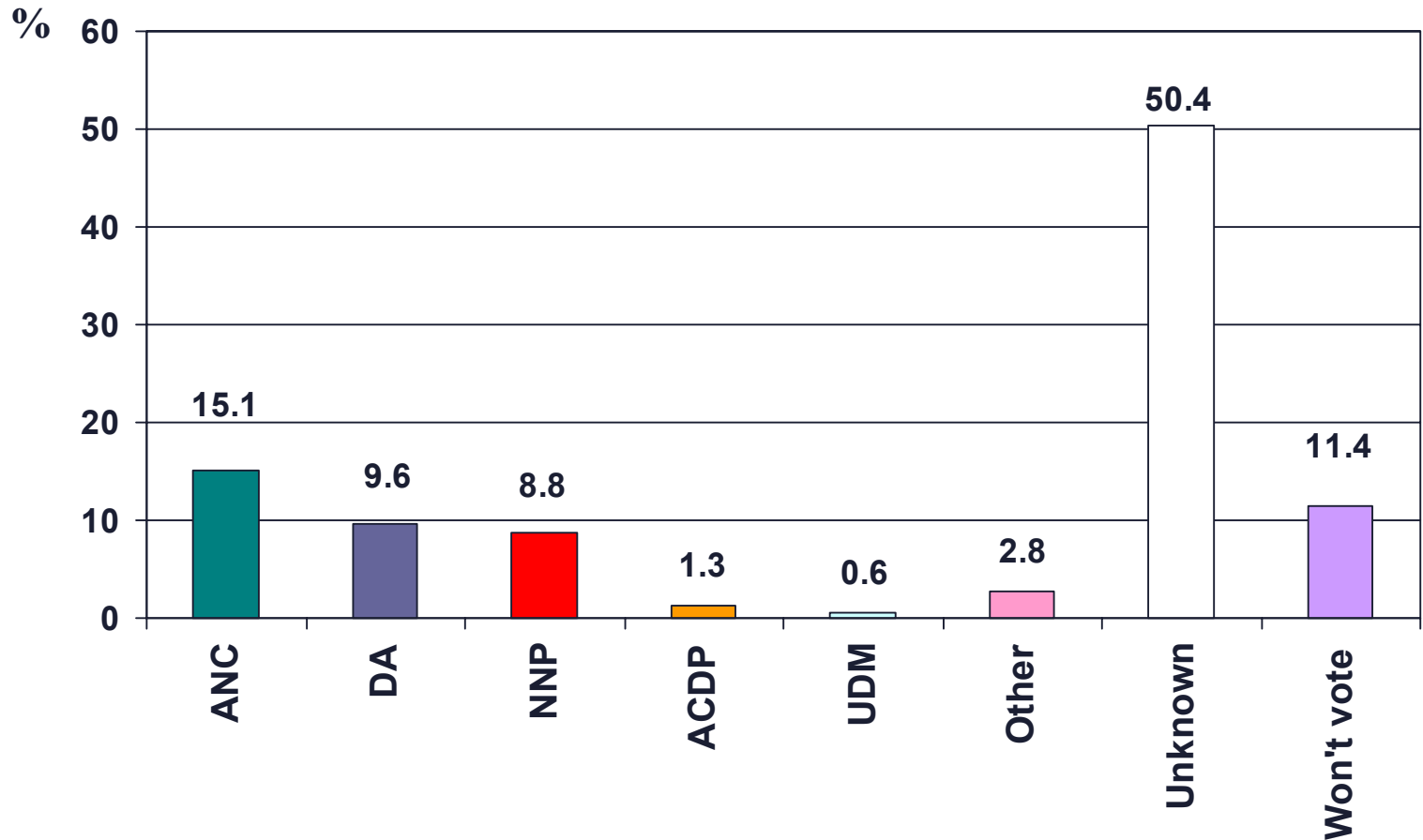


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Social Attitudes Survey
2003 - Western Cape*

"For which party do you plan to vote in the next election?"

