

First results of the survey

“Our future with VMS”

VMSgenerations

(Presented during our meeting on the 18th November 2021)

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Who answered ?

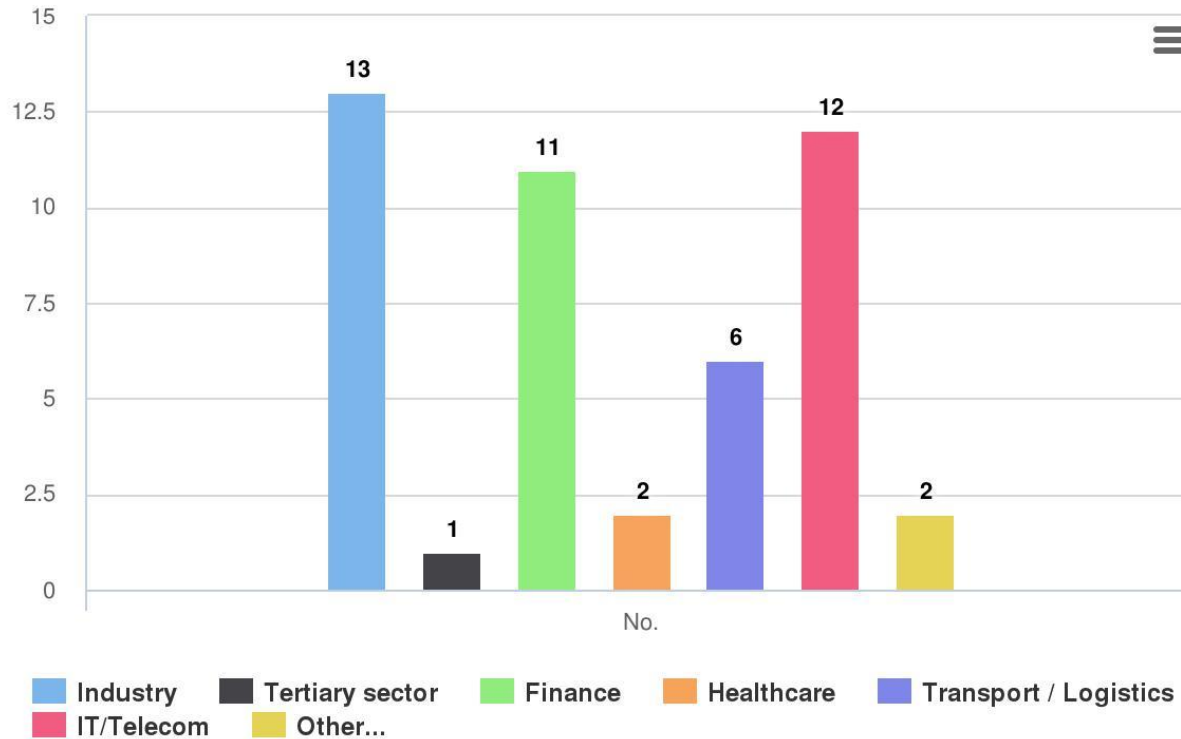
Around 25 % of our known users base answered

These answers were received in the first week after publication (21 september 2021)

All these answers were received before VSI announcement of changes in their x86 roadmap (27 september)

Who ?

