

2010 Mid West Science Summit

Workshop 1 Round Table
Key Themes

Interactive keypads

- Discuss the question
- Gain consensus on your answer and make notes on the handout.
- When directed a nominated person will use the keypad to enter your groups answer/s.
- A green light will appear on your keypad to indicate your answer has been accepted.
- If you make an error start your selection again from the beginning.

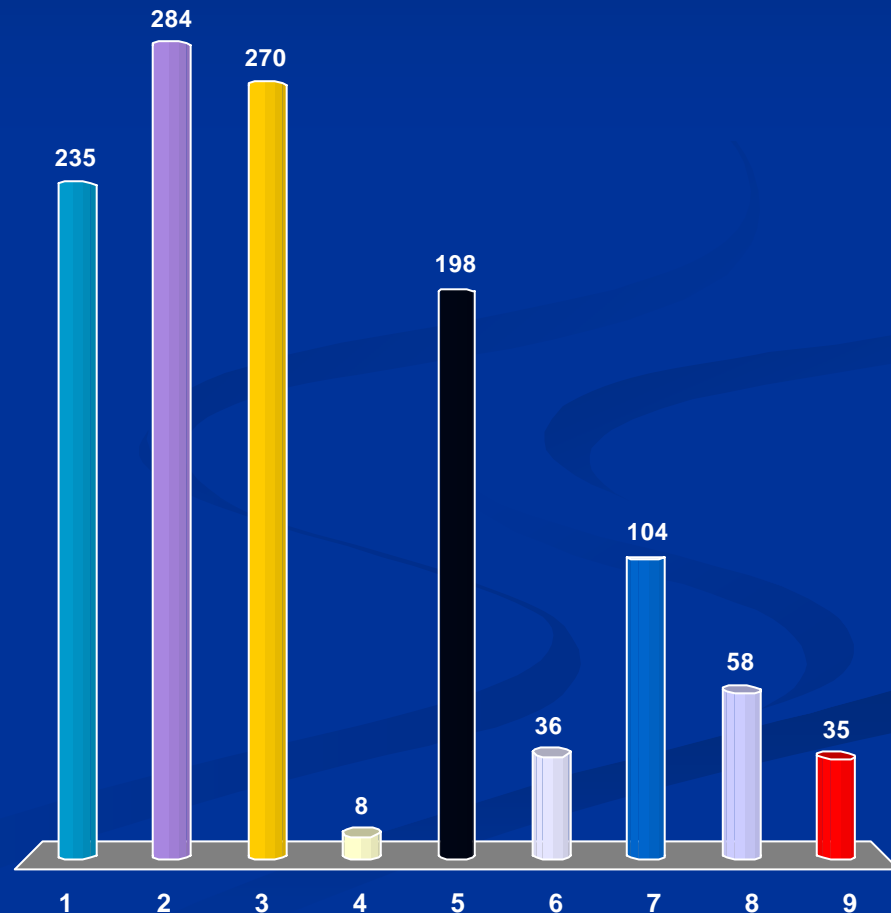
DUMMY RUN QUESTION

- In your group discuss the dummy run question.
- Come to a consensus about the top 5 scientists in the world from the list provided. (Don't take too long!)
- If you have time you may add the names of other scientists below the question.
- Select a person to use your keypad to enter your 5 answers.

DUMMY RUN QUESTION

Our top five favourite scientists are:

1. Leonardo da Vinci
2. Marie Curie
3. Einstein
4. Frankenstein
5. David Suzuki
6. Mark Zuckerberg
7. Freud
8. Dr Karl
9. Elizabeth Blackburn

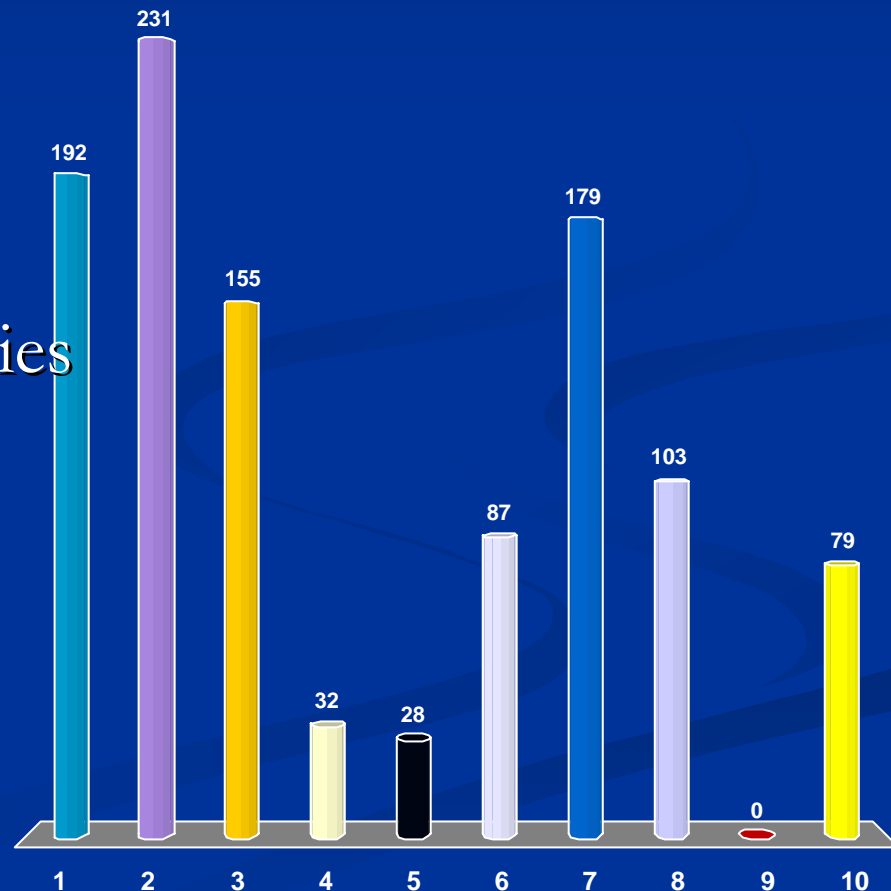


Top 5 Answers

- As a group you will discuss Question 1.
- Gain a general consensus about the top 5 answers.
- Put them in priority order.
- When asked a nominated group member will use the keypad to enter, in priority order, your 5 choices.
- This will be repeated for questions 2 and 3.

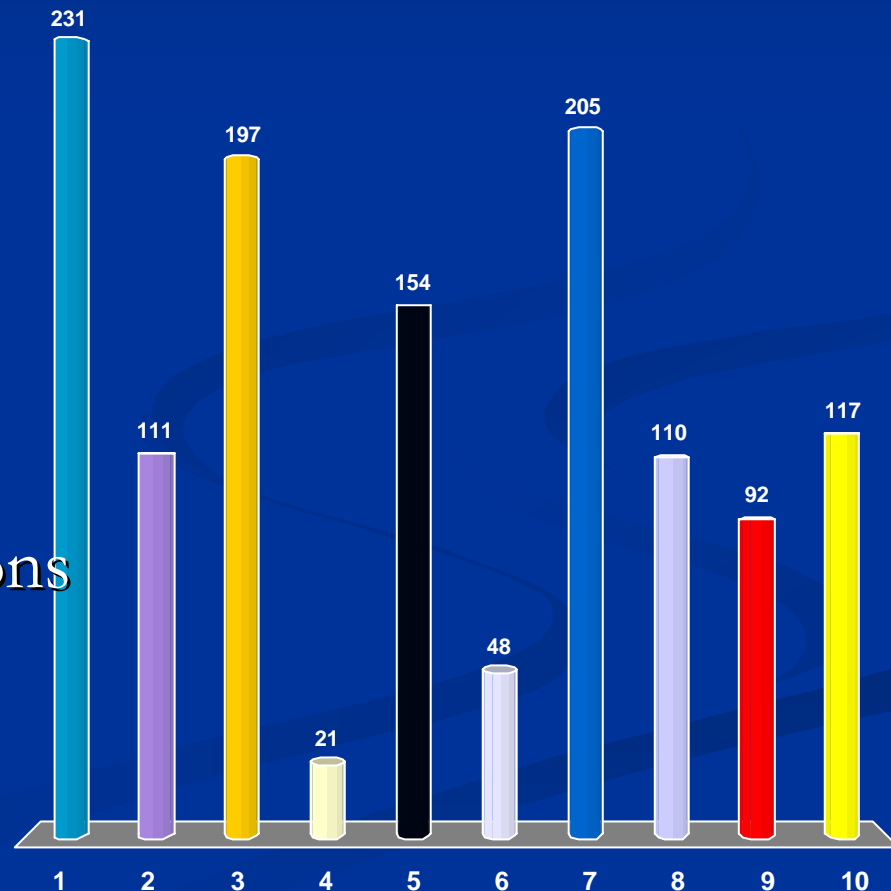
1. What were the 5 main reasons, in priority order, for attending the summit?

