



Advanis Police Service Benchmarks 2022: Ottawa PS Focus

July 2022

How Jurisdiction Was Determined

Canadians were asked to rate the "police service with jurisdiction in their area", so when we refer to citizens' ratings of **OPS**, these are citizens who say that OPS has jurisdiction in the area where they live.

Comparisons Between Police Services

In Sections 1b and 2b below, OPS' results are compared to those of Edmonton Police Service (which also subscribed to this research program). OPS' results are also compared to five other police services of cities with populations of 900,000 or more.

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Methodology

Random samples of *Canadians aged 18+*:

- *May-June 2022: 20,750 Canada-wide and 2,232 for OPS*
- *May-July 2021: 18,686 Canada-wide and 1,338 for OPS*
- *February to April 2020: 16,840 Canada-wide and 624 for OPS (before OPS subscribed)*

Please see footnotes for more details.

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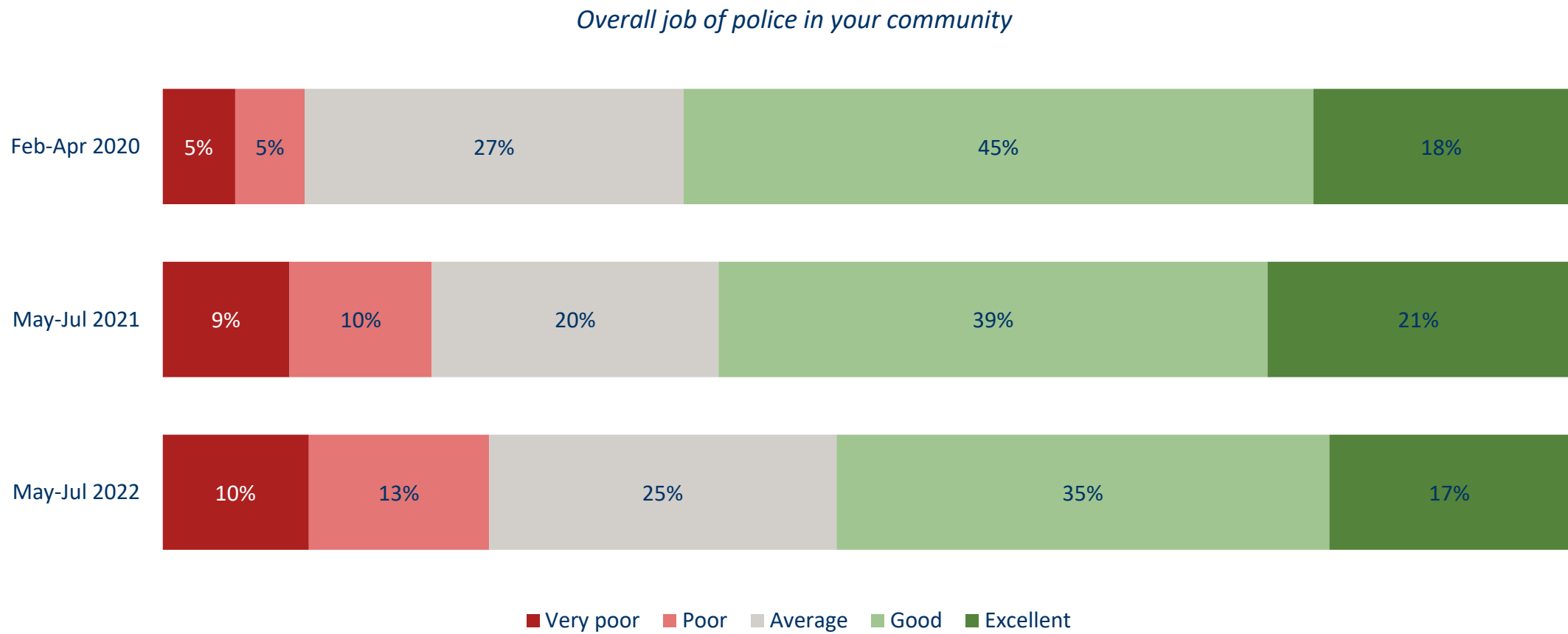
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OPS can also conduct its own analysis with all the data online here: [Create Analysis](#)

1a. PSC Questions - OPS Only

The overall perception of OPS declined.

- A lower percentage of citizens think it is doing an *excellent* or *good* job in 2022 (down from 63% in 2020 and 60% in 2021 to 52% in 2022).



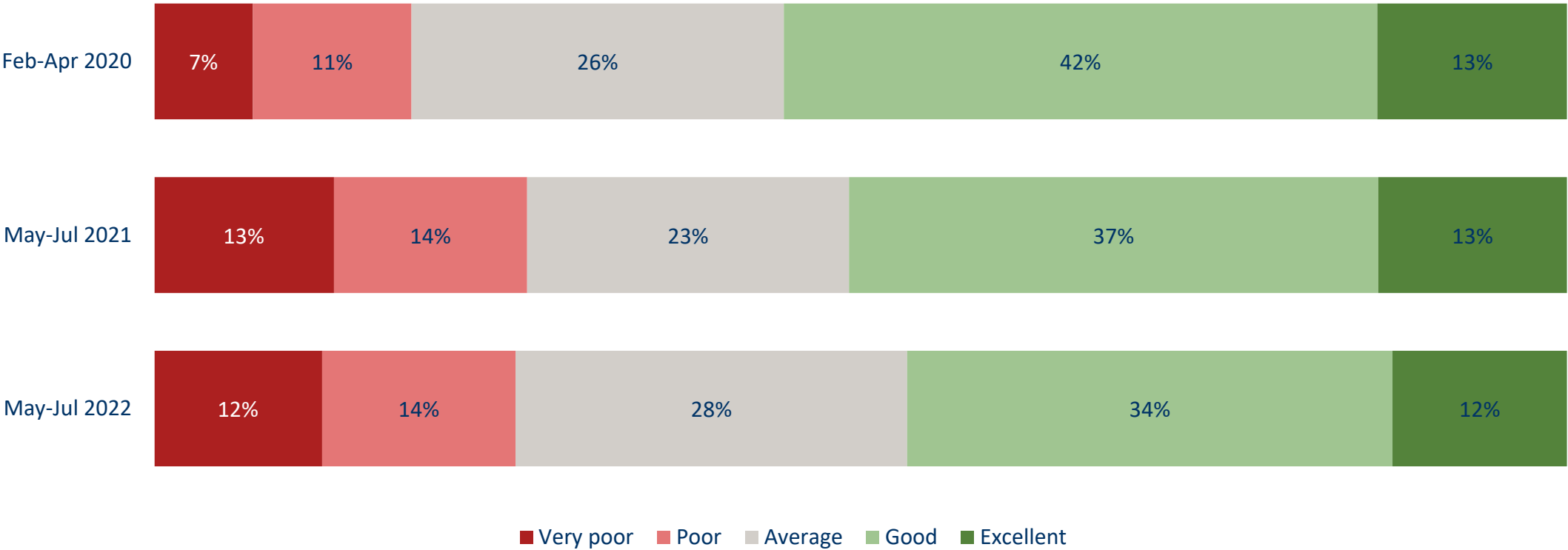
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Citizens in OPS' jurisdiction think *other* police services are doing about the same job in 2022 as in 2021.

However, a lower percentage of OPS' citizens think *other* police services are doing an *excellent* or *good* job in 2022 than in 2020 (47% vs. 55%).

In all three years, citizens in OPS' jurisdiction rate its work more highly than they rate the police in the rest of the country.

Overall job of police in your country



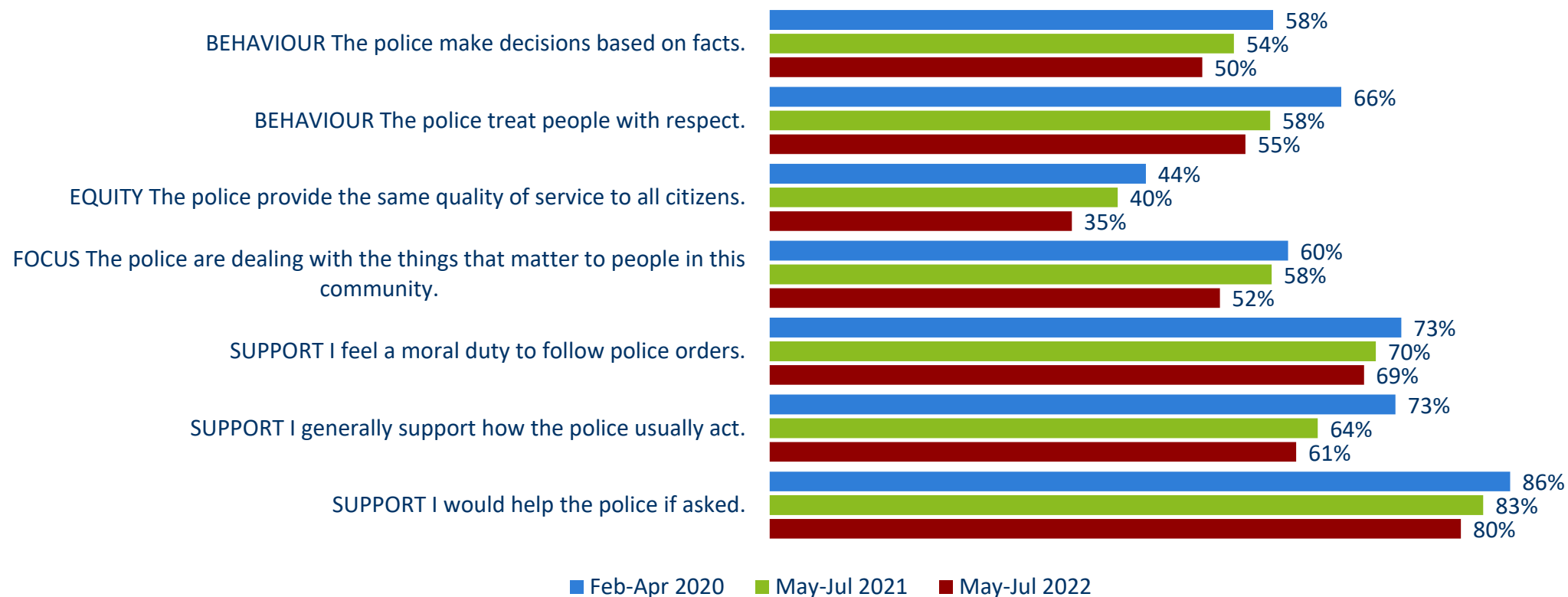
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There are virtually no differences between the ratings of OPS by citizens in its jurisdiction since last year.

The only exception is that 52% of OPS citizens think that OPS *are dealing with the things that matter to people in this community* in 2022, down 6% from last year and 8% vs. 2020.

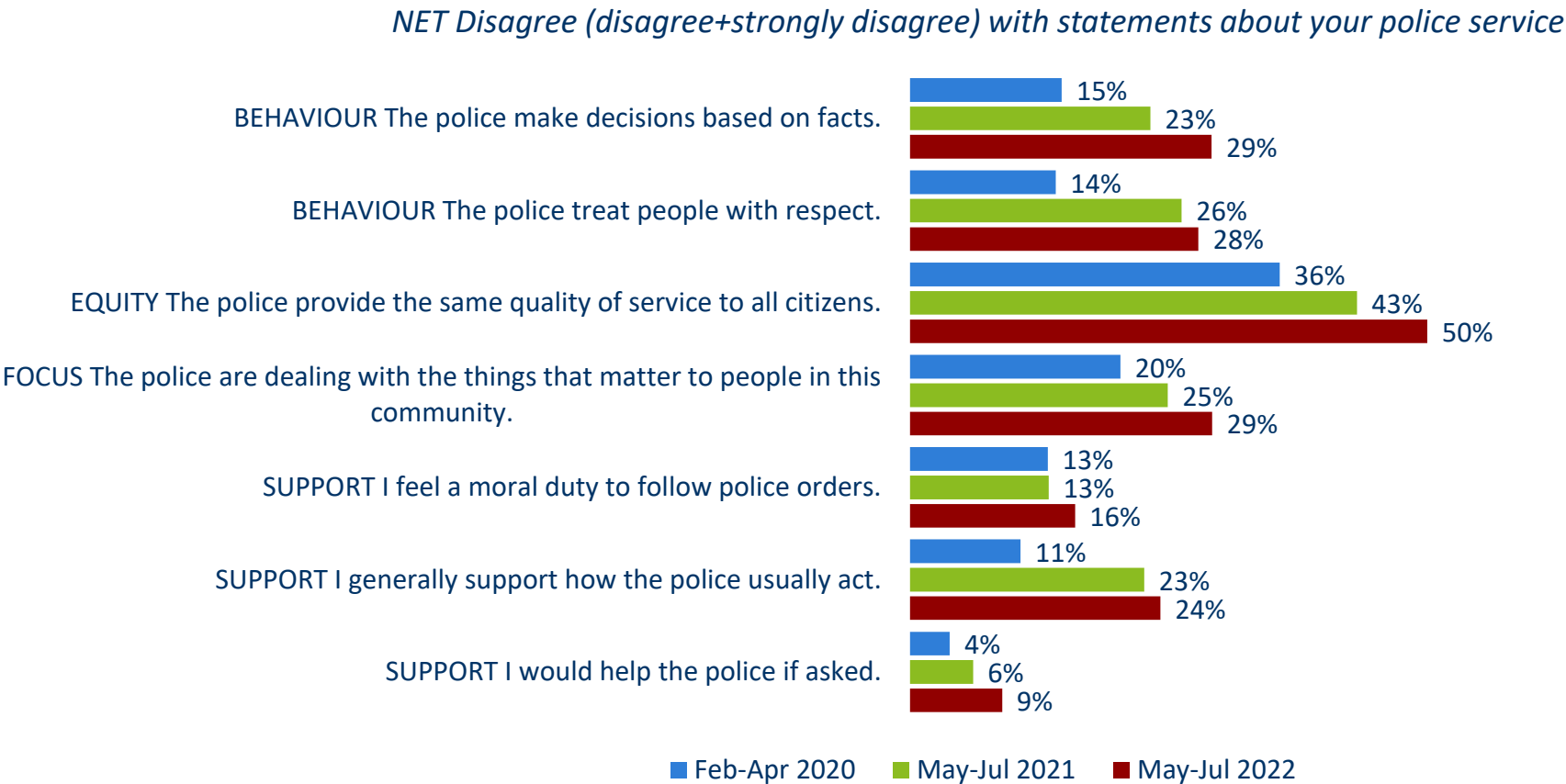
Ratings by "statement" follow roughly the same rank order in 2022 as in the other two years.

NET Agree (agree+strongly agree) with statements about your police service



Equity remains the top area of concern: 50% of citizens *disagree* or *strongly disagree* that OPS *provides the same quality of service to all citizens* in 2022, and this is up from 43% last year.

All but one metric (*feel a moral duty to help*) has worsened since 2020, and *the police make decisions based on facts* worsened from last year too.

