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BRAND

INSIGHT

SURVEY

SURVEY REPORT PREPARED FOR:

TechNet



**Automotive
Service**

OVERVIEW

➤ SURVEY BACKGROUND & METHODOLOGY

The Brand Insight Survey is designed to provide participating companies with a current view of what the industry is saying about their company or brand. This information is a snapshot in time—one that provides a sense or feeling about how industry professionals think and feel about specific brands. While the information provided should be viewed as qualitative, the data and verbatim comments contained in this report may confirm what companies suspect is happening in the market, but also may generate some surprises. Either way, this information is important to know and can help participating companies position themselves in the future.

The sample for this online survey was selected from the domestic qualified circulation of *Ratchet+Wrench*. Individuals included in the sample were emailed an invitation to participate in the survey on March 18, 2024 and were offered an incentive to take part (those that completed the survey were entered in a drawing for a \$100 Amazon gift card).

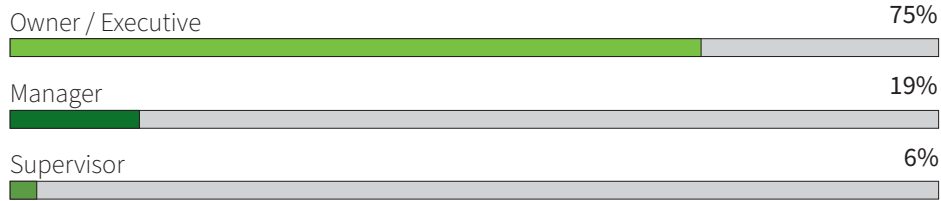
Survey responses were collected from March 18, 2024 to April 13, 2024, and findings in this report are based on the input from 181 survey participants.

COMPANIES INCLUDED IN SURVEY

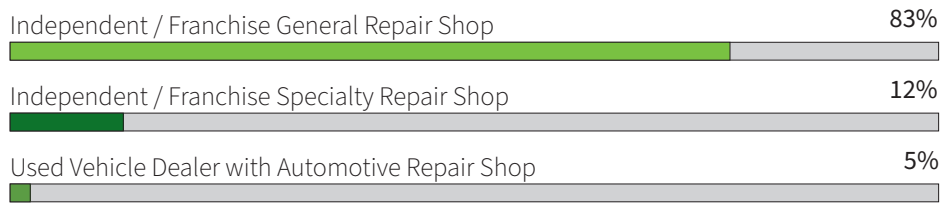
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- AutoCenter Sales
- Auto Shop Answers
- Auto Value / Bumper to Bumper
- AutoZone
- BendPak
- BG Products
- bproauto
- Duralast
- Factory Motor Parts
- Federated Auto Parts
- Jasper Engines & Transmissions
- Mail Shark
- Midwest Auto Care Alliance (MWACA)
- NAPA Auto Care
- TechNet
- Valvoline Global (Partner Solutions)
- Worldpac

Respondent profile

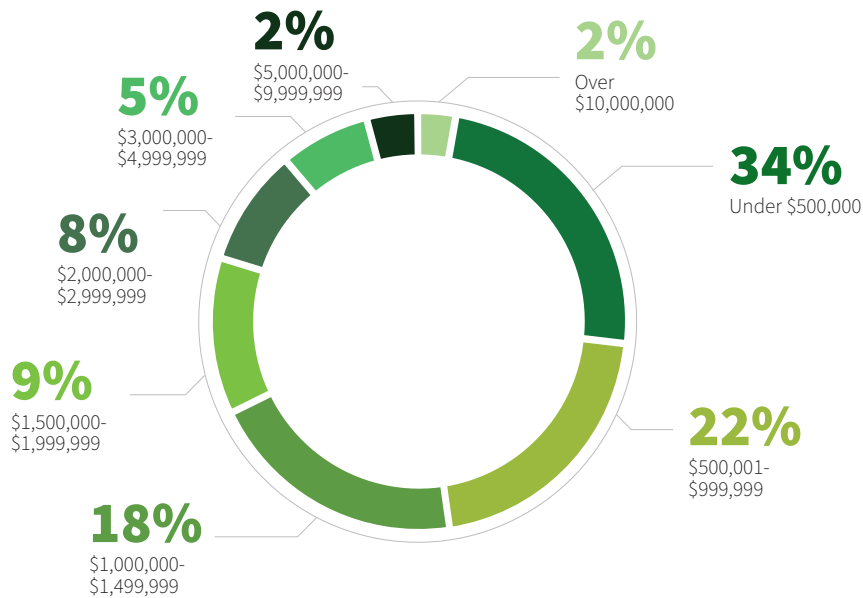
Which of the following best describes your job title?



