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GGP Belgium Proceedings

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Wave 1: Fieldwork

- Initial sample:
February 2008 – April 2009
 - Regional supplementary samples:
November 2009 – May 2010
- Reference date fieldwork wave 1:
1/1/2009

Wave 1: Data

- Belgian data available:
 - Release by Statistics Belgium pending
- HDF version of the data:
 - Pre-harmonization finished
 - Final harmonization after data release

Wave 1: Data

- Raw sample: **N=17836**
- Number of full interviews:
 - Total: N= **7163**
- Number of full interviews by NUTS 1 region:

	(% in sample)	(% in population)	
– Flanders:	3860 (54%)	(58%)	
– Brussels:	680 (10%)	(10%)	
– Wallonia:	2623 (36%)	(32%)	

Wave 1: Stratification

- Disproportional stratification by region
- Proportional (post)stratification by sex and age (age categories 18-44 & 45-79) within regions
- National weighting coefficients correct for disproportional stratification by region

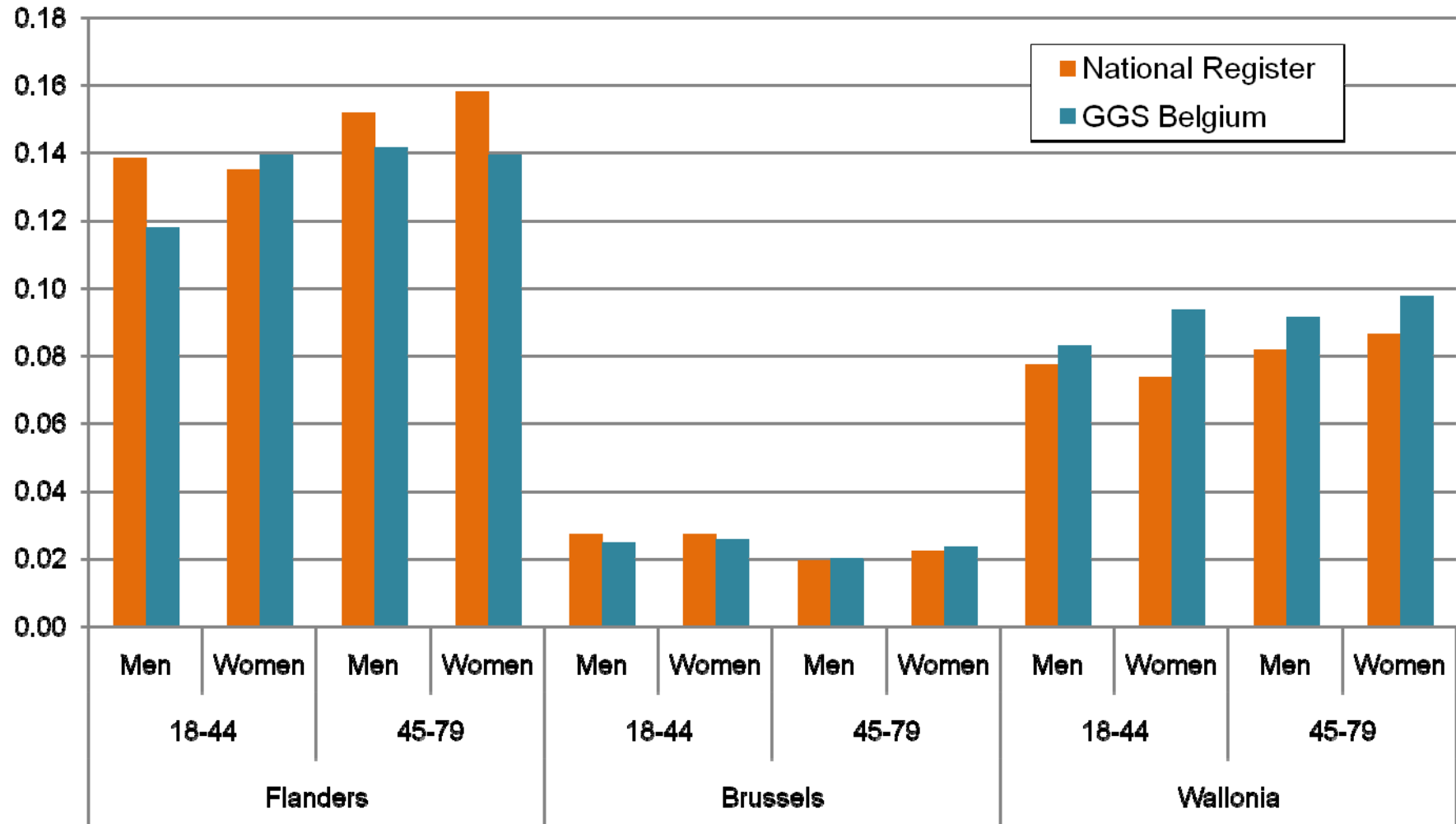
Wave 1: Weighting

- National level

- Correction for disproportional stratification of NUTS 1 regions
- Correction for non-response by strata (i.e. sex and age groups 18-44 & 45-79)
- Rescaling to effective sample size on national level