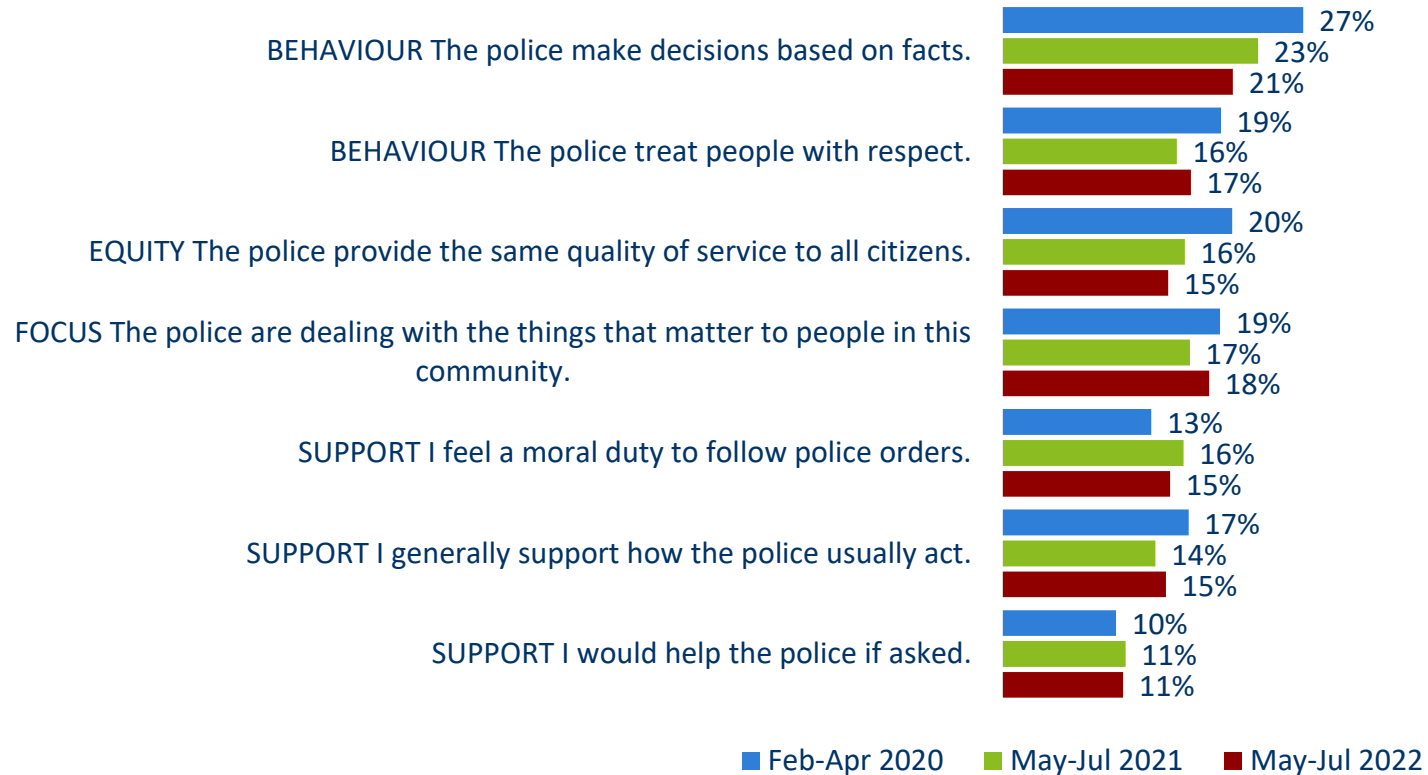


This chart shows those who *neither agree nor disagree* on each aspect of police service. This data gives some sense as to the percentage of citizens who don't have an opinion/don't know (perhaps because they don't have enough information), but people might also choose this level if they agree with some aspect of the metric but disagree with another.

The percentage of citizens in OPS' jurisdiction that *neither agree nor disagree* remained statistically the same as last year.

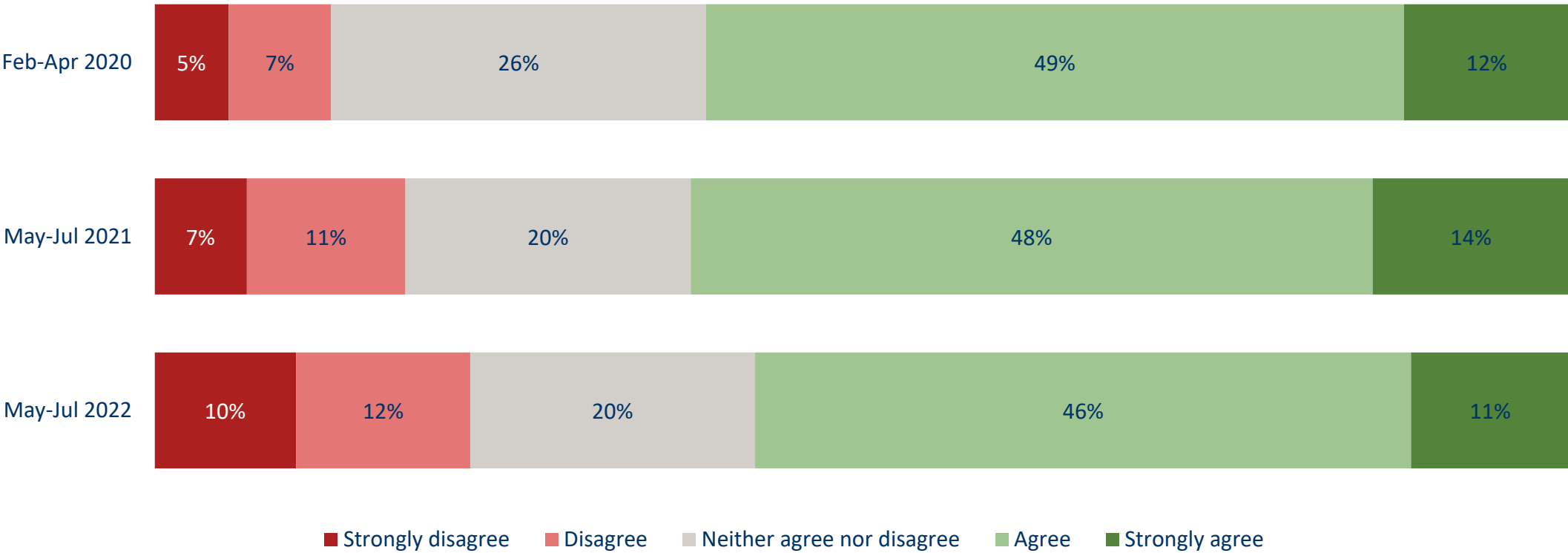
However, more citizens had an opinion this year than in 2020 on *decisions based on facts* and *provide the same quality of service to all citizens* (since the percentage of *neither* for both of those metrics declined from 2020).

Neither agree nor disagree with statements about your police service



Perceptions of **resolving violent crimes worsened**: 22% of citizens *disagree* or *strongly disagree* in 2022 vs. 13% in 2020.

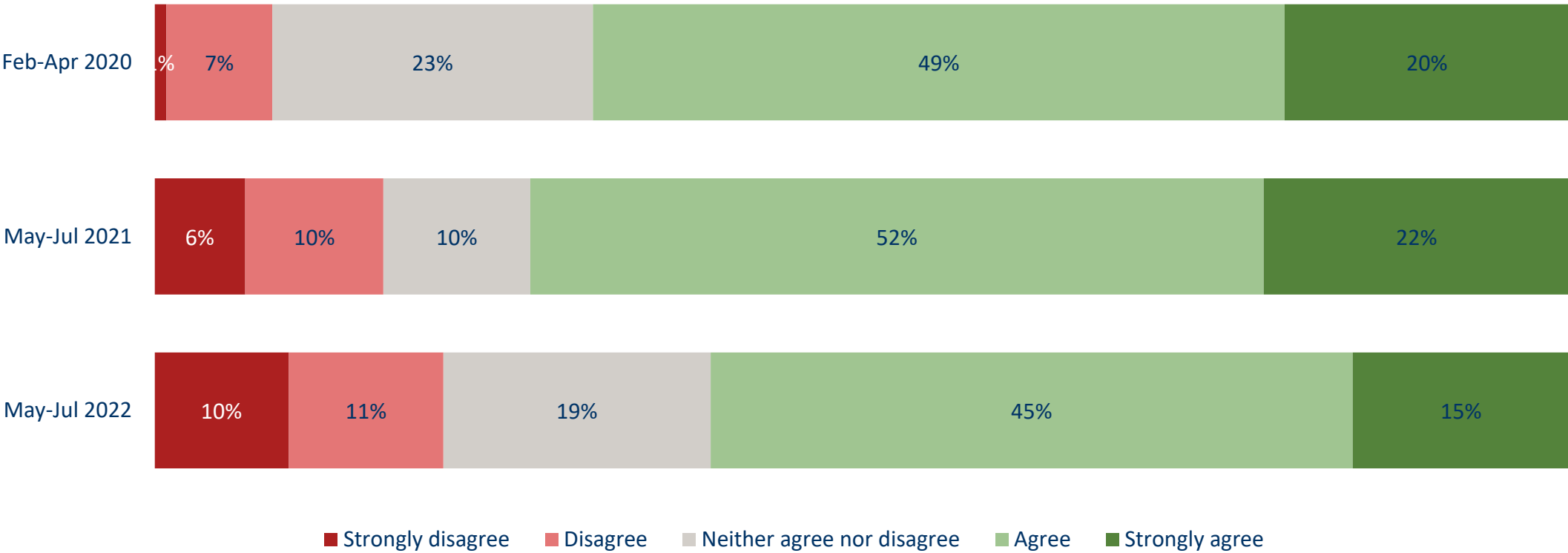
Resolving crimes where violence is involved



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Perceptions of **response time** *also worsened*: 61% of citizens *agree* or *strongly agree* that OPS responds quickly, down from 73% last year and 69% the year before.

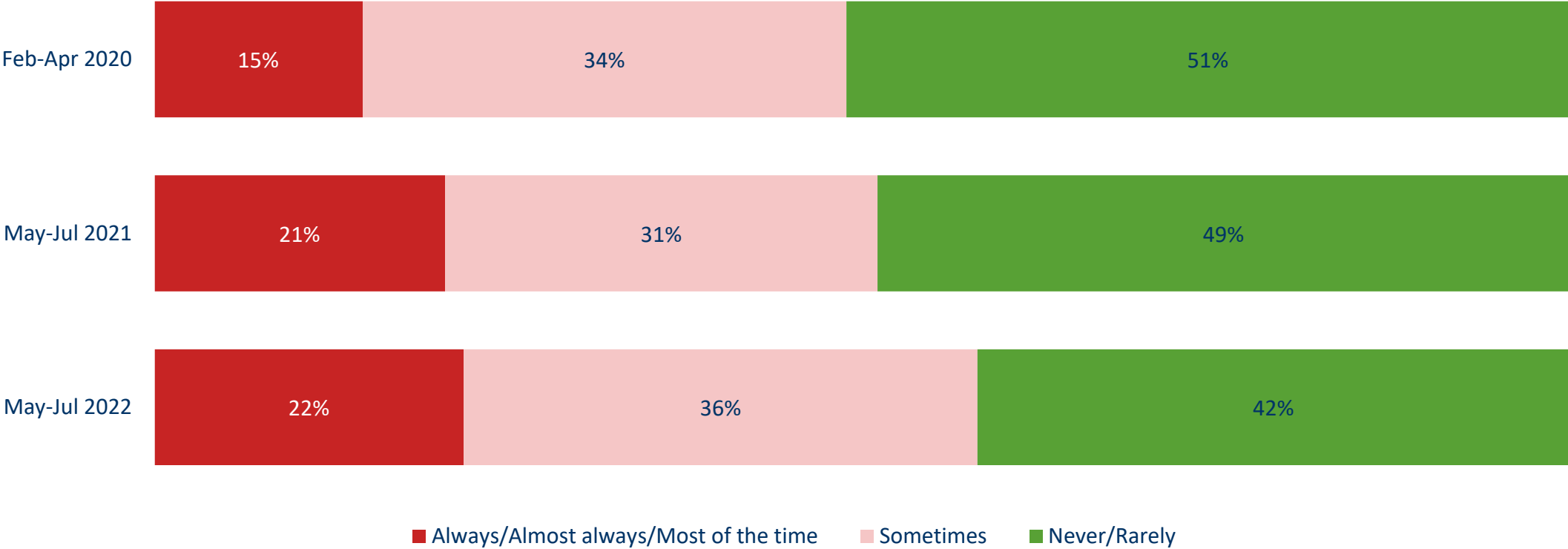
Responding quickly to calls for assistance



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Perceptions that OPS **exceeds its authority** have **not changed** since last year, though both years are worse than in 2020.

Exceed their authority

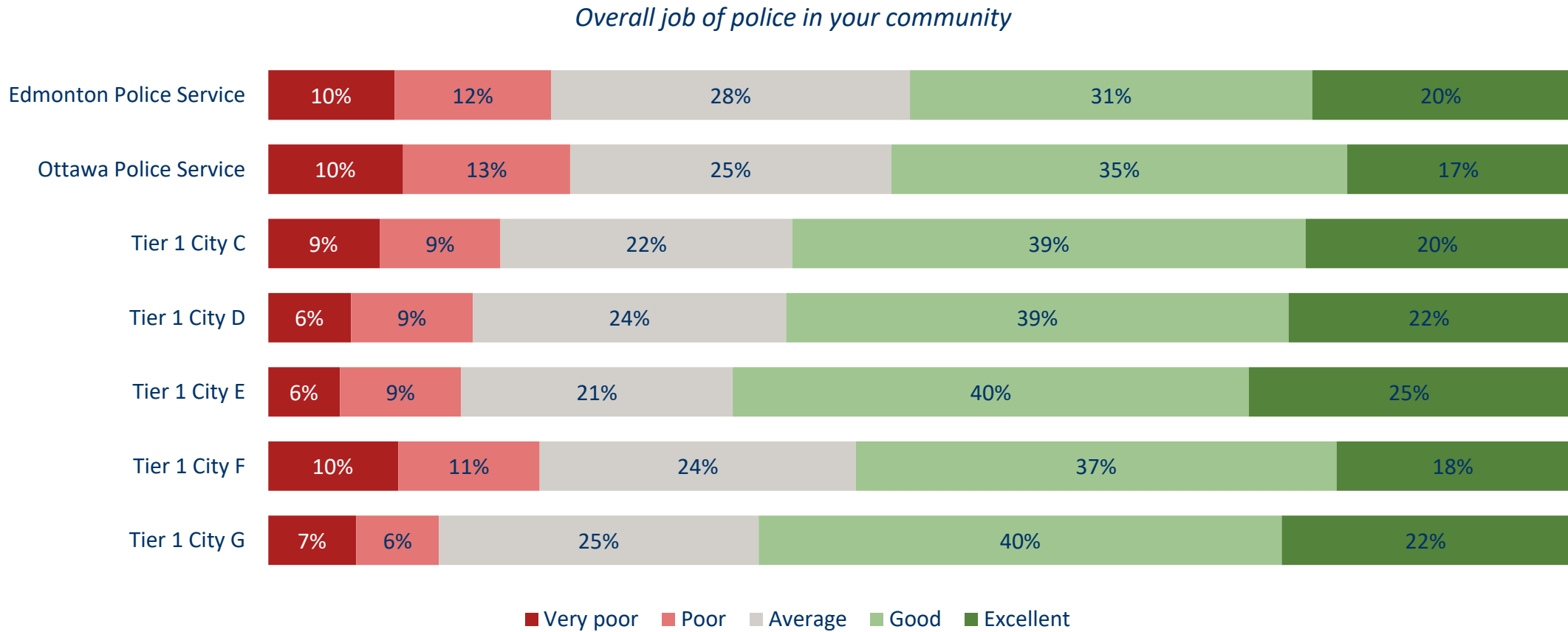


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1b. PSC Questions - OPS vs. other major PS

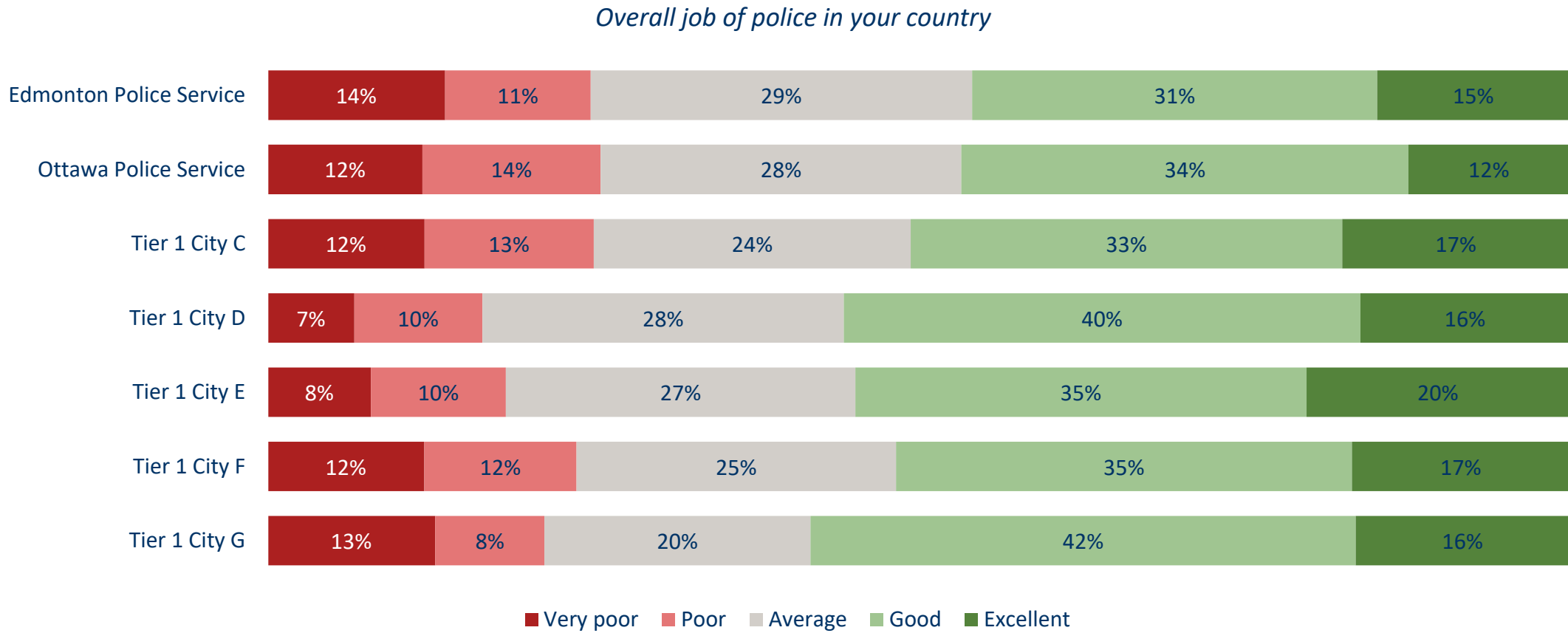
In 2022, compared to other cities in Tier 1 (cities with populations of 900,000 or more), citizens in OPS' jurisdiction rate *their own service*:

- lower than those do in four cities (C, D, E, G) rate their own service; and
- on par with how those do in two cities (Edmonton and F) rate their own service.



