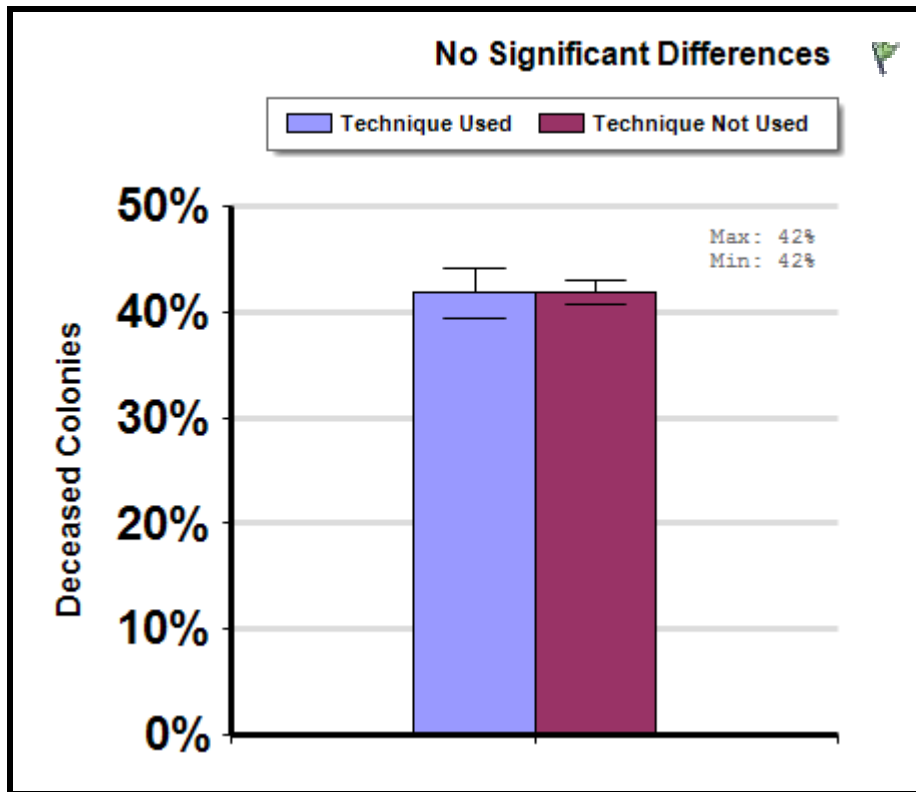




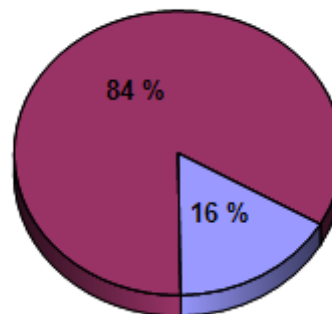
A comparison of average winter colony mortality among beekeepers who reported using or not using drone brood removal between April and March.

Winter

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Participant Ratio



Interpretation

There are no significant differences between beekeepers who employed the IPM practice of drone brood removal and those who did not.

Survey Question

Over the last year, did you employ any of the IPM practices/equipment listed below?

-Drone comb removal

		Total Number of Respondents Providing Valid Responses	Total Number of Colonies Managed	Average Number of Colonies Managed		Average Colony Loss
				Mean	Standard Error	Mean(%) [Lower, Upper] CI
	Technique Not Used	4,041	349,381	86.5	19.1	41.8 [40.7, 43.0]
	Technique Used	794	33,332	42.0	15.2	41.8 [39.5, 44.2]

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