1. General Networking
2. Update on the region
3. Speakers and topics
4. It's free
5. Employment opportunities
6. Training/education
7. Importance for region
8. Business opportunities
9. Sponsors
10. I was invited



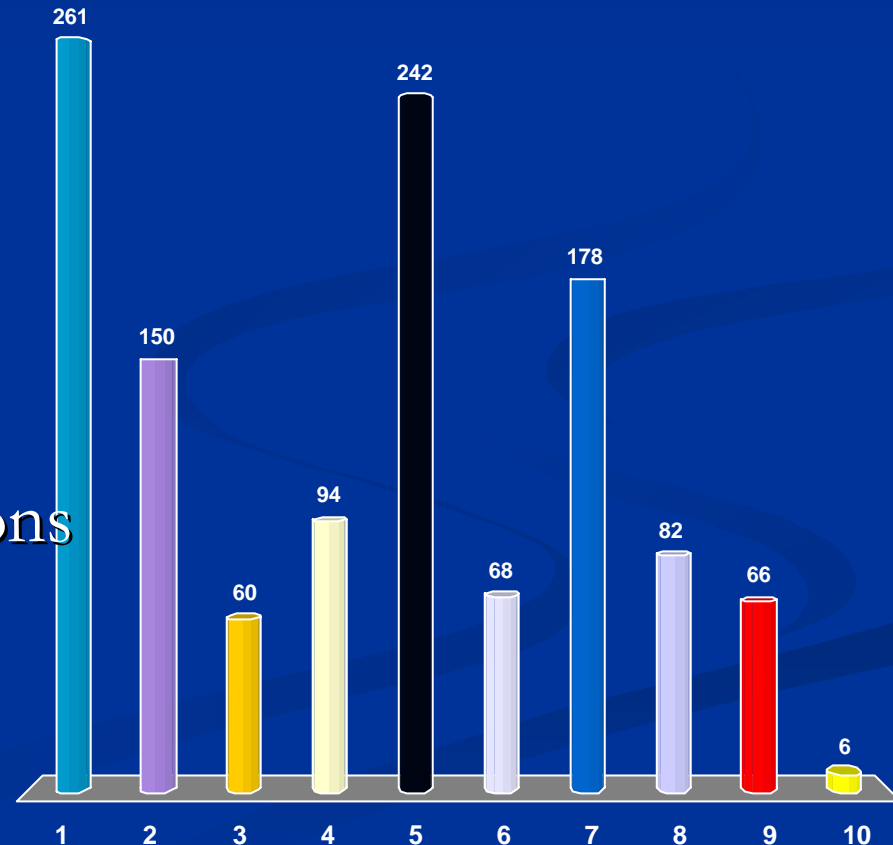
2. What were the 5 main ways of finding out about science/innovation/projects/ideas?

1. Email
2. Reports
3. Internet search
4. Social networking
5. Word of mouth
6. Phone
7. Conferences/presentations
8. Newspaper
9. Other print media
10. TV/radio



3. The five main ways your group identified they shared learning & results was by

1. Email
2. Reports
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4. Social networking
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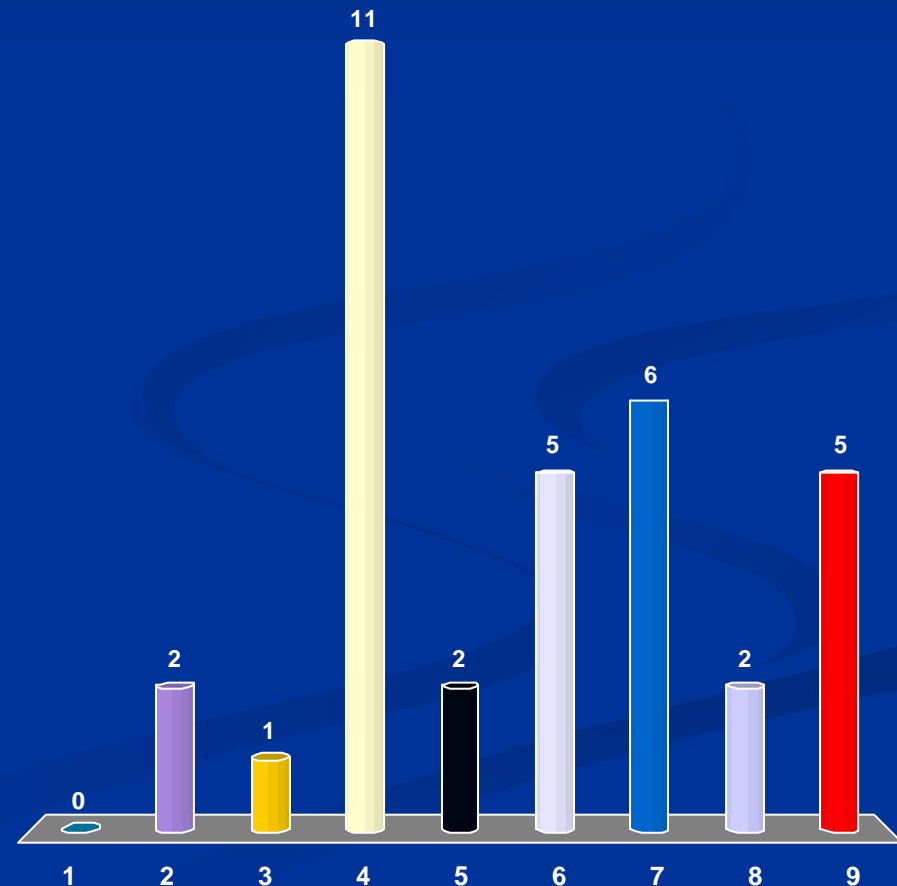


Major Outcomes

- Discuss the statements about the major outcomes that should result from the summit and other science activities.
- As a group rate the statements in priority order from 1-9, with 1 being most important and 9 being least important.
- Add any other notes to your sheet.
- You will then be asked to use the keepads to enter your ranking for each statement.