In 2022, compared to other cities in Tier 1 (cities with populations of 900,000 or more), citizens in OPS' jurisdiction rate police services in *the rest of the country*:

- lower than those do in four cities (D, E, F, G); and
- on par with how those do in two cities (Edmonton, C).



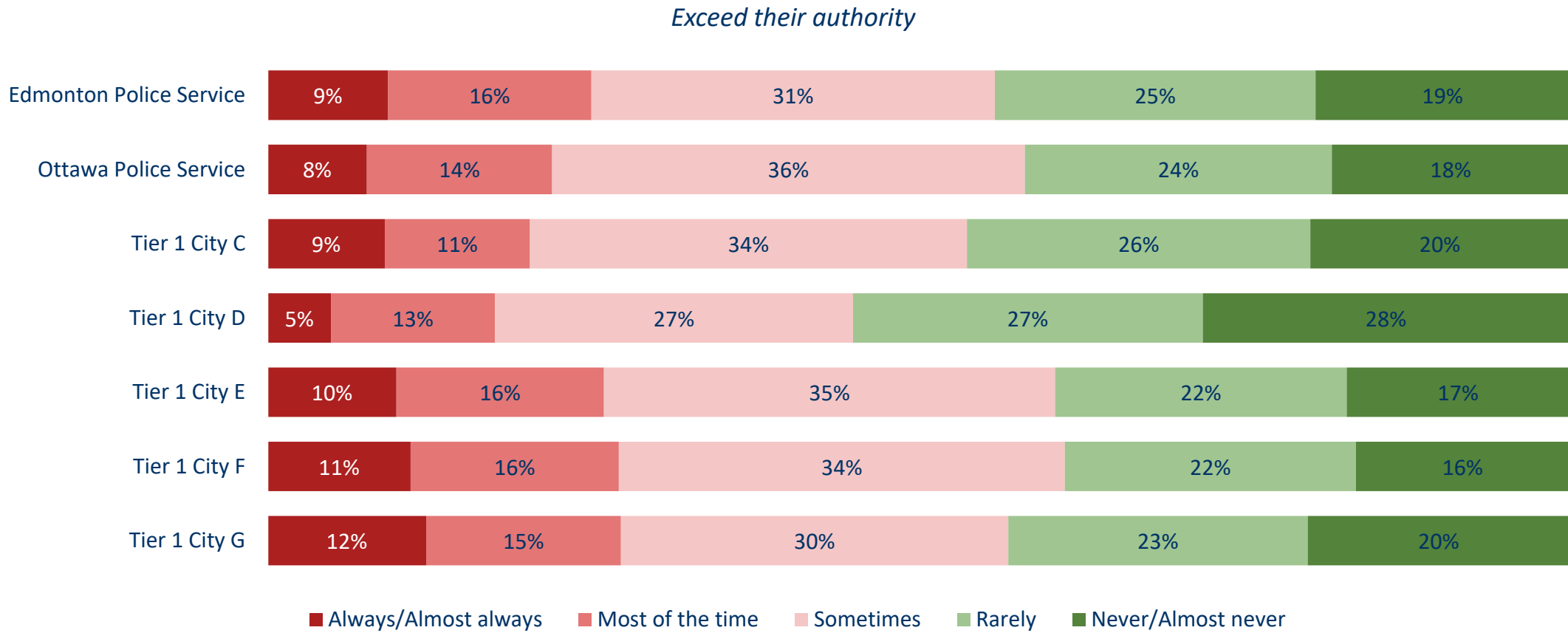
In 2022, compared to other cities in Tier 1 (cities with populations of 900,000 or more), citizens in OPS' jurisdiction *generally* give:

- lower ratings than all six other cities on *same quality of service to all citizens*
- lower ratings than five cities on *making fact-based decisions and moral duty to follow police orders*
- lower ratings than four cities on *treating people with respect*
- lower ratings than four cities on *would help the police if asked*
- lower ratings than one city on *supporting how police usually act*
- on par ratings to citizens of all other cities on *dealing with things that matter to people in this community*

NET Agree/Strongly agree with statements about your police service							
	EPS	OPS	Tier 1 City C	Tier 1 City D	Tier 1 City E	Tier 1 City F	Tier 1 City G
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
BEHAVIOUR The police make decisions based on facts.	57%	50%	57%	57%	62%	52%	65%
	B		B	B	B F		B F
BEHAVIOUR The police treat people with respect.	58%	55%	62%	62%	69%	55%	70%
			B F	B F	A B F		A B F
EQUITY The police provide the same quality of service to all citizens.	41%	35%	44%	44%	47%	40%	52%
	B		B	B	B		A B F
FOCUS The police are dealing with the things that matter to people in this community.	54%	52%	58%	57%	56%	53%	56%
SUPPORT I feel a moral duty to follow police orders.	71%	69%	77%	81%	83%	75%	81%
			A B	A B F	A B F	B	A B
SUPPORT I generally support how the police usually act.	64%	61%	66%	63%	68%	61%	70%
							B F
SUPPORT I would help the police if asked.	78%	80%	82%	85%	89%	81%	80%
				A B	A B C F G		

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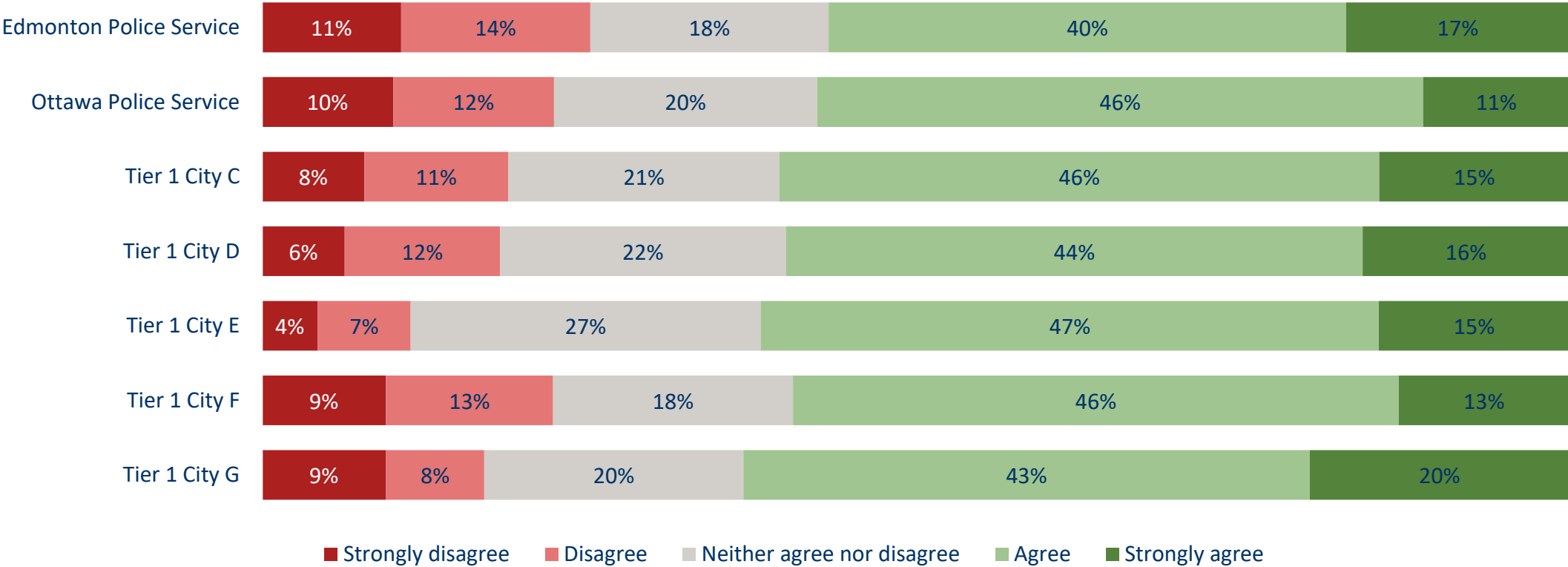
- more likely to say that the police **exceed their authority** always/almost always/most of the time than those in one city (D), but on par with the other five large cities.



In 2022, compared to other cities in Tier 1 (cities with populations of 900,000 or more), citizens in the OPS' jurisdiction are:

- just as likely to *agree* or *strongly agree* that the police **resolve violent crimes** as those in all other cities.

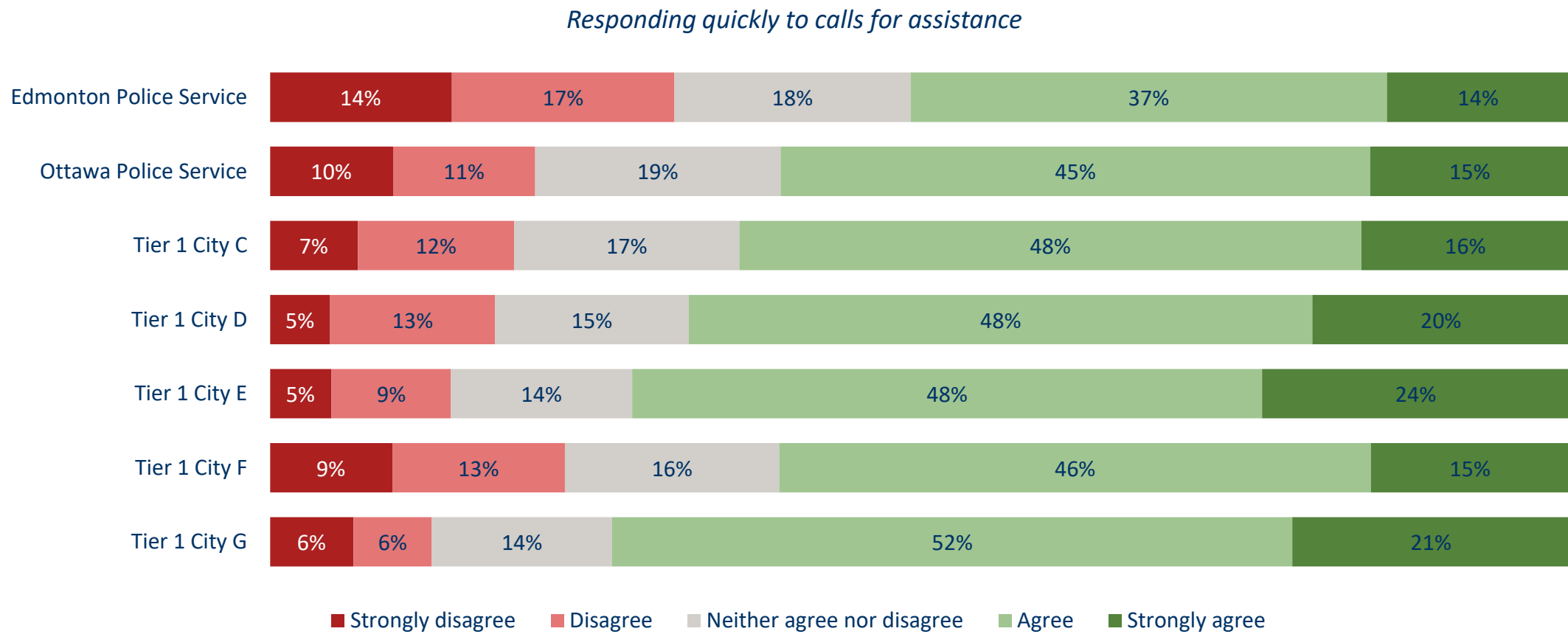
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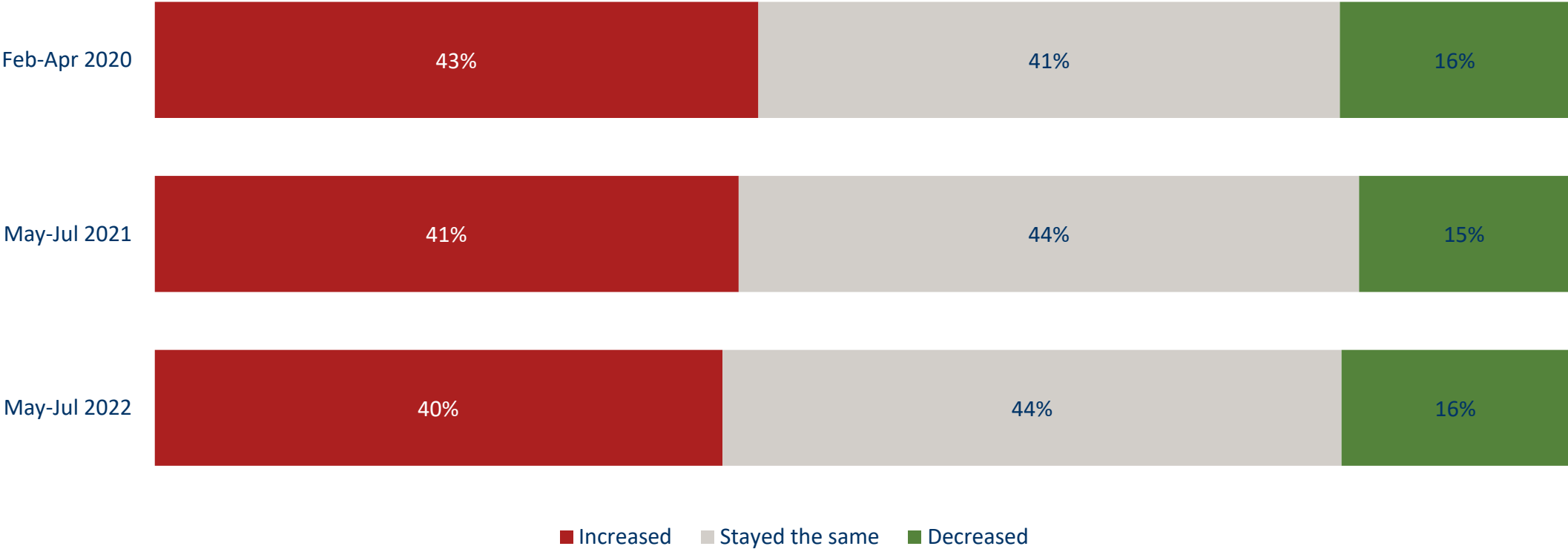
- less likely to *agree* or *strongly agree* that the police **respond quickly** than those in three cities (D, E, G); but
- more likely than those in Edmonton.



2a. Advanis Crime Questions - OPS Only

There has been no change in the perceptions of the **amount of crime** over the last three years.

