

## PhD student satisfaction survey 2023

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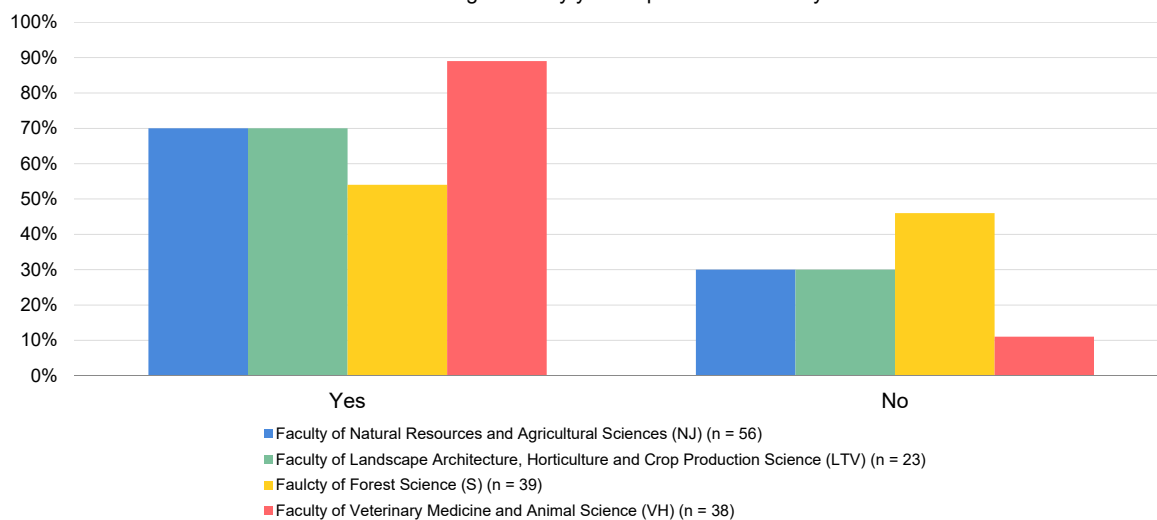
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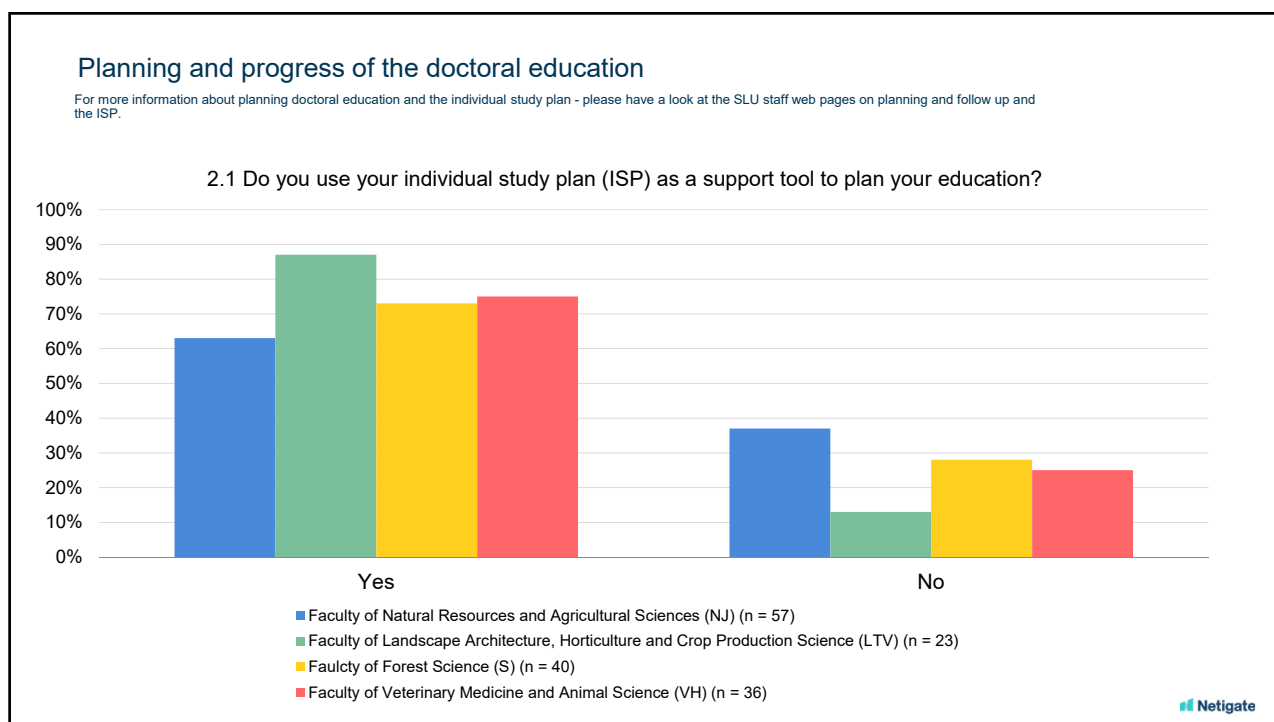
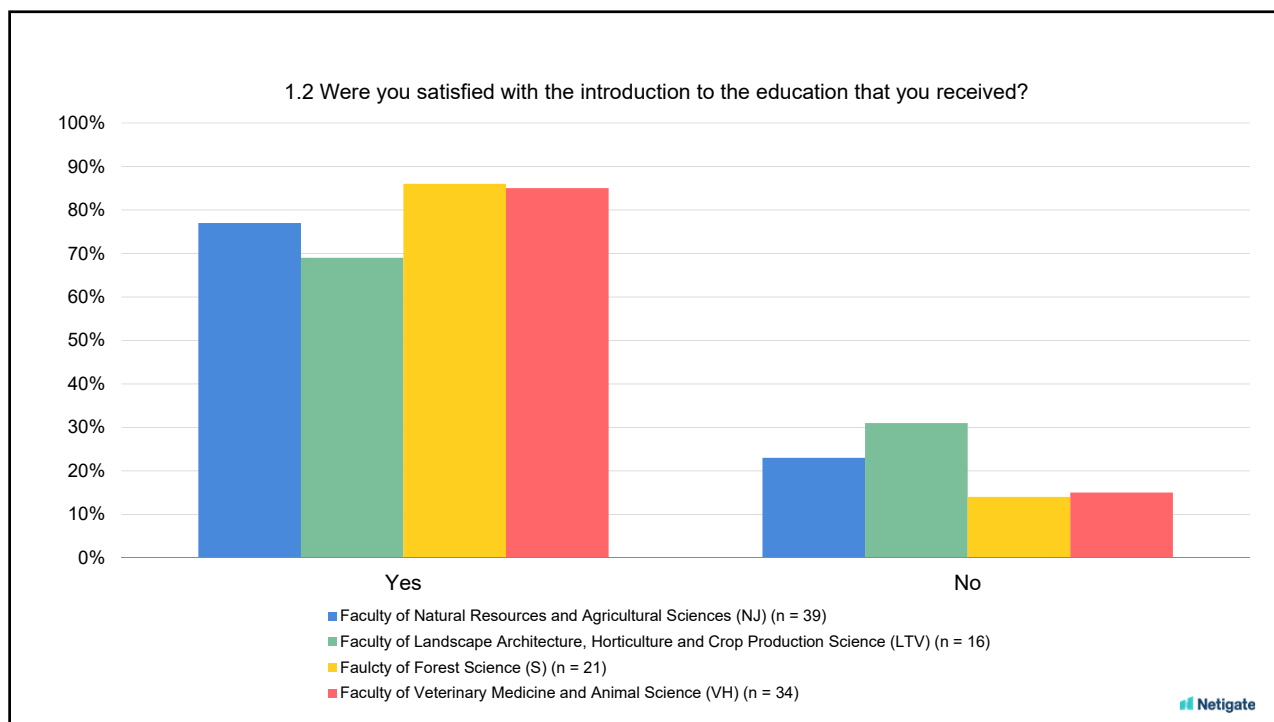
Faculty of Forest Science (S): 40,

Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Science (VH): 38

### Introduction to your doctoral education

1.1 When you started your doctoral education, did you receive a formal introduction to the education organised by your department or faculty?

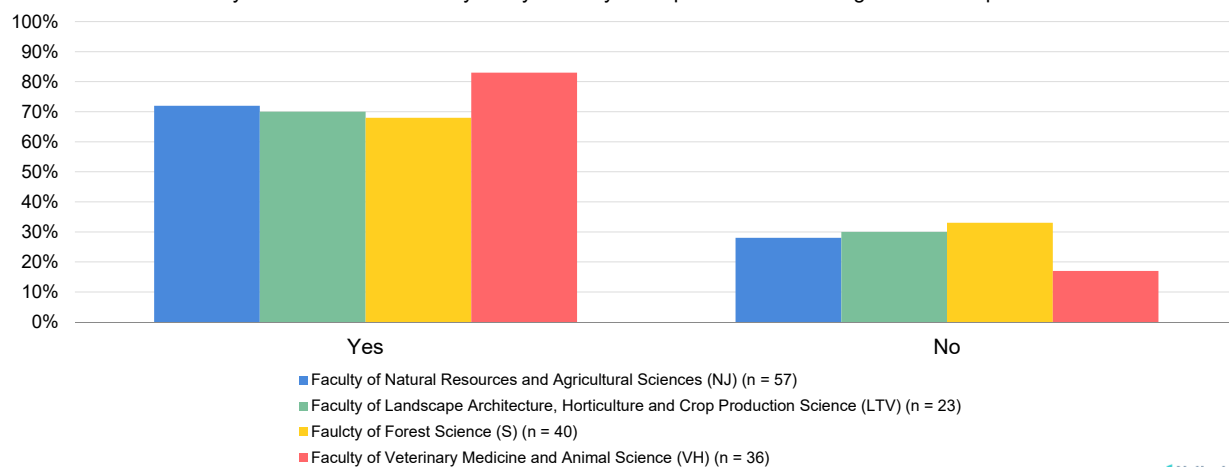




## Planning and progress of the doctoral education

For more information about planning doctoral education and the individual study plan - please have a look at the SLU staff web pages on planning and follow up and the ISP.

2.2 Your ISP must be updated at least once per year according to the SLU rules on doctoral education. Are you satisfied with the way that you and your supervisor are working with these updates?

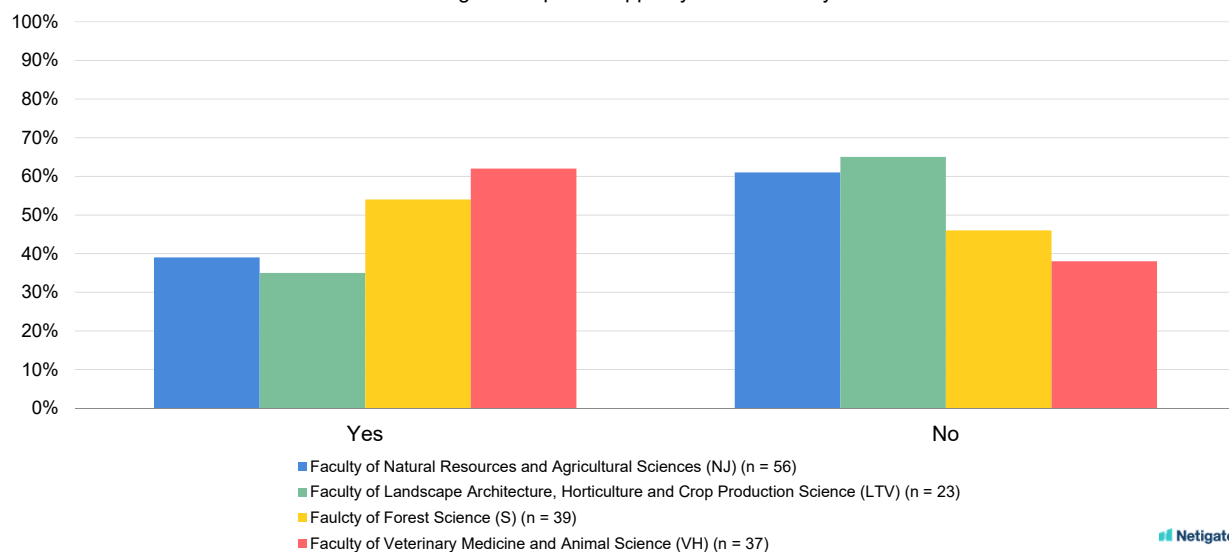


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2.3 Do the digital ISP portal support your work with your ISP?



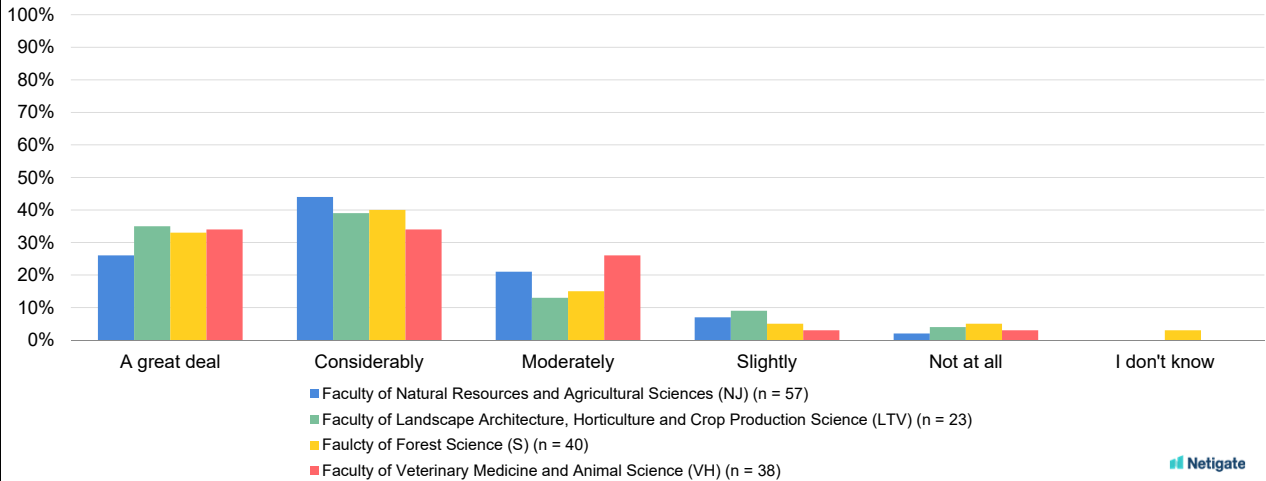
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2.4 To what extent do you agree with the following statement:

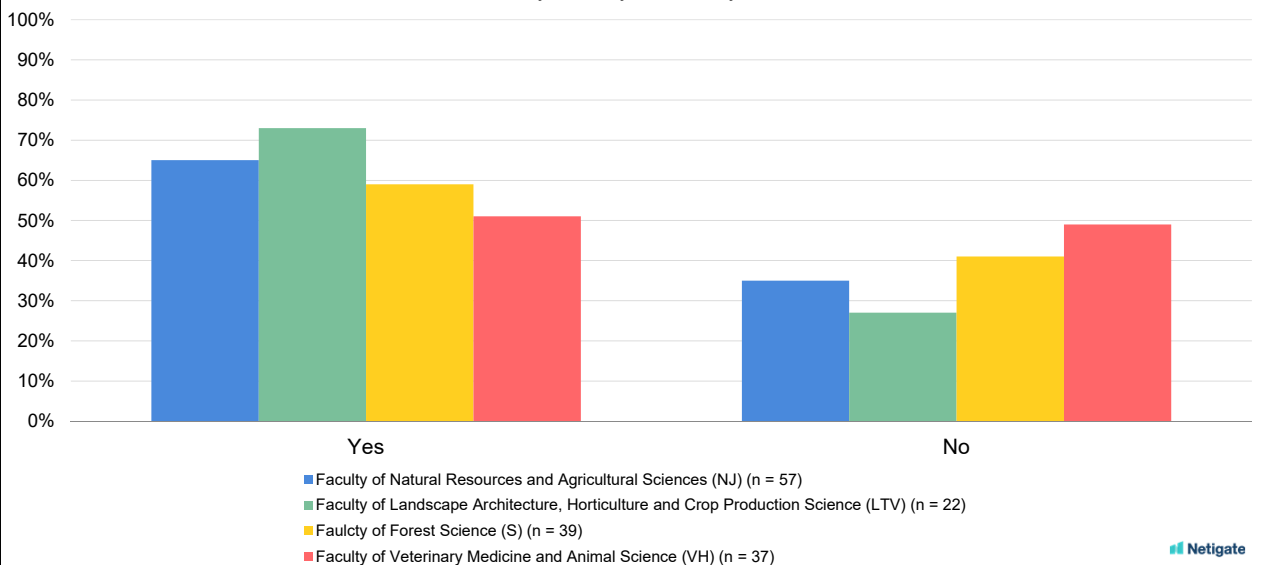
I feel that I have influence on the planning of my doctoral education.

