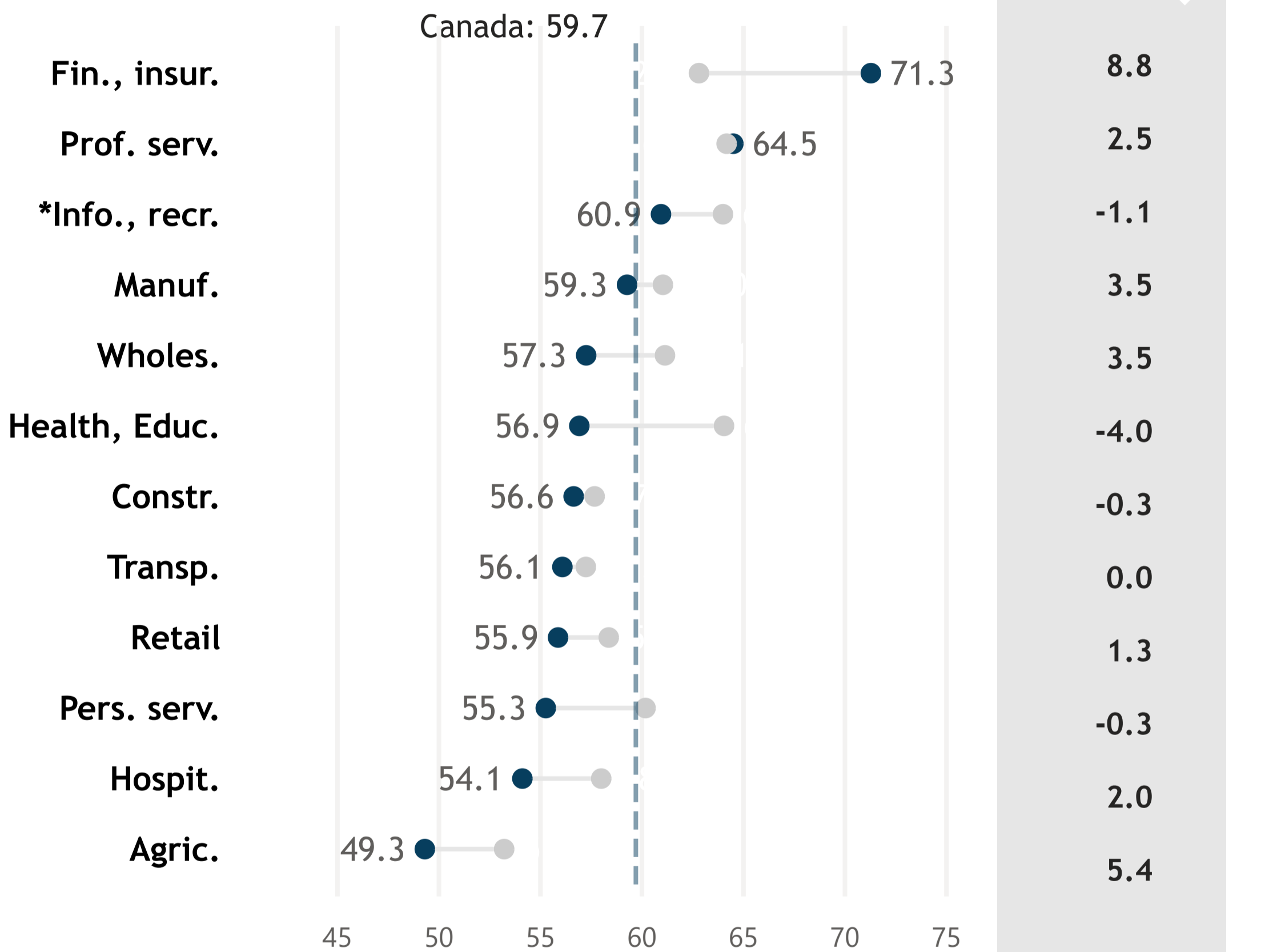


Business Barometer®: Small business confidence index, sectors

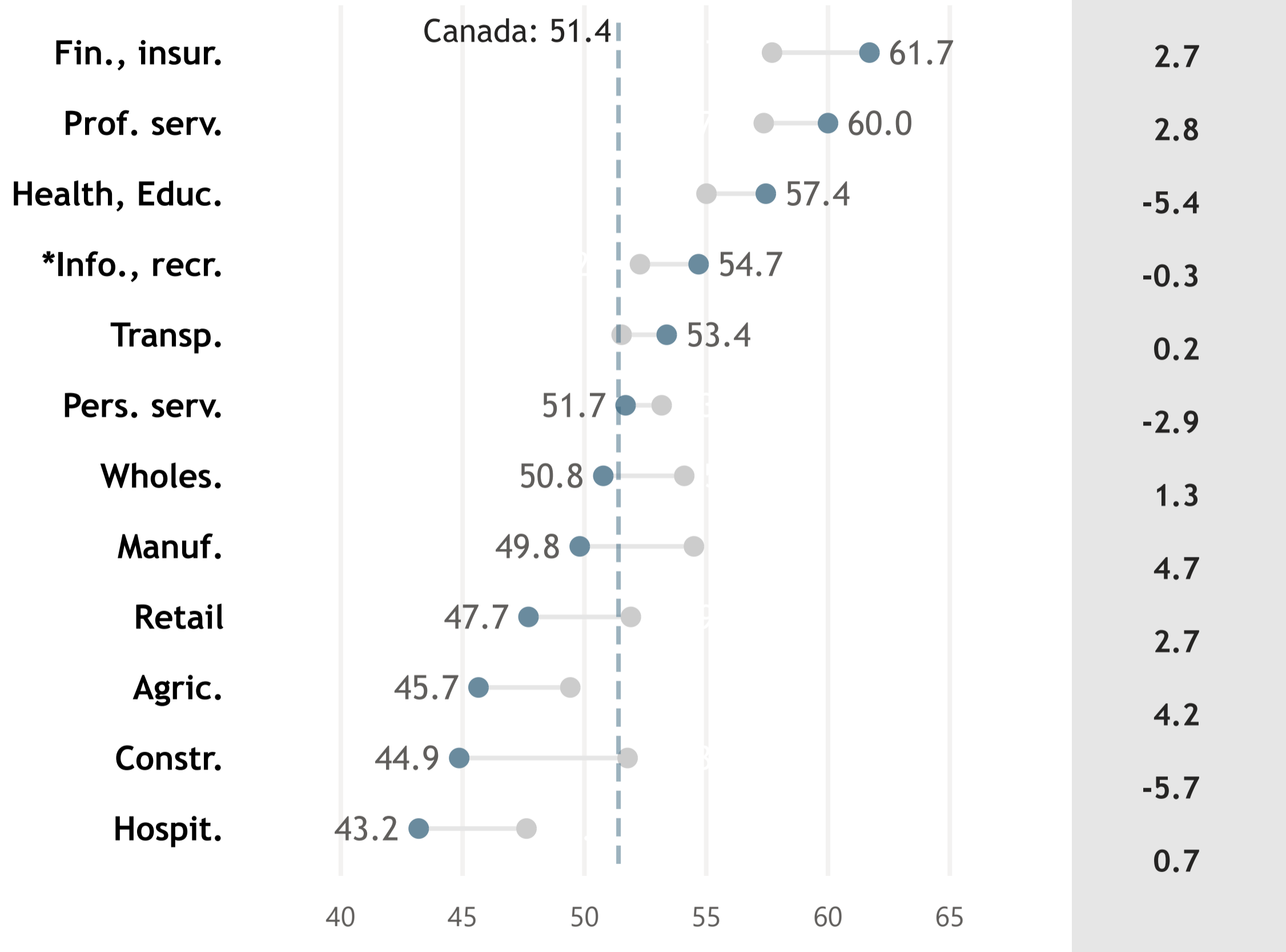
12 month index

m/m % var



3 month index

m/m % var



● 12 month index ● Long term index historical average

● 3 month index ● Short term index historical average

Survey question: How do you expect your firm to be performing in **12 months** compared to now?