GGG Wave 1, weighting national level

Relative Distribution of Sampling Strata,
GGG Belgium (unweighted) versus National Register



Wave 1: Standard indicators

- Response rate: 41,90%
- Contact rate: 86,60%
- Refusal rate: 36,68%
- Cooperation rate: 48,38%

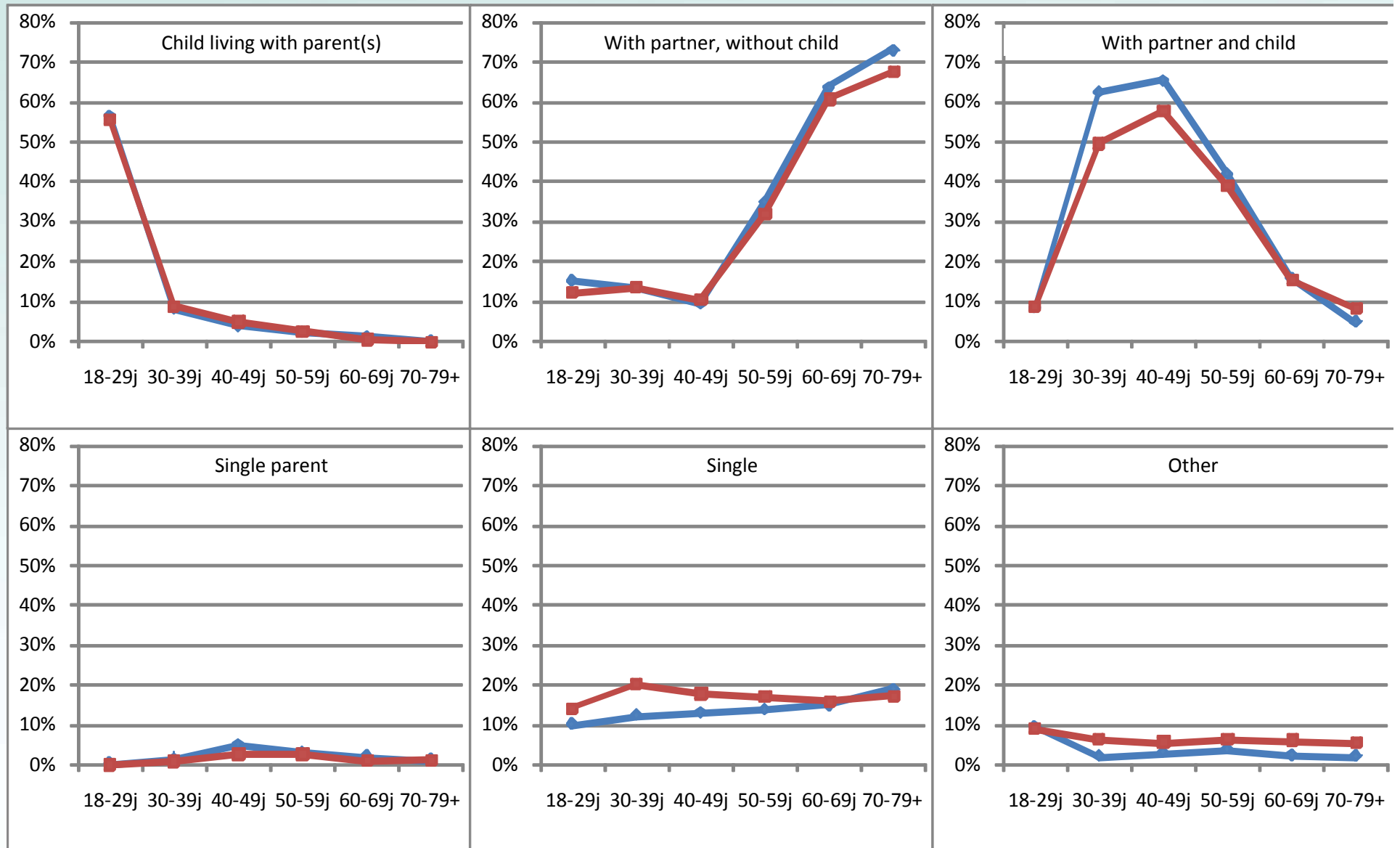
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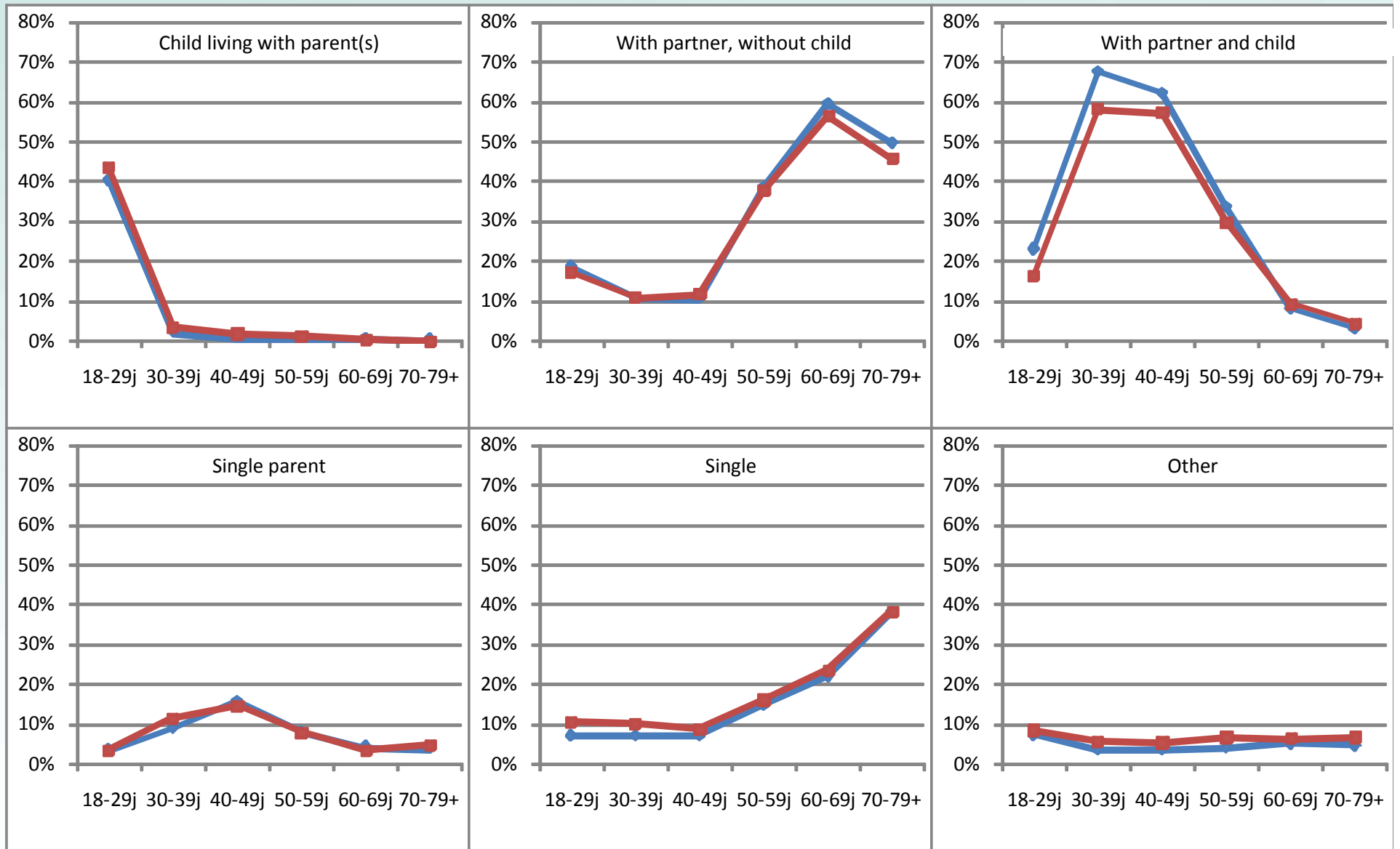
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Wave 1: Interviewer Observations

