

# Final Summary - HSI - Animal Welfare\_Aug23\_A-49377

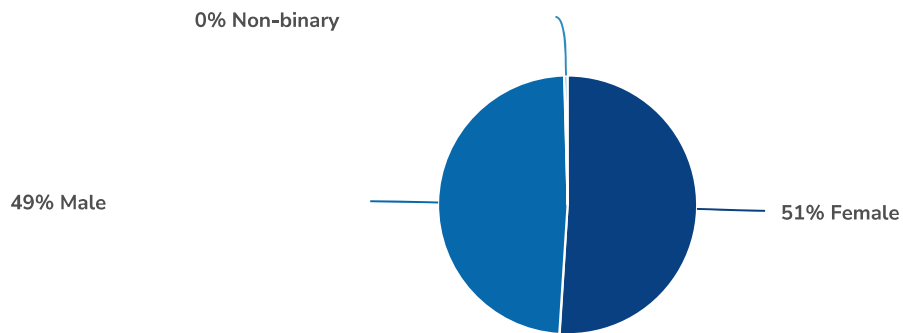
## Response Counts



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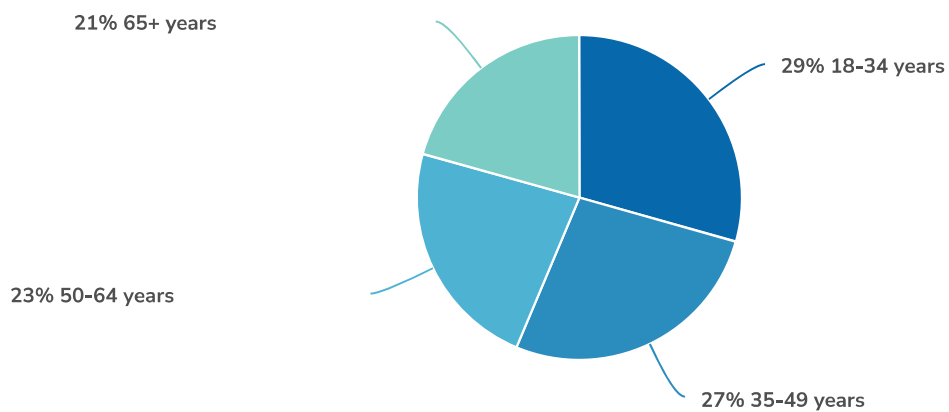
# 1. What is your gender?



Value	Percent	Responses
Female	51.0%	513
Male	48.6%	488
Non-binary	0.4%	4

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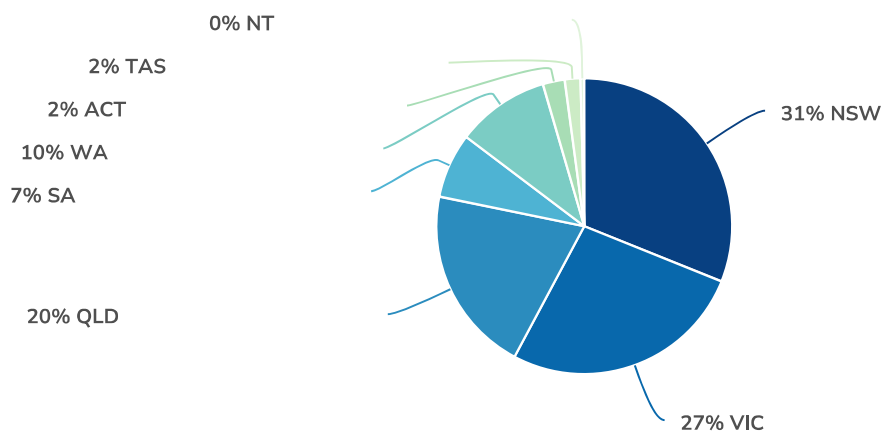
## 2. What is your current age?



Value	Percent	Responses
18-34 years	29.4%	295
35-49 years	27.0%	271
50-64 years	23.0%	231
65+ years	20.7%	208

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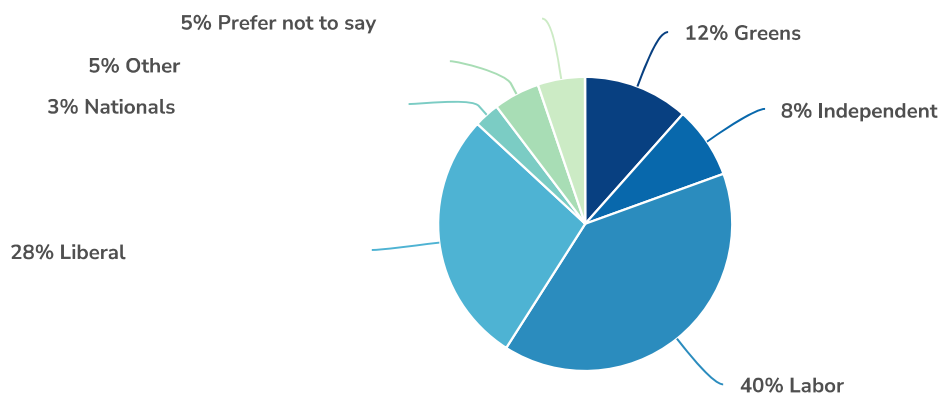
### 3. Where do you live?



