

SUSTAINABILITY FRAMEWORK

Results of the Sustainability Framework Survey

SUSTAINABILITY FRAMEWORK WORKING PARTY
AUSTRALIAN ALPACA ASSOCIATION

Overview

The survey was completed by 141 of our members (approximately 15%). Respondents took an average of 16 minutes to complete the survey and we thank them for taking the time to do so.

This report provides the results of the survey.

Next Steps

Stage 2 of data collection is to survey other stakeholders in the alpaca industry – both internal and external. These will include:

- Fleece Brokers
- Mills
- Abattoirs
- Retail
- Government Departments
- Veterinarian groups
- Other experts

At the conclusion of the Stage 2 consultation, a Materiality Report will be compiled, outlining the prioritisation of topics and issues. This will feed into the Alpaca Sustainability Framework Document which will guide the development of policies, research directions, education materials and policy by the AAA Board and Regions.



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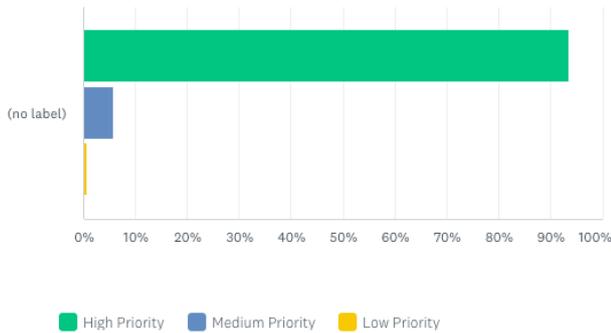
HIGH PRIORITY

Results

High Priority Topics Animal Health and Welfare

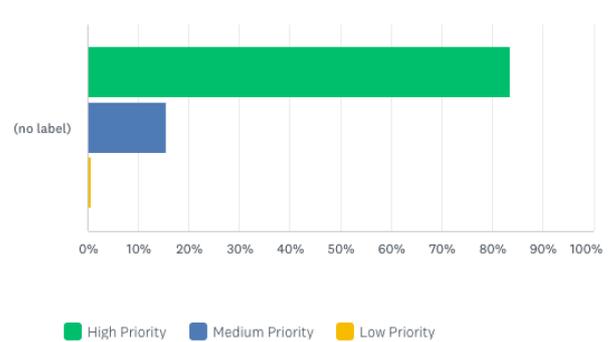
Meeting Basic Needs - Nutrition, Environment, Health, Behavi...

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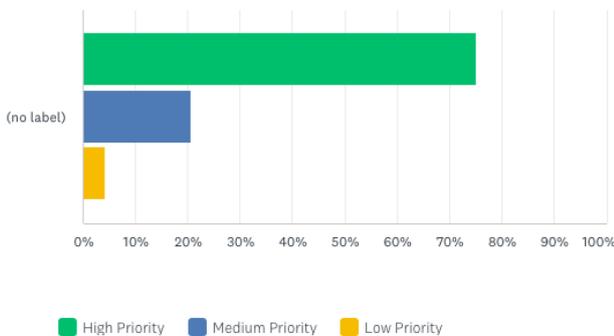
Meeting Basic Needs - Animal Welfare

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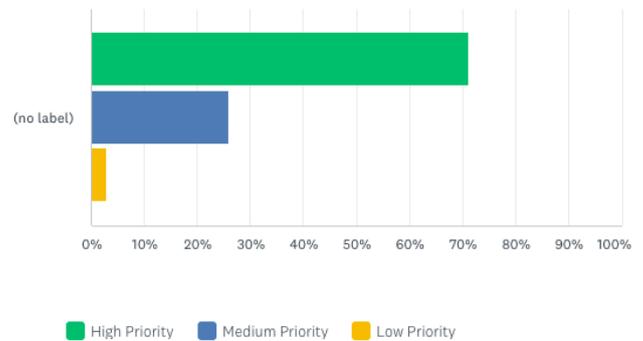
Facilities - Separate Paddocks

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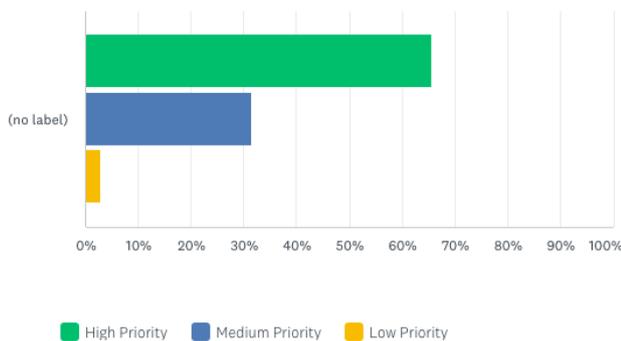
Animal Husbandry - Injections/drenches, Trimming Toenails, B...