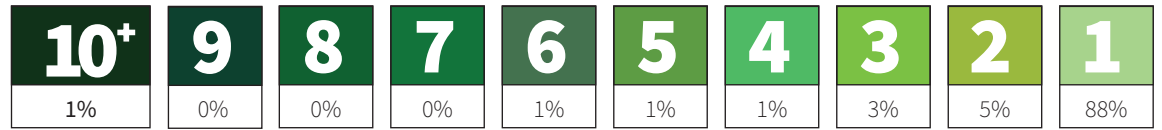
Which of the following best describes your repair business?



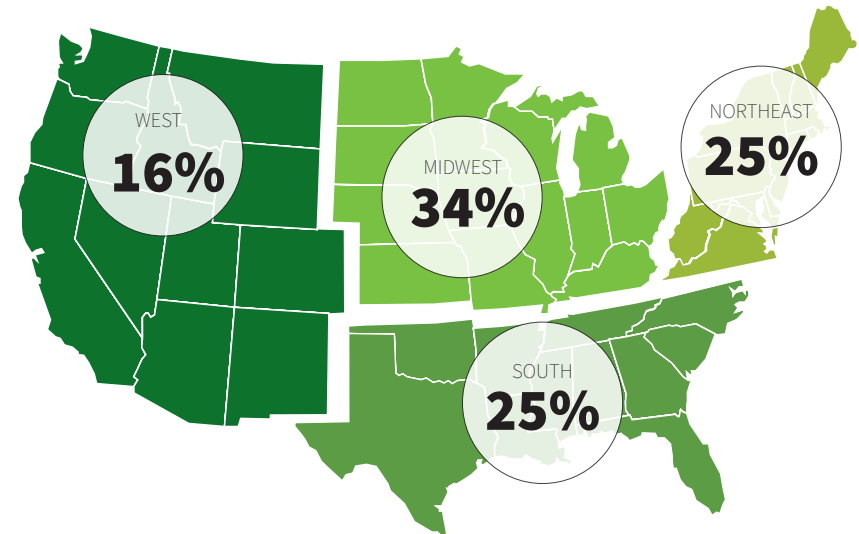
What is your annual revenue at your location?
(If you operate multiple locations, please use the average)



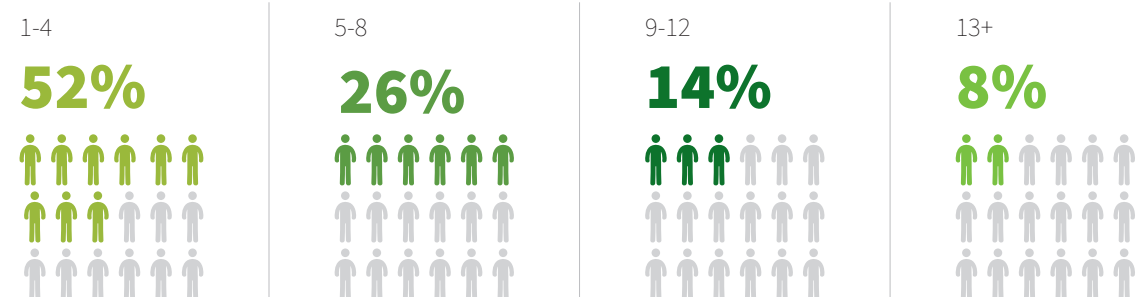
How many total locations do you operate?



