Network Link Meeting

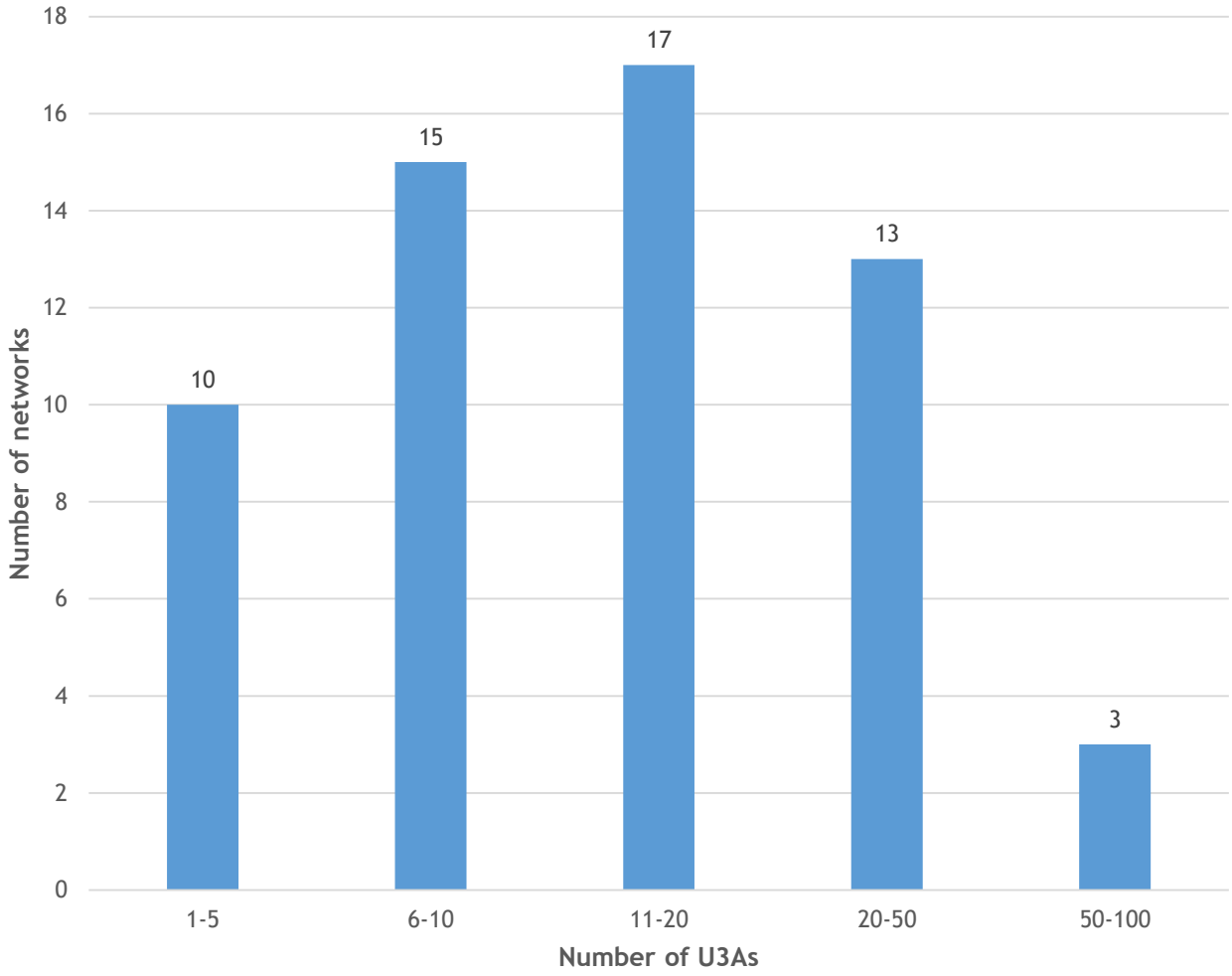
1st May 2018

How many U3As are there in your network?

