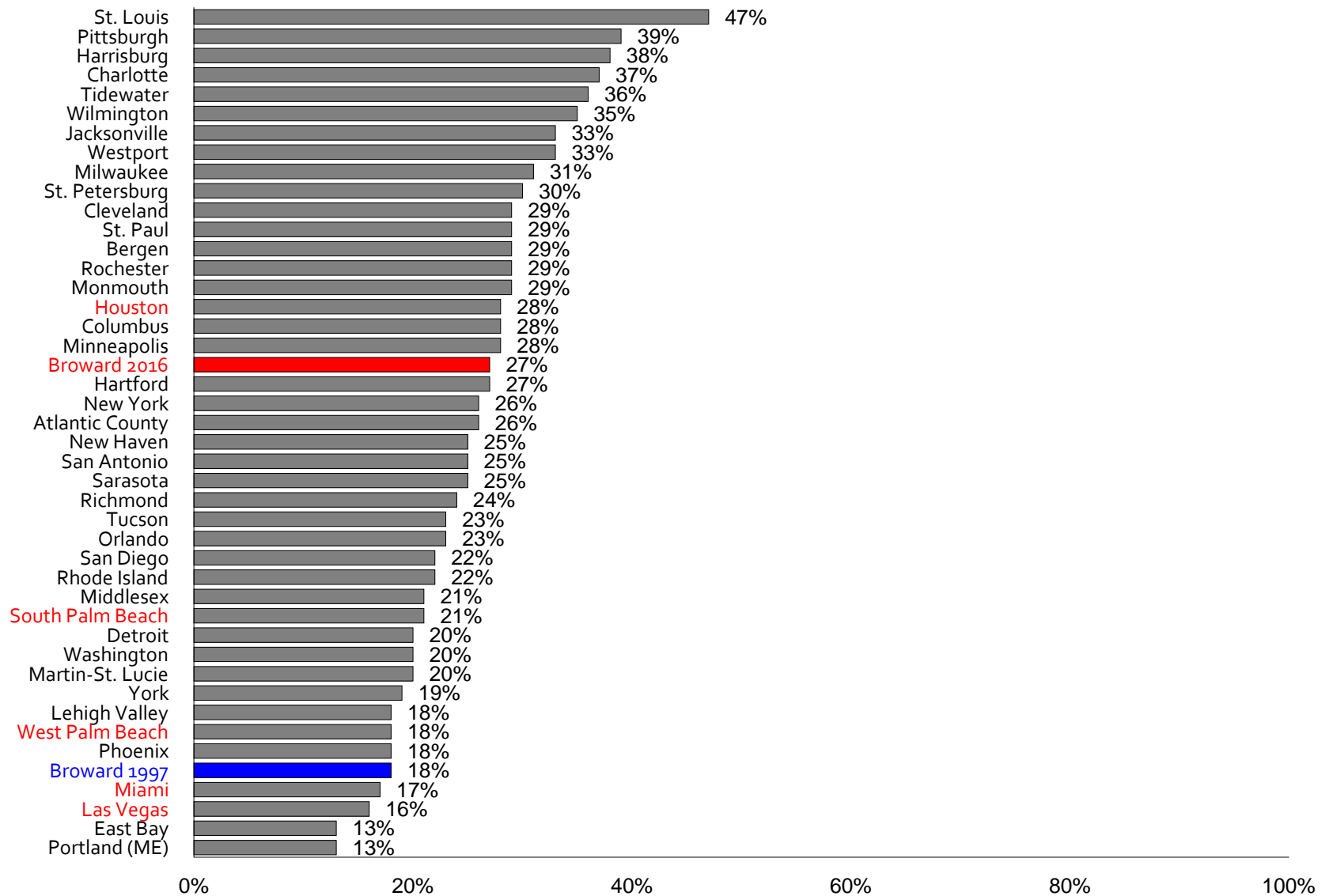
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# Attend Synagogue Services Once per Month or More

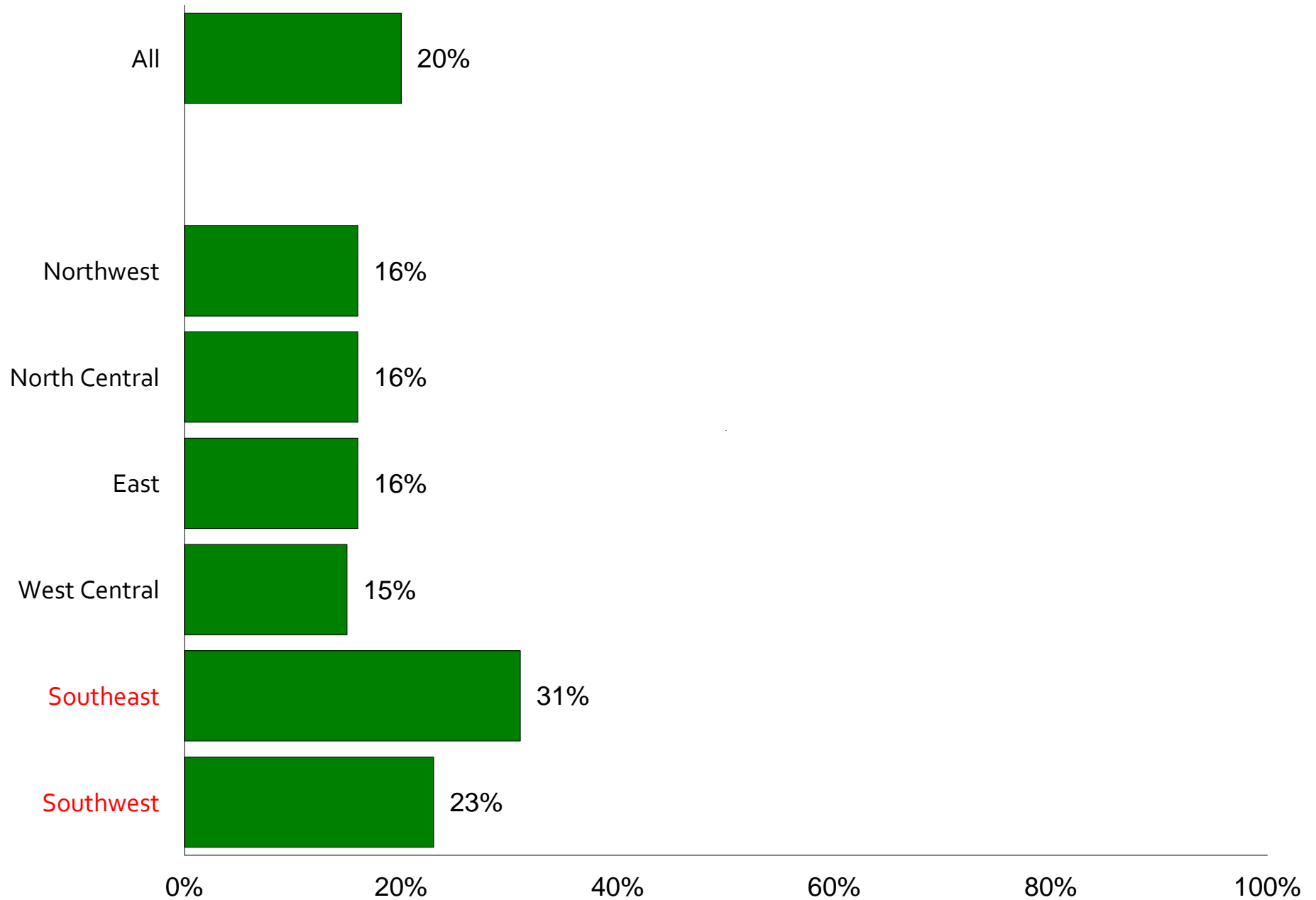
Respondent Age 75 and Over  
(Jewish Respondents)



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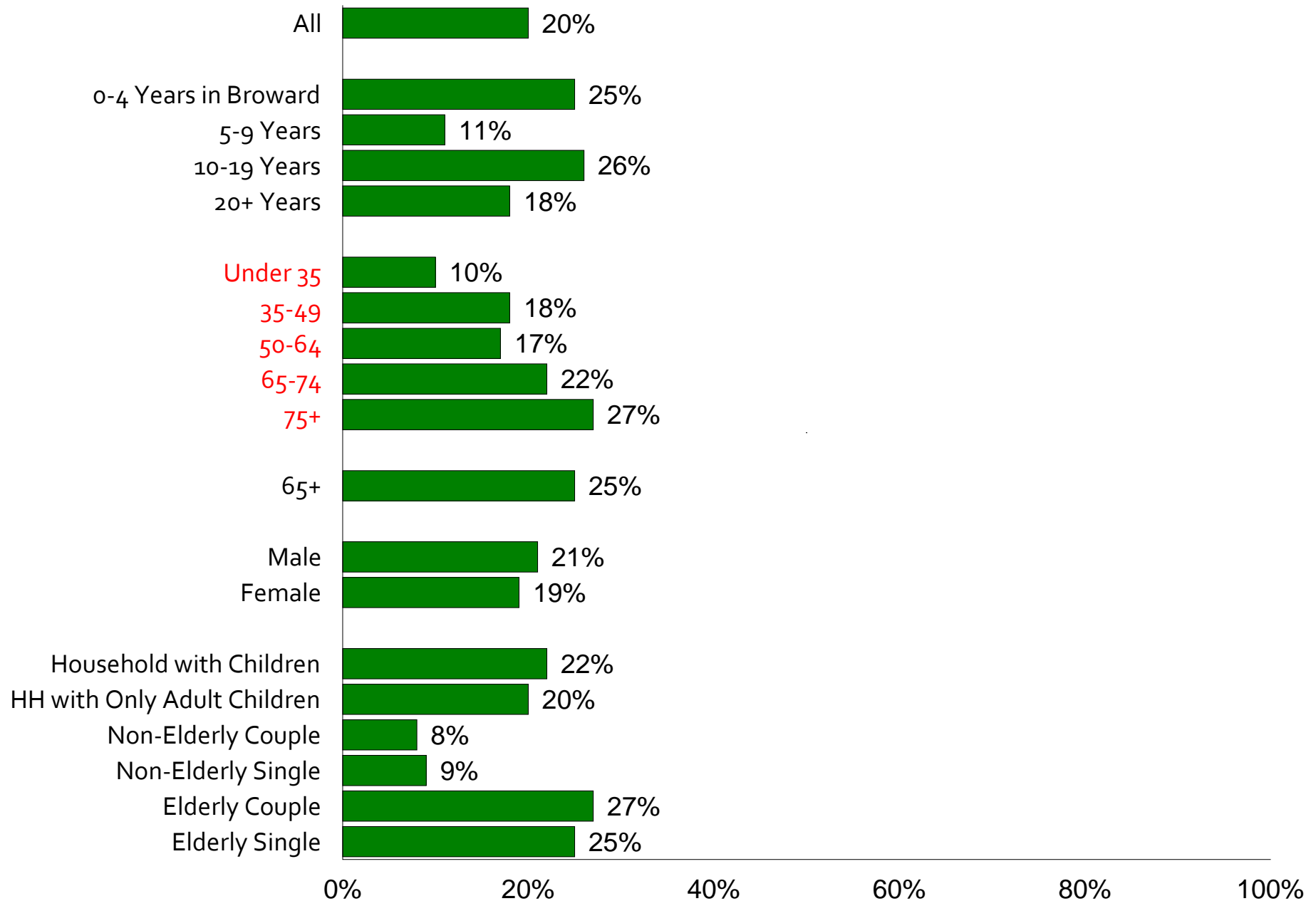
## Attend Services Once per Month or More

(Jewish Respondents)



# Attend Services Once per Month or More

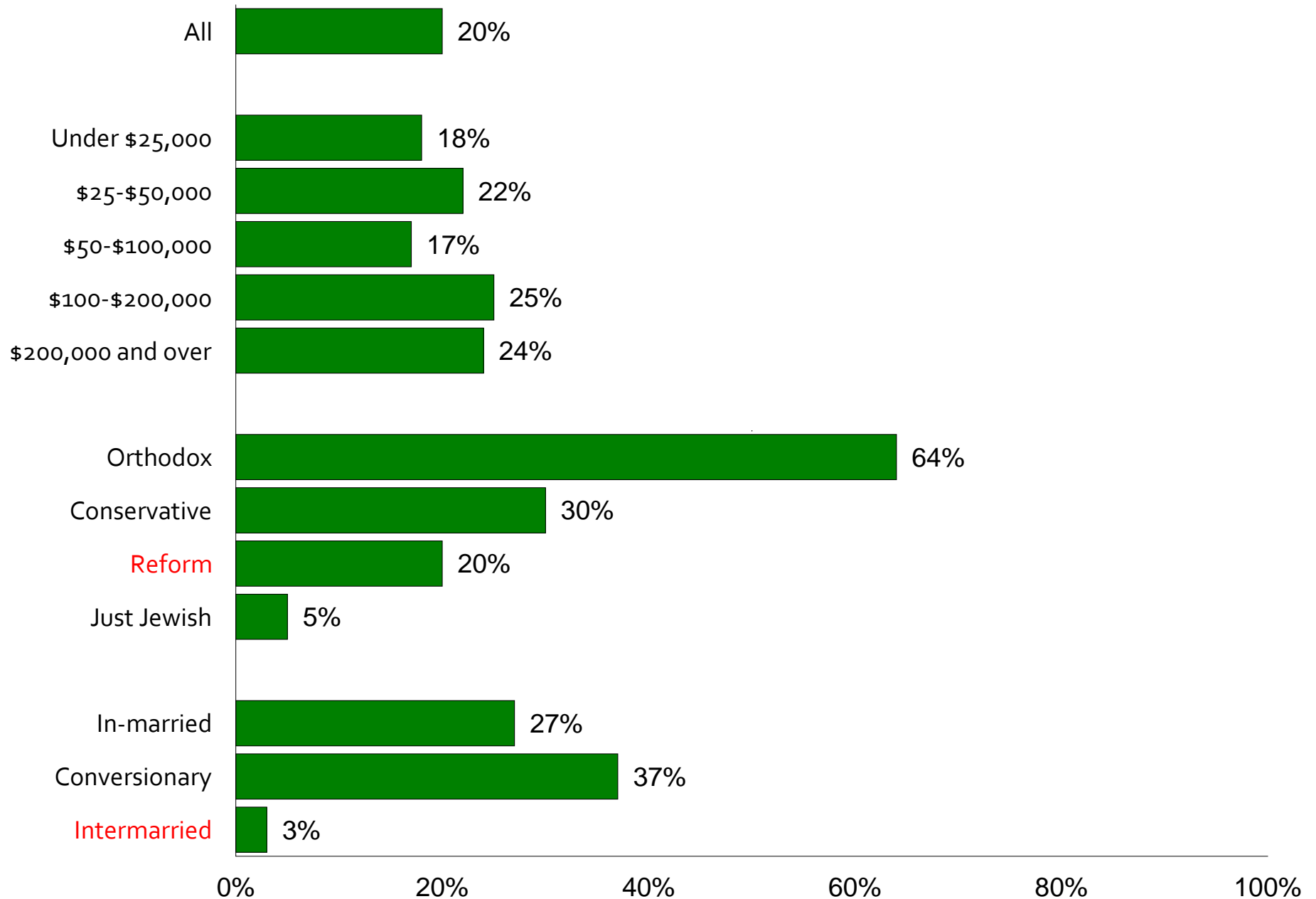
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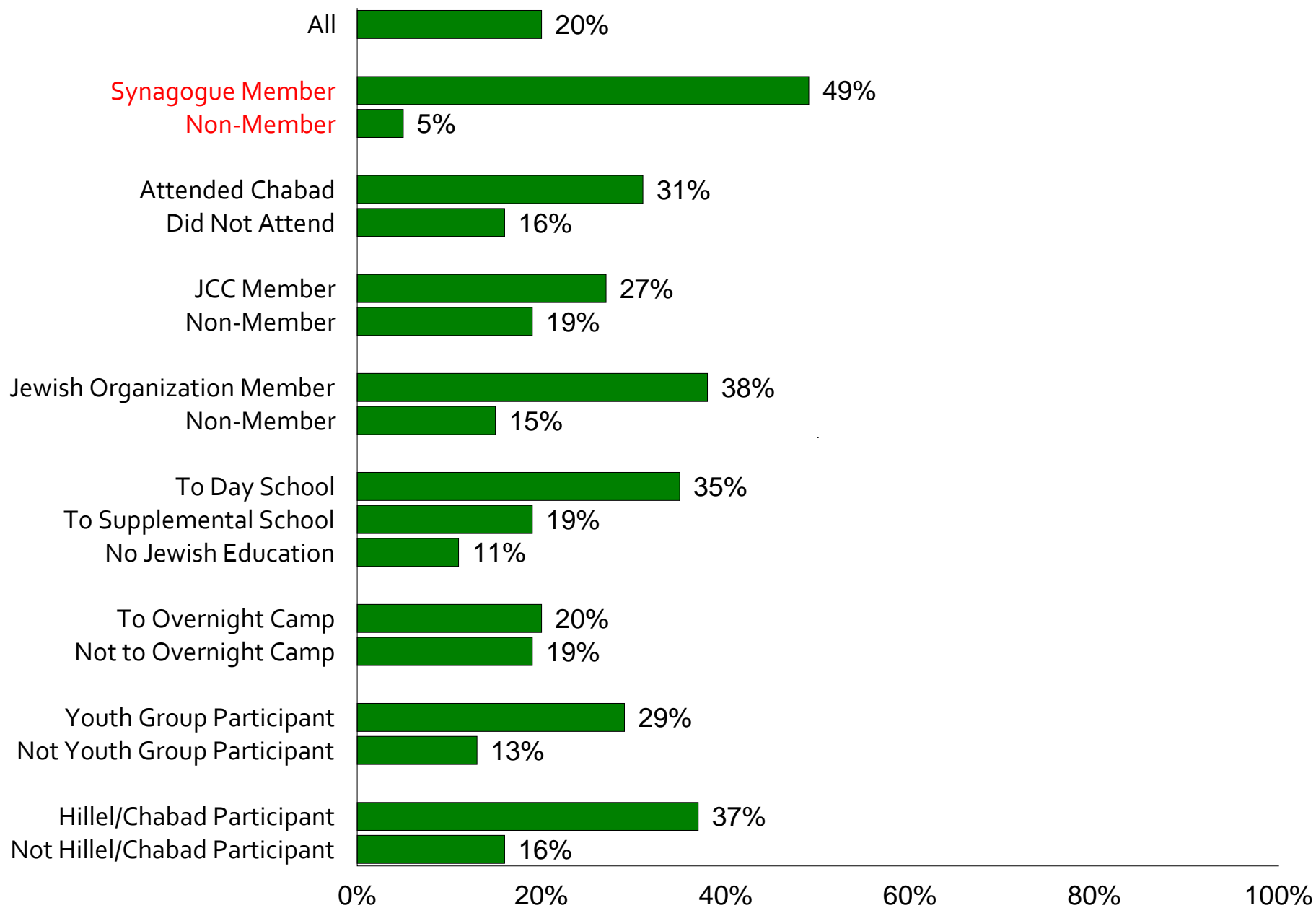
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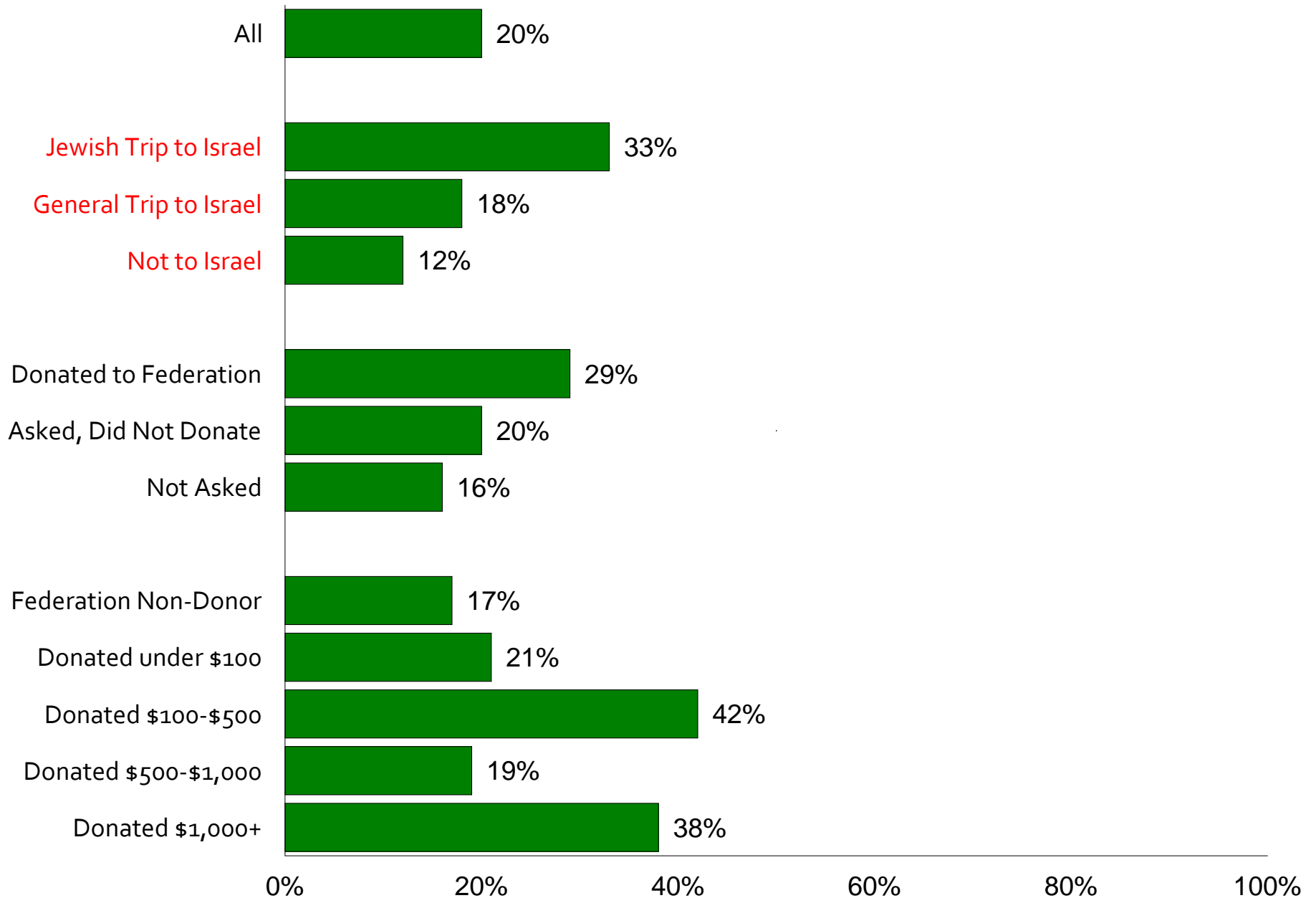
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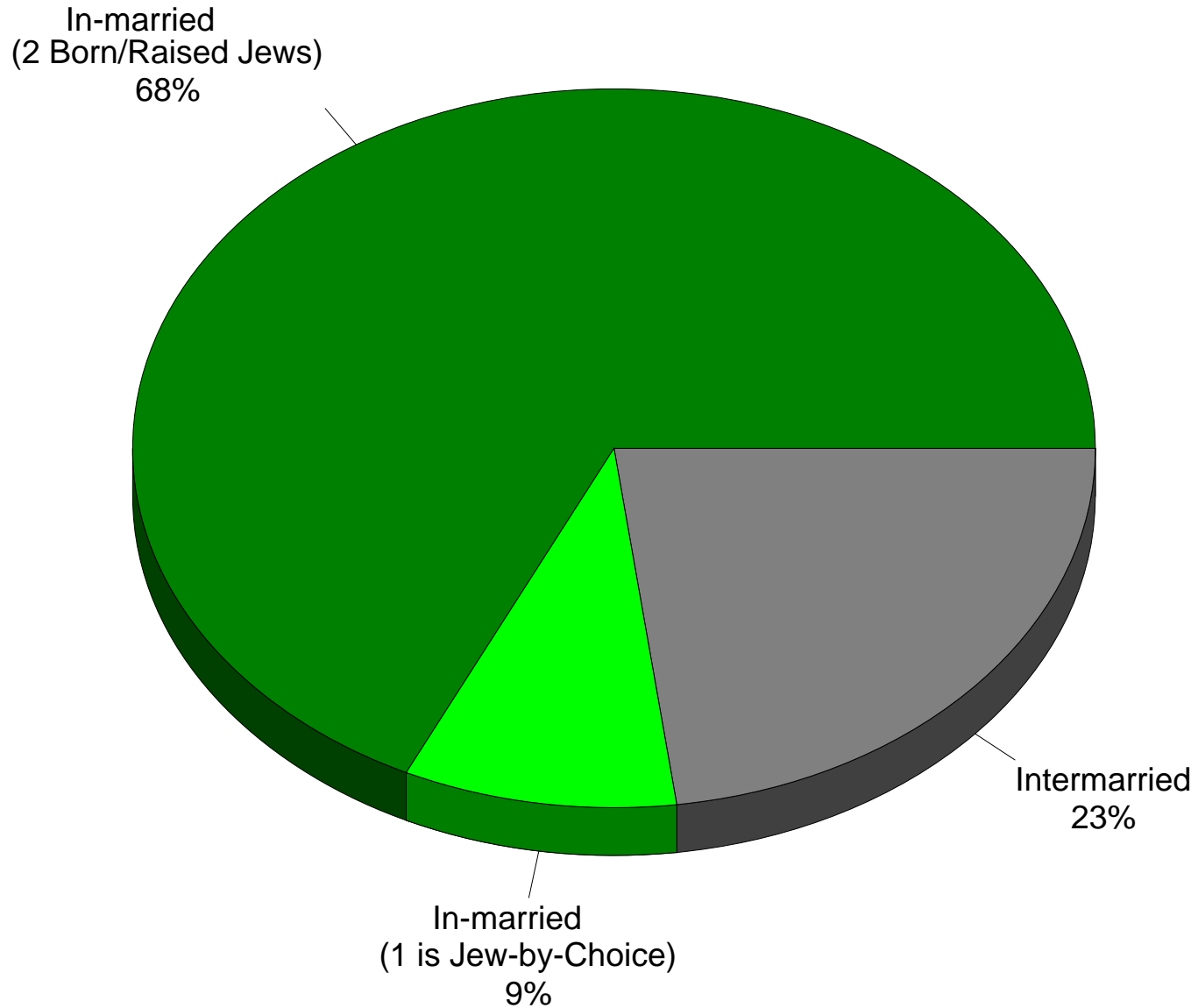
(Jewish Respondents)



# Types of Marriage

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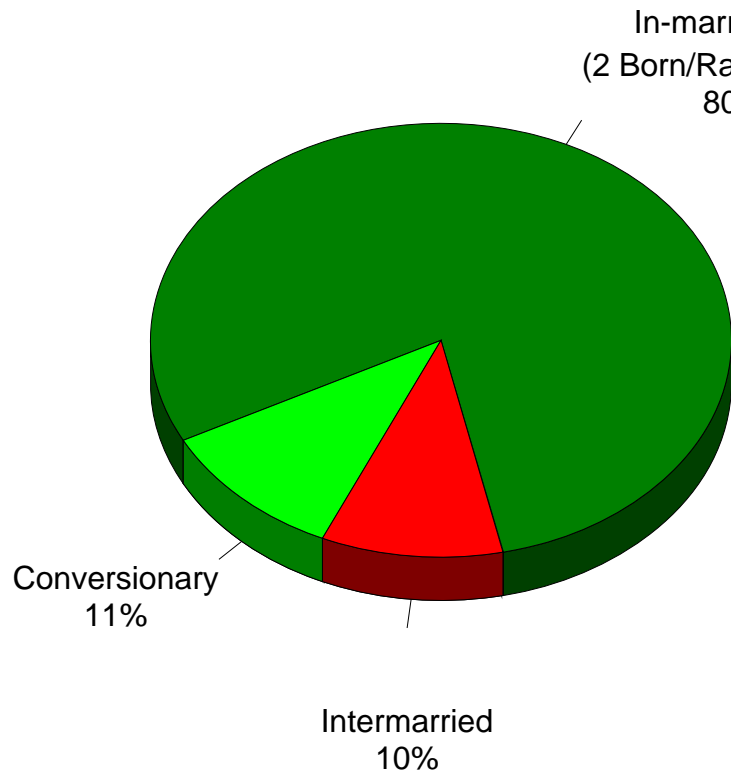
(Married Couples in Jewish Households)



