

University Data Summary for the 2016-2017 Annual Assessment

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Question 1: Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs) Assessed in 2016-2017.

Q1.1. Which of the following Program Learning Outcomes (PLOs,) Sac State Baccalaureate Learning Goals (BLGs,) and emboldened Graduate Learning Goals (GLGs) **did you assess**? [Check all that apply]

	Overall Disciplinary Knowledge
25% [19/77]	Written Communication
22% [17/77]	Critical Thinking
18% [14/77]	Other PLOs
17% [13/77]	Oral Communication
14% [11/77]	Intercultural Knowledge, Competency, and Perspectives
14% [11/77]	Integrative and Applied Learning
9% [7/77]	Problem Solving
8% [6/77]	Professionalism* (added 16-17)
8% [6/77]	Inquiry and Analysis
8% [6/77]	Information Literacy
5% [4/77]	Teamwork
5% [4/77]	Ethical Reasoning
4% [3/77]	Creative Thinking
4% [3/77]	Reading
4% [3/77]	Foundations and Skills for Lifelong Learning
4% [3/77]	Global Learning and Perspectives
4% [3/77]	Quantitative Literacy
1% [1/77]	Overall Competencies for GE Knowledge
1% [1/77]	Civic Knowledge and Engagement

Q1.2. Please provide more detailed background information about **EACH PLO** you checked above and other information including how your specific PLOs are **explicitly** linked to the Sac State **BLGs/GLGs**: ______

Q1.2.1. Do you have rubrics for your PLOs?

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55% [44]	Yes, for all PLOs
31% [25]	Yes, but for some PLOs
8% [6]	No rubrics for PLOs
4% [3]	Other, specify:
2% [2]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q1.3. Are your PLOs closely aligned with the mission of the university?

94% [75]	Yes
0% [0]	No
4% [3]	Don't know
2% [2]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q1.4. Is your program externally accredited (other than through WASC Senior College and University Commission (WSCUC))?

41% [<mark>33</mark>]	Yes
53% [42]	No
1% [1]	Don't know
5% [4]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q1.4.1. If yes for Q1.4, are your PLOs closely aligned with the mission/goals/outcomes of the accreditation agency?

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94% [<mark>34</mark>] Yes
0% [0] No
6% [2] Don't know
100% [36] Total
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Q1.5. Did your program use the *Degree Qualification Profile* ("DQP," see http://degreeprofile.org) to develop your PLO(s)?

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18% [14] Yes
59% [47] No, but I know what DQP is.
20% [16] No, I don't know what DQP is.
1% [1] Don't know
2% [2] Missing or N/A
100% [80] Total
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Q1.6. Did you use action verbs to make each PLO measureable?

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91% [73] Yes

3% [2] No

2% [2] Don't know

4% [3] Missing or N/A

100% [80] Total
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Question 2: Standards of Performance/Expectations for THE SELECTED PLO.

Q2.1. Select OR type in ONE (1) PLO here as an example to illustrate how you conducted assessment (*be sure* you checked the correct box for this PLO in Q1.1):

20% [16]	Overall Competencies in the Major/Discipline
10% [8]	Intercultural Knowledge and Competency
10% [8]	Other
9% [7]	Written Communication
9% [7]	Oral Communication
9% [7]	Missing or N/A
6% [5]	Critical Thinking
5% [4]	Integrative and Applied Learning
5% [4]	Problem Solving
4% [3]	Team Work
4% [3]	Reading
3% [2]	Creative Thinking
3% [2]	Professionalism* (Added 16-17)
1% [1]	Inquiry and Analysis
1% [1]	Information Literacy
1% [1]	Foundations and Skills for Lifelong Learning
1% [1]	Global Learning
0% [0]	Civic Knowledge and Engagement
0% [0]	Quantitative Literacy
0% [0]	Ethical Reasoning
0% [0]	Overall Competencies for GE Knowledge

Q2.1.1. Please provide more background information about the **specific PLO** you've chosen in Q2.1.

Q2.2. Has the program developed or adopted **explicit** program standards of performance/expectations for this PLO? (e.g. "We expect 70% of our students to achieve at least a score of 3 or higher in all dimensions of the Written Communication VALUE rubric.)

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71% [57] Yes

19% [15] No

0% [0] Don't know

10% [8] Missing or N/A

100% [80] Total
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Q2.3. Please 1) provide/attach the rubric(s) <u>AND</u> 2) the standards of performance/expectations that you have developed *for the selected PLO here*.