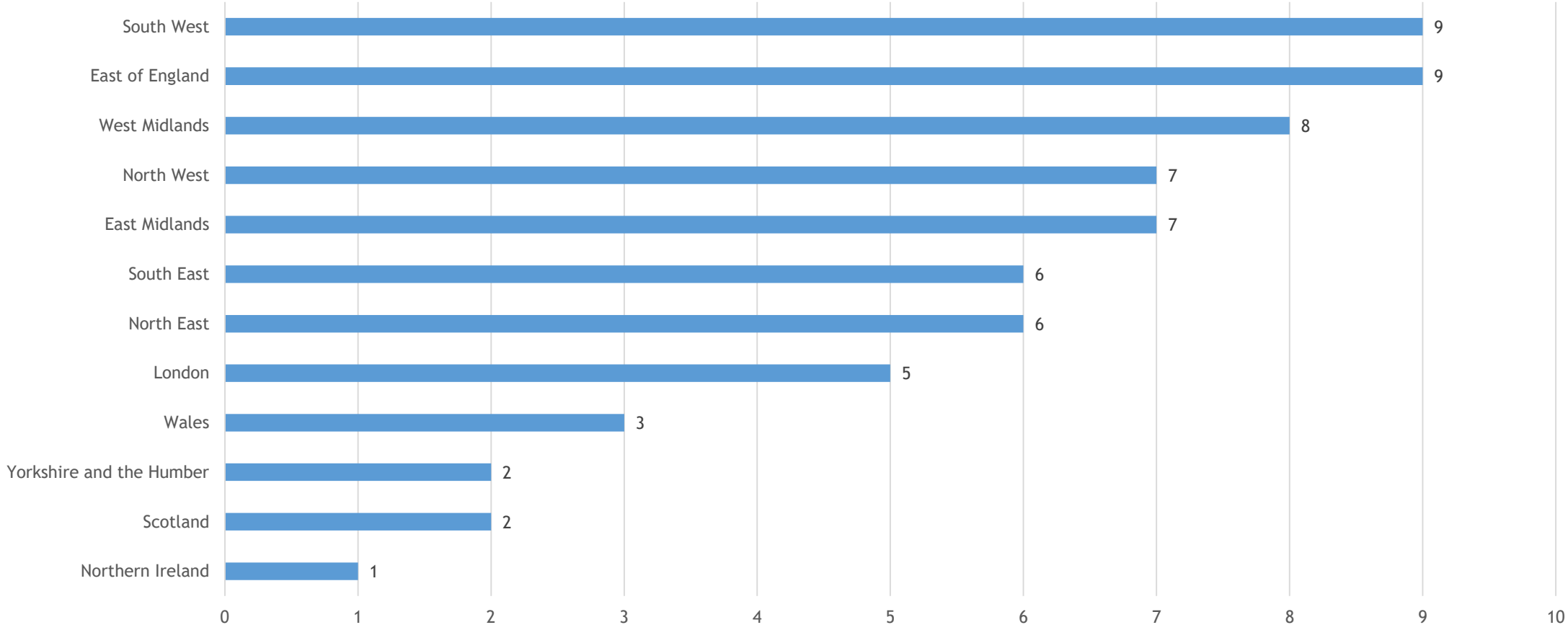
Average: 15-16

Smallest: 3 (BOB)