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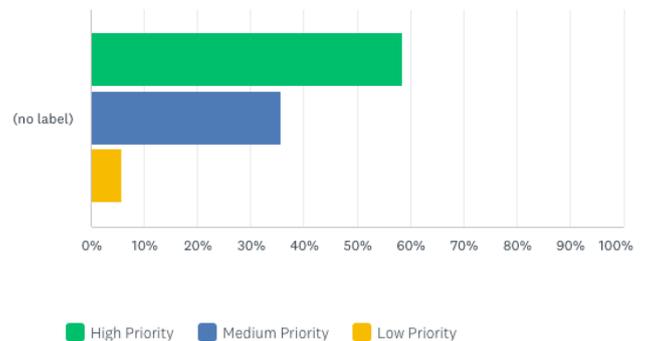
Animal Husbandry - Parasite Identification and Management

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Animal Husbandry - Breeding and Birthing

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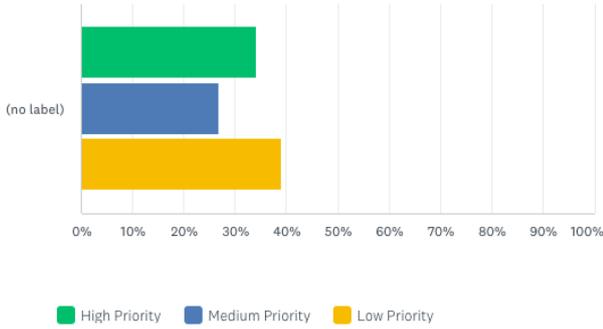


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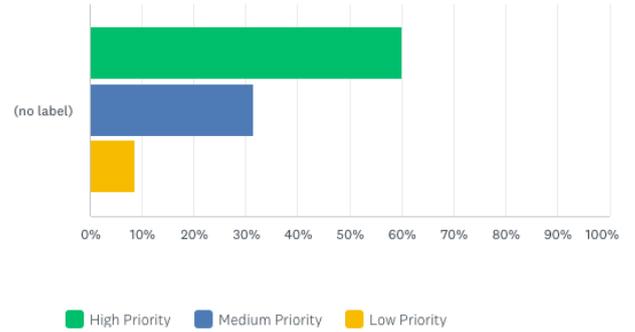
Elective Husbandry Procedures - Embryo Transfer

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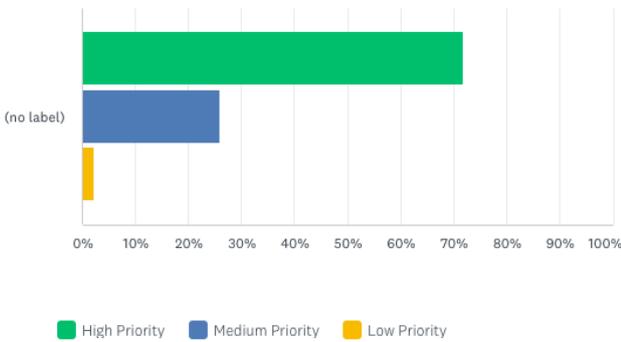
Shearing - Facilities

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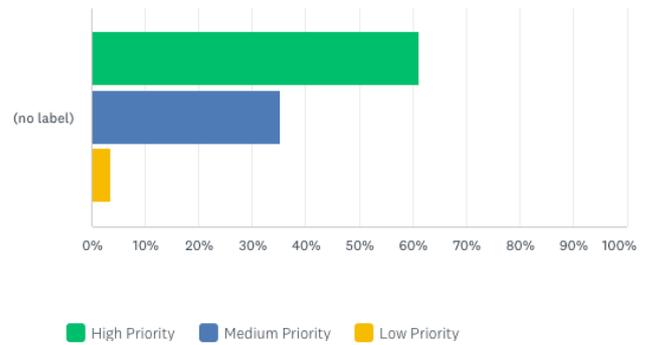
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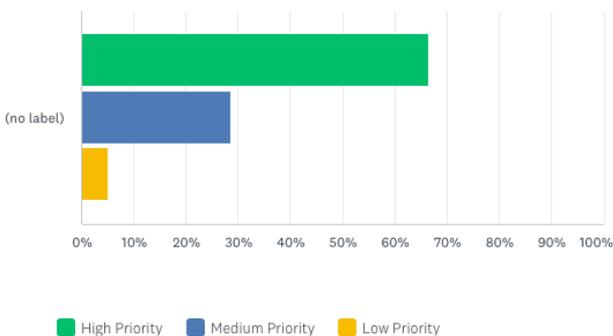
Shearing - Shelter Off Shears

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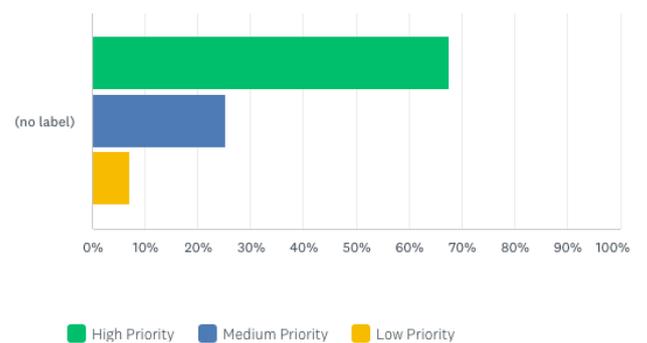
Medical Intervention and Euthanasia - When to Call a Vet

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Medical Intervention and Euthanasia - Euthanasia Guidelines

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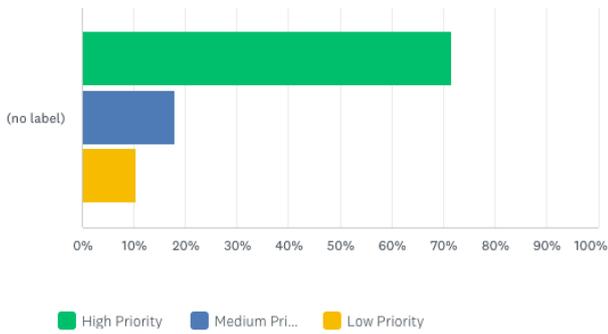


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High Priority Topics Biosecurity