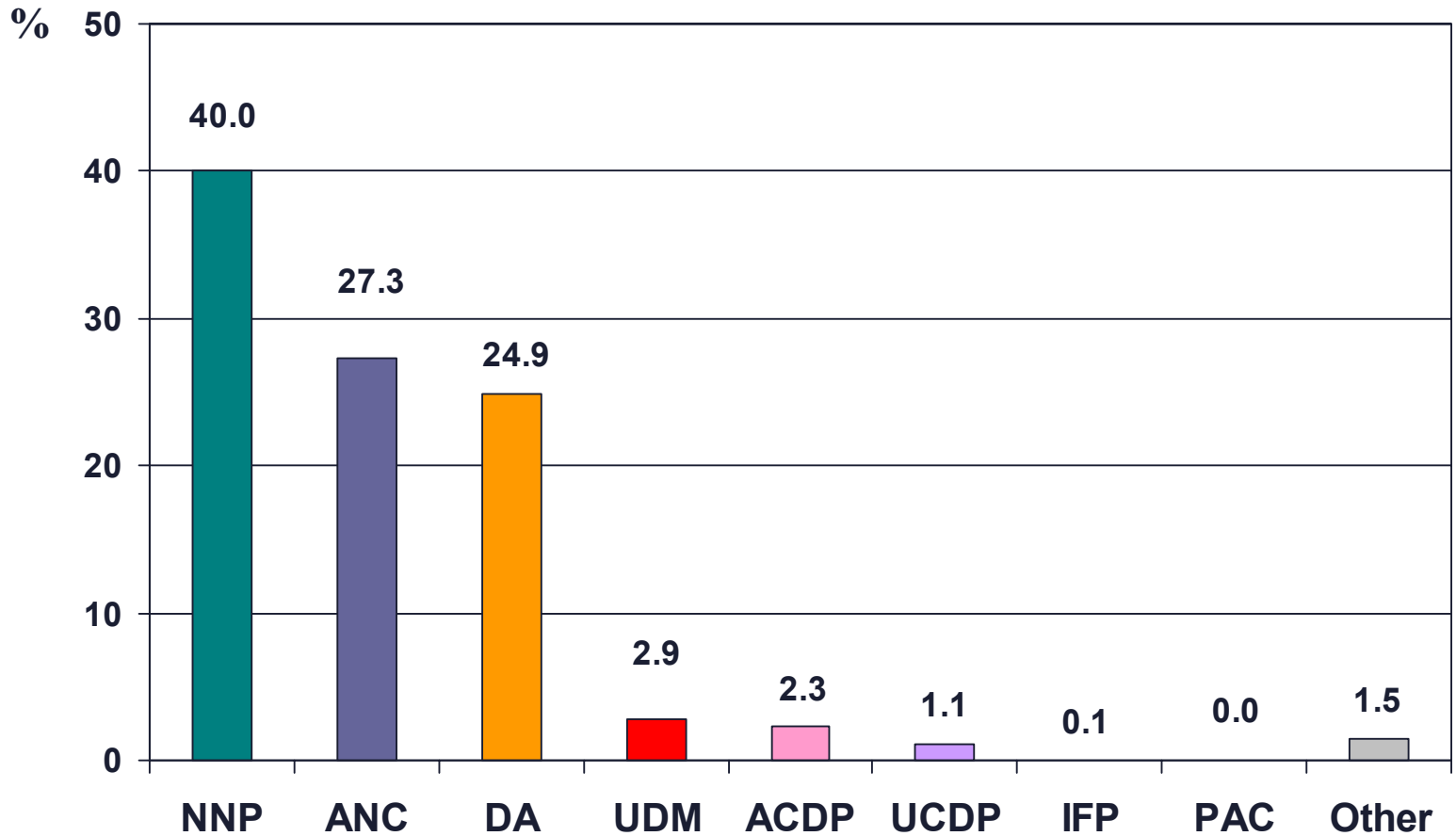


In the election results there is no "unknown preference" category. So to compare our results with the 1999 election, we need to predict the likely choice of these respondents. (We set aside the "won't vote" respondents.)

SASAS 2003: n= 2,7 million adults (excluding "won't vote")

Predicted provincial election results

with imputed unknown preferences



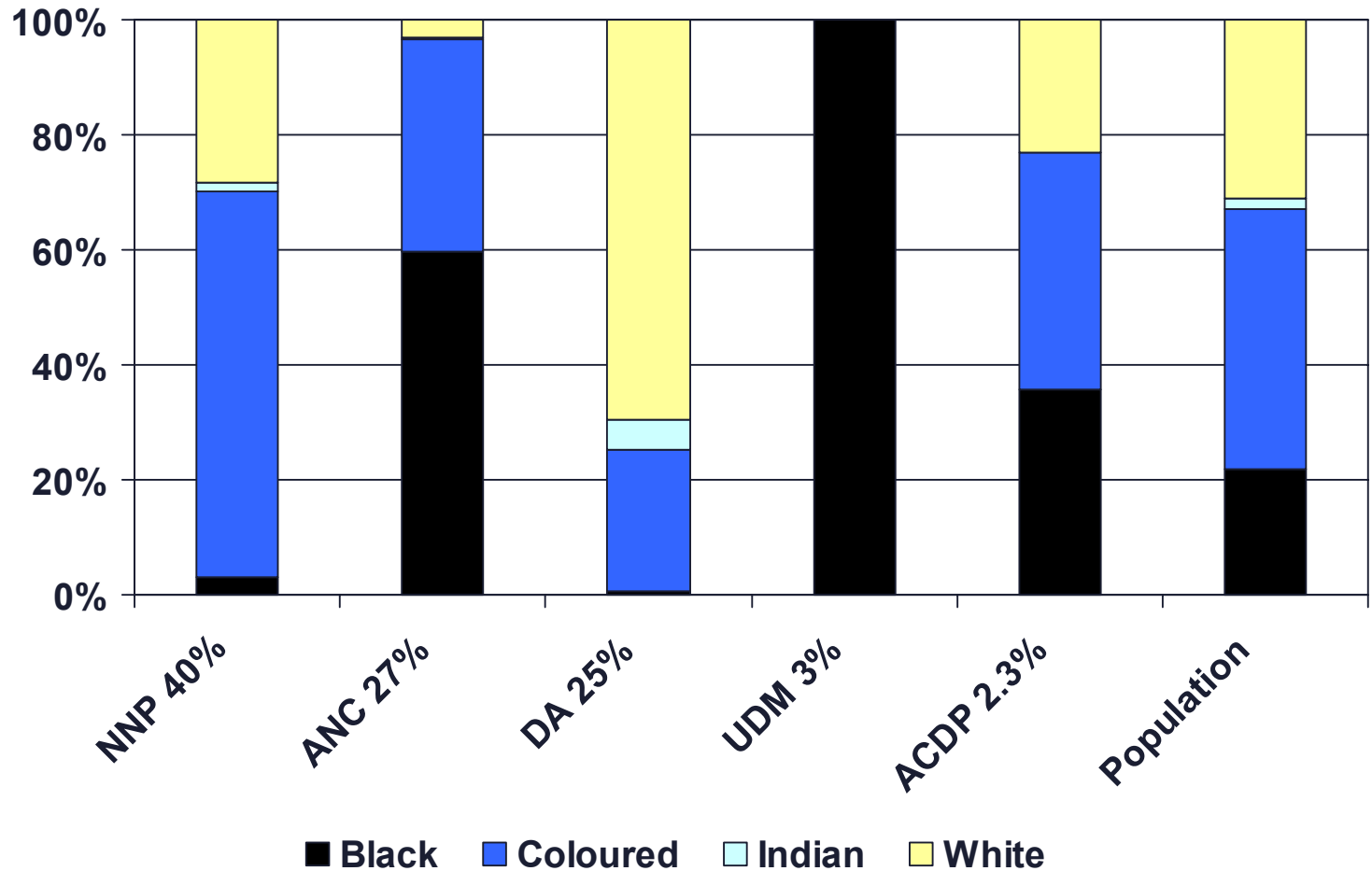
Read: the HSRC survey predicts that the NNP will win 40% of the vote; the ANC 27.3%; the DA 24.9%, and the rest of the parties 7.8%