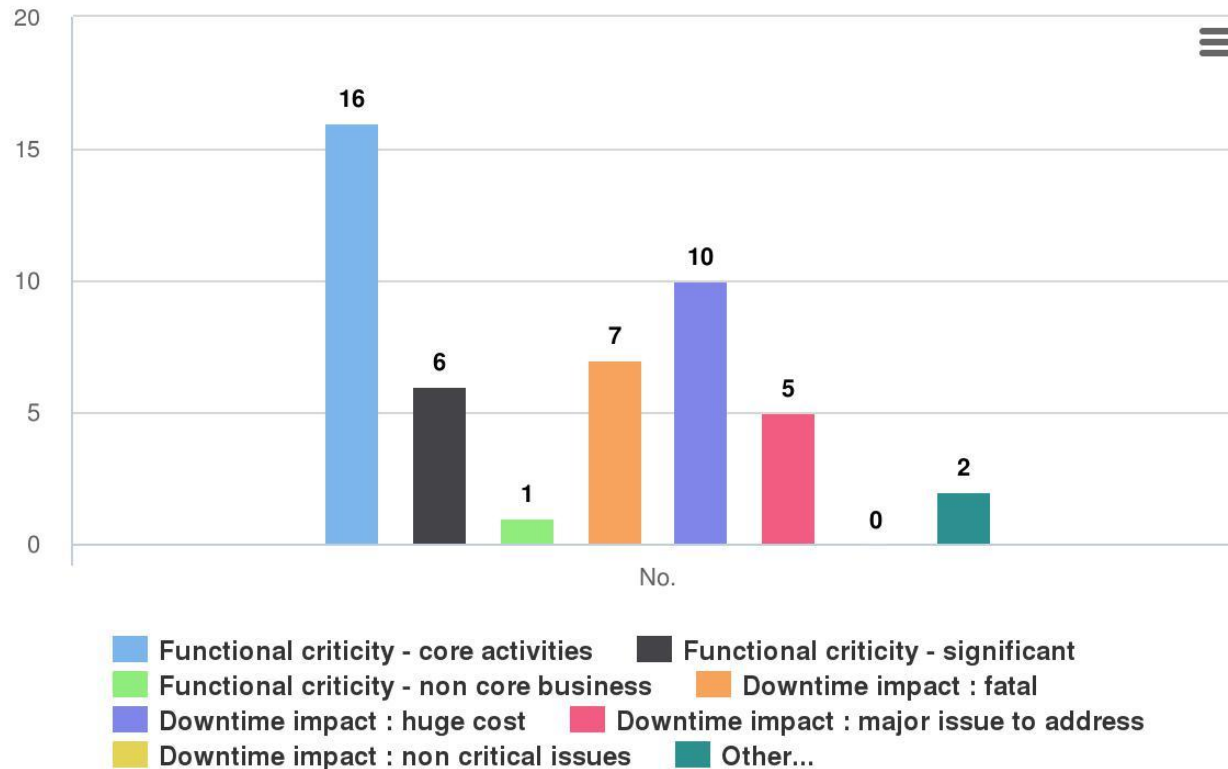
Business Lines



Most significant sectors : Industry, Finance, Healthcare, Transportation

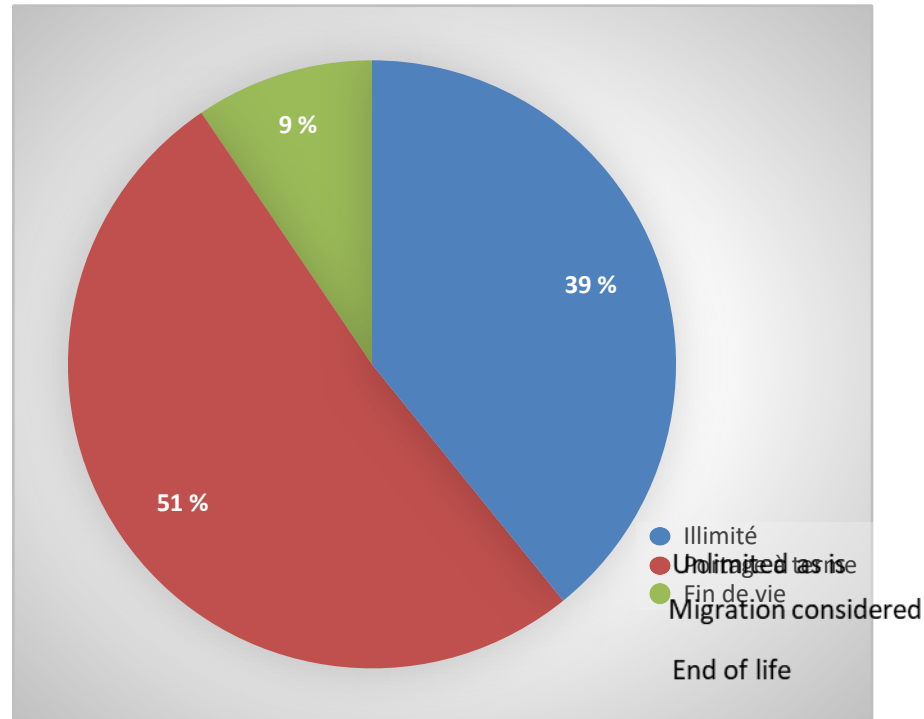
Why ?