Q2.4	Please indicate where you have published the PLO that was used to measure the PLO: [Check all that
PLO	apply]
77% [60]	In the assessment or program review reports/plans/resources/activities
37% [29]	In SOME course syllabi/assignments in the program that claim to introduce/develop/master the PLO(s)
30% [23]	On the academic unit website or in the newsletters
26% [20]	In the department/college/university's strategic plans and other planning documents
24% [19]	In ALL course syllabi/assignments in the program that claim to introduce /develop/master the PLO(s)
23% [18]	In the student handbook /advising handbook
22% [17]	In the new course proposal forms in the department/college/university
14% [11]	Other
9% [7]	In the university catalogue
4% [3]	In the department/college/university's budget plans and other resource allocation documents

Q2.5	Please indicate where you have published the standard of performance that was used to measure the
Stdrd	PLO: [Check all that apply]
68% [53]	In the assessment or program review reports/plans/resources/activities
30% [23]	In SOME course syllabi/assignments in the program that claim to introduce/develop/master the PLO(s)
21% [16]	On the academic unit website or in the newsletters
21% [16]	In ALL course syllabi/assignments in the program that claim to introduce /develop/master the PLO(s)
19% [15]	In the student handbook /advising handbook
18% [14]	In the department/college/university's strategic plans and other planning documents
12% [9]	Other
10% [8]	In the new course proposal forms in the department/college/university
5% [4]	In the university catalogue
1% [1]	In the department/college/university's budget plans and other resource allocation documents

Q2.6	Please indicate where you have published the rubric that was used to measure the PLO: [Check all that
Rbrc	apply]
67% [52]	In the assessment or program review reports/plans/resources/activities
28% [22]	In SOME course syllabi/assignments in the program that claim to introduce/develop/master the PLO(s)
18% [14]	In ALL course syllabi/assignments in the program that claim to introduce /develop/master the PLO(s)
13% [10]	On the academic unit website or in the newsletters
13% [10]	In the student handbook /advising handbook
10% [8]	In the department/college/university's strategic plans and other planning documents
9% [4]	Other
3% [2]	In the new course proposal forms in the department/college/university
1% [1]	In the department/college/university's budget plans and other resource allocation documents
0% [0]	In the university catalogue

Question 3: Data Collection Methods and Evaluation of Data Quality for the Selected PLO

Q3.1. Was assessment data/evidence collected for the selected PLO?

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89% [71] Yes

4% [3] No

0% [0] Don't know

7% [6] Missing or N/A

100% [80] Total
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Q3.1.1. How many assessment tools/methods/measures in total did you use to assess this PLO?

Q3.2. Was the data **scored/evaluated** for this PLO?

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88% [70] Yes

1% [1] No

0% [0] Don't know

11% [9] Missing or N/A

100% [80] Total
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Q3.2.1. Please describe how you collected the assessment data for the selected PLO. For example, in what course(s) or by what means were data collected:

Question 3A: Direct Measures (key assignments, projects, portfolios, etc.)

Q3.3 Were direct measures (key assignments, projects, portfolios, course work, student tests, etc.) used to assess this PLO?

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	85% [68]	Yes
	5% [4]	No
	0% [0]	Don't know
	10% [8]	Missing or N/A
	100% [80]	Total

Q3.3.1. Which of the following direct measures (key assignments, projects, portfolios, course work, student tests, etc.) were used? [**Check all that apply**]

53% [41/77]	Key assignments from required classes in the program
33% [25/77]	Capstone projects (e.g. theses, senior theses), courses, or experiences
23% [18/77]	Classroom based performance assessments such as simulations, comprehensive exams, or critiques
14% [11/77]	External performance assessments such as internships or other community-based projects
13% [10/77]	Other, specify:
9% [7/77]	E-Portfolios
7% [5/77]	Key assignments from elective classes
3% [2/77]	Other portfolios

Q3.3.2. Please 1) provide/attach the direct measure (key assignments, projects, portfolios, course work, student tests, etc.) you used to collect data, <u>THEN</u> 2) explain here how it assesses the PLO: _____