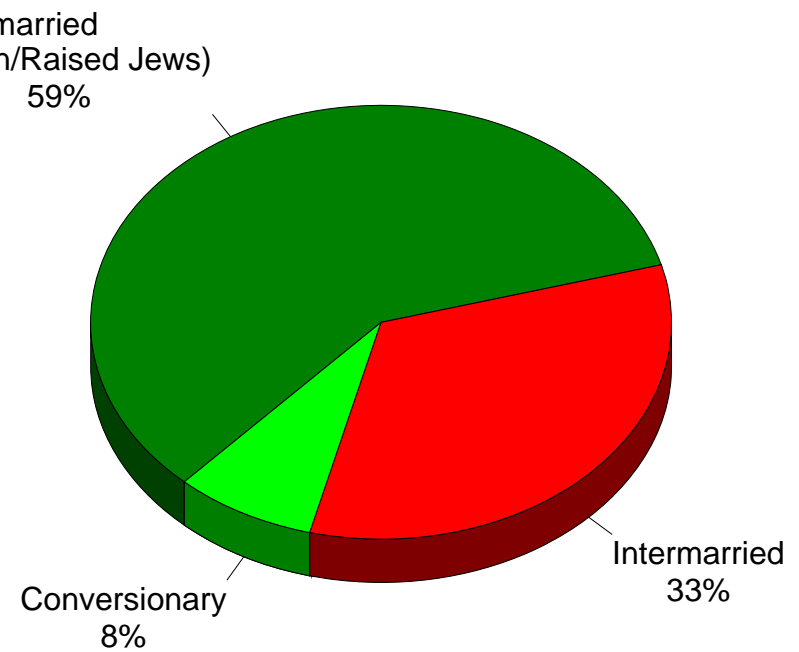
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# Types of Marriage by Synagogue Membership

(Married Couples)

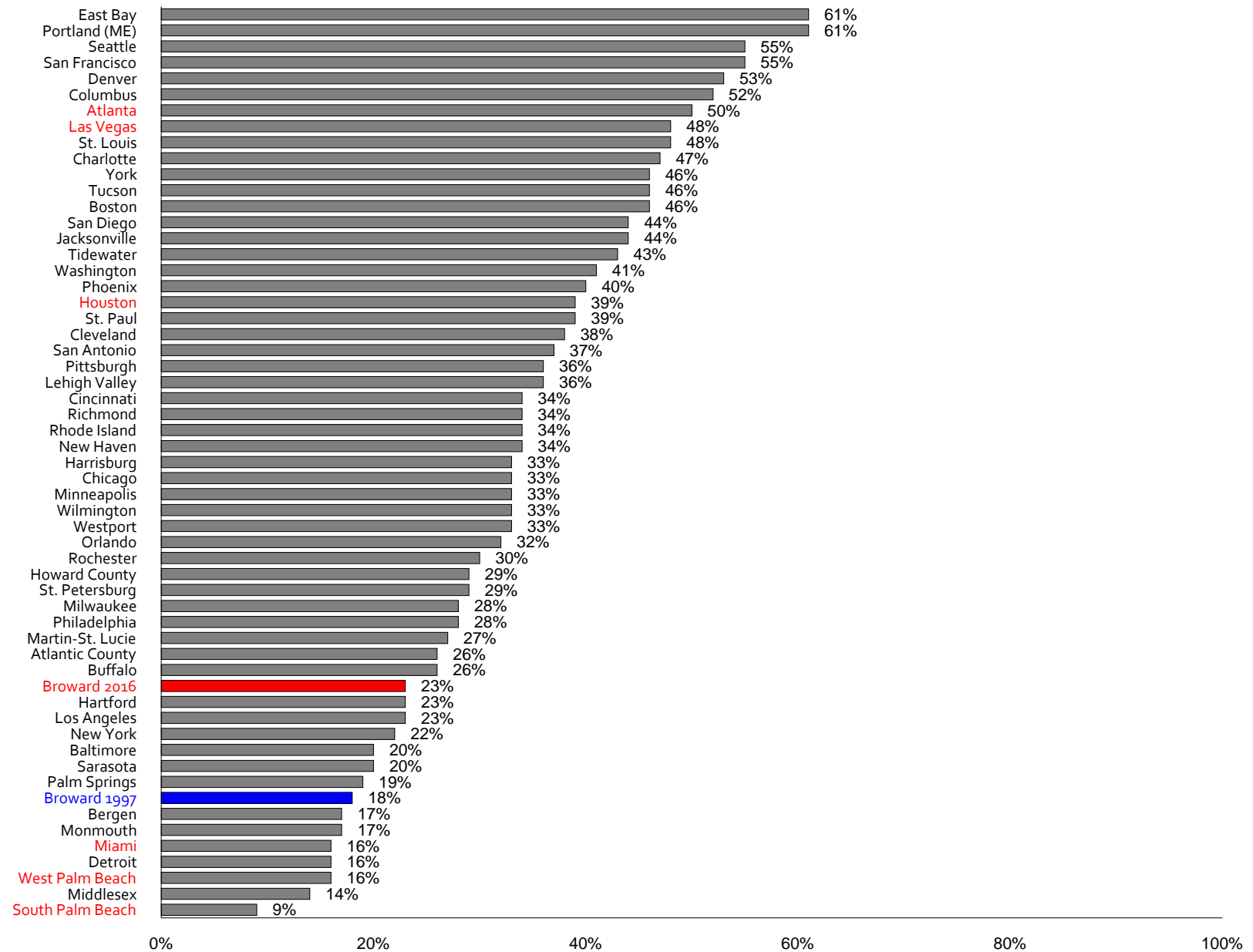


**Synagogue Member**



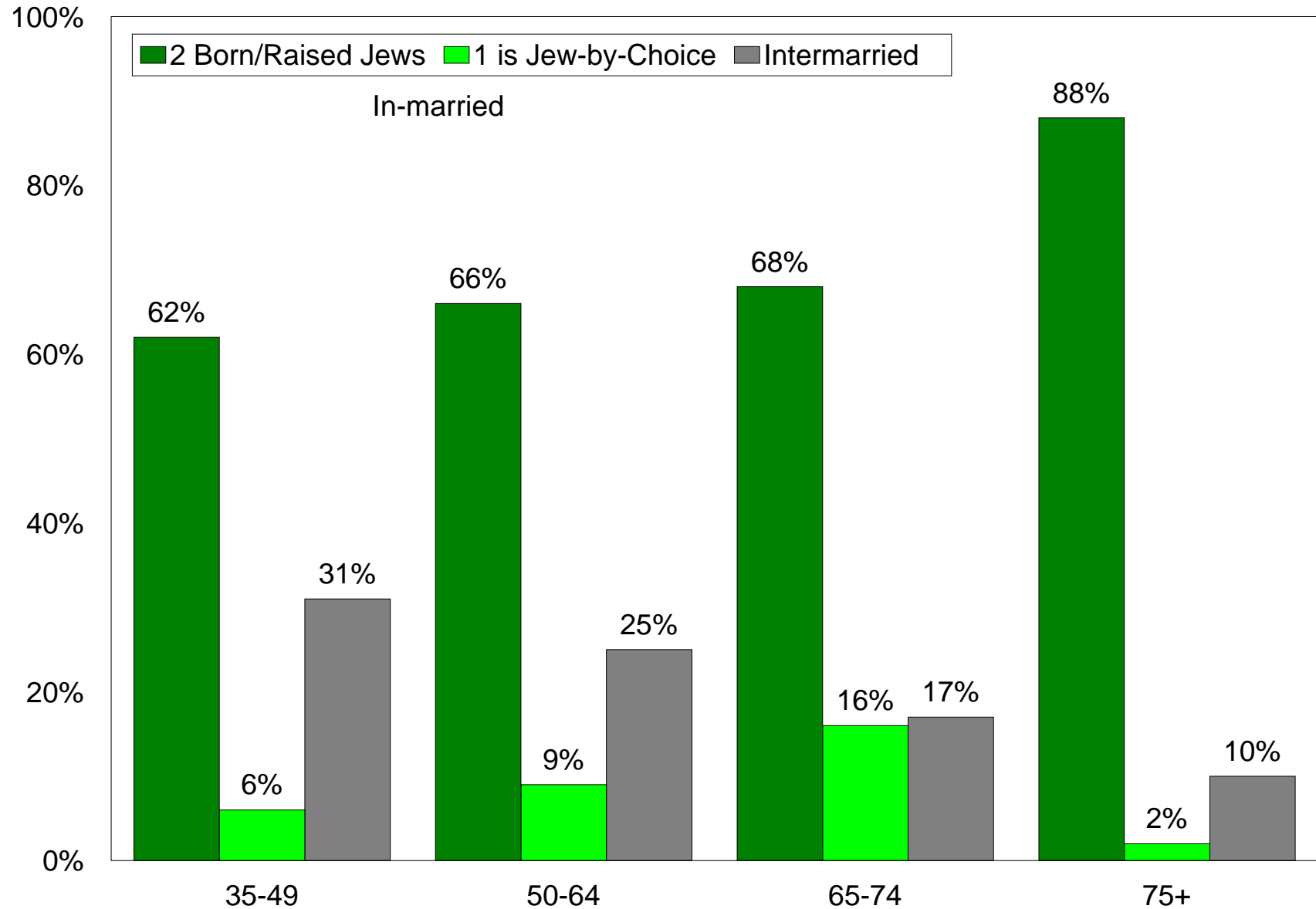
**Non-Member**

## Intermarriage (Couples Intermarriage Rate)



## Types of Marriage by Age of Head of Household

(Married Couples)

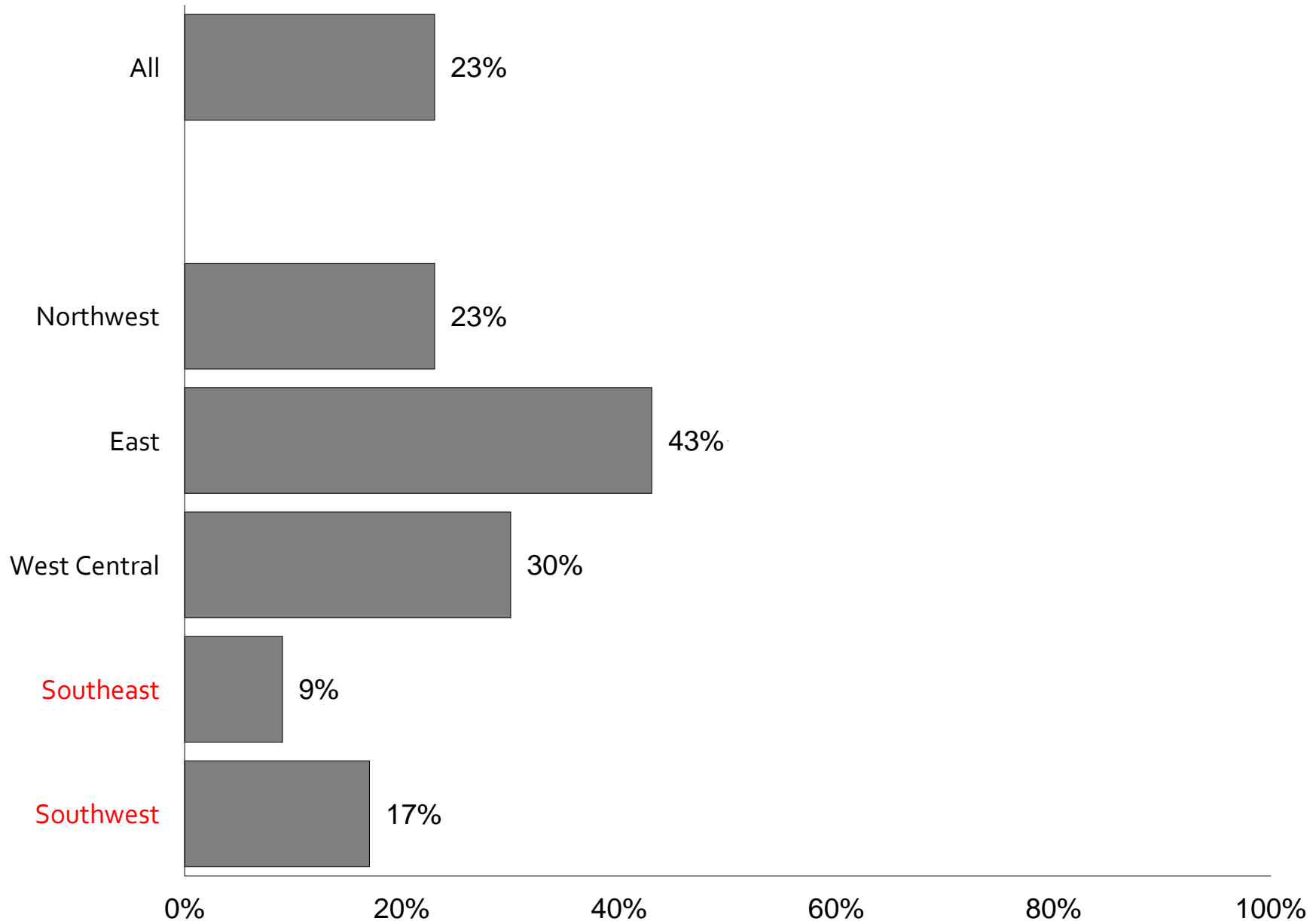




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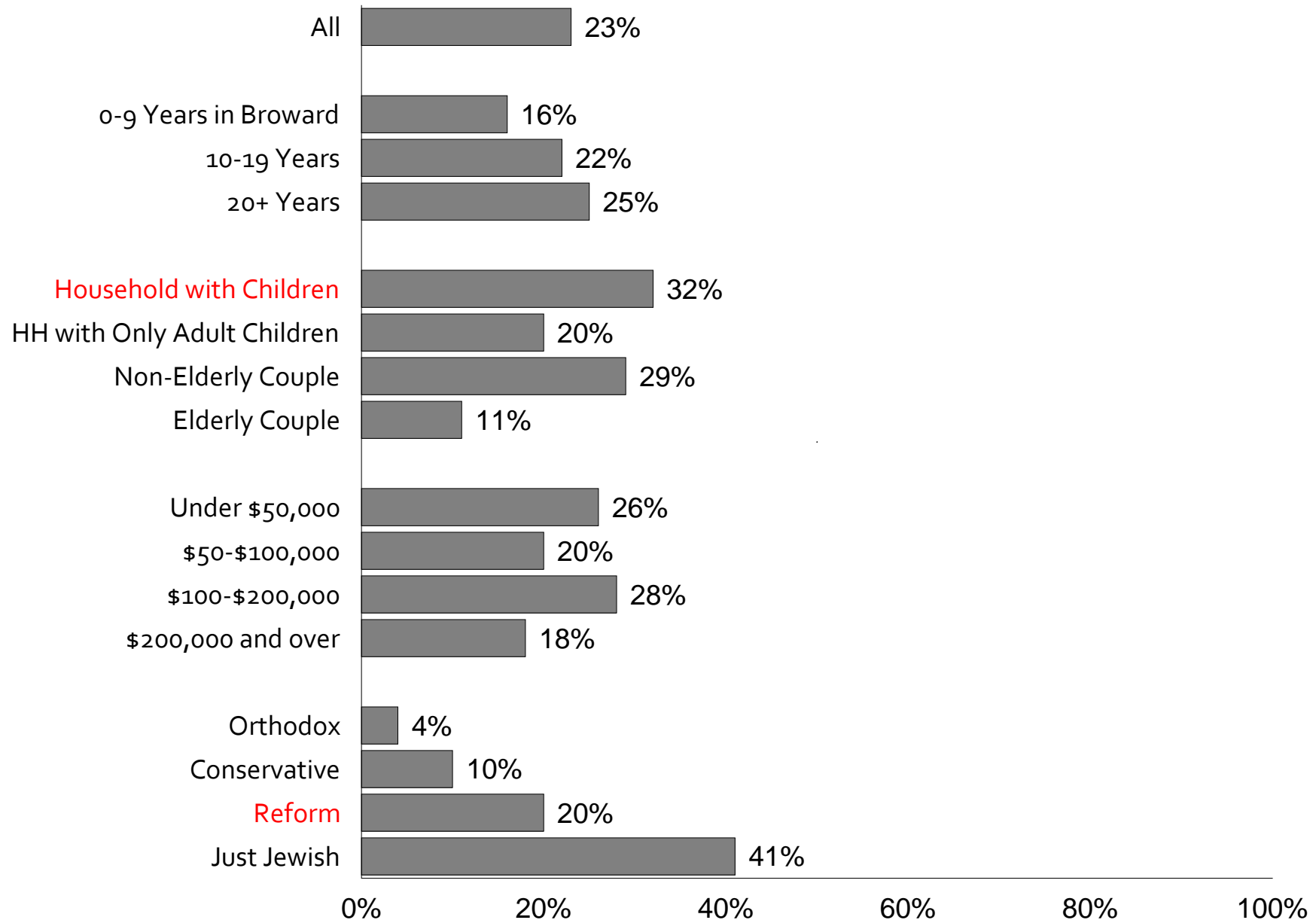
# Intermarried Households

(Couples Intermarriage Rate)



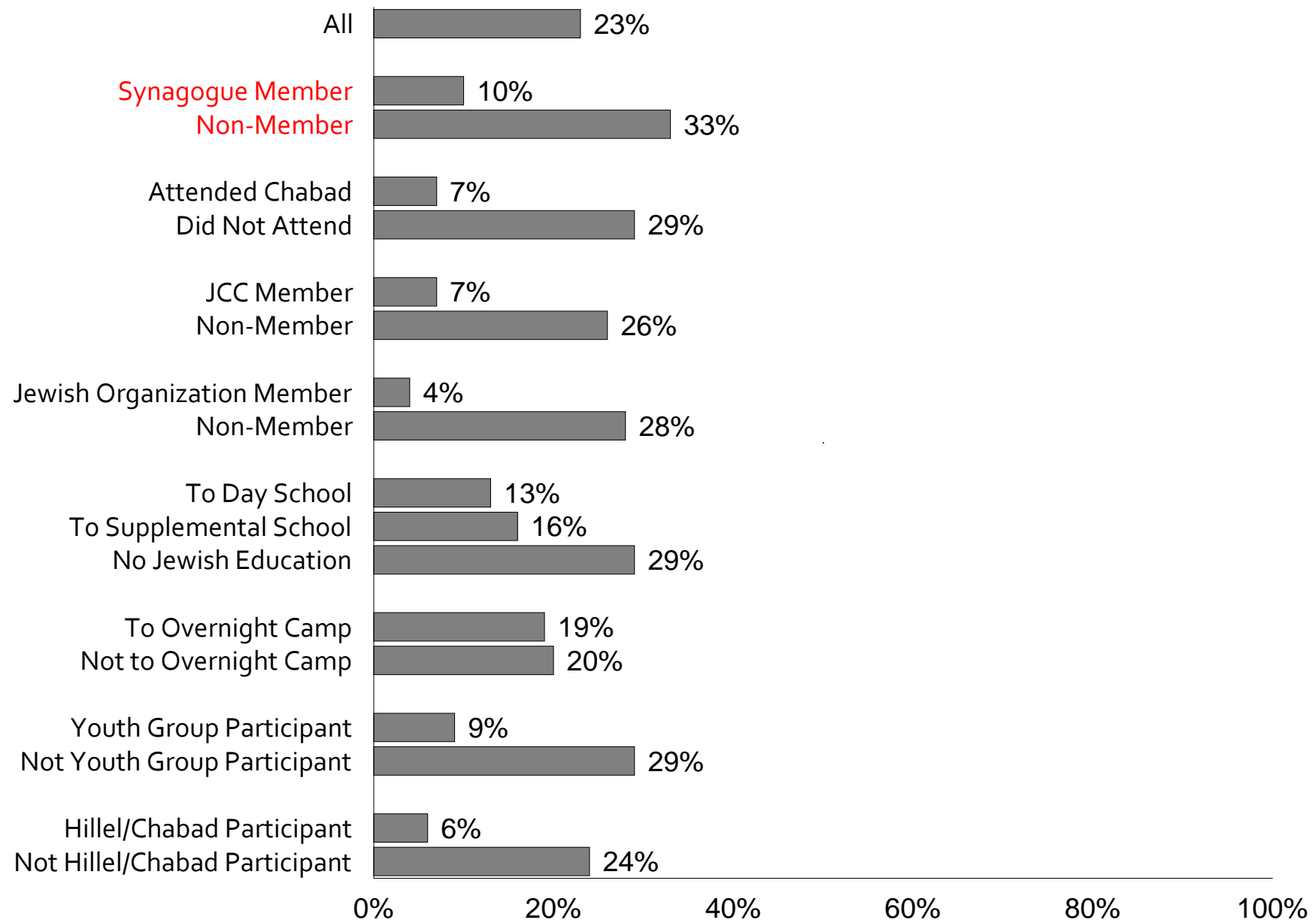
# Intermarried Households

(Couples Intermarriage Rate)



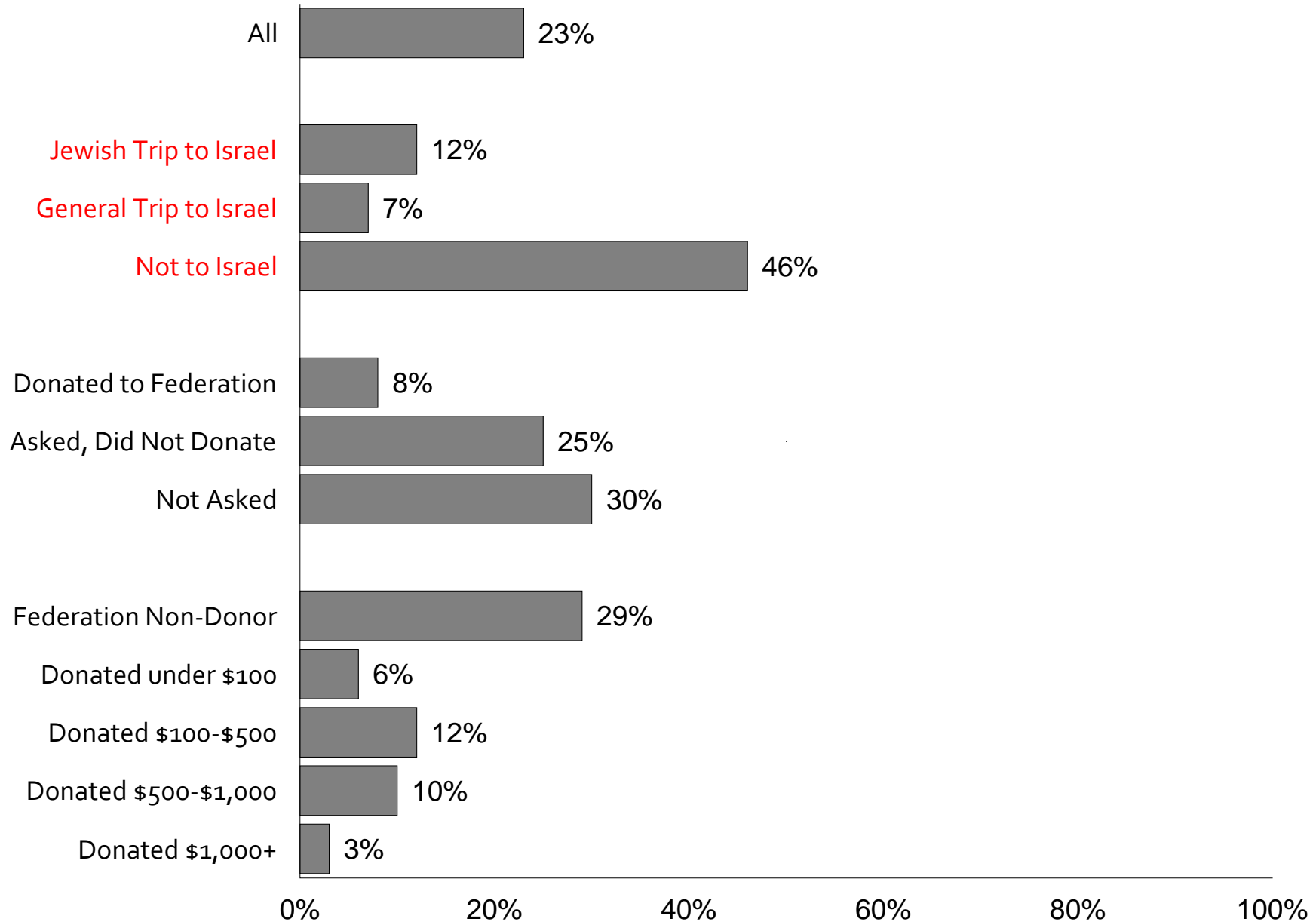
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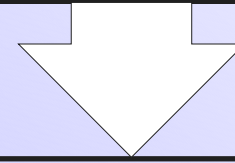
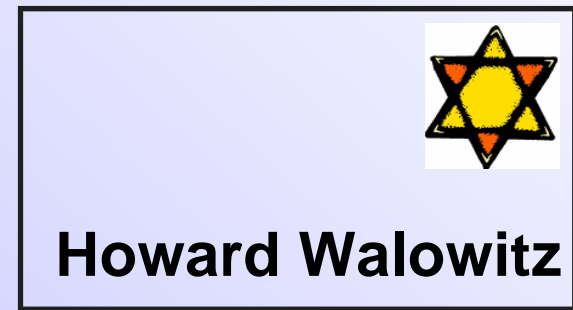
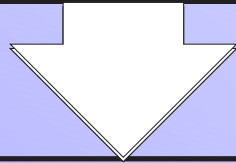
(Couples Intermarriage Rate)



# Intermarried Households

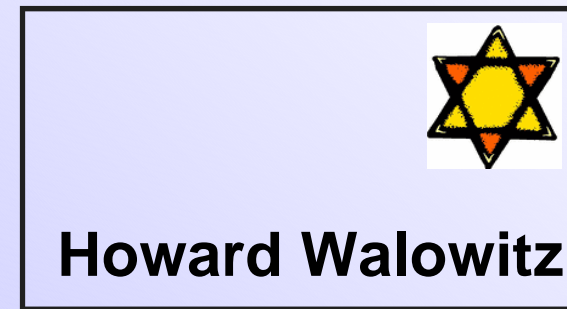
(Couples Intermarriage Rate)





**What Is the Inter marriage Rate?**

## What Is the Inter marriage Rate?



50% of **married couples** are intermarried  
33% of **married Jews** are intermarried



## Rates of Inter-marriage

23% Couples Inter-marriage Rate

translates to

13% Individual Inter-marriage Rate

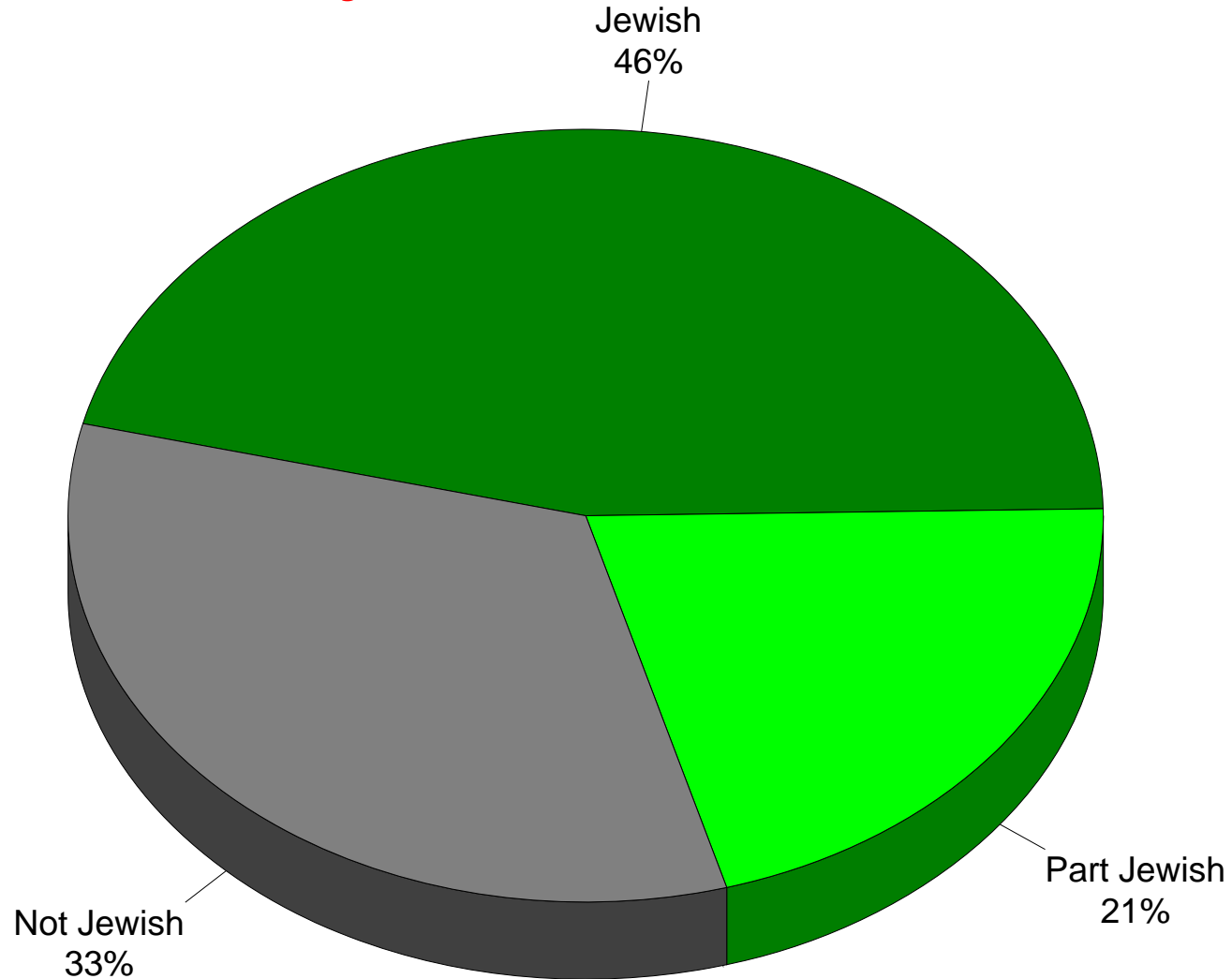
translates to

7% of all Jewish adults (both married and single) are intermarried

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# Current Religion of Children in Intermarried Households