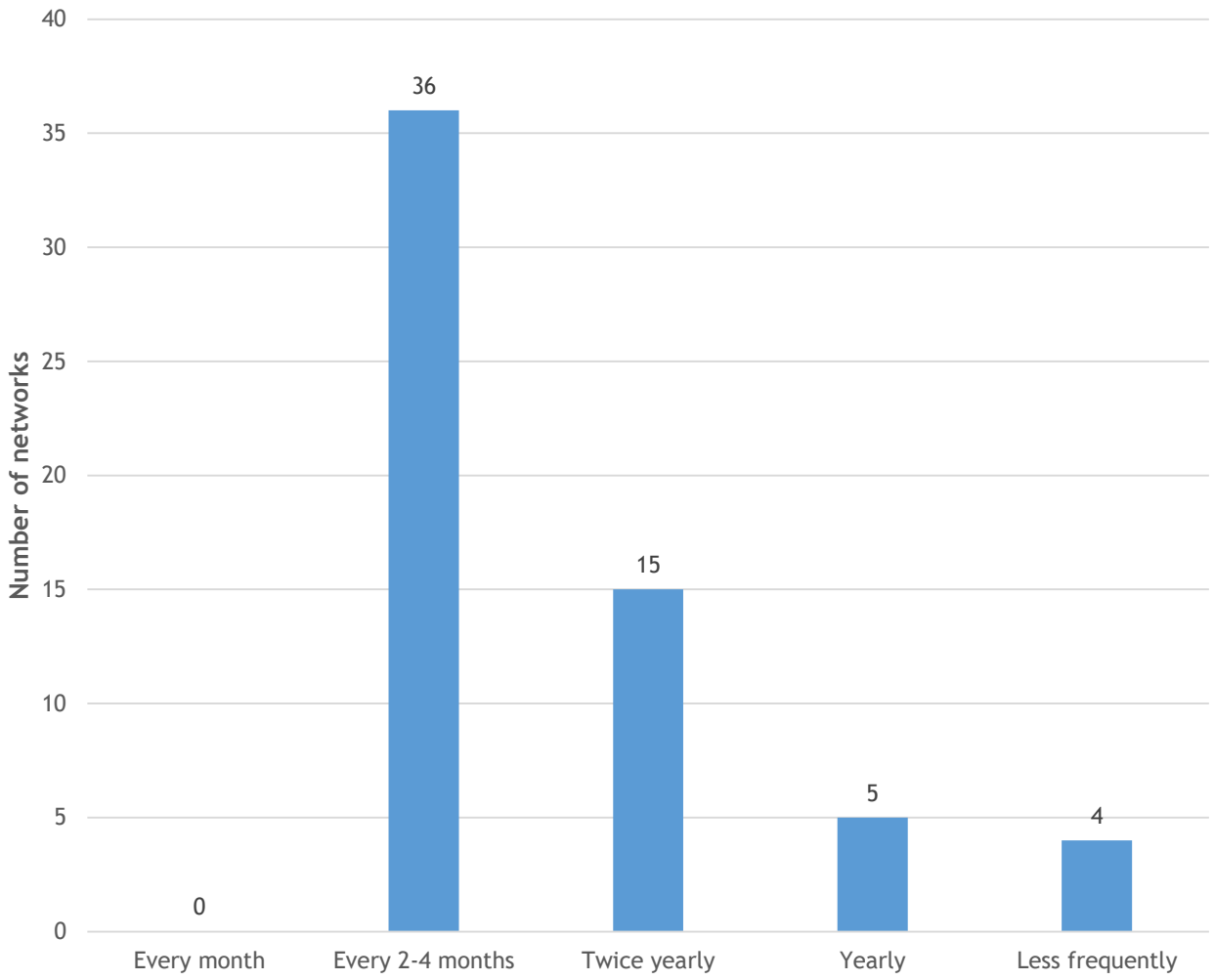
Largest: 100 (North West Region)