Survey question: Allowing for normal seasonal influences, what are your business performance expectations for the next **3 or 4 months**?

Notes : *Number of responses under 40 **Natural resources is not included.

Index > 50 = more businesses expecting stronger performance than weaker performance

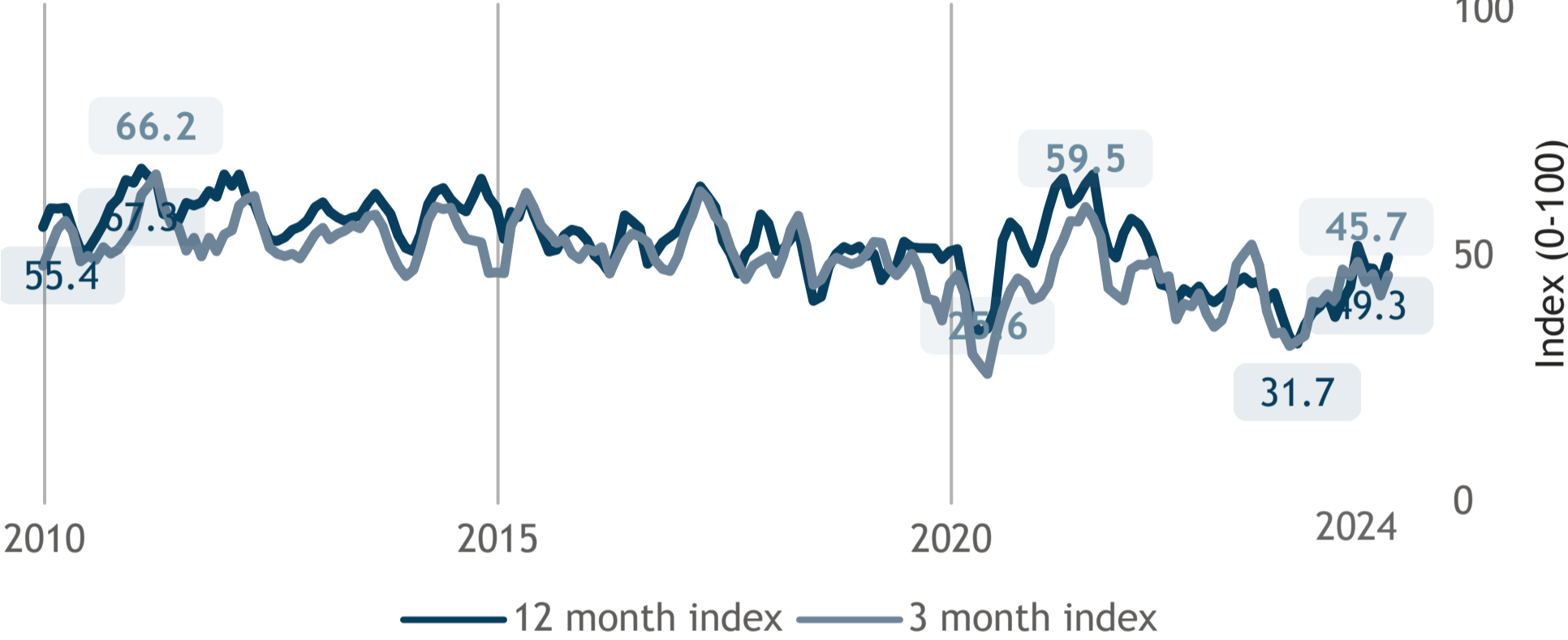
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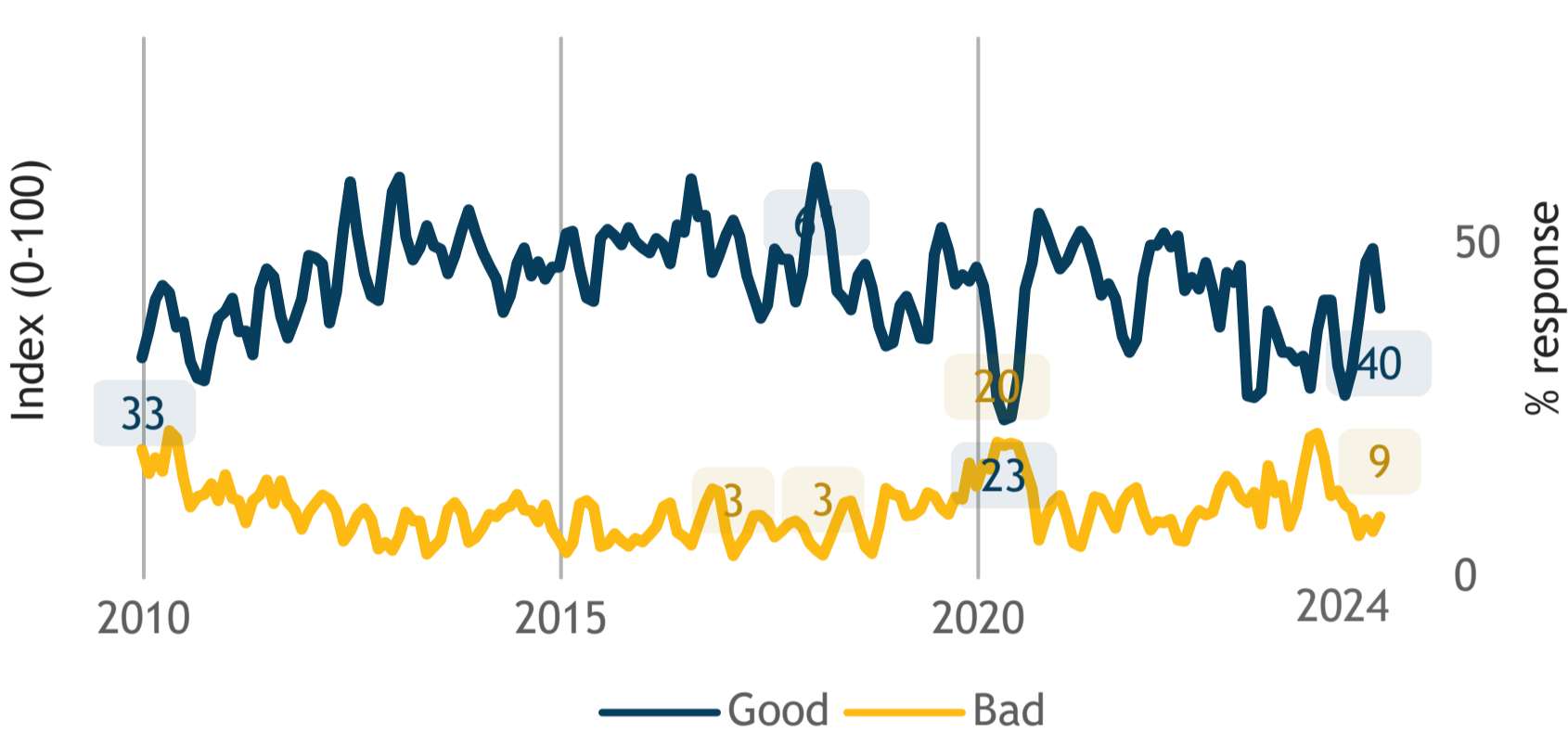
Business Barometer®: Agriculture