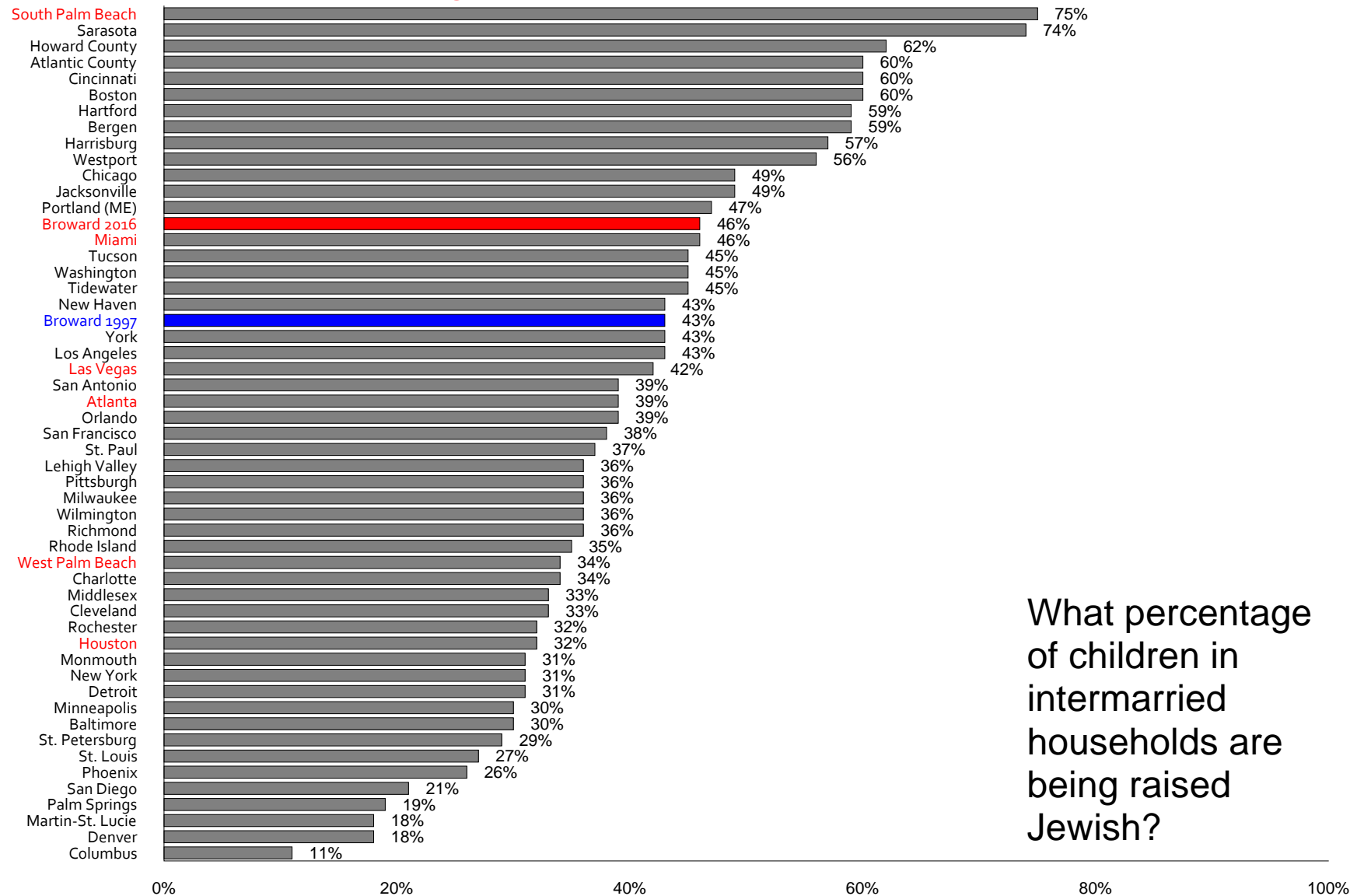
(Children Age 0-17 in Intermarried Jewish Households)





# Children Being Raised Jewish in Intermarried Households

(Children Age 0-17 in Intermarried Jewish Households)

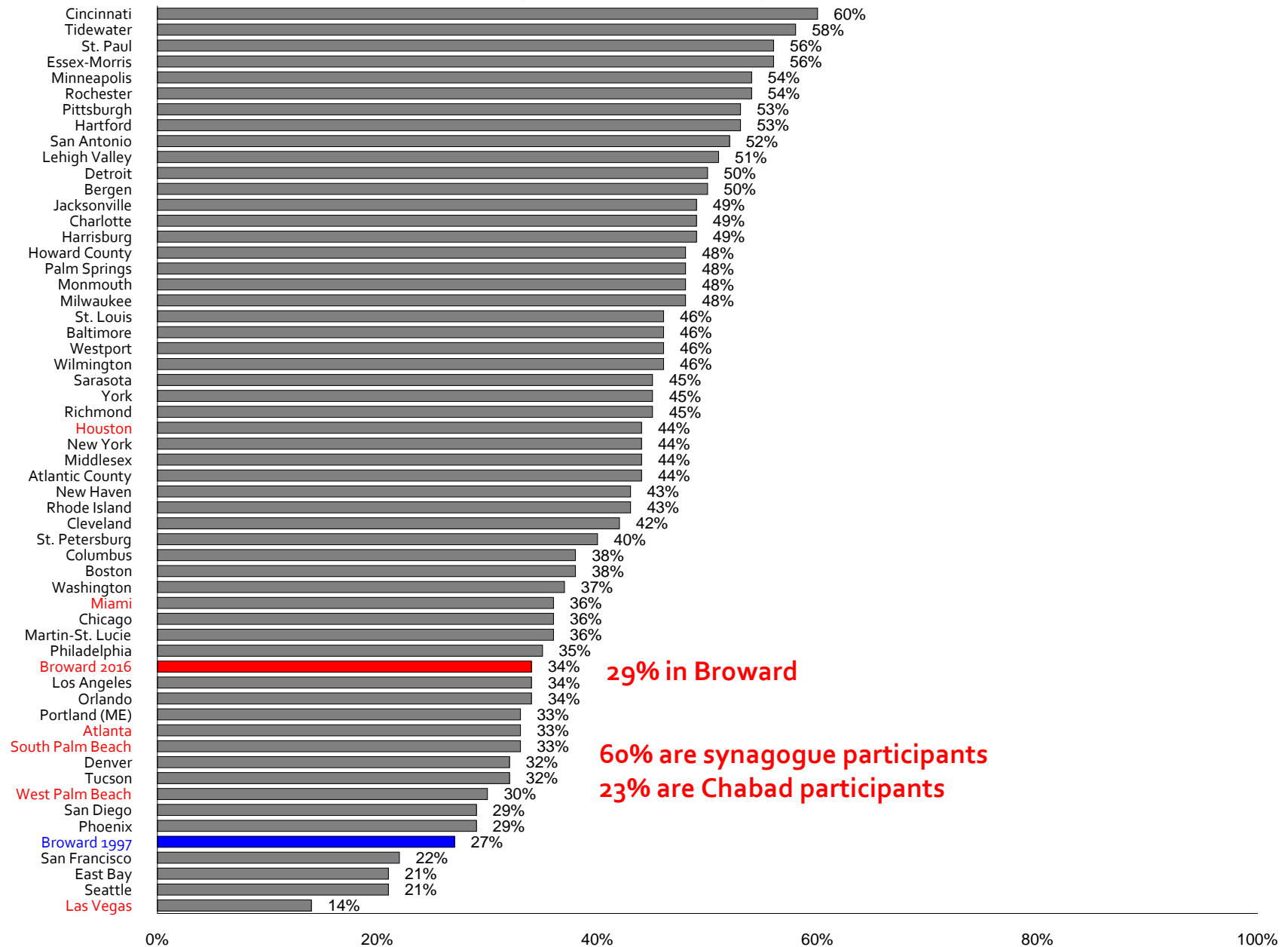


What percentage  
of children in  
intermarried  
households are  
being raised  
Jewish?

## **Membership Profile: Synagogues**

# Current Synagogue Membership

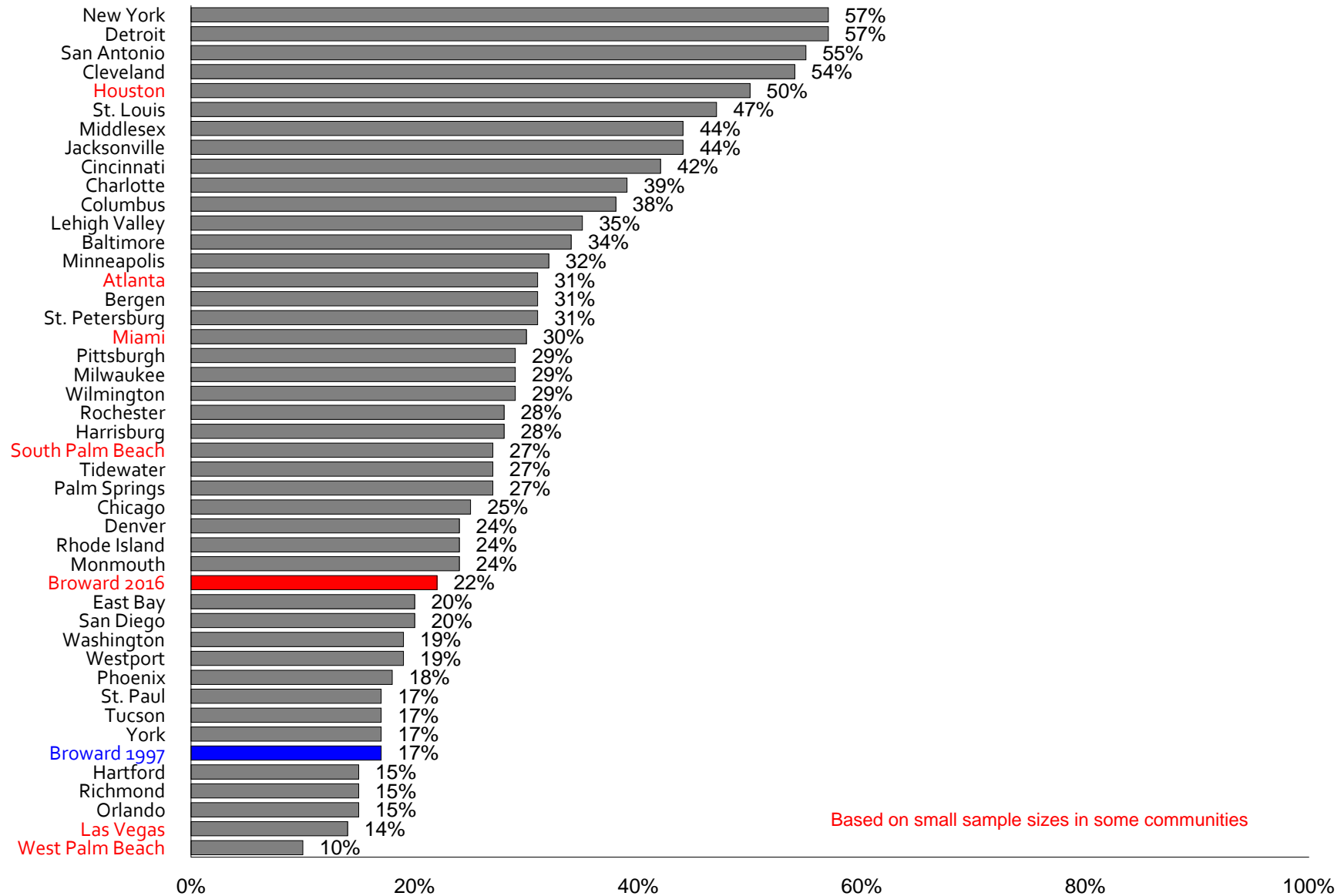
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# Current Synagogue Membership

## Head of Household Under Age 35

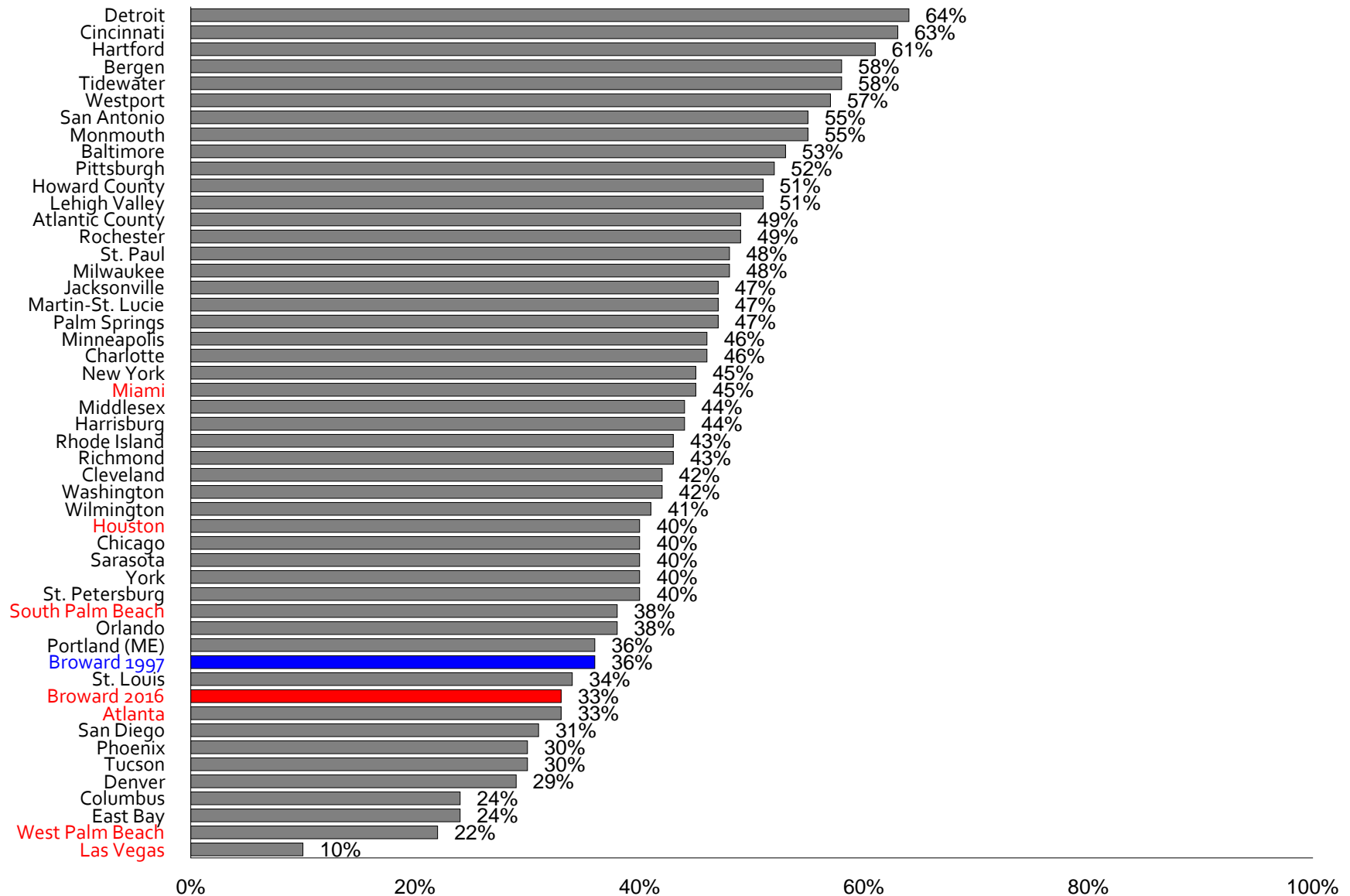
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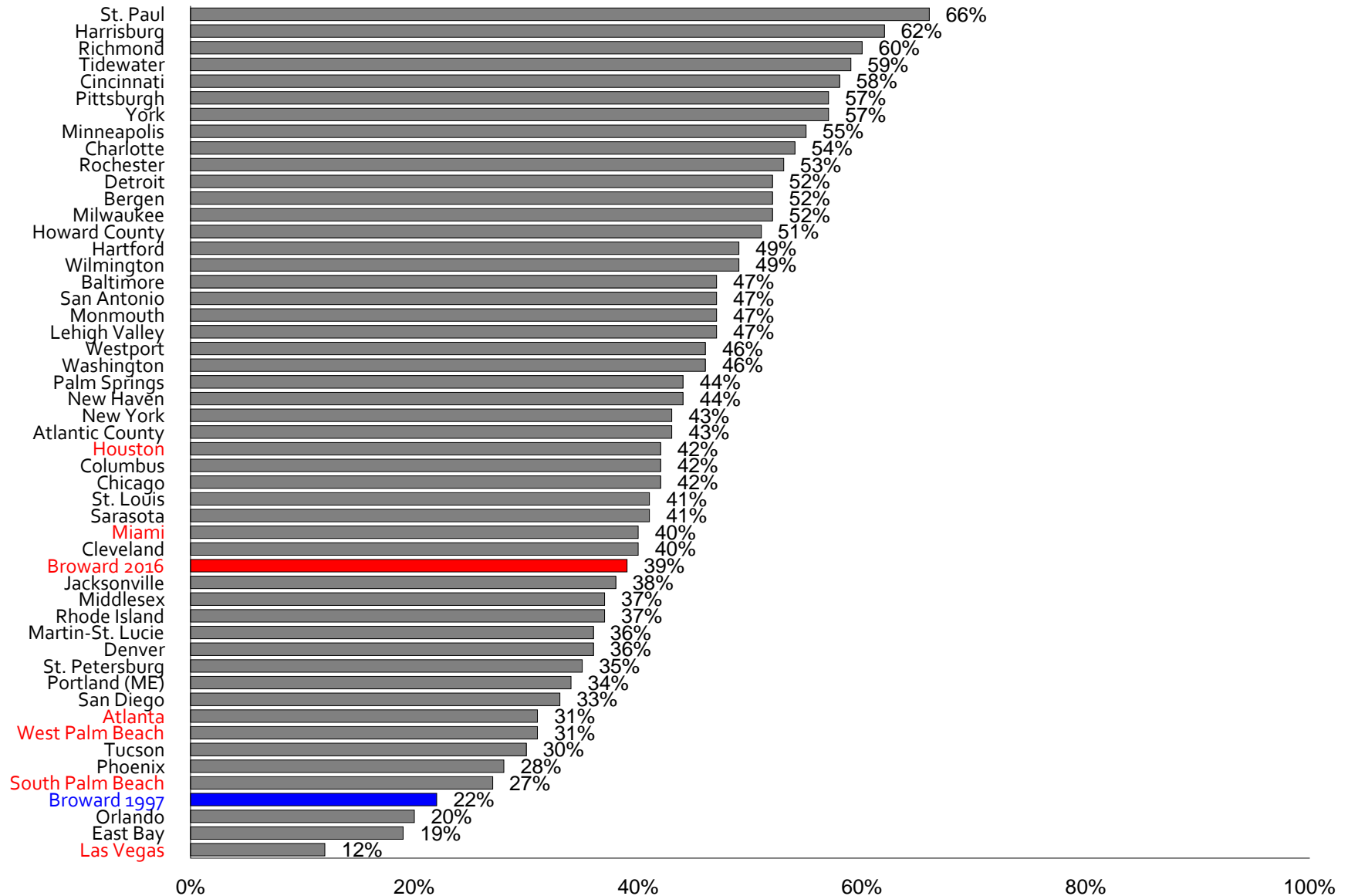
## Head of Household Age 35-49

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# Current Synagogue Membership

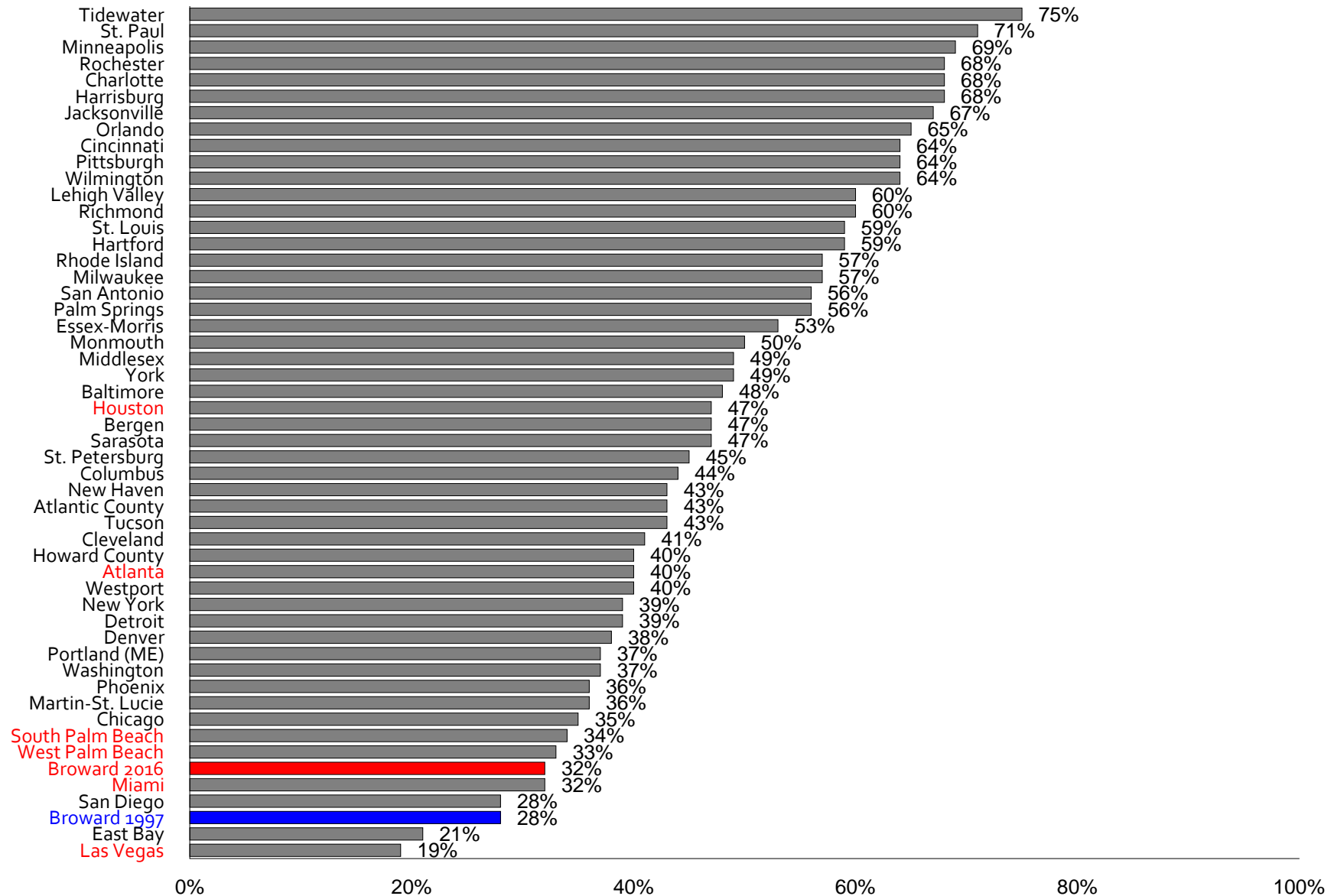
Head of Household Age 50-64  
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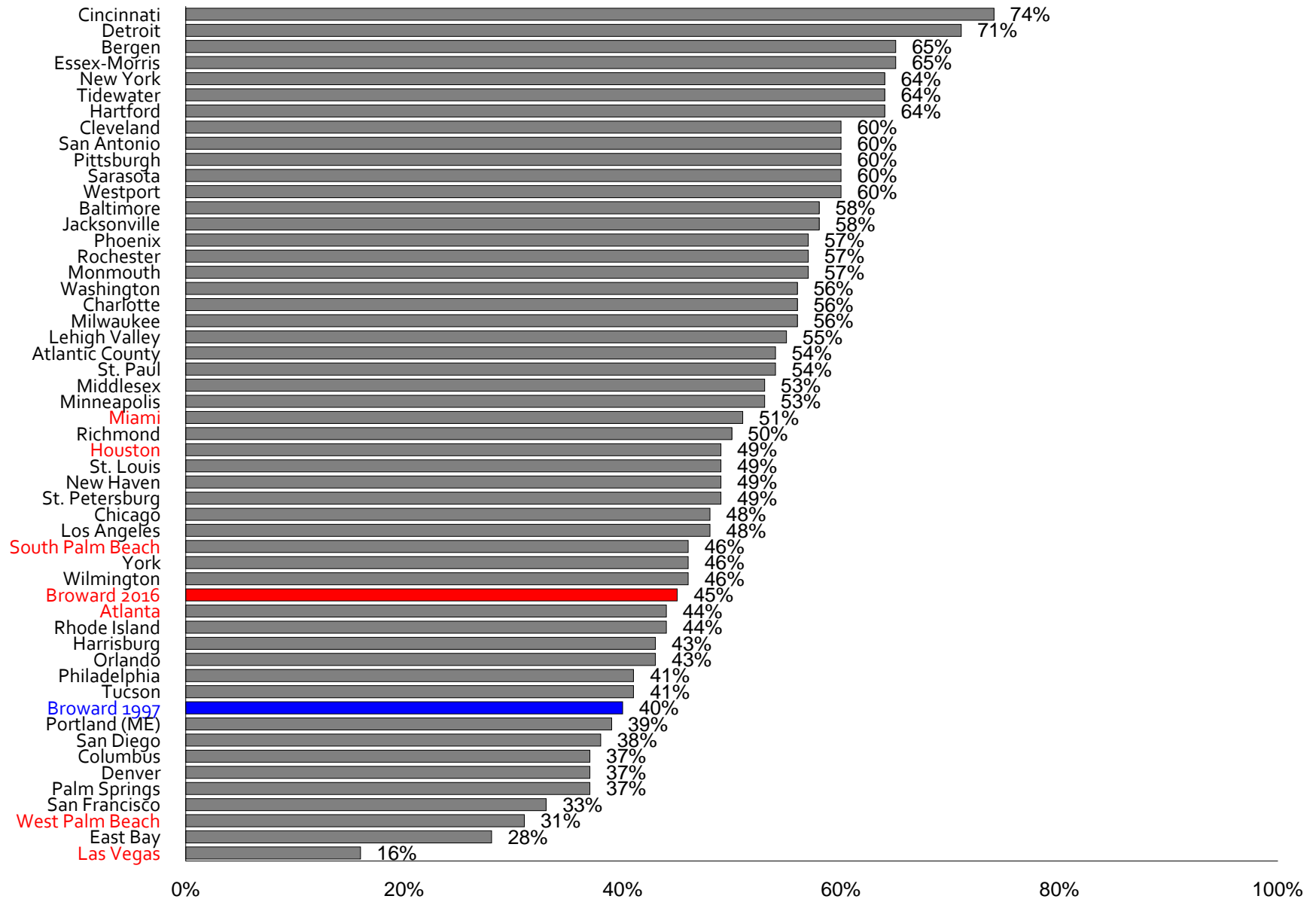
# Current Synagogue Membership

## Head of Household Age 65 and Over

(Jewish Households)