Predicted changes: Provincial Assembly seats

	1999	2004
NNP	17	17
ANC	17	12
DA	5	10
UDM	1	1
ACDP	1	1
Other	0	1

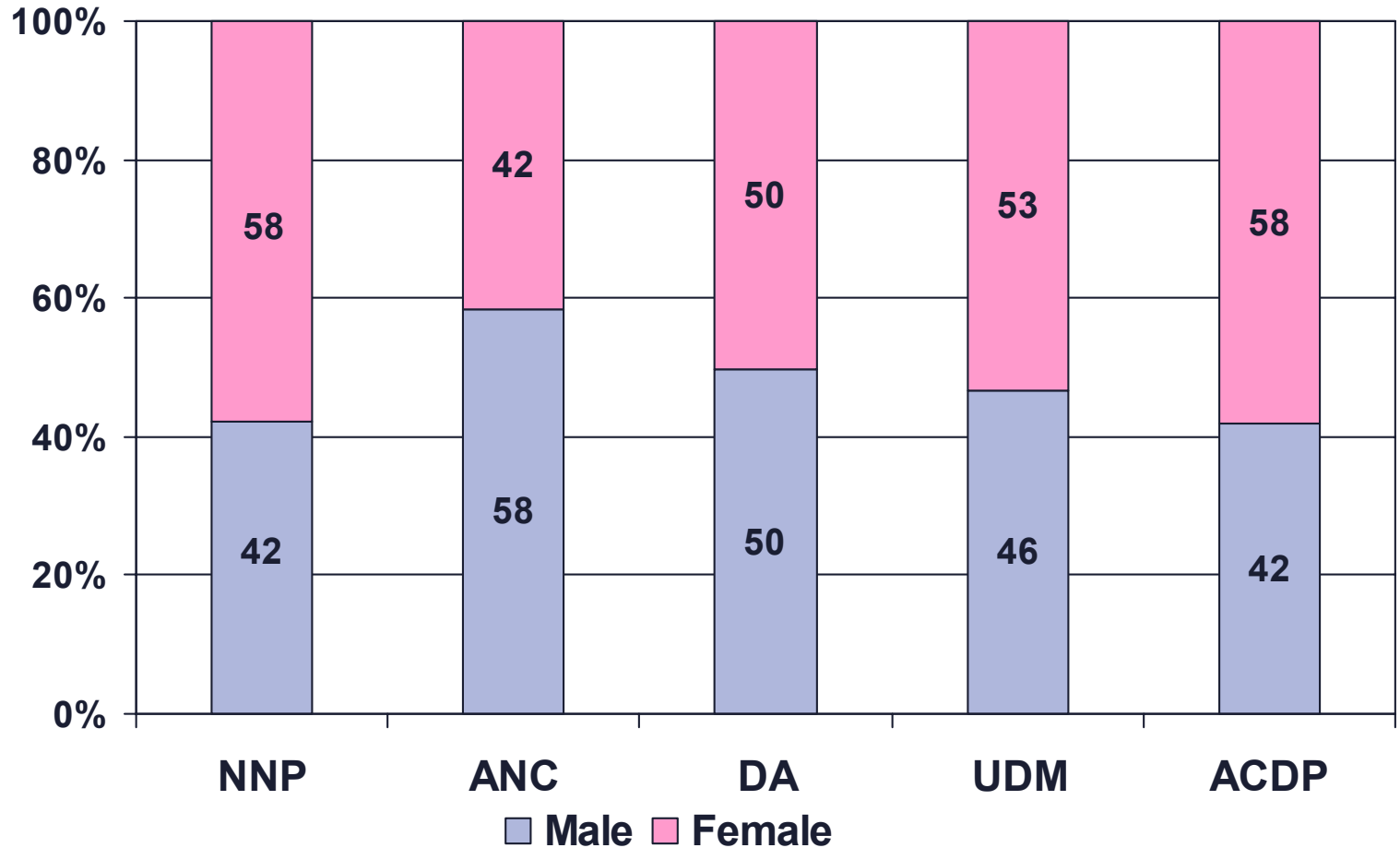
Read, for example: NNP won 17 seats in 1999 and expected to win 17 seats in 2004, etc.