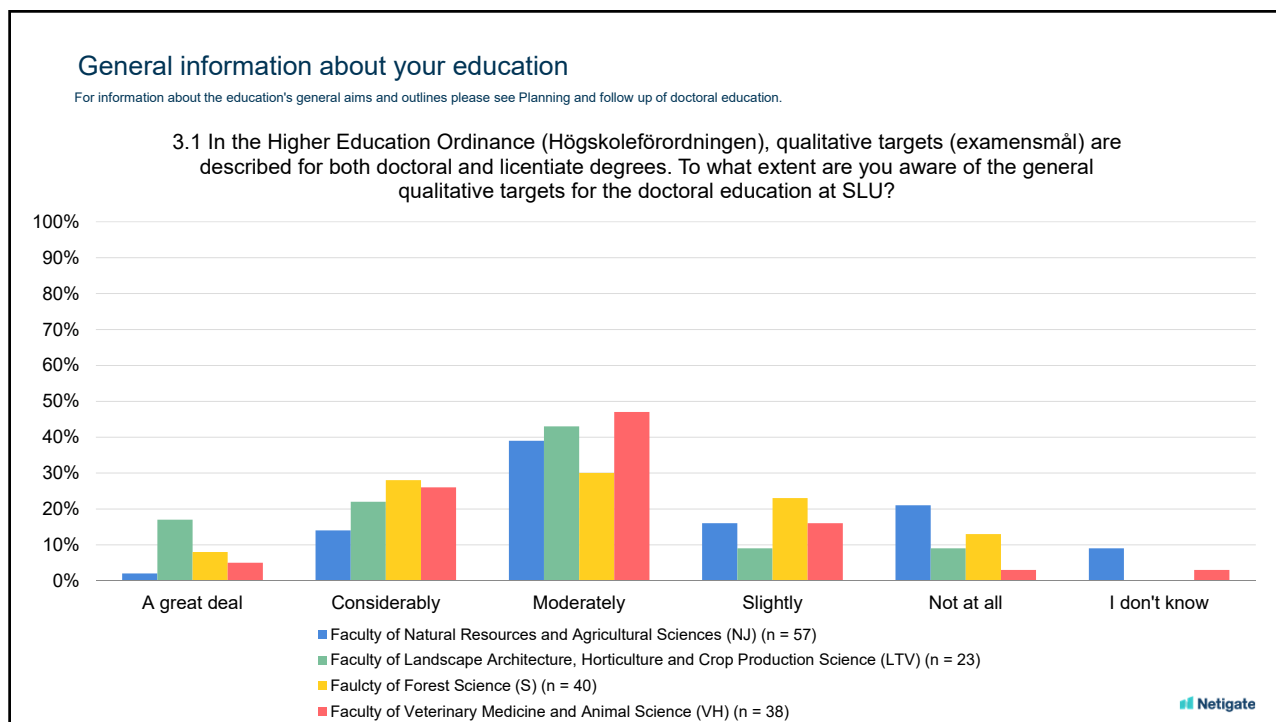
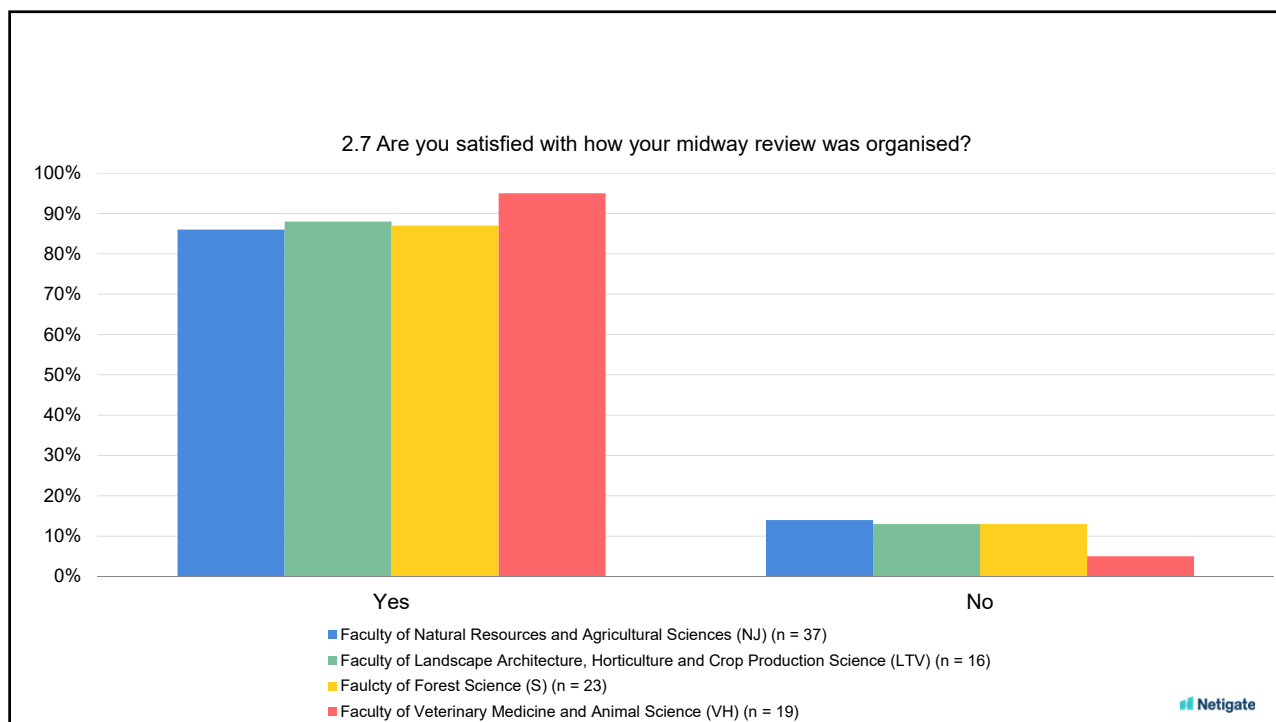


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2.6 Have you had your midway review?

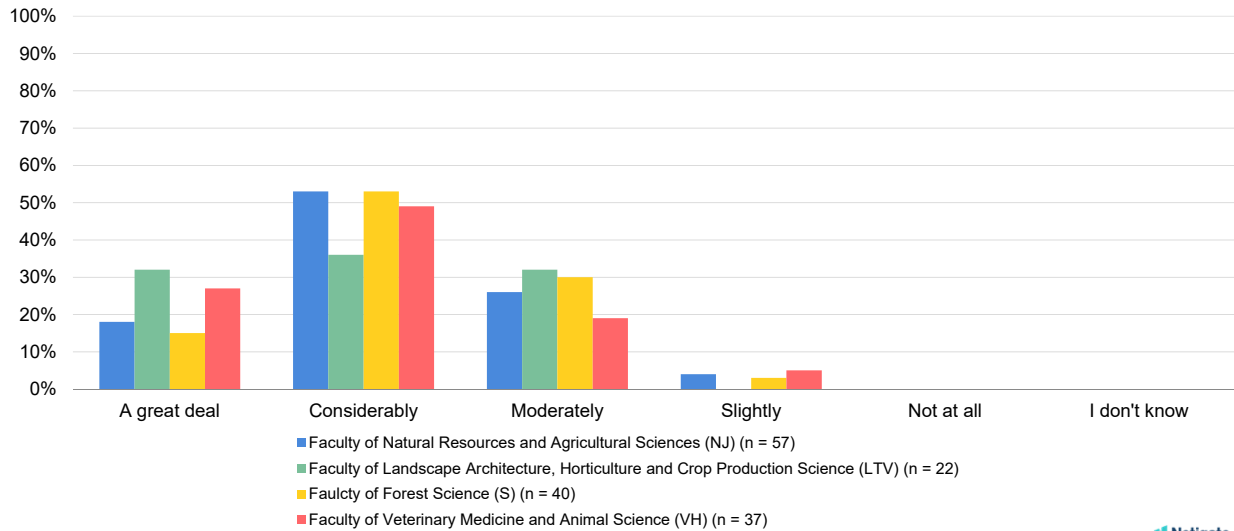




### General information about your education

For information about the education's general aims and outlines please see Planning and follow up of doctoral education.

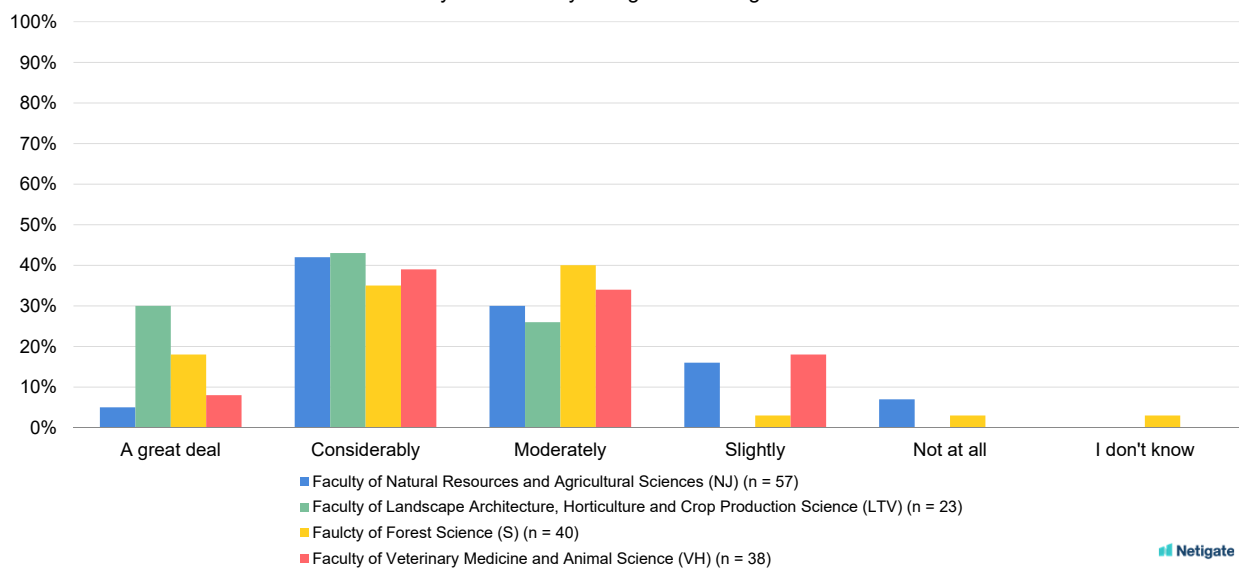
#### 3.2 To what extent are you aware of what you have to achieve to get your doctoral degree?



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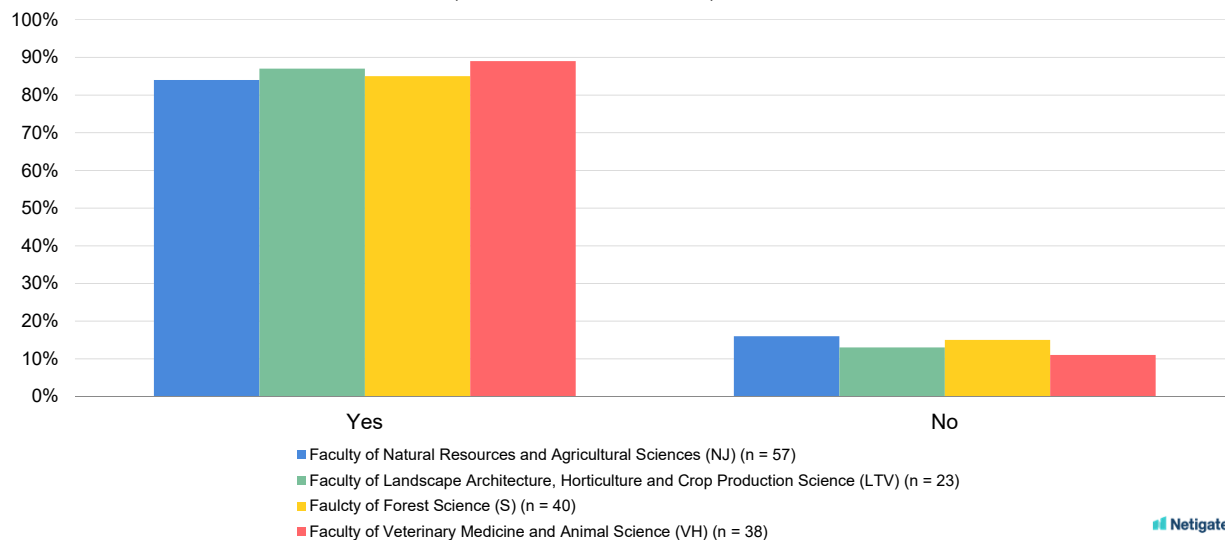
#### 3.3 To what extent are you aware of your rights and obligations as a doctoral student?



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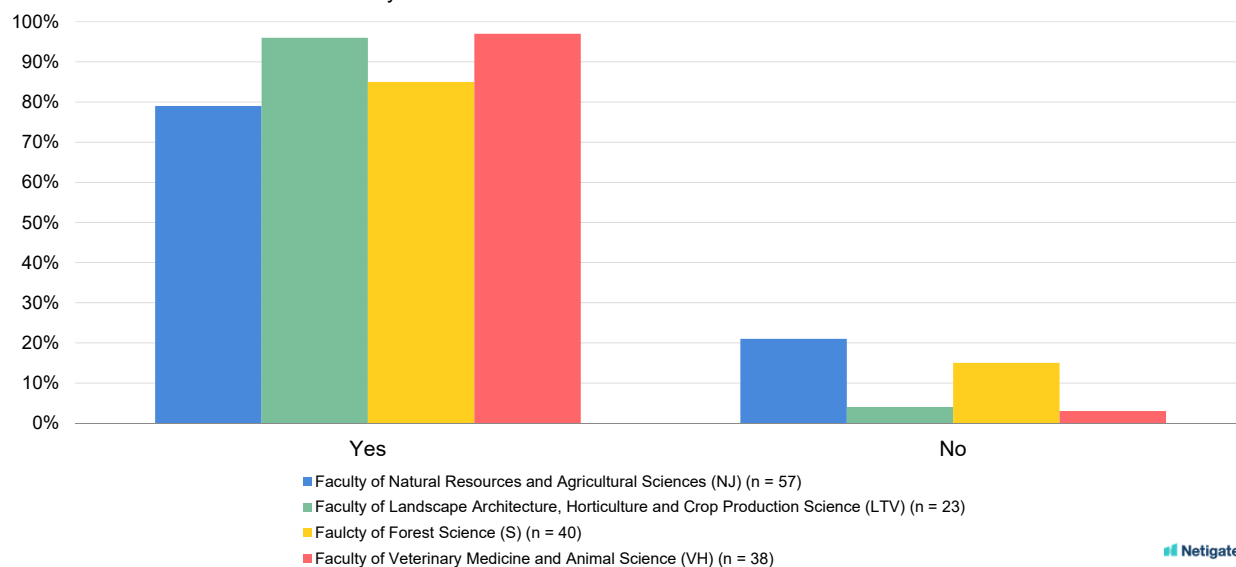
### 3.4 Do you know how to get in contact with the doctoral student ombudsman (Doktorandombudsmannen) at SLU?