Responses: 72
 Data presented as 3-month moving averages

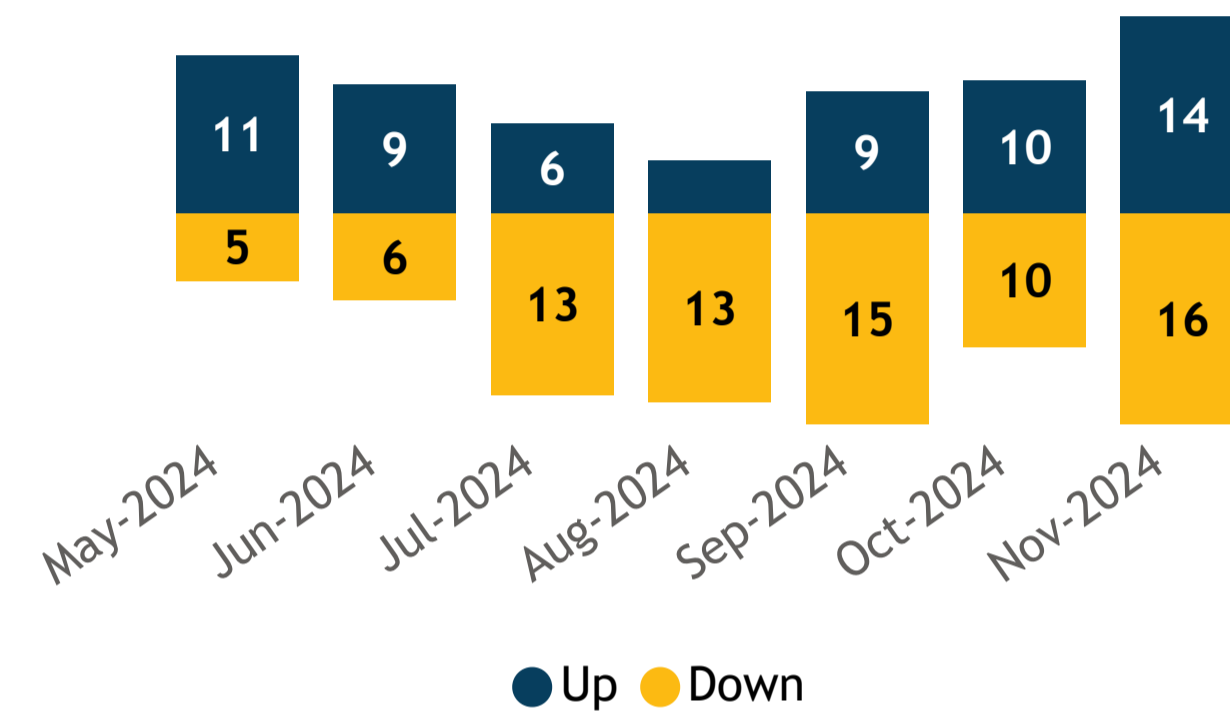
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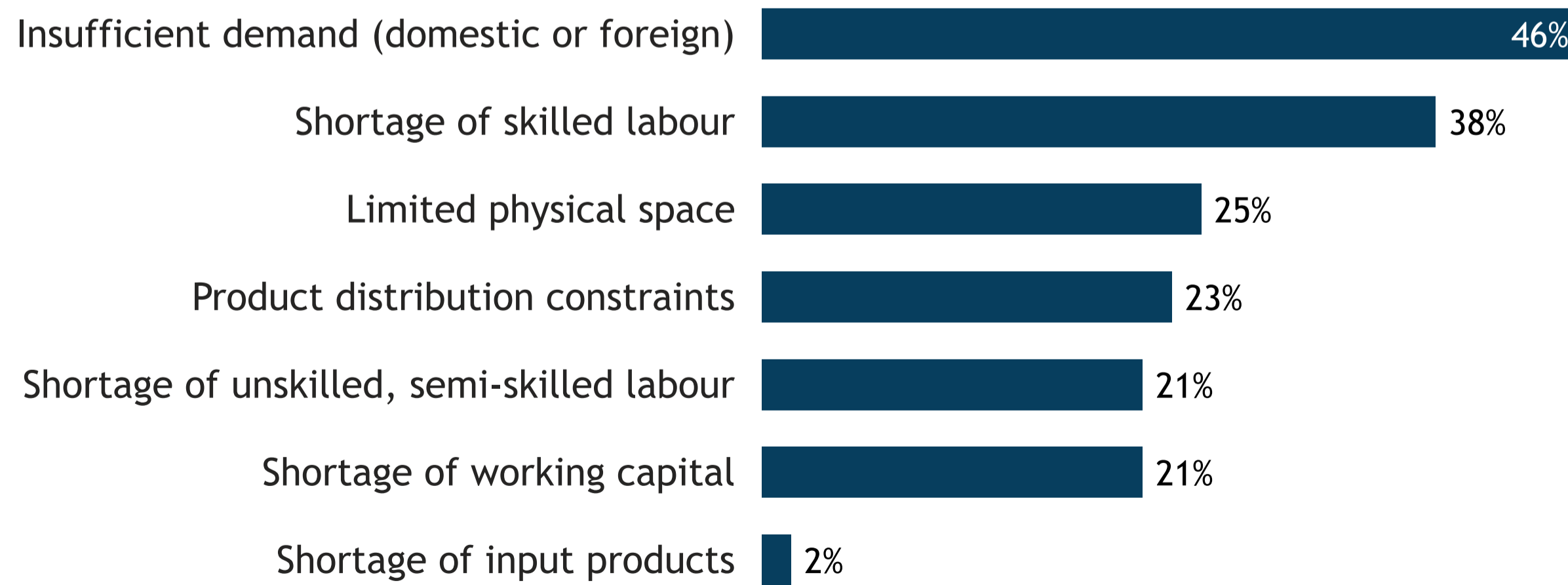
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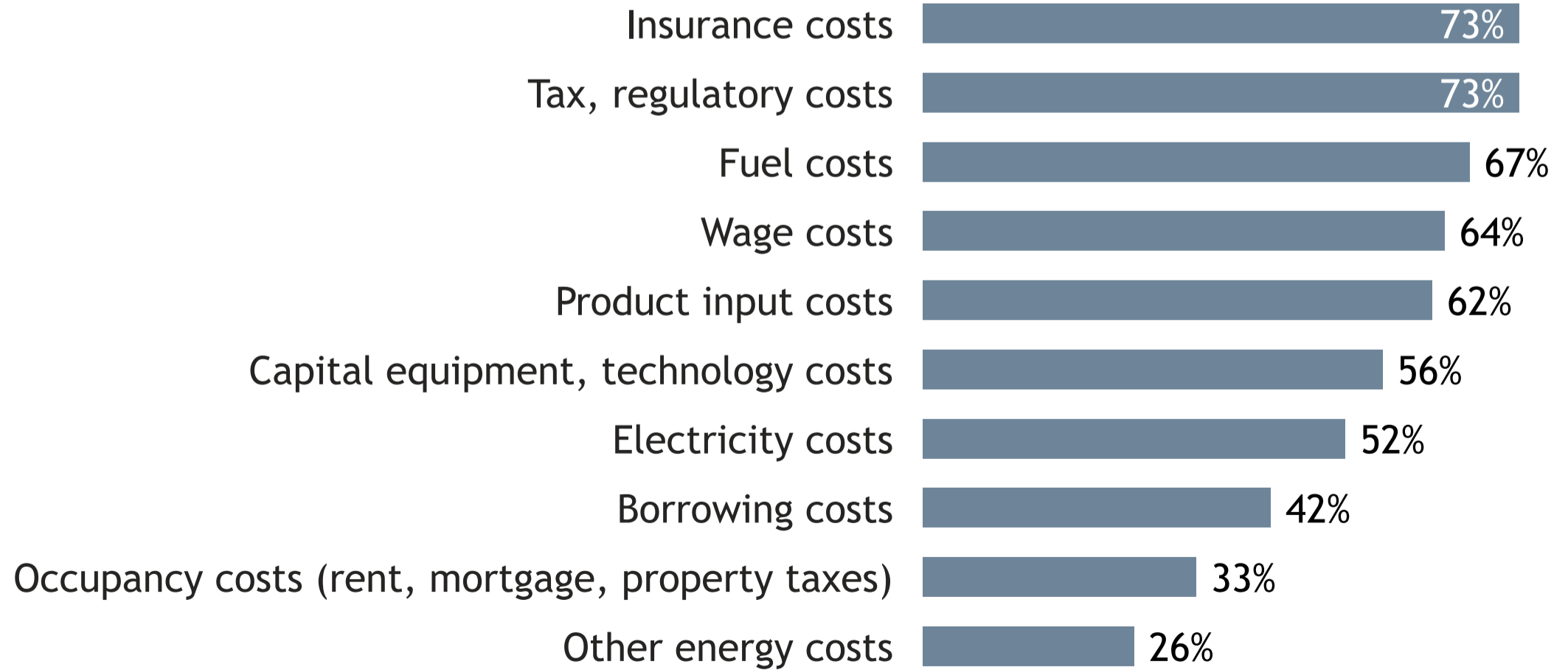
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