O3.4.	What tool	was used	to eva	luate the	data?	Select o	only one
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21% [17]	The VALUE rubric(s)
19% [15]	Use rubric developed/modified by a group of faculty
15% [12]	Missing or N/A
14% [11]	Use rubric developed/modified by the faculty who teaches the class
9% [7]	Use rubric pilot-tested and refined by a group of faculty
9% [<mark>7</mark>]	Use <mark>other</mark> means. Specify:
8% [6]	No rubric is used to interpret the evidence
6% [5]	Modified VALUE rubric(s)
100% [80]	Total

Q3.4.1. If you used other means, which of the following measures was used? [Check all that apply]

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0% [0]	National disciplinary exams or state/professional licensure exams
100% [2]	Other, specify
0% [0]	Other standardized knowledge and skill exams (e.g. ETC, GRE, etc.)
0% [0]	General knowledge and skills measures (e.g. CLA, ETS PP, etc.)
100% [<mark>2</mark>]	Total

Q3.4.2. Was the rubric aligned directly and explicitly with the PLO?

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69% [55]	Yes
14% [11]	No
1% [1]	Don't know
16% [13]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q3.4.3. Was the direct measure (e.g. assignment, thesis, etc.) aligned directly and explicitly with the rubric?

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58% [46]	Yes
14% [11]	No
0% [0]	Don't know
29% [23]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q3.4.4. Was the direct measure (e.g. assignment, thesis, etc.) aligned directly and explicitly with the PLO?

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65% [52]	Yes
9% [7]	No
1% [1]	Don't know
25% [20]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q3.5. Please enter the number (#) of faculty members who participated in planning the assessment data **collection** of the selected PLO? _____

Q3.5.1. Please enter the number (#) of faculty members who participated in the **evaluation** of the assessment data for the selected PLO?

Q3.5.2. If data was evaluated by multiple scorers, was there a norming process (a procedure to make sure everyone was scoring similarly?) (This data is mildly dependent on the previous two open-ended questions.)

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41% [33] Yes
21% [17] No
0% [0] Don't know
38% [30] Missing or N/A
100% [80] Total
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Q3.6. How did you select the sample of student work (papers, projects, portfolios, etc.)?

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Q3.6.4		nple size of student work for the direct measure ac	lequate?
	78% [62]	Yes	
	3% [2]	No	
	5% [4]	Don't know	
		Missing or N/A	
	100% [80]	Total	
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<u>Questi</u>	on 3B: Indire	<mark>ct Measures (surveys, focus groups, interviews, e</mark> t	:c.)
Q3.7. \		measures used to assess the PLO?	
	21% [17]	Yes	
	68% [54]	No	
	0% [0]	Don't know	
	11% [9]	Missing or N/A	
	100% [80]	Total	
Q3.7.1	. Which of the	e following indirect measures were used? [Check a	ll that apply]
	16% [12]	College/department/program student surveys	
	7% [5]		
		Advisory board surveys, focus groups, or interviews	
	3% [2]		
	3% [2]	Employer surveys, focus groups, or interviews	
	0% [0]	National student surveys (e.g. NSSE)	
	0% [0]	University conducted student surveys (e.g. OIR)	
Q3.7.1	.1. Please exp	plain and attach the indirect measure you used to d	ollect data:
		ere used, how was the sample size decided ?	
	•	ere used, how did you select your sample?	
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Q3.7.4	. If surveys w	ere used, please enter the response rate ?	
Questi	on 3C: Other	Measures (external benchmarking, licensing example)	ns, standardized tests, etc.)
Q3.8. \	Were externa	I benchmarking data, such as licensing exams or sta	andardized tests, used to assess the
PLO?			
	16% [13]	Yes	
	73% [58]	No	
	11% [9]	Missing or N/A	
	100% [80]	Total	
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Q3.8.1		e following measures was used? [Check all that ap	
	15% [11]	National disciplinary exams or state/professional licensure	exams
	11% [8]	Other, specify:	
	1% [1]	General knowledge and skills measures (e.g. CLA, ETS PP, e	•
	0% [0]	Other standardized knowledge and skill exams (e.g. ETC, G	RE, etc.)

Q3.8.2. Were other measures used to assess the PLO?

9% [7]	Yes
80% [64]	No
0% [0]	Don't know
11% [9]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q3.8.3. If other measures were used, please specify:

Question 4: Data, Findings, and Conclusions

Q4.1. Please provide simple tables and/or graphs to summarize the assessment data, findings, and conclusions for the selected PLO for **Q2.1** (see Appendix 11 in our Feedback Packet Example): _______ **Q4.2.** Are students doing well and meeting the program standard? **If not**, how will the program work to improve student performance of the selected PLO?