VMS criticism



For most of those who answered, criticism is really important

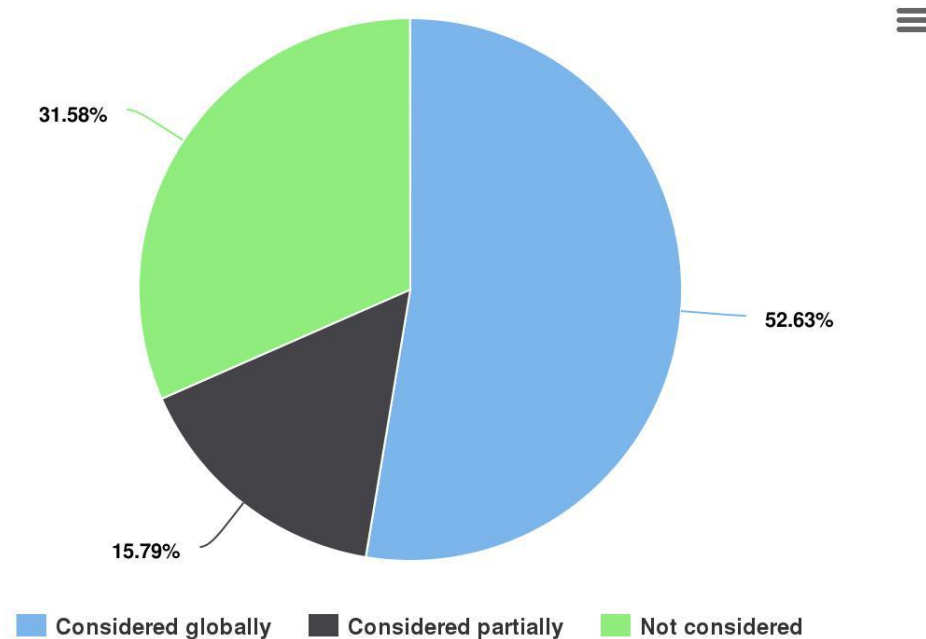
Projection Applications future



Only ~40 % consider remaining on VMS

Projection

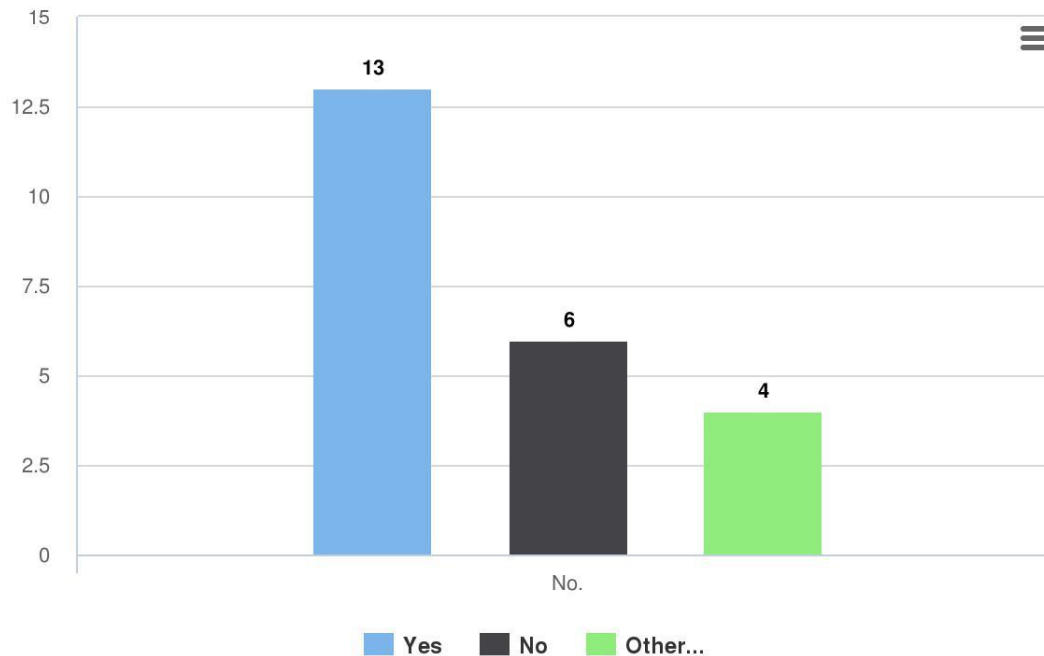