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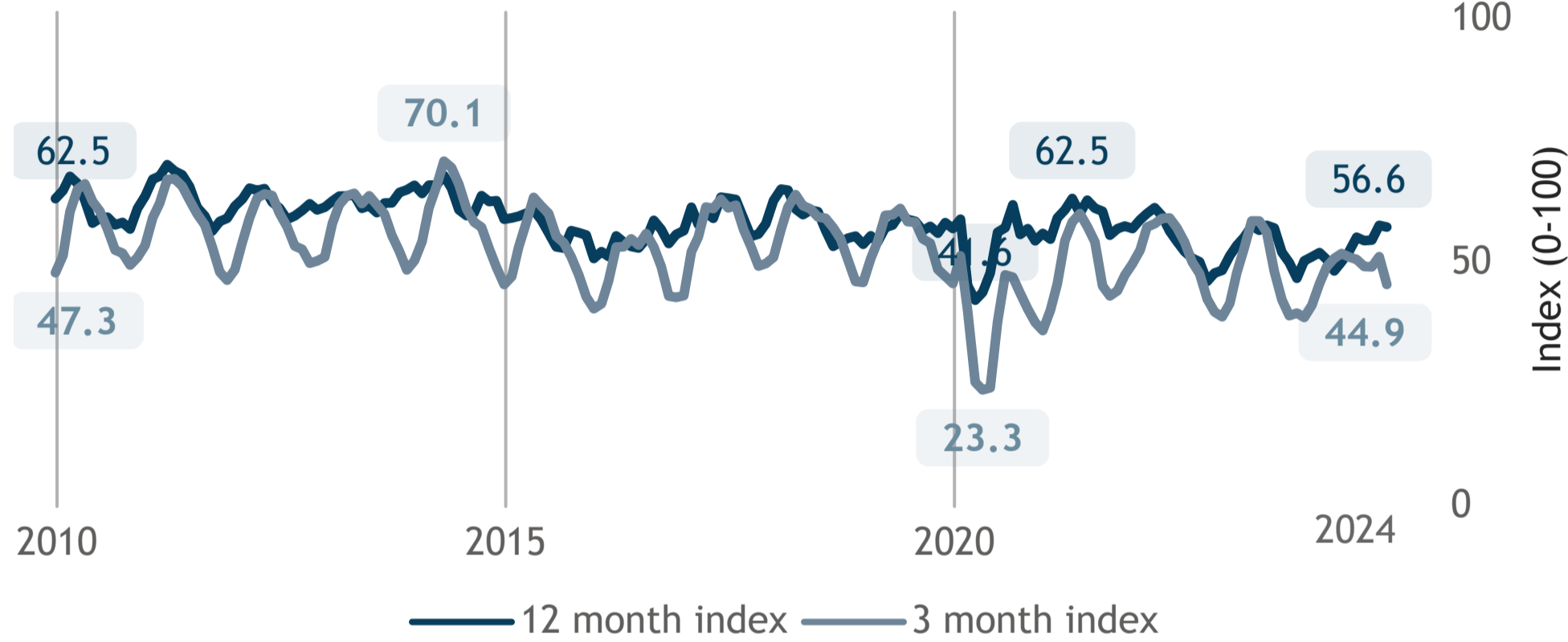