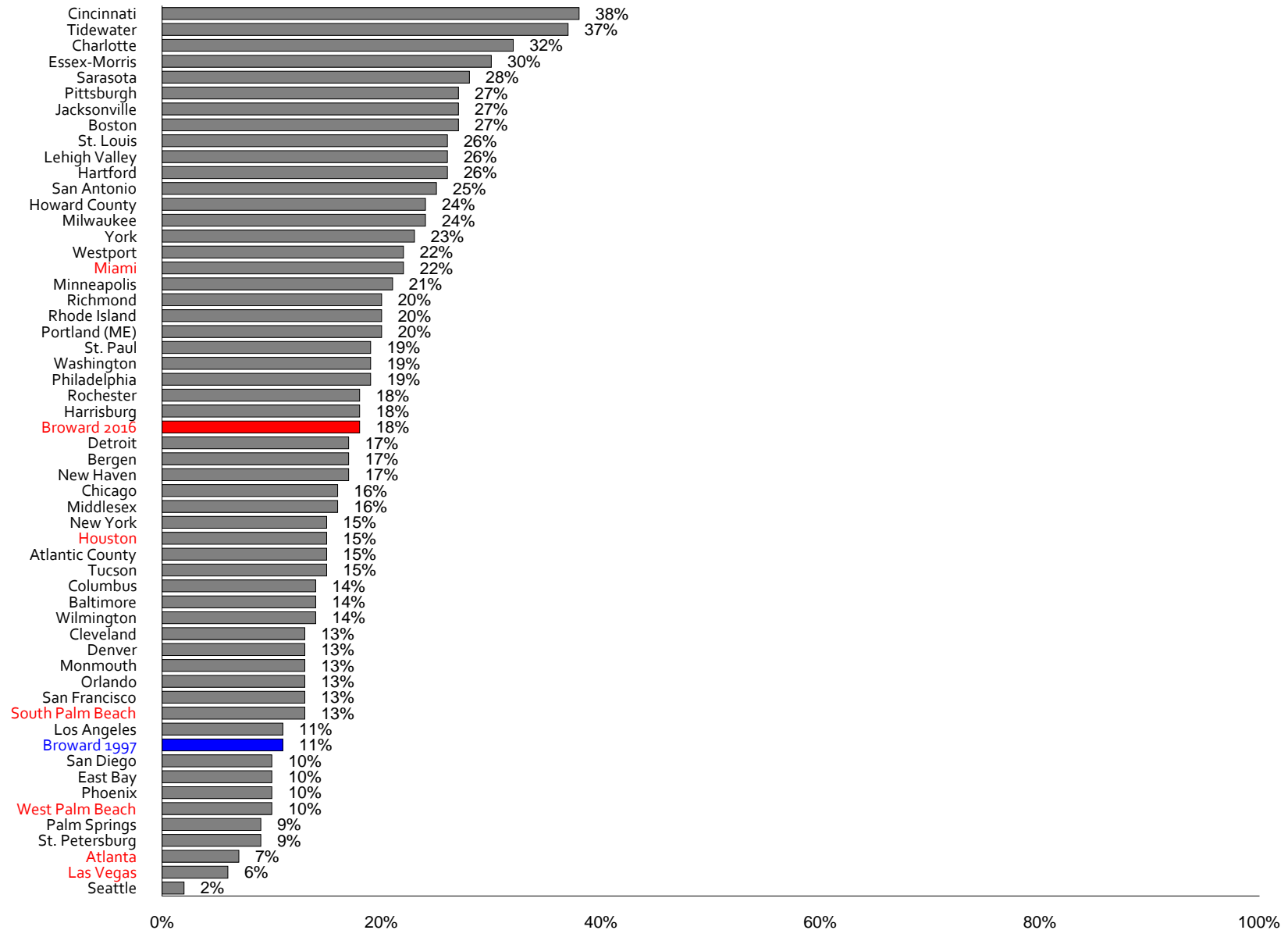


## Current Synagogue Membership of Households with Children



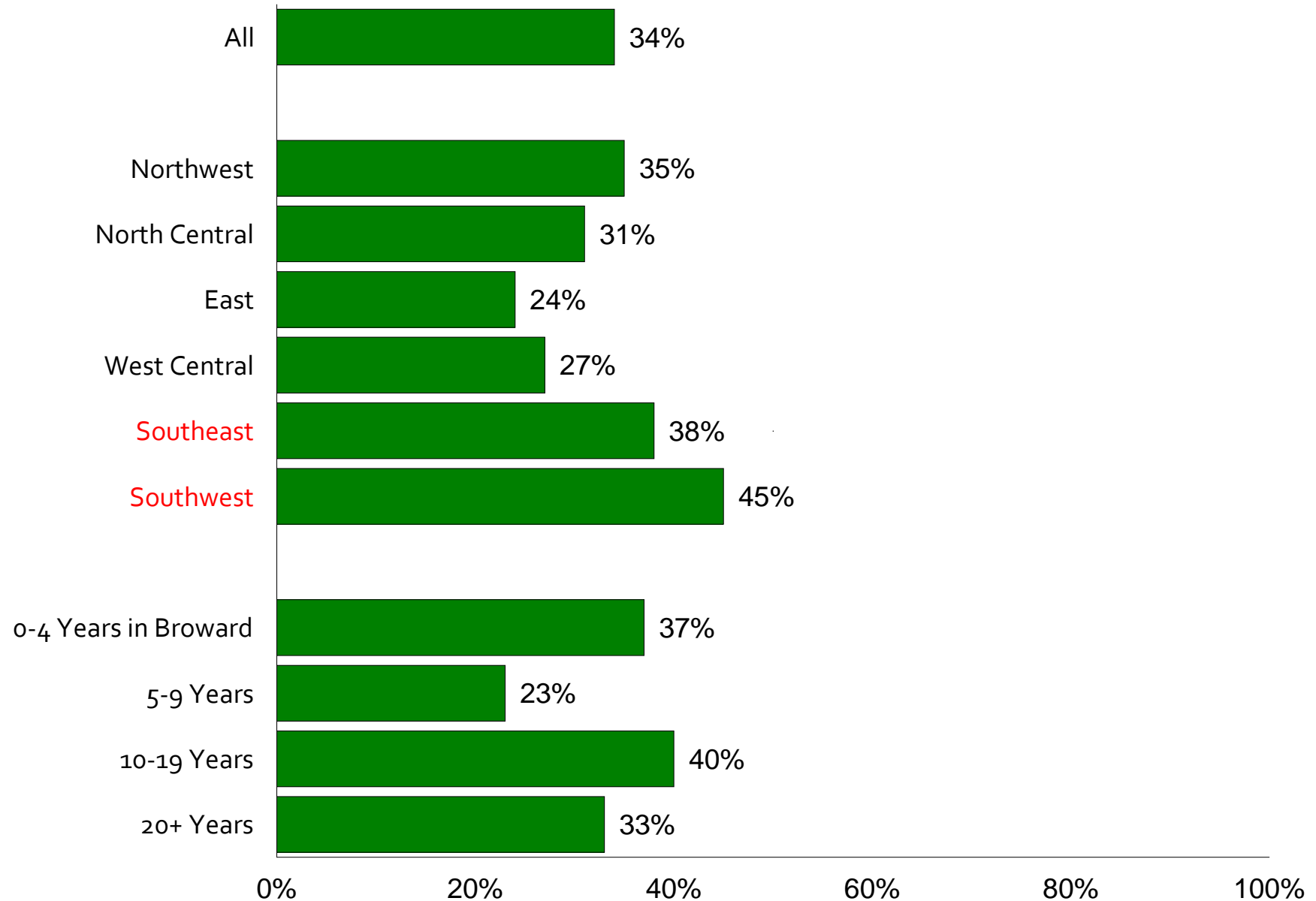


## Current Synagogue Membership of Intermarried Households



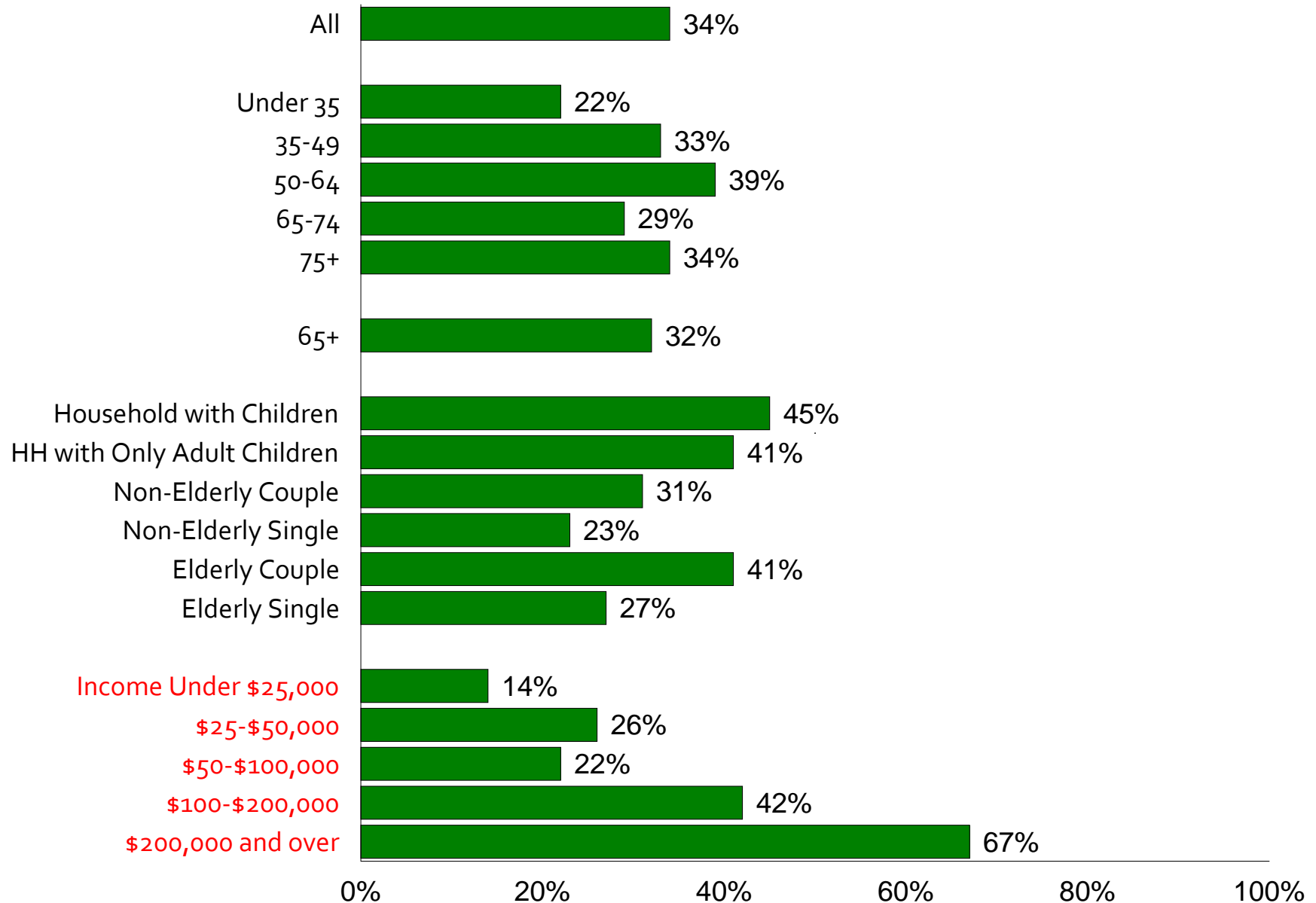
# Current Synagogue Membership

(Jewish Households)



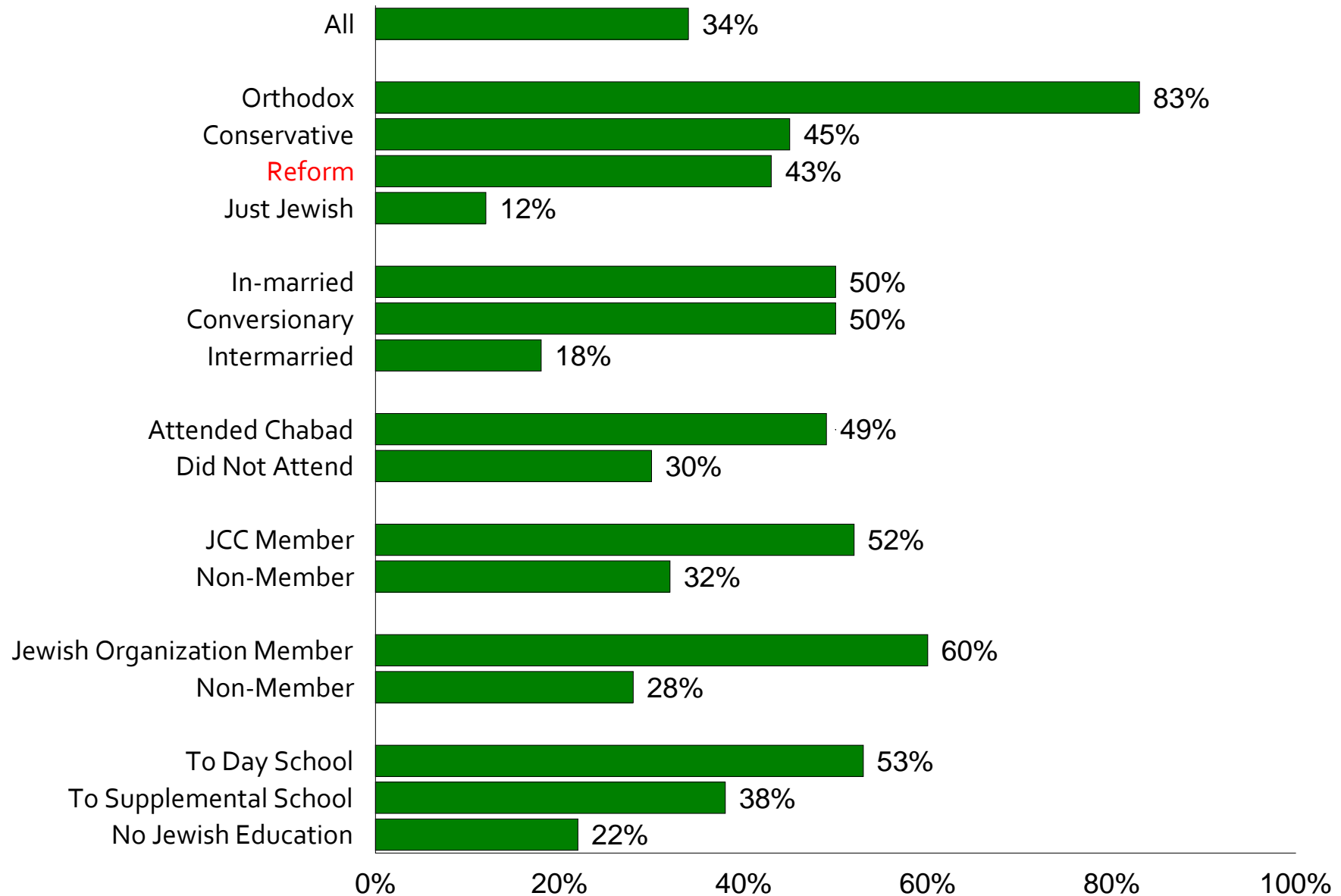
# Current Synagogue Membership

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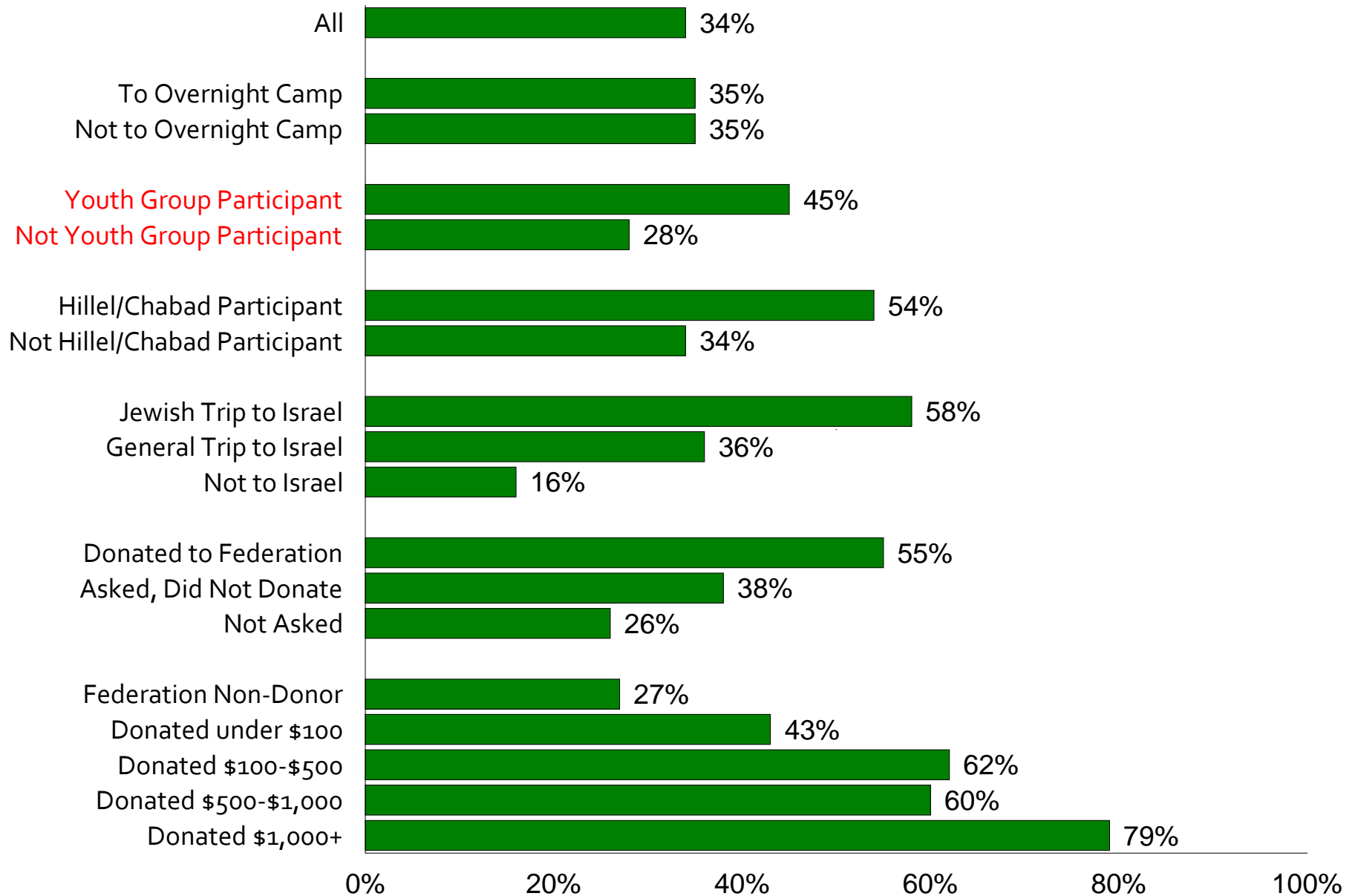
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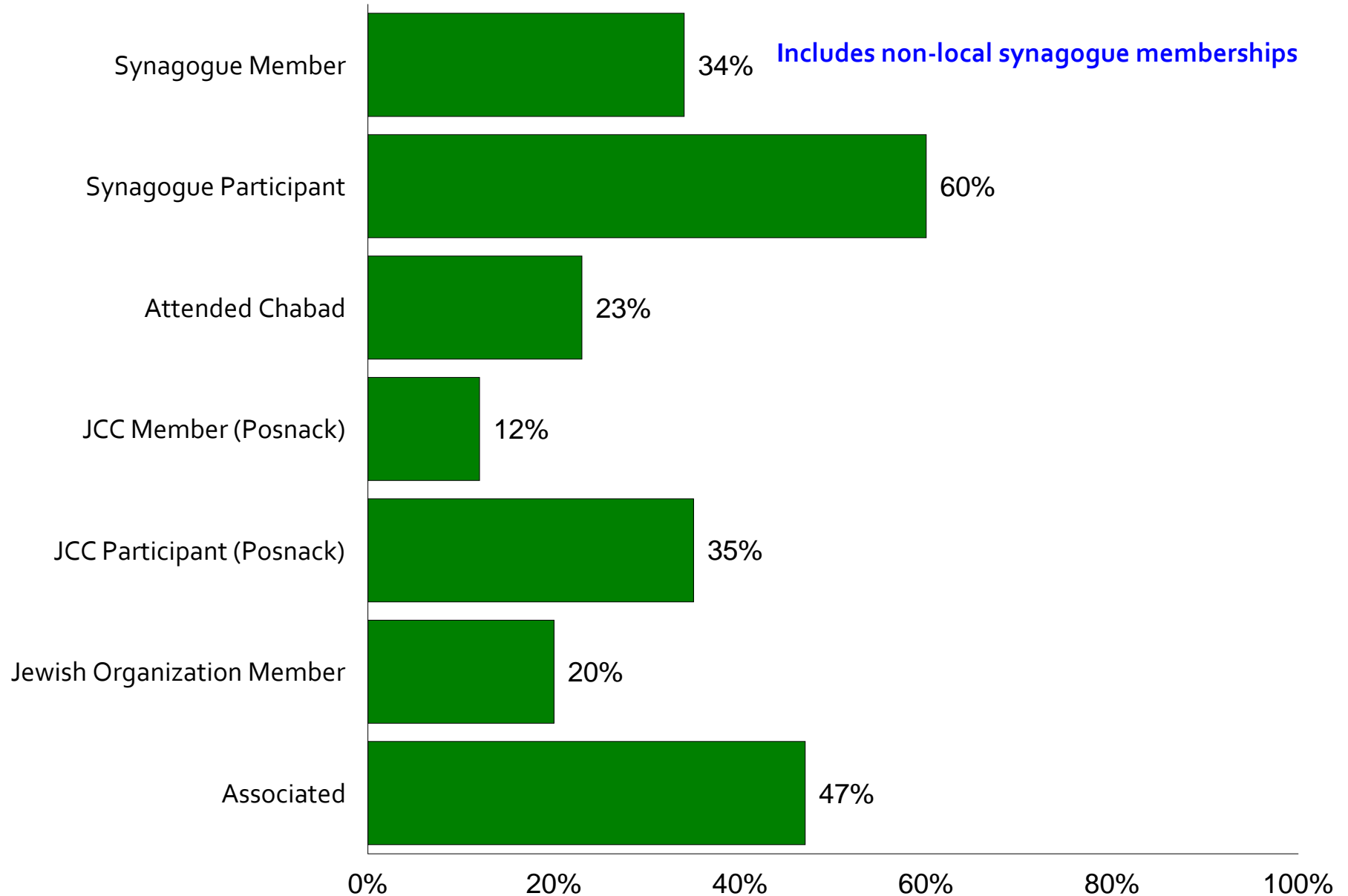
# Current Synagogue Membership

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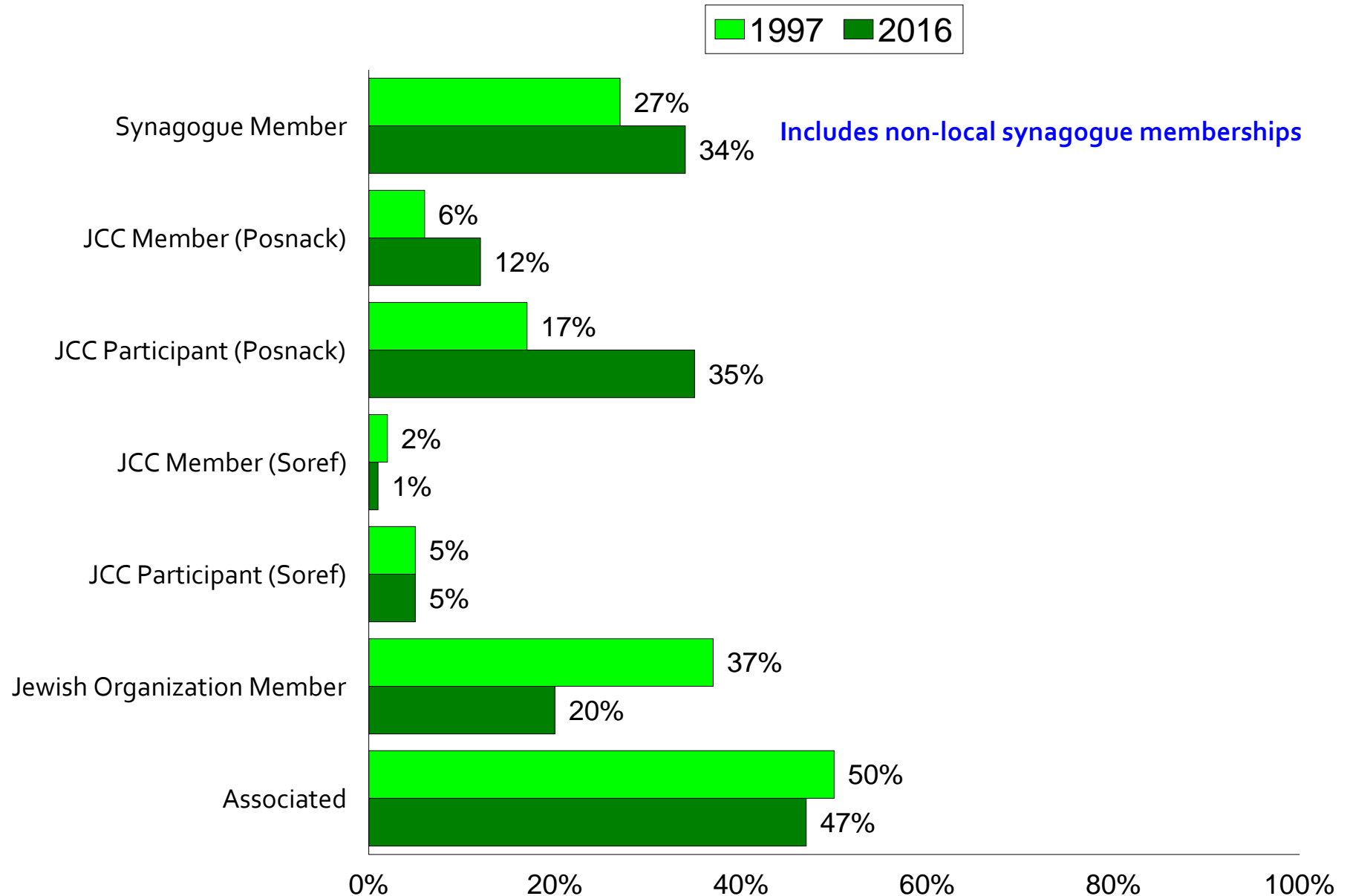
# Summary of Memberships

(Jewish Households)



# Summary of Memberships, 1997-2016

(Jewish Households)

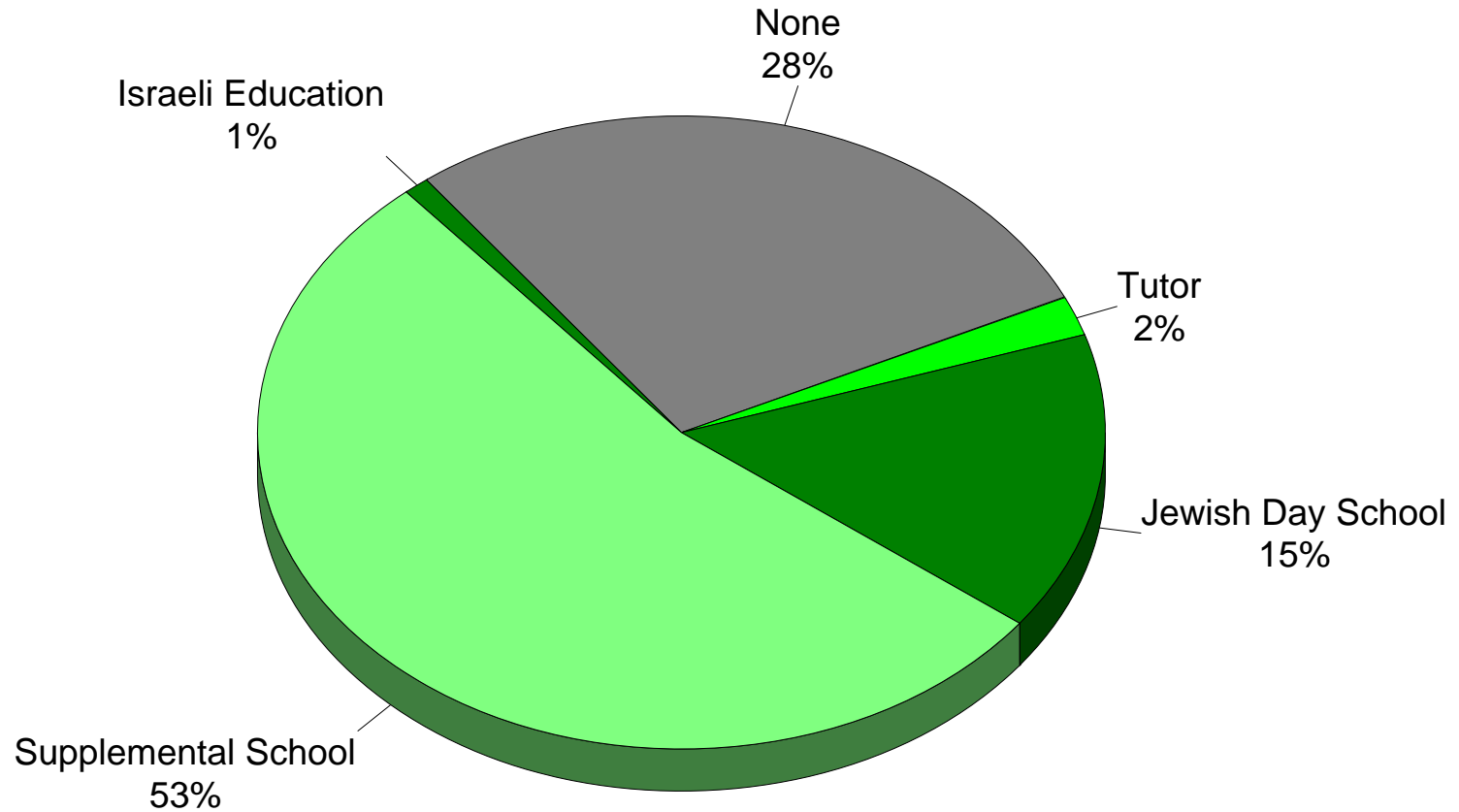


**Jewish Education:  
Adults When They Were Children**



# Formal Jewish Education as a Child

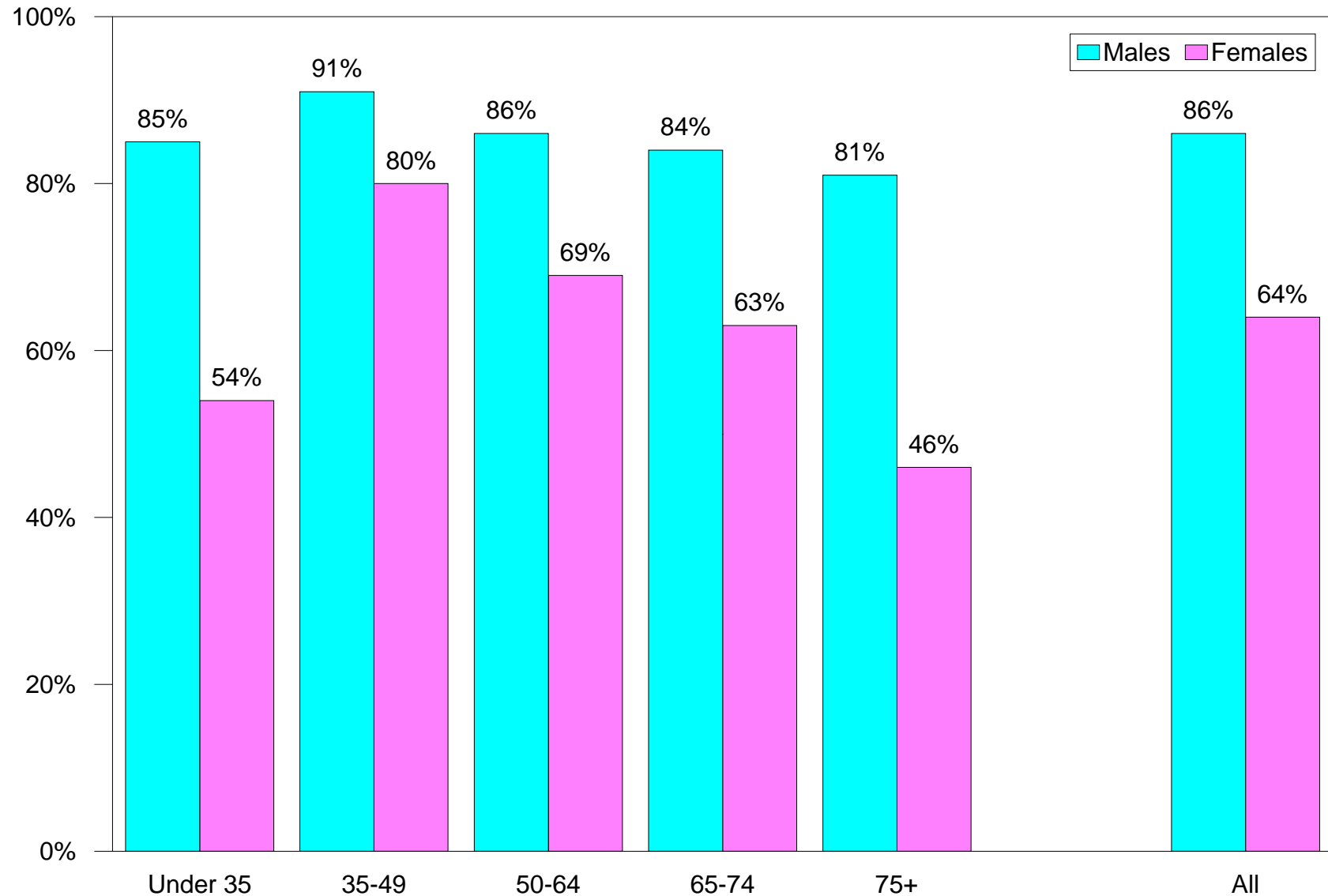
(Born or Raised Jewish Respondents)