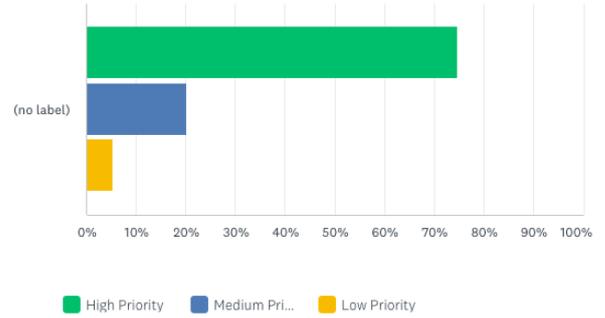
On farm Biosecurity - Property Identification Code (PIC) ***

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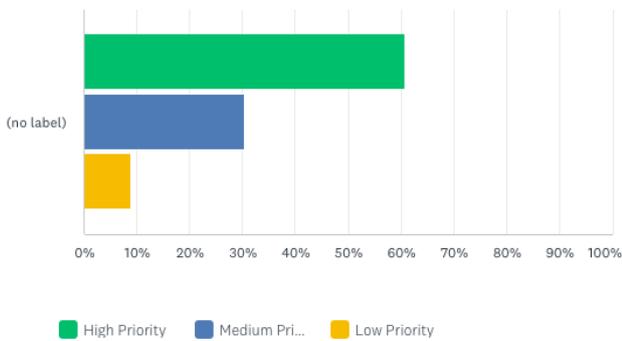
On-farm Biosecurity - Identification of Notifiable Diseases and ... ***

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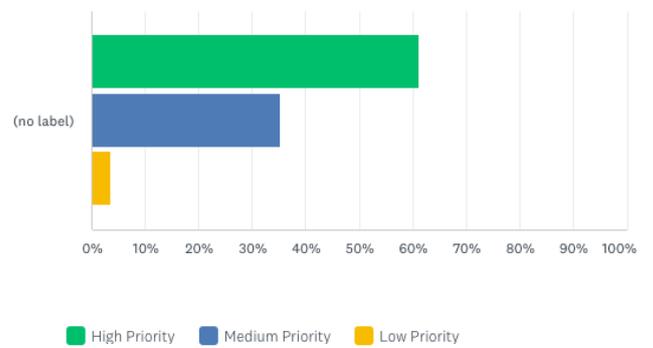
Off-farm Events -Shows, Displays and Sales ***

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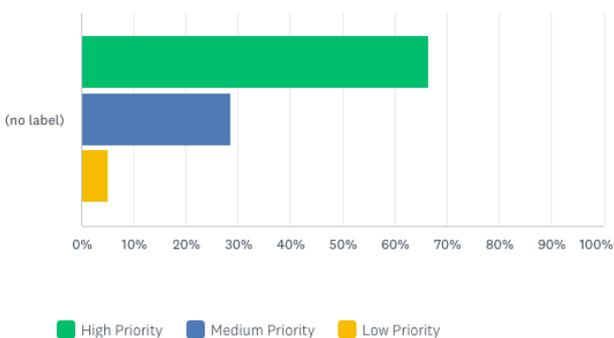
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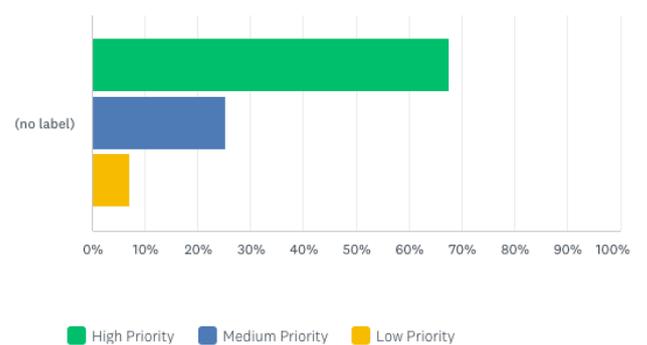
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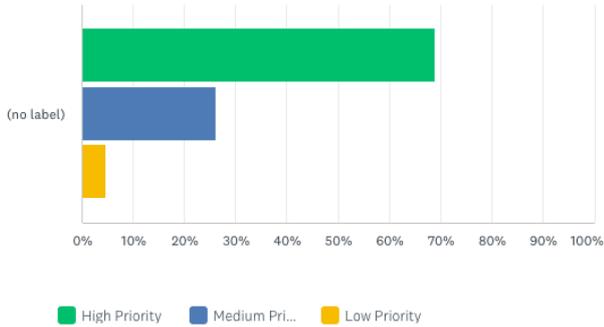


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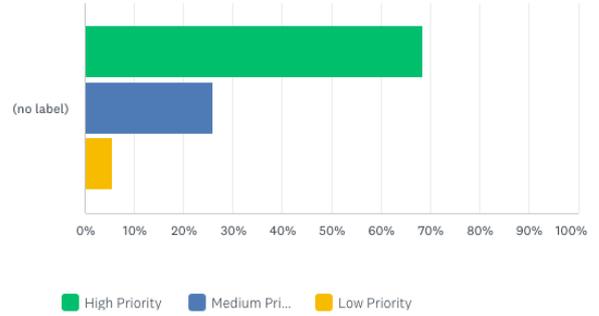
Fleece - Improving Quality and Quantity

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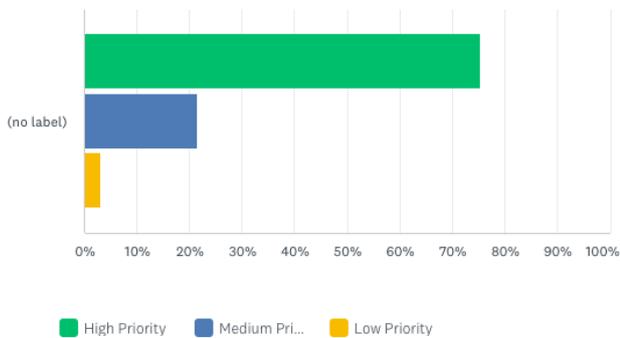
Fleece - Differentiating Alpaca Fibre from other Natural and M...