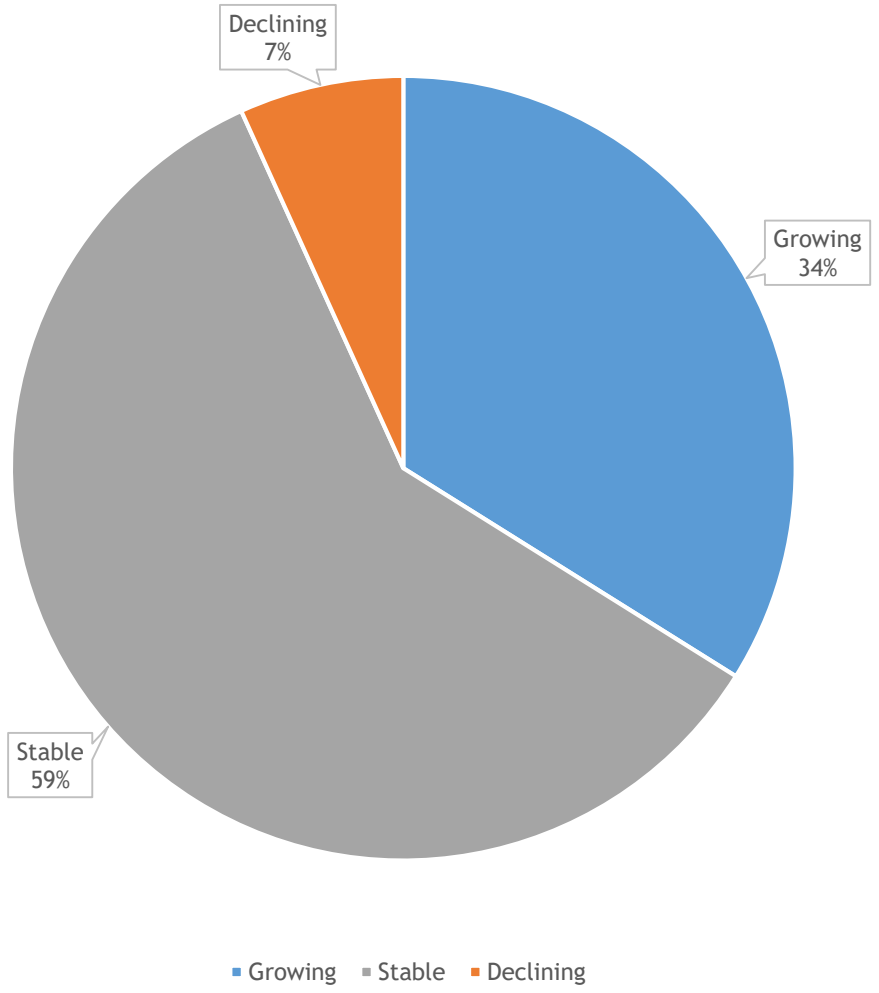
Number of networks operating per region



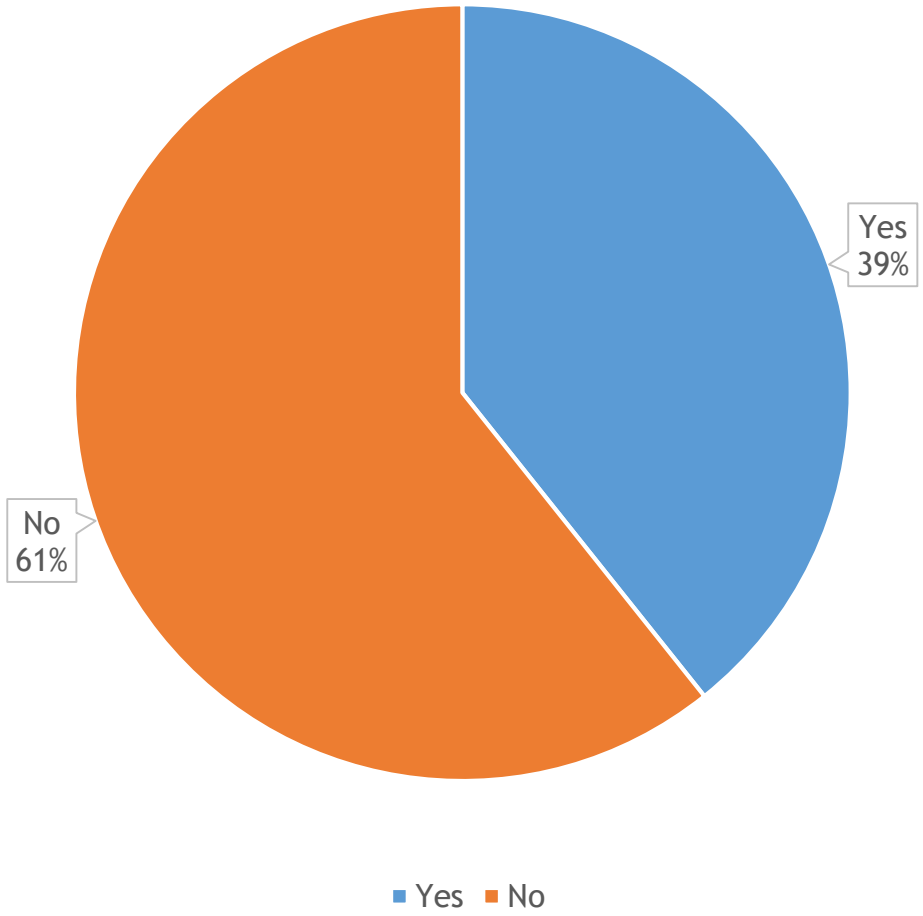
How frequently does the network meet?