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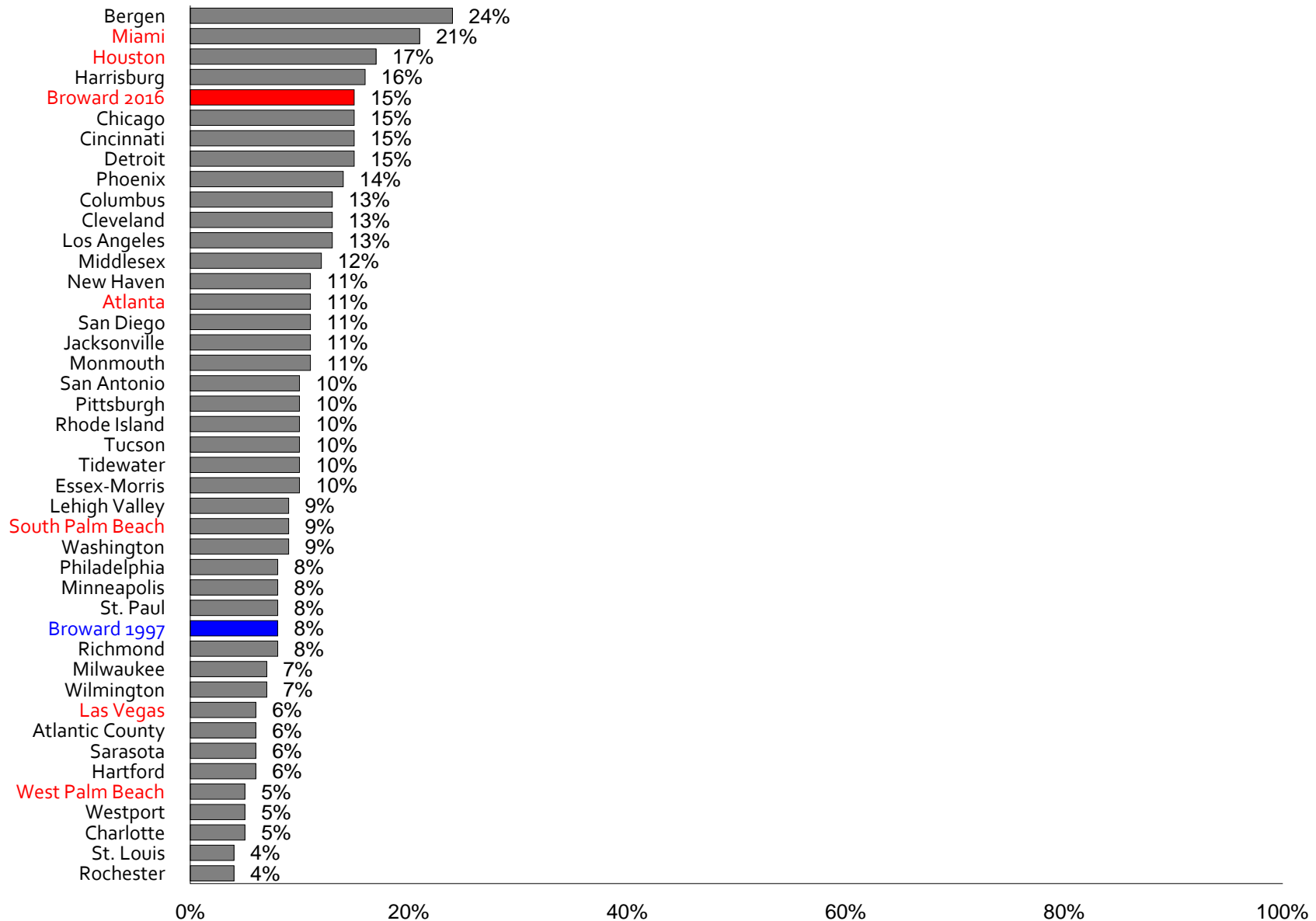
## Received Some Formal Jewish Education as Children by Age and Sex

(Born or Raised Jewish Respondents)



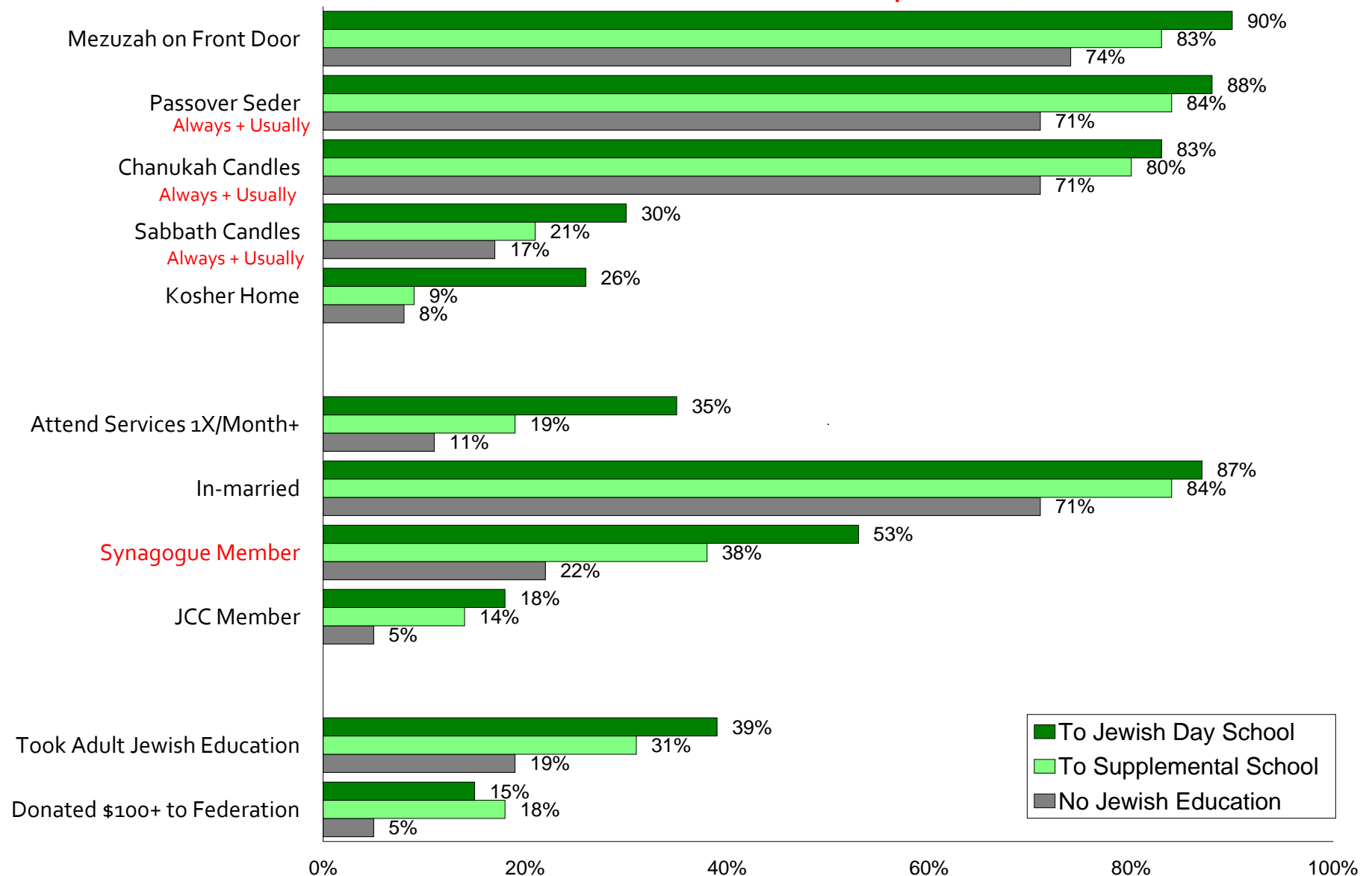
## Attended a Jewish Day School as Children

(Born or Raised Jewish Adults)



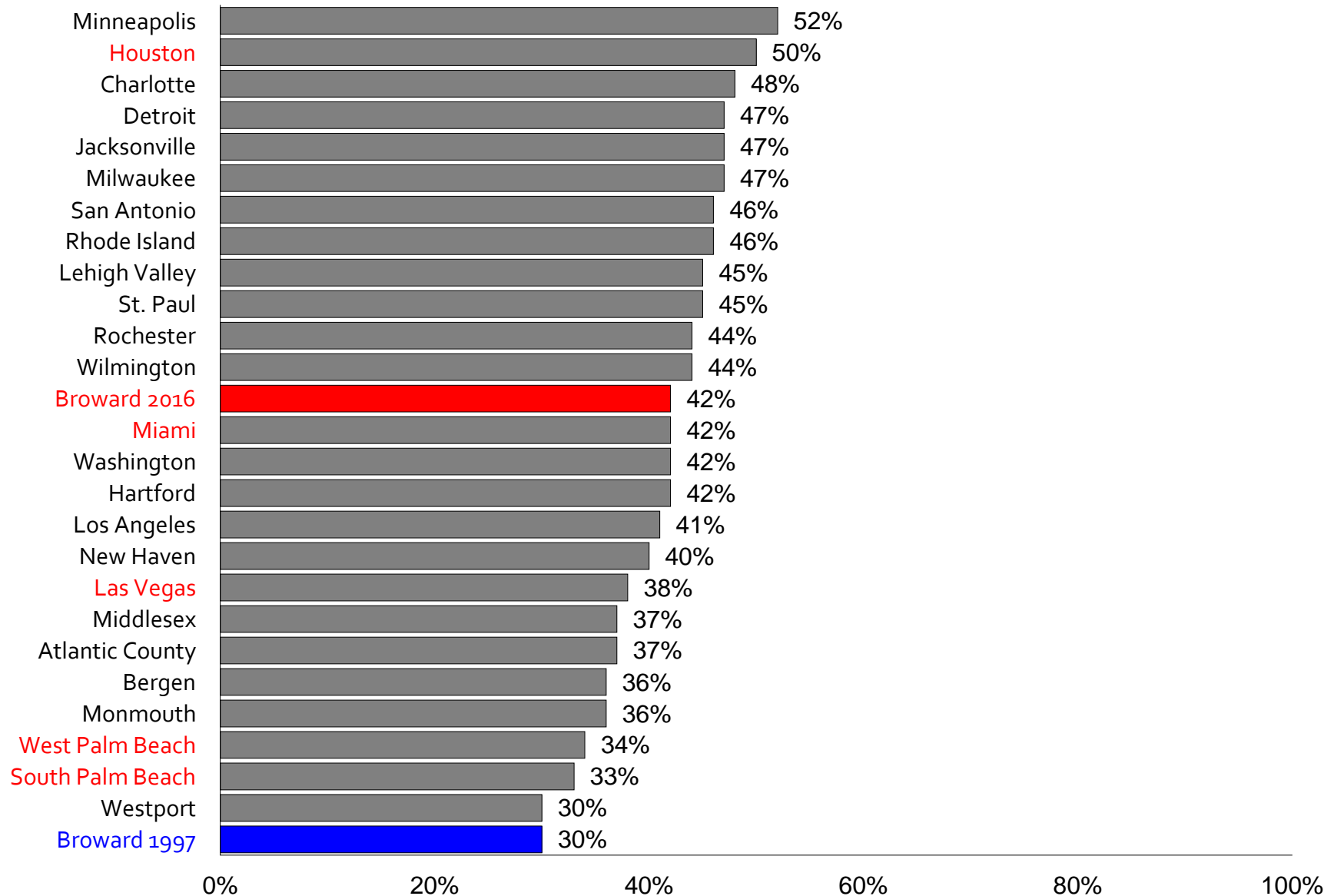
# Households in Which The Respondent Received Some Formal Jewish Education as a Child

Correlation with Adult Jewish Behaviors  
(Households with Born or Raised Jewish Respondents)



## Participated in a Jewish Teenage Youth Group as Teenagers

(Born or Raised Jewish Adults)

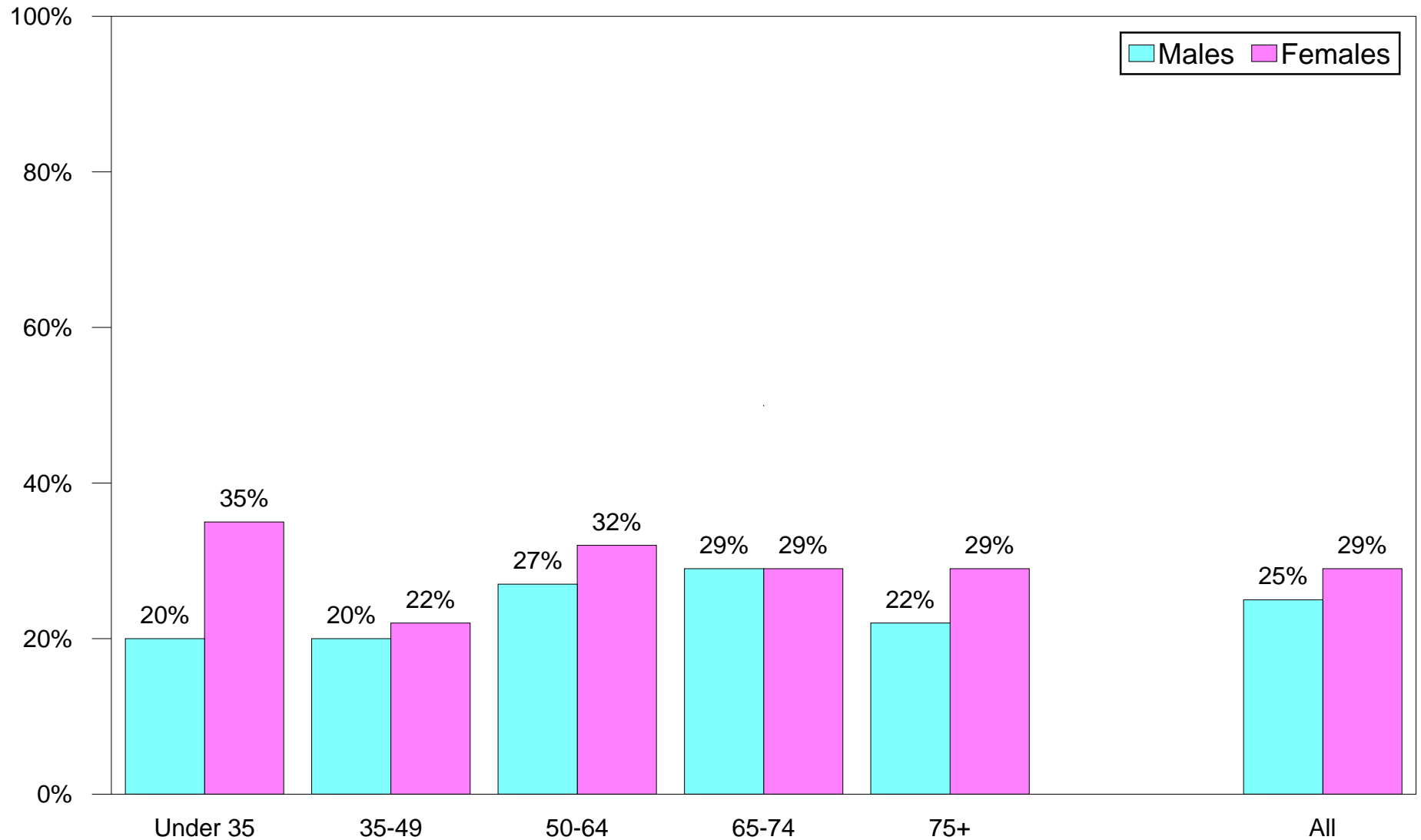


# Adult Jewish Education

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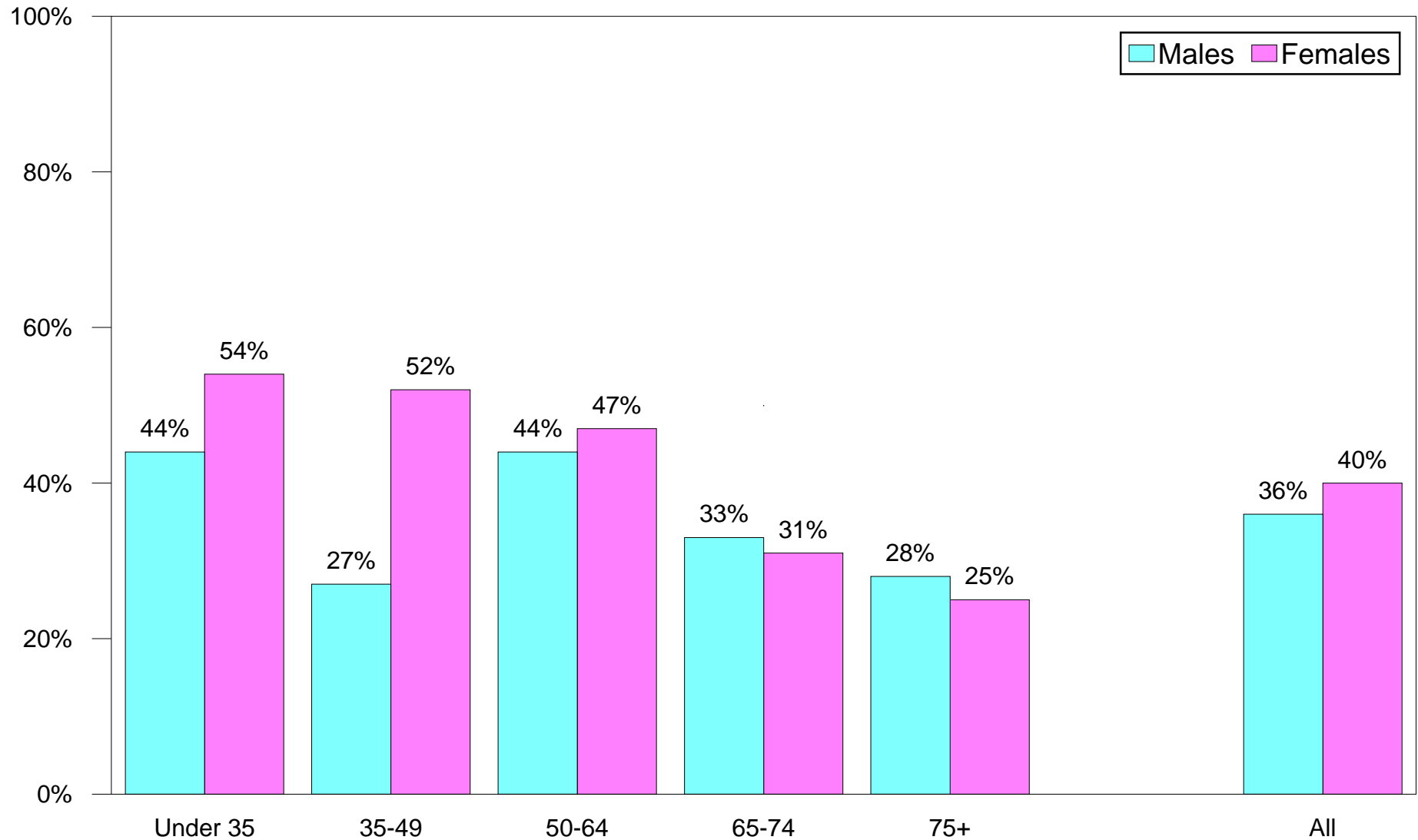
## Attended Any Organized Adult Jewish Education Program or Class in the Past Year by Age

(Jewish Respondents)



# 144 Engaged in Any Other Type of Jewish Study or Learning in the Past Year by Age

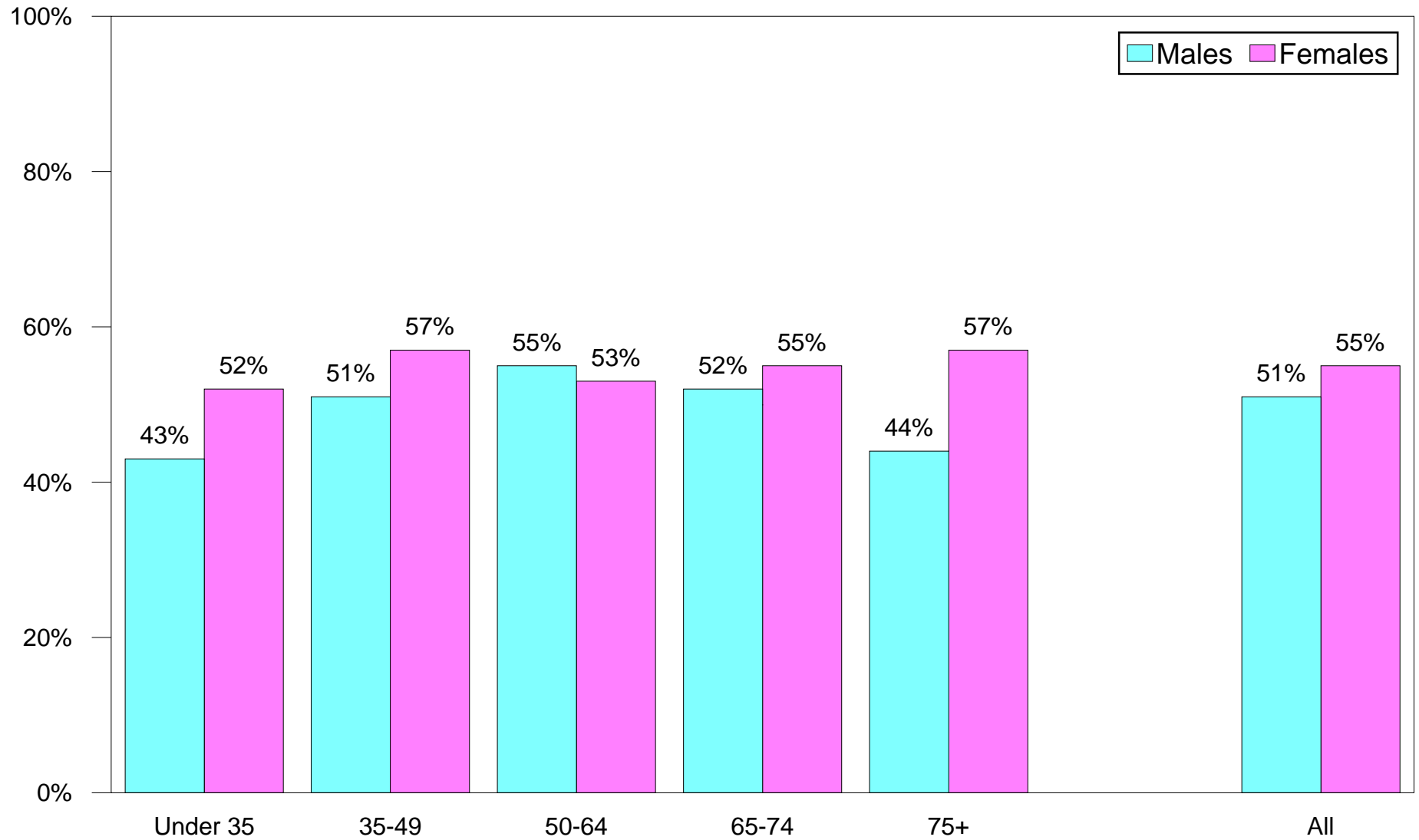
(Jewish Respondents)





# 145 Visited a Jewish Museum or Attended a Jewish Cultural Event in the Past Year by Age

(Jewish Respondents)

