

# UNACORN

## SURVEY FINDINGS

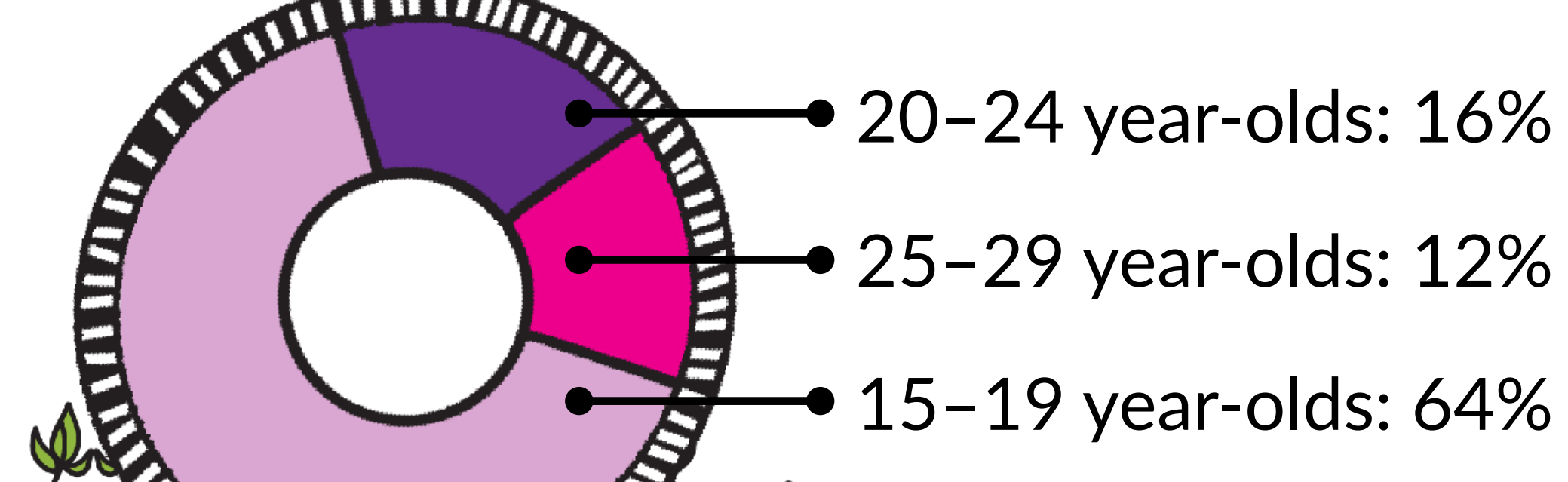
**Info Centre**

We wanted to understand where young peoples' gender and sexual feelings, expressions, and identities were doubted or denied, and affirmed or celebrated, so we launched the UnACoRN Survey! Young people told us how to make their communities and environments safer and more supportive.