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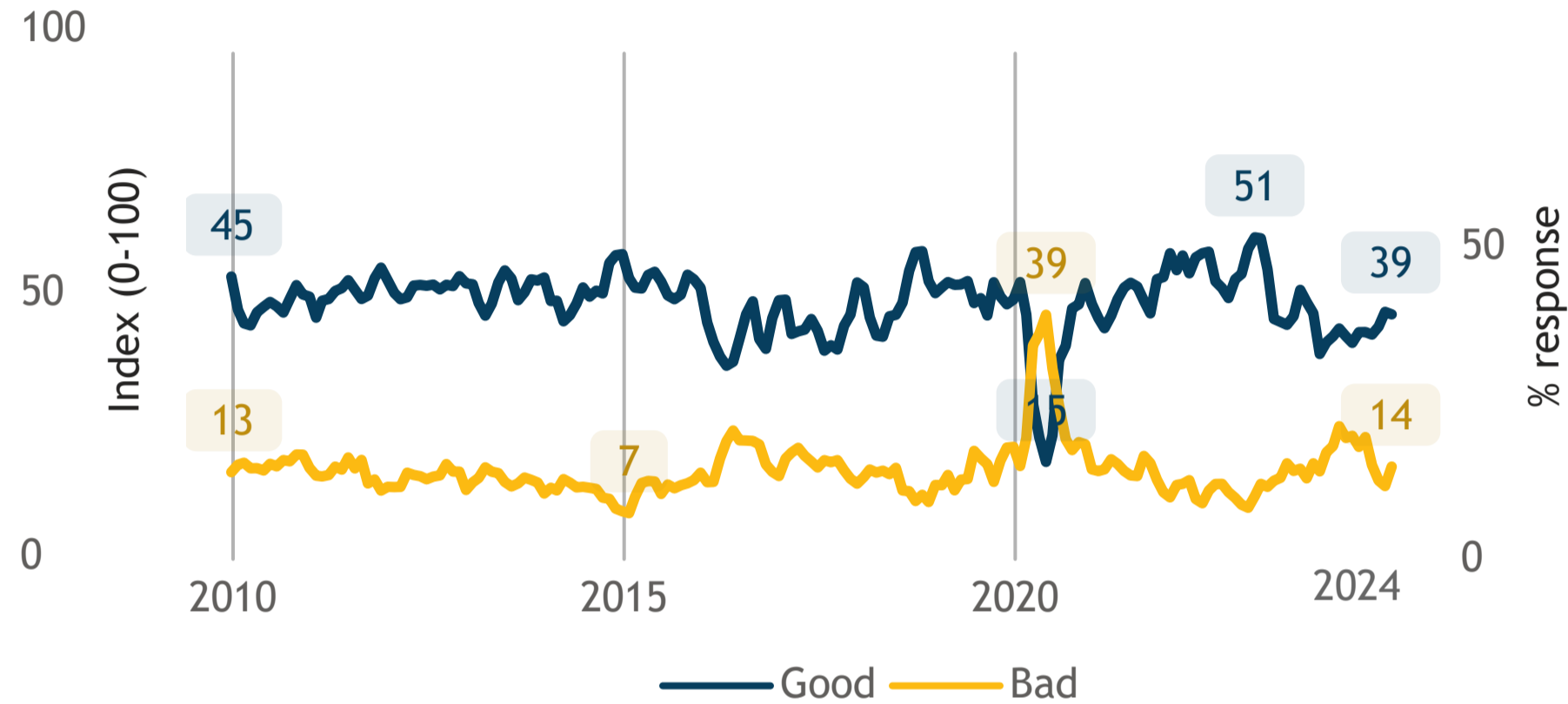
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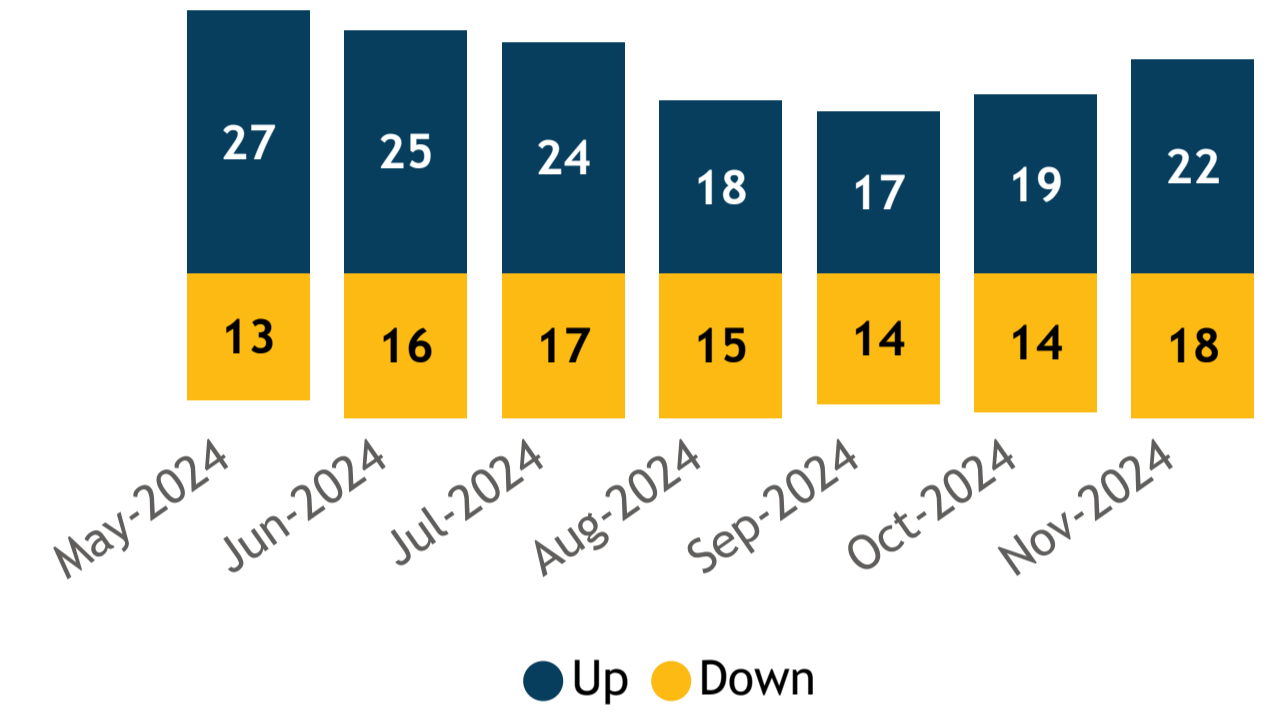
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