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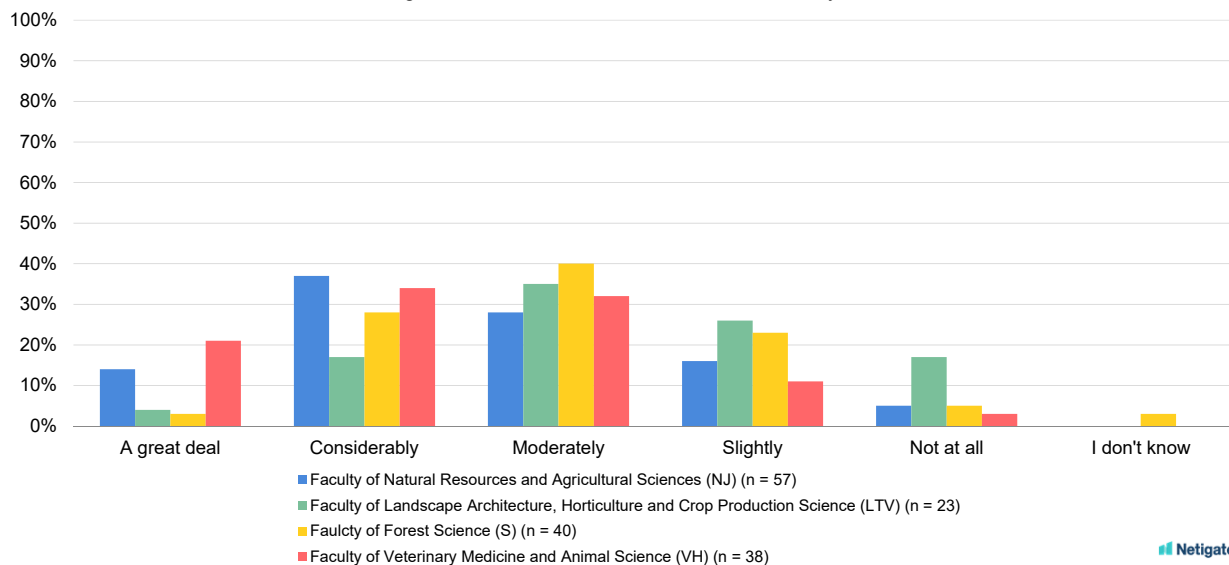
### 3.5 Do you know how to contact the PhD student councils at SLU?



## Courses and seminars

For information about SLU:s doctoral courses see: Courses. To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

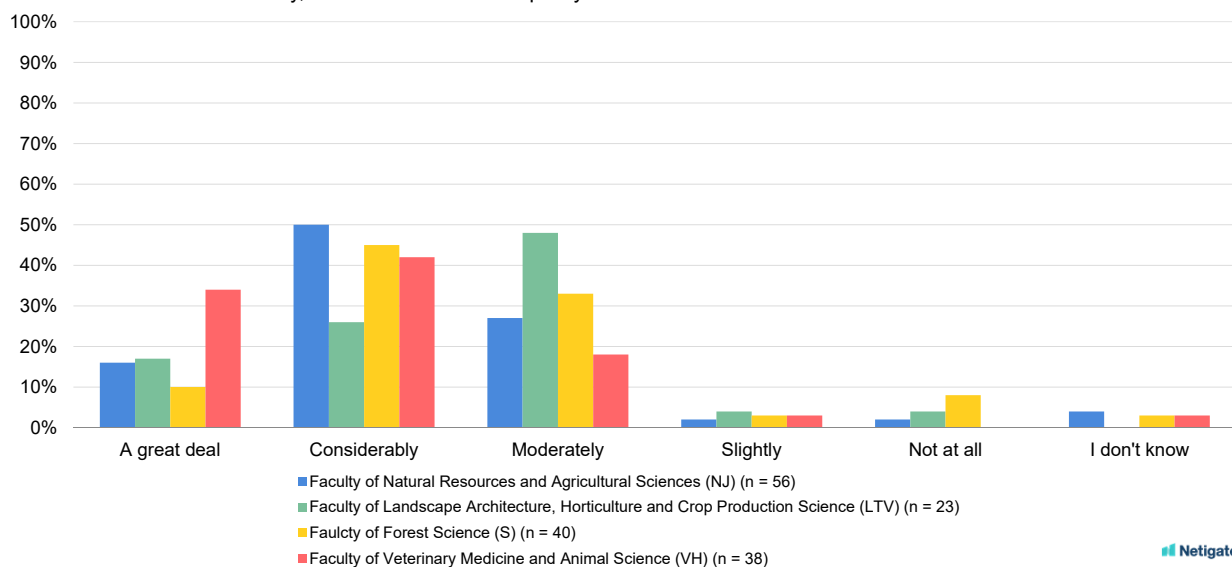
### 4.1 In general, the doctoral courses at SLU meet my needs.



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### 4.3 Generally, I am satisfied with the quality of the doctoral courses that I have attended at SLU.

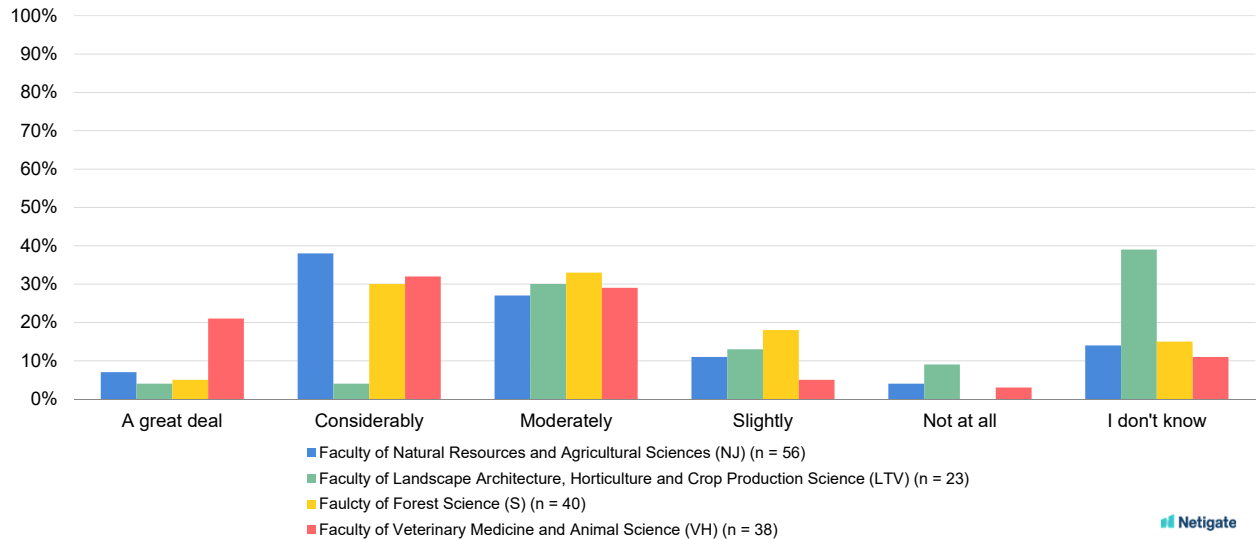




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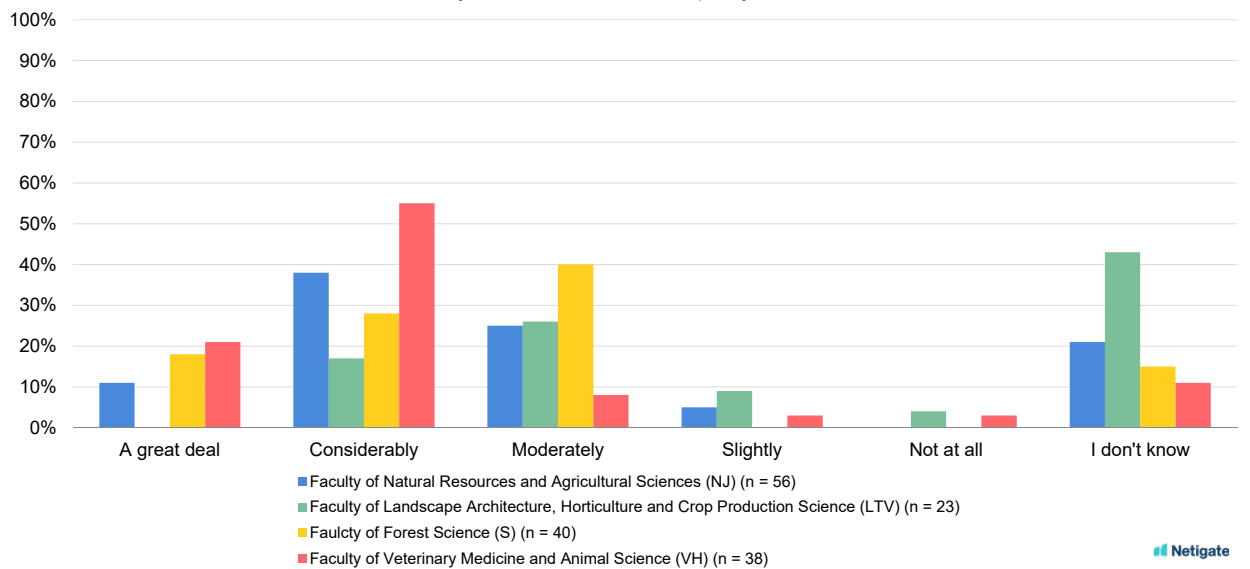
4.4 Some departments and research schools offer seminars to their researchers and doctoral students. The seminars on offer meet my needs.



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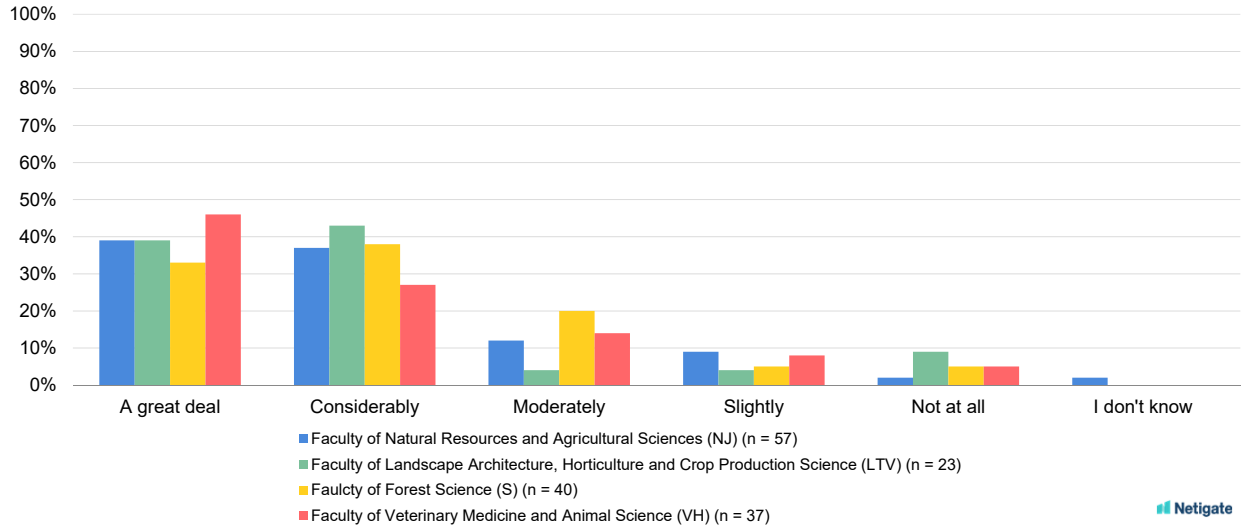
4.5 Generally, I am satisfied with the quality of the seminars.



### Supervision

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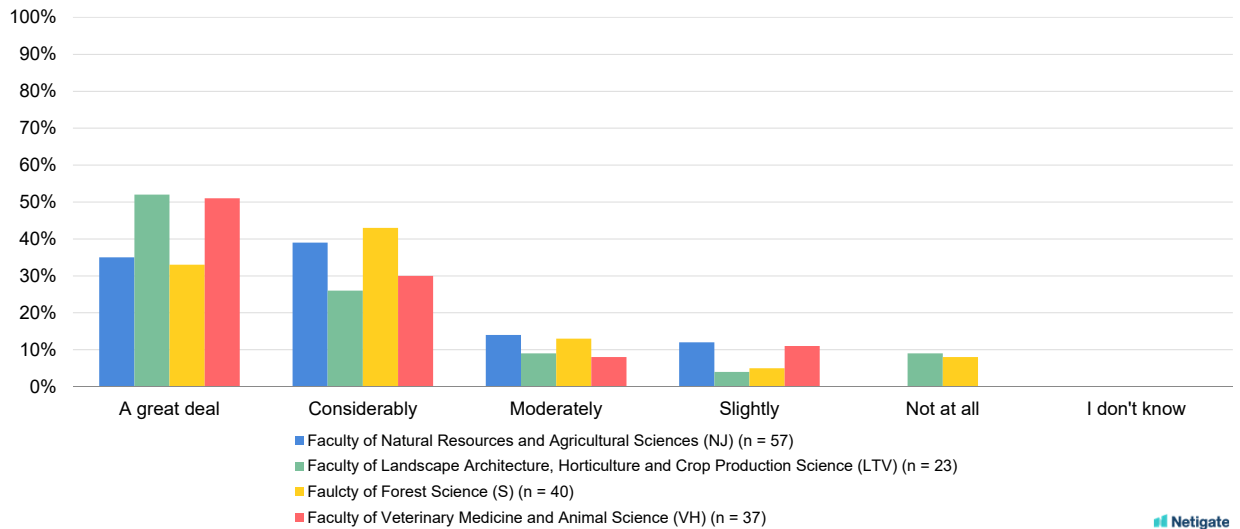
5.1 I am satisfied with the amount of supervision. (When answering this question - please take into account the supervision you get from both your principal supervisor AND other qualified persons).



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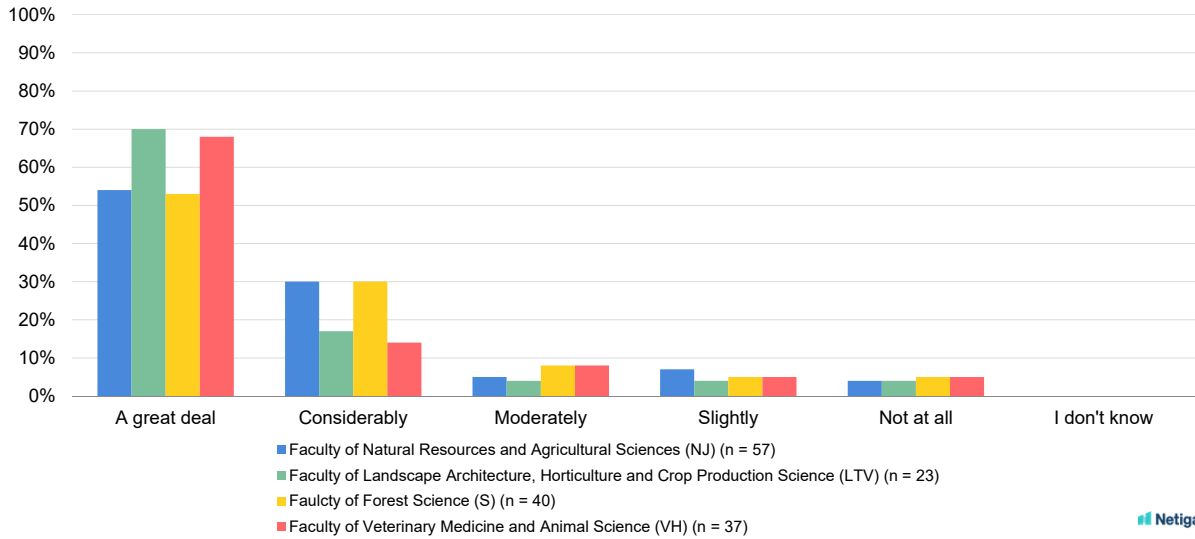
5.2 I am satisfied with the quality of supervision. (When answering this question - please take into account the supervision you get from both your principal supervisor AND other qualified persons).