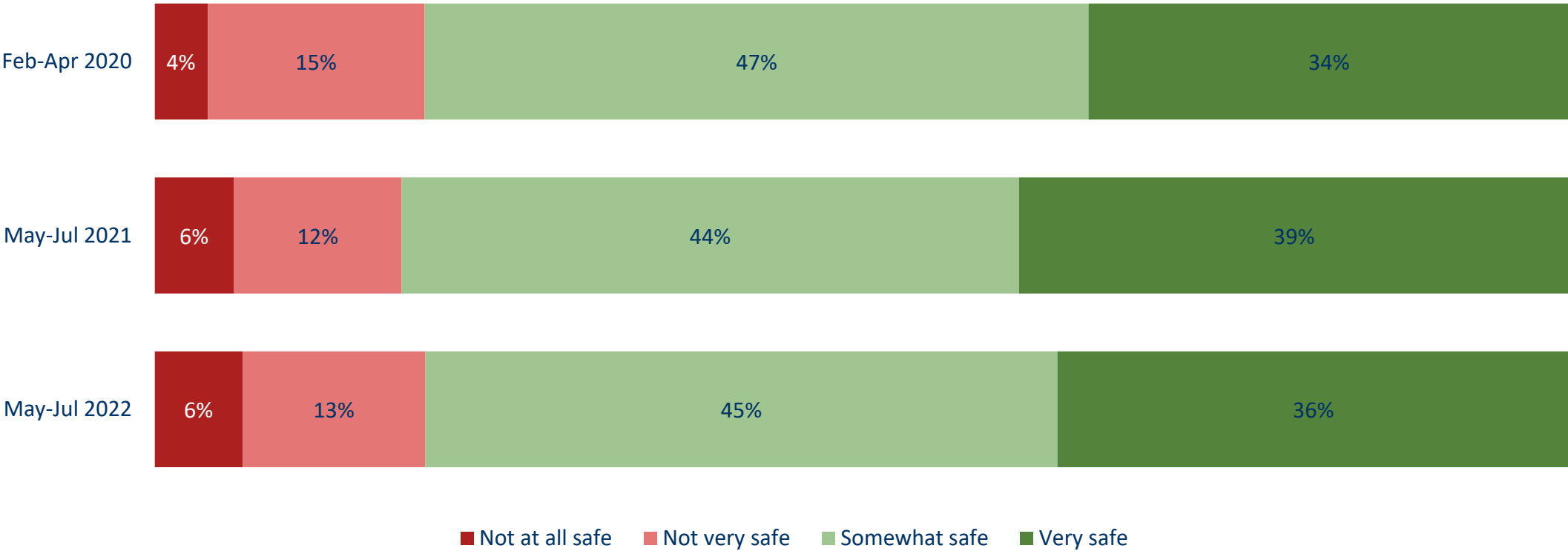
Change in amount of crime in your community in past 5 years



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There has also been no change in the percentage of those in OPS' jurisdiction who **feel unsafe walking alone in their community after dark** over the last three years.

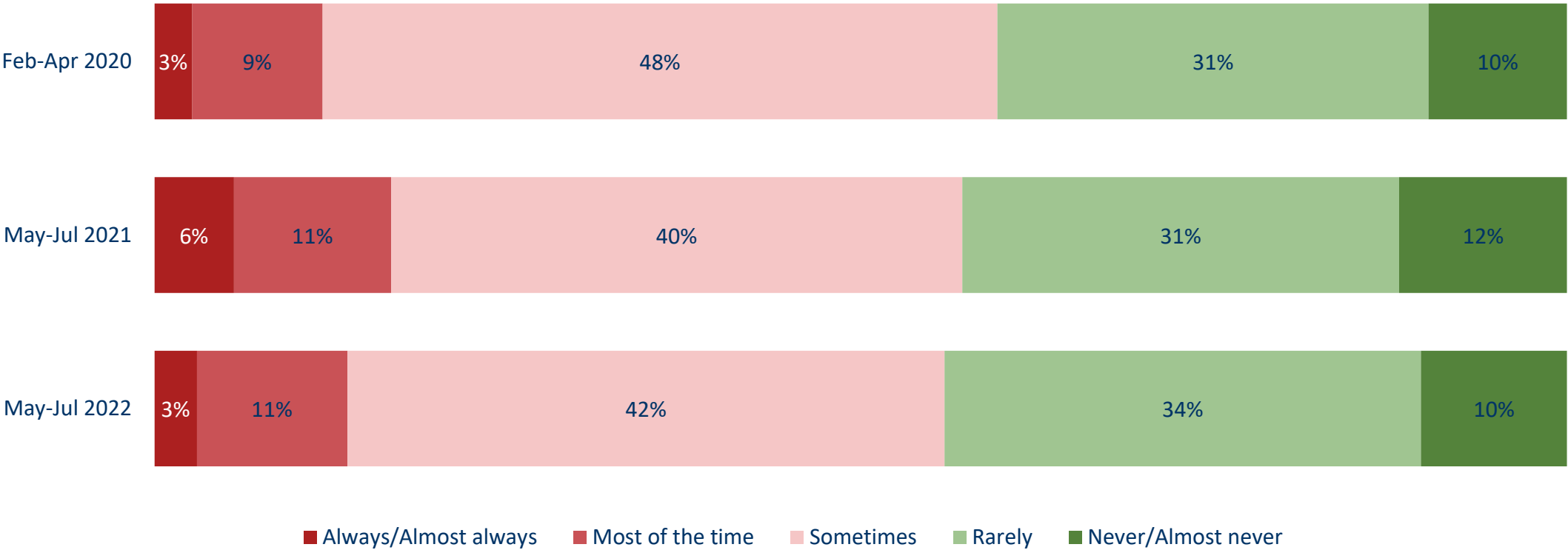
How safe when walking alone in your community after dark



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There has been no change in the percentage of citizens in OPS' jurisdiction who **worry about crime** *most of the time or always/almost always* in the last three years.

How often worry about crime



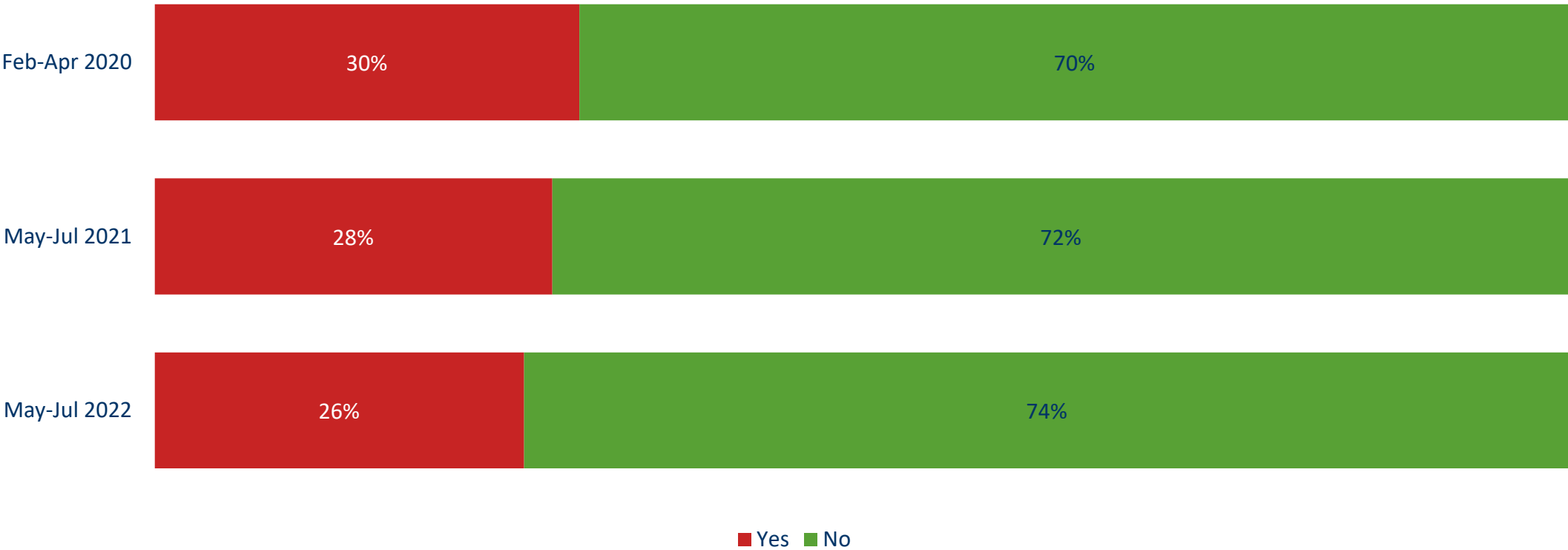
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One-quarter of citizens in OPS' jurisdiction report that **someone in their household has been a victim** of personal, property, and/or financial crime in the past 12 months.

Results are (statistically) the same in all three years.

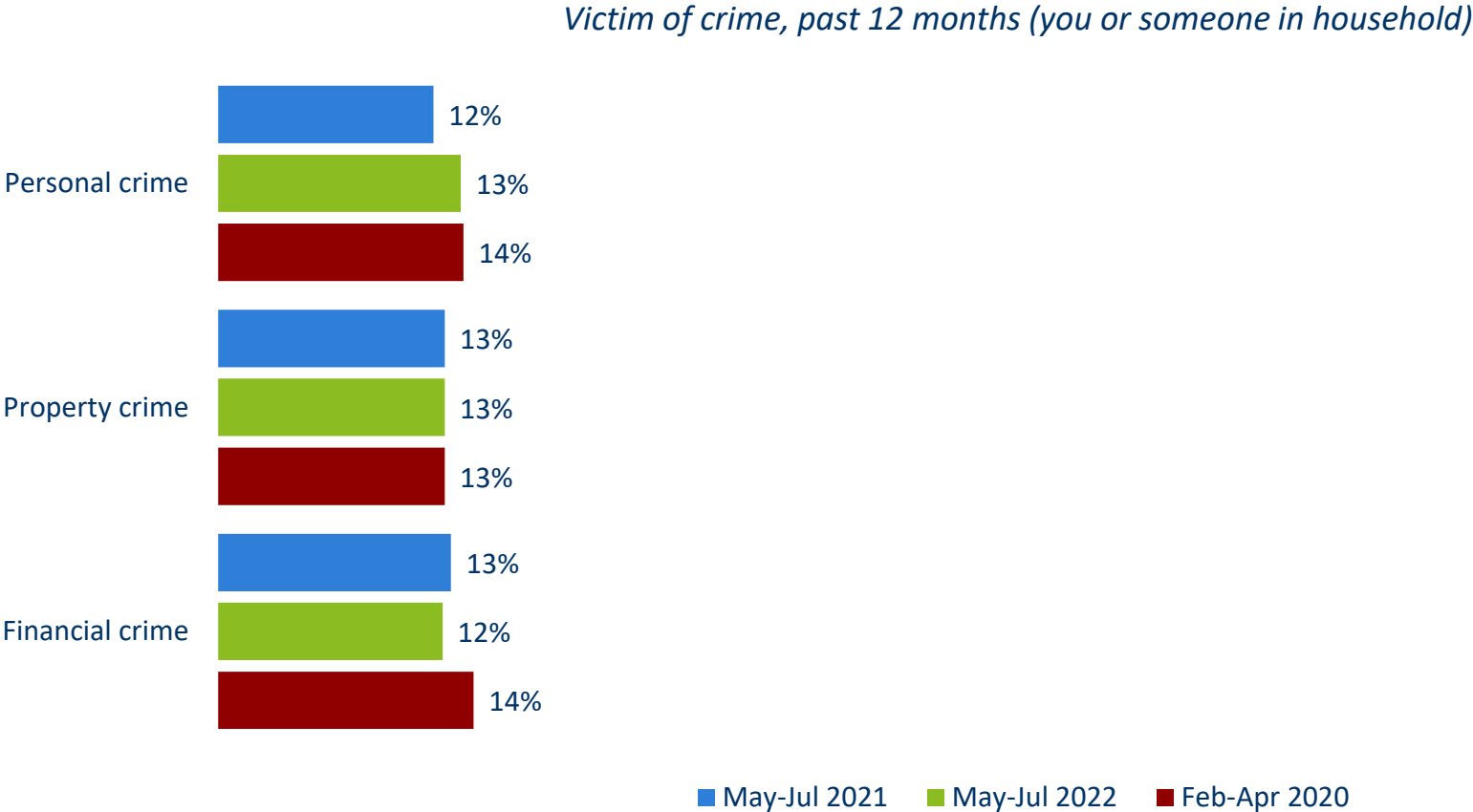
Not all of these instances of crime are reported to the police, as will be quantified in a following chart.

Victim of any of 3 crime types, past 12 months (you or someone in household)



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The reported incidence of **being a victim of crime** has remained the same across the three years among OPS' citizens.



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Under half of *financial* crimes are reported to the police vs. 60% of *property* crimes and 67% of *personal* crimes.

These results have not changed in the past year.

- The changes are not statistically different because the base sizes (victims of crime) are relatively small, so margins of error around the estimates are relatively wide.

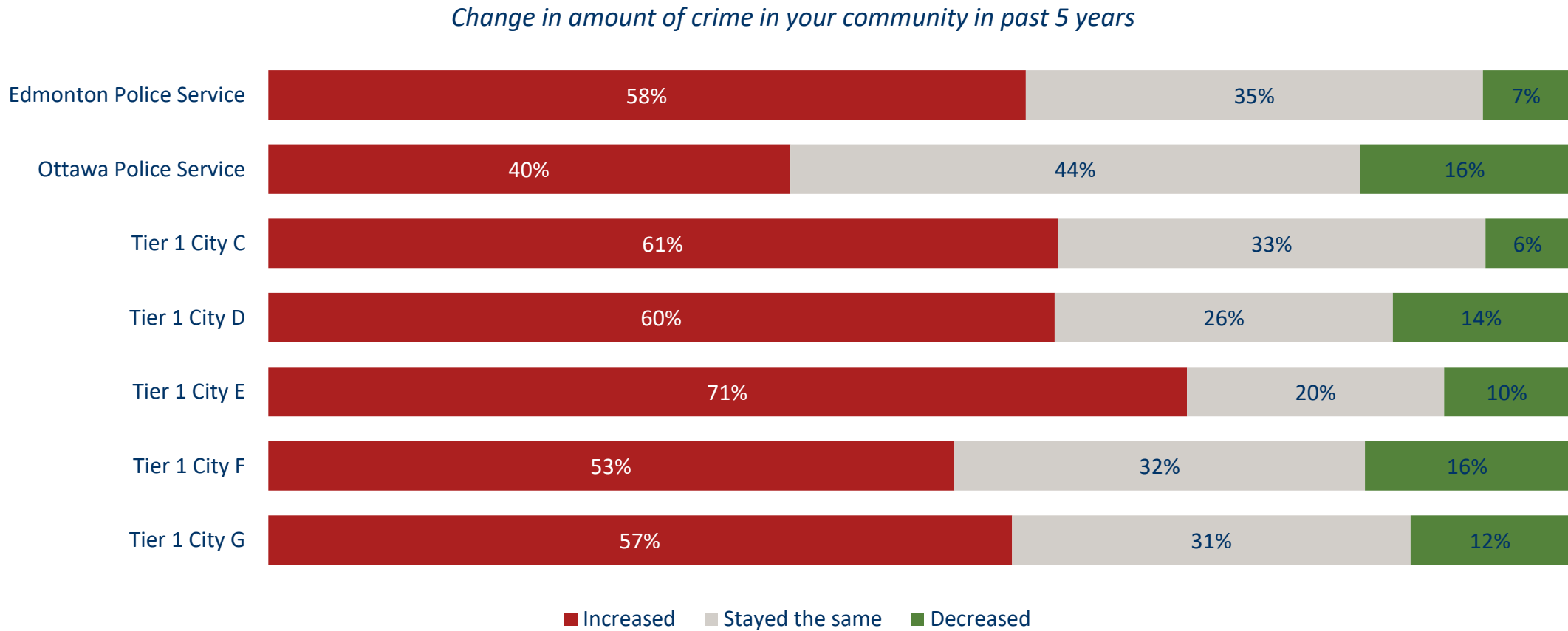
Reported instances of crime to the police			
	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
	A	B	C
Financial crime	50%*	41%	46%
	32	161	280
Personal crime	54%*	63%	67%
	34	164	322
Property crime	63%	56%	60%
	65	288	541

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Upper case letters indicate significance at the 95% level.