Value	Percent	Responses
NSW	31.1%	313
VIC	26.7%	268
QLD	20.4%	205
SA	7.1%	71
WA	10.2%	103
ACT	2.4%	24
TAS	1.7%	17
NT	0.4%	4

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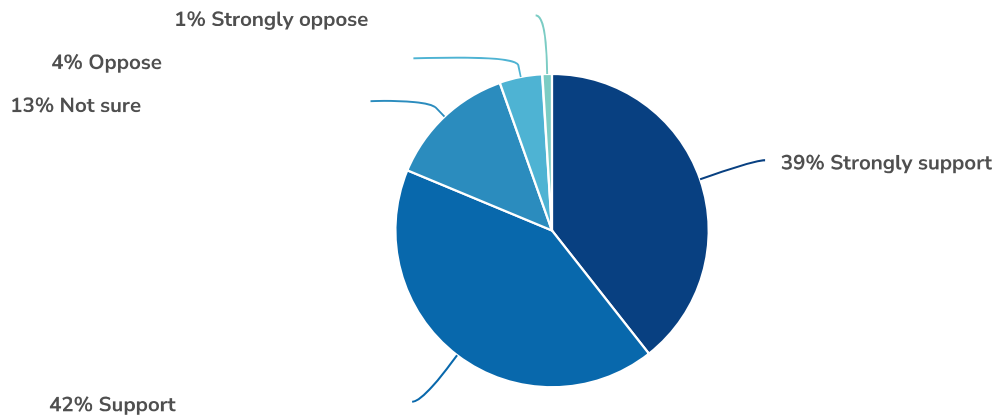
#### 4. Please select the political party you identify with most:



Value	Percent	Responses
Greens	11.6%	117
Independent	7.9%	79
Labor	39.6%	398
Liberal	27.9%	280
Nationals	2.8%	28
Other	5.1%	51
Prefer not to say	5.2%	52

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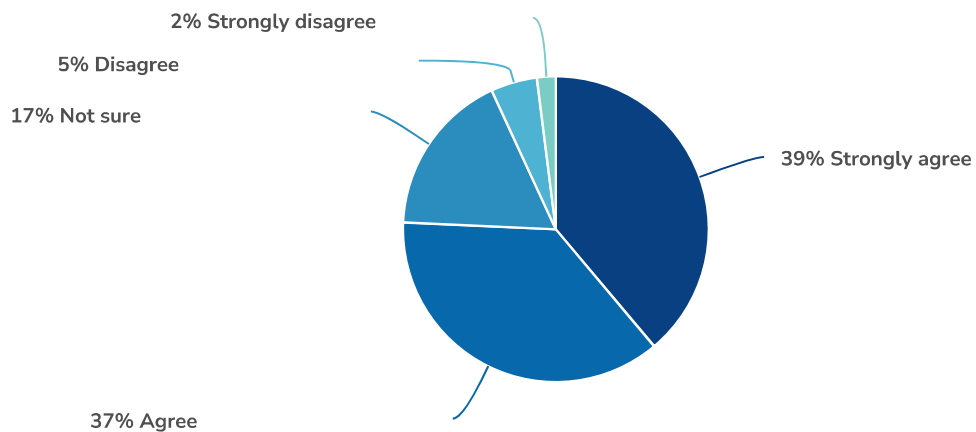
10. When farm animals undergo surgical procedures, do you support them being given the same level of pain management that pets receive during surgical procedures?



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly support	39.4%	396
Support	41.9%	421
Not sure	13.3%	134
Oppose	4.4%	44
Strongly oppose	1.0%	10

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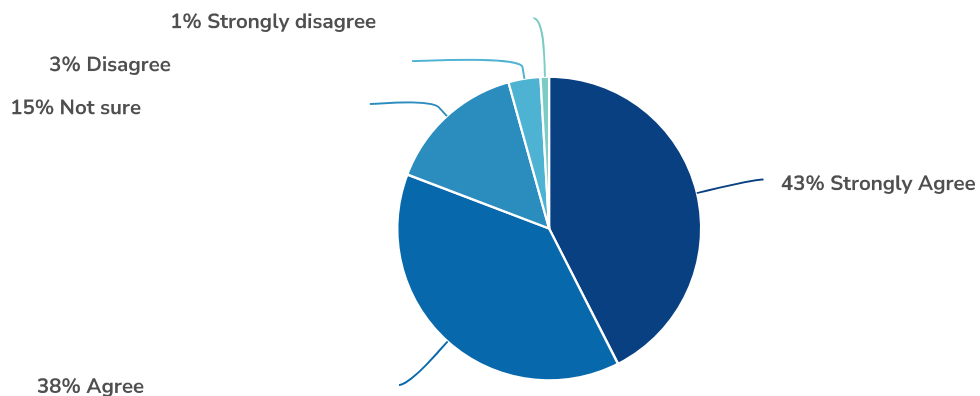
11. Most sheep bred for wool in Australia have wrinkled skin which attracts flies. This makes them prone to a serious condition called flystrike. The traditional method of preventing flystrike is to use sharp shears to slice strips of skin from the sheep's rear end to create scar tissue so it's unattractive to flies. This procedure is called 'mulesing' and it is done to approximately 10 million lambs each year in Australia. Do you agree it should be mandatory to give lambs pain relief for the mulesing procedure?



