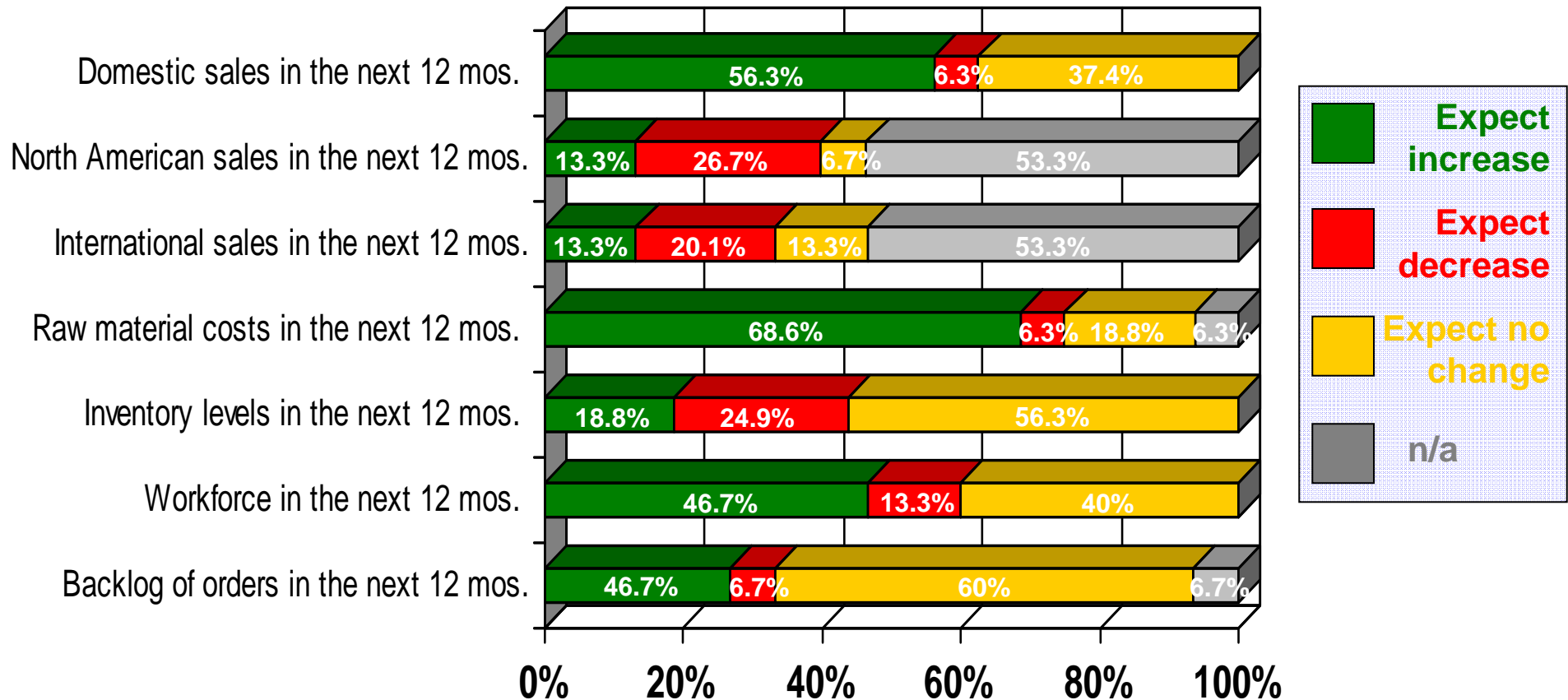


**Please indicate your projections for the following benchmarks over the next 12 months**  
**Results from Wholesalers**  
*(16/52 responses, 31% response rate)*



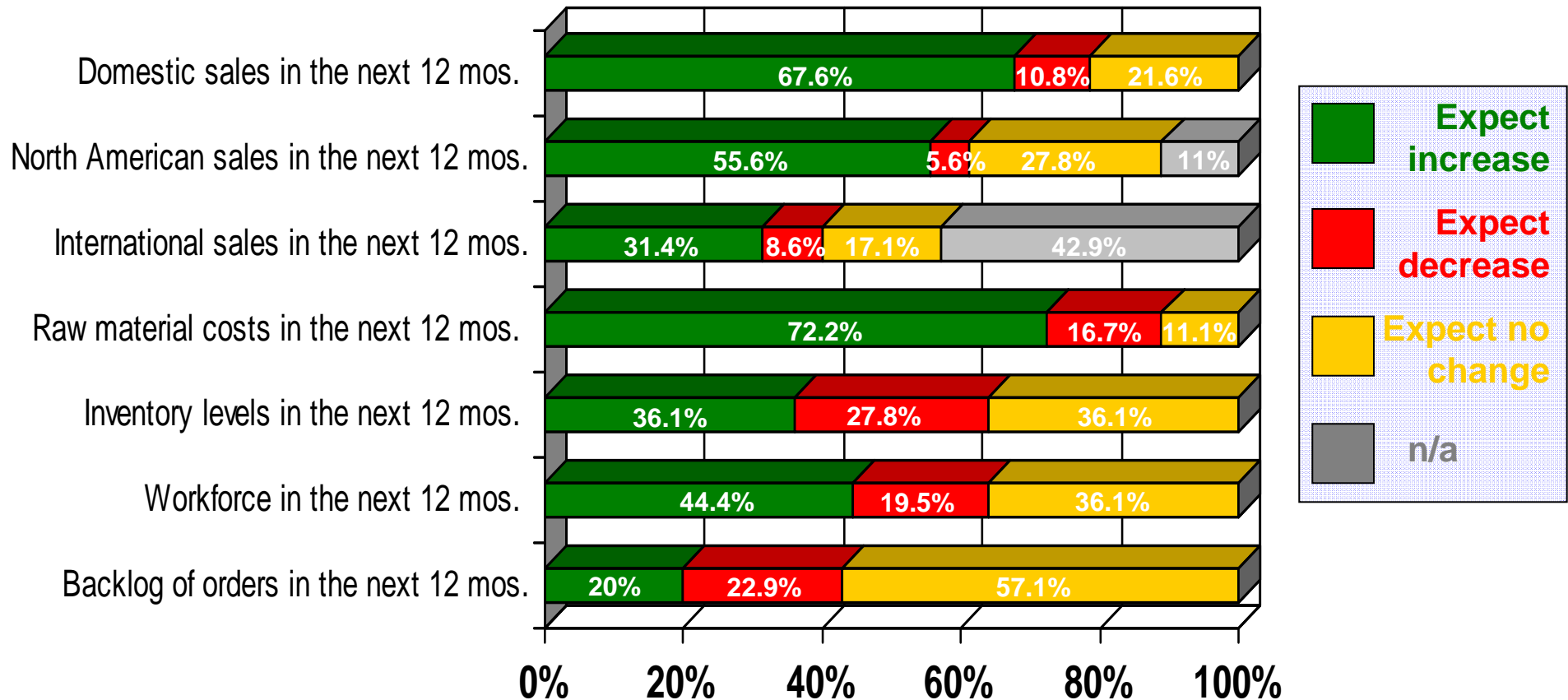
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**Please indicate your projections for the following benchmarks over the next 12 months**  
**Results from Manufacturers and Master Distributors**  
*(37/93 responses, 40% response rate)*