2b. Advanis Crime Questions - OPS vs. Large City Police Services

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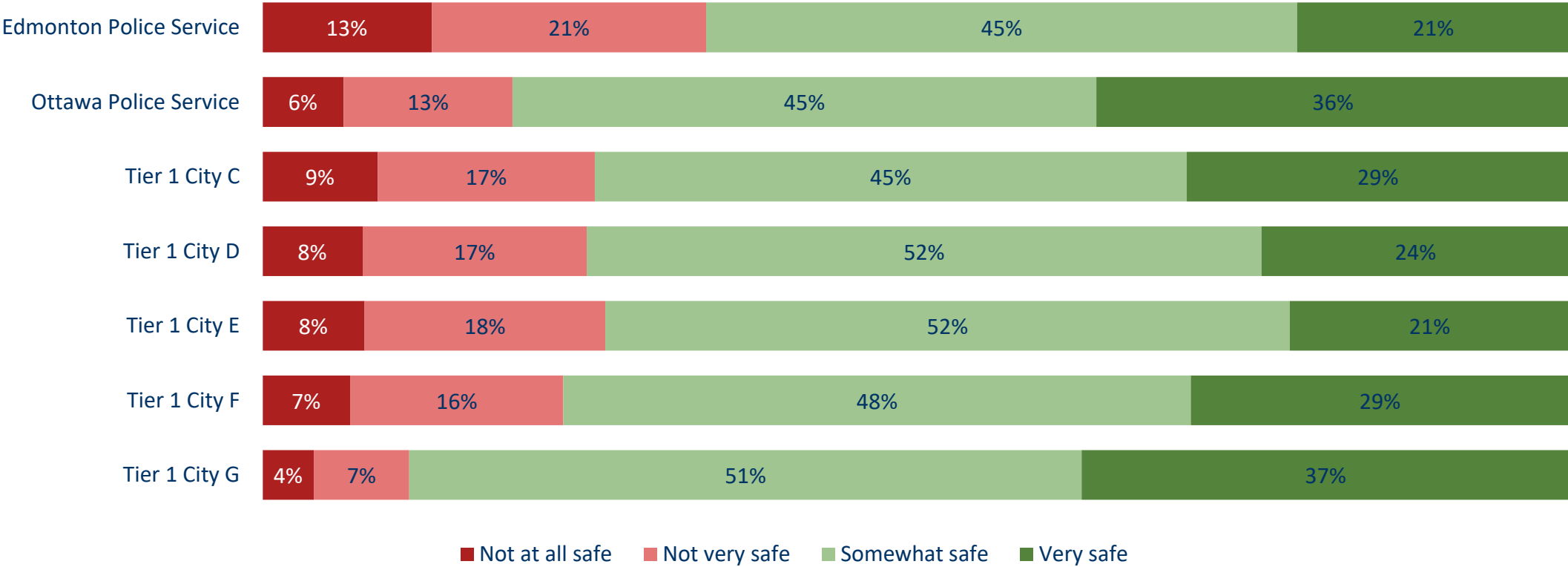
- less likely to say **crime has increased** than those in all other cities.



In 2022, compared to other cities in Tier 1 (cities with populations of 900,000 or more), citizens in the OPS' jurisdiction are:

- more likely to say they **feel somewhat or very safe after dark** than those in three cities (Edmonton, C, and D); and
- less likely to say they feel *somewhat or very safe* than citizens of City G.

How safe when walking alone in your community after dark

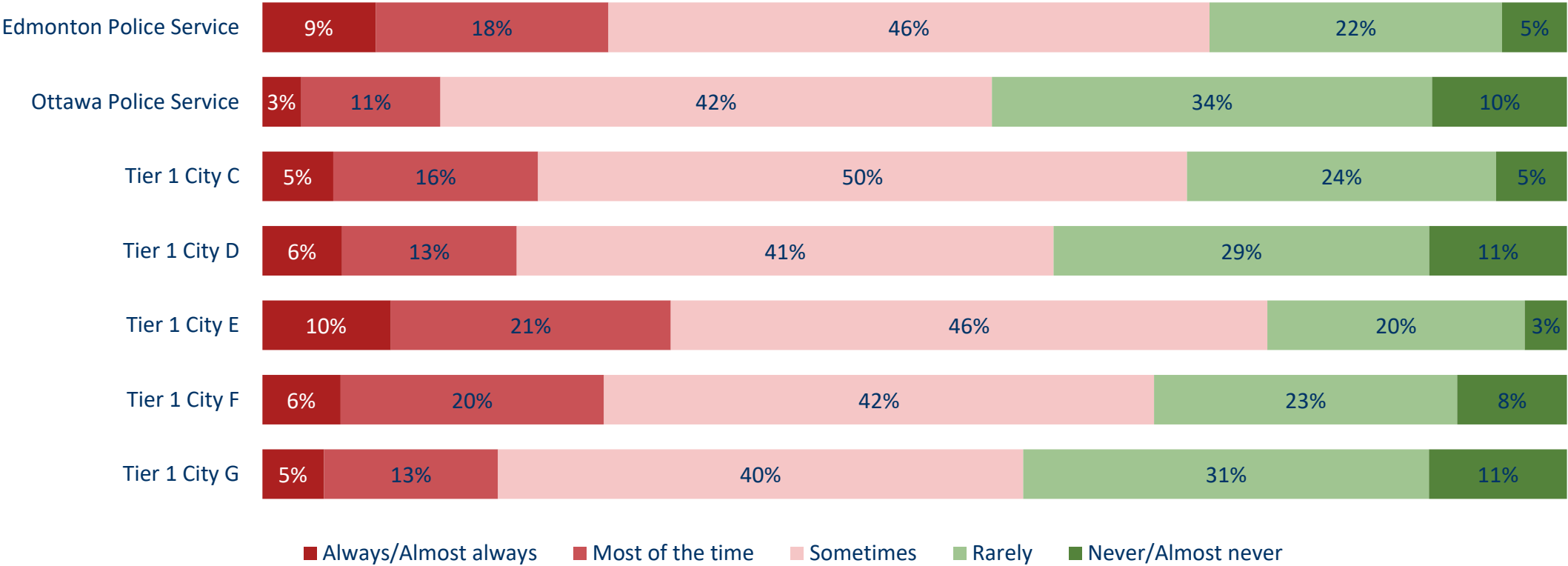


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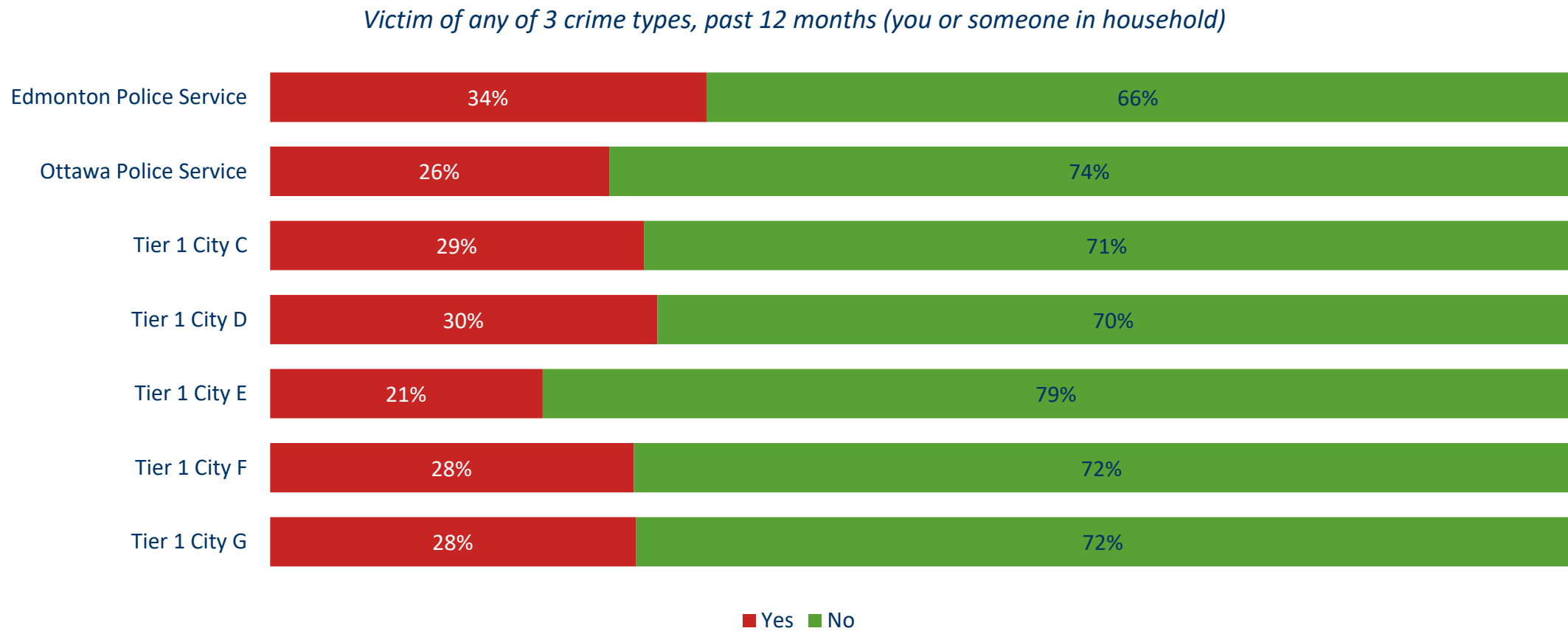
- less likely to say they **worry about crime** *always/almost always/most of the time* than those in all other cities except for G.

How often worry about crime



In 2022, compared to other cities in Tier 1 (cities with populations of 900,000 or more), the **reported rate of victimization to any of the three crime types** in the OPS' jurisdiction is:

- the same as in all other cities except for Edmonton (which has the highest rate).



In 2022, citizens in the OPS' jurisdiction report the same **victimization levels** for all types of crime as those in other cities, save for Edmonton, which has higher personal and property levels than Ottawa.

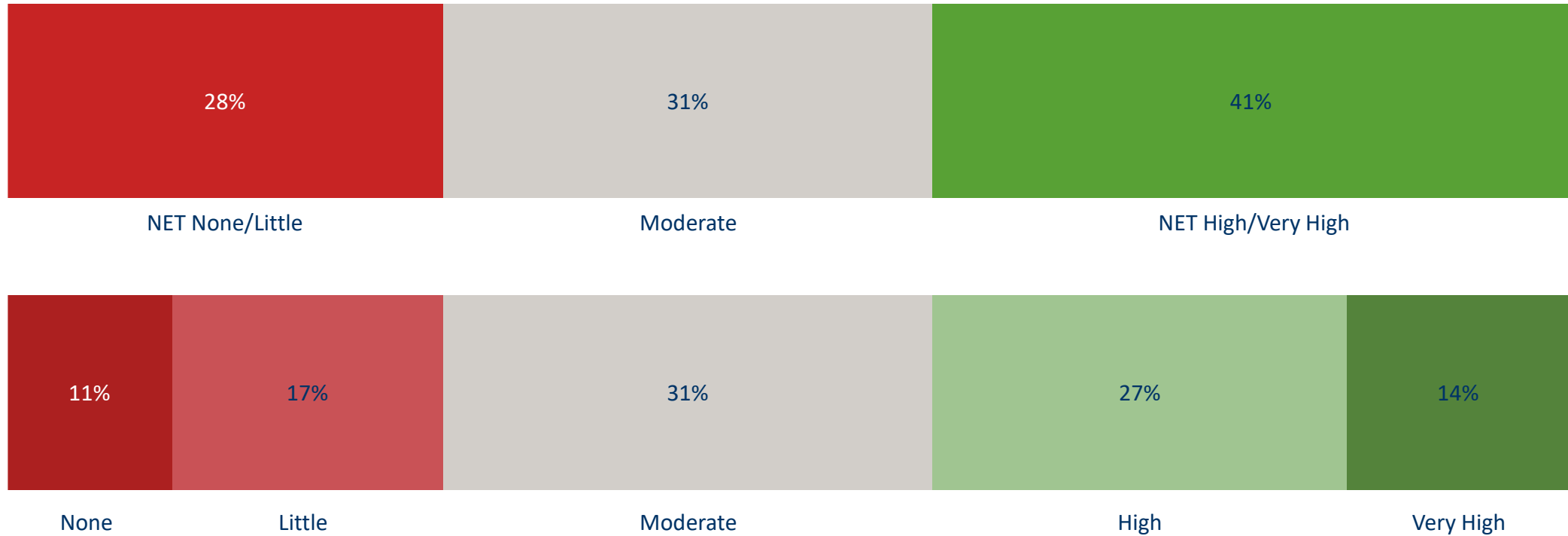
Victim of crime, past 12 months (you or someone in household)							
	EPS	OPS	Tier 1 City C	Tier 1 City D	Tier 1 City E	Tier 1 City F	Tier 1 City G
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Personal crime	19% B D E F	13%	15%	13%	11%	13%	13%
Property crime	19% B F	13%	16%	16%	12%	12%	12%
Financial crime	12%	12%	11%	13%	9%	15%	14%

In 2022, citizens in the OPS' jurisdiction are just as likely to **report crime** as those in all other cities.

Reported instances of crime to the police							
	EPS	OPS	Tier 1 City C	Tier 1 City D	Tier 1 City E	Tier 1 City F	Tier 1 City G
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
Personal crime	73%	67%	73%	59%	74%	55%	83%*
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Property crime	66%	60%	66%	54%	58%	55%	57%
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Financial crime	52%	46%	57%	44%	44%	47%	47%

3a. OPS-specific questions added in 2022

What level of trust do you have in the Ottawa Police Service?

