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**«CoR-CEMR survey on assessing the
implementation of the 2014 Directives on
public procurement: challenges and
opportunities at local and regional level»**

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Workshop of the Commission for Economic Policy

CoR work on public procurement

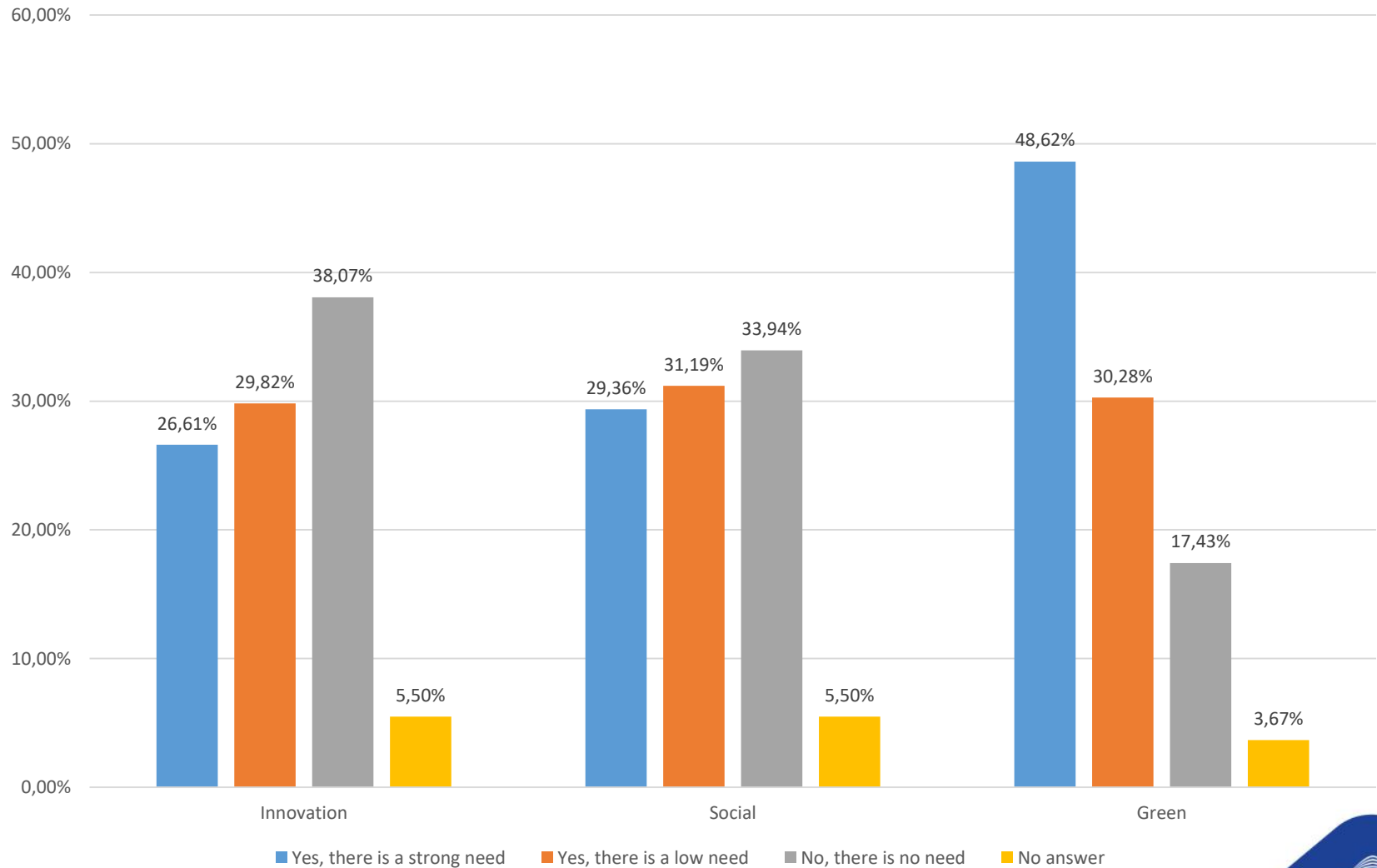
Analytical work:

- Study (December 2018 – April 2019)
- Survey in cooperation with the Council of European Municipalities and Regions - CEMR (March – May 2019)
- RegHub consultation (March – May 2019)

Political/consultative work:

- Opinion on the implementation of the Directives from a local and regional perspective