**9558 participants**

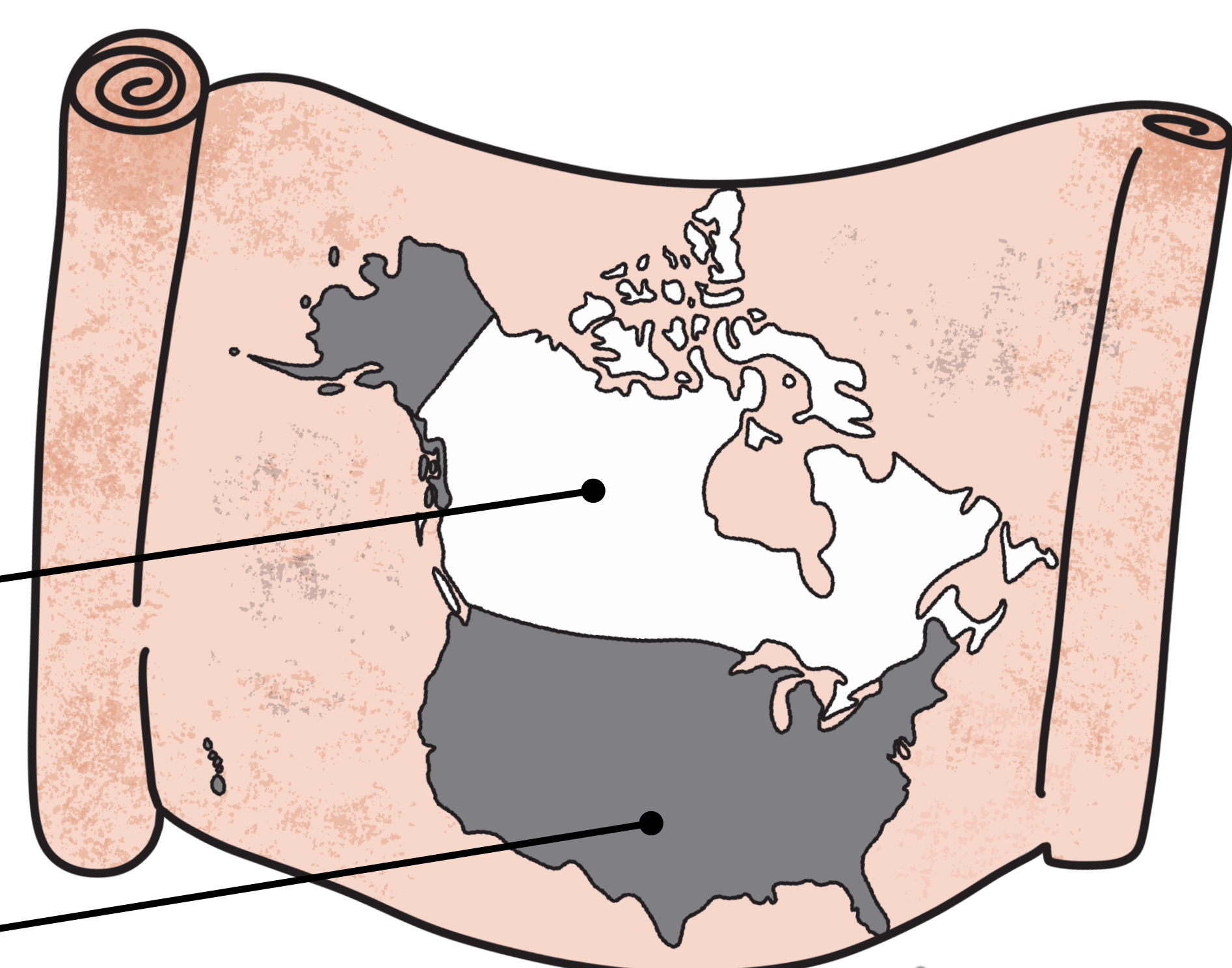
We reached participants through social media and bus ads. The survey was open from March to August 2022 and was available in English or in French. We're so grateful to the thousands of young people across Canada and the U.S. who shared their time and experiences with us!