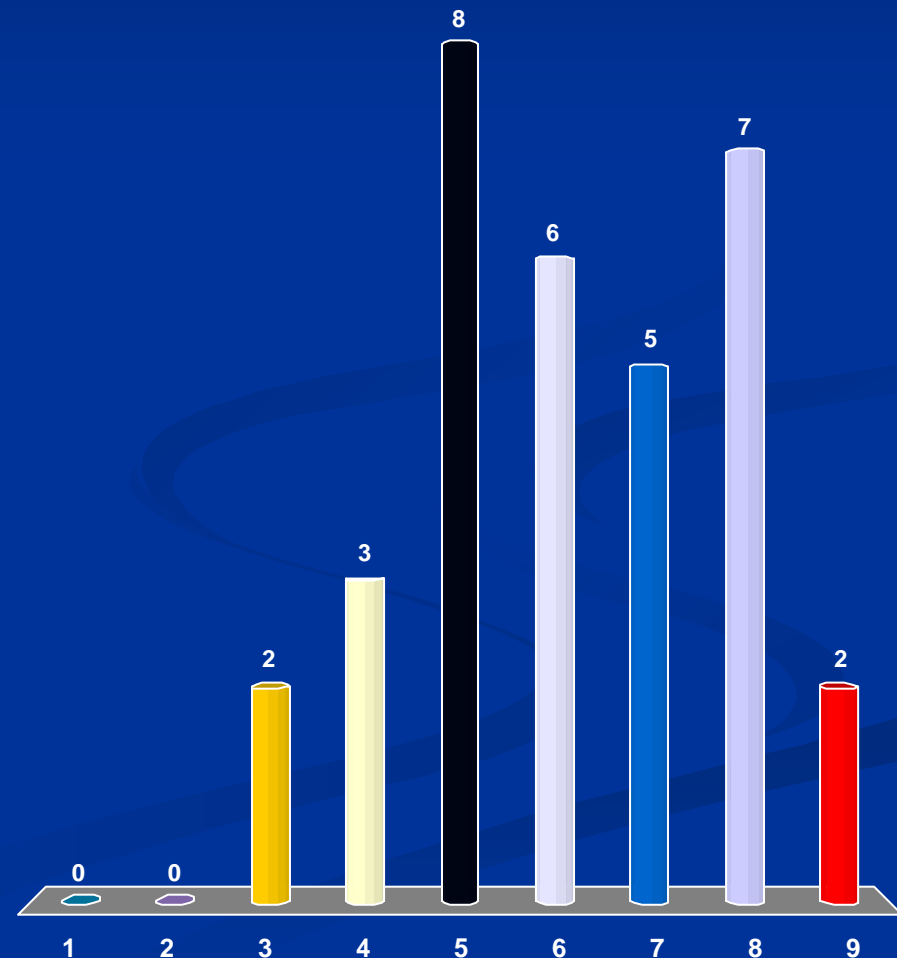
What priority did you rate: Decisions are made about allocation of funding and resources

1. One (most important)
2. Two
3. Three
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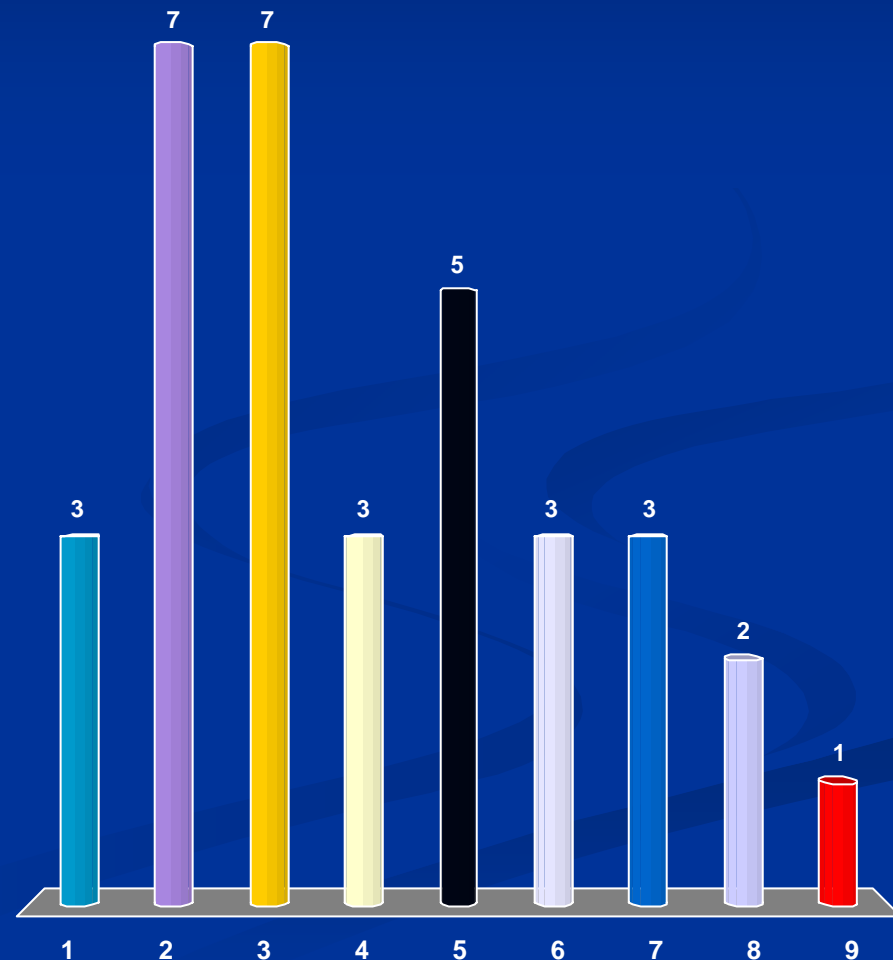
What priority did you rate: Decisions are made about regional structures related to science

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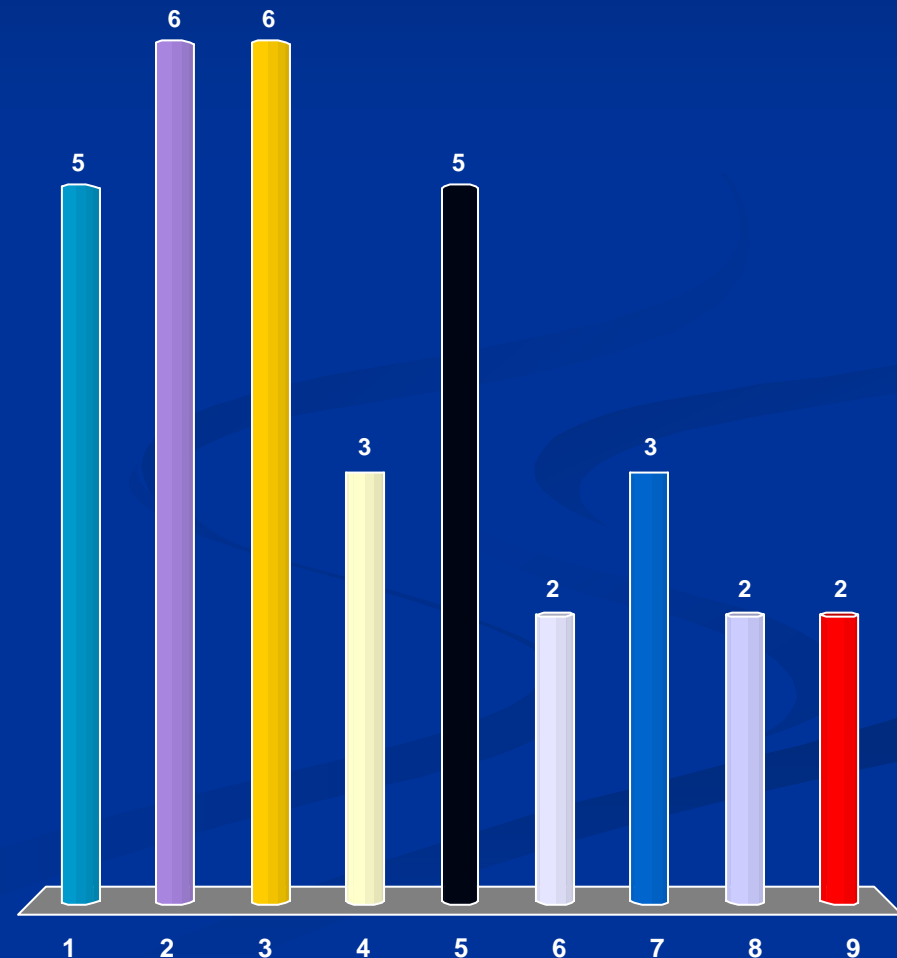
What priority did you rate: Science projects are identified and prioritised