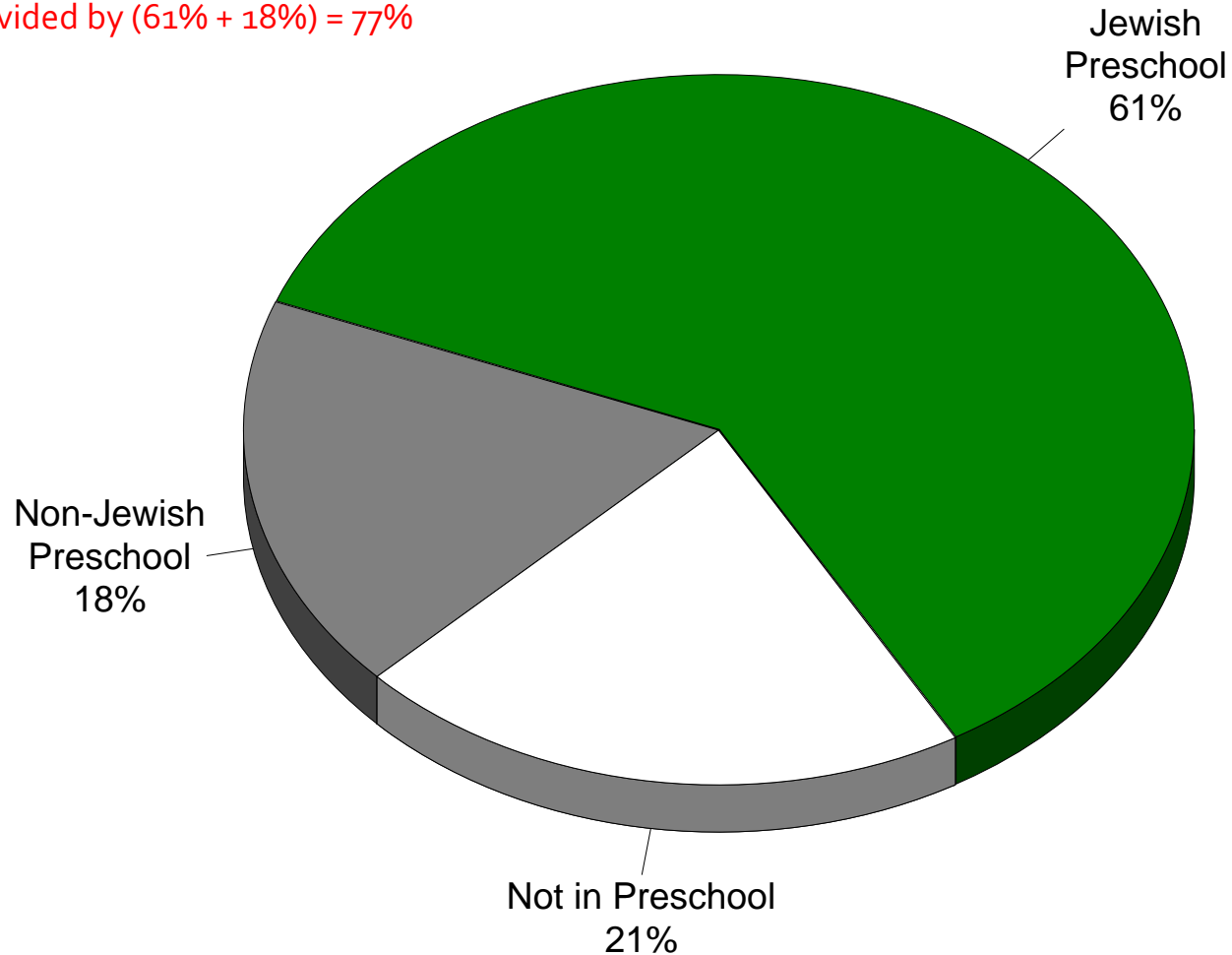


## **Children's Jewish Education: Preschool/Child Care**

# Attend a Preschool/Child Care Program

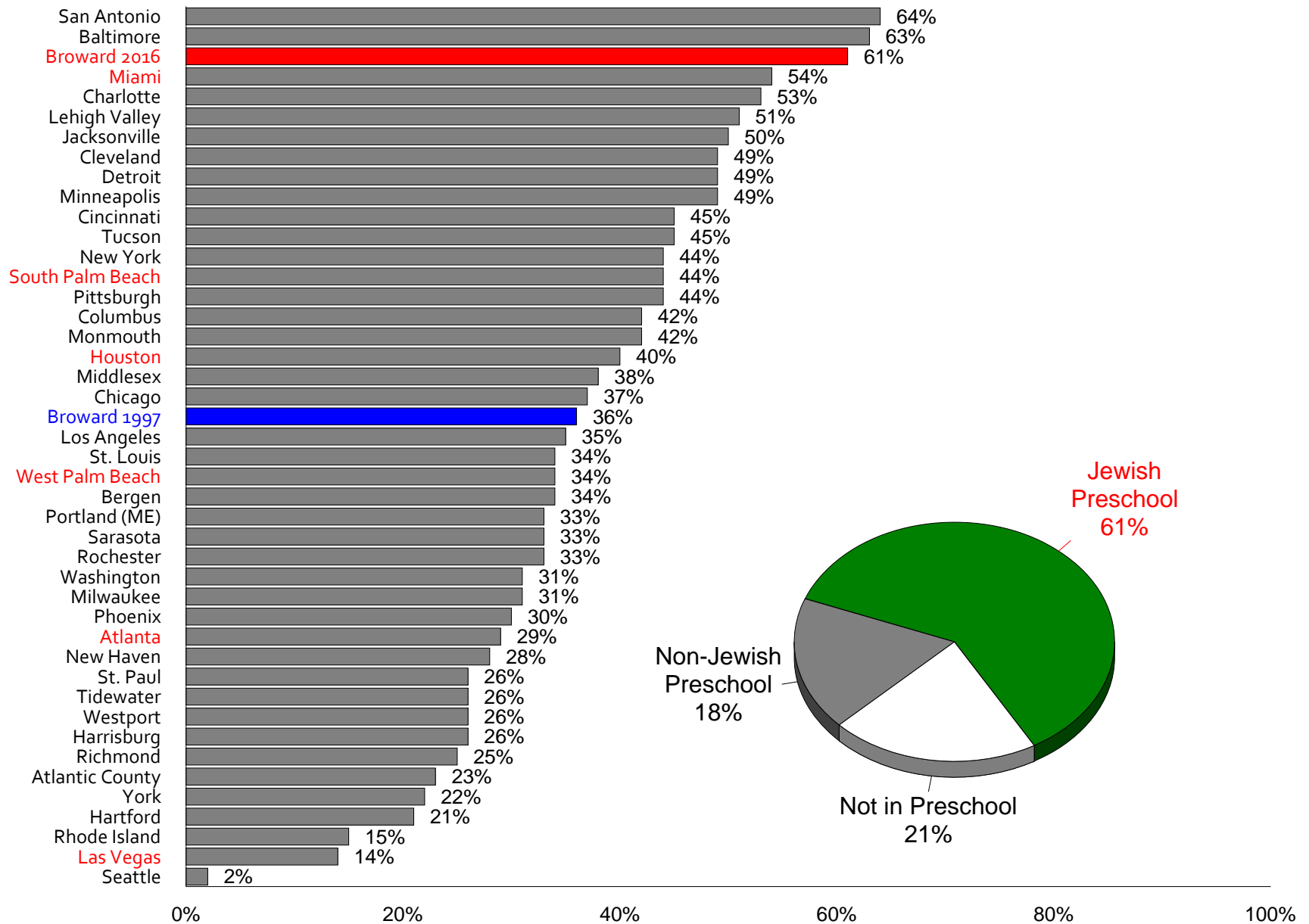
(Jewish Children Age 0-5)  
(Based upon the Telephone Survey)

Jewish Market Share is:  
61% divided by (61% + 18%) = 77%



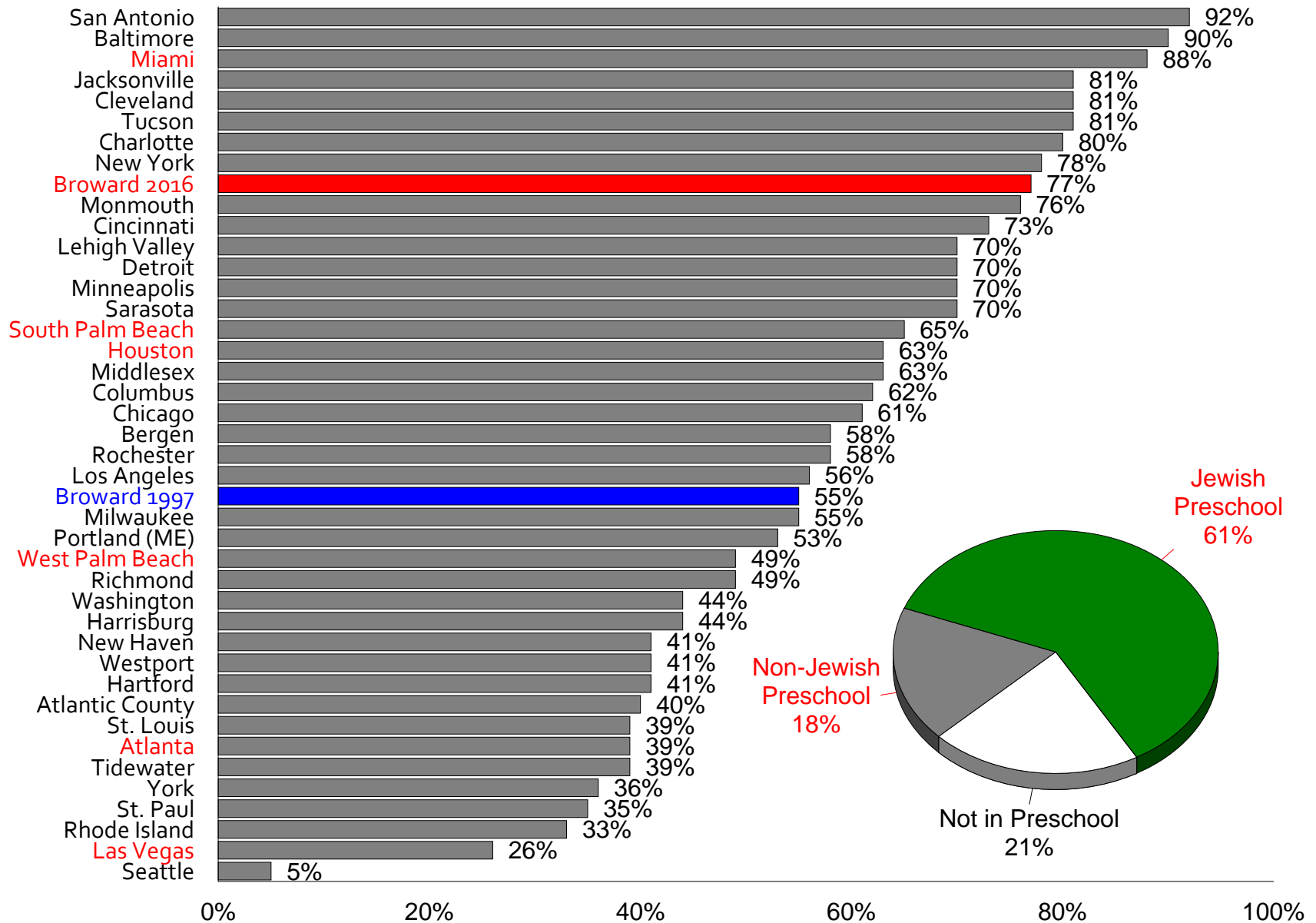
# Attend a Jewish Preschool/Child Care Program

(Jewish Children Age 0-5)



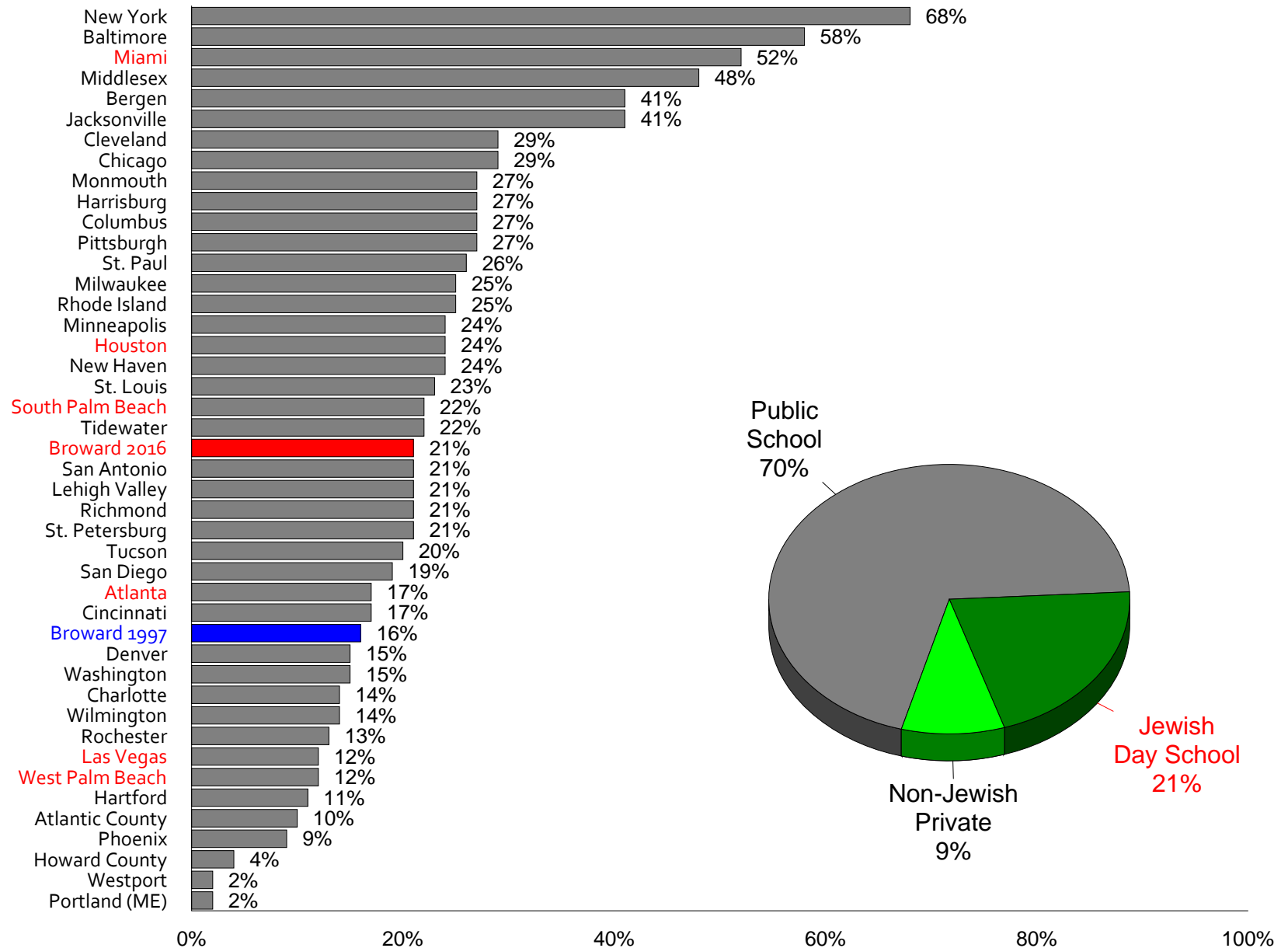
## Jewish Preschool/Child Care Market Share

(Jewish Children Age 0-5)



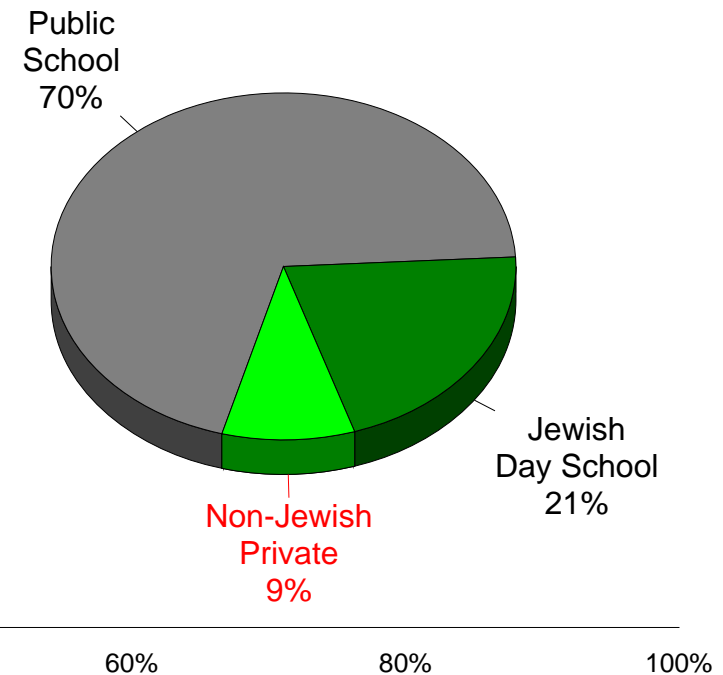
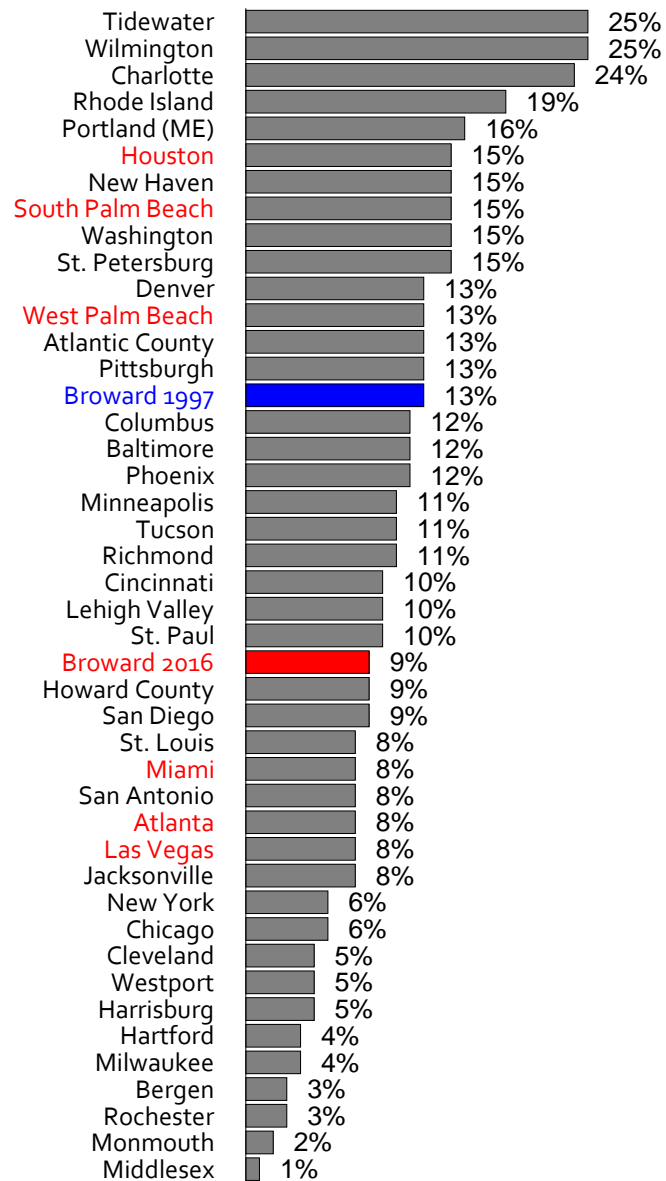
# **Children's Jewish Education: Jewish Day School**

## Currently Attend Jewish Day School (Jewish Children Age 5-12)



# Currently Attend Non-Jewish Private School

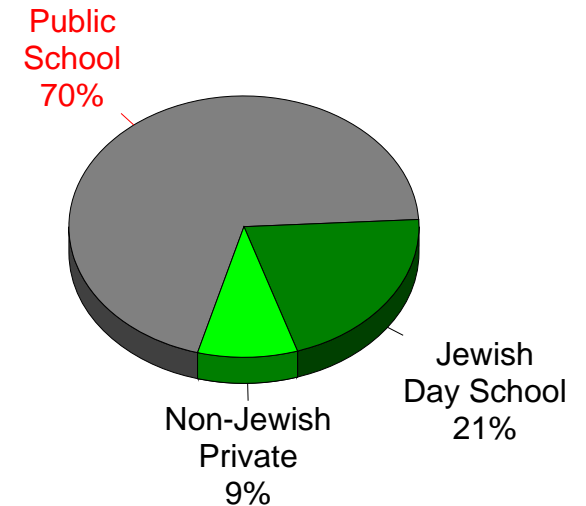
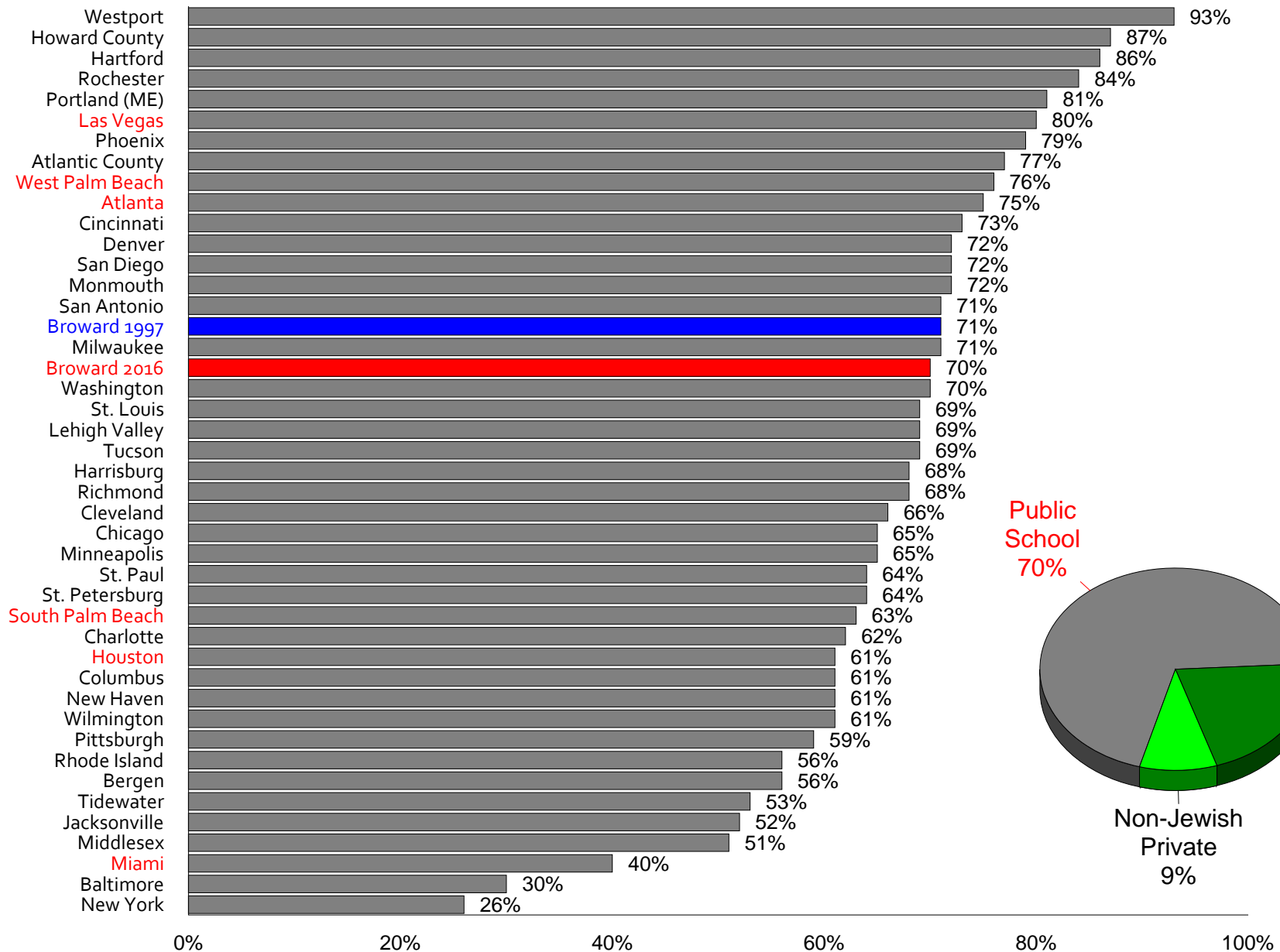
(Jewish Children Age 5-12)





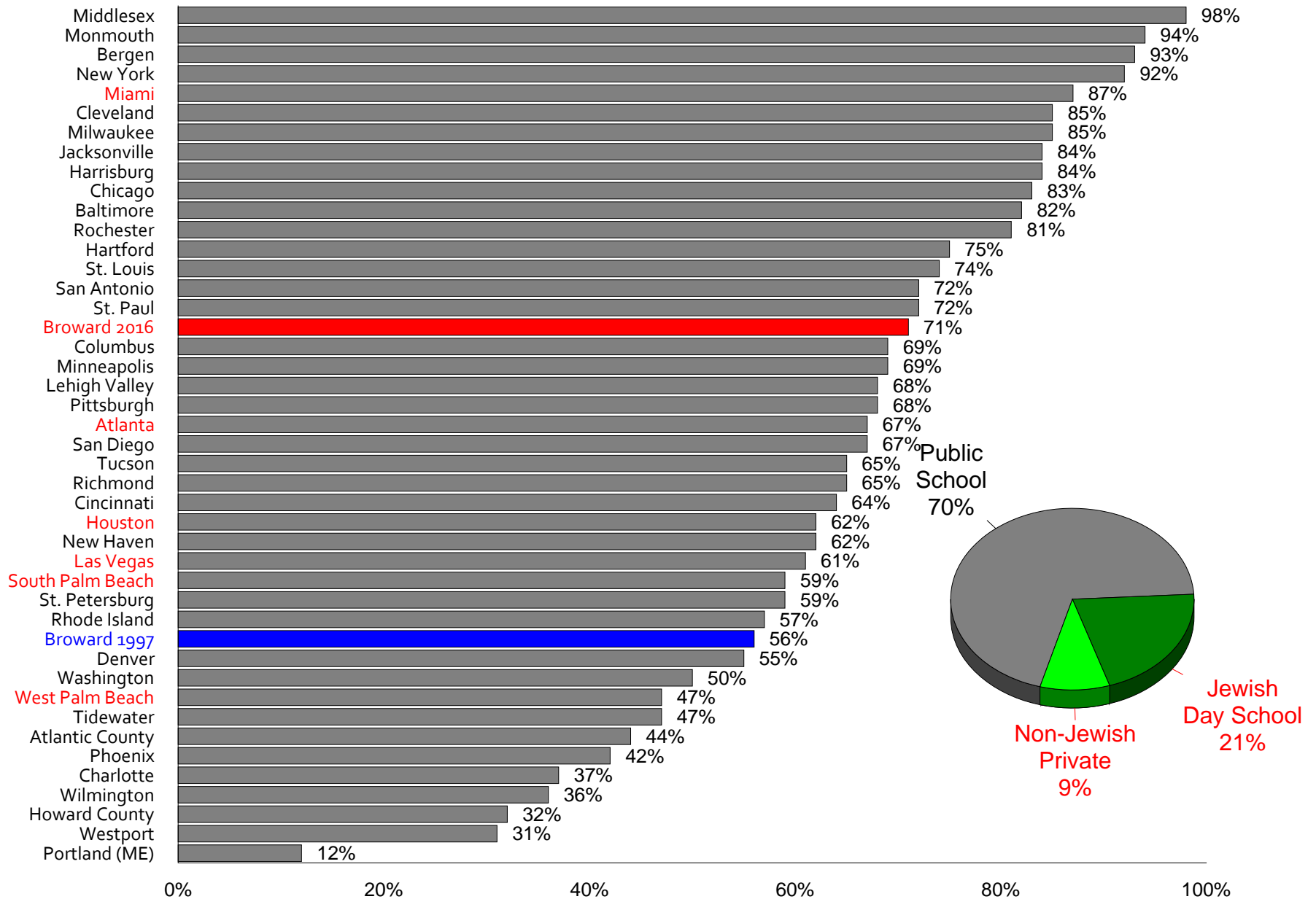
# Currently Attend Public School

(Jewish Children Age 5-12)



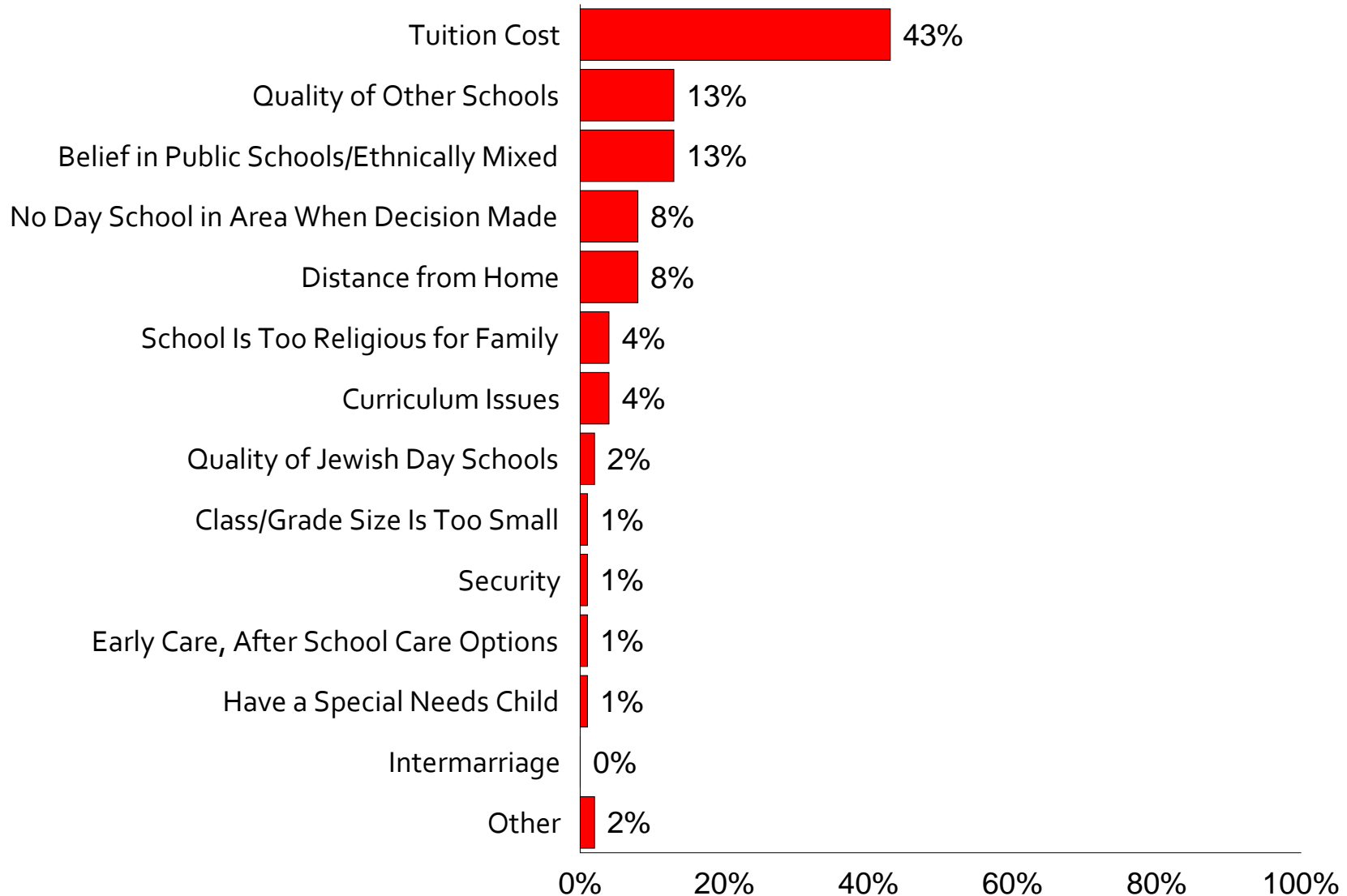
# Market Share for Jewish Day School

(Jewish Children Age 5-12)