Predicted Western Cape election results: analysis by race



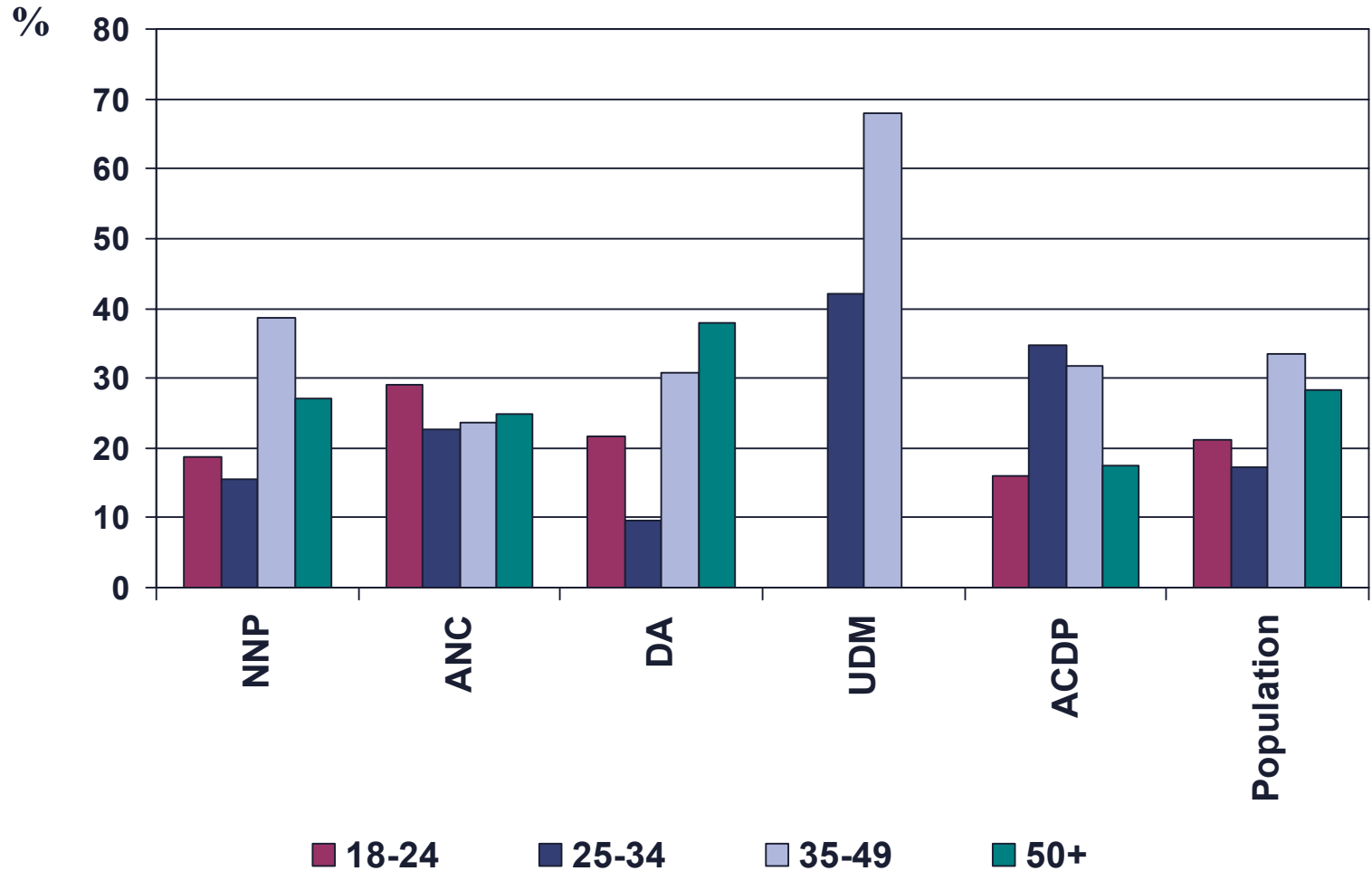
Read, for example: In the ANC (which is expected to get 27% of the vote) 60% of voters are Black; 37% Coloured and 3% White.

