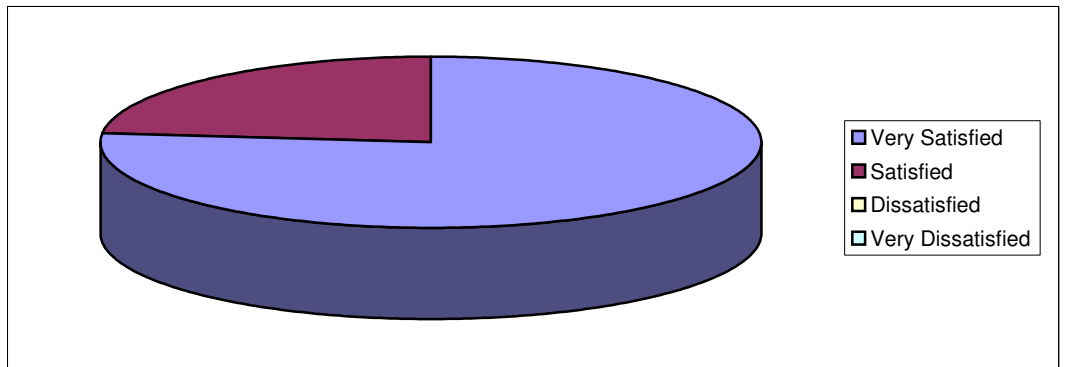


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How satisfied were you with the registration process?

Very Satisfied	33
Satisfied	10
Dissatisfied	0
Very Dissatisfied	0

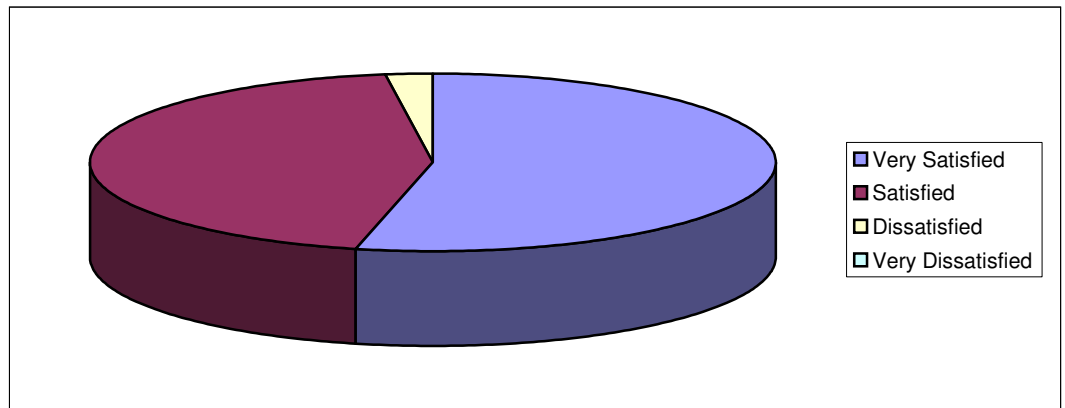
Notes:



How satisfied were you with the conference materials provided?

Very Satisfied	23
Satisfied	19
Dissatisfied	1
Very Dissatisfied	0

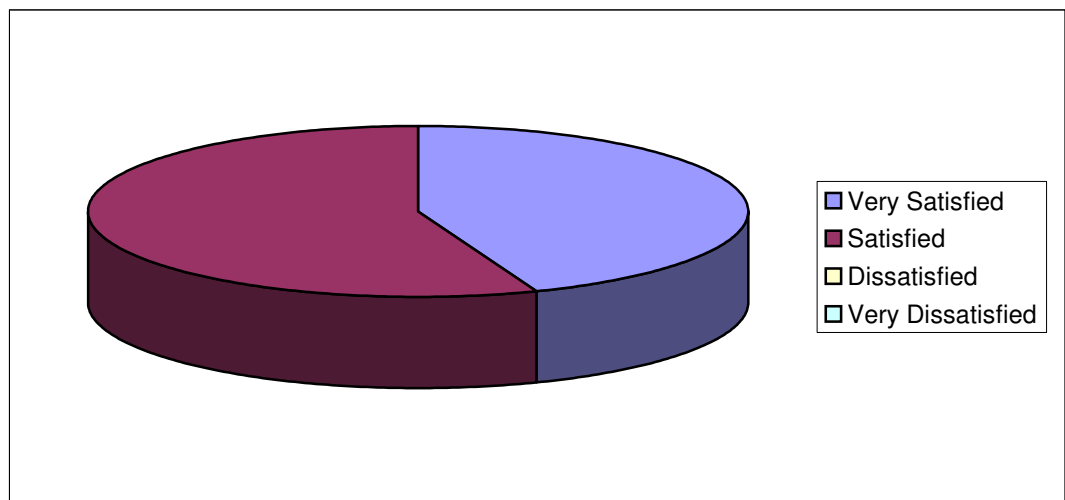
Notes: General questions about the availability of the presentations and attendee contacts on the website.