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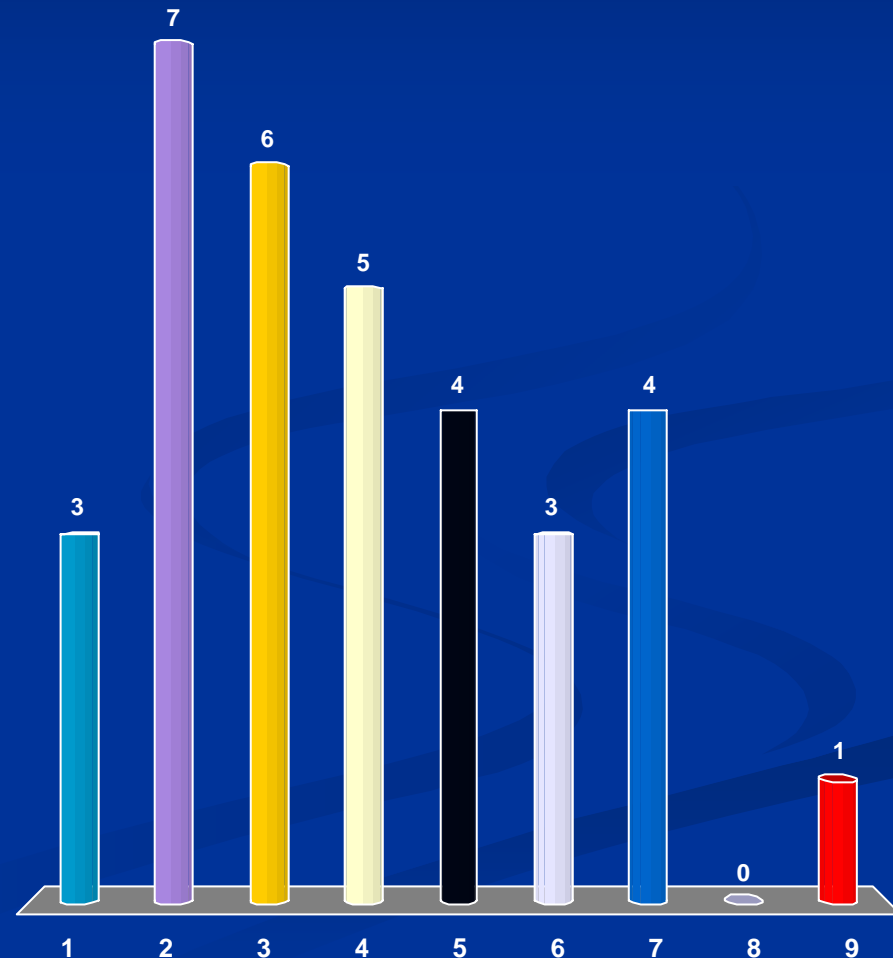
What priority did you rate: Science education and ongoing engagement initiatives take place

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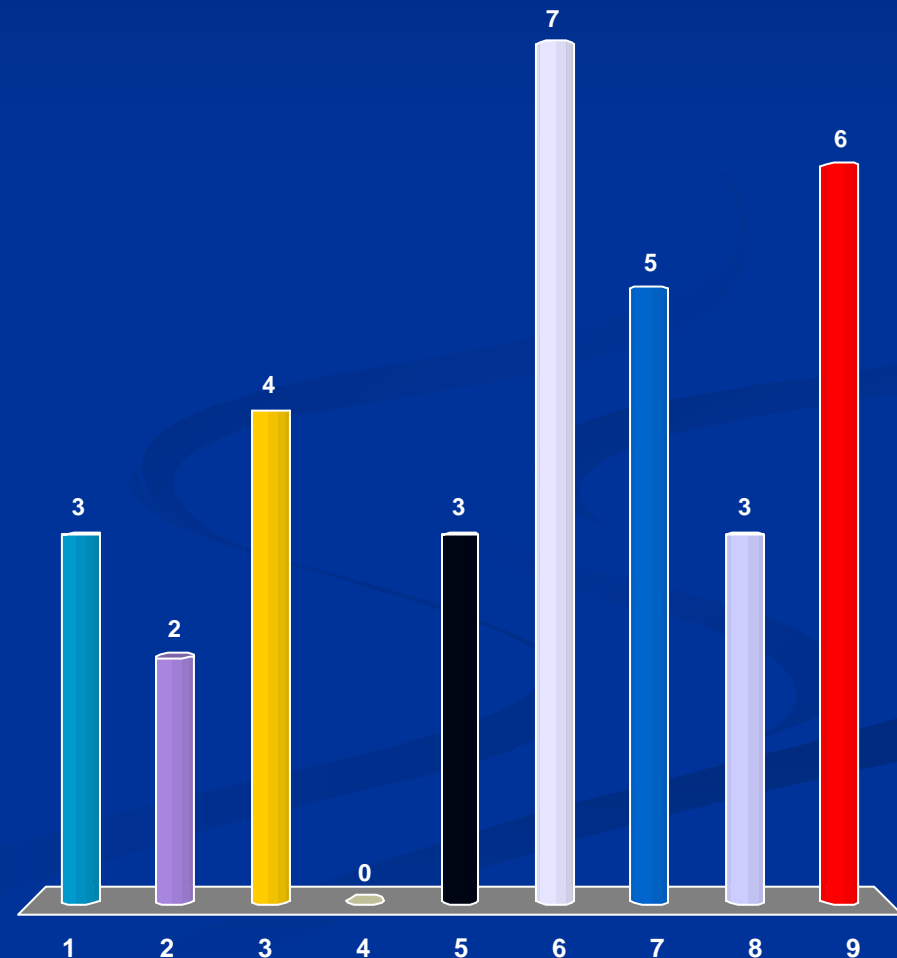
What priority did you rate: Strategic business and collaborative partnerships are created

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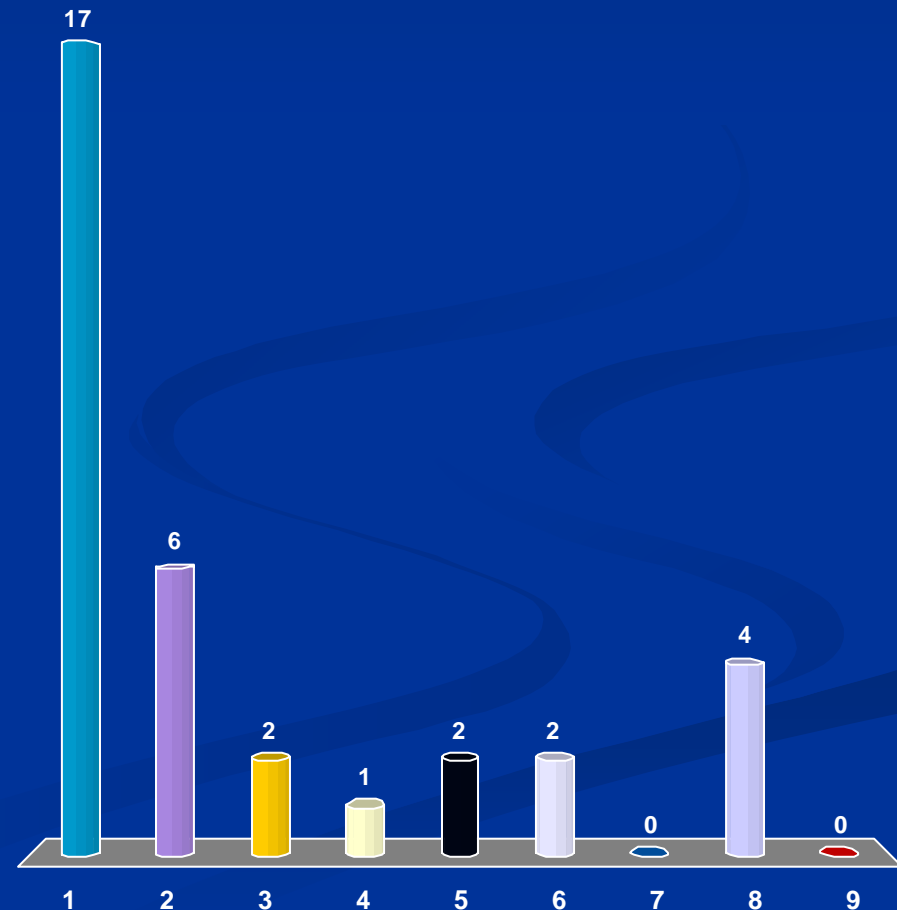
What priority did you rate: People are educated in, and use, sustainable practices (energy, water and resources)