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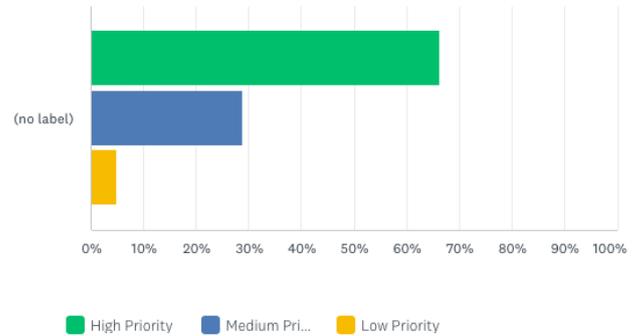
Fleece - Domestic Markets

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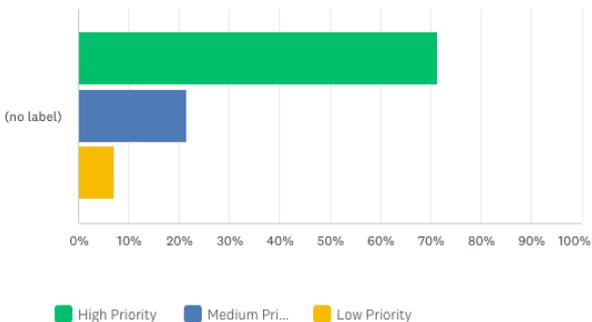
Fleece - Overseas Markets

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Animal Sales - Grow the Domestic Herd

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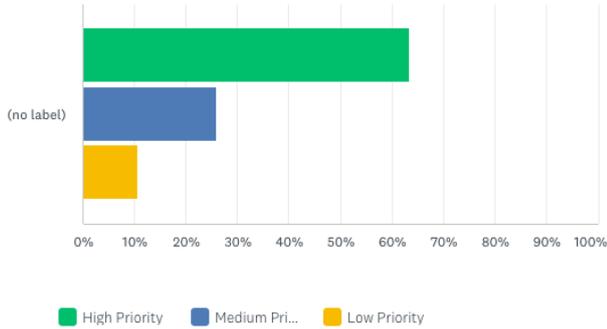


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High Priority Topics Customers and Community

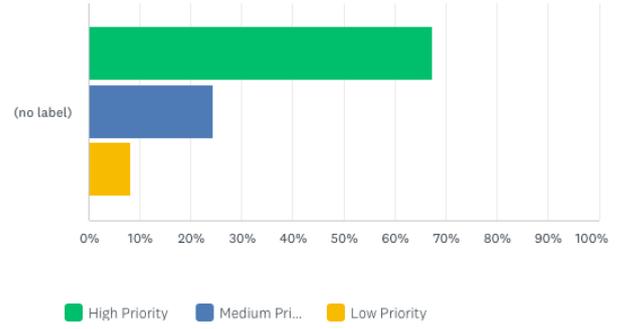
Work Health and Safety - Staff and Contractors

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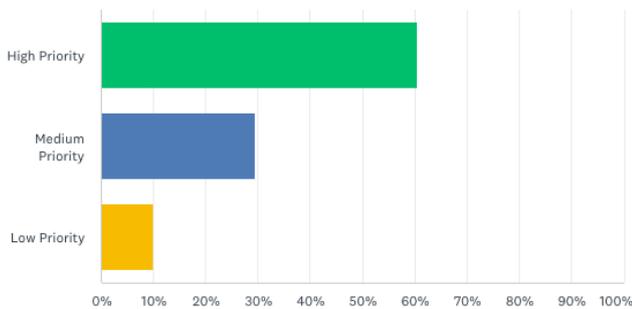
Work Health and Safety - Shearing Team

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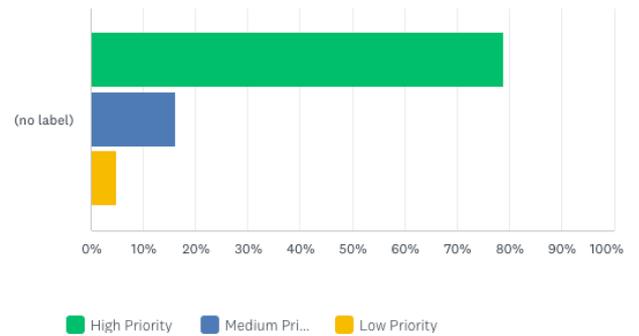
Work Health and Safety - Visitors

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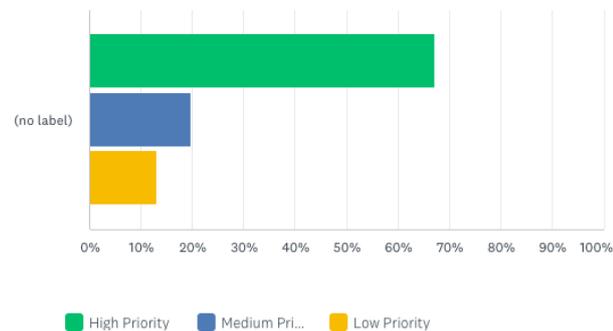
Ethics - Code of Conduct, Product Claims, Duty of Care, Transp...