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly agree	38.9%	391
Agree	36.8%	370
Not sure	17.4%	175
Disagree	4.9%	49
Strongly disagree	2.0%	20

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12. Most lambs are given pain relief for mulesing only after the wrinkled skin on their rear end has been cut off. Do you agree lambs should be given pain management both before and after they are cut?

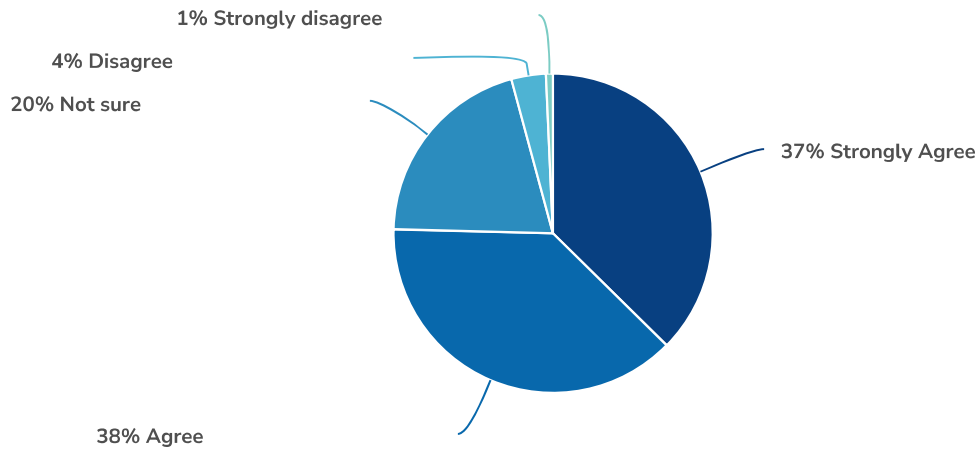


Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly Agree	42.5%	427
Agree	38.3%	385
Not sure	14.9%	150
Disagree	3.4%	34
Strongly disagree	0.9%	9

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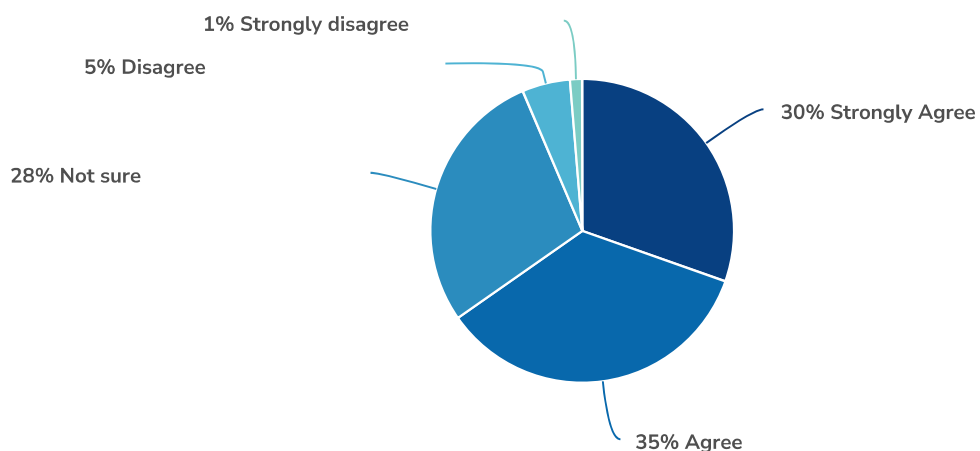
13. Sheep can be bred without wrinkles so that they do not attract flies and do not suffer flystrike. These sheep do not need to be mulesed. Do you agree wool growers should breed sheep that are not prone to flystrike?



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly Agree	37.4%	376
Agree	38.0%	382
Not sure	20.4%	205
Disagree	3.5%	35
Strongly disagree	0.7%	7

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14. Sheep can be bred without wrinkles so that they do not attract flies and do not suffer flystrike. These sheep do not need to be mulesed. Do you agree governments should require a phase out of mulesing?



Value	Percent	Responses
Strongly Agree	30.4%	306
Agree	34.9%	351
Not sure	28.3%	284
Disagree	5.1%	51
Strongly disagree	1.3%	13

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