Predicted Western Cape election results: analysed by gender



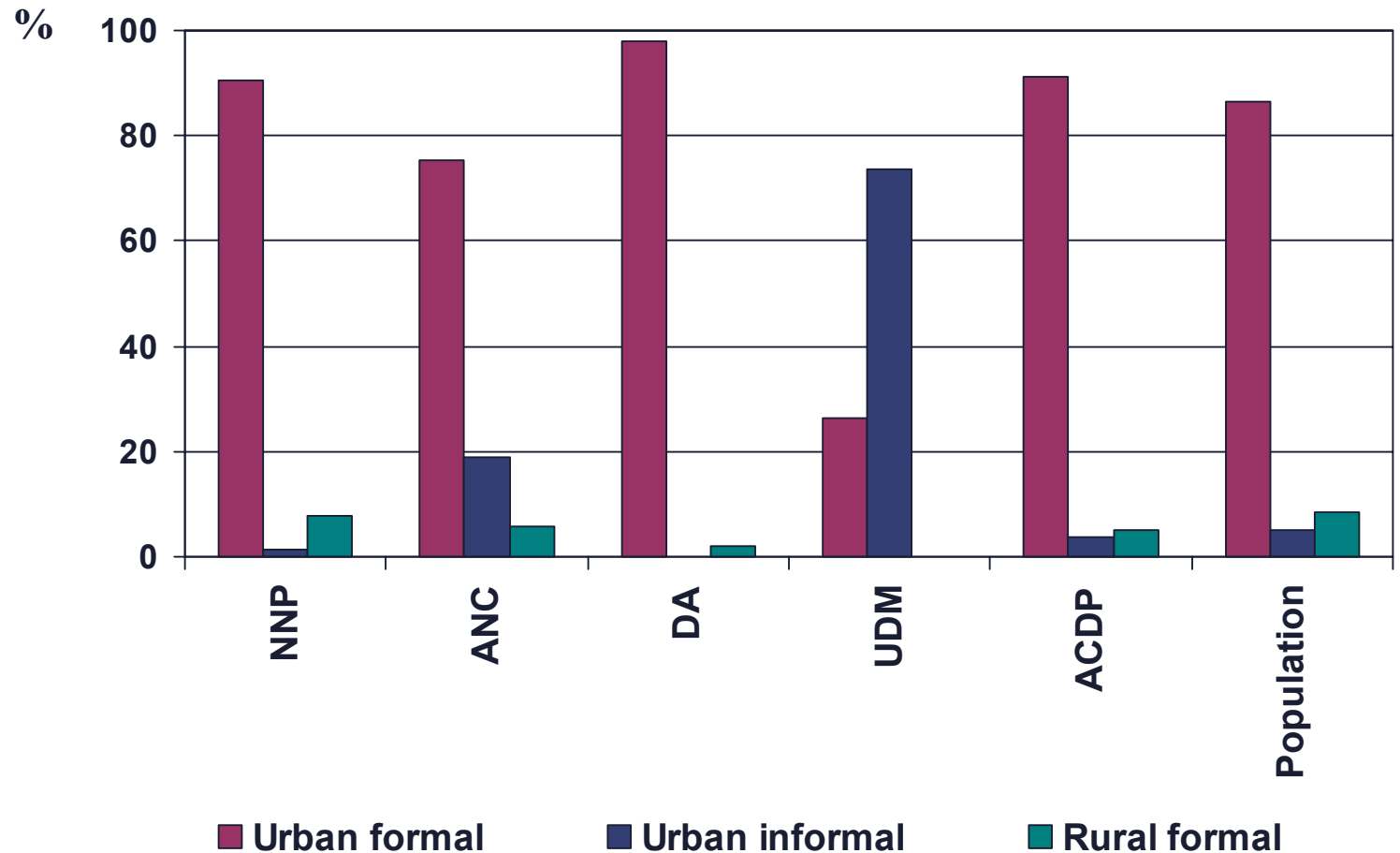
Read, for example: Amongst NNP voters 42% are male and 58% are female.

Predicted Western Cape election results: analysed by age group



Read, for example: amongst NNP voters 19% are aged 18-24; 16% are 25-34; 38% are 35-49 and 27% are over 50.

Predicted Western Cape election results: analysed by milieu



Read, for example: amongst the adult population 87% live in urban formal areas; 5% urban informal; 8% rural formal

Profiling the undeclared

	"Will not vote"	No preference revealed
Sample total	7 (SA)	33 (SA)
	11 (W Cape)	50 (W Cape)
Among ...	WESTERN CAPE:	
Males	12	53
Females	10	49
Black	9	49
Coloured	10	50
Indian	9	89
White	12	52

Read for example: among Western Cape White respondents 12% said they will not vote and 52% did not declare a party preference