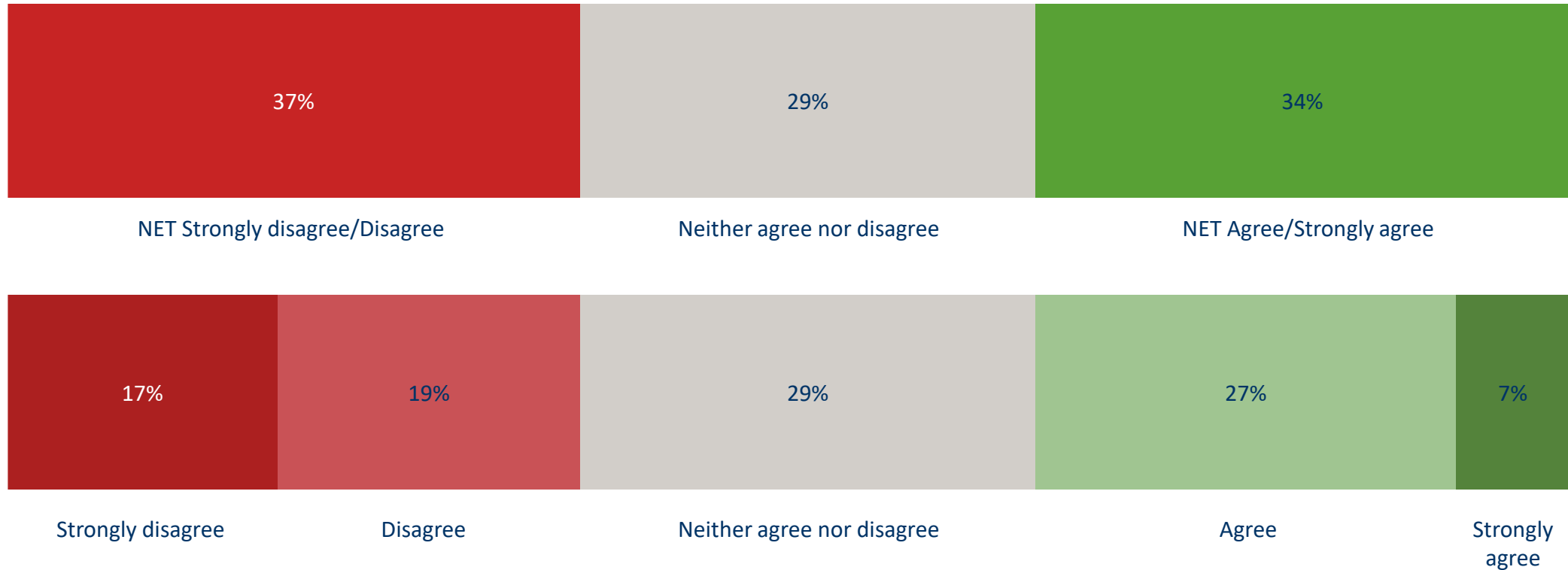


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Base Size: 1771

OPS is sensitive to the needs of different cultures

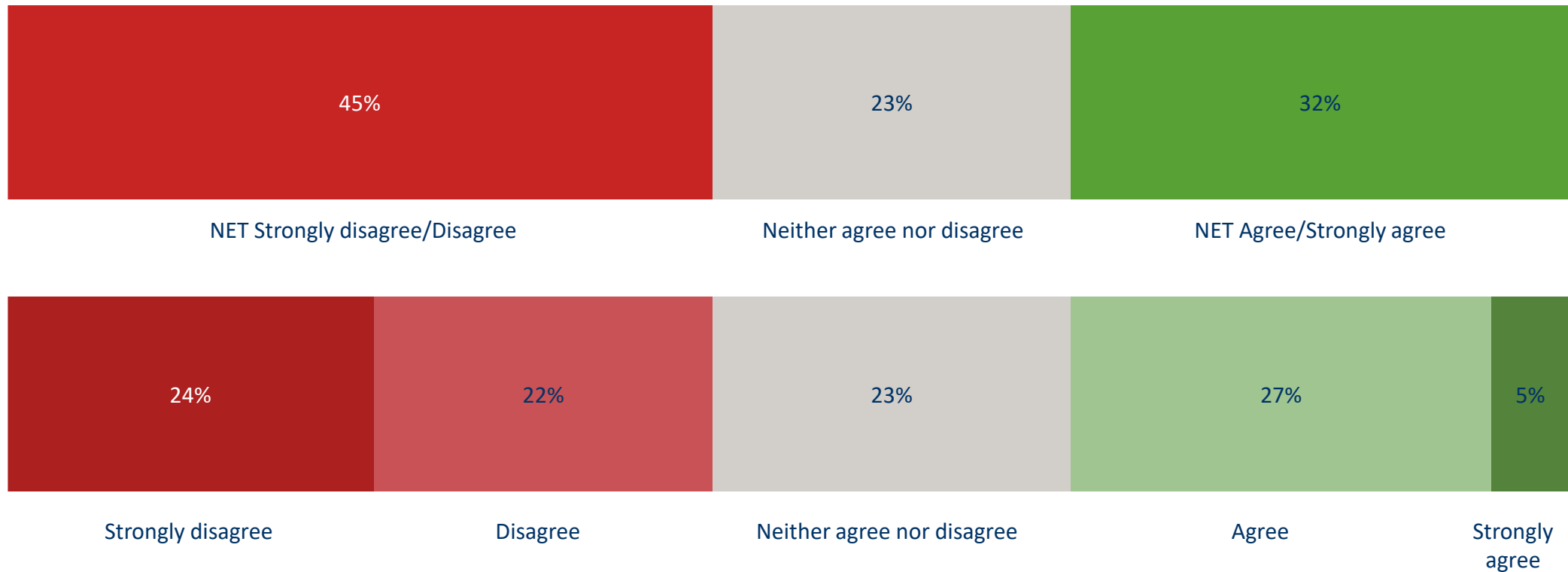


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Base Size: 1561

OPS is sensitive to the needs of individuals suffering from mental health issues



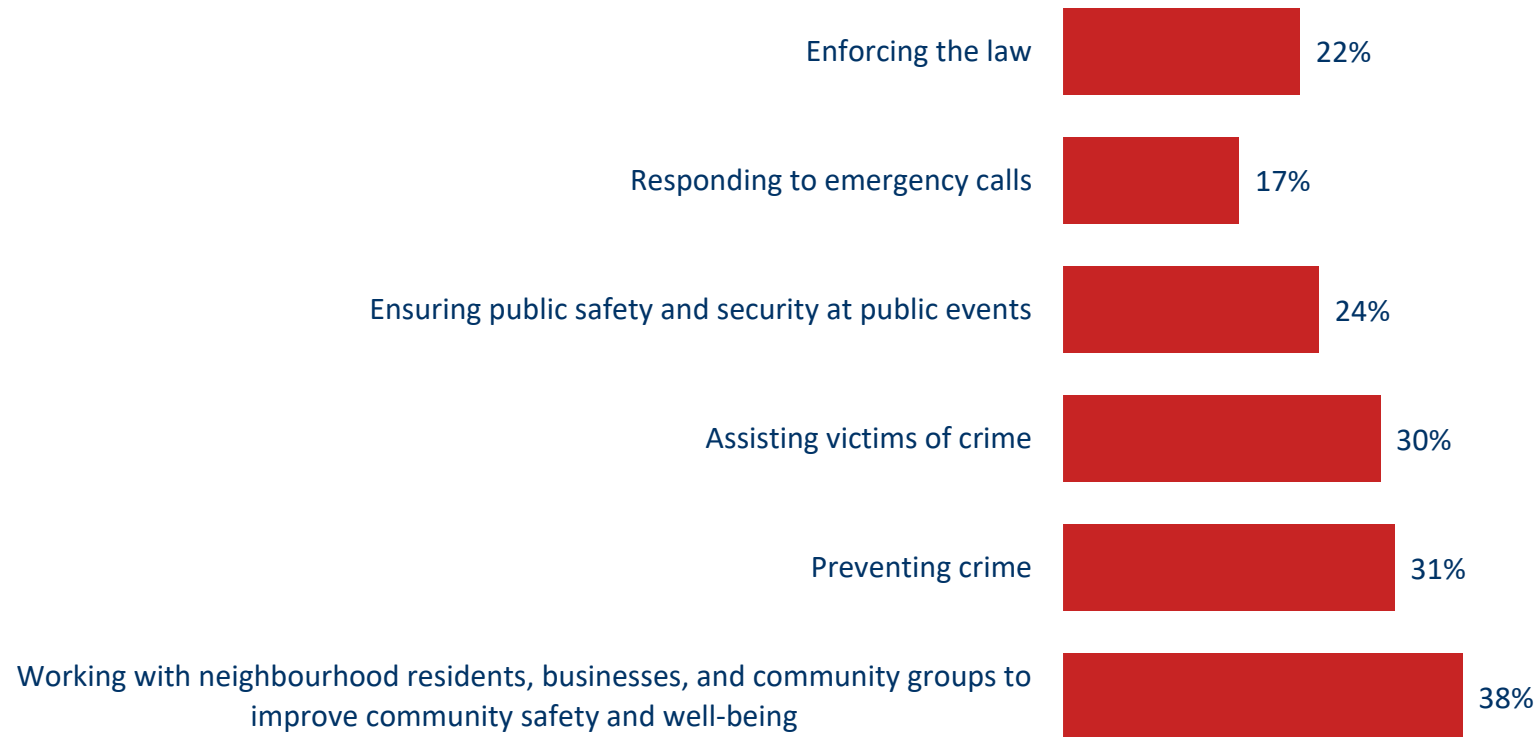
NET Good/Very good performance of the OPS



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NET Poor/Very poor performance of the OPS

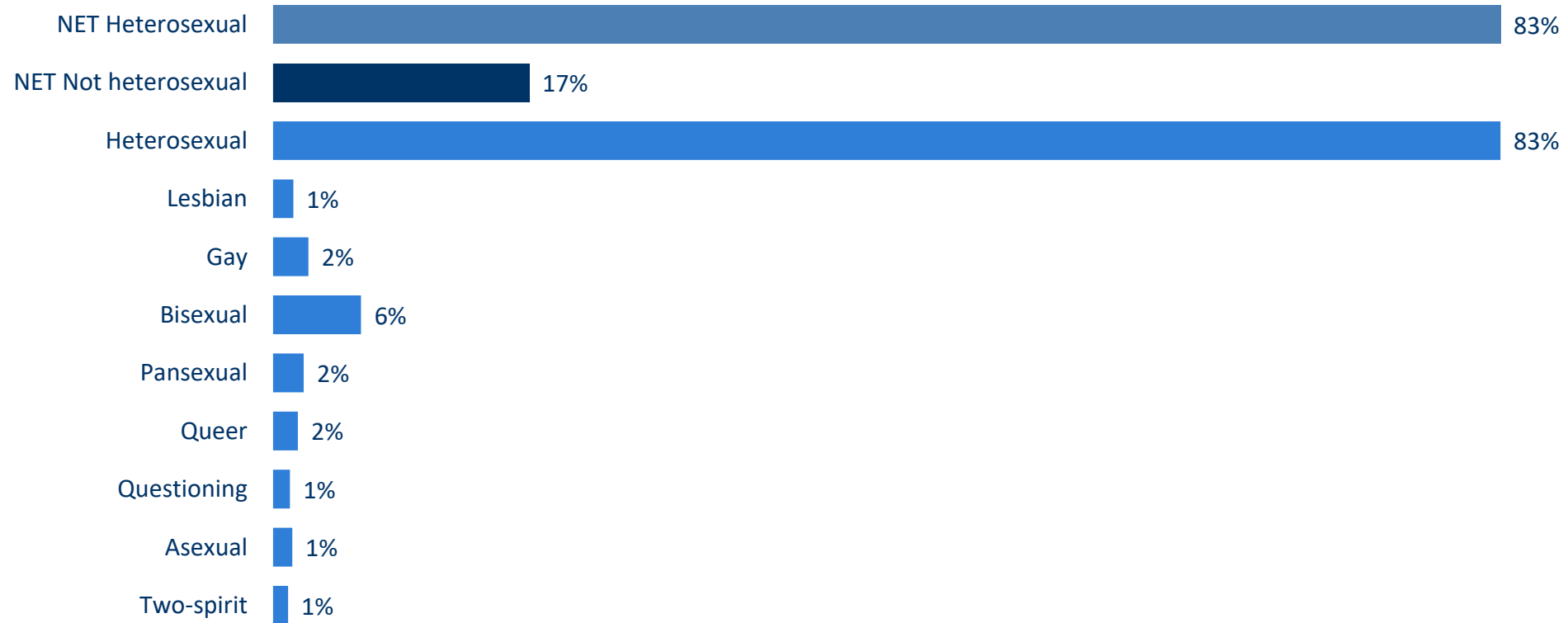


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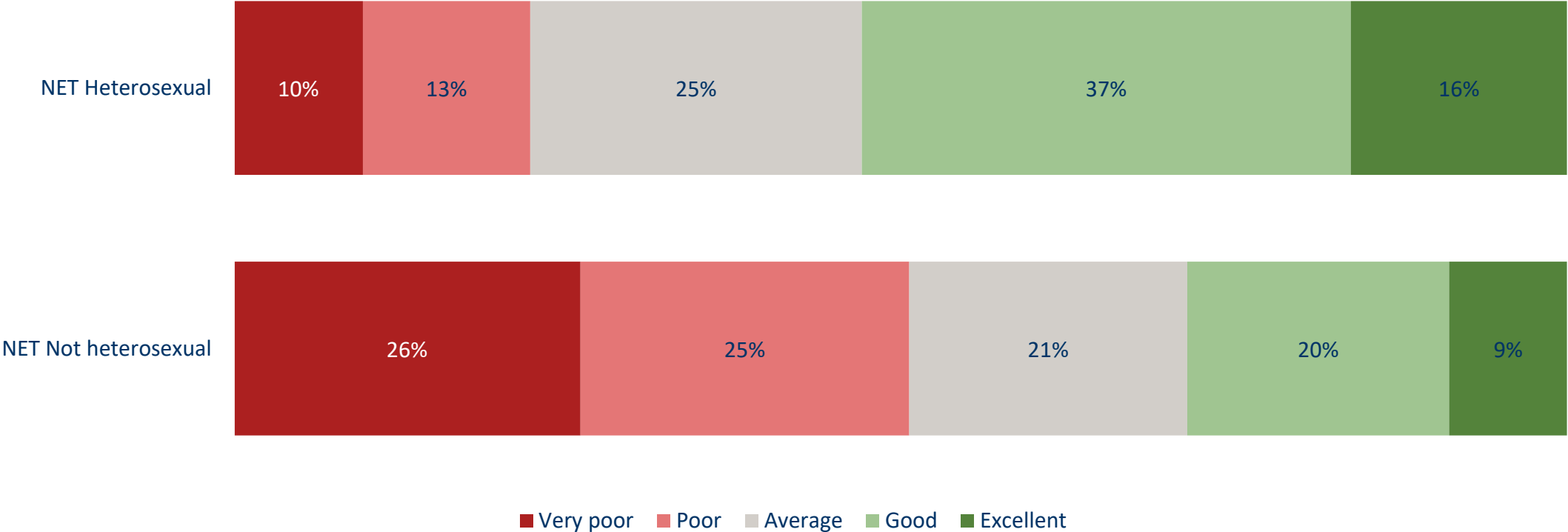
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3b. OPS-specific demographic questions added in 2022, cross-tabulated against key metrics

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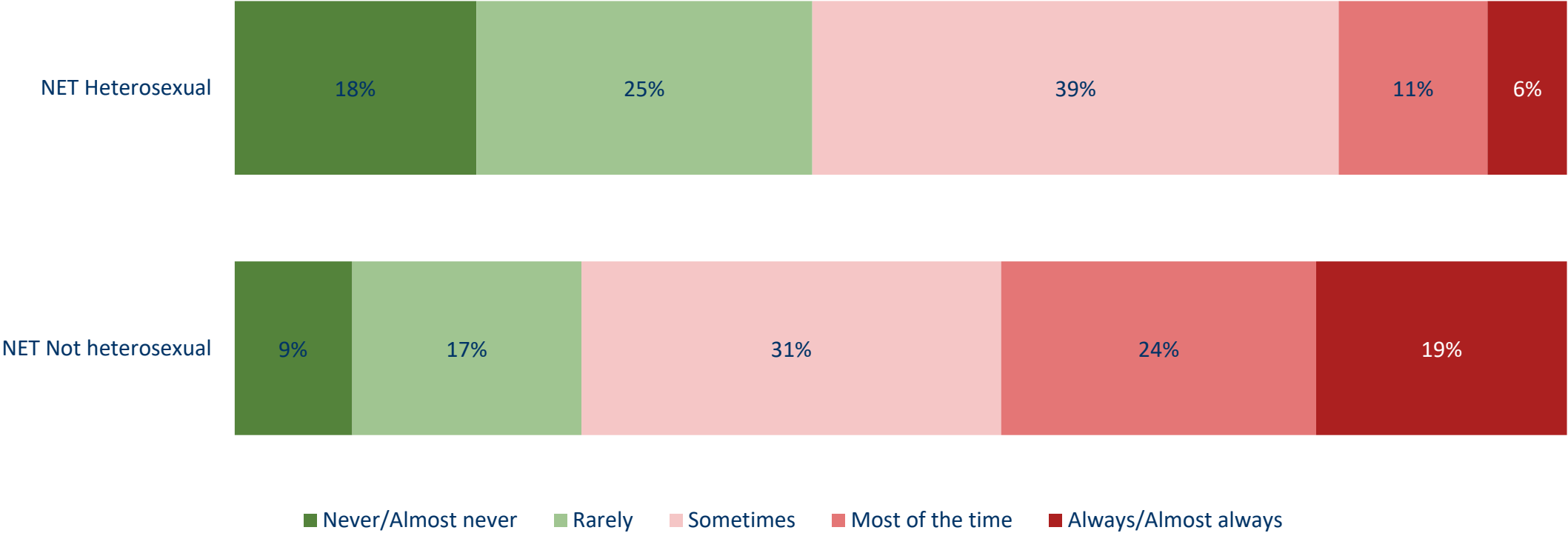


Overall job of police in your community



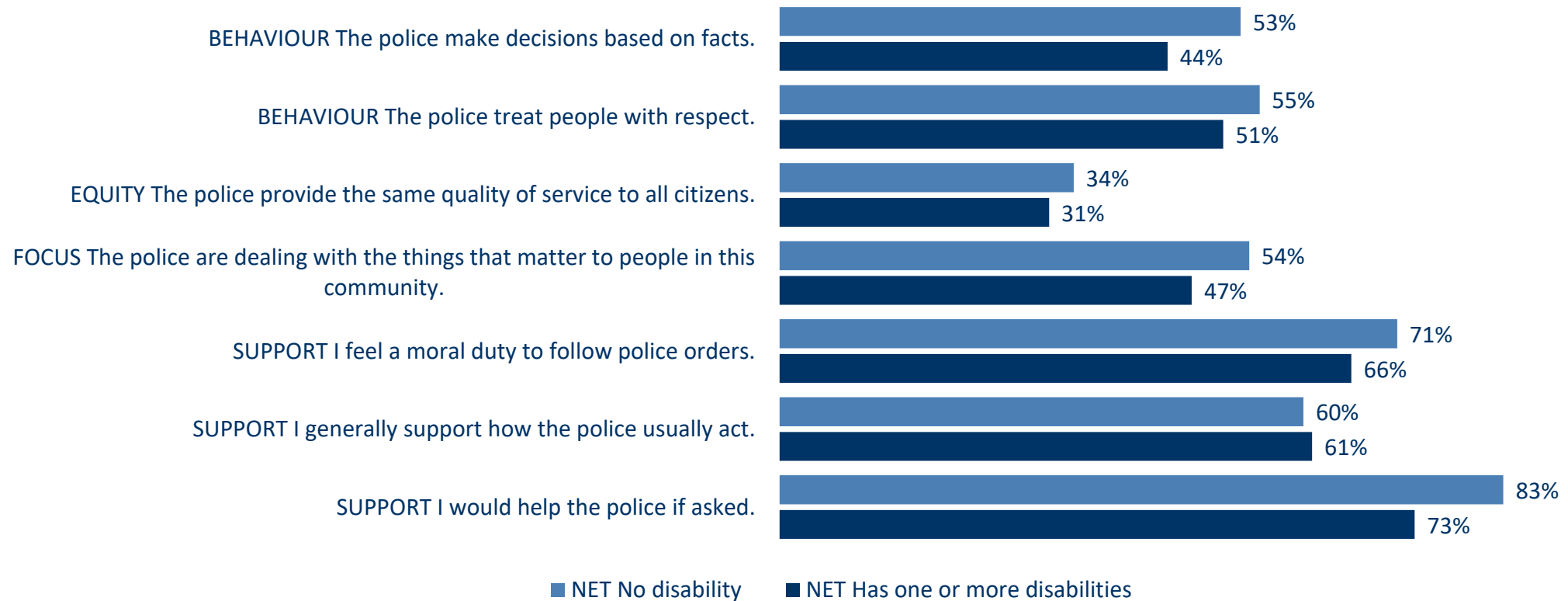
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Exceed their authority