### Supervision

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

5.3 I have confidence in my principal supervisor. (This question regards your formal principal supervisor.)

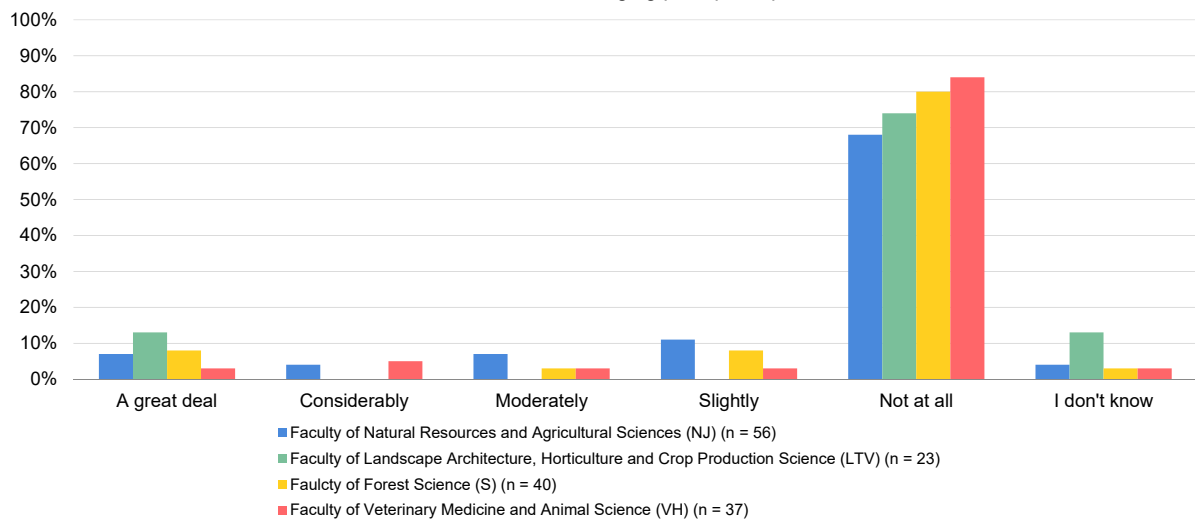


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### Supervision

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

5.4 I have considered changing principal supervisor.

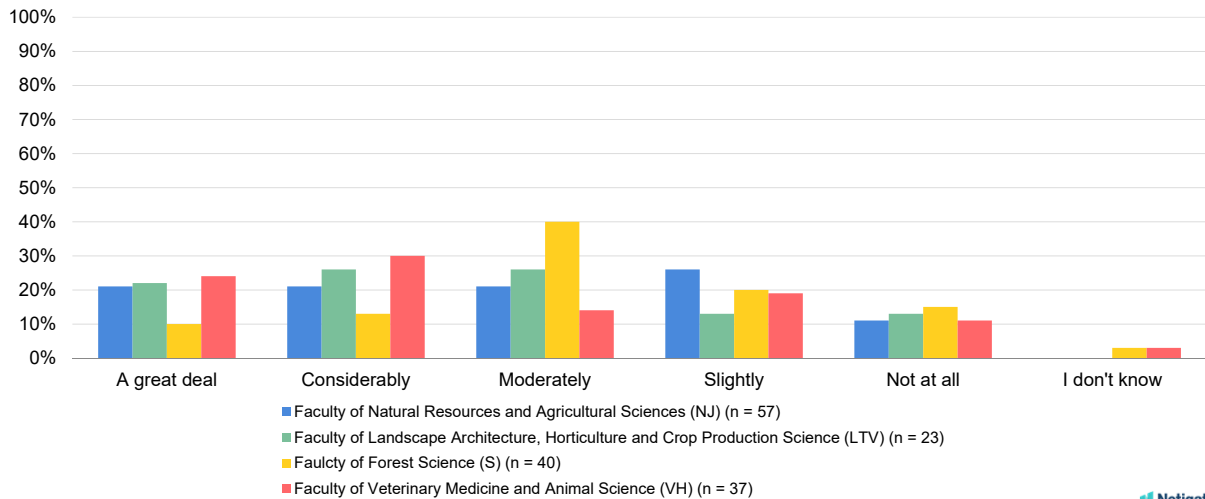


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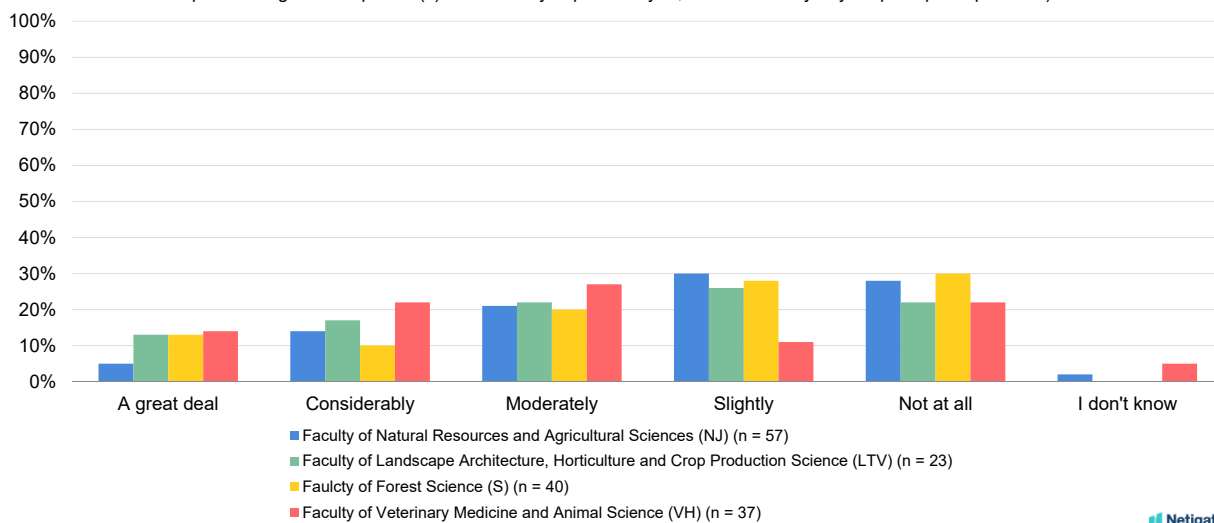
5.5 I have regular discussions with my supervisor where we evaluate my education in relation to the learning outcomes. (This question regards the person(s) who actually supervises you, not necessarily to your principal supervisor.)



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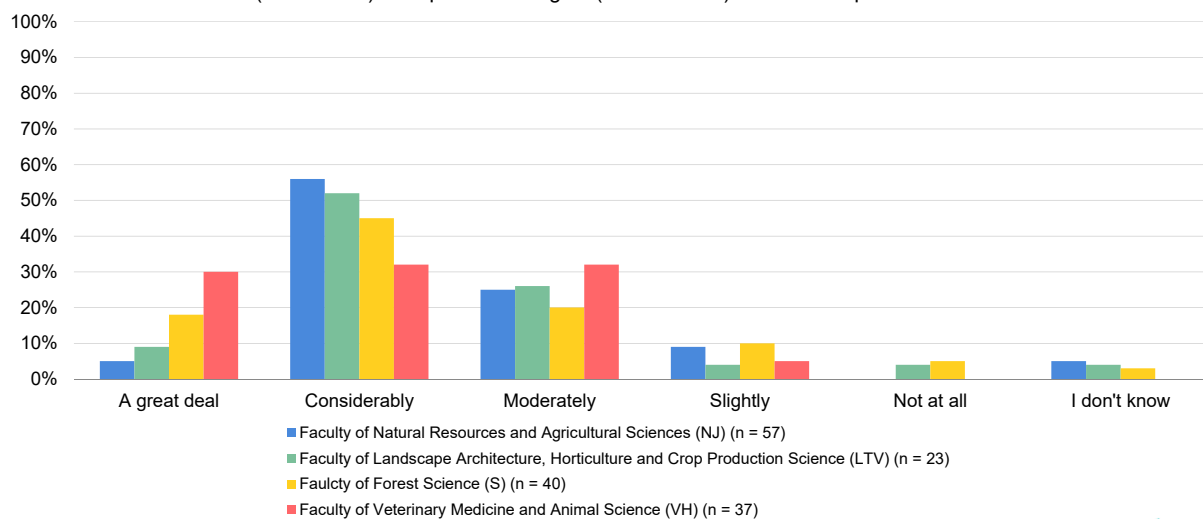
5.6 I have regular discussions with my supervisor about how my education is related to a career after exam. (This question regards the person(s) who actually supervises you, not necessarily to your principal supervisor.)



## Daily work and study environment

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

6.1 My daily work environment supports my education so that I can reach the learning outcomes (lärandemål) and qualitative targets (examensmål) within the stipulated time.

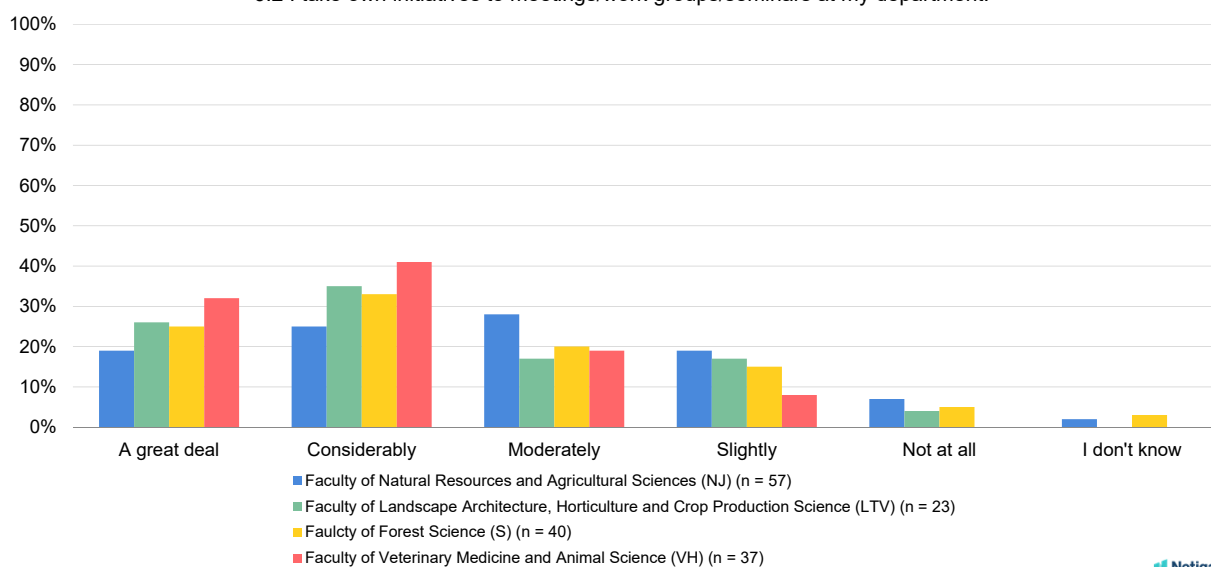


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## Daily work and study environment

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

6.2 I take own initiatives to meetings/work groups/seminars at my department.

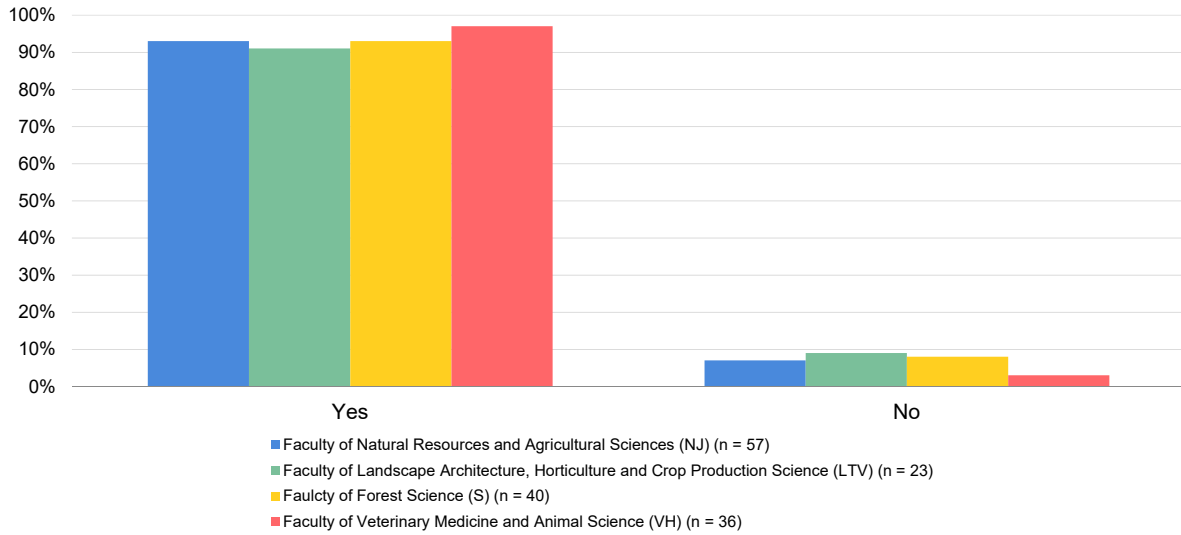


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### Daily work and study environment

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

6.3 Do you feel that you have been treated with respect by your teachers and supervisors?

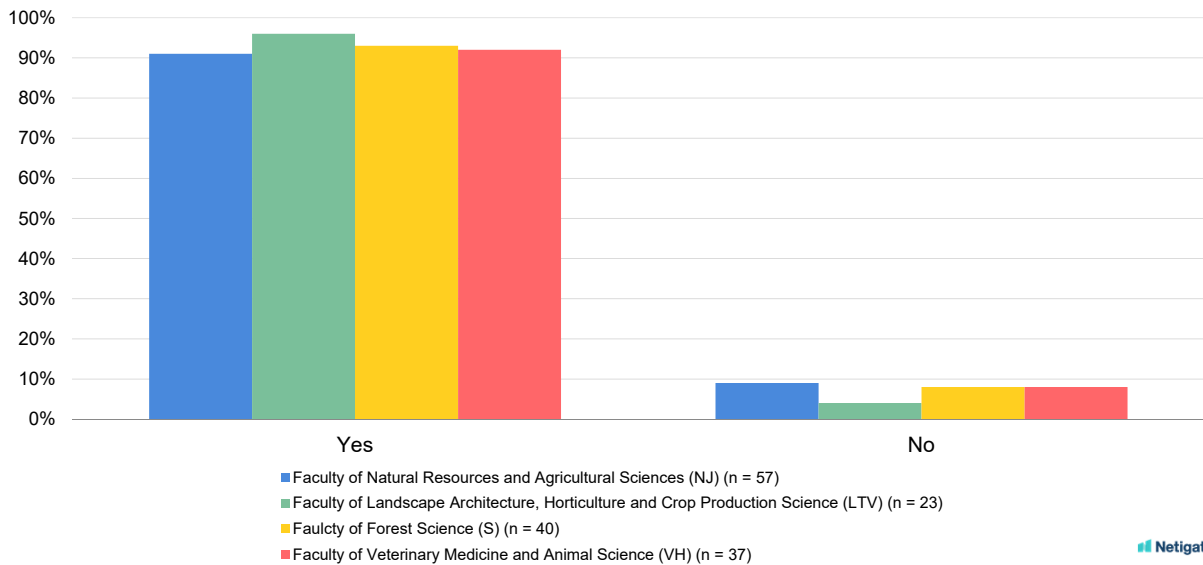


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### Daily work and study environment

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

6.4 Do you feel that you have been treated with respect by your senior research colleagues?

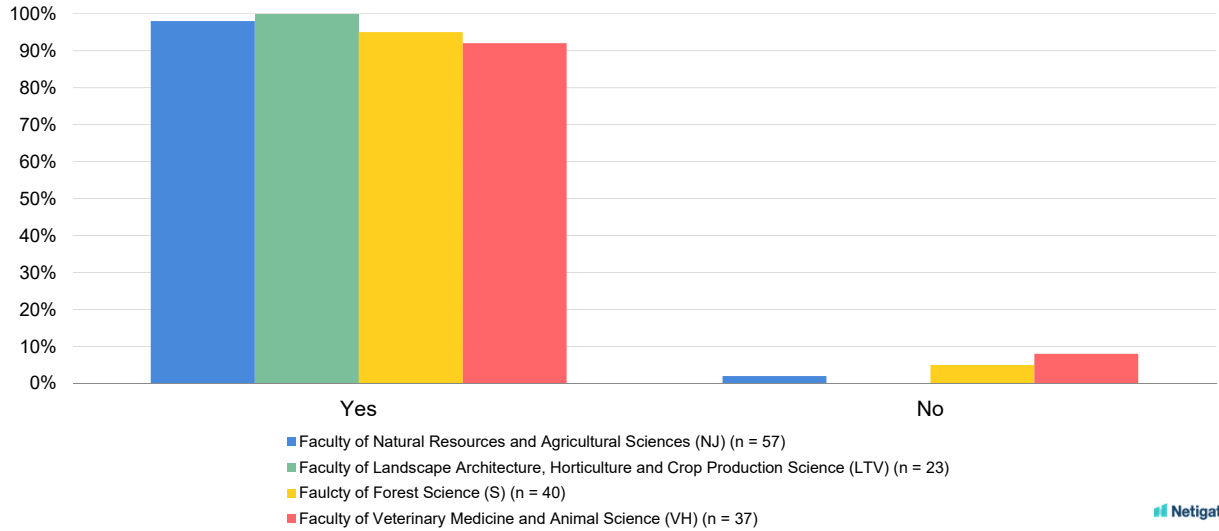


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### Daily work and study environment

To what extent do you agree with the following statements?