**Ages 15-29**



**Canada**  
7,034 participants  
6.5% were born outside of Canada

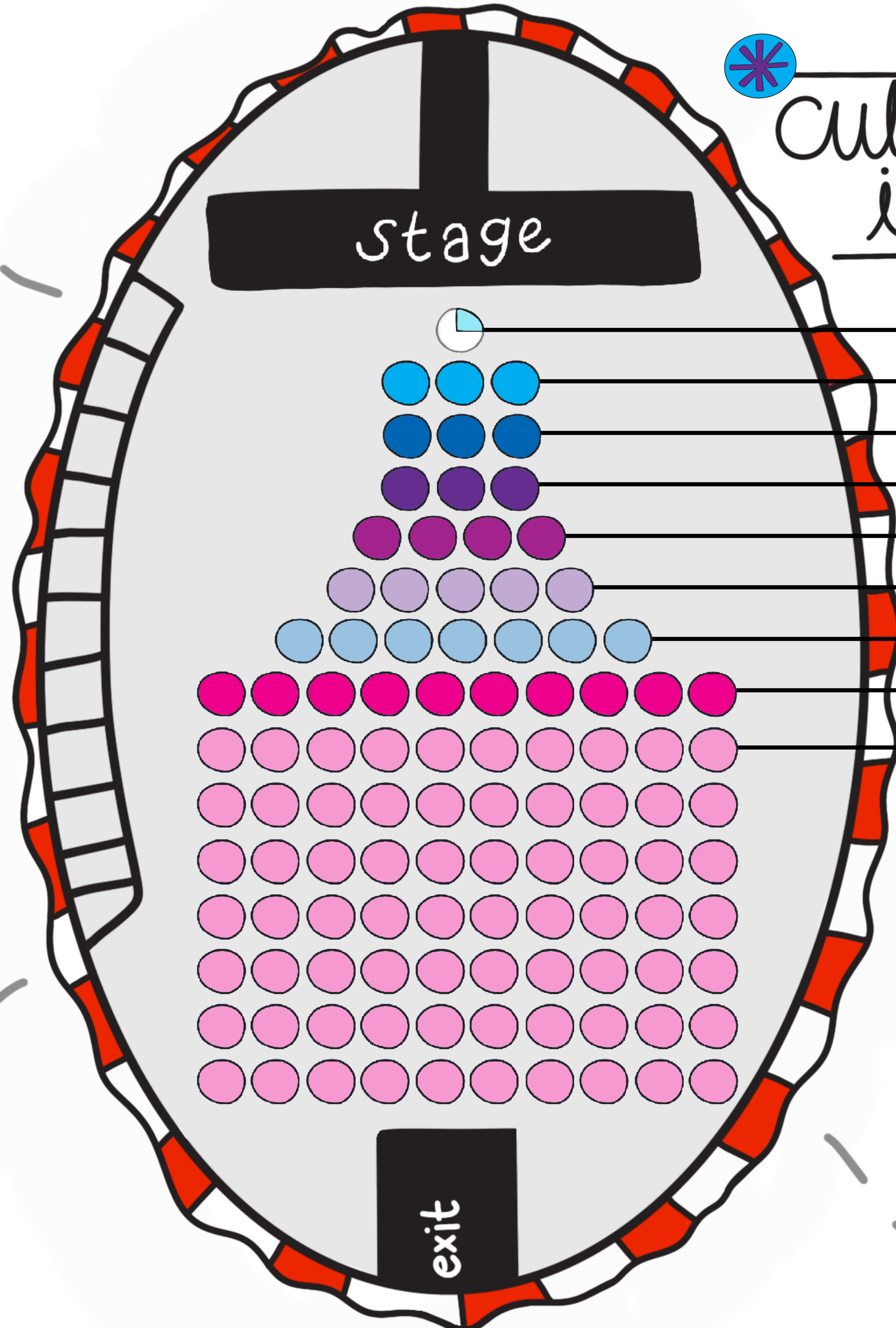
**U.S.A.**  
2,519 participants  
10.8% were born outside of the U.S.A.



**Participants Shared about**



Participants could select all options that reflected their identities and experiences. Percentages total more than 100%.



**Cultural identity**

- Pacific Islander: 0.4%
- South Asian: 3%
- Southeast Asian: 3%
- Middle Eastern: 4%
- African: 4%
- East Asian: 5%
- Hispanic or Latinx: 7%
- Indigenous: 10%
- European: 70%