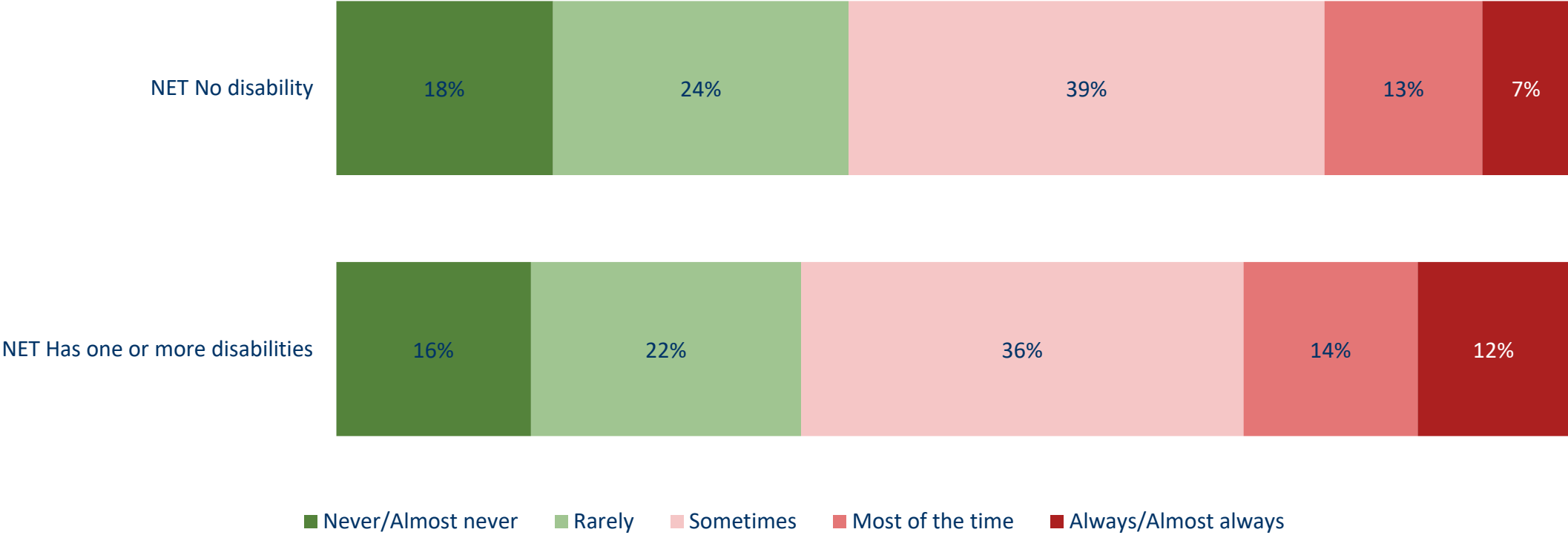


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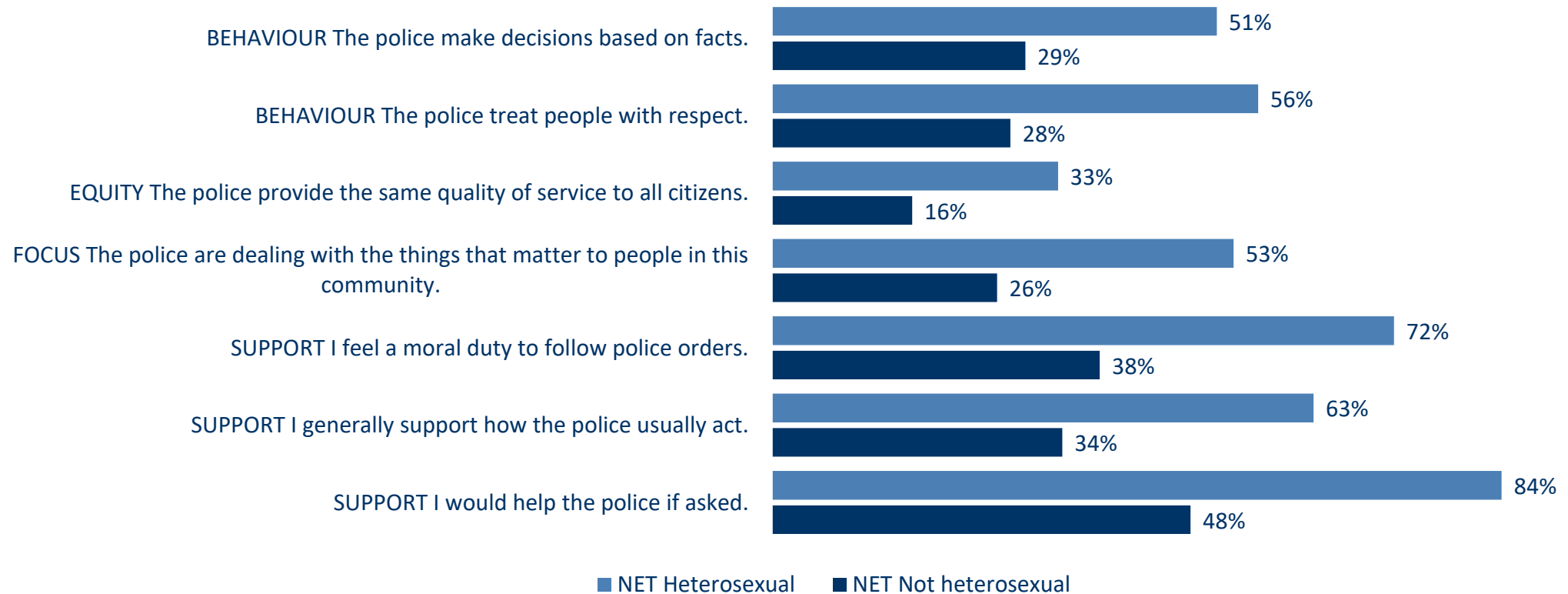


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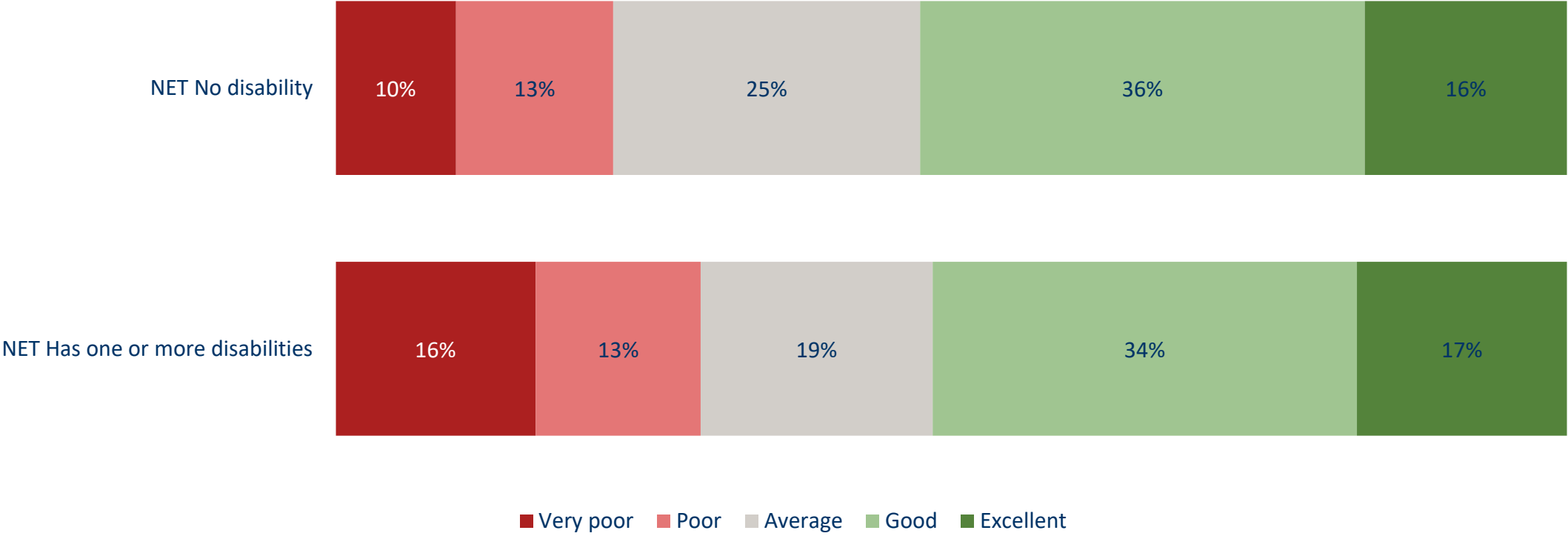
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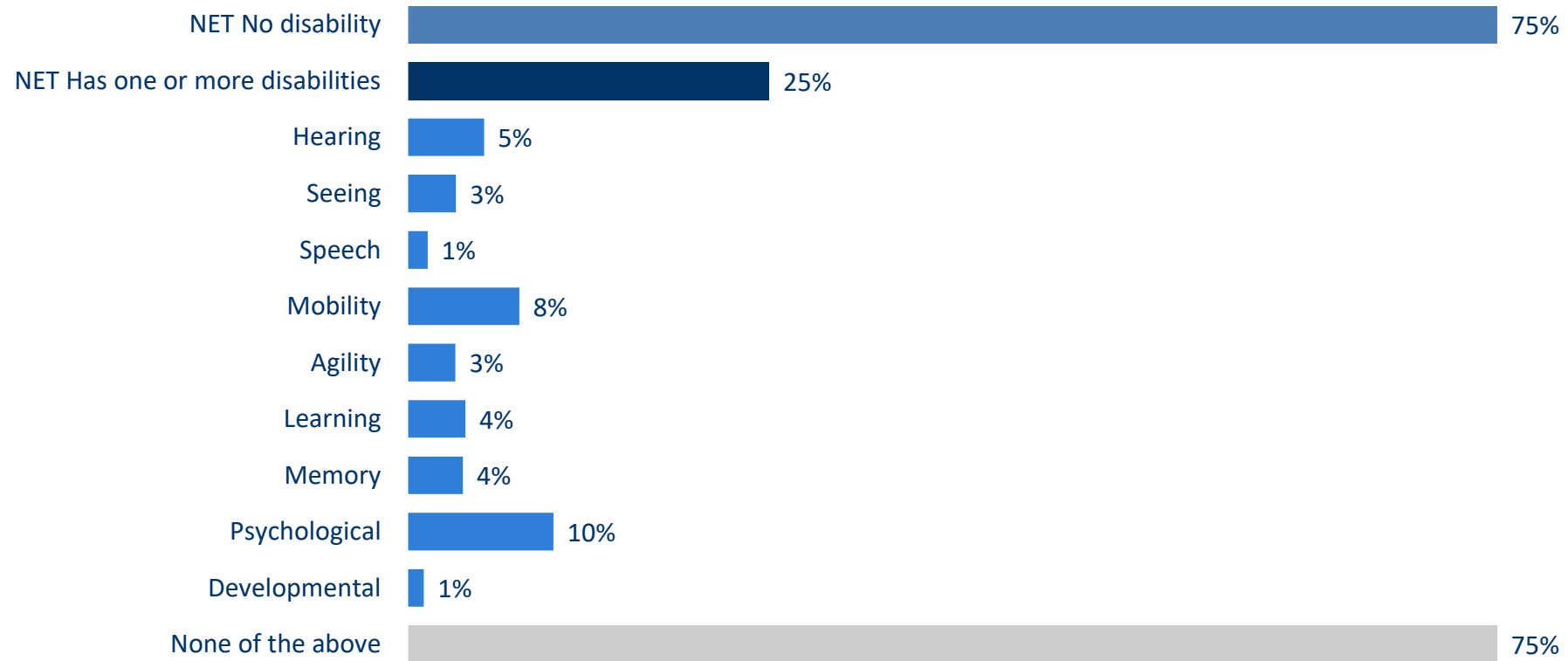
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Overall job of police in your community



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Do you consider yourself to be a person with any of the following disabilities?



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Base Size: 1581

Demographics – OPS and Large City Police Services

all percentages below are weighted


all counts and base sizes below are unweighted

data is weighted to population proportions for age, which is why weighted percentages in each time period virtually match

Age group																					
	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
18 to 34	36%	36%	36%	30%	30%	30%	33%	33%	33%	31%	32%	32%	30%	31%	30%	32%	33%	33%	27%	27%	27%
	315	385	352	131	268	460	348	217	207	252	339	347	78	94	136	347	301	298	60	72	61
35 to 54	35%	34%	35%	35%	35%	35%	38%	38%	38%	34%	34%	33%	37%	37%	38%	34%	34%	34%	38%	38%	38%
	541	685	715	245	593	974	509	457	482	571	516	553	182	192	301	633	485	479	137	144	153
55 and older	30%	30%	29%	35%	35%	35%	29%	29%	29%	35%	35%	35%	33%	32%	32%	34%	33%	33%	35%	35%	35%
	422	457	513	248	477	798	550	370	315	243	266	269	129	134	126	492	272	334	95	84	182
Base	1278	1527	1580	624	1338	2232	1407	1044	1004	1066	1121	1169	389	420	563	1472	1058	1111	292	300	396

data is weighted to population proportions for gender, which is why weighted percentages in each time period virtually match

Gender identified as																					
	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
Male	49%	49%	48%	47%	47%	47%	49%	49%	48%	48%	47%	47%	48%	48%	48%	47%	46%	46%	47%	47%	47%
	665	752	794	296	647	1127	799	518	507	578	536	580	191	230	310	659	523	549	141	161	219
Female	49%	49%	49%	51%	51%	51%	50%	50%	49%	52%	51%	51%	51%	51%	51%	52%	51%	51%	51%	51%	52%
	586	743	742	318	661	1049	580	507	476	482	562	566	194	188	245	785	503	531	145	134	173
Transgender	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%
	3	5	10		5	7	5	2	2	3	3	3	2		1	11	5	2	1	1	1
Gender-diverse	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	2%	0%	0%	0%	1%	3%	2%	2%	0%	0%
	14	18	23	6	13	30	11	10	10	2	10	17	2		1	11	22	20	4		2
I define myself another way	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	10	9	11	4	12	19	12	7	9	1	10	3		2	6	6	5	9	1	4	1
Base	1278	1527	1580	624	1338	2232	1407	1044	1004	1066	1121	1169	389	420	563	1472	1058	1111	292	300	396

data is weighted to population proportions for income (<60k, >60k), which is why weighted percentages in each time period match for those two nets																					
Income - annual household																					
	EPS			OPS			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
NET < \$60k	64%	64%	64%	65%	65%	65%	64%	64%	64%	78%	78%	78%	77%	77%	77%	74%	74%	74%	77%	77%	77%
NET \$60+	36%	36%	36%	35%	35%	35%	36%	36%	36%	22%	22%	22%	23%	23%	23%	26%	26%	26%	23%	23%	23%
<\$20k	10%	11%	8%	14%	10%	15%	10%	9%	11%	16%	17%	14%	11%	9%	12%	17%	18%	16%	14%	18%	17%
\$20k-<\$40k	23%	24%	27%	25%	26%	24%	23%	24%	25%	26%	29%	29%	35%	31%	34%	29%	25%	24%	22%	32%	31%
\$40k-< \$60k	32%	29%	29%	26%	29%	26%	31%	31%	28%	36%	32%	34%	31%	36%	31%	28%	31%	34%	41%	27%	30%
\$60k - <\$80k	10%	10%	10%	10%	12%	11%	10%	10%	11%	9%	9%	9%	8%	8%	6%	8%	9%	8%	9%	10%	8%
\$80k - < \$100k	12%	12%	12%	13%	10%	12%	10%	10%	9%	7%	7%	7%	8%	8%	10%	8%	8%	8%	8%	7%	9%
\$100k - < \$120k	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	3%	4%	4%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
\$120k - < \$140k	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%
\$140k - < \$160k	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	3%	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%
\$160+	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%	6%	7%	8%	8%	2%	2%	3%	2%	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%	3%	3%	3%
Base	1104	1304	1360	546	1134	1910	1191	886	850	959	971	1050	330	344	472	1274	928	927	245	251	321
<div>Weight: Weight within police jurisdiction based on age, gender, household income, and household property victimization</div> <div>Filters: Cases to be included in analysis: Include in analysis, Police Services Subscribing and Other Tier 1 Cities: Edmonton Police Service, Ottawa Police Service, Tier 1 City C, Tier 1 City D, Tier 1 City E, Tier 1 City F, Tier 1 City G</div> <div>*Caution, small base (<=50).</div>																					
																					