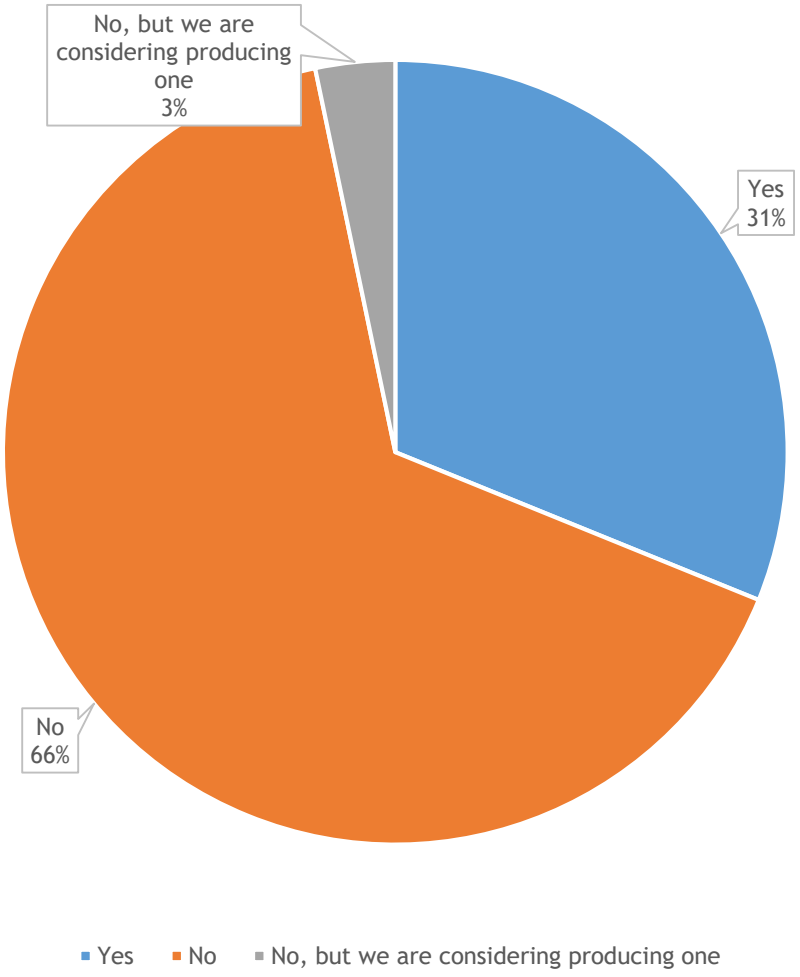
How would you describe the membership of your network?



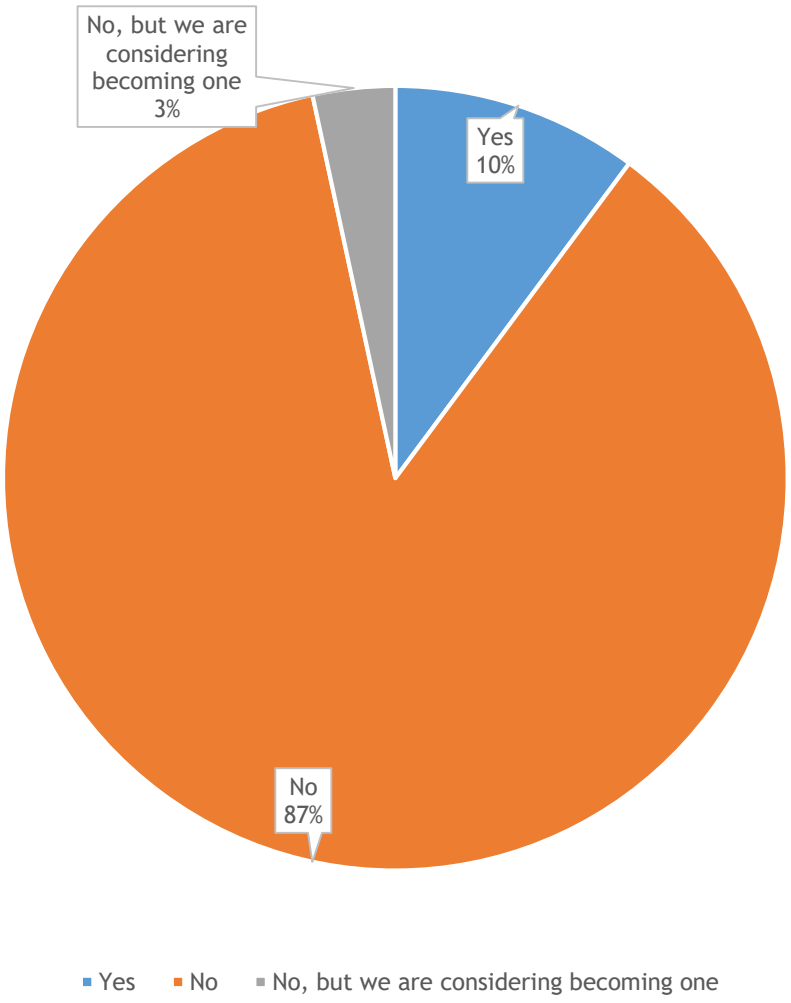
Does your network have a website?