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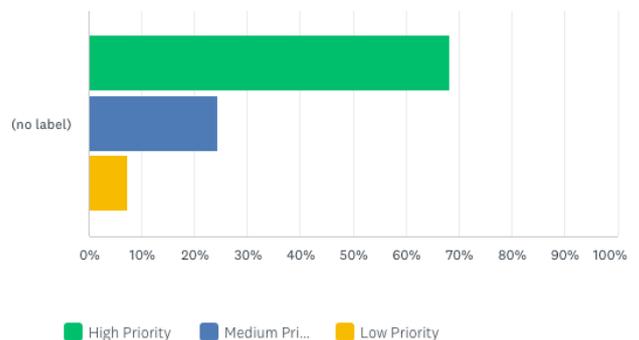
Equality

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Quality Standards and Guarantees

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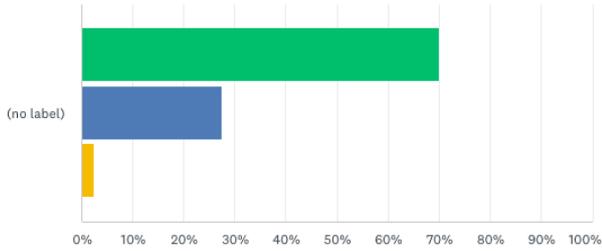
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High Priority Topics Customers and Community

Enhance Community Trust

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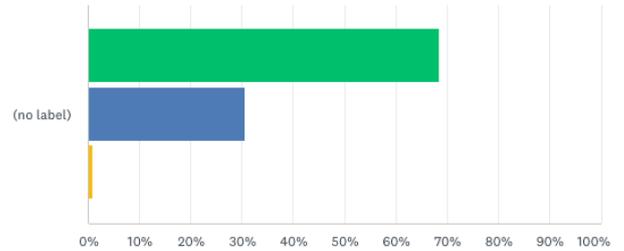


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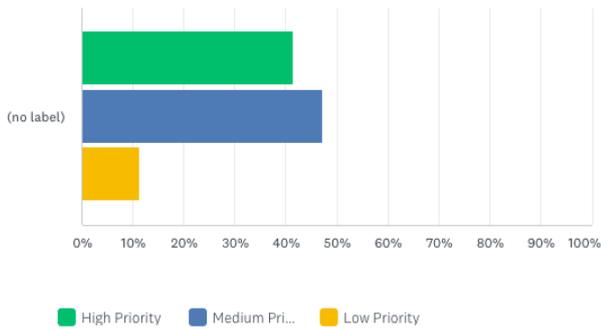
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Medium Priority Topics Animal Health and Welfare

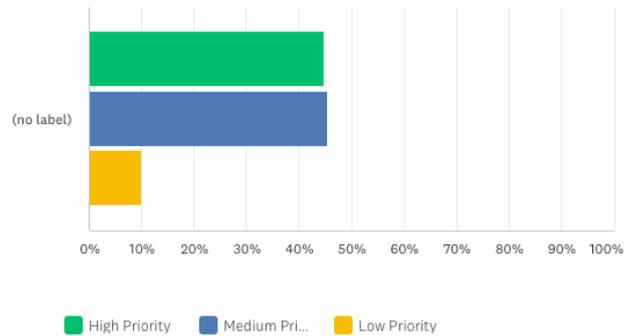
Facilities - Yards and Handling Facilities

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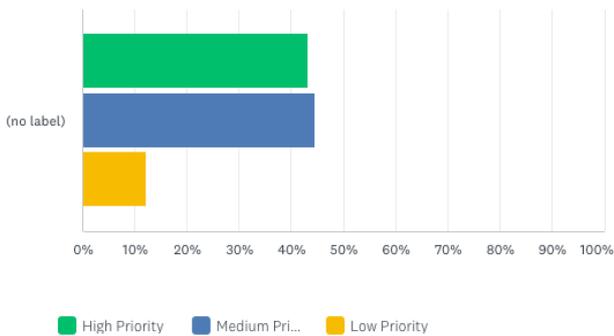
Animal Husbandry - Weaning

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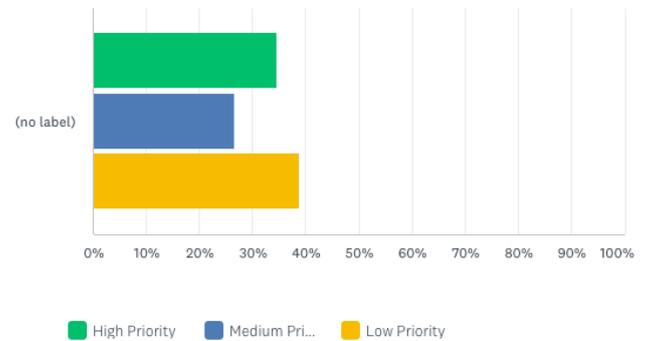
Elective Husbandry Procedures - Castration

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Elective Husbandry Procedures - Embryo Transfer

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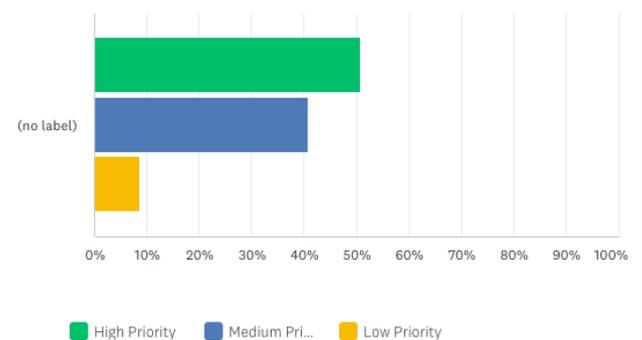
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Shearing - Trained Staff