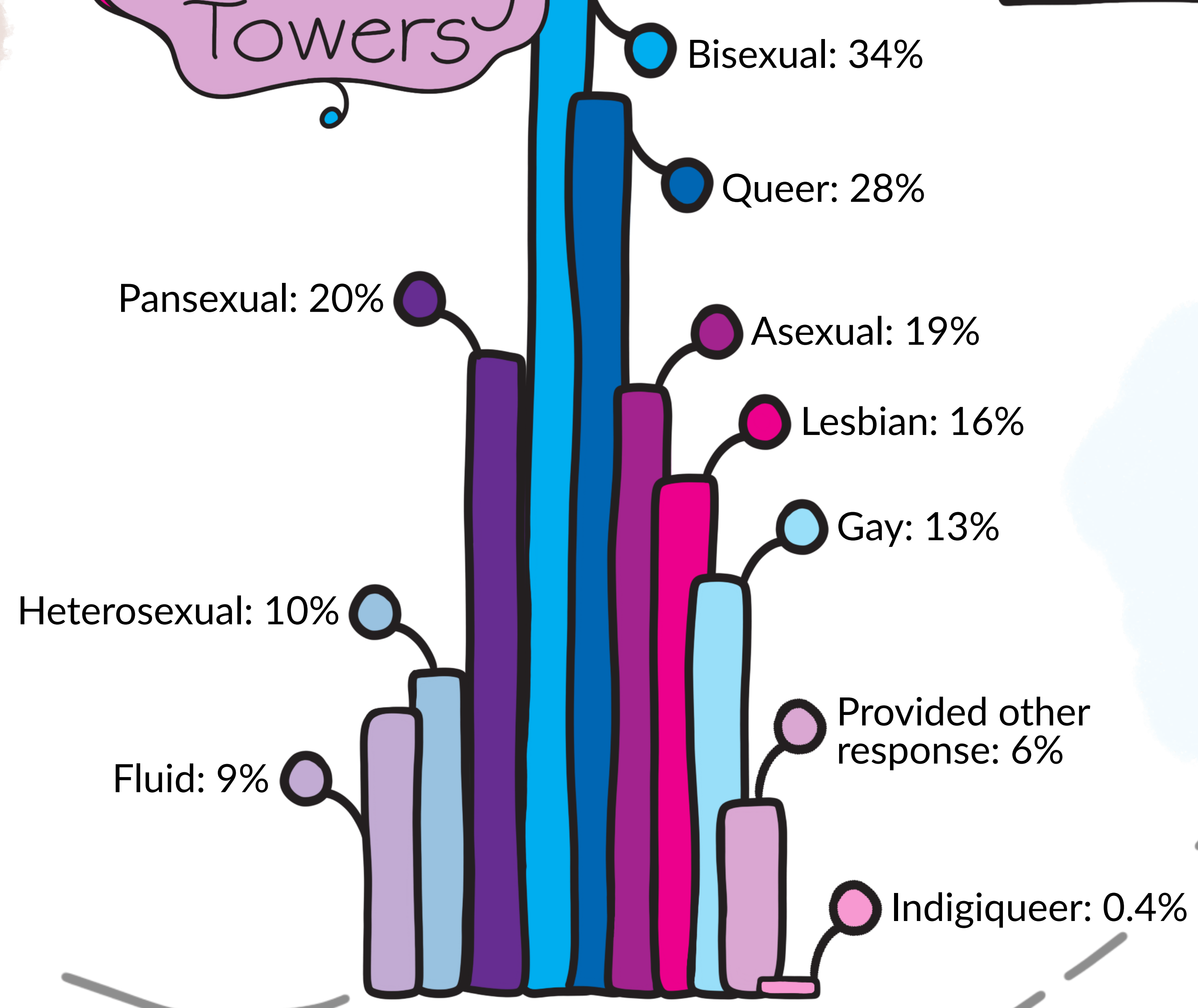


18% of Indigenous participants identified as Two-Spirit.

