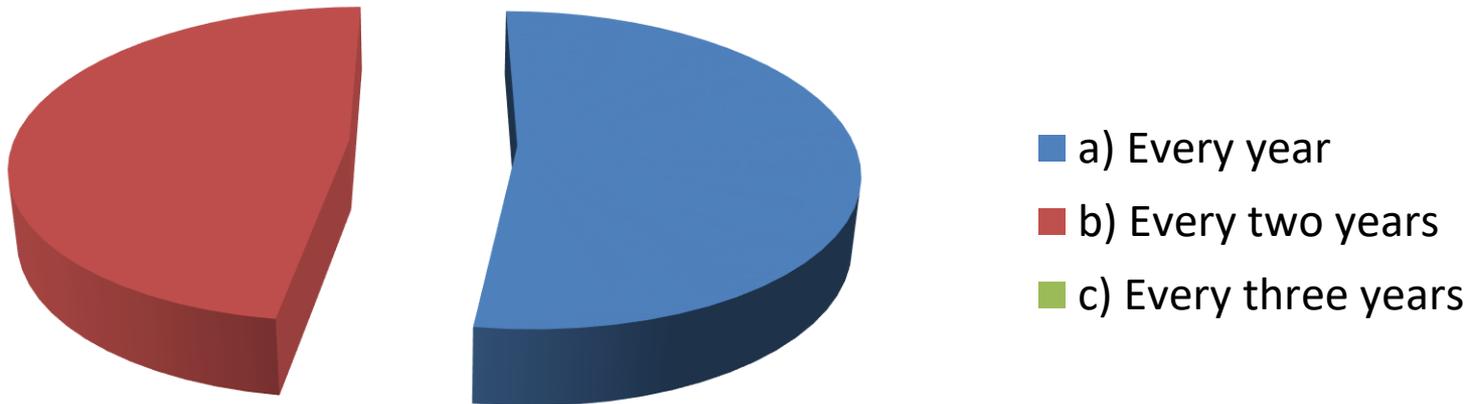




Survey to Federations: Answers from 21 Federations

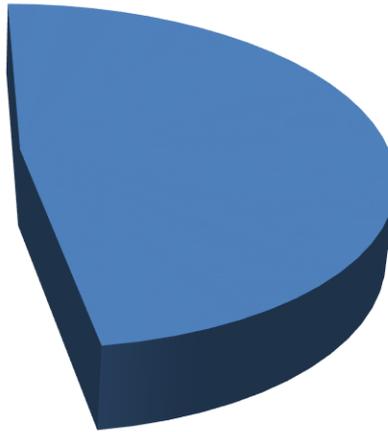
1.- What do you think about the frequency of the WC Trail?

a) Every year	11	52%
b) Every two years	10	48%
c) Every three years	0	0%



2.- How do you think the Trail World Championships should be?

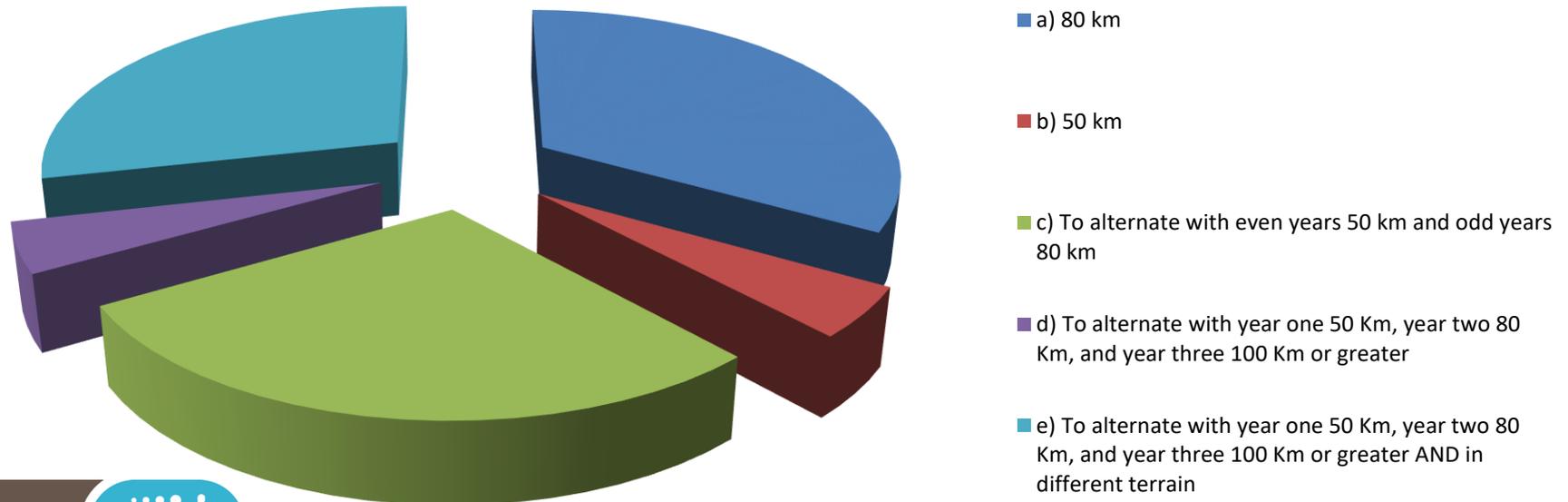
a) Varied and with significant elevation changes	10	48%
b) Varied, with a World Championship in different terrain (desert, plains, mountains, forests, etc...)	11	52%