VMS licences transition from HPE to VSI



It is even more surprising that only 2/3 consider they will switch licenses from HPE to VSI

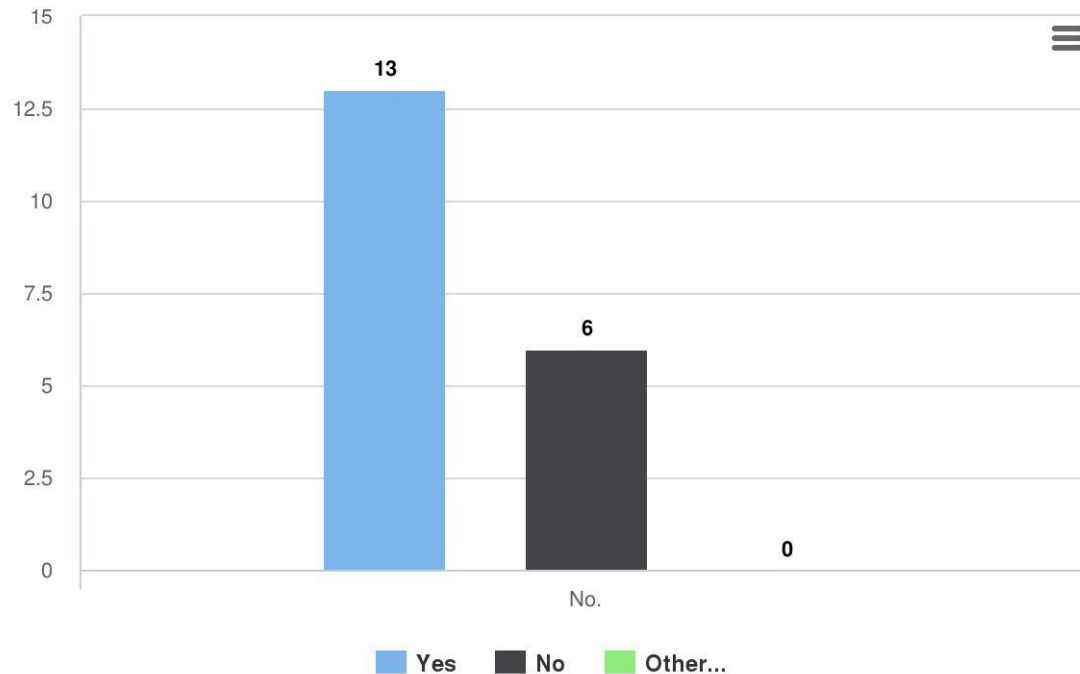
Projection

Is VSI licensing policy a negative factor that prevents a licence switch from HPE to VSI ?