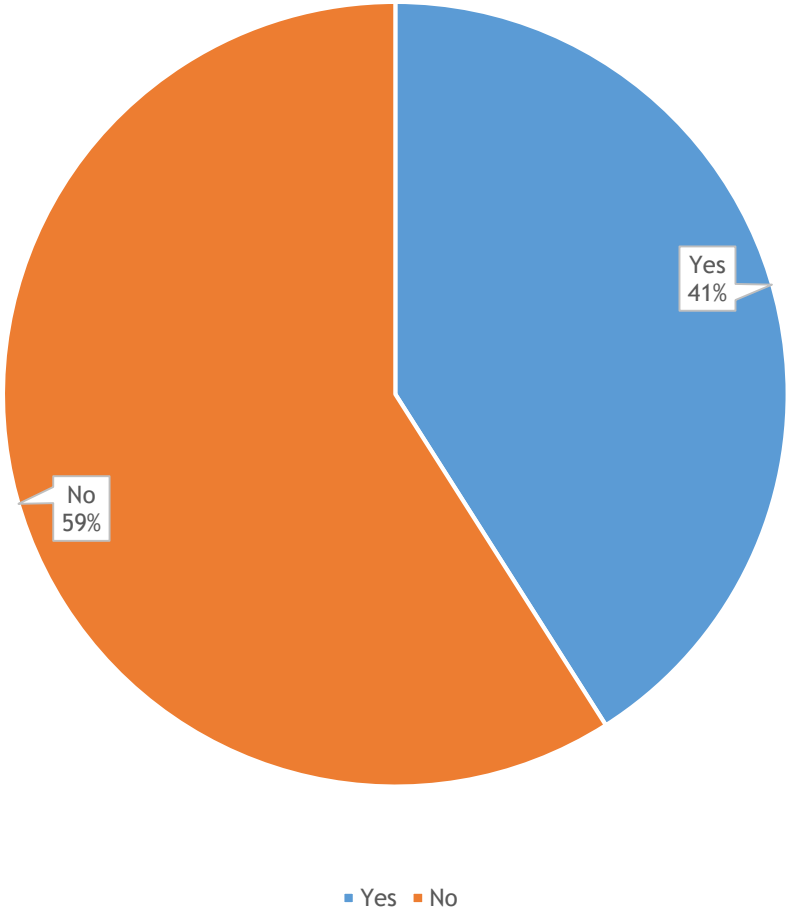
Does your network have a constitution?



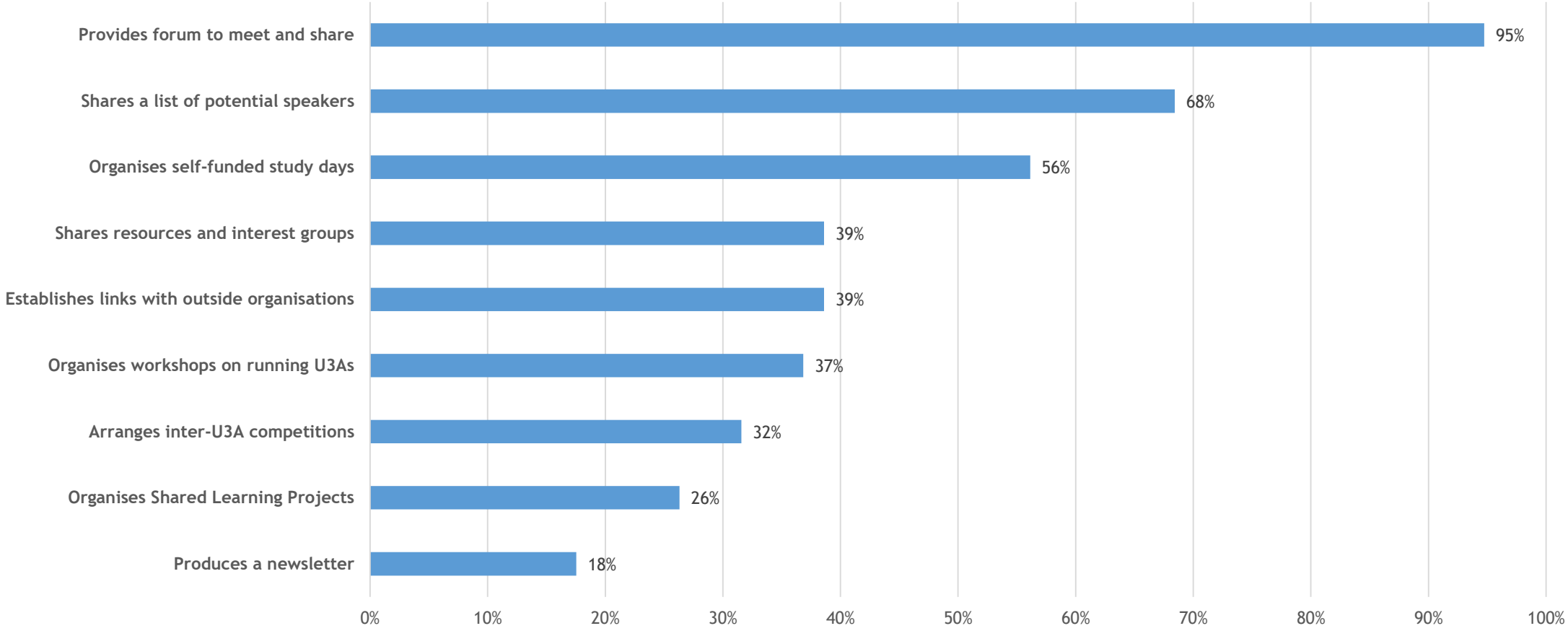
Is the network a registered charity?