6.5 Do you feel that you have been treated with respect by your doctoral student colleagues?

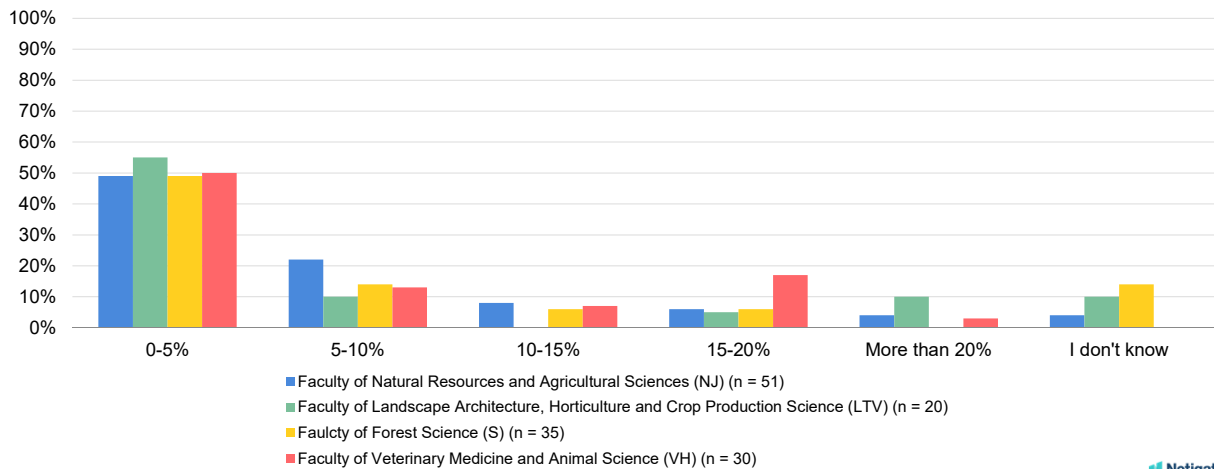


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### Teaching and other departmental duties

Some doctoral students devote some of their time to teaching and other departmental duties.

7.1 If you work part-time with teaching, approximately how much of your time is spent at teaching?  
(Count on an average for one year of your study time.)

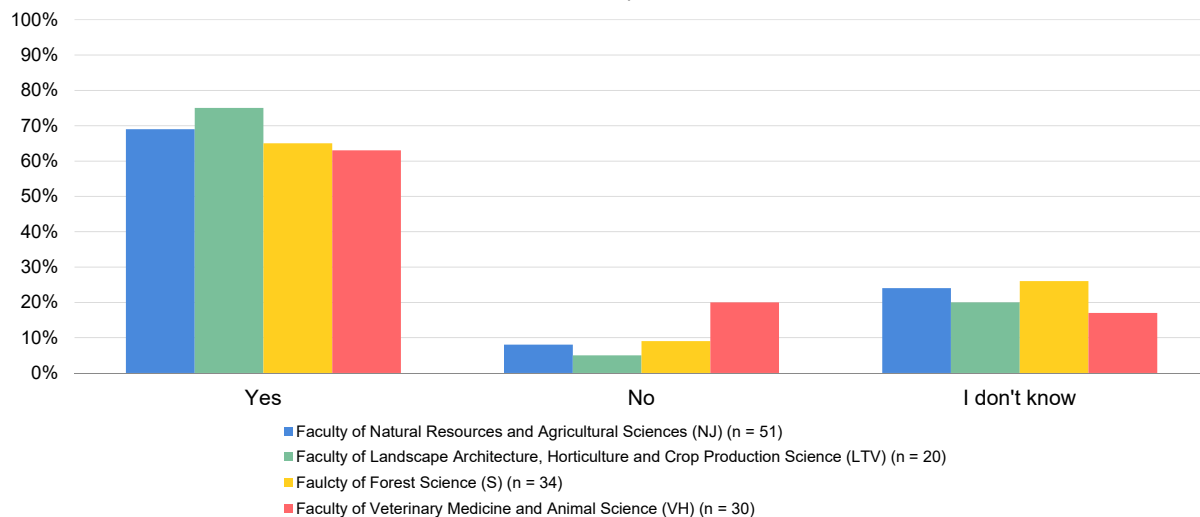


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## Teaching and other departmental duties

Some doctoral students devote some of their time to teaching and other departmental duties.

7.3 If you work part-time with teaching and/or other duties - do you get prolongation of your net study time as a compensation?

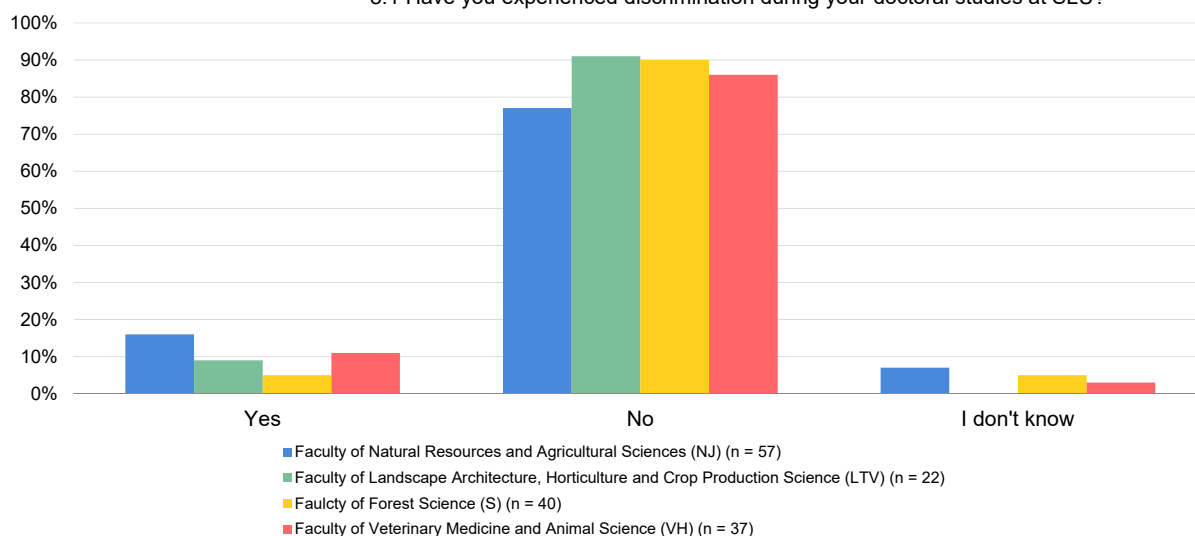


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## Discrimination

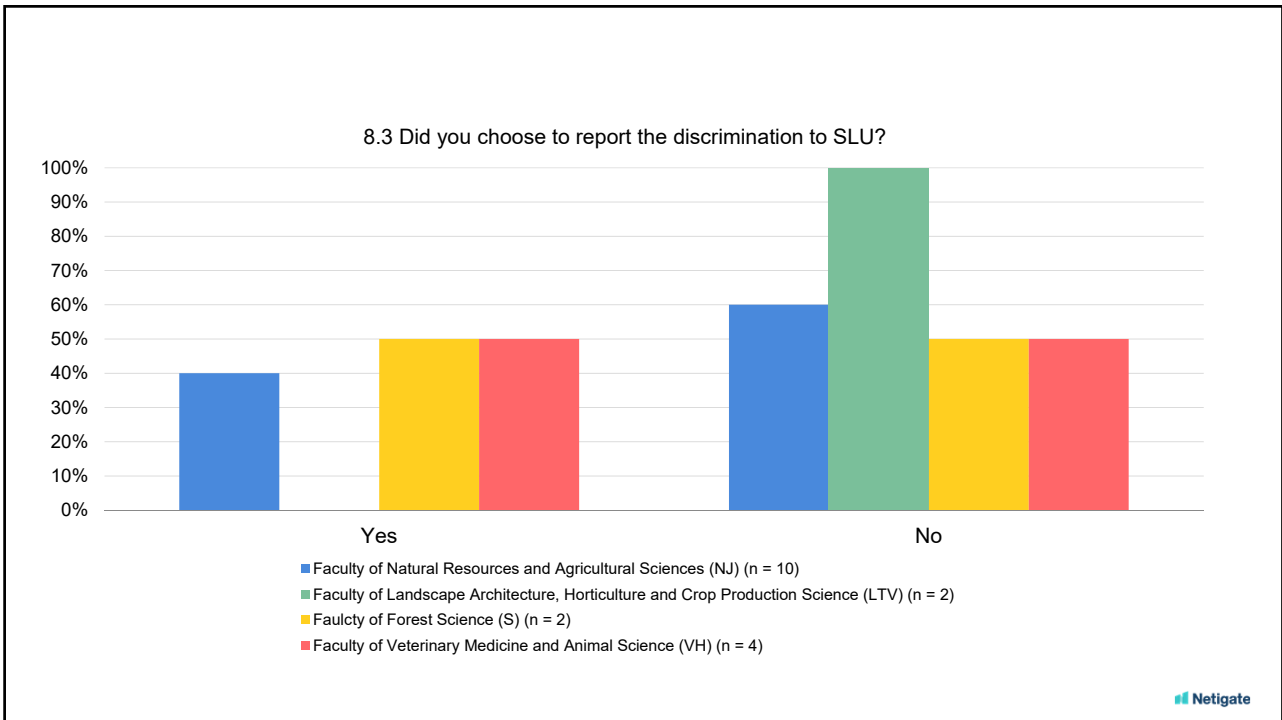
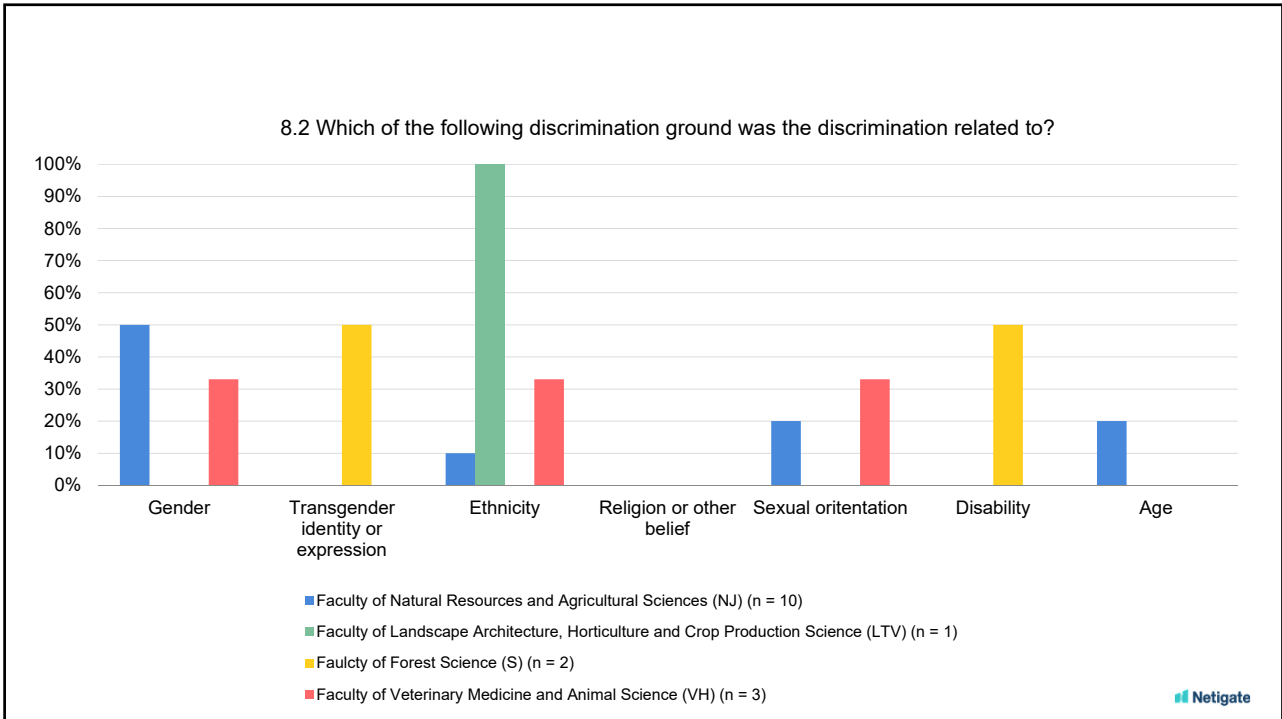
Discrimination is if you are offended, or treated worse than others in a comparable situation, and it being related to any of the seven discrimination grounds as defined in the Discrimination Act.