Q4.3. For the selected PLO, the student performance:

29% [23]	Exceeded expectation/standard
31% [25]	Met expectation/standard
23% [18]	Partially met expectation/standard
3% [2]	Did not meet expectation/standard
4% [3]	No expectation/standard has been specified
1% [1]	Don't know
10% [8]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Question 4A: Alignment and Quality

Q4.4. Did the data, including the direct measures, from all the different assessment tools/measures/methods directly align with the PLO?

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79% [63] Yes

10% [8] No

1% [1] Don't know

10% [8] Missing or N/A

100% [80] Total
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Q4.5. Were all the assessment tools/measures/methods that were used good measures of the PLO?

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65% [52] Yes
15% [12] No
9% [7] Don't know
11% [9] Missing or N/A
100% [80] Total
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Question 5: Use of Assessment Data (Closing the Loop)

Q5.1. As a result of the assessment effort and based on prior feedback from OAPA, do you anticipate *making any changes* for your program (e.g. course structure, course content, or modification of PLOs)?

58% [46]	Yes
21% [17]	No
13% [10]	Don't know
9% [7]	Missing or N/A
100% [80]	Total

Q5.1.1. Please describe *what changes* you plan to make in your program as a result of your assessment of this PLO.

Q5.1.2. Do you have a plan to assess the *impact of the changes* that you anticipate making?

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	51% [41]	Yes	
	18% [14]	No	
	5% [4]	Don't know	
	26% [21]	Missing or N/A	
	100% [80]	Total	

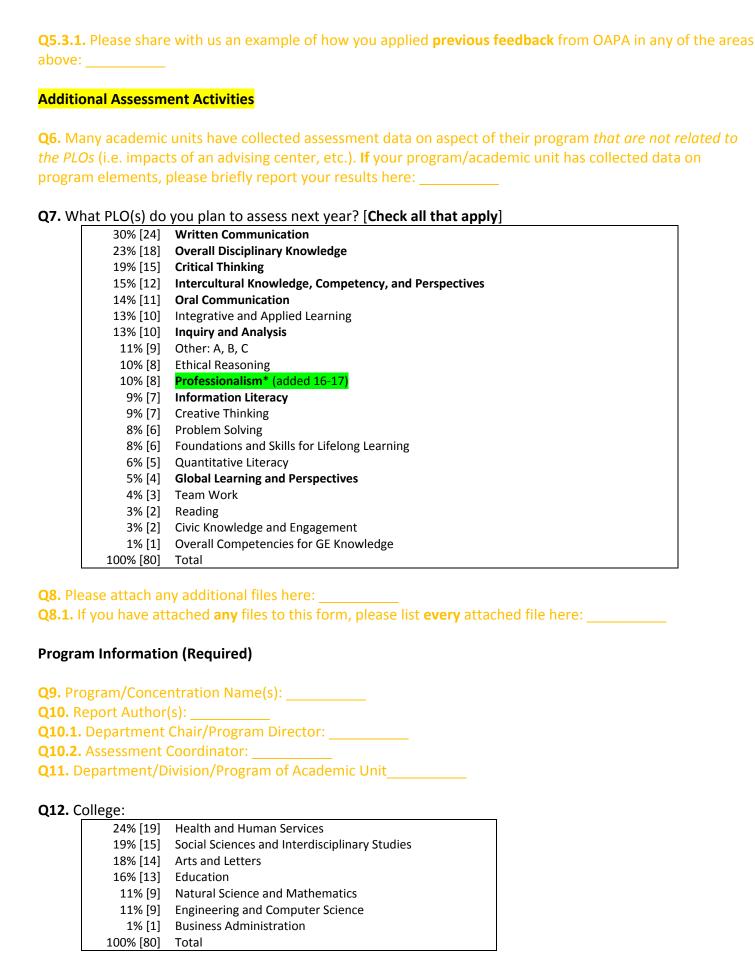
Q5.2. To what extent did you apply **previous assessment results** collected through your program in the follow areas? [Check all that apply]