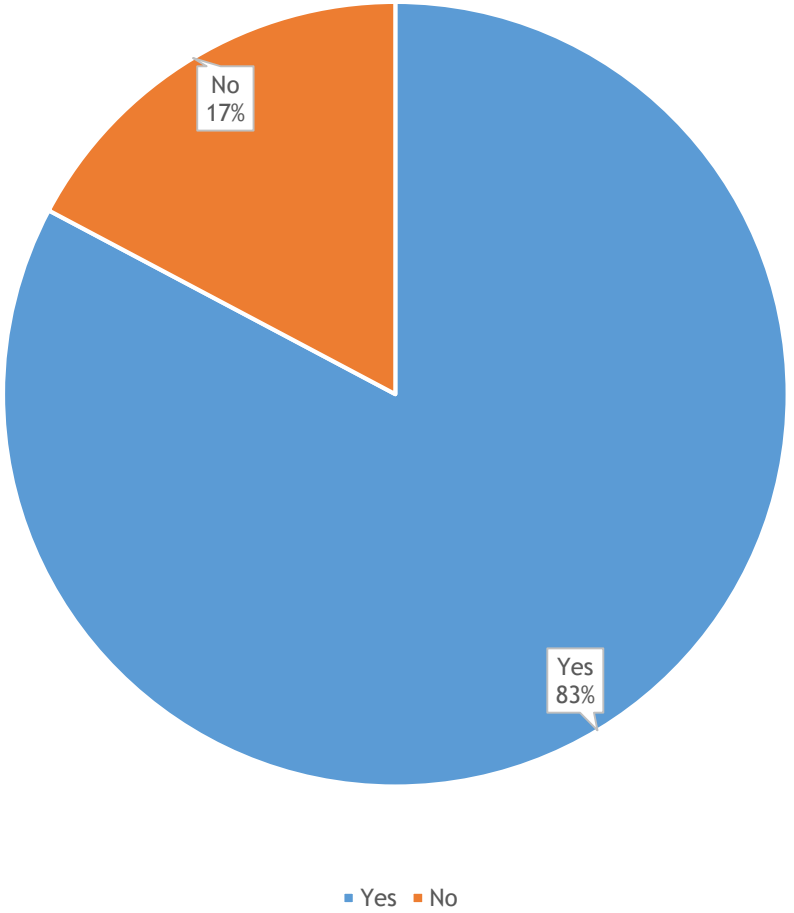
Does the network have a bank account?