The change in VSI licensing policy (May 2020) is a shock and triggers a negative feedback

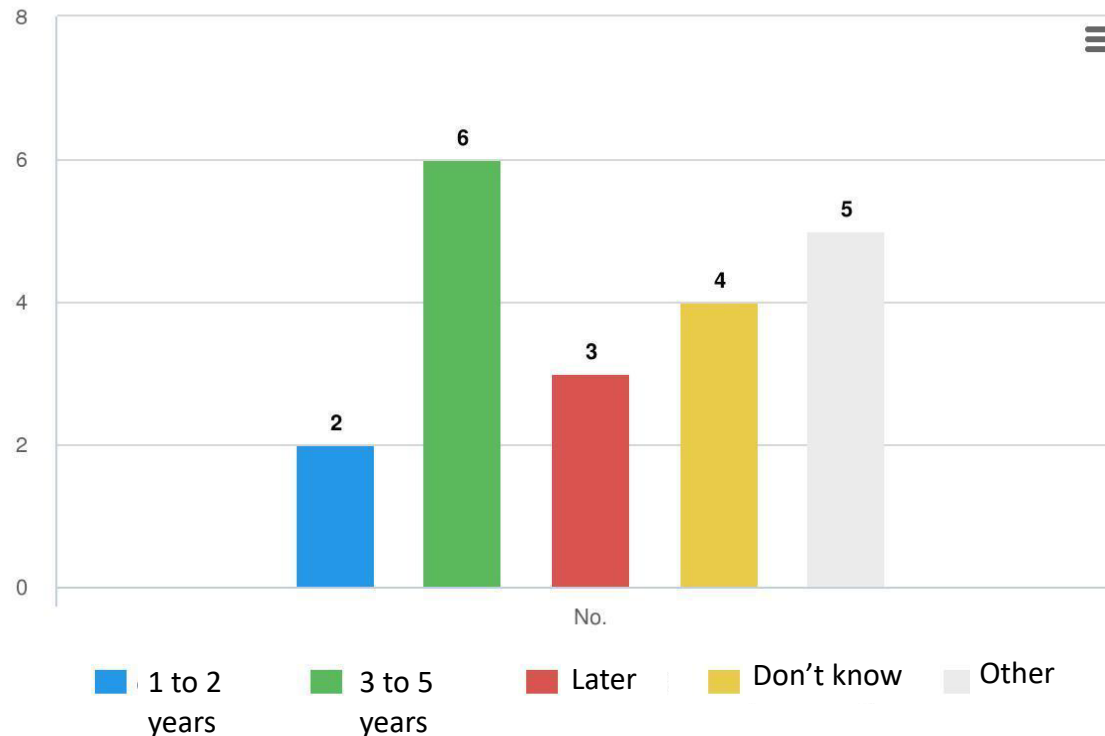
For the long term Are you asking for a support extension for HPE VMS v8.4 ?



*There is a strong demand for an extension of v8.4 support,
as many are not planning to move to VSI*