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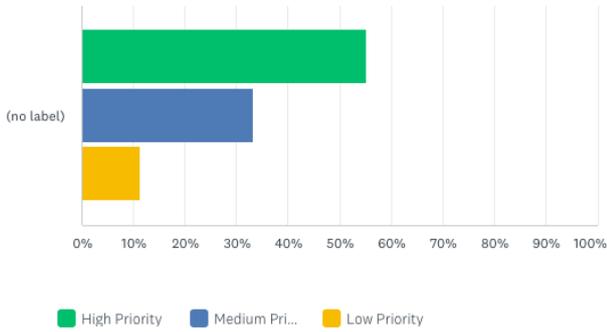


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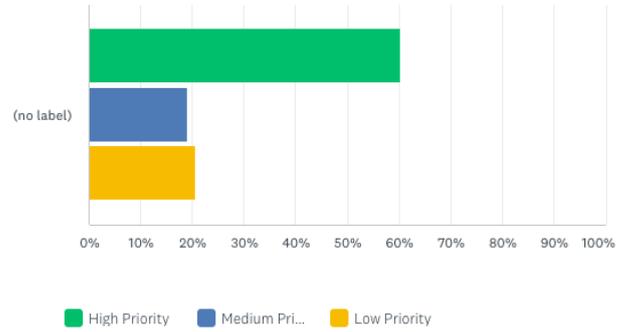
Transport - Responsibilities of Owner, Transporter and Receiver... ***

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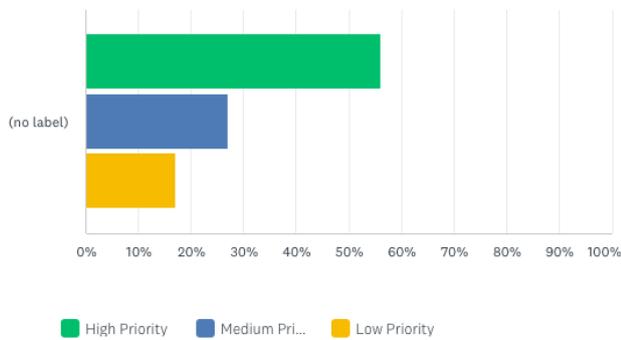
Transport - Live Animal Export. ***

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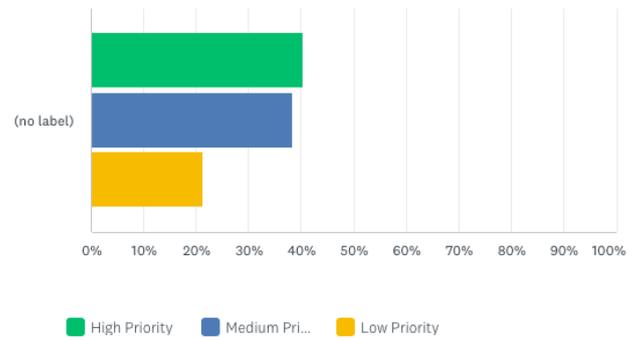
Medical Intervention and Euthanasia - Avoid Use of Drugs not S... ***

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Medical Intervention and Euthanasia - Antibiotic Use ***

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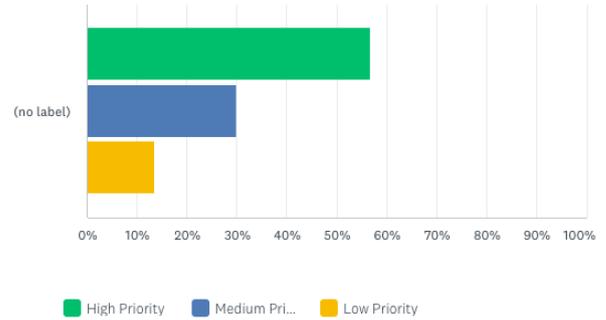
On farm Biosecurity - Waybills and Vendor Declarations

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On farm Biosecurity - Biosecurity Plan/Standard Operating Pro...

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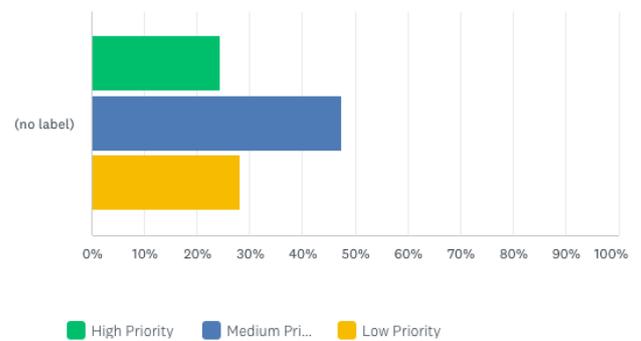
Industry-wide - Alpacas to be included in the NLIS program.

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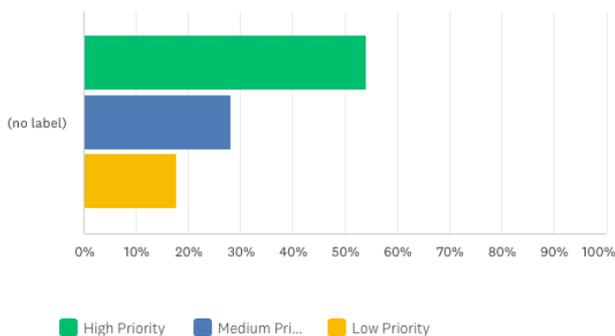
Industry-wide - Biosecurity Program.