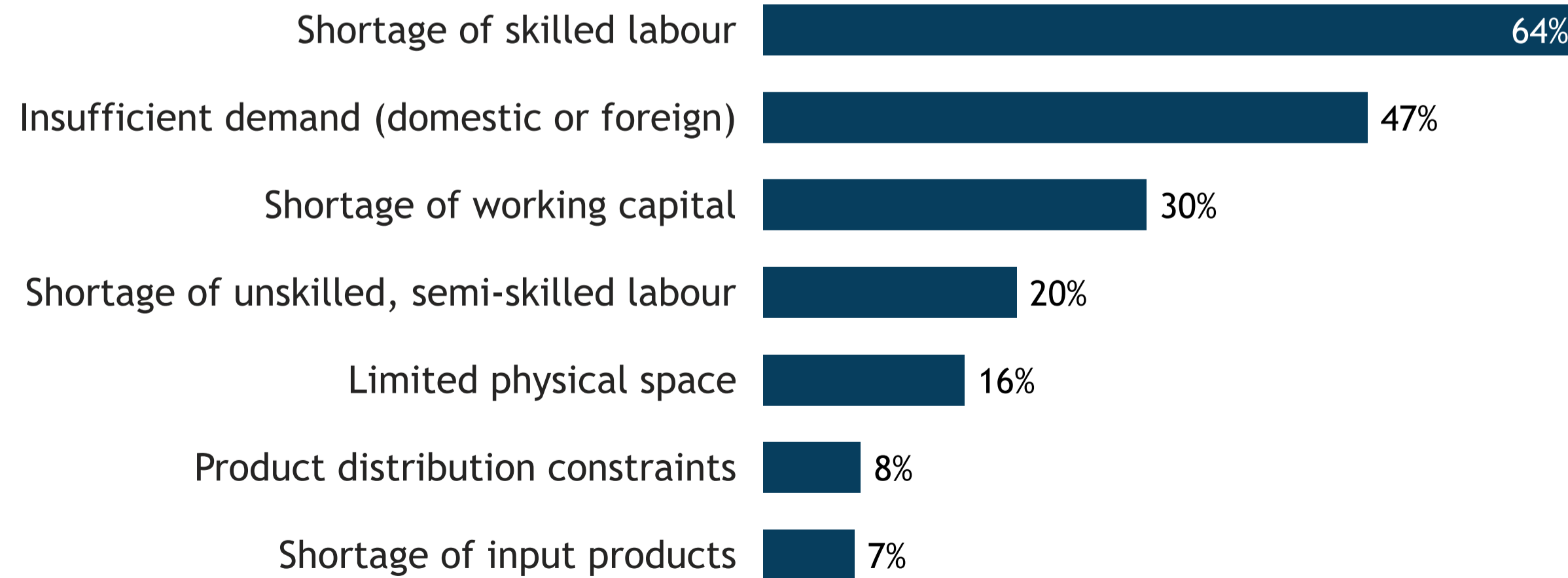
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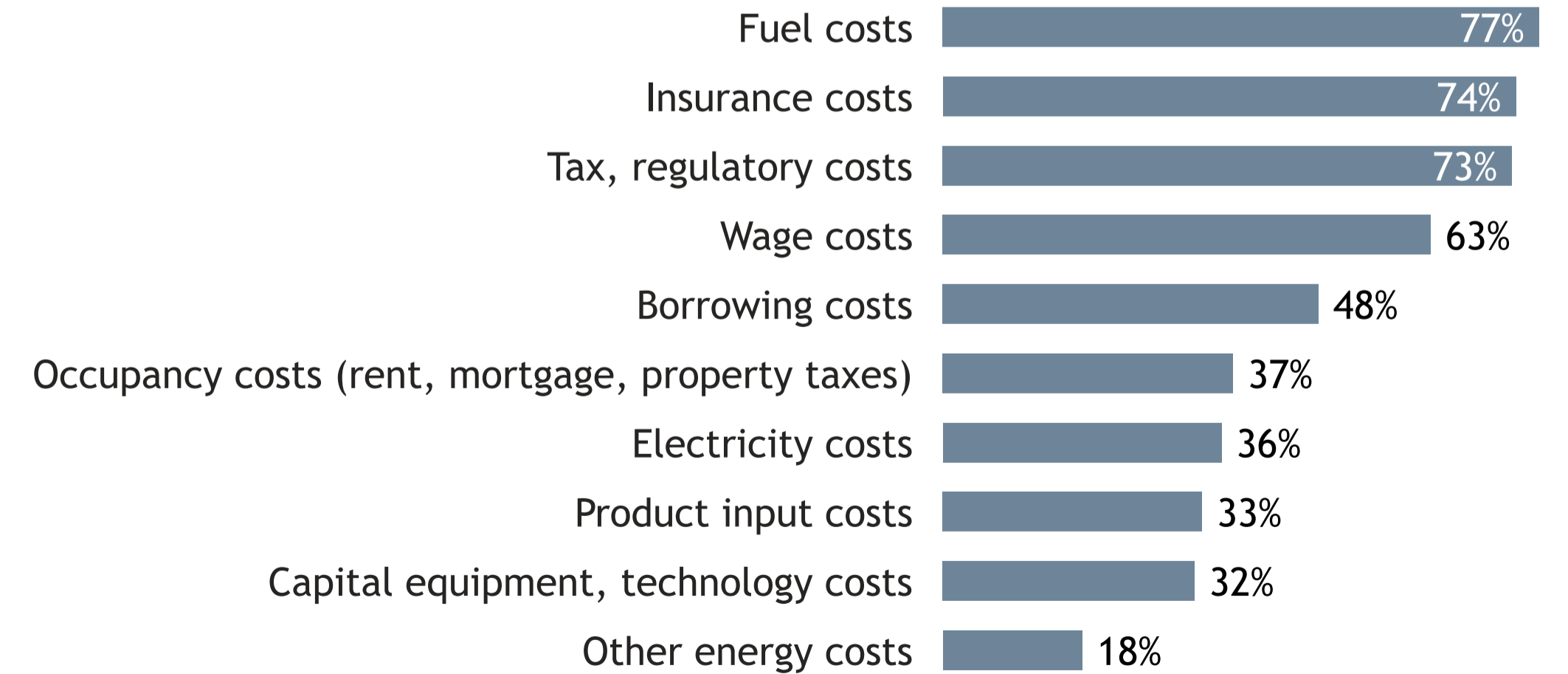
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Limitations on sales or production growth