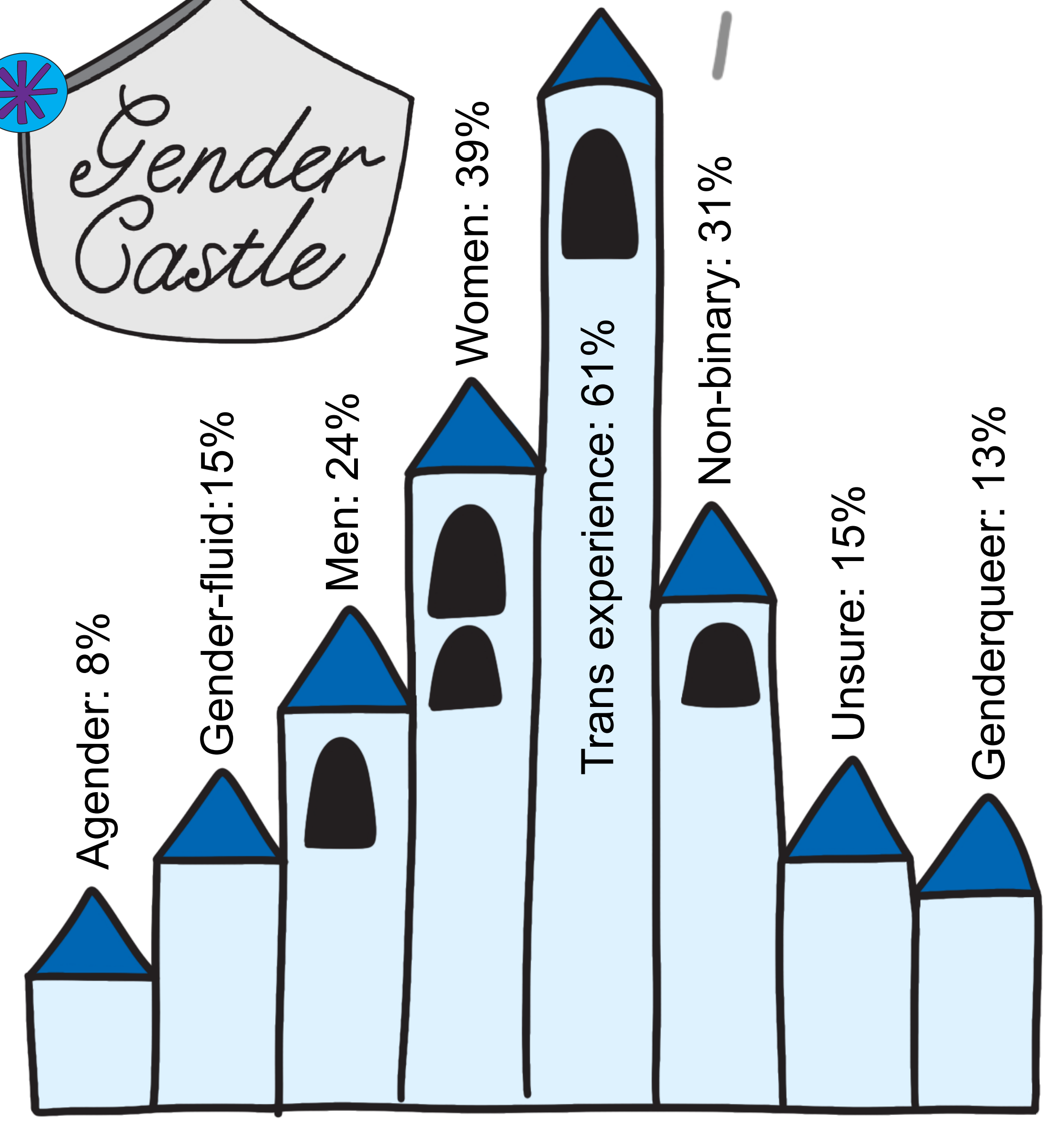


57% of respondents identified as neurodivergent. Someone who is neurodivergent has different sensory and social experiences from someone who is neurotypical. Society has been designed for neurotypical people so neurodiverse people face unique challenges. Neurodiversity included Autism, ADHD, Tourette's, other kinds of neurodevelopmental differences.