For the long term

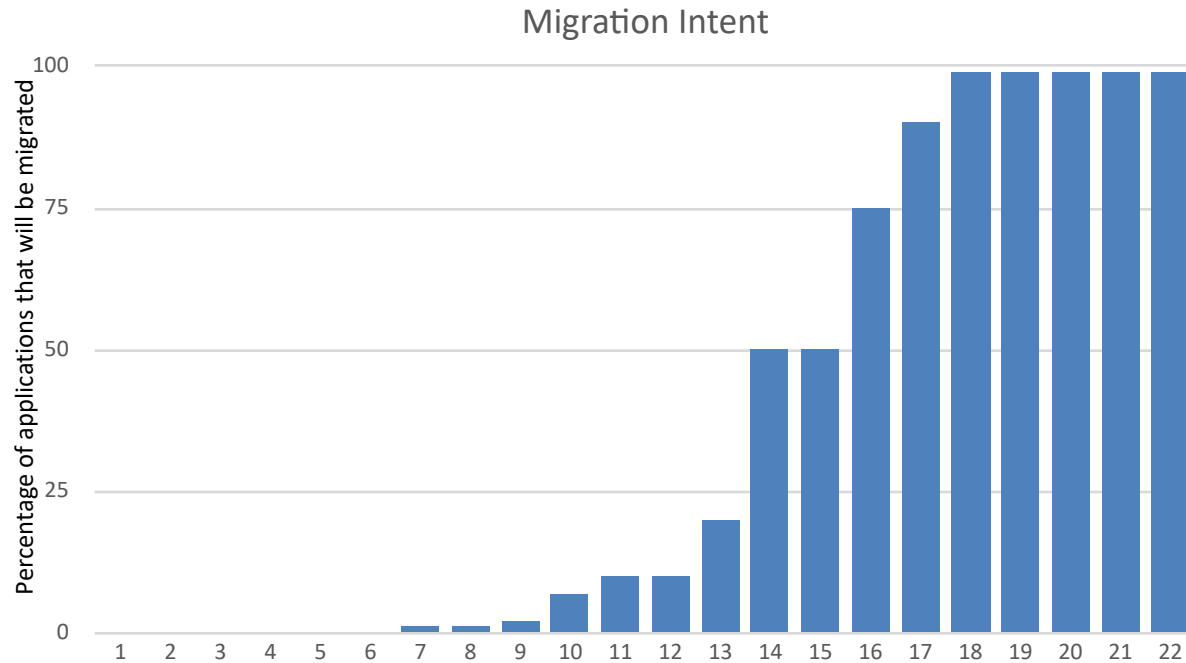
When do you expect to migrate to VMS on x86 ?



x86 migration is a long term project

Which projects ?

Percentage of apps that will be migrated to x86

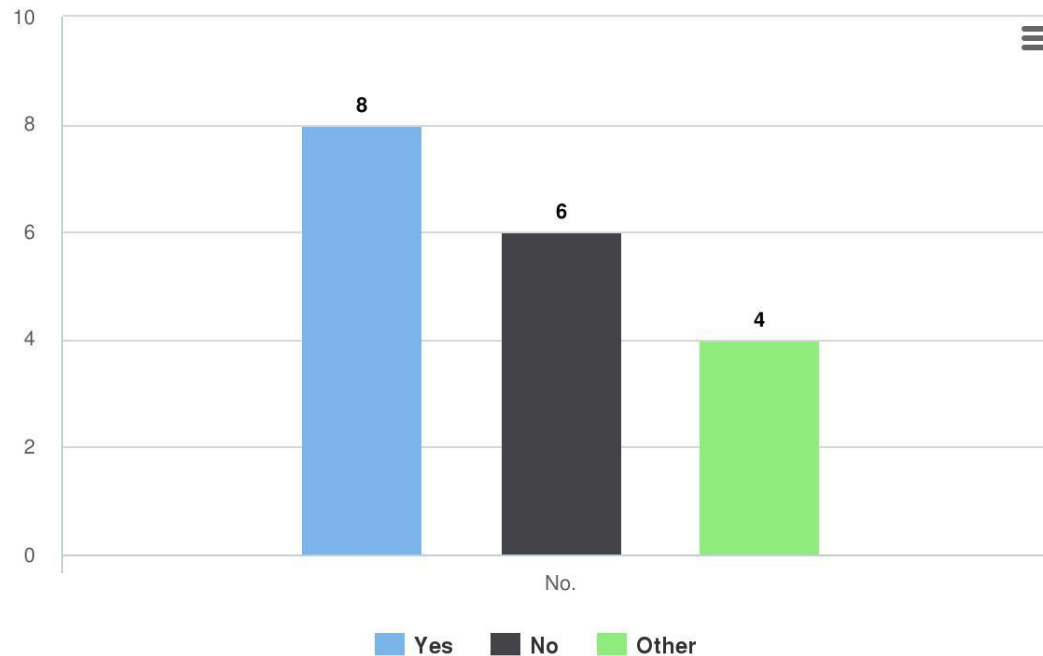


(0 means « I don't know »)