Overall, how satisfied were you with the speakers / presenters?

Very Satisfied	19
Satisfied	24
Dissatisfied	0
Very Dissatisfied	0

Notes: 1. + Simmons, Bonvillian, Ha, Gibson
 2. Blah, blah
 3. Redundant, and not much potential for attendee / presenter interaction.

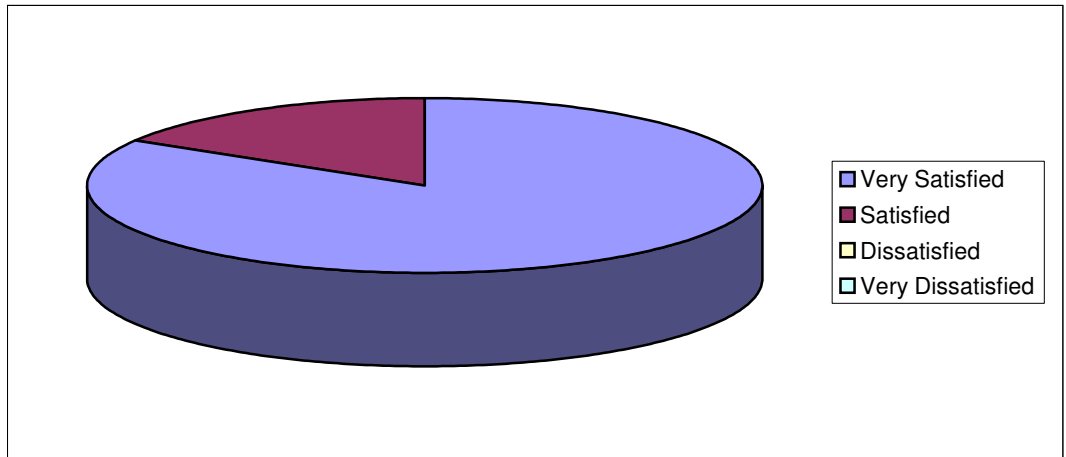


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Overall, how satisfied were you with the conference facilities?

Very Satisfied	36
Satisfied	7
Dissatisfied	0
Very Dissatisfied	0

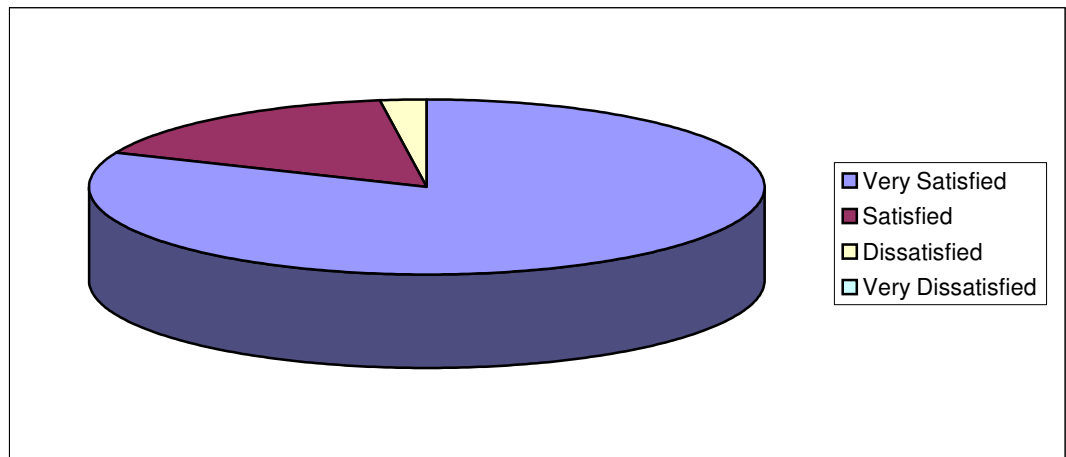
Notes: Satisfied, though would be good to seat a lower energy-demand facility.



Overall, how satisfied were you with the conference food & beverage offered?