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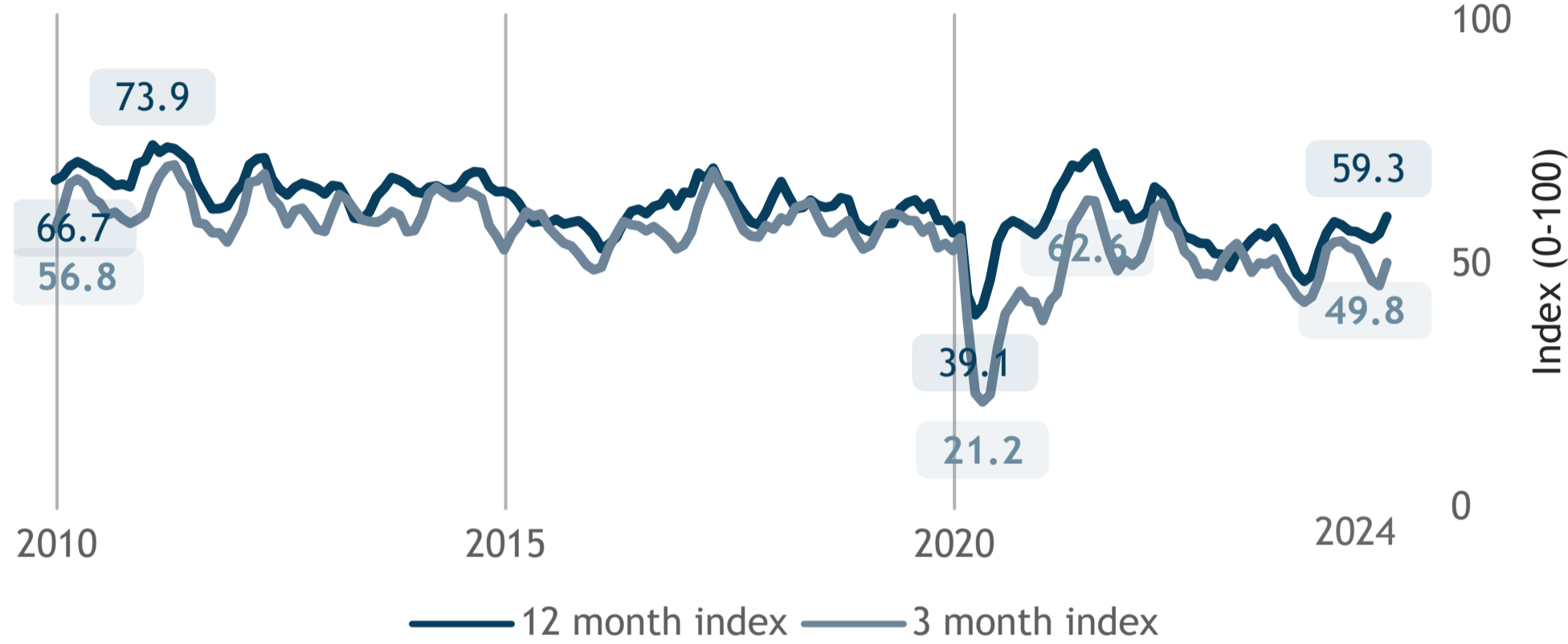