8.1 Have you experienced discrimination during your doctoral studies at SLU?



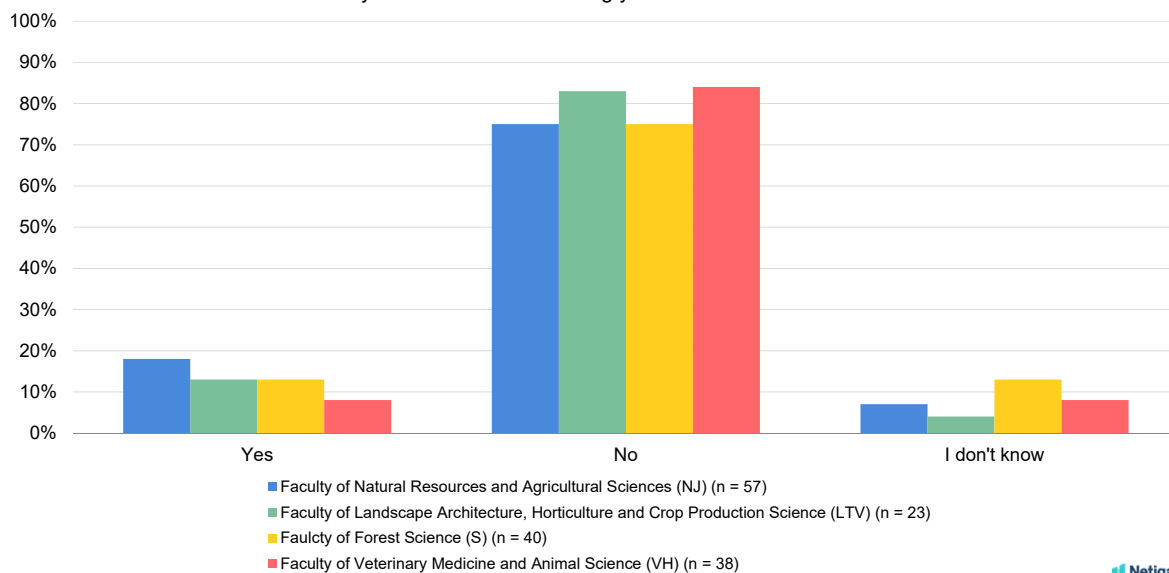
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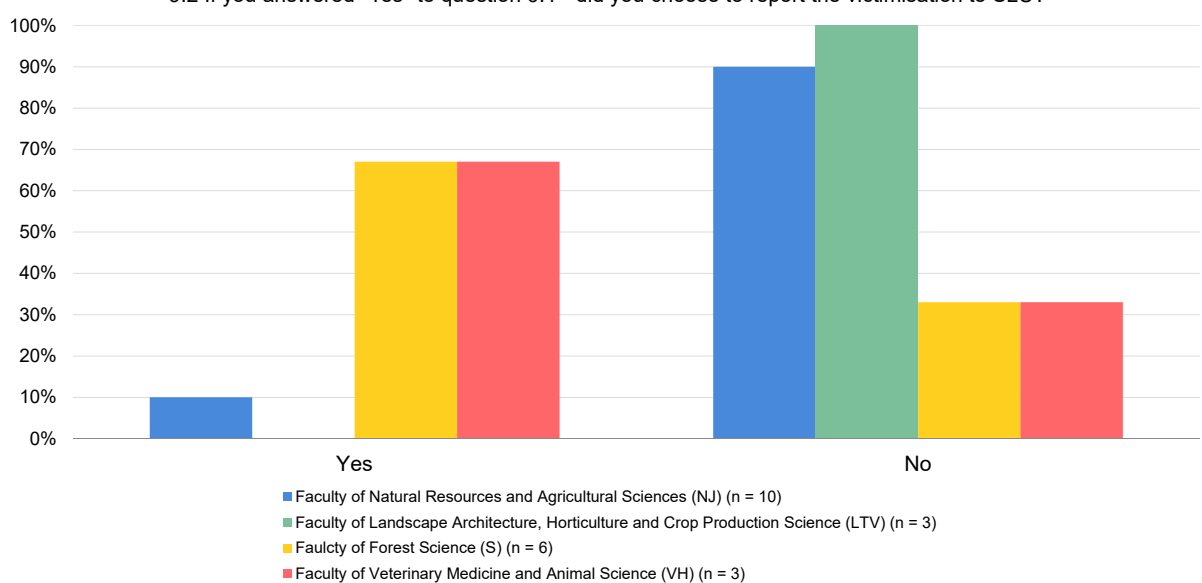


## Victimisation (sv. kränkande särbehandling)

## 9.1 Have you been victimised during your doctoral education at SLU?



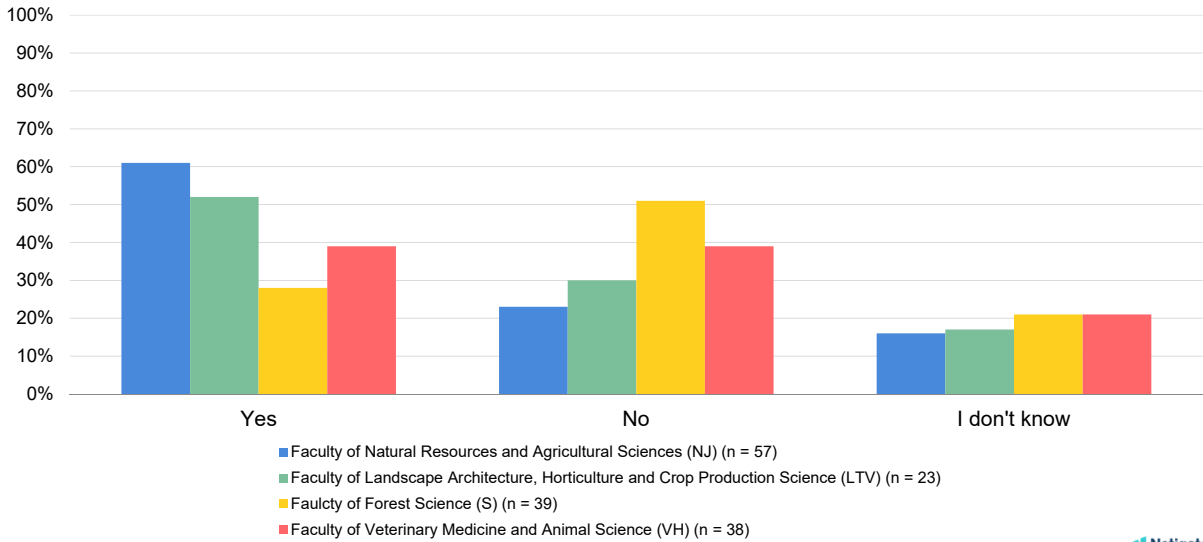
## 9.2 If you answered "Yes" to question 9.1 - did you choose to report the victimisation to SLU?



### Norms

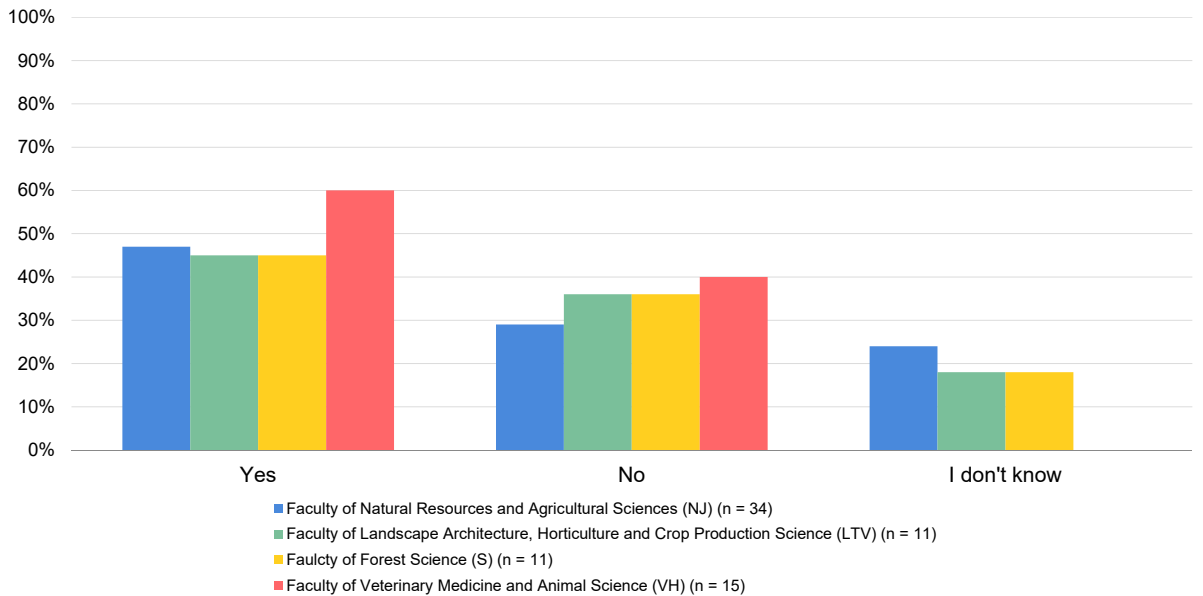
Social norms are shared standards of acceptable behaviour by groups.

10.1 Do you feel that there are norms for how to "be" as a doctoral student at your department?



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10.2 Do the norms create any problems?

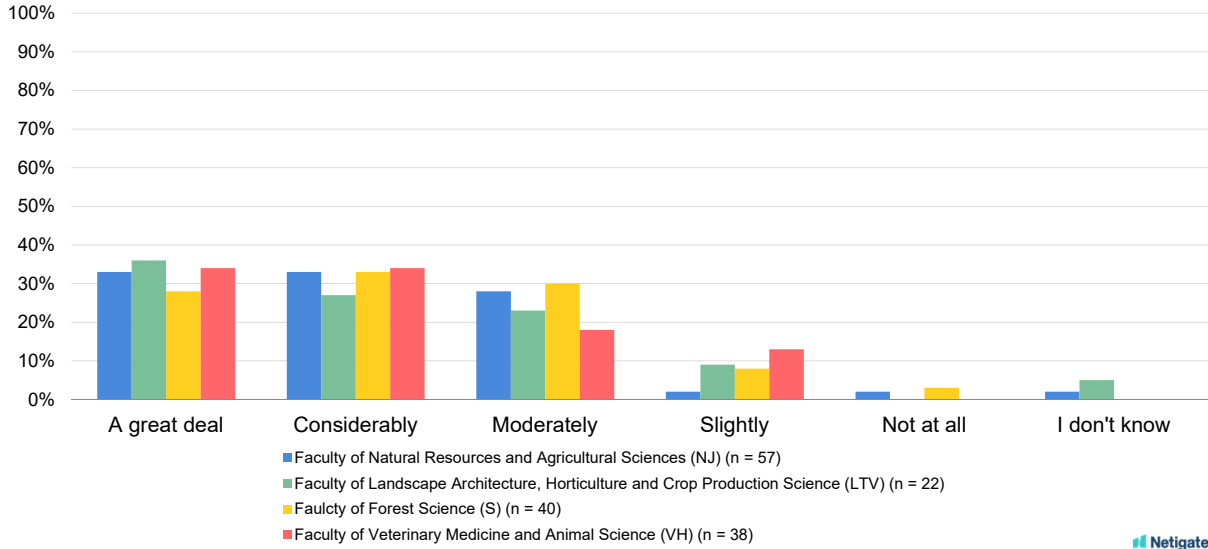


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### Research environment

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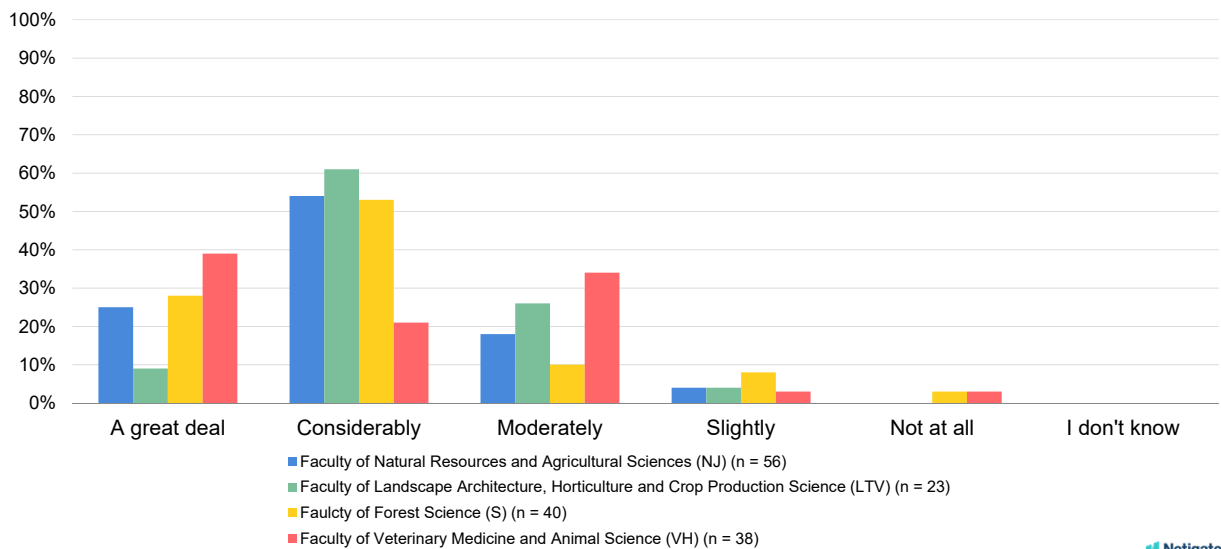
11.1 I have the possibility to participate in research conferences.



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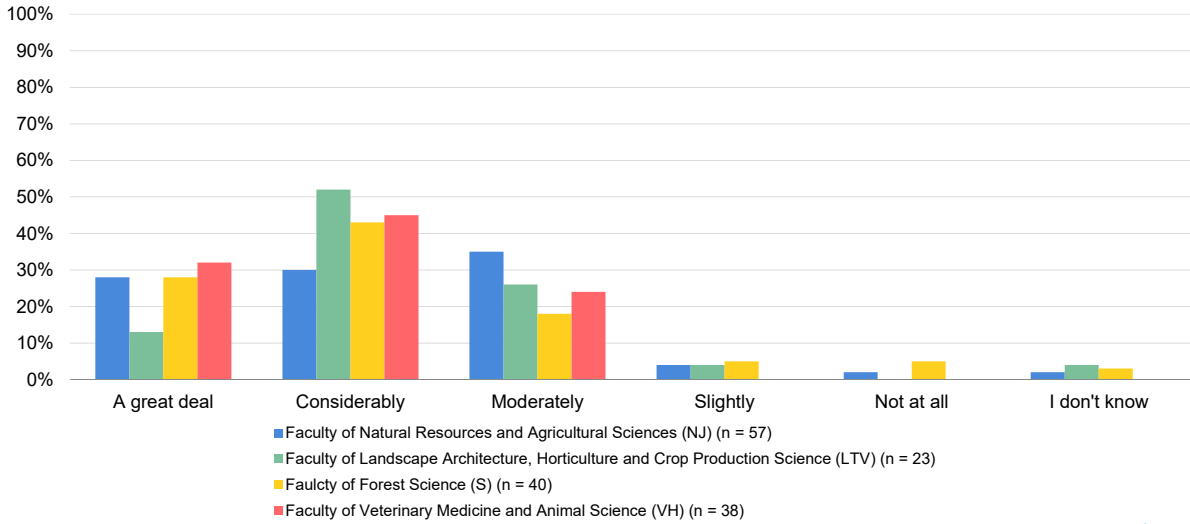
11.2 I have access to the research methods I need.



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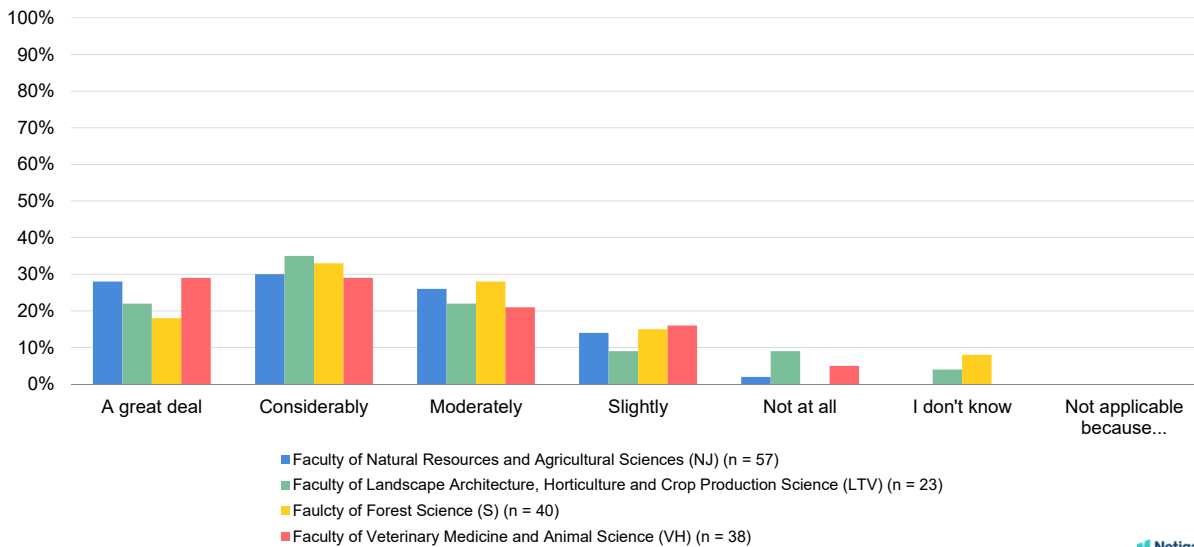
11.3 I am satisfied with the research equipment I am working with.