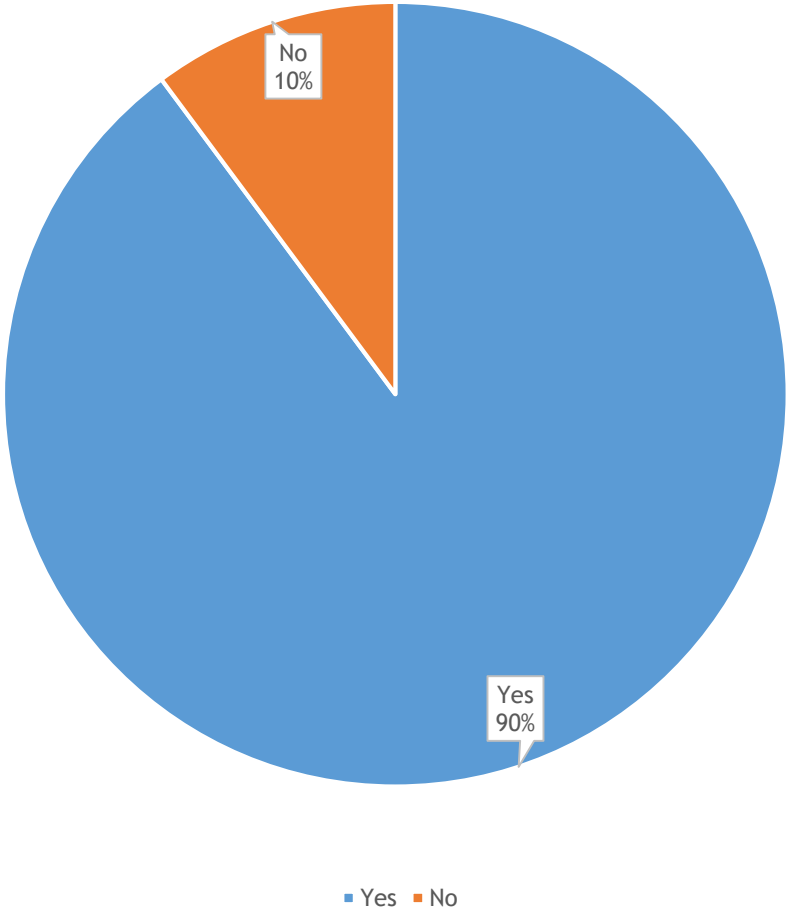
What does the network do?



Is the network interested in attending biennial Network Link meetings?



Is the network interested in joining a private online group to facilitate inter-network communication?



Volunteer Recruitment within U3As

- Recruiting Committee Members
- Recruiting Group Leaders

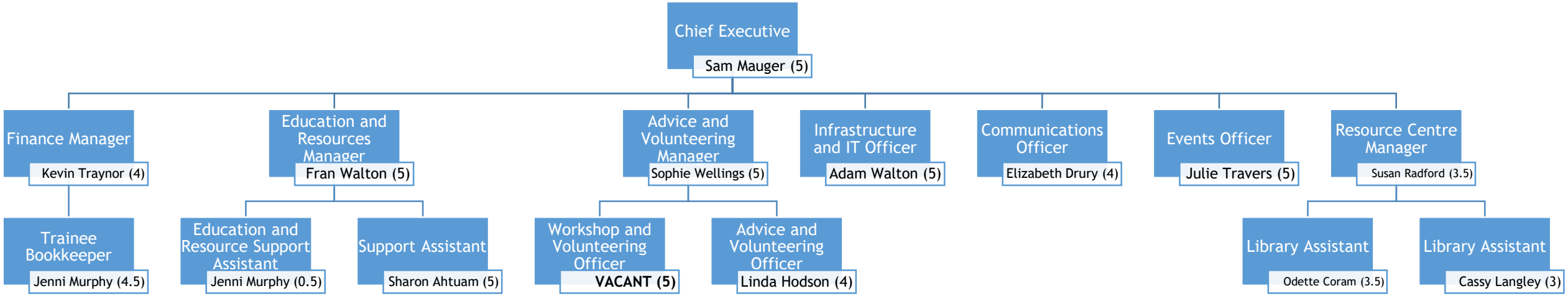
Meeting the challenge

- Developing a workshop
- Developing guidance
- Gathering good practice examples
- Starting the ‘conversation’
- Trustee induction
- Ideas??
- Questionnaires

National Programme of Workshops

- Keeping it Legal
- Running your U3A
- Managing Growth
- Interest Groups Matter
- Communications
- Finance
- Recruiting Volunteers

Trust Volunteers

- Up to 200 volunteers
- Education volunteers, Beacon, U3A support
- Infrastructure, training, support, recognition, guidance

What is the National Office structure?