Education - highest level completed																					
	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
HS or less	16%	23%	19%	9%	16%	12%	13%	15%	17%	14%	16%	16%	15%	16%	20%	12%	16%	15%	15%	22%	21%
	153	244	221	40	114	167	134	112	110	106	113	114	29	45	46	108	95	105	26	43	36
Some PS or college diploma	44%	41%	44%	41%	34%	37%	40%	41%	40%	34%	34%	32%	37%	38%	42%	36%	30%	32%	45%	39%	47%
	547	587	627	203	384	651	554	391	372	293	327	329	133	133	185	418	268	299	95	102	136
Univ degree or post-grad	39%	36%	37%	49%	50%	51%	47%	43%	43%	52%	50%	52%	49%	45%	39%	52%	54%	53%	40%	39%	32%
	578	696	732	381	840	1414	719	541	522	667	681	726	227	242	332	946	695	707	171	155	224
Base	1278	1527	1580	624	1338	2232	1407	1044	1004	1066	1121	1169	389	420	563	1472	1058	1111	292	300	396

Completed high school or less / Some post-secondary or completed college diploma / Completed university degree or post-graduate degree

Years resident of Canada: whole life vs. not whole life

	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
Whole life	72%	67%	66%	70%	62%	64%	62%	64%	61%	61%	54%	56%	40%	34%	32%	51%	47%	43%	43%	40%	47%
	967	1078	1109	466	934	1571	989	714	675	684	657	707	187	170	221	833	580	562	141	138	211
Not whole life	28%	33%	34%	30%	38%	36%	38%	36%	39%	39%	46%	44%	60%	66%	68%	49%	53%	57%	57%	60%	53%
	302	427	448	153	380	628	407	317	316	366	446	453	197	243	337	619	457	525	148	156	180
Base	1269	1505	1557	619	1314	2199	1396	1031	991	1050	1103	1160	384	413	558	1452	1037	1087	289	294	391

Years resident of Canada																						
		EPS			OPS			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
		Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
My whole life		72%	67%	66%	70%	62%	64%	62%	64%	61%	61%	54%	56%	40%	34%	32%	51%	47%	43%	43%	40%	47%
		967	1078	1109	466	934	1571	989	714	675	684	657	707	187	170	221	833	580	562	141	138	211
20 yrs + not all life		9%	12%	12%	12%	16%	15%	12%	12%	12%	12%	16%	13%	24%	24%	29%	23%	23%	25%	33%	27%	19%
		135	191	198	87	217	359	173	137	138	118	146	135	99	109	161	342	218	261	82	76	109
15-19 years		3%	3%	5%	5%	5%	4%	6%	6%	6%	3%	4%	3%	12%	8%	8%	7%	6%	6%	8%	8%	11%
		30	48	65	16	39	67	58	47	53	38	43	50	29	33	46	81	48	53	23	24	27
10-14 years		7%	6%	7%	4%	4%	5%	7%	6%	7%	7%	8%	6%	7%	7%	9%	7%	7%	8%	9%	6%	7%
		65	77	81	14	42	66	77	53	54	68	98	72	23	24	44	73	66	65	23	14	18
>1 year < 10 yrs		9%	11%	9%	8%	11%	9%	11%	11%	12%	16%	16%	18%	13%	22%	16%	12%	14%	15%	7%	17%	12%
		66	102	90	33	70	107	93	74	61	133	143	168	40	66	70	118	110	117	18	37	21
1 year or less		1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	4%	1%	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	4%	6%	6%	1%	3%	4%	0%	2%	3%
		6	9	14	3	12	29	6	6	10	9	16	28	6	11	16	5	15	29	2	5	5
Base		1269	1505	1557	619	1314	2199	1396	1031	991	1050	1103	1160	384	413	558	1452	1037	1087	289	294	391

Ethnicity - Do you identify as any of the following?

	EPS			OPS			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
NET Indig	4%	9%	7%	3%	2%	4%	3%	3%	5%	2%	2%	2%	0%	1%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	2%
	41	109	99	22	30	74	26	25	35	15	14	14	5	6	3	25	20	19	2	4	5
NET Non-Indig, Non-White	22%	30%	27%	23%	32%	30%	26%	31%	31%	30%	39%	36%	50%	56%	65%	39%	45%	45%	45%	48%	47%
	243	384	381	110	326	510	290	251	236	270	373	375	169	219	317	448	414	426	110	144	147
White	69%	53%	55%	68%	56%	57%	62%	57%	55%	57%	47%	50%	38%	27%	24%	52%	44%	42%	44%	41%	42%
	913	907	941	471	863	1454	1000	680	619	692	628	662	173	143	189	886	555	548	150	120	206
First Nations	2%	4%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%
	20	41	33	8	22	33	9	7	17	5	4	7	3	4		16	13	12	1	2	4
Métis	2%	5%	4%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	3%	1%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	1%	0%
	24	68	67	13	8	34	18	22	18	10	9	7	2	3	2	8	6	6	1	2	1
Inuk (Inuit)	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%
	1	3	6	3	1	8		2	1		1			1	1	1	2	2	1		
White	69%	53%	55%	68%	56%	57%	62%	57%	55%	57%	47%	50%	38%	27%	24%	52%	44%	42%	44%	41%	42%
	913	907	941	471	863	1454	1000	680	619	692	628	662	173	143	189	886	555	548	150	120	206
South Asian	2%	8%	5%	2%	4%	4%	5%	7%	10%	2%	3%	2%	19%	26%	27%	8%	12%	10%	10%	10%	9%
	42	83	85	10	43	73	58	61	73	10	25	22	75	101	157	97	100	102	23	31	34

NET Indigenous / NET Non-Indigenous, Non-White / ... / South Asian (e.g., East Indian, Pakistani, Sri Lankan, etc.)

Weight: Weight within police jurisdiction based on age, gender, household income, and household property victimization
Filters: Cases to be included in analysis: Include in analysis, Police Services Subscribing and Other Tier 1 Cities: Edmonton Police Service, Ottawa Police Service, Tier 1 City C, Tier 1 City D, Tier 1 City E, Tier 1 City F, Tier 1 City G
**Caution, small base (<=50).*

Ethnicity - Do you identify as any of the following?																					
	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
Chinese	3%	2%	3%	1%	2%	1%	2%	4%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	4%	3%	8%	6%	11%
	20	30	39	8	27	32	33	27	22	8	20	16	5	8	11	35	49	37	19	22	34
Black	6%	7%	8%	9%	13%	11%	4%	7%	7%	13%	12%	14%	11%	10%	16%	10%	12%	12%	10%	7%	2%
	50	79	83	34	99	150	34	42	47	105	108	125	36	42	53	92	98	99	17	24	10
Filipino	3%	3%	4%	0%	1%	1%	4%	4%	3%	1%	2%	2%	2%	4%	7%	3%	3%	6%	4%	4%	0%
	29	32	40	2	4	15	35	28	21	5	13	12	6	12	17	28	25	41	5	8	2
Latin Amer'n	3%	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	4%	2%	3%	4%	5%	5%	3%	5%	2%	5%	6%	5%	9%	5%	3%
	25	42	24	10	28	50	42	29	22	28	49	53	12	14	16	71	49	50	17	16	9
Arab	1%	2%	2%	3%	4%	4%	1%	3%	1%	5%	8%	6%	4%	1%	1%	1%	1%	3%	2%	2%	1%
	13	29	33	15	41	67	13	20	11	63	74	72	7	9	15	9	11	29	3	6	4
SE Asian	0%	1%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	1%	2%	1%	3%	1%	1%
	3	18	13	1	7	16	11	10	5	1	14	10	3	10	5	10	12	14	5	1	2
West Asian	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	2%	3%	7%	12%
	4	8	4	1	7	19	10	6	7	6	14	5	4	3	6	24	9	15	9	13	23

Southeast Asian (e.g., Vietnamese, Cambodian, Laotian, Thai, etc.) / West Asian (e.g., Iranian, Afghan, etc.)

Ethnicity - Do you identify as any of the following?																					
	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
Korean	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	1%	0%	2%	0%	0%
		4	7		2	2	6	4	1	1	3	4	1	2	1	7	9	4	2	1	2
Japanese	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	0%	3%	0%	1%
	1	3	4	3	3	5	4	7		1	2	1		1		5	1	2	2	1	2
Other	4%	6%	3%	5%	6%	5%	4%	3%	3%	4%	7%	6%	9%	7%	8%	7%	8%	5%	9%	7%	9%
	62	83	68	27	74	100	59	40	34	45	66	63	25	26	41	98	81	51	22	25	27
DK/ not sure	1%	3%	3%	1%	1%	1%	1%	0%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	2%	2%
	14	22	29	3	11	20	12	5	20	8	9	25	5	7	5	15	12	15	5	6	7
Prefer not to answer	9%	11%	12%	8%	11%	10%	10%	12%	11%	11%	13%	12%	13%	15%	9%	10%	12%	12%	10%	11%	13%
	108	166	192	42	148	247	123	109	120	99	130	118	46	55	55	146	96	131	31	33	39
Base	1278	1527	1580	624	1338	2232	1407	1044	1004	1066	1121	1169	389	420	563	1472	1058	1111	292	300	396

People living in household																					
	EPS			OPS			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
NET Less than 4	76%	72%	72%	78%	75%	75%	72%	69%	68%	81%	81%	83%	53%	49%	46%	76%	77%	70%	64%	59%	66%
	883	1014	1032	455	872	1528	985	667	633	769	810	833	199	188	213	1038	739	717	158	151	239
NET 4 or more	24%	28%	28%	22%	25%	25%	28%	31%	32%	19%	19%	17%	47%	51%	54%	24%	23%	30%	36%	41%	34%
	361	448	490	156	408	621	390	348	331	265	274	293	176	208	328	388	283	334	123	137	139
1	25%	24%	25%	27%	25%	26%	21%	18%	19%	31%	30%	34%	16%	9%	11%	27%	29%	25%	22%	17%	12%
	205	247	264	108	198	352	201	131	133	222	229	256	35	30	27	265	196	187	27	27	36
2	32%	31%	31%	33%	33%	32%	33%	34%	31%	32%	36%	36%	20%	25%	17%	34%	30%	28%	26%	22%	27%
	441	494	515	231	426	775	528	353	328	333	386	392	84	90	82	500	352	343	66	65	117
3	20%	18%	15%	18%	16%	17%	18%	17%	18%	18%	15%	13%	16%	15%	19%	16%	18%	17%	16%	19%	27%
	237	273	253	116	248	401	256	183	172	214	195	185	80	68	104	273	191	187	65	59	86
4	12%	16%	17%	14%	15%	14%	16%	19%	16%	12%	10%	10%	23%	28%	23%	12%	12%	16%	17%	23%	22%
	199	255	294	105	272	395	258	222	198	175	166	186	97	113	173	236	162	212	75	88	89
5	8%	7%	7%	4%	5%	6%	8%	8%	11%	4%	6%	4%	15%	14%	14%	6%	6%	7%	8%	15%	9%
	118	134	121	30	90	155	98	90	92	60	72	76	47	56	84	98	72	76	29	31	36
6	2%	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	2%	2%	3%	1%	2%	2%	5%	5%	10%	2%	4%	4%	8%	2%	4%
	28	40	51	14	30	51	21	26	29	18	27	27	21	25	36	30	32	31	10	13	11
More than 6	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	2%	1%	1%	5%	3%	7%	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	0%
	16	19	24	7	16	20	13	10	12	12	9	4	11	14	35	24	17	15	9	5	3
Base	1244	1462	1522	611	1280	2149	1375	1015	964	1034	1084	1126	375	396	541	1426	1022	1051	281	288	378

Children under 18 in household																					
	Edmonton Police Service			Ottawa Police Service			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022	Feb-Apr 2020	May-Jul 2021	May-Jul 2022
No	62%	60%	60%	65%	64%	62%	58%	61%	58%	60%	63%	63%	53%	52%	47%	64%	66%	63%	62%	56%	71%
	615	683	723	316	627	1047	724	500	459	429	478	476	175	184	205	706	492	506	134	130	229
Yes	38%	40%	40%	35%	36%	38%	42%	39%	42%	40%	37%	37%	47%	48%	53%	36%	34%	37%	38%	44%	29%
	412	506	516	182	447	726	438	380	359	375	373	386	156	178	302	444	327	347	115	126	107
Base	1027	1189	1239	498	1074	1773	1162	880	818	804	851	862	331	362	507	1150	819	853	249	256	336

Type of home																					
	EPS			OPS			Tier 1 City C			Tier 1 City D			Tier 1 City E			Tier 1 City F			Tier 1 City G		
	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022	2020	2021	2022
Single detached house	46%	48%	47%	31%	35%	33%	53%	59%	56%	11%	13%	10%	44%	49%	48%	25%	25%	28%	46%	55%	65%
	766	921	951	295	697	1125	913	717	661	162	200	211	211	243	341	536	369	420	185	201	279
Apt or apt-style condo	30%	30%	30%	35%	33%	35%	22%	19%	21%	57%	54%	57%	27%	21%	24%	56%	53%	51%	32%	29%	14%
	263	316	313	141	256	479	211	137	142	541	537	557	73	62	94	623	461	451	52	55	37
Town- or row house	12%	12%	12%	21%	26%	22%	12%	12%	11%	4%	5%	5%	18%	21%	19%	9%	12%	11%	14%	8%	16%
	125	137	160	130	302	472	140	106	100	62	72	86	62	85	92	175	142	125	37	32	60
Duplex, triplex, fourplex	9%	7%	8%	9%	4%	4%	10%	8%	7%	24%	24%	23%	4%	2%	1%	4%	3%	5%	4%	1%	1%
	100	115	116	43	56	87	115	71	73	265	273	279	23	13	9	69	47	57	10	2	9
Another multi-dwelling unit	3%	3%	3%	4%	2%	5%	3%	2%	5%	4%	5%	4%	8%	7%	8%	6%	6%	6%	4%	6%	5%
	24	38	40	15	27	69	28	13	28	36	39	36	20	17	27	69	39	58	8	10	11
Base	1278	1527	1580	624	1338	2232	1407	1044	1004	1066	1121	1169	389	420	563	1472	1058	1111	292	300	396

Weight: Weight within police jurisdiction based on age, gender, household income, and household property victimization

Filters: Cases to be included in analysis: Include in analysis, Police Services Subscribing and Other Tier 1 Cities: Edmonton Police Service, Ottawa Police Service, Tier 1 City C, Tier 1 City D, Tier 1 City E, Tier 1 City F, Tier 1 City G

**Caution, small base (<=50).*

"PSC questions" designed by Public Safety Canada and Halifax Regional Police per: <https://www.publicsafety.gc.ca/cnt/rsrscs/pblctns/2019-s003/index-en.aspx>

Remaining questions designed by Advanis.

Definitions of types of crime were provided in the survey:

- *Personal crime: results in physical or mental harm to a person, like assault, abuse, kidnapping, sex crimes*
- *Property crime: deprives a person of the use or enjoyment of property, like theft, vandalism*
- *Financial crime: deception or fraud for financial gain, like blackmail, embezzlement, cybercrime*

Random samples of Canadians aged 18+:

- *May-June 2022: 21,382 Canada-wide and 2,232 for OPS*
 - *Canada-wide results accurate to within +/- 0.7% and OPS +/- 2.1%, both 19 times out of 20*
- *May-July 2021: 19,441 Canada-wide and 1,338 for OPS*
 - *Canada-wide results accurate to within +/- 0.7% and OPS +/- 2.7%, both 19 times out of 20*
- *February to April 2020: 17,588 Canada-wide and 624 for OPS (before OPS subscribed)*
 - *Canada-wide results accurate to within +/- 0.7% and OPS +/- 3.9%, both 19 times out of 20*
- *In all cases, margins of error are wider among subsets of the populations.*

Data was weighted to age, gender, household income, and household property victimization statistics from Statistics Canada. We weighted to victimization data to adjust for a somewhat higher likelihood that victims of crime would respond to the survey. The details are available upon request.

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