Only a minority plan to move all apps to x86

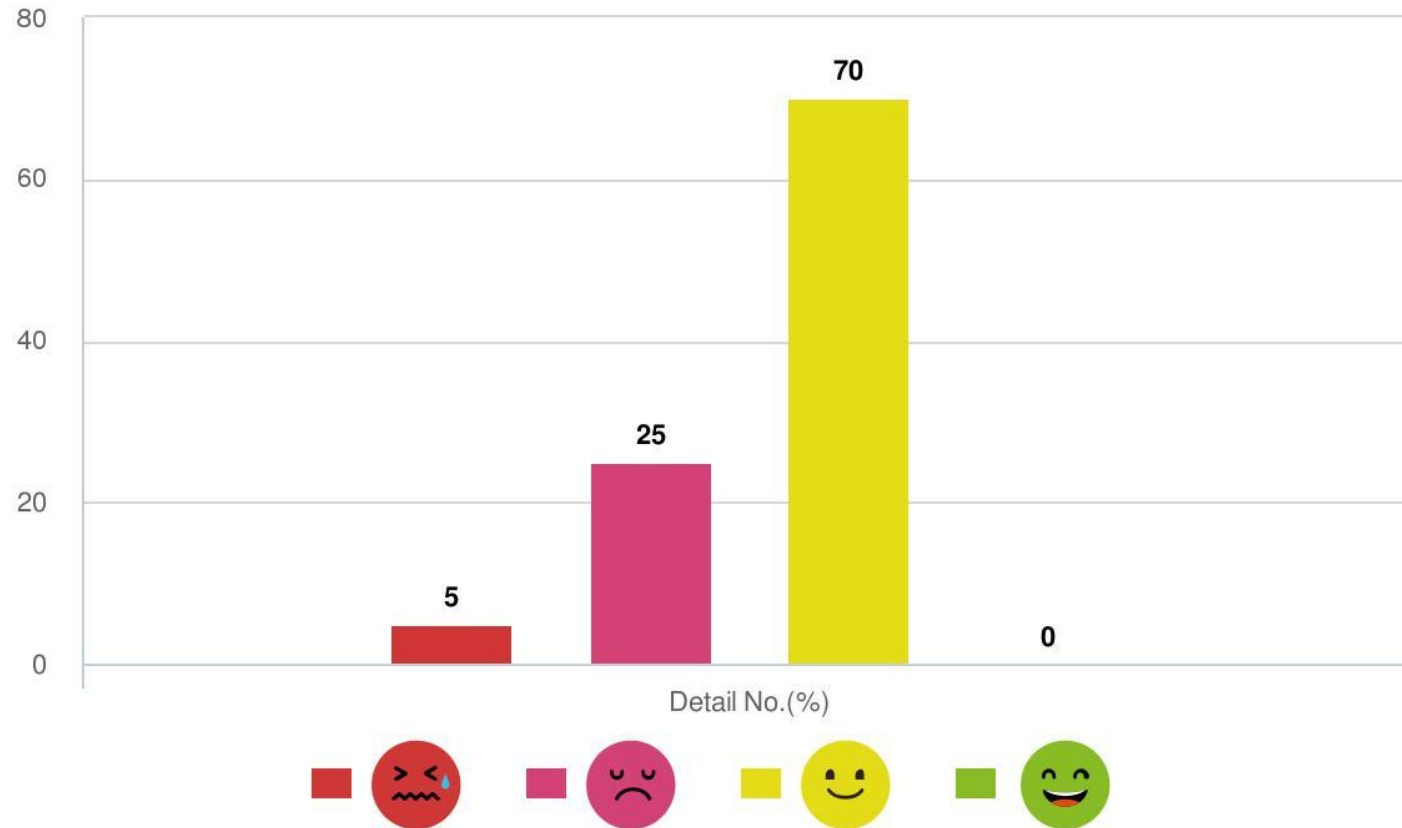
For the long term

Should recent opensource tools be qualified to HPE VMS 8.4 (back porting) ?