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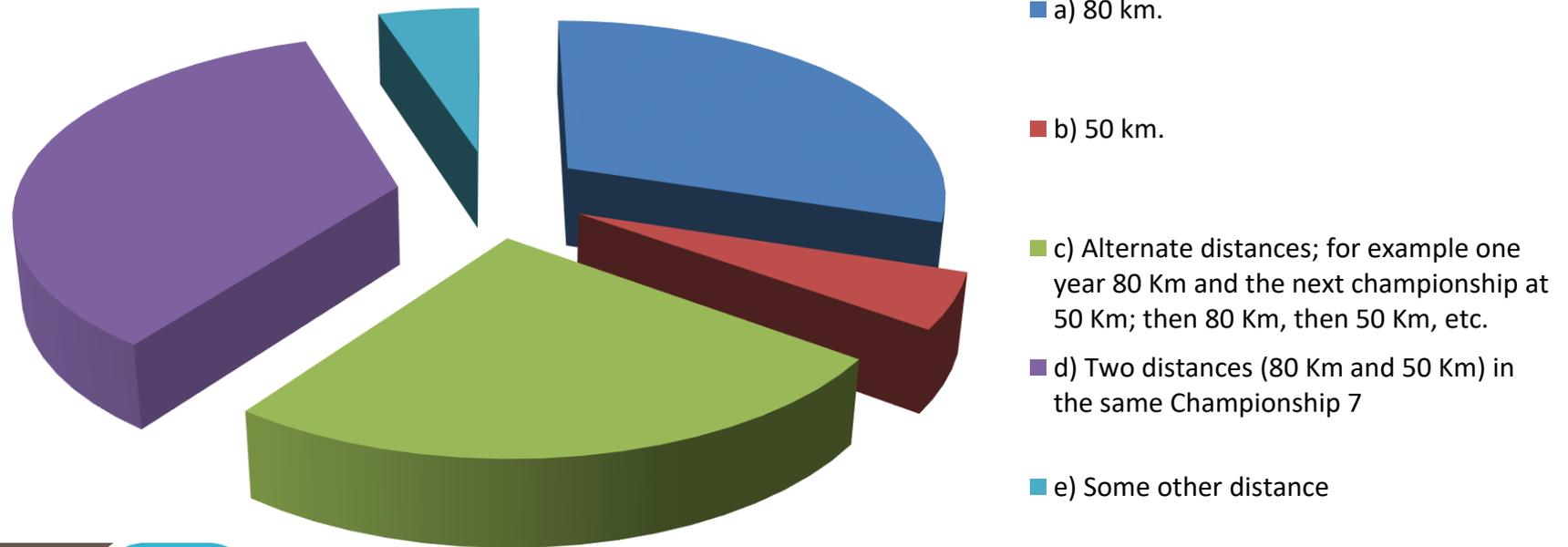
3.- If World Trail Championships are held every year, which distance do you consider the best?

a) 80 km	7	33,33%
b) 50 km	1	4,76%
c) To alternate with even years 50 km and odd years 80 km	6	28,57%
d) To alternate with year one 50 Km, year two 80 Km, and year three 100 Km or greater	1	4,76%
e) To alternate with year one 50 Km, year two 80 Km, and year three 100 Km or greater AND in different terrain	6	28,57%



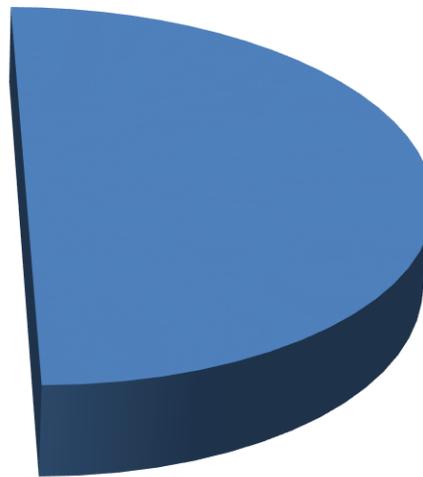
4.- If every two years, which distance do you prefer?

a) 80 km.	6	30%
b) 50 km.	1	5%
c) Alternate distances; for example one year 80 Km and the next championship at 50 Km; then 80 Km, then 50 Km, etc.	5	25%
d) Two distances (80 Km and 50 Km) in the same Championship	7	35%
e) Some other distance	1	5%



5.- If every two years, would you agree with the organization of a trail continental championship in the year when there is no world trail championship?

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| a) YES | 10 | 50% |
| b) NO, one world championship (and no continental) every two years is enough. | 4 | 20% |
| c) NOT APPLICABLE as I favor a trail world championship every year | 6 | 30% |



- a) YES
- b) NO, one world championship (and no continental) every two years is enough.
- c) NOT APPLICABLE as I favor a trail world championship every year

Conclusions:

1. Federations Divided in two blocks almost equal, in terms of the periodicity of the World Championships (1 or 2 years).
2. Federations Divided in two blocks almost equal, in terms of significant elevations or terrain for the WC Trail.
3. If WC Trail every year, most federations prefer a variety of distances and terrain.
4. If every two years, diversity of opinions, between 80K, alternate 80 and 50K, or 80 and 50K in the same Championship.
5. **The 80% of Federations want one Mayor Trail Competition every year** (World or Continental Championship)