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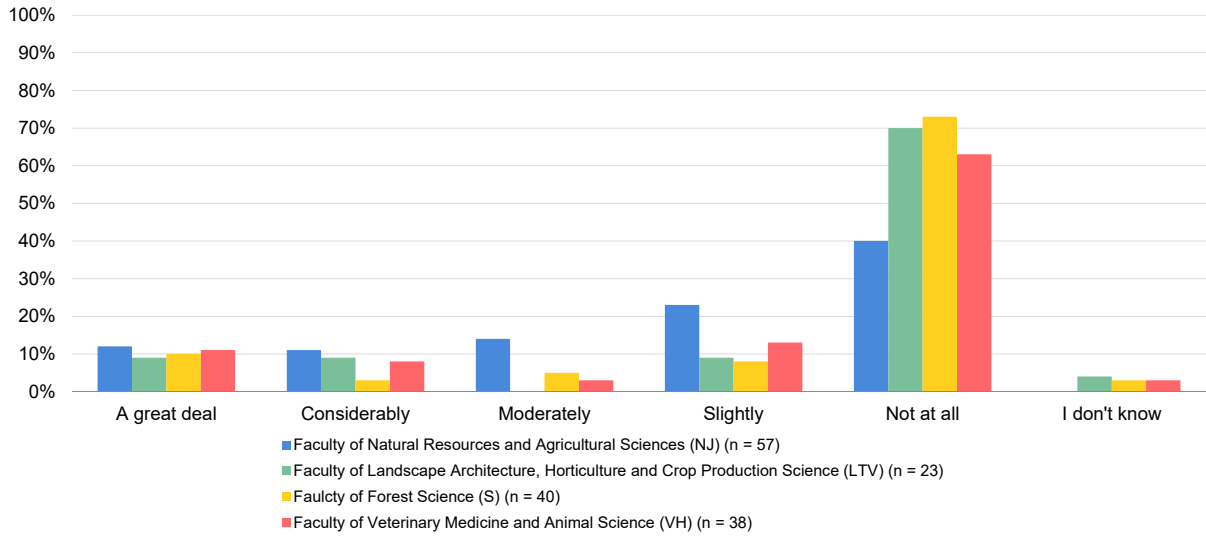
11.4 I have access to international research networks.



### The future

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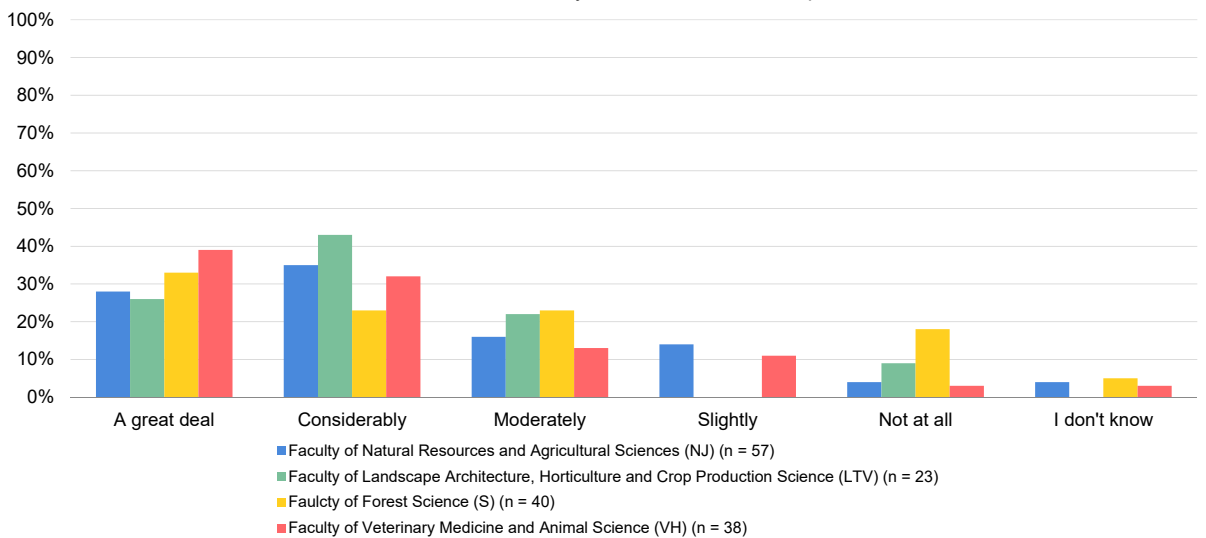
12.1 I have considered to leave my education without finishing the degree.



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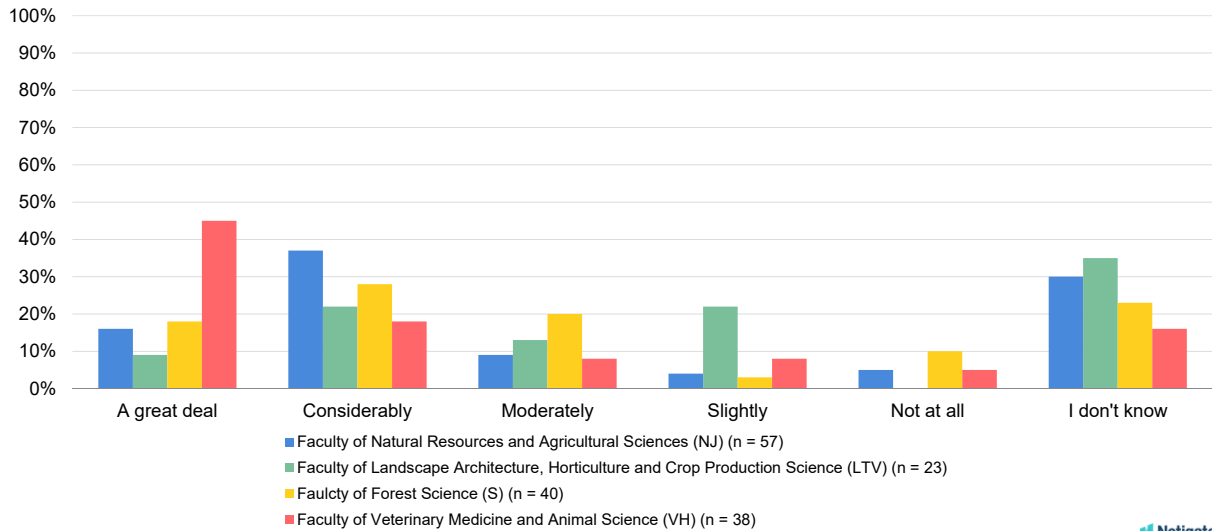
12.2 I believe that I will finish my education within the stipulated time.



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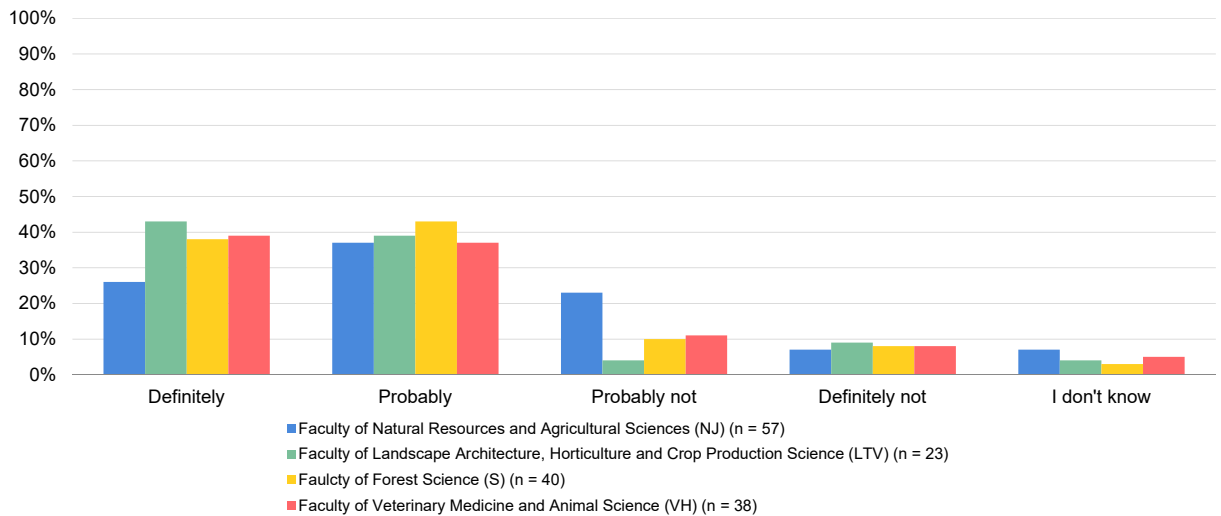
12.3 I believe that I will have an adequate employment one year after finishing my doctoral degree.



### General satisfaction

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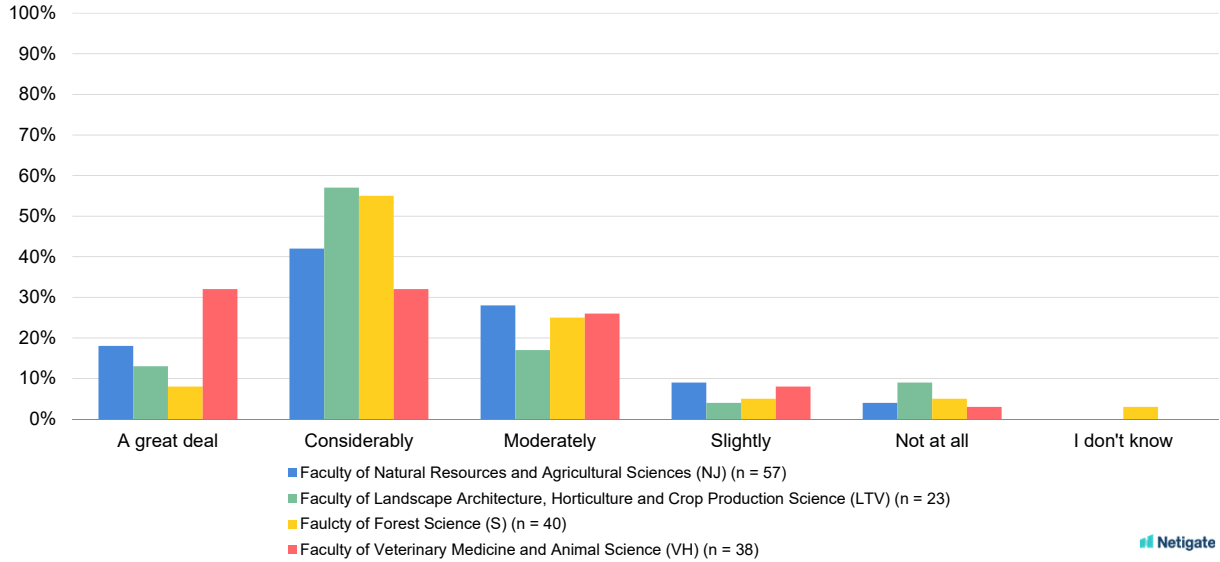
13.1 If you had not already been admitted to doctoral education, would you choose to start a doctoral education today if you were given the chance?



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13.2 If you make a general judgement of your situation as a doctoral student, how satisfied are you?

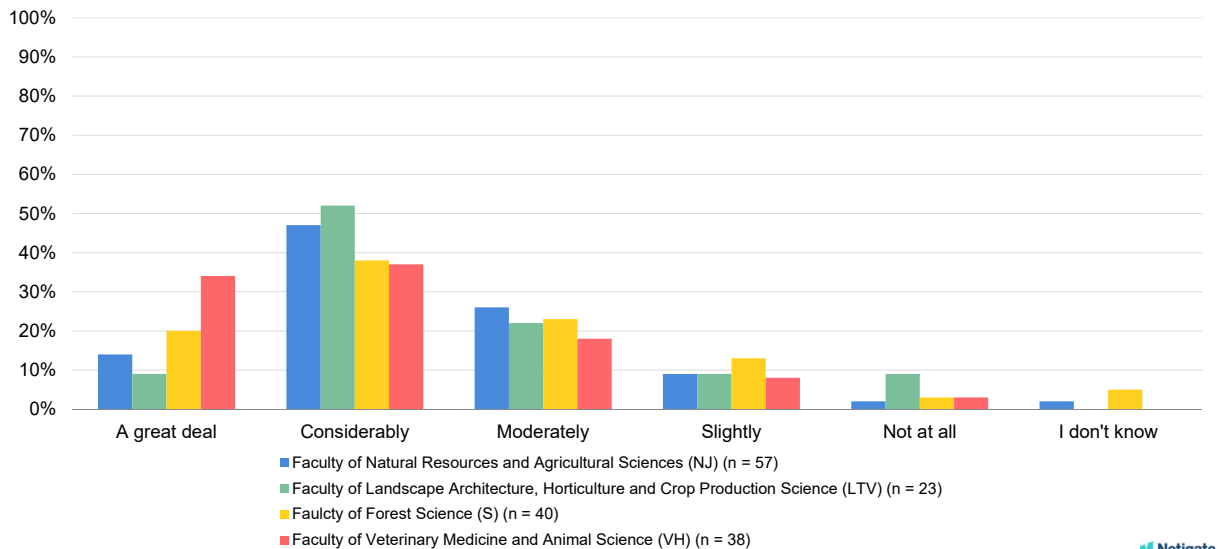


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13.3 Please rate how well your situation as a doctoral student fulfil your expectations.



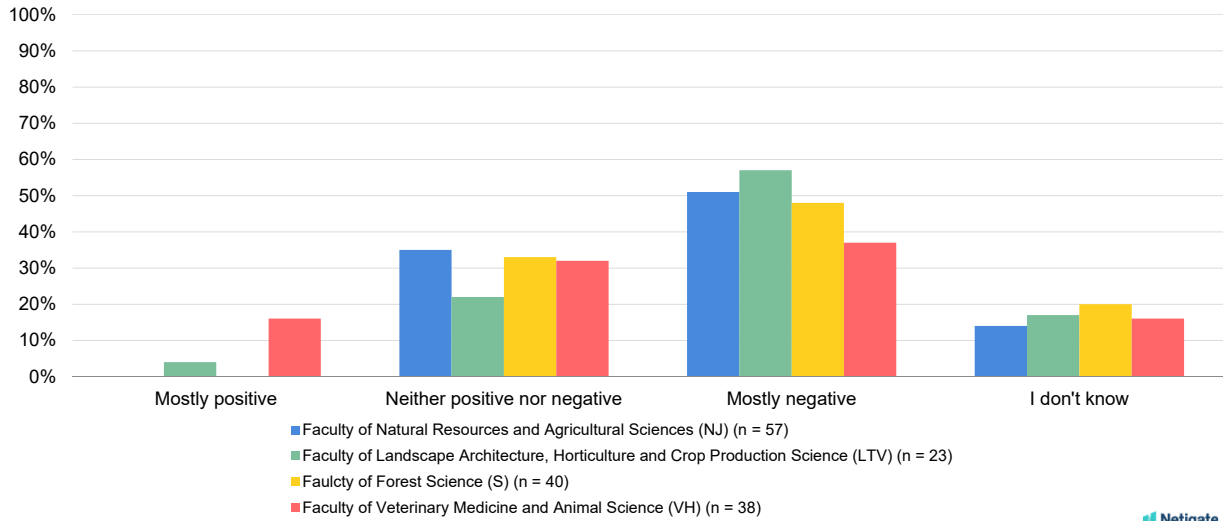
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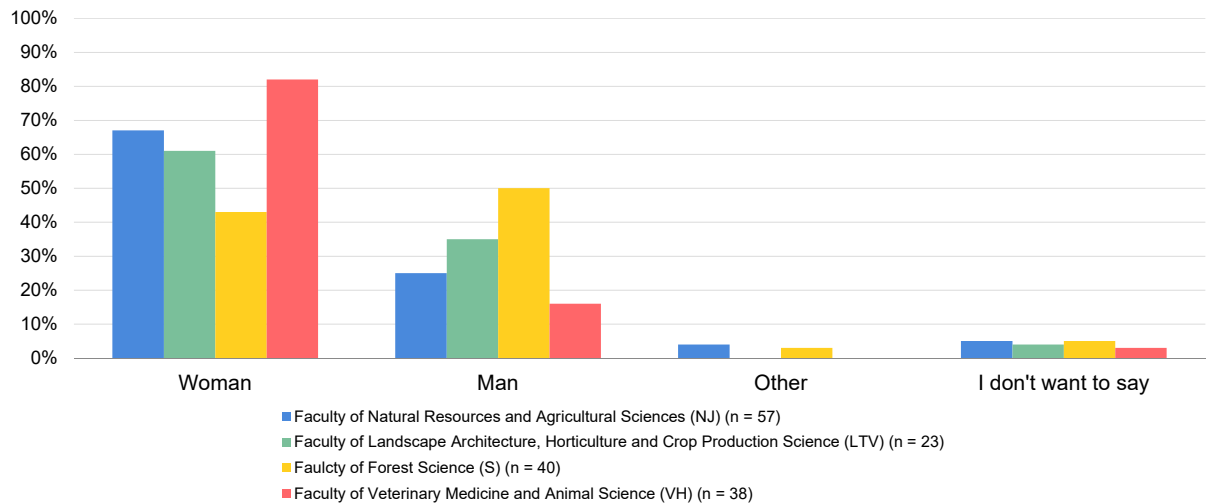
13.4 According to your experience - how was your doctoral education affected by the Covid-19 pandemic?