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Industry-wide - Disease Surveillance

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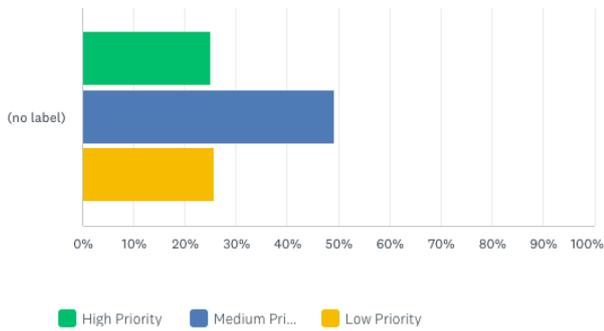


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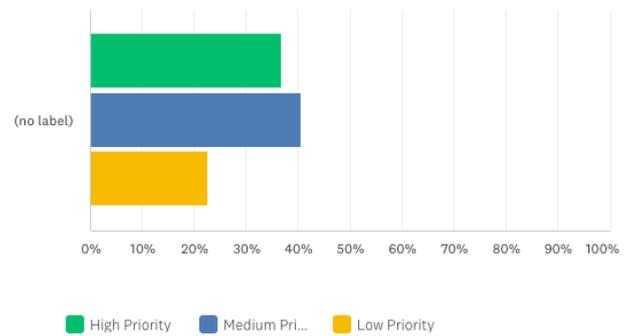
Green Alpaca Claims - Farm Impacts

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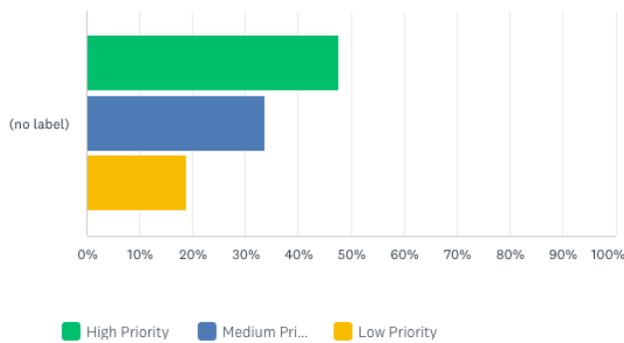
Green Alpaca Claims - Processing Impact and Product Credenti...

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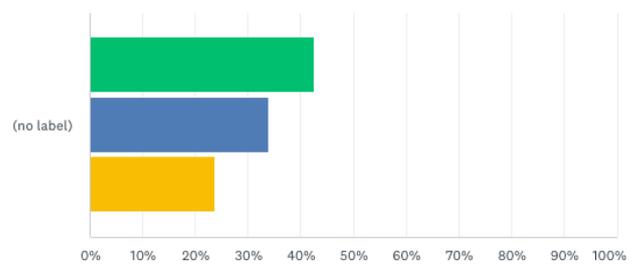
Natural Resource Management - Soil Conservation

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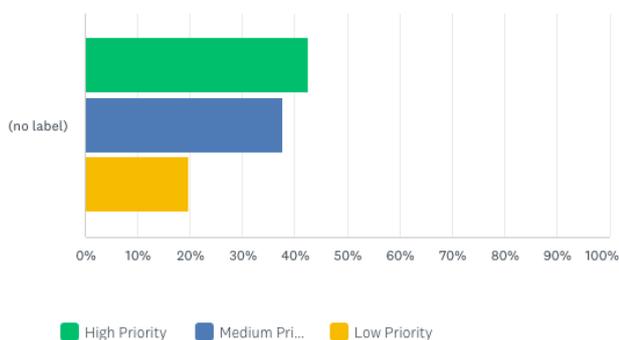
Natural Resource Management - Water Quality

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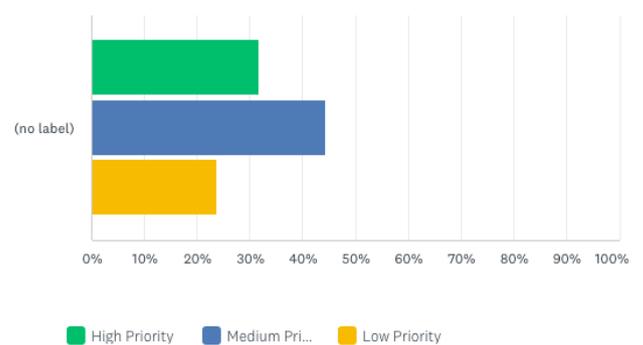
Natural Resource Management - Water Use in Processing

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Natural Resource Management - Biodiversity

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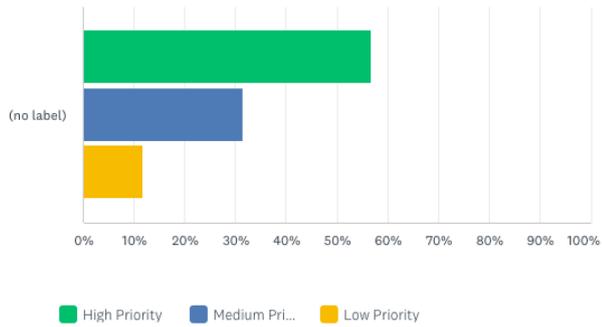


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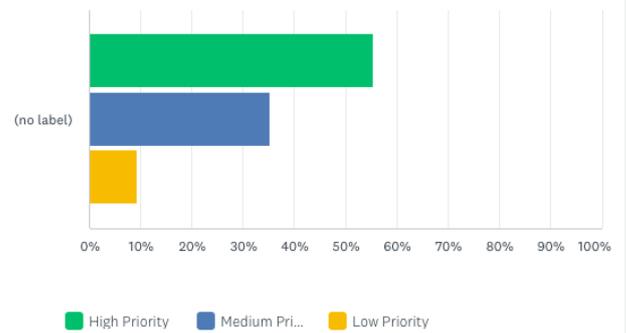
Chemicals - Appropriate Use, Handling, Storage and Disposal