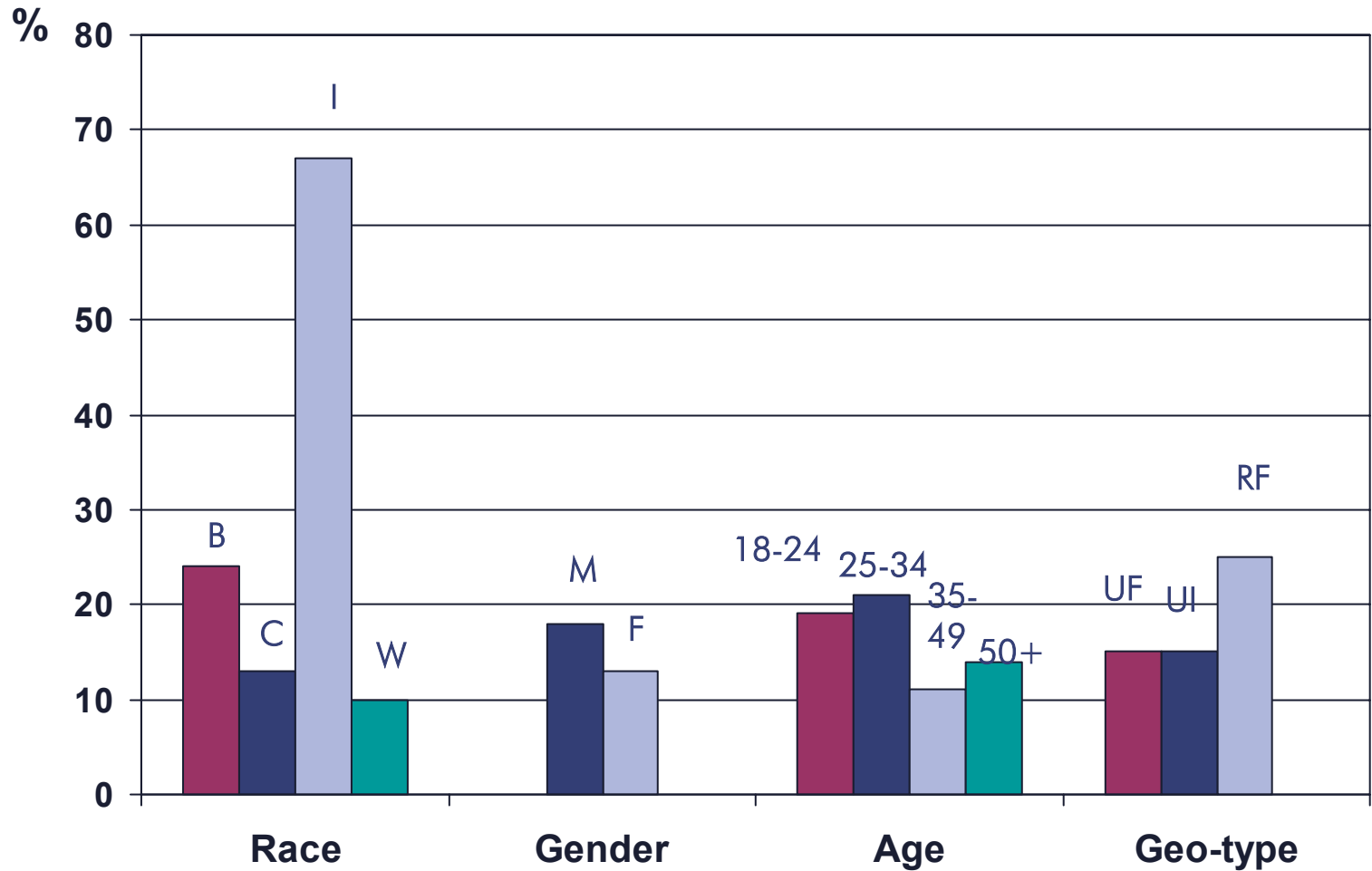
Profiling the undeclared

	"Will not vote"	No preference revealed
Western Cape total	11	50
Among ...		
Urban formal	12	51
Urban informal	10	50
Rural formal	5	51
18-24	18	57
25-34	12	42
35-49	5	50
50+	7	55

Read for example: among respondents of 18-24 years 18% said they will not vote, 57% did not declare a party preference

"Since the 1999 elections, has life improved for people like you?"