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	Very	Quite a	Some	Not at all	N/A or	Total
	Much	Bit			No Answer	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5 or 8)	
Annual assessment reports	30% [24]	10% [8]	26% [21]	6% [5]	28% [22]	100% [80]
Developing/updating assessment plan	16% [13]	9% [7]	29% [23]	20% [16]	26% [21]	100% [80]
Program review	15% [12]	14% [11]	18% [14]	11% [9]	43% [34]	100% [80]
Improving specific courses	11% [9]	15% [12]	44% [35]	10% [8]	20% [16]	100% [80]
Program accreditation	11% [9]	8% [6]	13% [10]	14% [11]	55% [44]	100% [80]
Modifying curriculum	11% [9]	6% [5]	40% [32]	16% [13]	26% [21]	100% [80]
Strategic planning	11% [9]	5% [4]	21% [17]	26% [21]	36% [29]	100% [80]
External accountability reporting requirement	11% [9]	4% [3]	10% [8]	19% [15]	56% [45]	100% [80]
New faculty hiring	10% [8]	15% [12]	21% [17]	19% [15]	35% [28]	100% [80]
Improving advising and mentoring	9% [7]	14% [11]	38% [30]	15% [12]	25% [20]	100% [80]
Revising rubrics and/or expectations	9% [7]	10% [8]	33% [26]	19% [15]	30% [24]	100% [80]
WASC accreditation (regional accreditation)	8% [6]	5% [4]	15% [12]	23% [18]	50% [40]	100% [80]
Professional development for faculty and staff	6% [5]	14% [11]	23% [18]	26% [21]	31% [25]	100% [80]
Revising learning outcomes/goals	6% [5]	9% [7]	19% [15]	38% [30]	29% [23]	100% [80]
Alumni communication	6% [5]	4% [3]	8% [6]	33% [26]	50% [40]	100% [80]
Academic policy development or modification	6% [5]	3% [2]	19% [15]	21% [17]	51% [41]	100% [80]
Prospective student and family information	3% [2]	5% [4]	20% [16]	25% [20]	48% [38]	100% [80]
Recruitment of new students	1% [1]	14% [11]	18% [14]	29% [23]	39% [31]	100% [80]
Resource allocation and budgeting	1% [1]	6% [5]	10% [8]	39% [31]	44% [35]	100% [80]
Institutional Improvement	0% [0]	3% [2]	21% [17]	21% [17]	55% [44]	100% [80]
Institutional benchmarking	0% [0]	3% [2]	14% [11]	25% [20]	59% [47]	100% [80]
Trustee/Governing Board deliberations	0% [0]	0% [0]	4% [3]	25% [20]	71% [57]	100% [80]
Other, specify:						100% [80]

Q5.2.1. Please provide a detailed example of how you used the assessment data above: ______

Q5.3. To what extent did you apply previous assessment feedback from OAPA in the following areas?

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	Very	Quite a	Some	Not at all	N/A or	Total
	Much	Bit			No Answer	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5 or 8)	
Program Learning Outcomes	11% [9]	5% [4]	24% [8]	24% [8]	36% [29]	100% [80]
Standards of Performance	14% [11]	9% [7]	19% [15]	26% [21]	26% [21]	100% [80]
Measure	9% [7]	6% [5]	25% [20]	24% [19]	36% [29]	100% [80]
Rubrics	10% [8]	4% [3]	26% [21]	28% [22]	33% [26]	100% [80]
Alignment	9% [7]	4% [3]	28% [22]	26% [21]	34% [27]	100% [80]
Data Collection	11% [9]	13% [10]	11% [9]	33% [26]	33% [26]	100% [80]
Data Analysis and Presentation	9% [7]	21% [17]	25% [20]	16% [13]	29% [23]	100% [80]
Use of Assessment Data	8% [6]	16% [13]	28% [22]	20% [16]	29% [23]	100% [80]
Other, please specify:	4% [3]	0% [0]	3% [2]	8% [6]	86% [69]	100% [80]



64% [51]	Undergraduate	baccalaureate major		$\overline{}$
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Q20.1. Please obtain and attach your latest curriculum map: _____

Q21. Has your program indicated in the curriculum map where assessment of student learning occurs?

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39% [31] Yes

46% [37] No

9% [7] Don't know

6% [5] Missing or N/A

100% [80] Total
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Q22. Does your program have a capstone class?

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66% [53] Yes
31% [25] No
3% [2] Missing or N/A
100% [80] Total
61% [49] If yes, indicated
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Q22.1. Does your program have a capstone project(s)?

65% [52]	Yes
33% [26]	No
0% [0]	Don't know
3% [2]	Missing or N/A
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