# Major Reasons for Not Sending Jewish Children to Jewish Day School

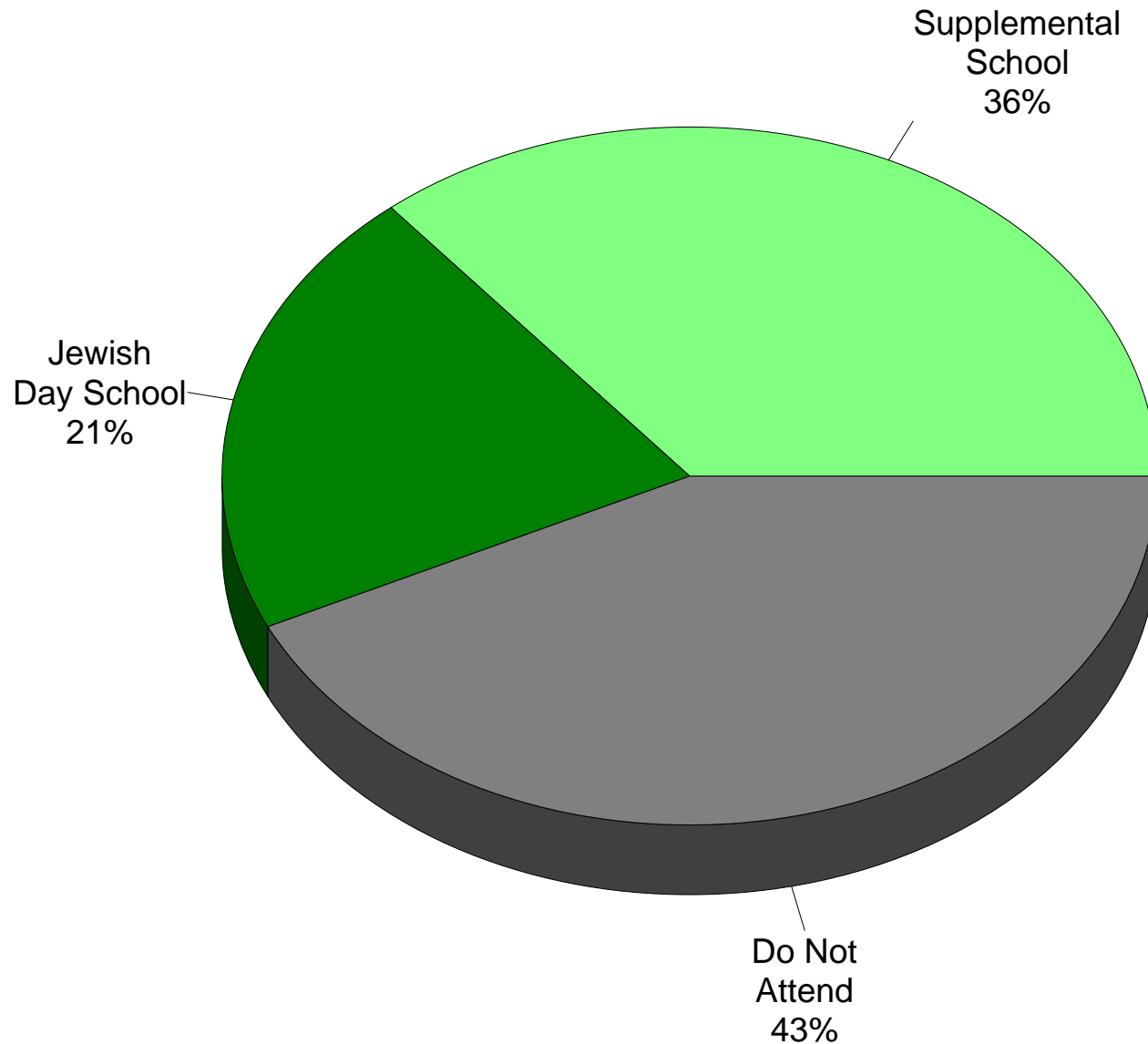
(Respondents in Households with Jewish Children Age 0-17  
Who Did Not, Will Not, or Might Not Send Jewish Children to Jewish Day School)



## **Children's Jewish Education: Formal Jewish Education**

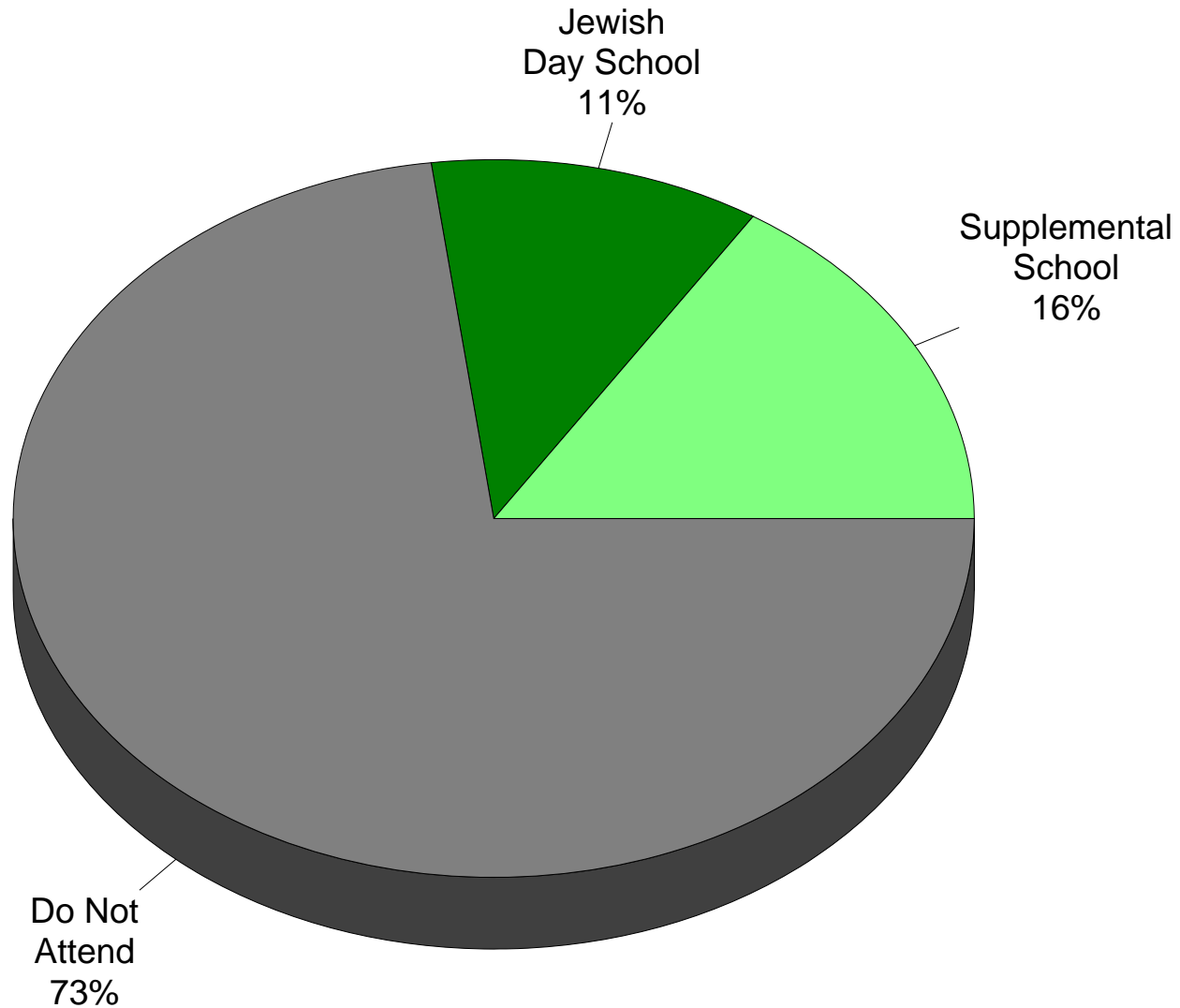
# Current Formal Jewish Education of Jewish Children

(Jewish Children Age 5-12)  
(Based upon the Telephone Survey)



# Current Formal Jewish Education of Jewish Children

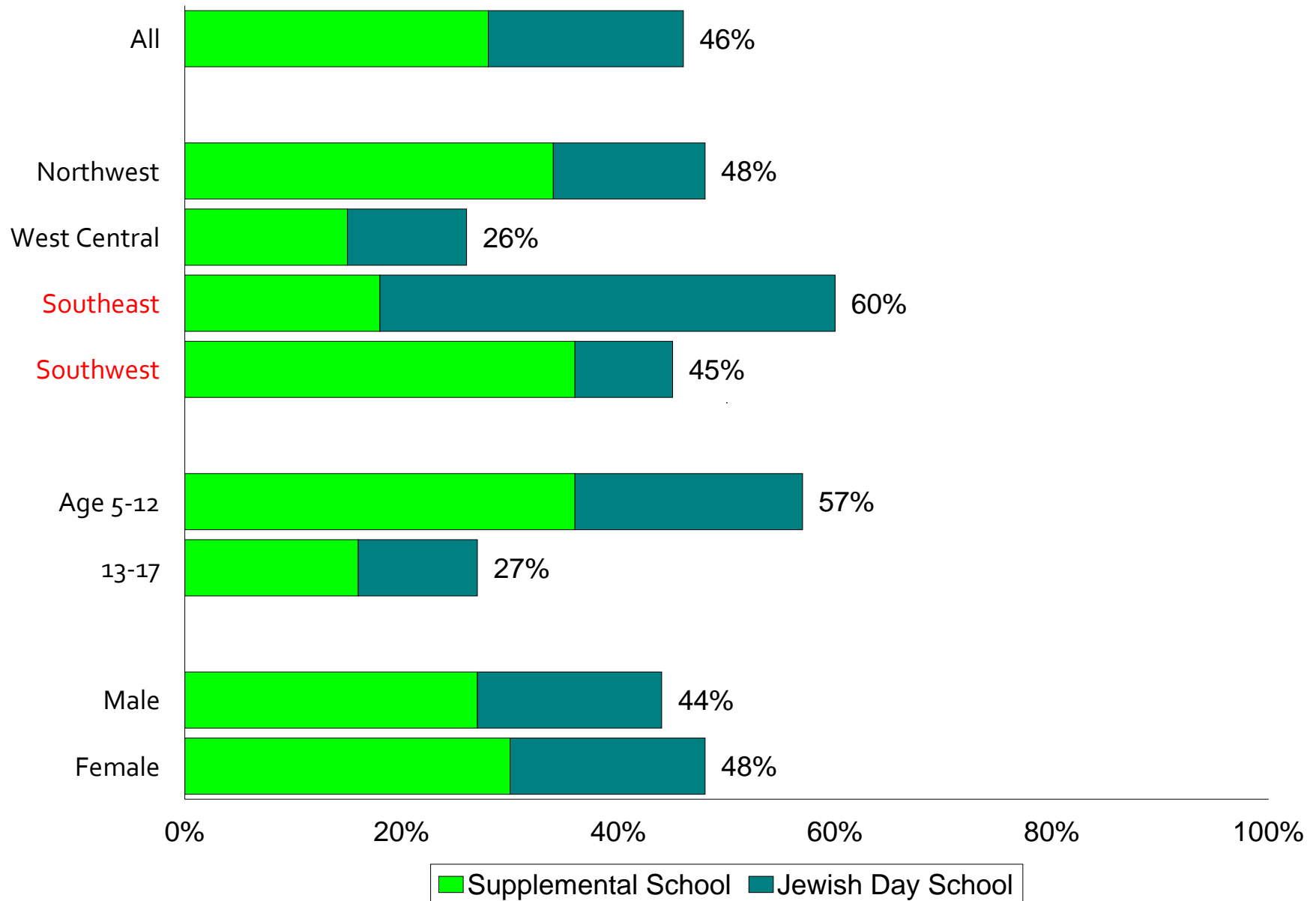
(Jewish Children Age 13-17)



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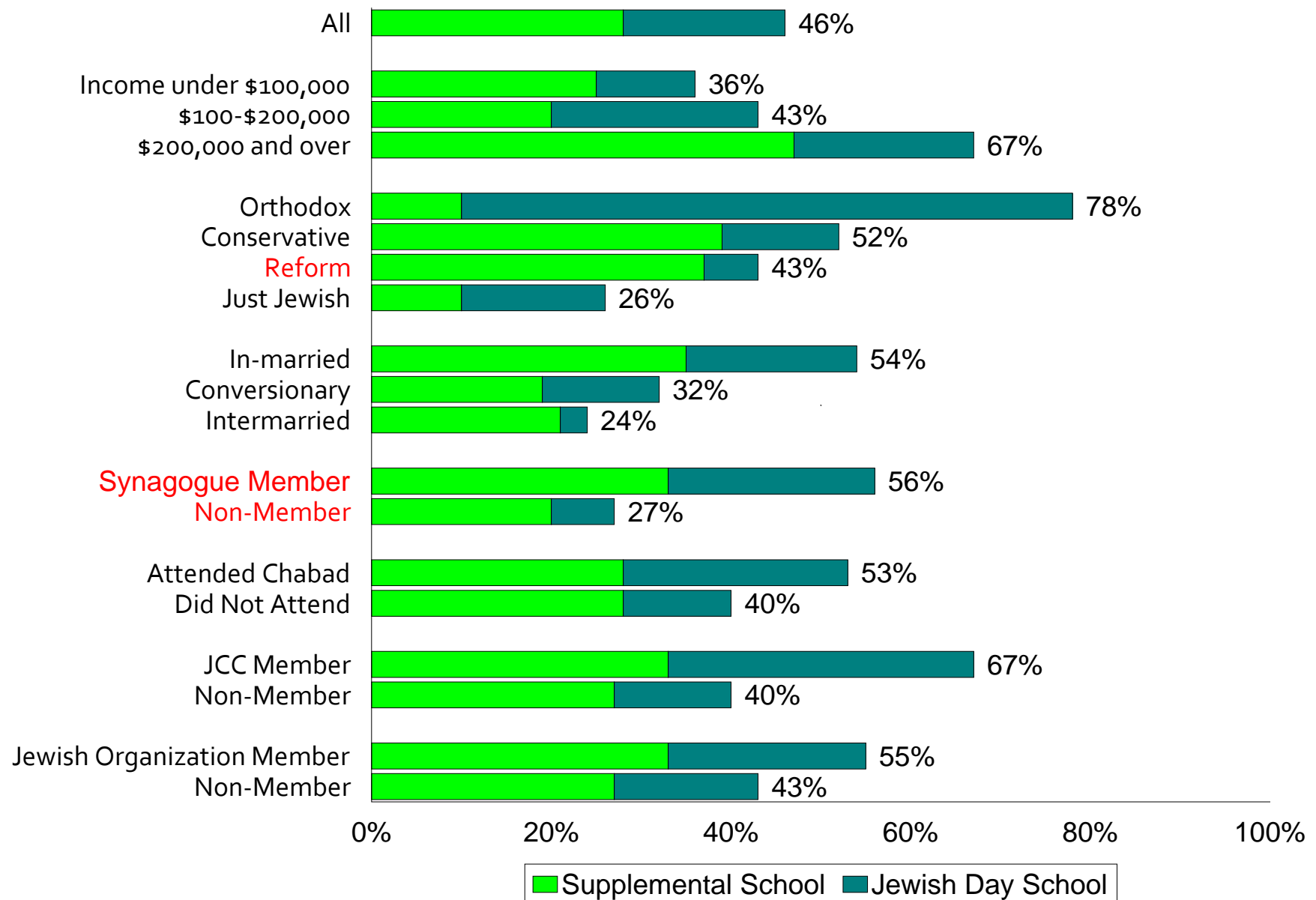
# Currently Attend Formal Jewish Education

(Jewish Children Age 5-17)



# Currently Attend Formal Jewish Education

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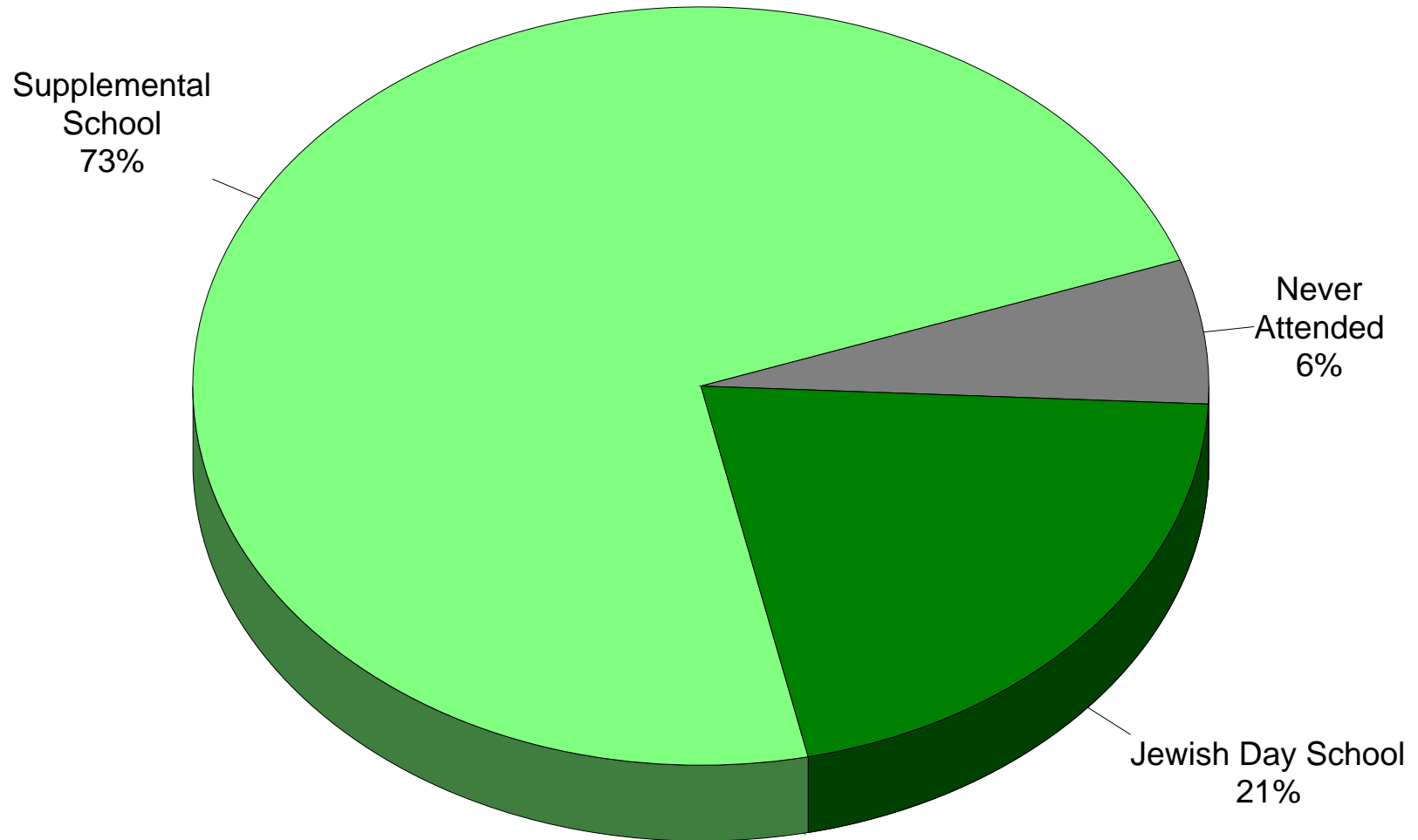




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# Ever Attended Formal Jewish Education

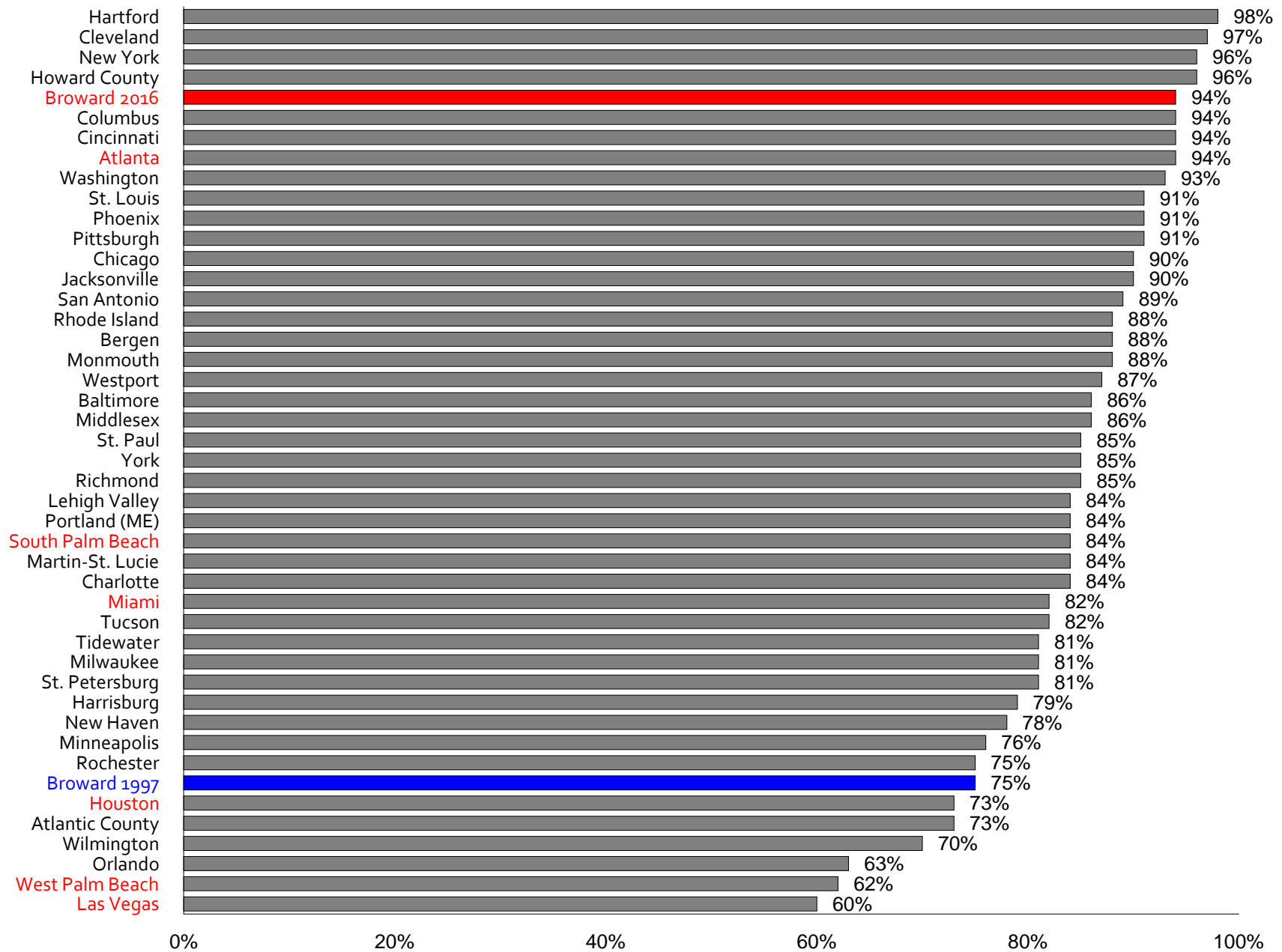
(Jewish Children Age 13-17)



Children who have attended both Jewish day school and supplemental school are reported under Jewish day school

## Jewish Children Who Ever Attended Formal Jewish Education

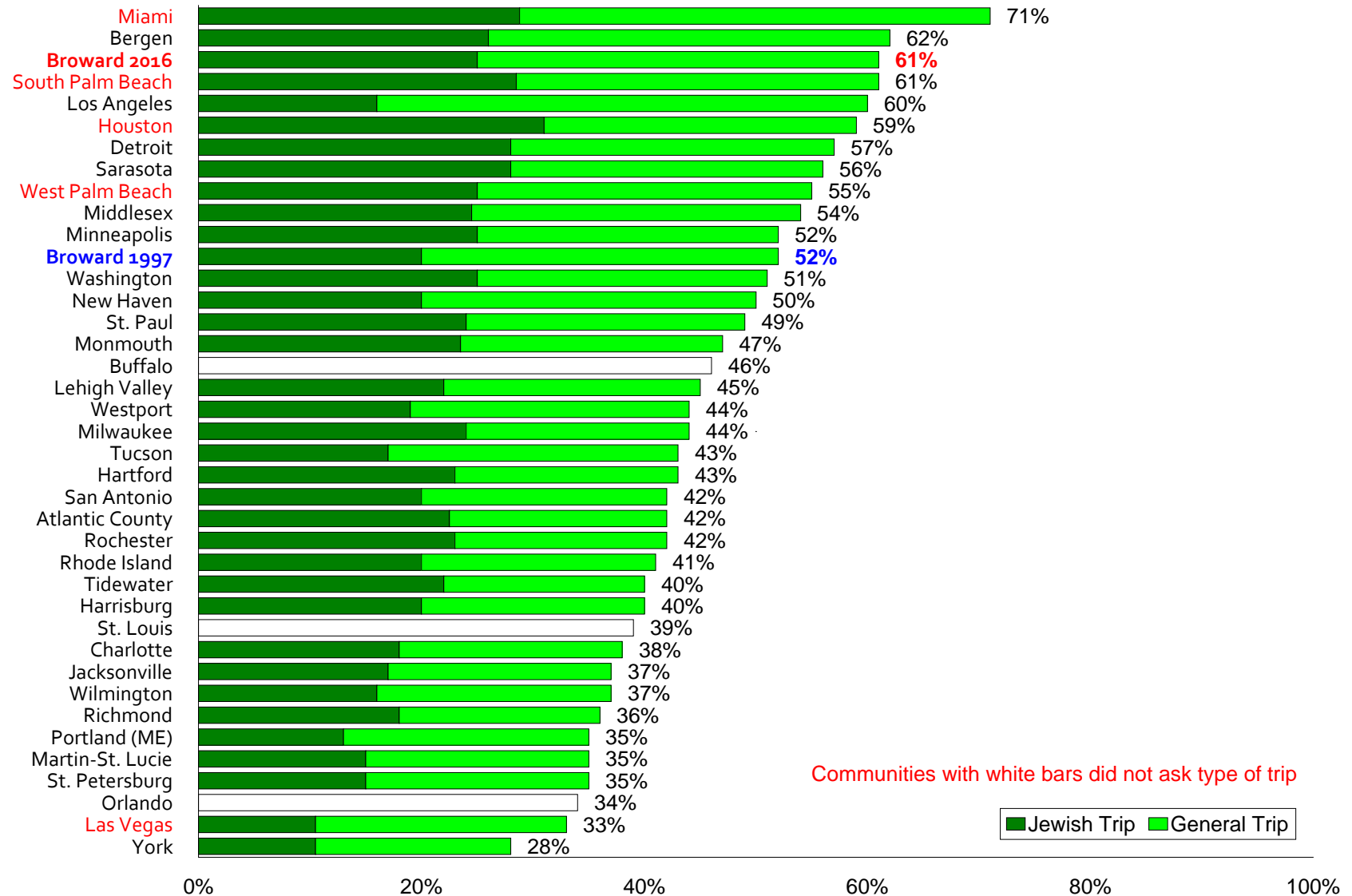
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**Israel**