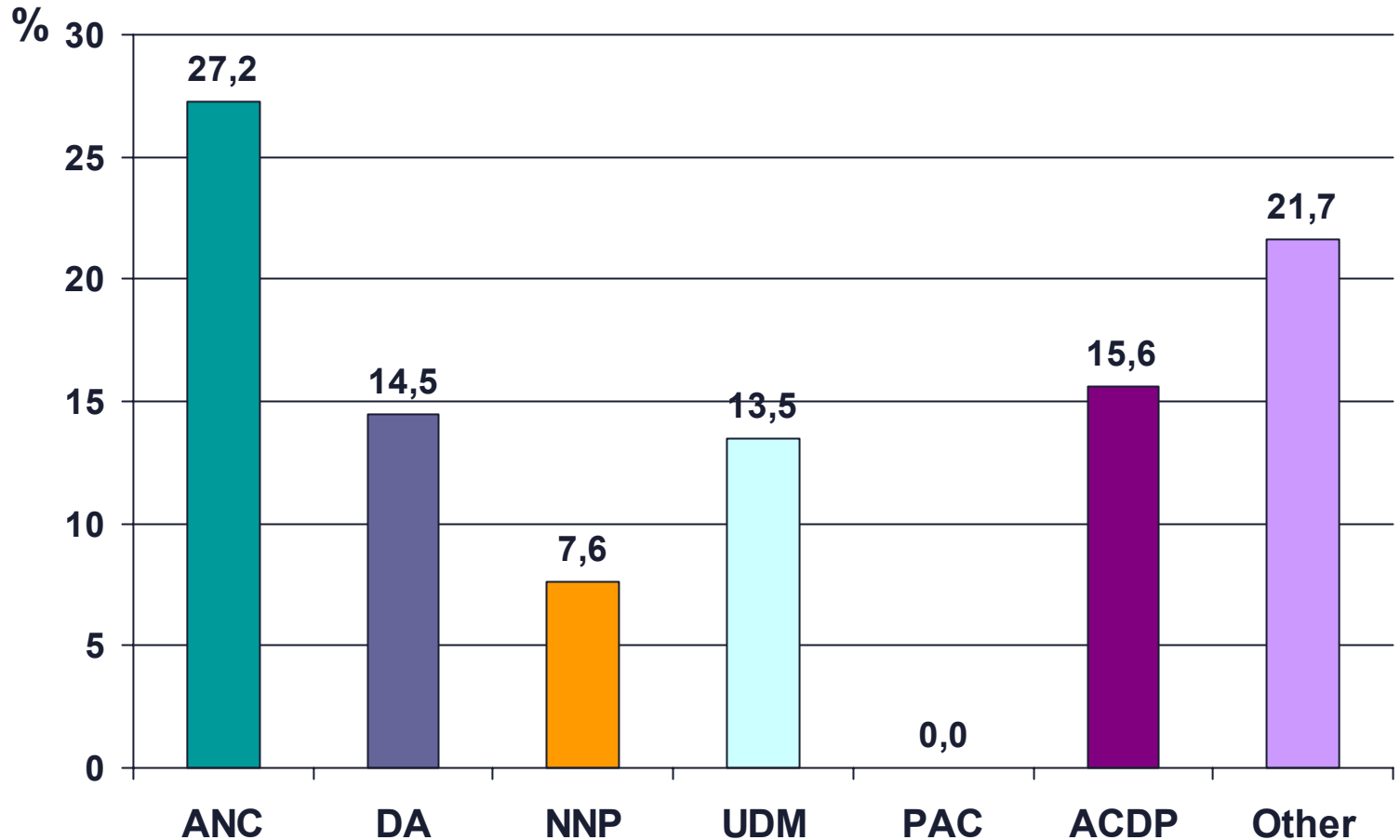
% Agree, analysed by race, gender, age and milieu



Milieu: urban formal, urban informal, "tribal", rural formal

"Since the 1999 elections, has life improved for people like you?"