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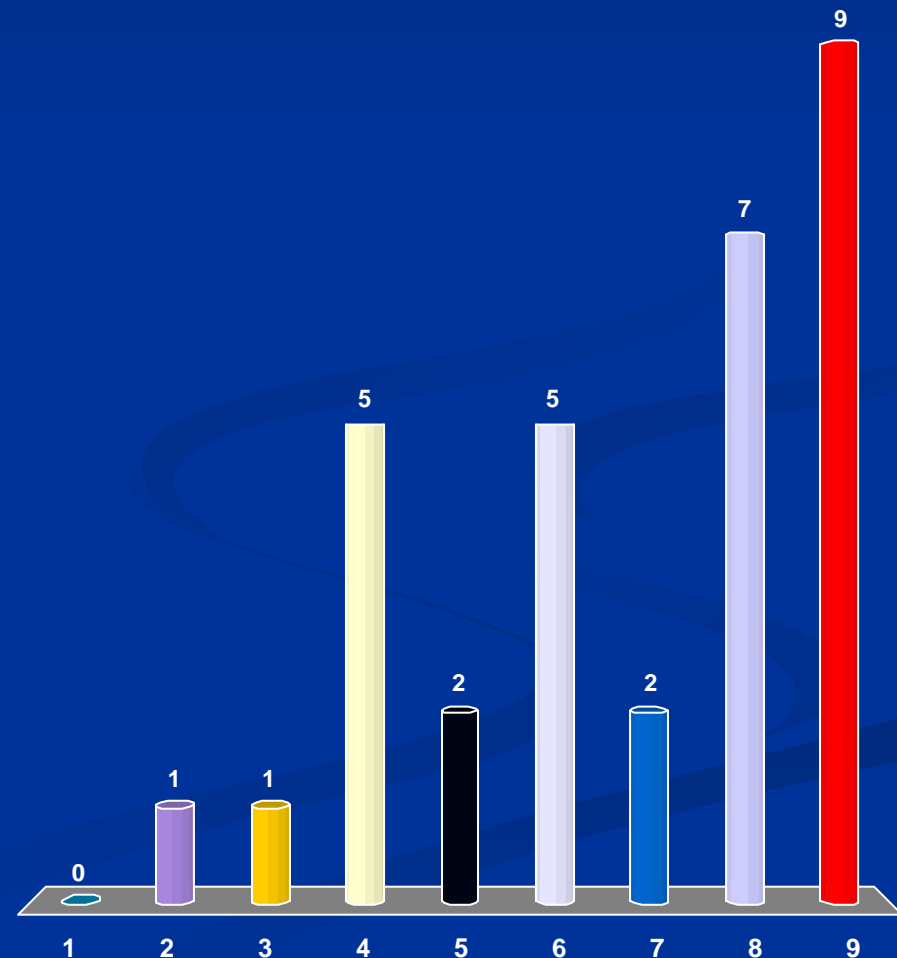
What priority did you rate: Government, community and industry share information

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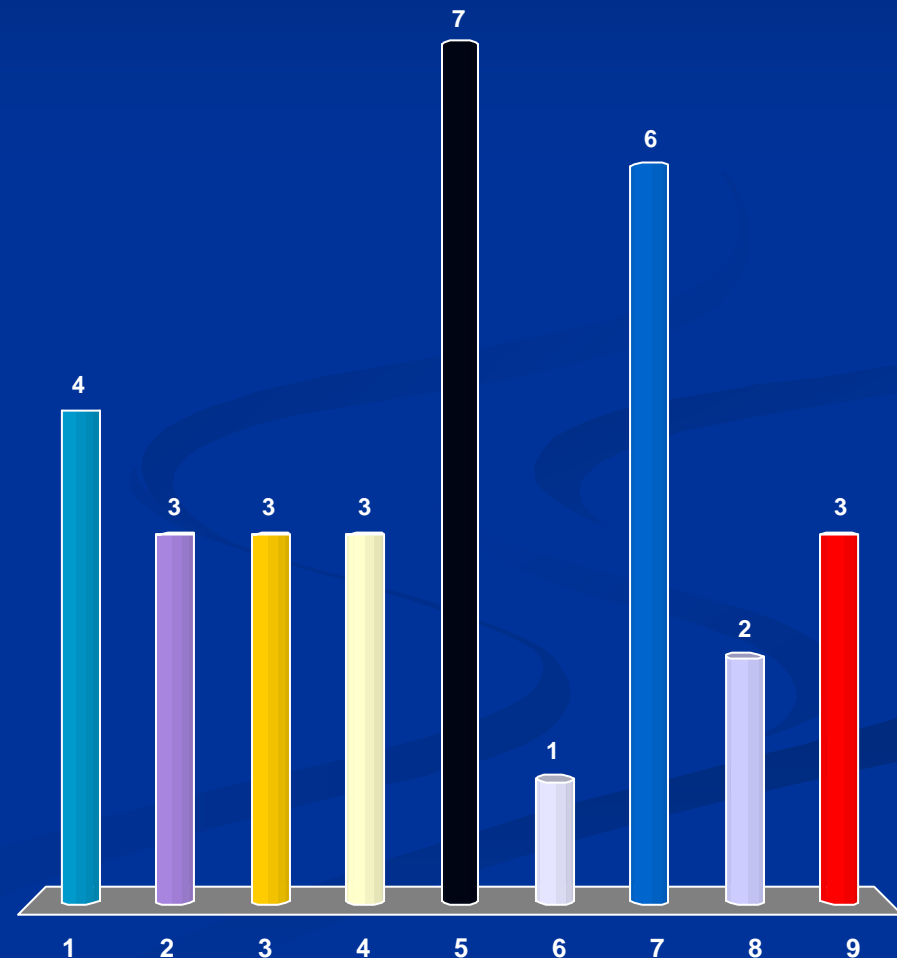
What priority did you rate: Digital/communications technology is adopted for economic advantage

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What priority did you rate: A Mid West Science Plan is developed

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Science priorities in the Midwest

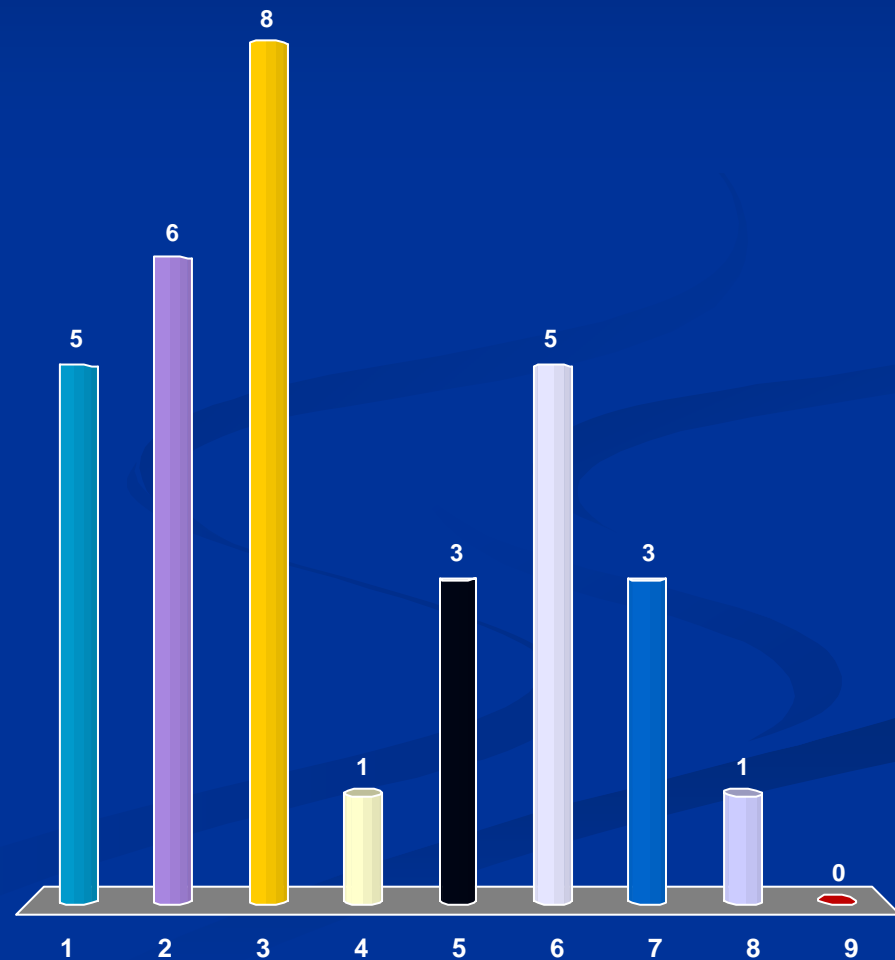
- Discuss the list of possible science priorities you think the Mid West should be concentrating on.
- As a group rate the statements in priority order from 1-9, with 1 being most important and 9 being least important.
- Add any other notes to your sheet.
- You will then be asked to use the keypads to enter your ranking for each listed priority.

Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Agriculture, Aquaculture & Marine Industries

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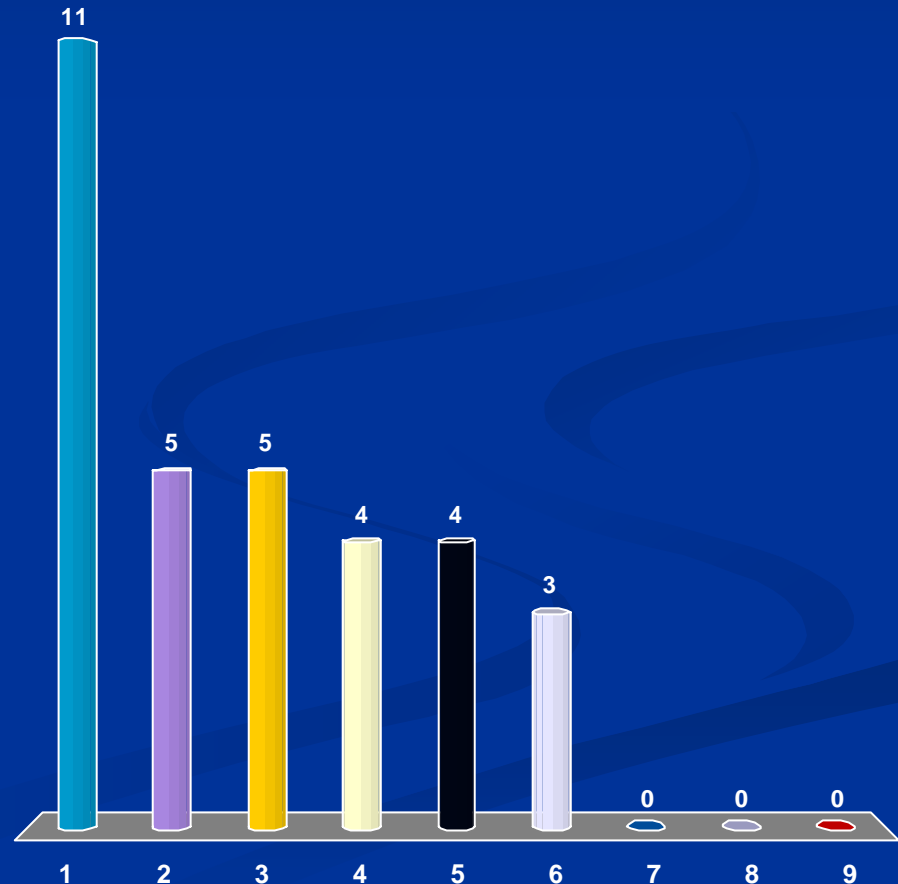


Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Energy (renewable, waste reduction, infrastructure)

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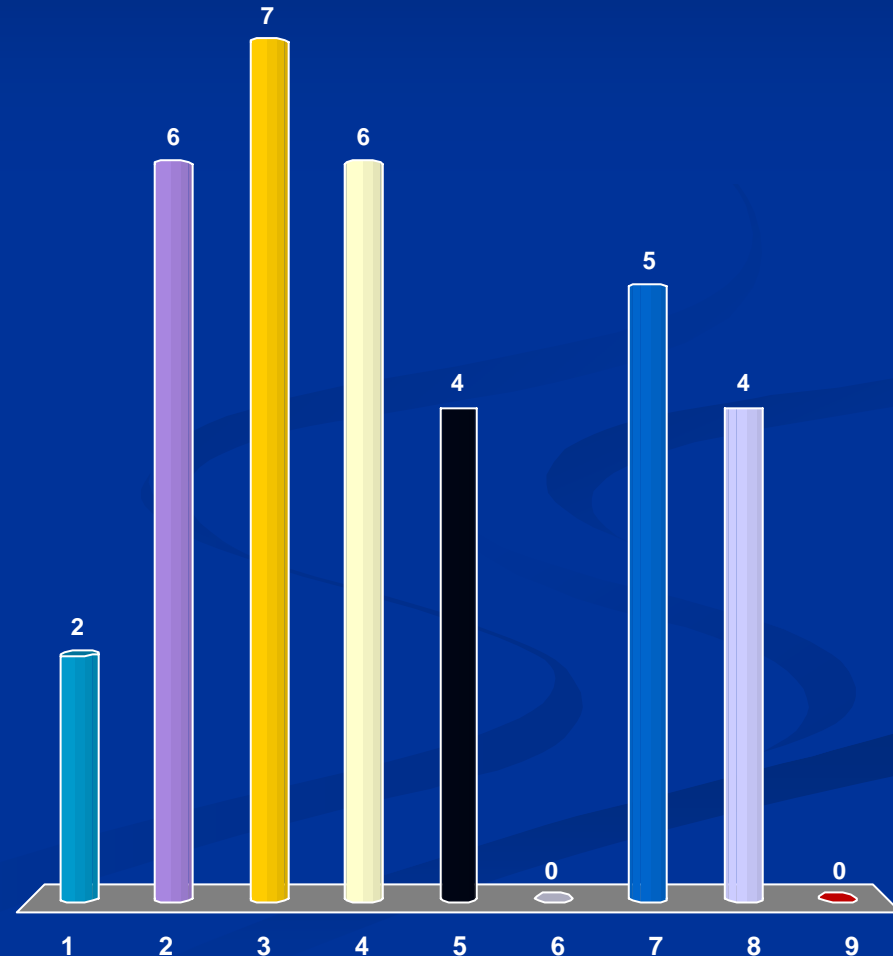


Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Environmental monitoring, reporting & action