Very Satisfied	35
Satisfied	7
Dissatisfied	1
Very Dissatisfied	0

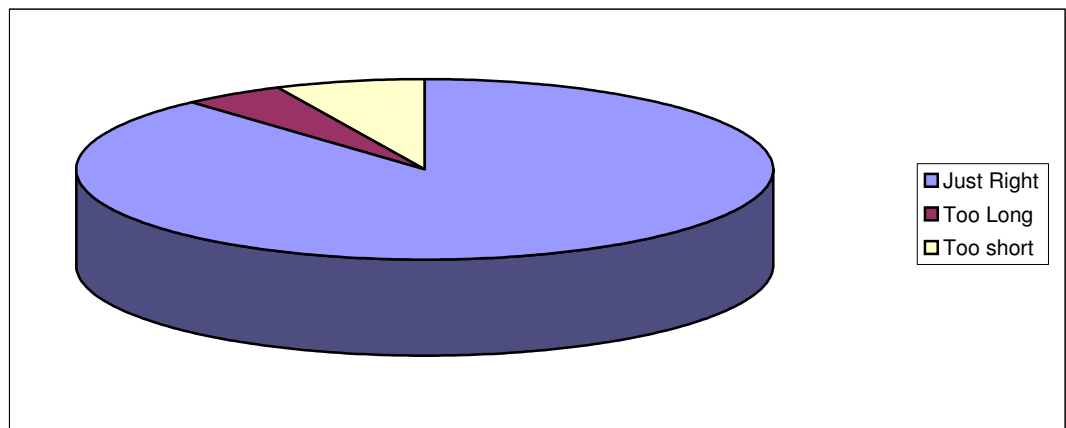
Notes: 1. Could taste the chlorine in the coffee. Filtered water would be better.
 2. Would appreciate a non-sugar snack option in the afternoon.



Did you feel the length of the conference sessions were too long, just about right, or too short?

Just Right	38
Too Long	2
Too short	3

Notes: Too long, too short... depended on the presenter.

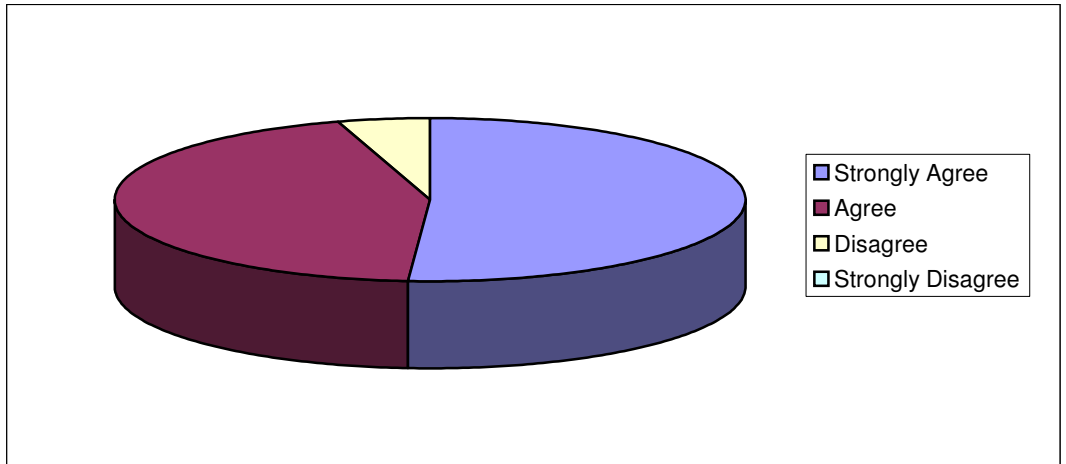


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The content of the conference sessions was appropriate and informative.

Strongly Agree	22
Agree	19
Disagree	2
Strongly Disagree	0

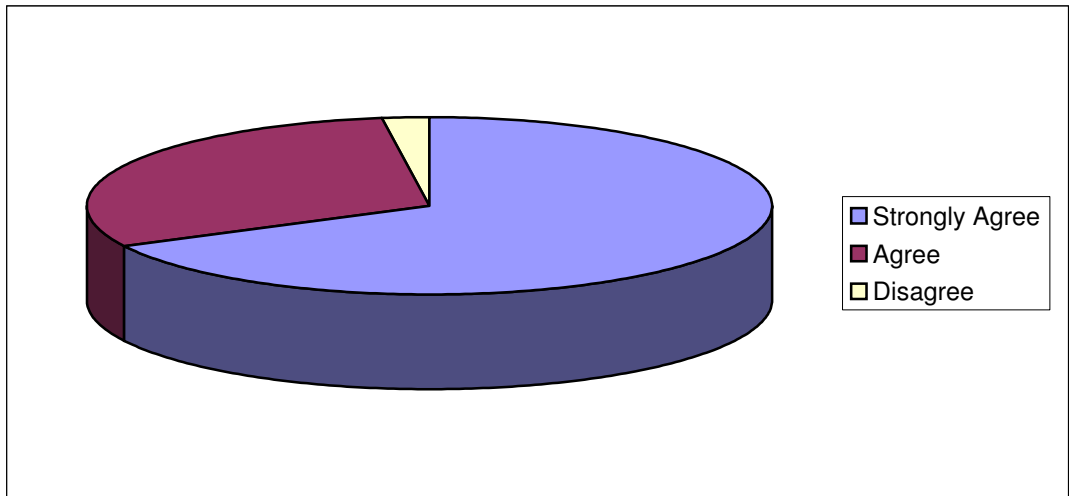
Notes: Too much "preaching to the choir"! Lots of graphs and charts and too much idealism-need more realism! Talk! Talk! Talk!