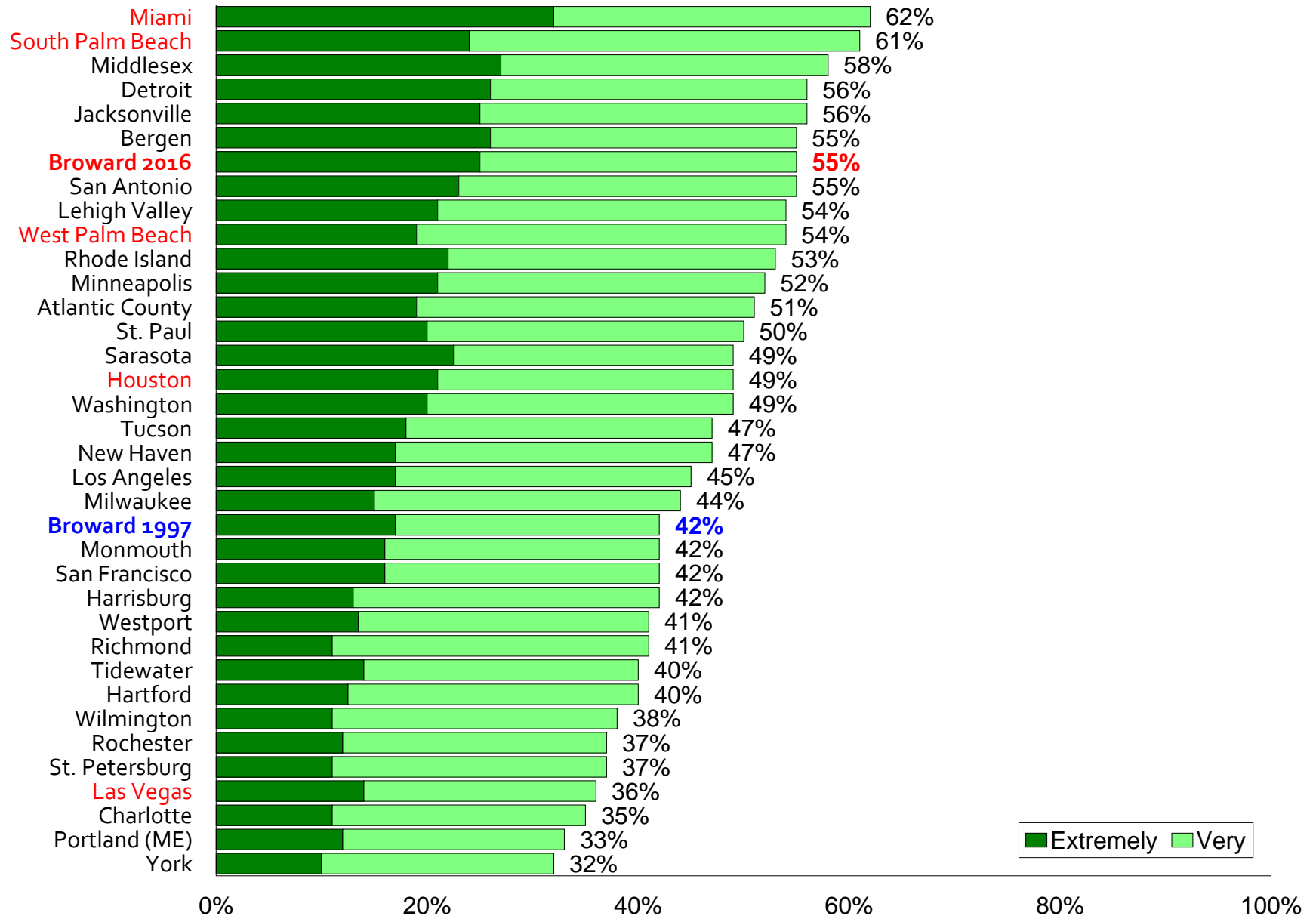
# Households in Which a Member Visited Israel

(Jewish Households)



# Extremely/Very Emotionally Attached to Israel

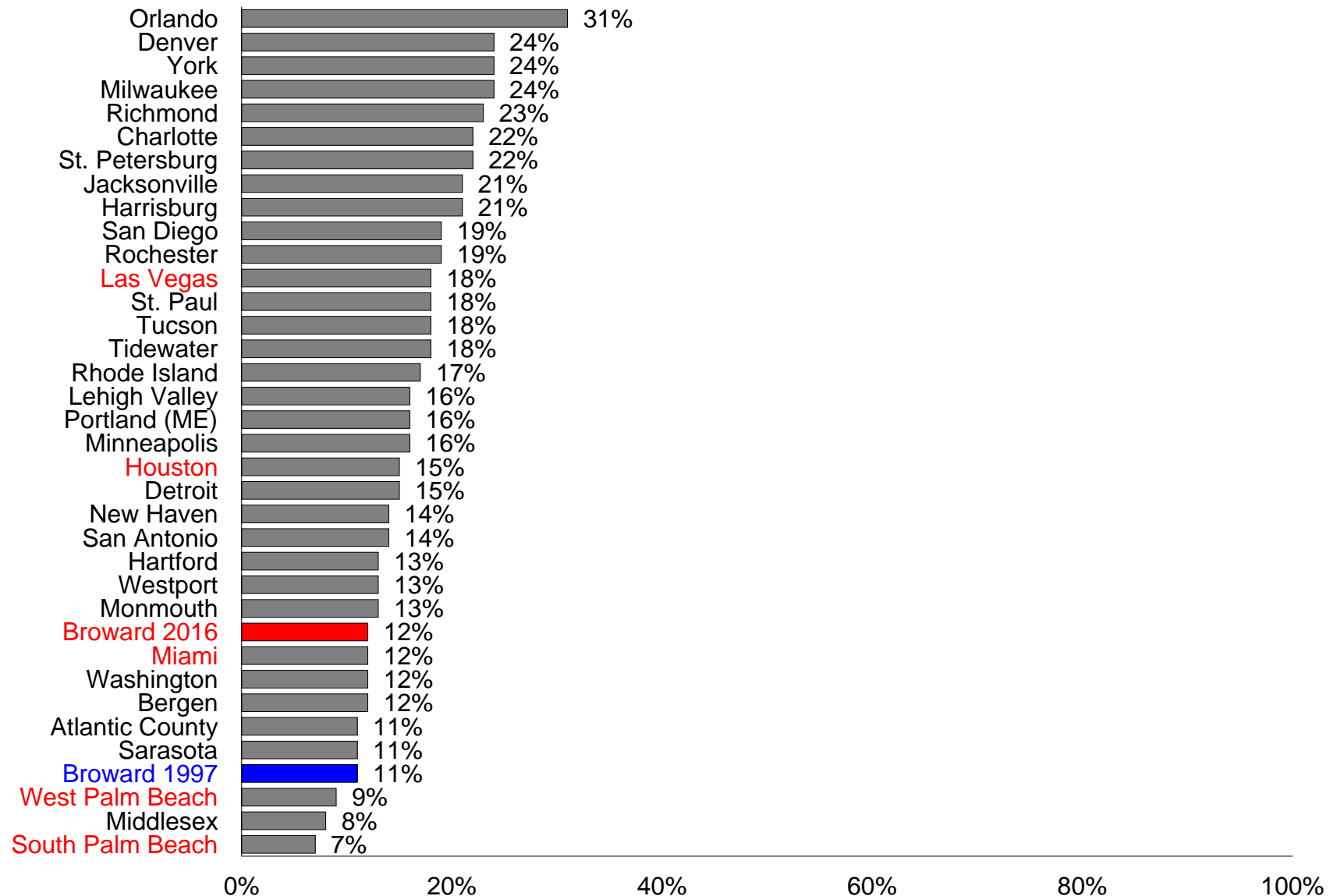
(Jewish Respondents)



# Anti-Semitism

# Personally Experienced Anti-Semitism in Local Community in the Past Year

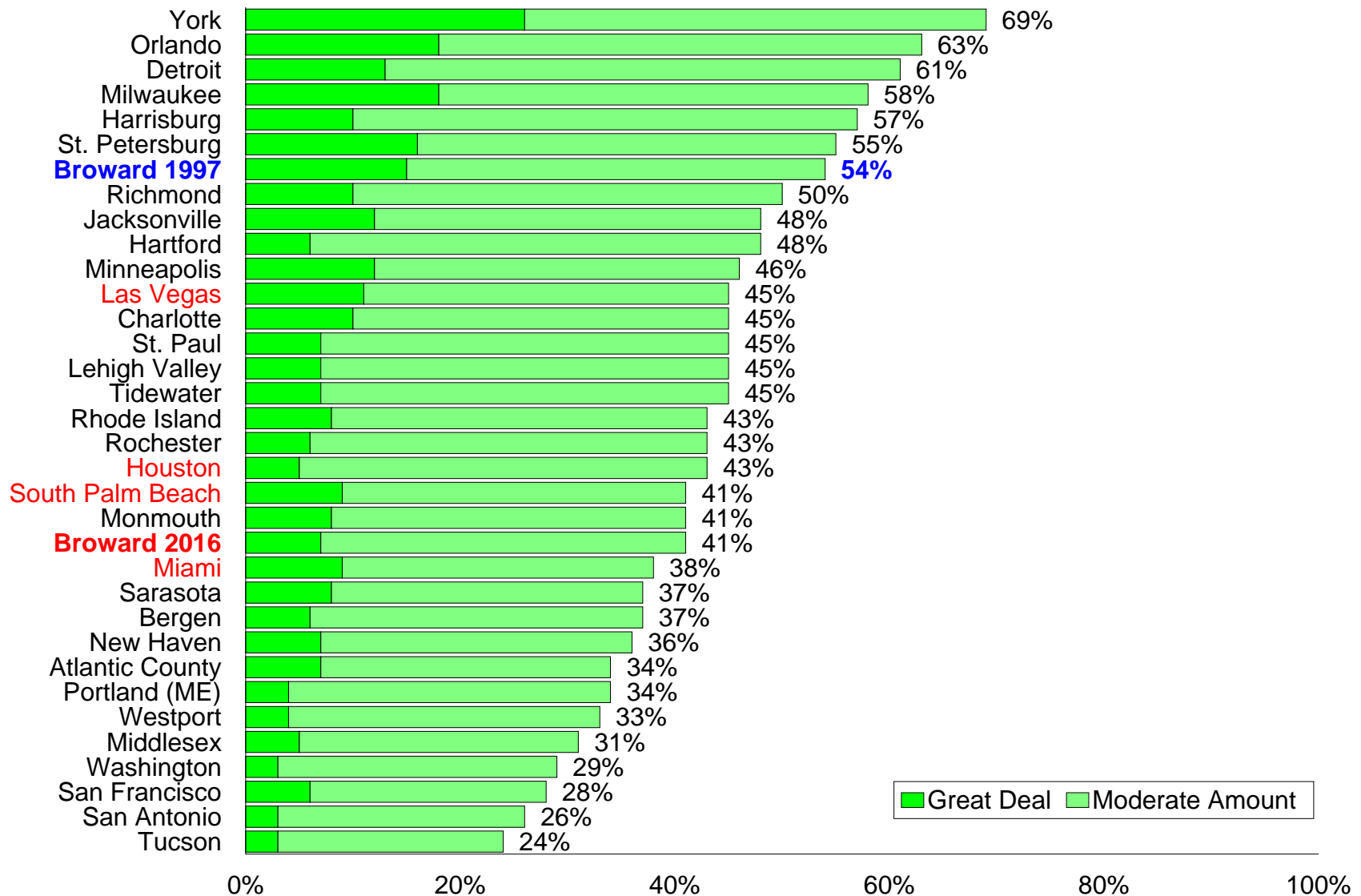
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# Perceive a Great Deal/Moderate Amount of Anti-Semitism in Local Community

(Respondents)

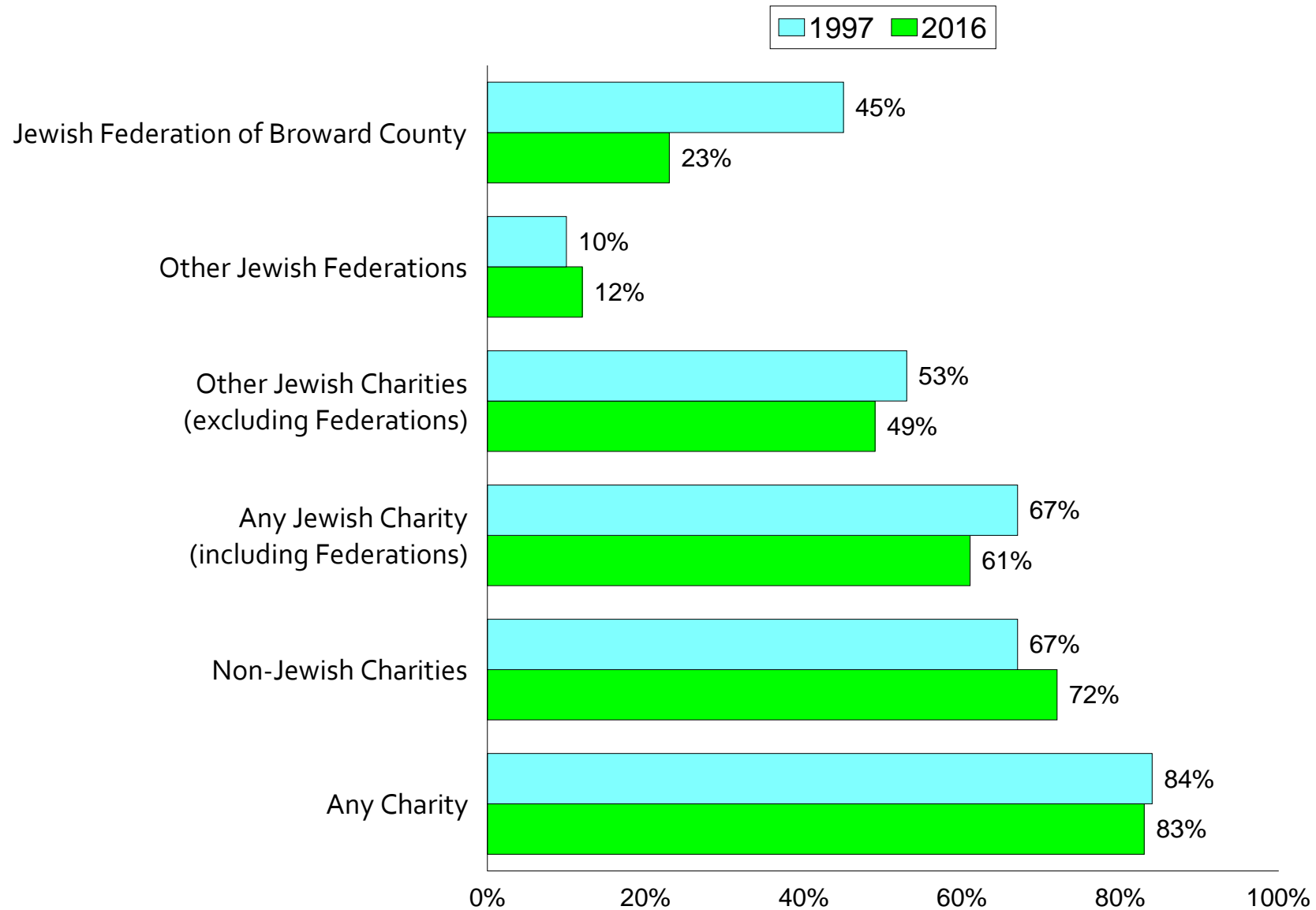




## Philanthropic Profile

# Summary of Donations, 1997-2016

(Jewish Households)

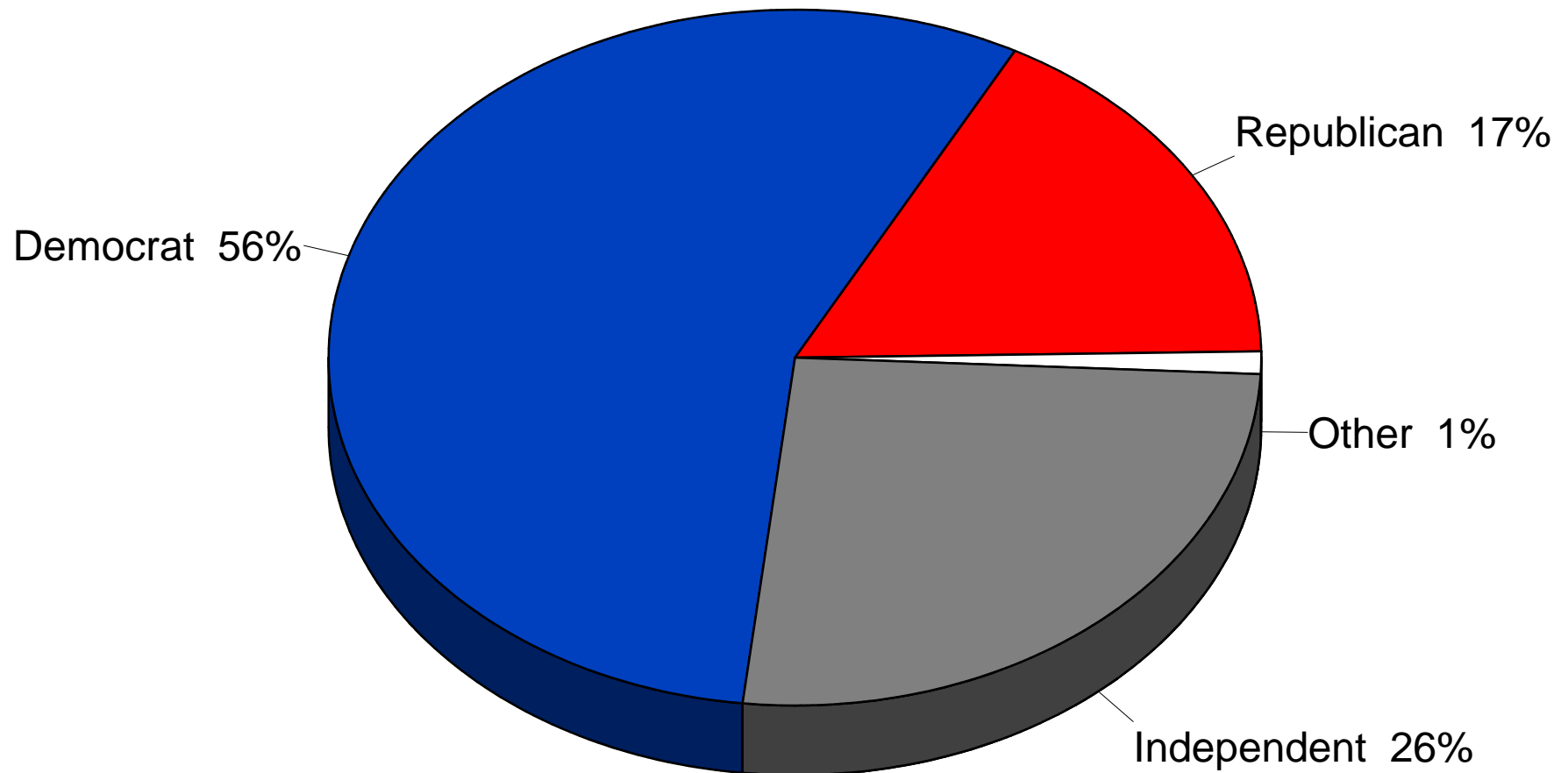


## Political Profile

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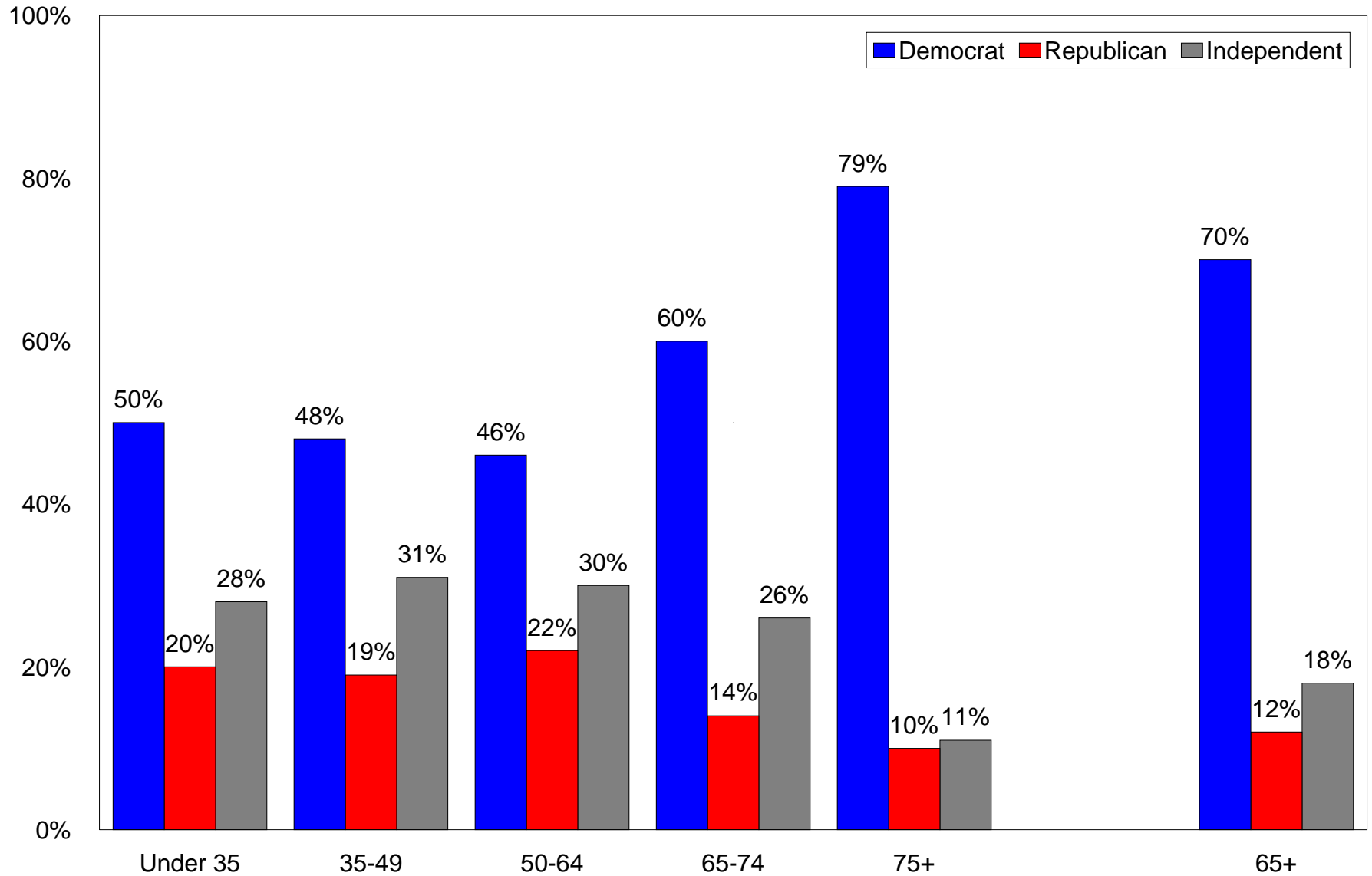
## Political Party

(Jewish Respondents)



# Political Party by Age

(Jewish Respondents)

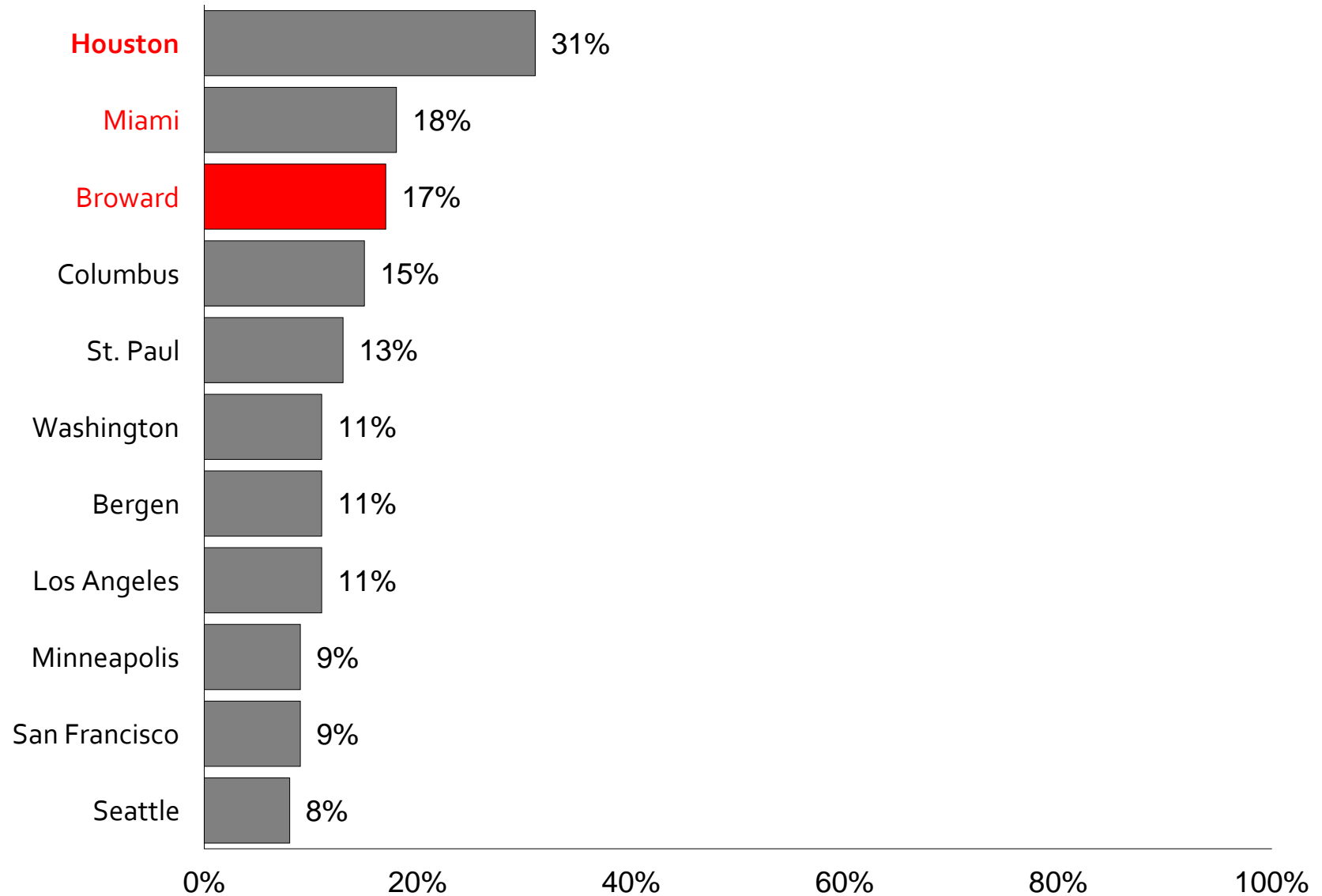


"Other" not shown

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## Percentage Republican

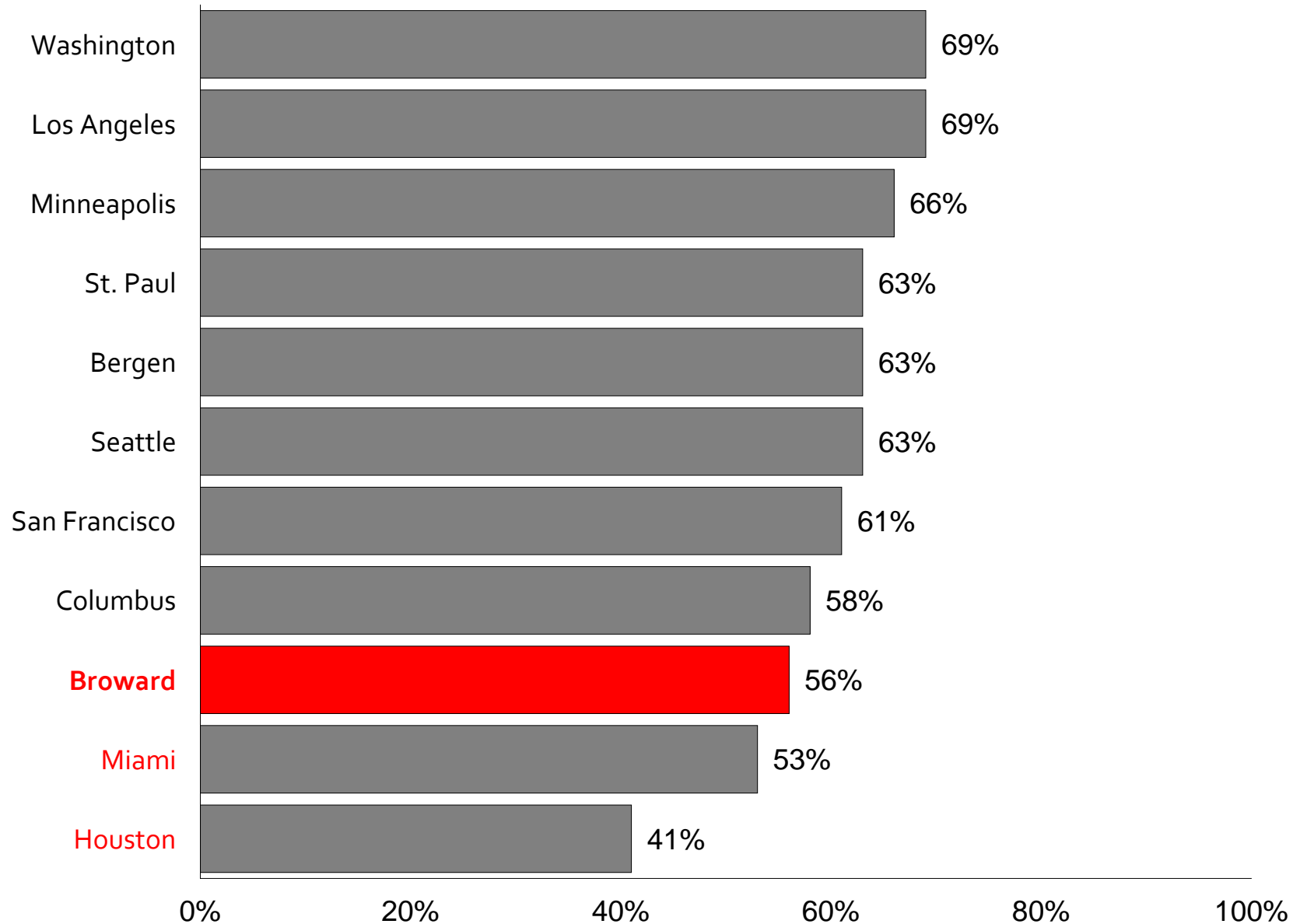
(Jewish Respondents)



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## Percentage Democrat

(Jewish Respondents)



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