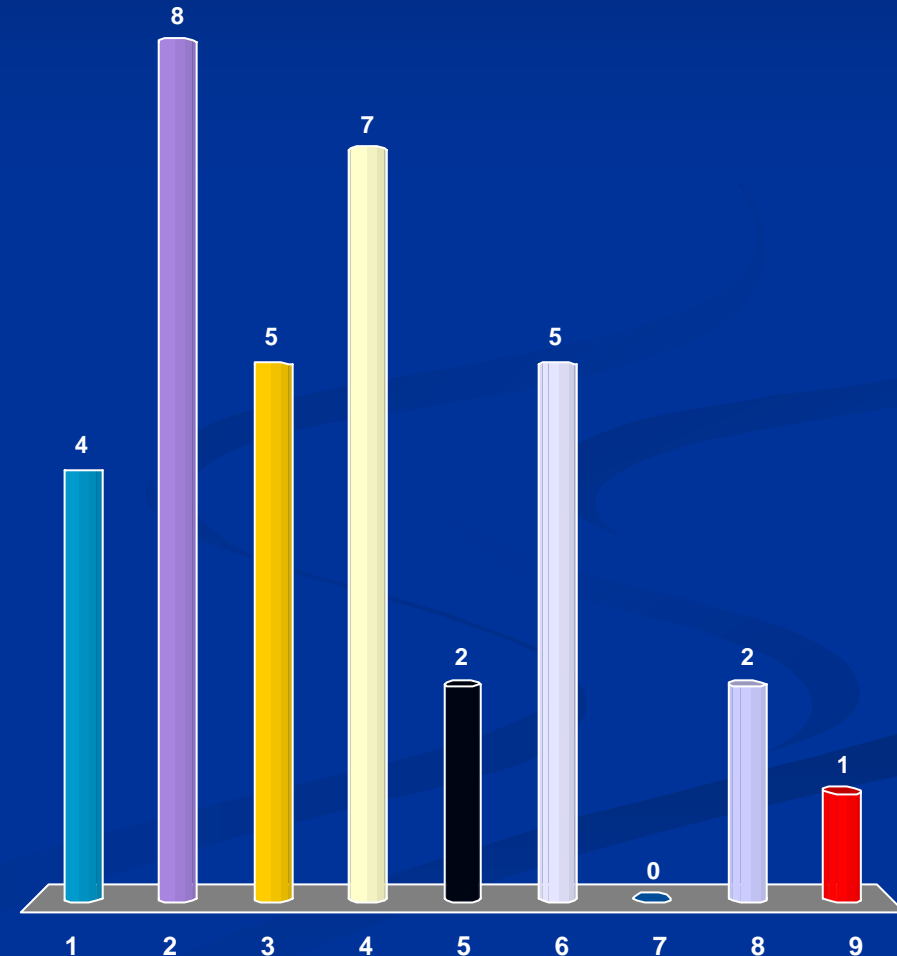
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Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate: Education (programs, research, industry application & engagement)

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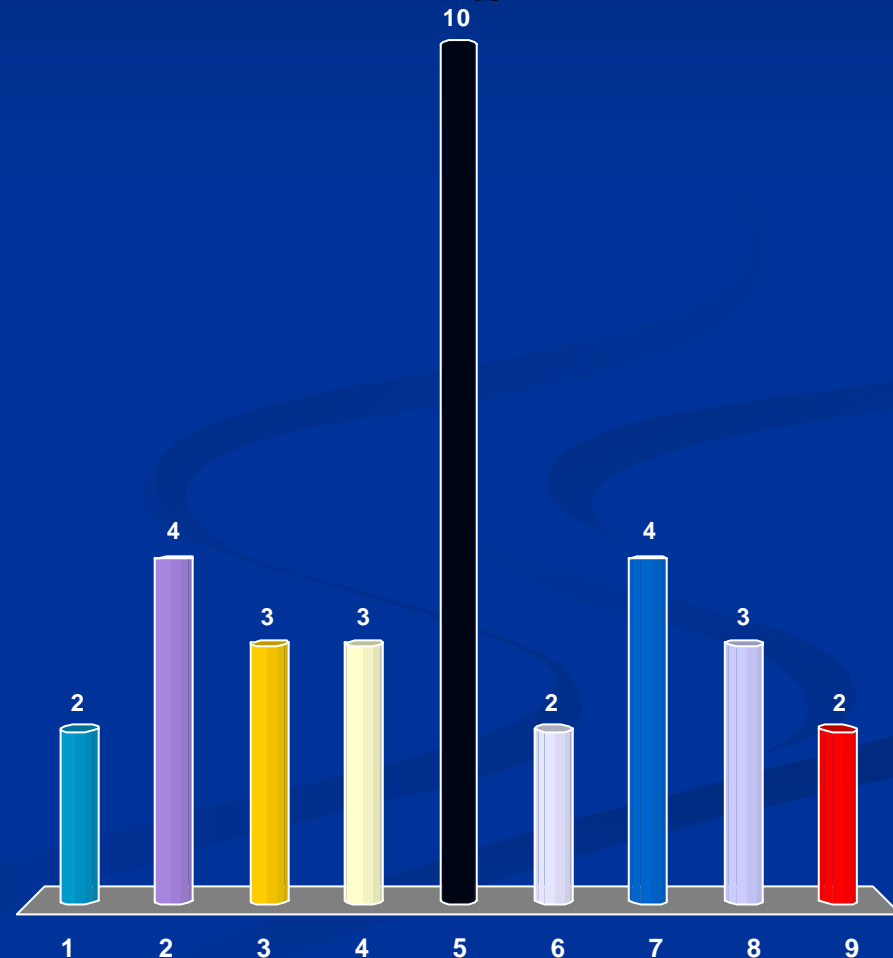


Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Sustainable housing, population & employment

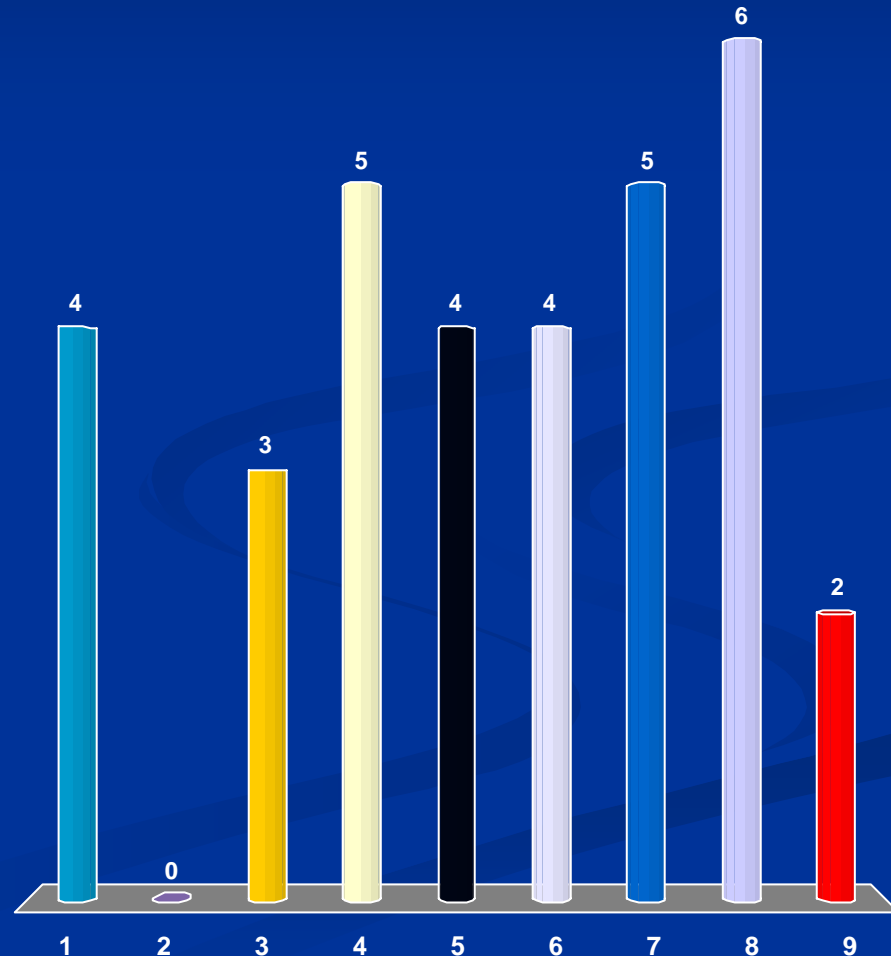
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Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate: Communications & new technologies (infrastructure & applications)