The conference was well organized.

Strongly Agree	29
Agree	13
Disagree	1
Strongly Disagree	0

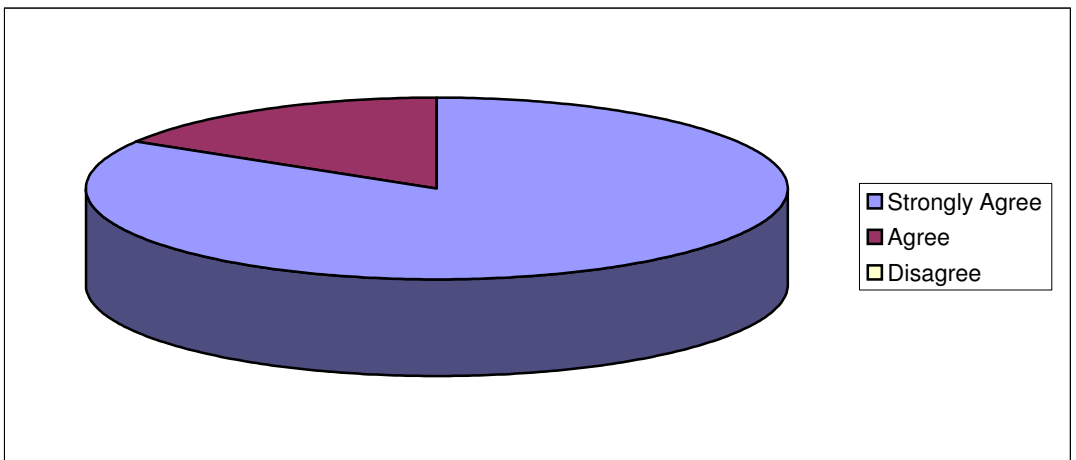
Notes: Too many soft questions to panelists, More Q & A from participants to panel members.



Conference staff was helpful and courteous.

Strongly Agree	36
Agree	7
Disagree	0
Strongly Disagree	0

Notes: Excellent!



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What kinds of sessions would you like to see at future conferences?

1. Waste to Energy- there was no mention of this during the conference, which is surprising and disturbing! Too much "designer-type" discussions on energy (wind, geothermal, ocean).
2. Some type of initiative for follow-up committee action.
3. How to make \$ with alternative energy?!
4. Cost benefit and break-even for alternative energy projects.
5. More specifics about HCEI; more realistic analyses of information of refining & use of alternative transport.
6. Understanding the existing state of energy infrastructure and a gap analysis to the desired future.
7. Further discussion on next steps.
8. A break-out session to group people by interests / capabilities. Representatives from each breakout group could be a part of the coalition which brings focus to our plan to come up with our "menu of solutions." Groups to include: education; power companies; private industries; gov. reps.; non-profits. Steve Bowles and Tony Hanley listed who some of these groups might be.
9. The panels with extended audience participation.
10. Waste energy; consumption & disposal issues; recycling & consumption.
11. Waste to energy.
12. Who is doing what to implement changes in policy & technology.
13. IAL and related issues.
14. Renewable energy technology speakers: algae; solar; wind; wave/tidal/OTEC. More discussion on technology integration.
15. More one on one with harder questions.
16. Review of Hawaii Clean Energy Plan.
17. More speakers speaking specifically about issues / problems on the Big Island.
18. Role of electric utilities - specific focus; Role of government - specific focus; How to mobilize action / sustained momentum.
19. Barriers to moving forward and what can be done now to overcome them.
20. What is being done on the ground?! What more do we need to get where we need to be? Where are the resources for those working on projects?
21. More discussion of unintended consequences of utility-driven energy policy.