Which best describes the location of your repair business?



How many total employees are at this location?
(If you operate multiple locations, please use the average)





* How familiar are you with the TechNet brand?

Not Very	Somewhat	Extremely
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

* Would you consider TechNet to be a premier brand?

Not Sure	No	Yes
<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

* On a scale of 1-7 (low-high), how would you rank TechNet in each of the following categories? If you're unfamiliar with the brand, answer N/A.

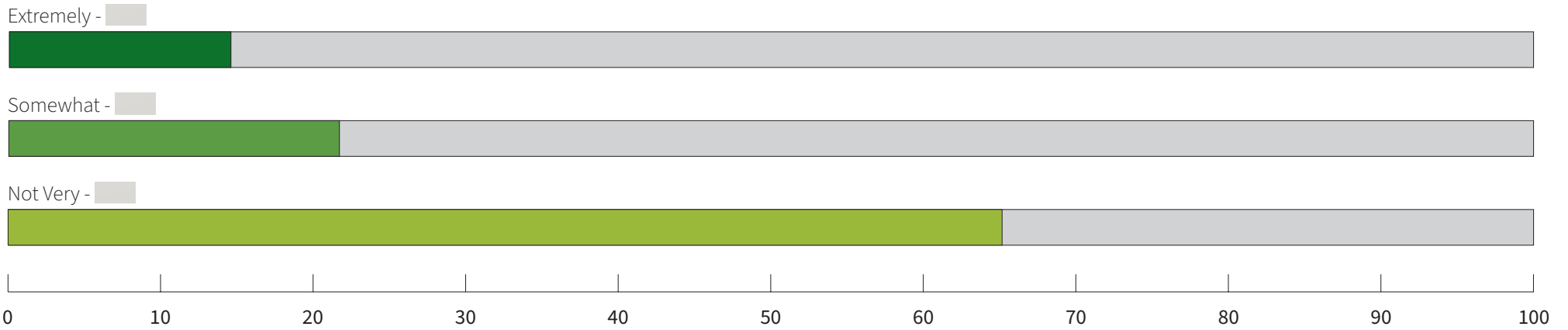
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	N/A
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Trustworthiness	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Quality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reputation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

What do you think when you see the TechNet brand? Be as specific as you'd like and share with us whatever comes to mind.

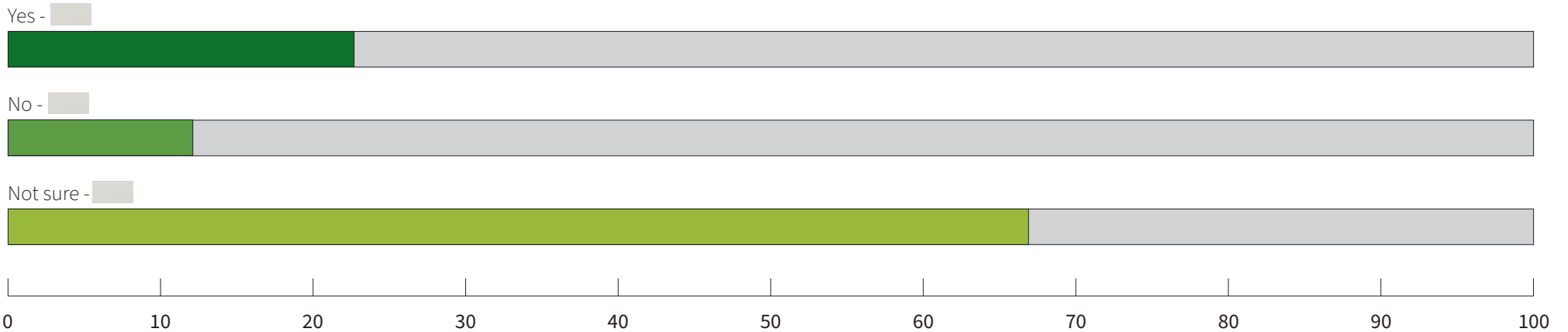
Brand Recognition



How familiar are you with the TechNet brand?