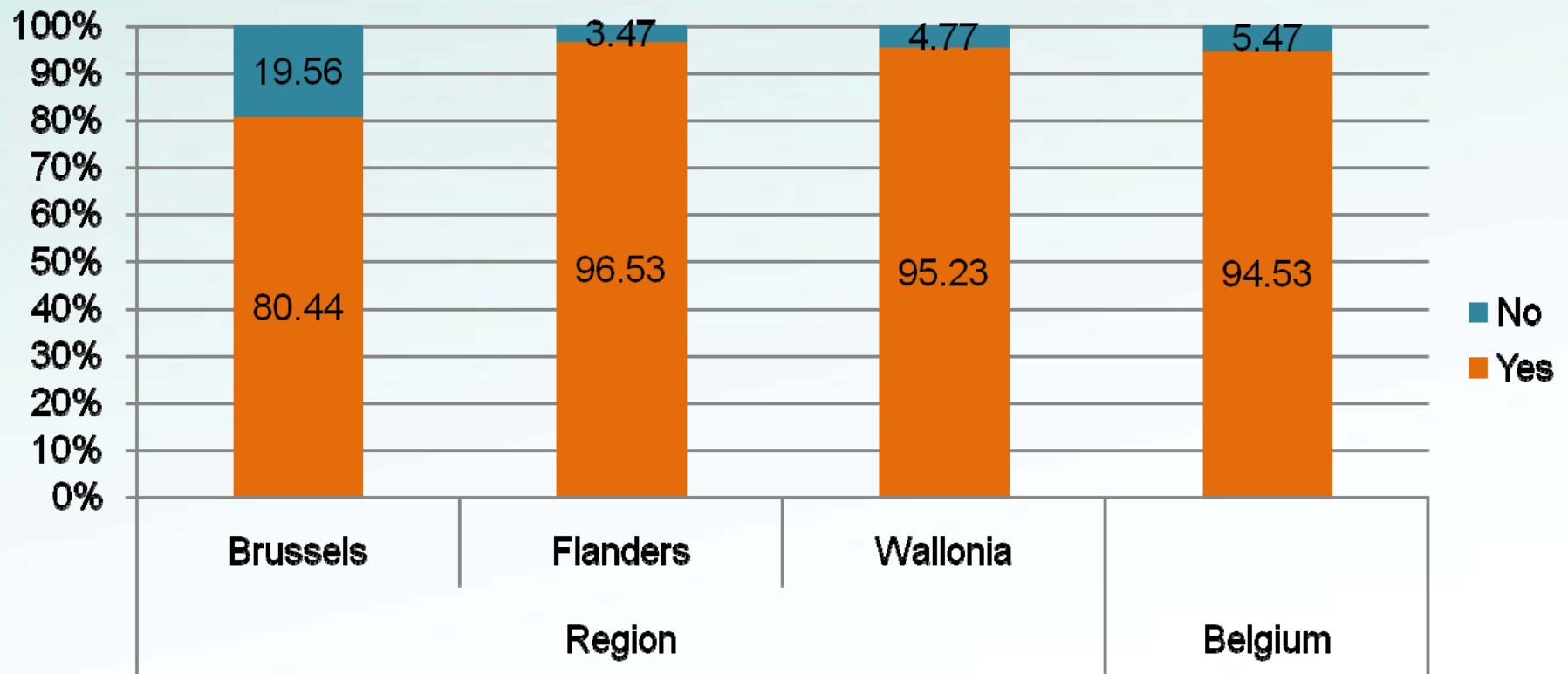
- Item non-response

- Row: percentage ‘don’t know’ or ‘refusal’ of all questions asked

	Don't know		Refusal	
	N	%	N	%
0 %	1914	26,72%	5247	73,25%
0% -< 1%	3085	43,07%	1542	21,53%
1% -< 2%	1191	16,63%	215	3,00%
2% -< 5%	860	12,01%	110	1,54%
5% -< 10%	101	1,41%	31	0,43%
10% -< 20%	9	0,13%	14	0,20%
20% -< 30%	2	0,03%	3	0,04%
30% -< 40%	0	0,00%	0	0,00%
40% - 100%	1	0,01%	1	0,01%
Total	7163	100,00%	7163	100,00%

Wave 1: Interviewer Observations

Do you want to participate to the second wave of GGS Belgium?



Wave 1: Documentation

- **Documentation:**
 - Questionnaire (FR/NL)
 - Codebook (FR/NL)
 - Working paper Sampling design (EN): in preparation
 - Working paper Fieldwork (EN): in preparation
 - Working paper Response Analysis (EN): in preparation
 - Basic report (FR/NL/EN): in preparation
- **Website: www.ggps.be**
 - under construction





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