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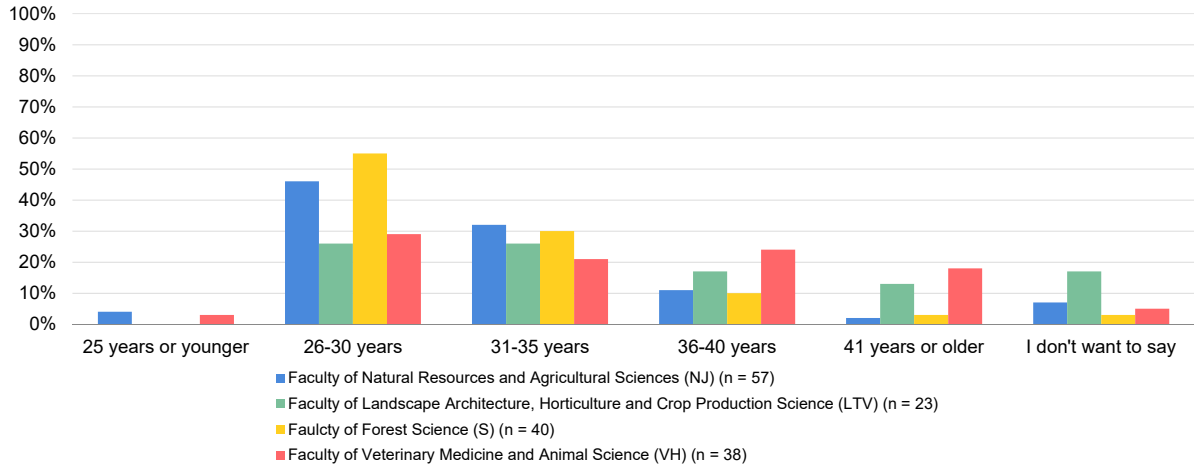
I am a...



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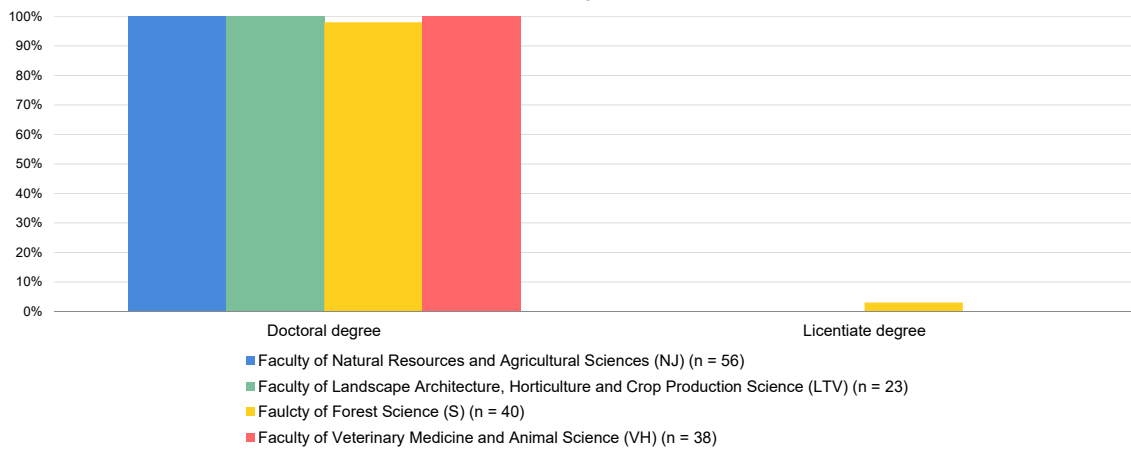
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#### How old are you?



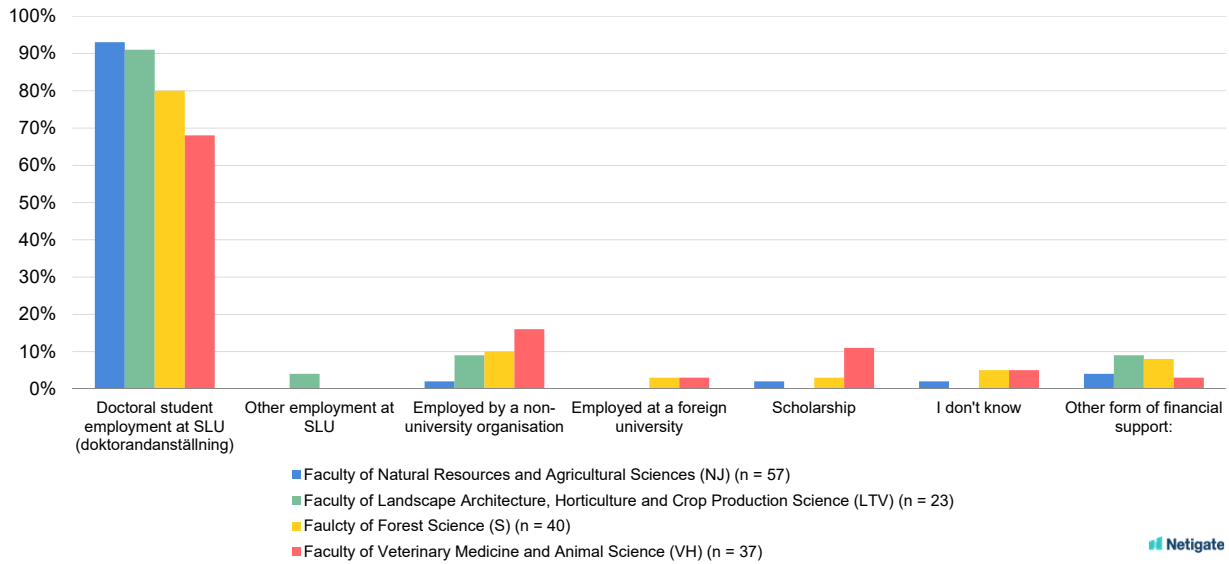
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#### I am aiming for a ...



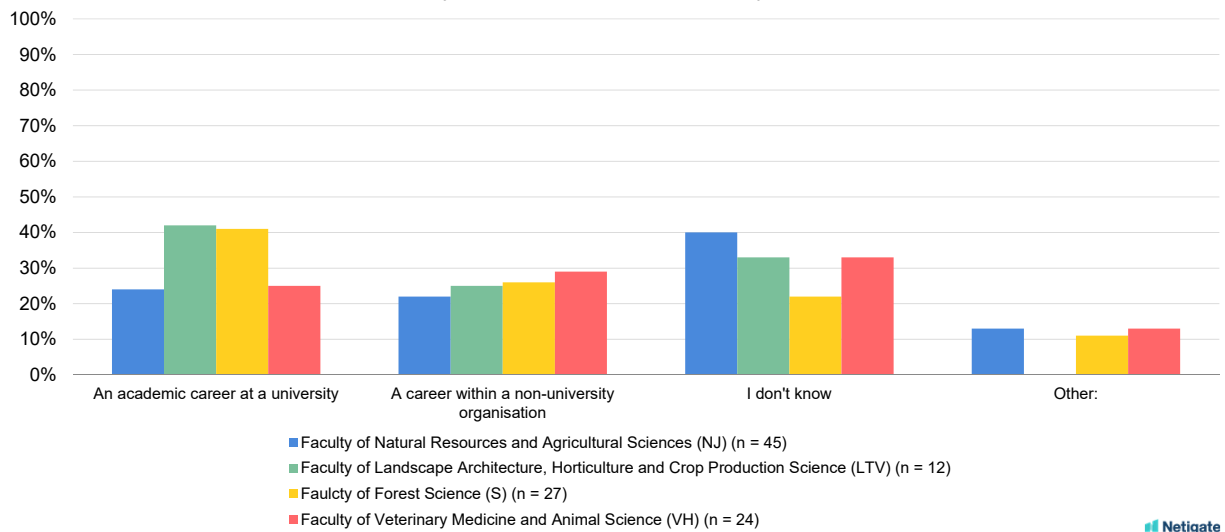
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How is your doctoral education financed?



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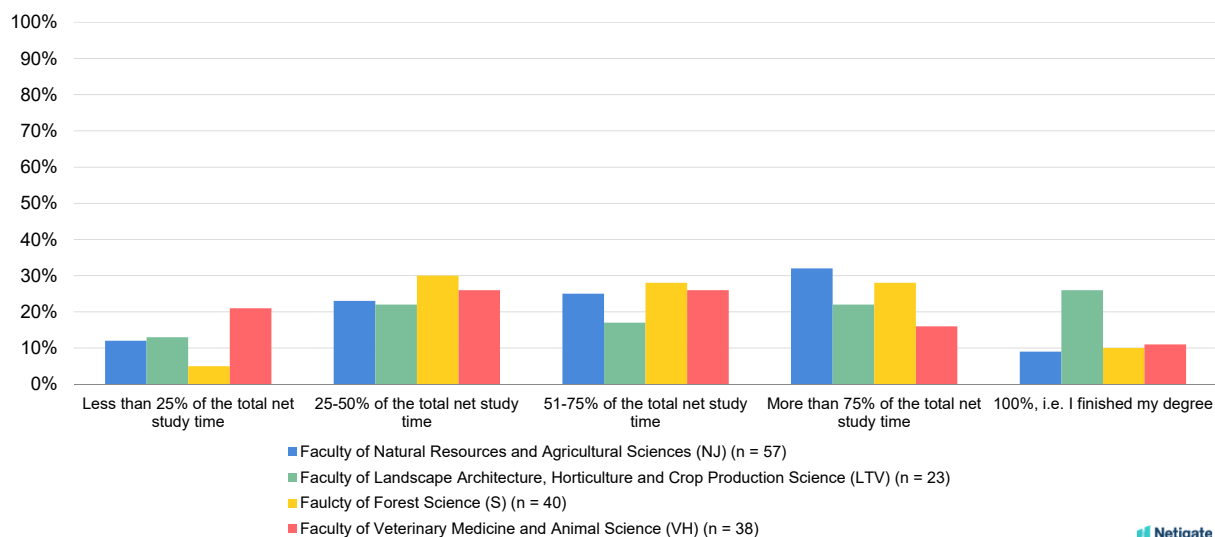
With my doctoral education I primarily aim for...



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### I have used...

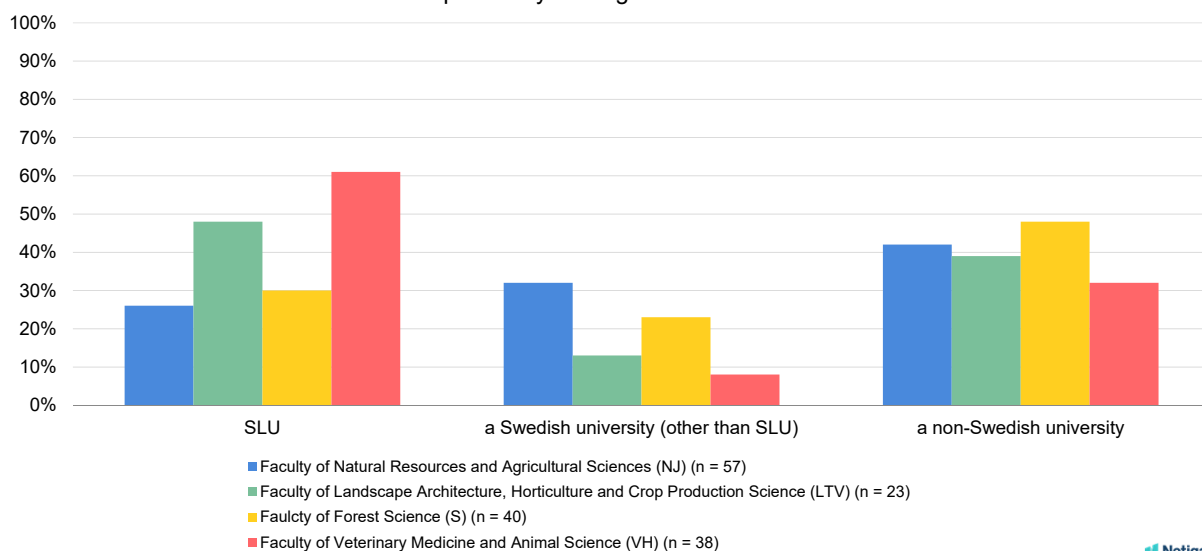


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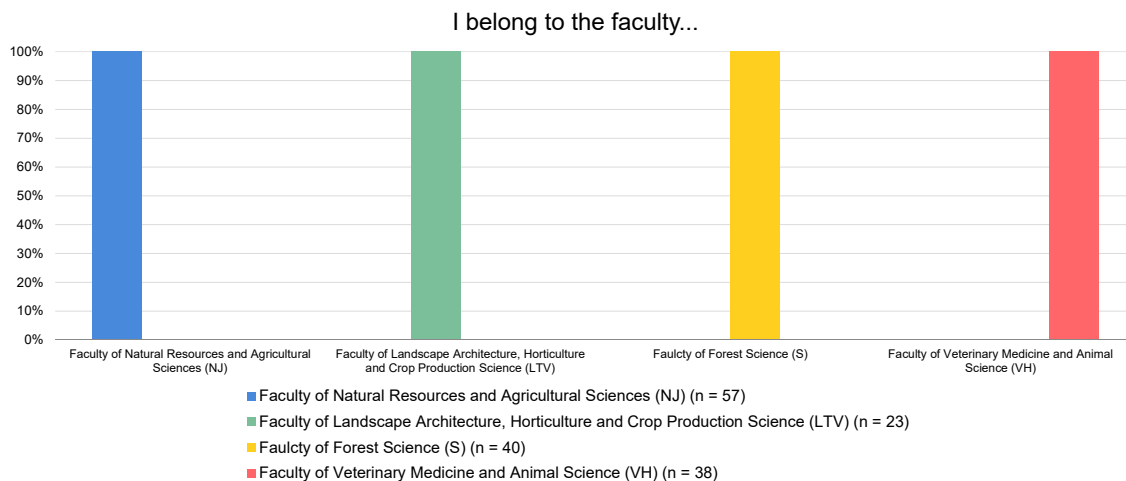
### I completed my undergraduate studies at...



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### Faculty affiliation

Since the faculties are responsible for the quality of their education we need information regarding which faculty you belong to. This means that this question is mandatory. The following question, concerning your departmental affiliation is voluntary.



### Departmental affiliation

This question is voluntary. However, the rest of the answers will be of better use if you register what department you belong to. The survey is performed by the Division of Planning belonging to the central university administration. Individual answers are stored in a database which only two persons can access. Other persons will only access results aggregated at faculty or university level.