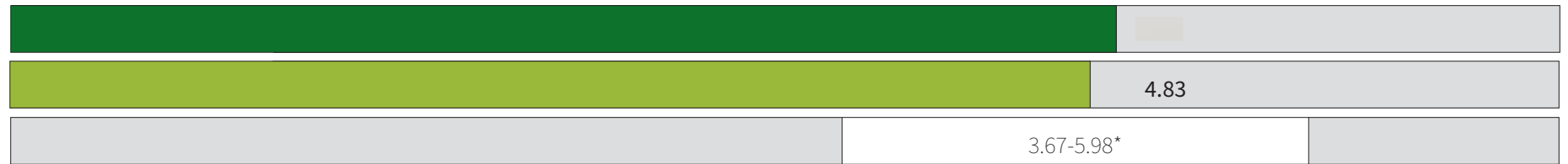
Would you consider TechNet to be a premier brand?



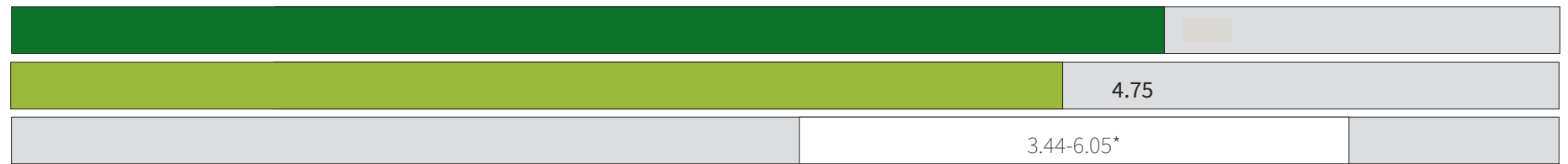
Brand Perception

On a scale of 1-7 (low-high), how would you rank TechNet in each of the following categories?

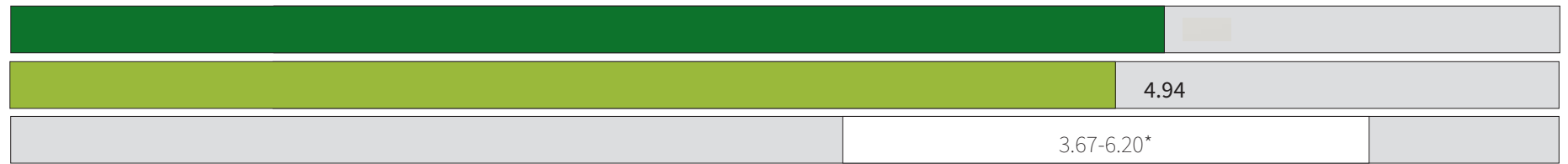
INNOVATION



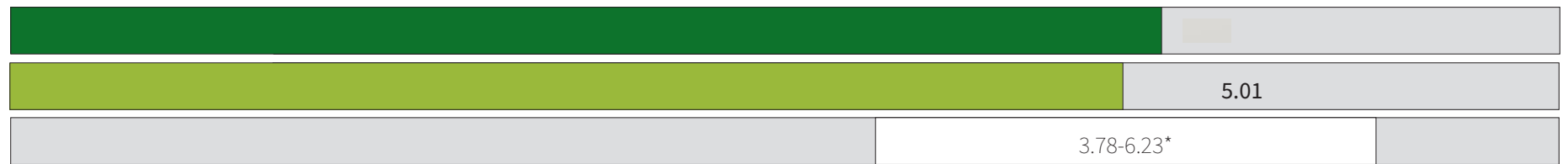
TRUSTWORTHINESS



QUALITY



REPUTATION



TechNet

Survey average

*Survey range

Verbatim Comments

When asked “What do you think when you see the TechNet brand?
Be as specific as you’d like and share with us whatever comes to mind,” participants provided the following:



Making Smart Business Decisions

- Requires sound, validated market insights about customers, their habits, and what drives decisions.

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