**Sexuality Towers**

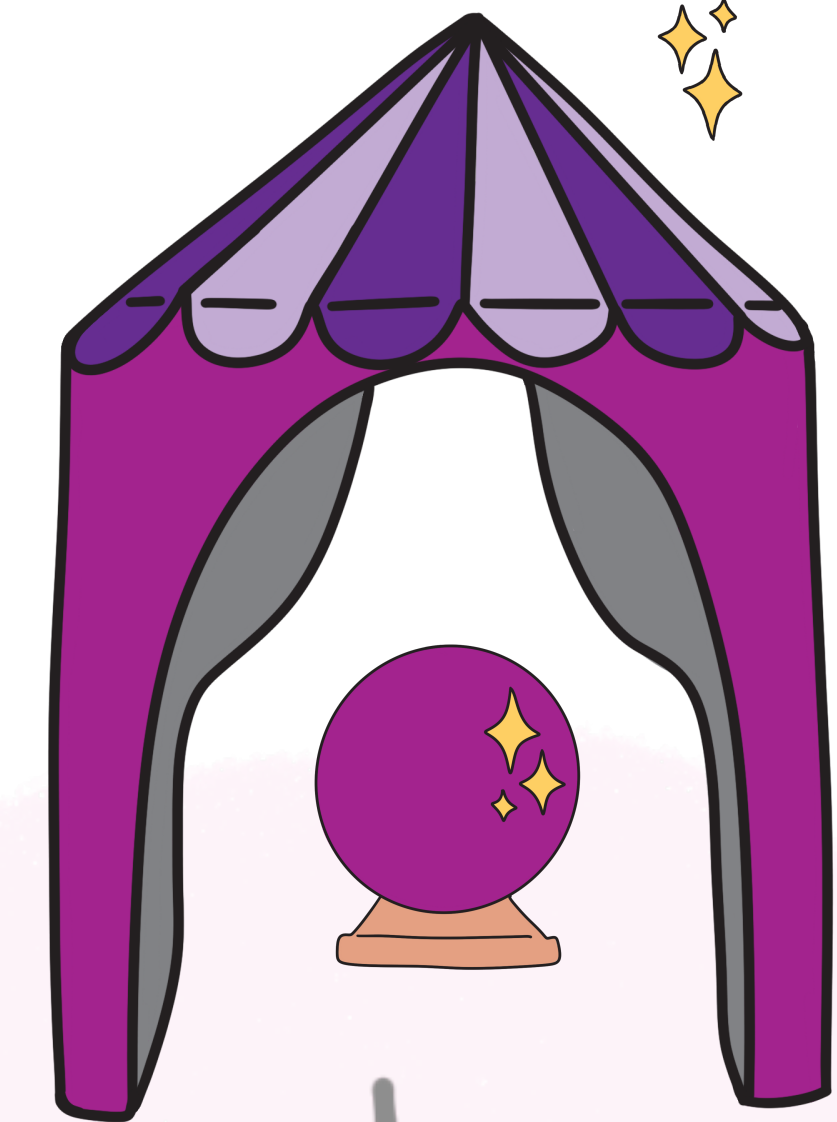


**Gender Castle**

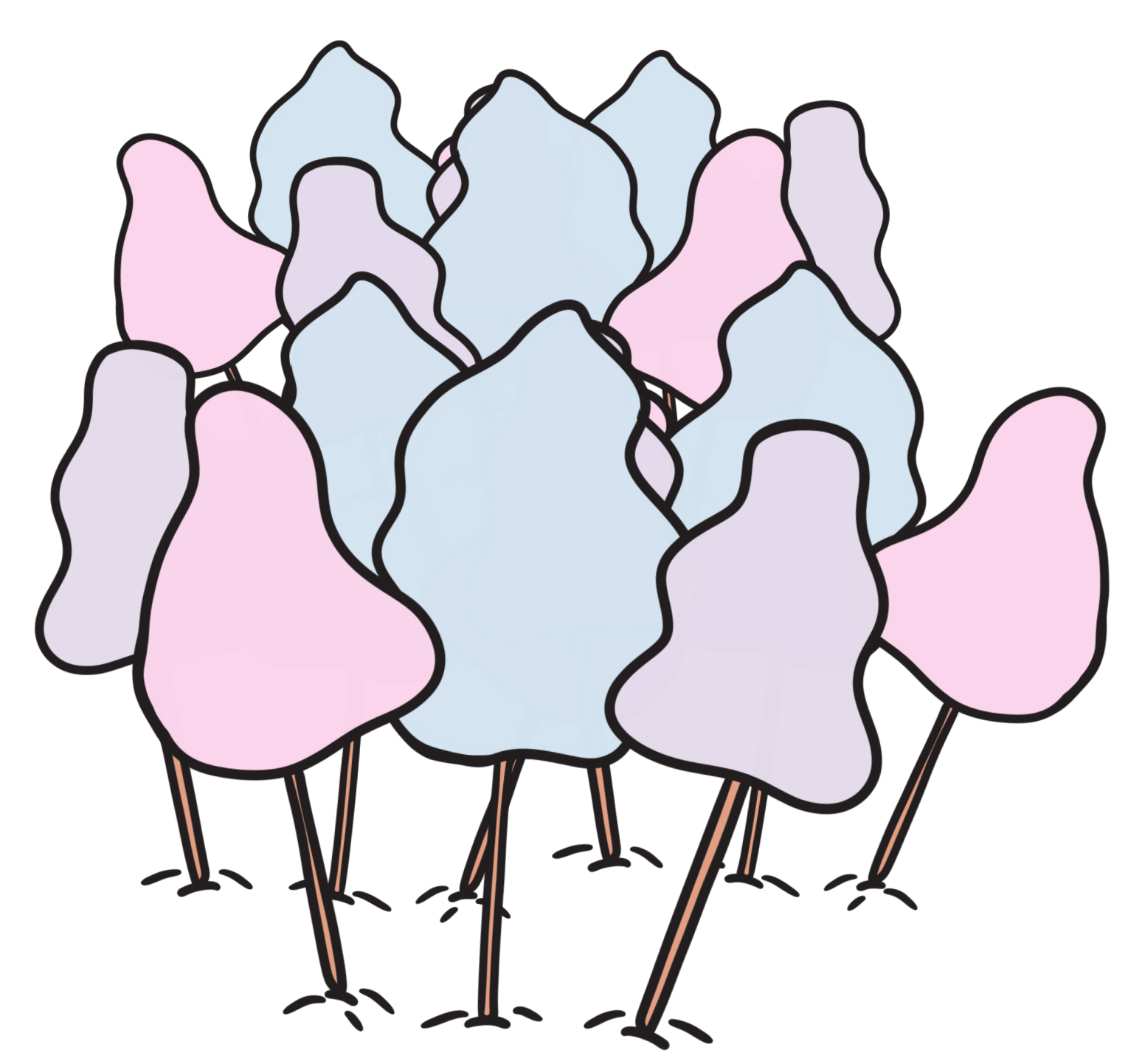


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95% of participants were people with sexual orientations other than heterosexual and/or gender identities that differed from sex/gender assigned at birth.



We'll share results from this study with 2S/LGBTQ+ youth, their allies and support networks. We'll also share results with organizations and services that serve youth, policymakers, researchers, and others who can help create safer and more affirming environments for youth.



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