% Agree, analysed by political party preference

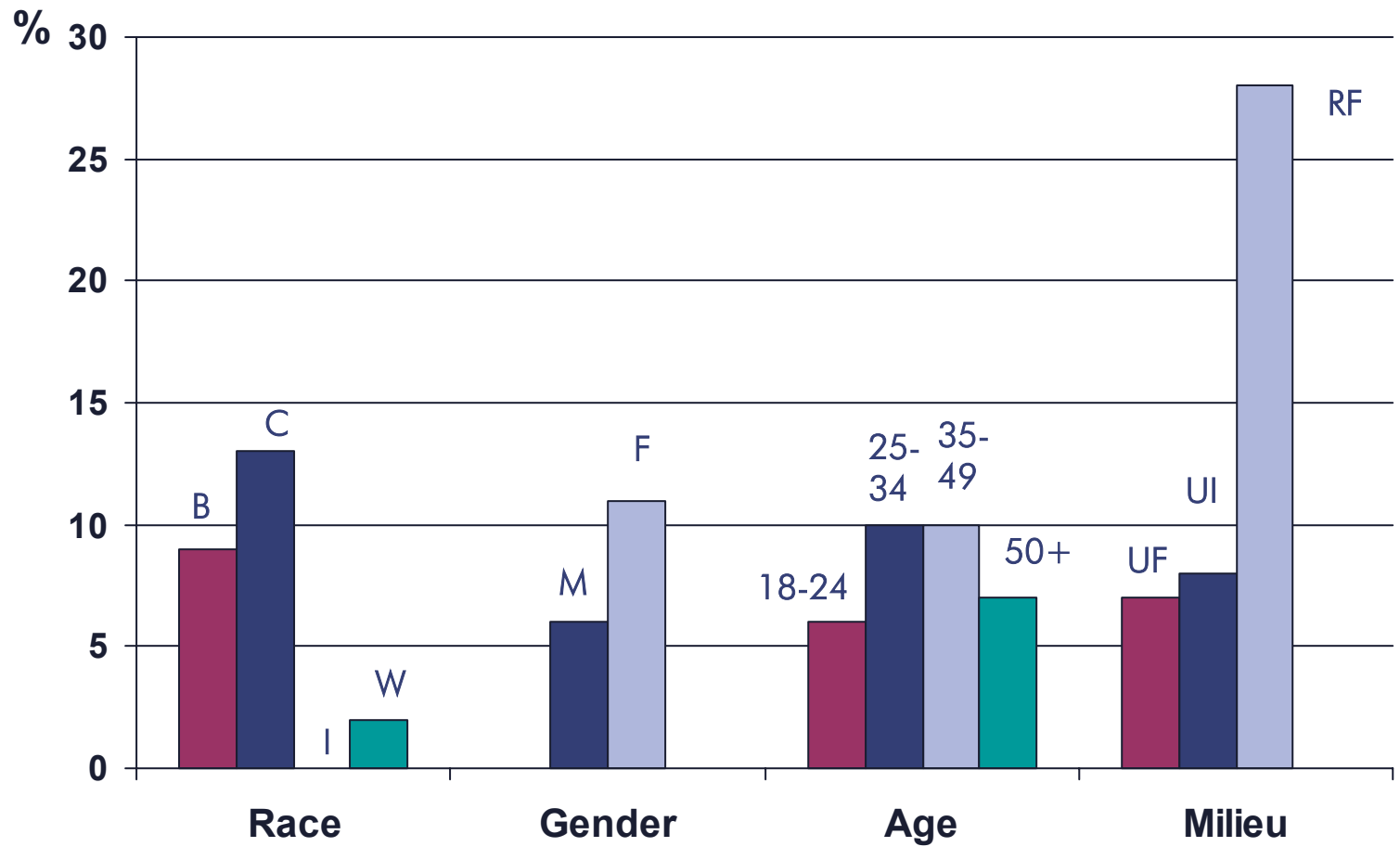


Read for example: 13.5% of UDM voters agree that life has improved for people like them since the 1999 elections

Political alienation index

Analysed by race, gender, age and milieu

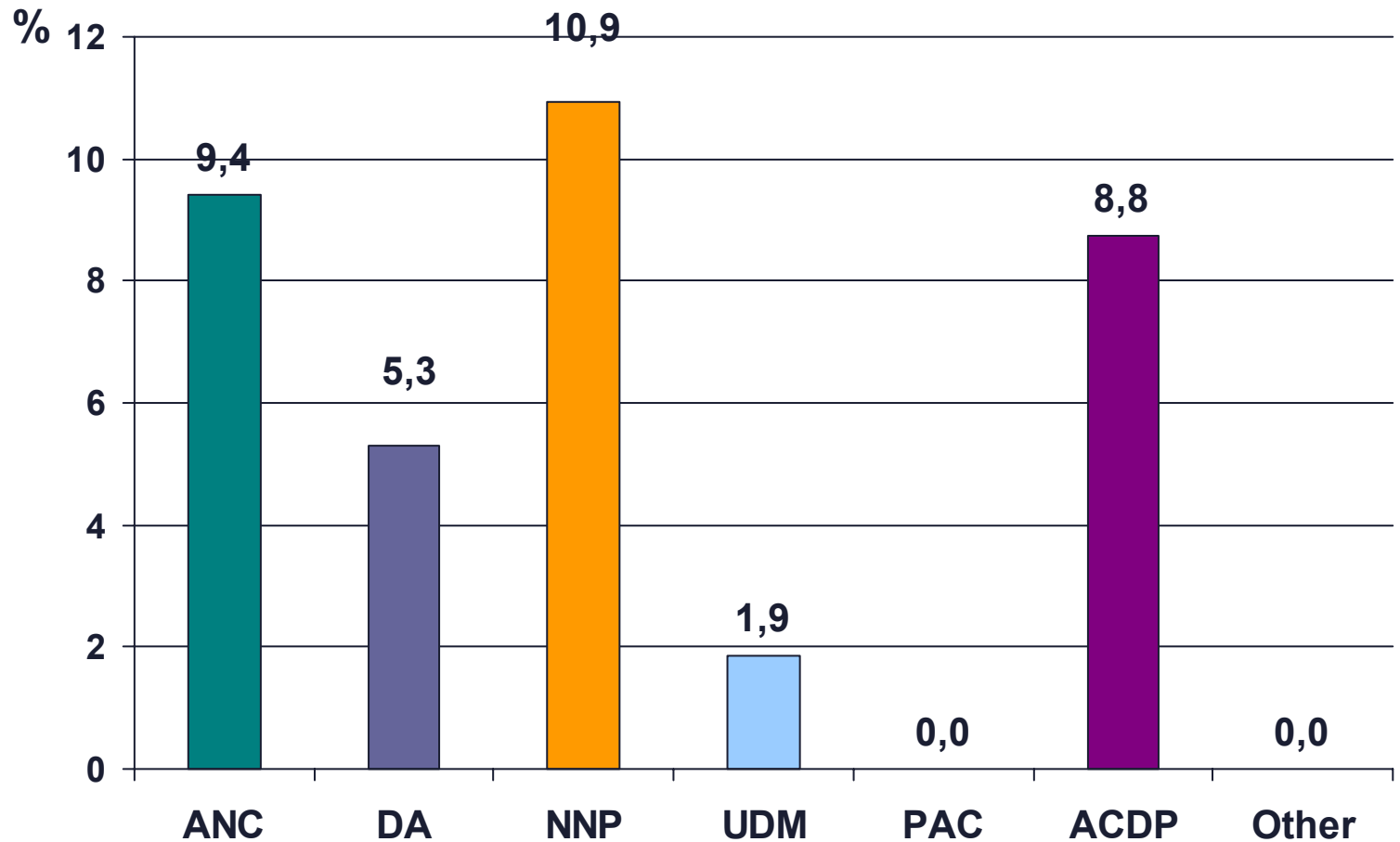
% Agree



Read for example: Respondents are "politically alienated" if they agree that "whether I vote or not makes no difference" and "politics is too complicated these days for people like me to understand"

Political alienation index

Analysed by political party preference



Read for example: 8.8% of ACDP voters are "politically alienated"