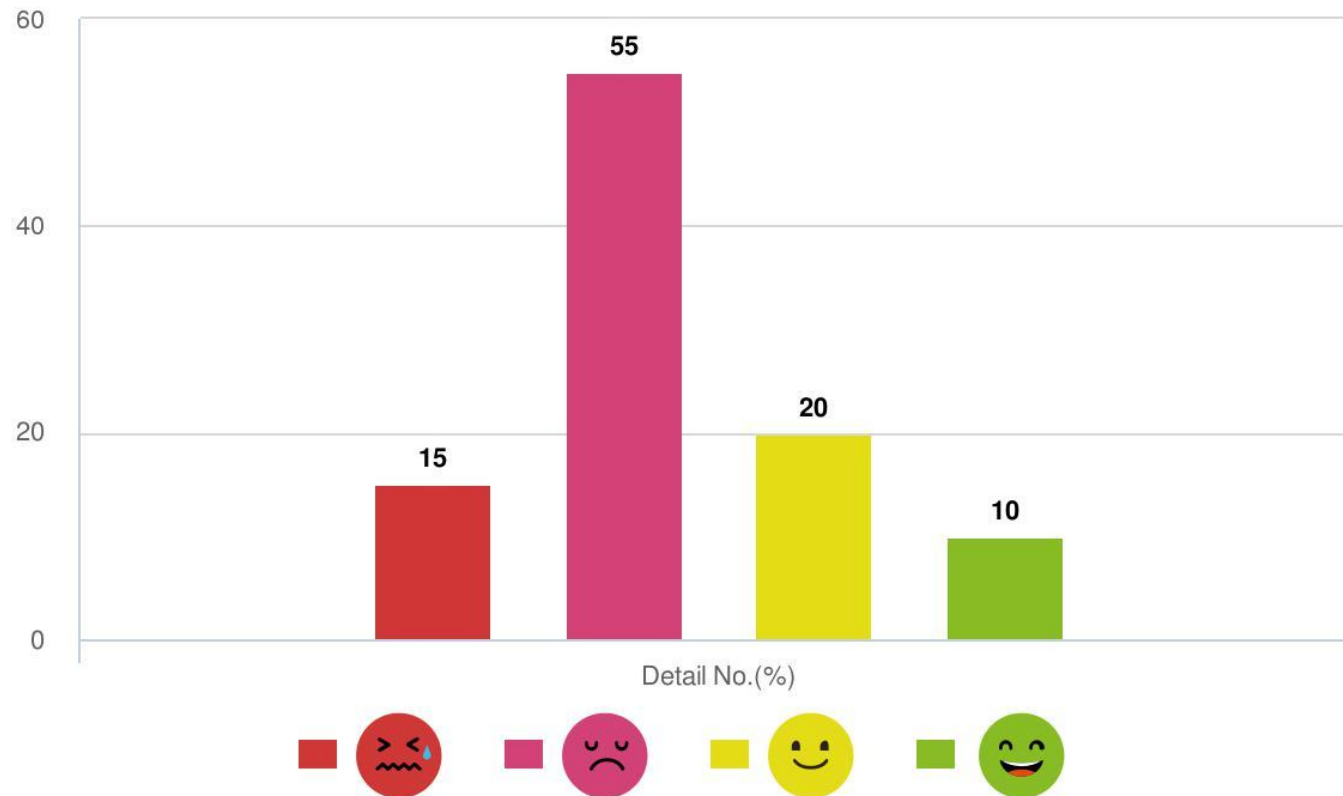
*The intent to remain on v8.4 is still significant
(but requires recent versions of opensource applications)*

Support Relation with VSI



Relations with VSI are good...

Pros and Cons Trust with VMS



But pessimism is the most common feeling

More to come

If you did not answer yet or if you know people that could be interested in answering : the survey is still available at :

<https://app.urlweb.pro/s/index.php?id=JTk5aiU5MWklOTclQUY%3D&a=JTk3cCU5NmslOUElQjE%3D>

The survey is now available in an English version !

This survey is a tool to communicate in VMS landscape and with the suppliers (VSI, Oracle, ...)

Please contact us for any request, concern, clarification:

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A second survey focused on applications is coming soon