Need for innovation, social and green criteria



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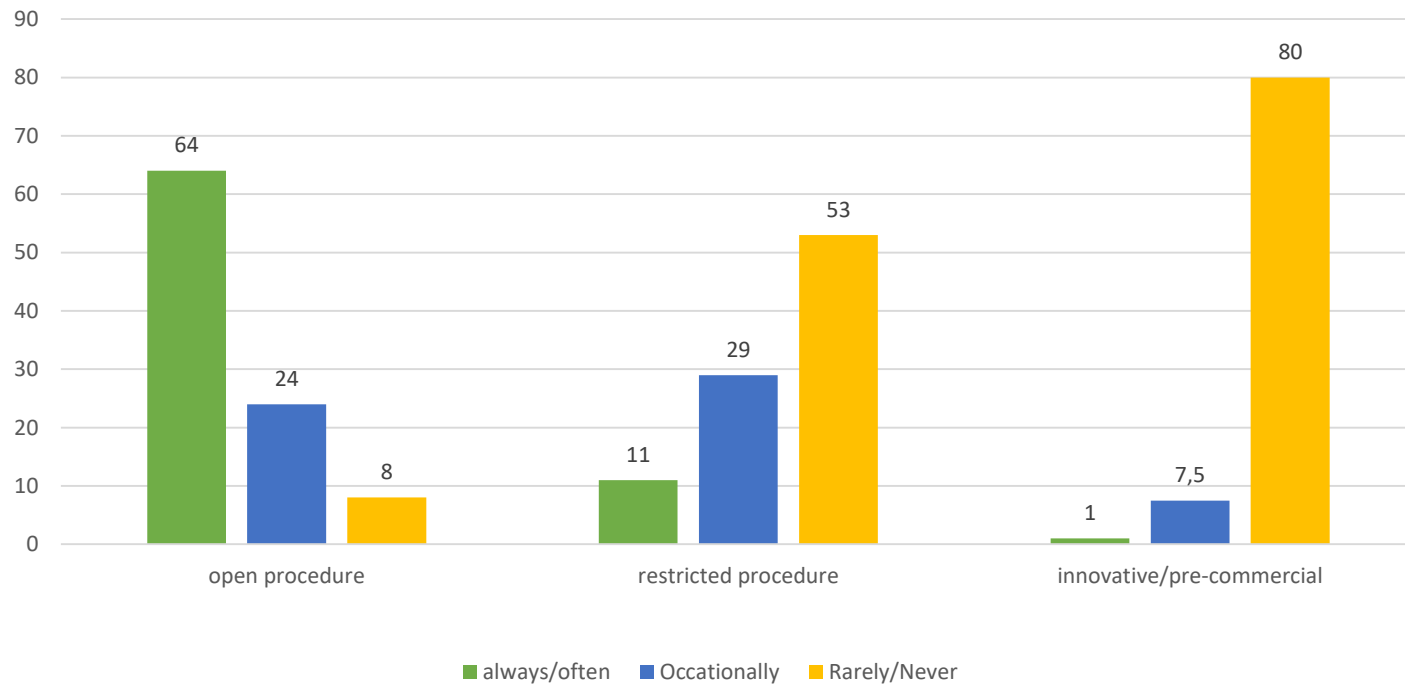
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Sources of wrong application of the framework

- Lack of technical expertise (relevant knowledge and skills of the staff)
- Difficulty in defining specific requirements as award criteria when using the best price-quality ratio
- Complexity of the legal framework
- High workload for contracting authorities
- High risk of complaints, remedies or irregularities

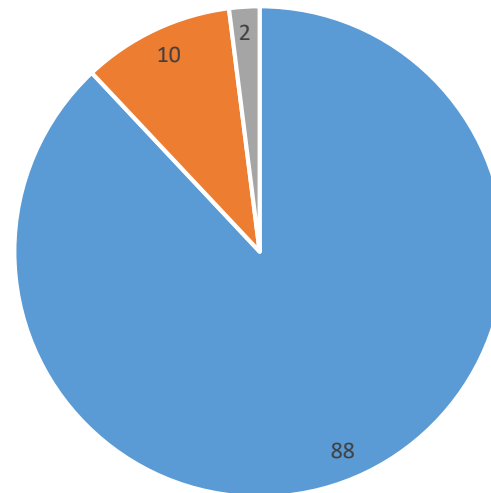
Use of procedures

What procedure do you use for procurement (above EU-thresholds)?



Involvement of regional and local authorities in the MS reporting to the Commission

Every three years Member States have to submit a report to the Commission on the implementation of the Public Procurement rules. Have you been involved in this reporting?



■ No ■ yes ■ No reply

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Thank you

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