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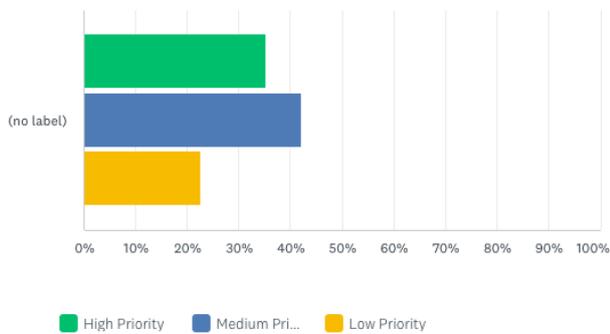
Pest and Weed Management - Pest Animals and Weeds

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Climate Change - Greenhouse Gas Emissions

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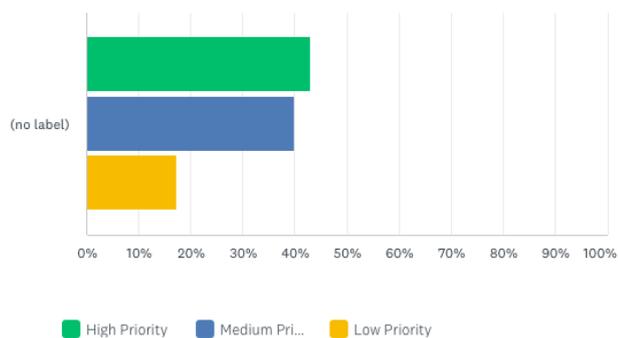
Climate Change - Energy Use and Renewable Energy

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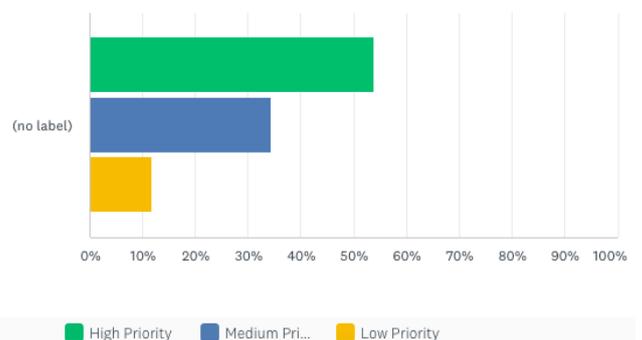
Climate Change - Adapt to Climate Change

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Climate Change - Natural Disaster Planning

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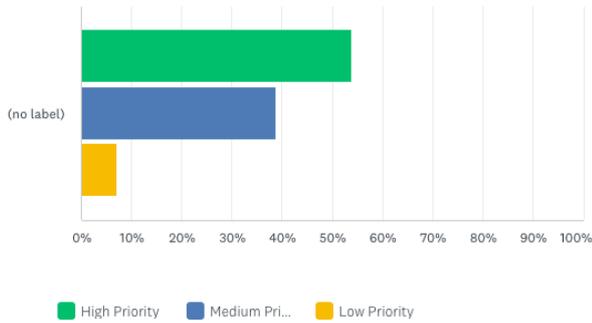


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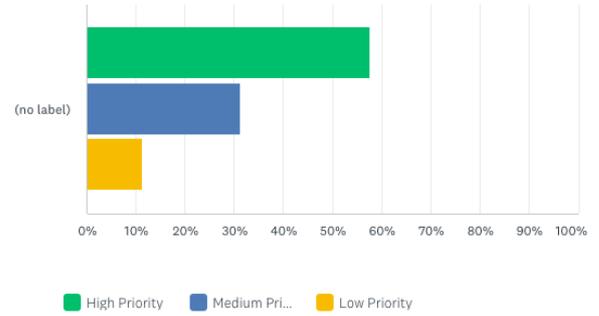
Fleece - Shearing Shed Setup and Pre-Classing

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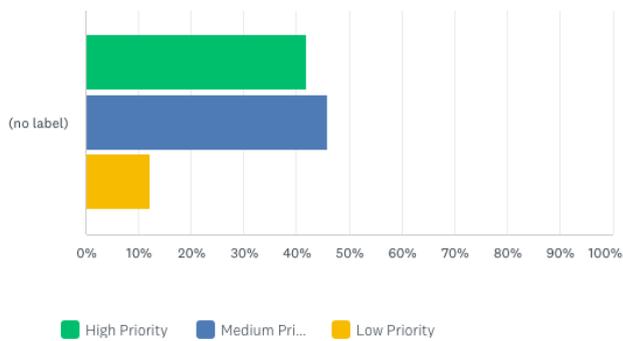
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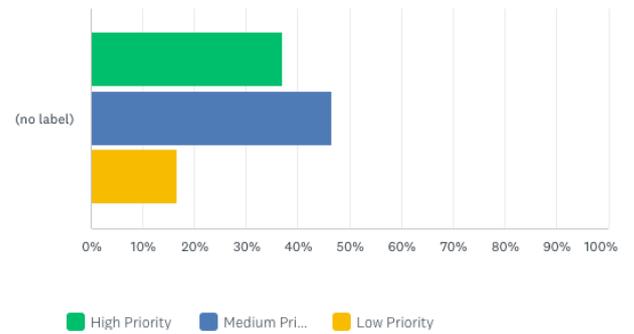
Meat and Hides - Meat Market

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Meat and Hides - Hides Processing

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Medium Priority Topics Customers and Community

Work Health and Safety - Veterinarians

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