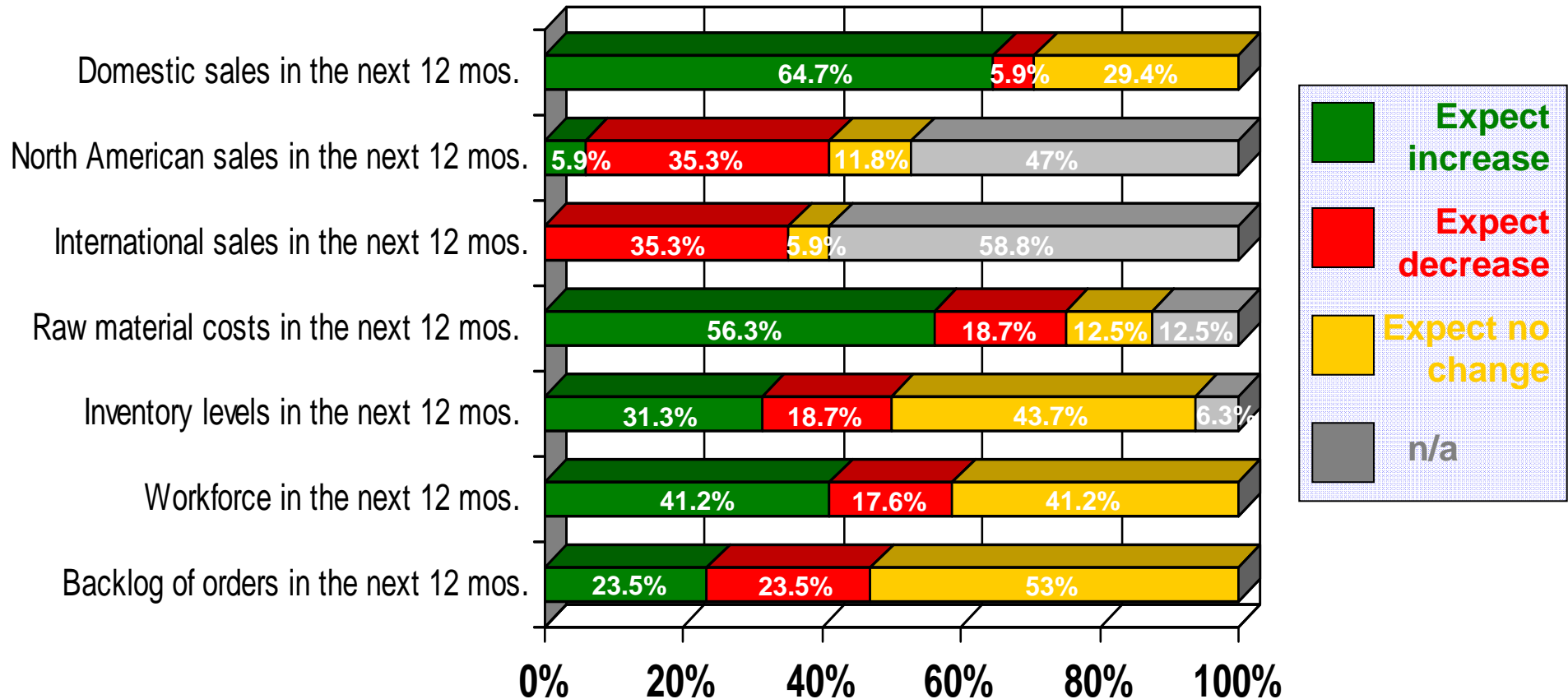
**Comments:** The buy American Act impacts our US business. If the US economy doesn't pick up, Cdn. business will suffer as well.



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**Please indicate your projections for the following benchmarks over the next 12 months**  
**Results from Agents**  
*(17/97 responses, 18% response rate)*



Comments: n/a.



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