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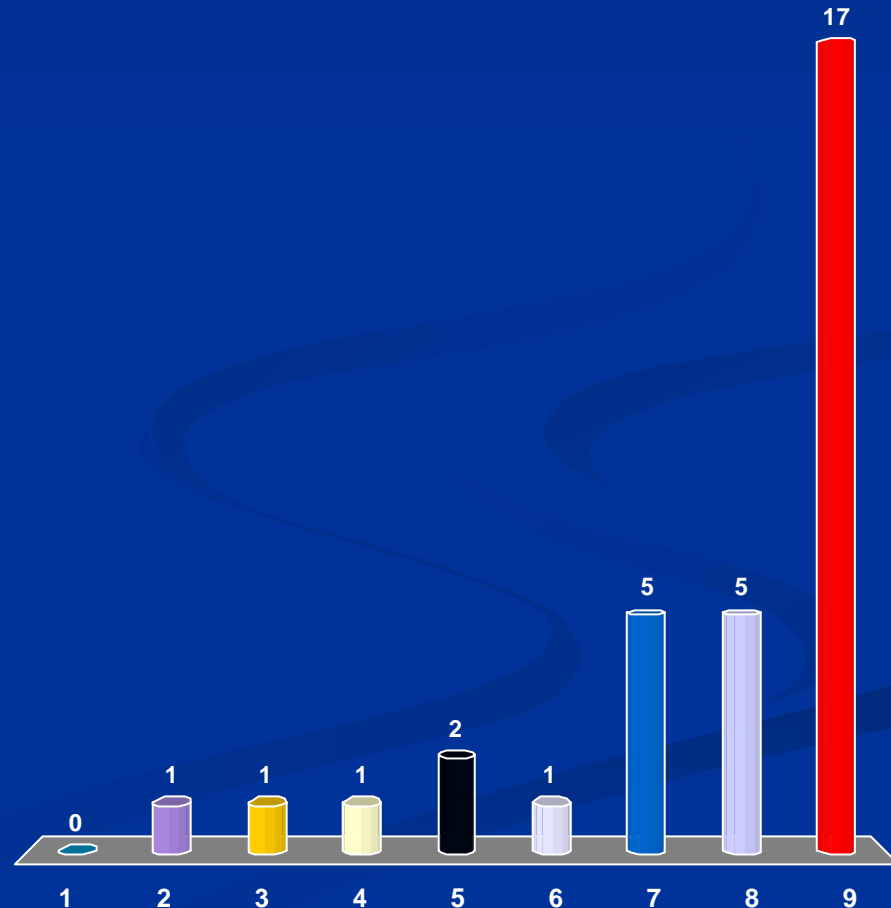


Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Mining (exploration, processing & transport)

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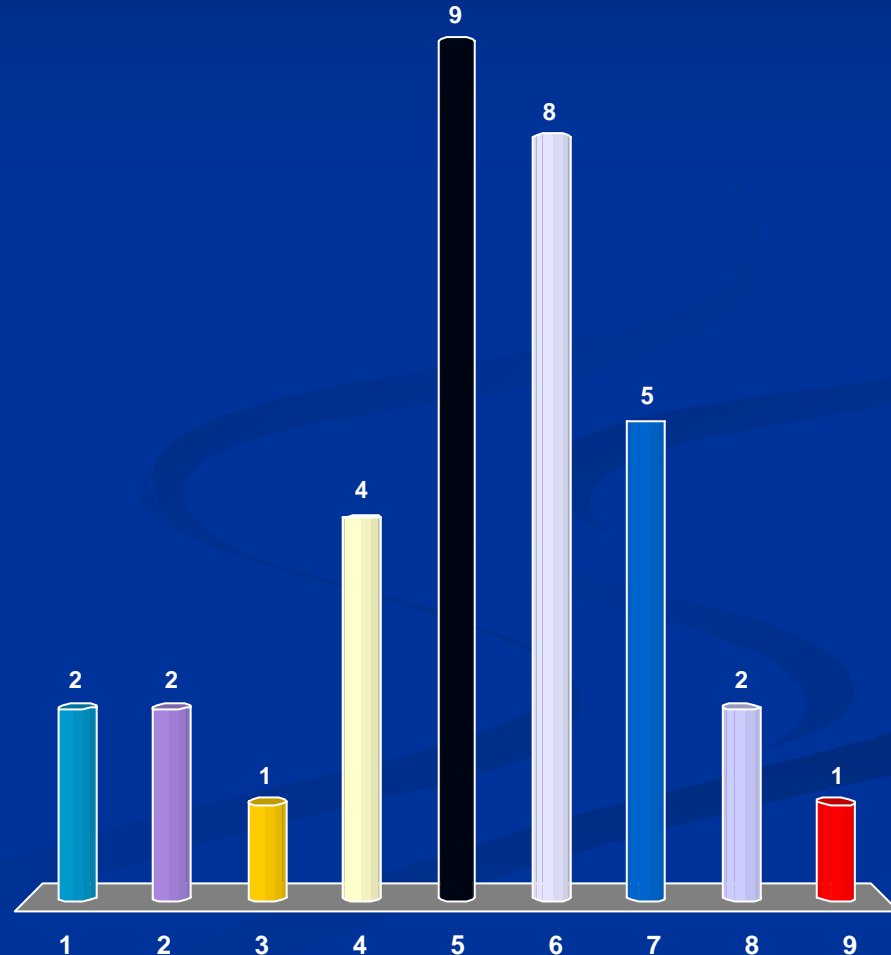


Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Health (research, training & delivery)

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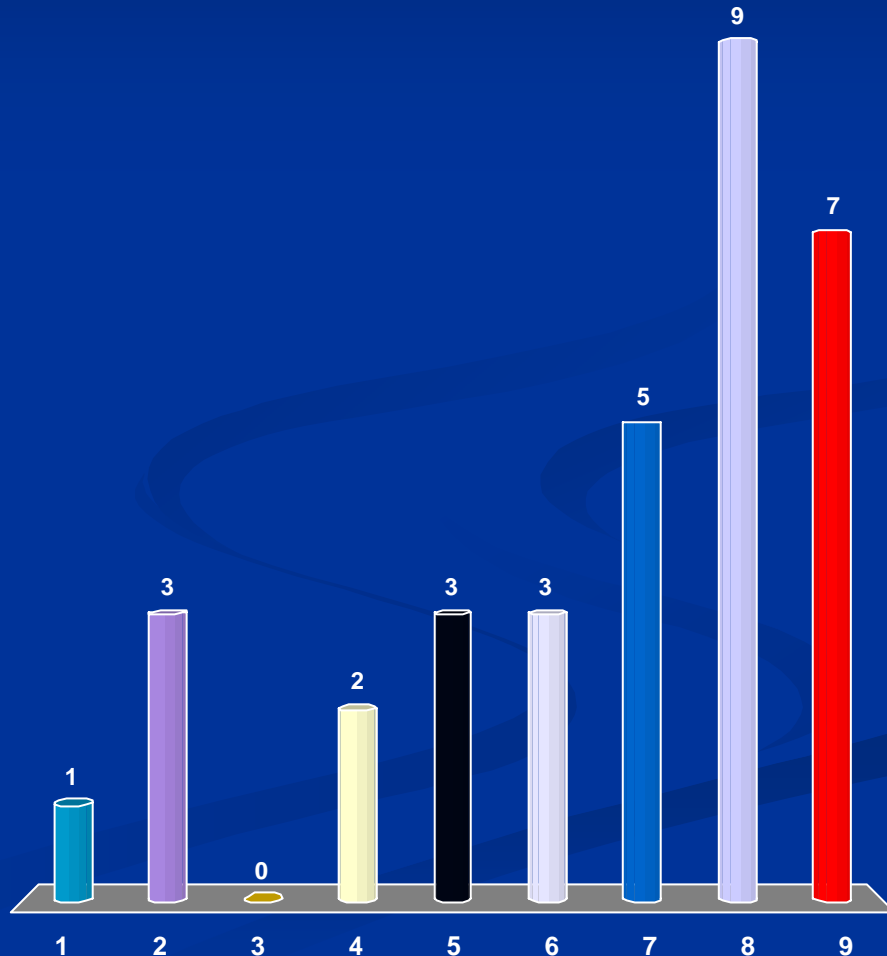


Science priorities in the Mid West

What priority did you rate:

Radio astronomy & high performance computing

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THANKYOU FOR YOUR FEEDBACK

We will come back to these topics
in the second and third
workshops for further
investigation.