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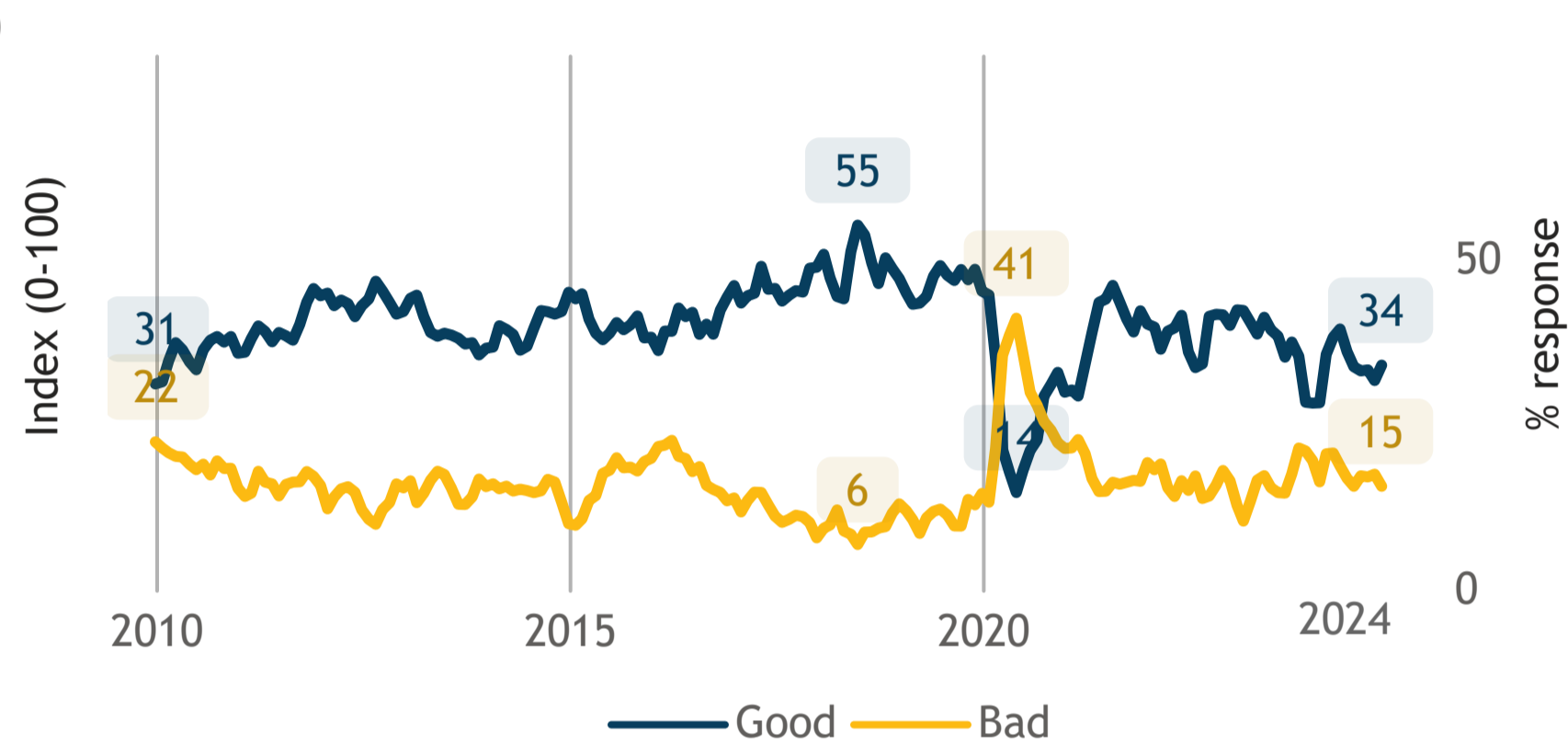
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Data presented as 3-month moving averages

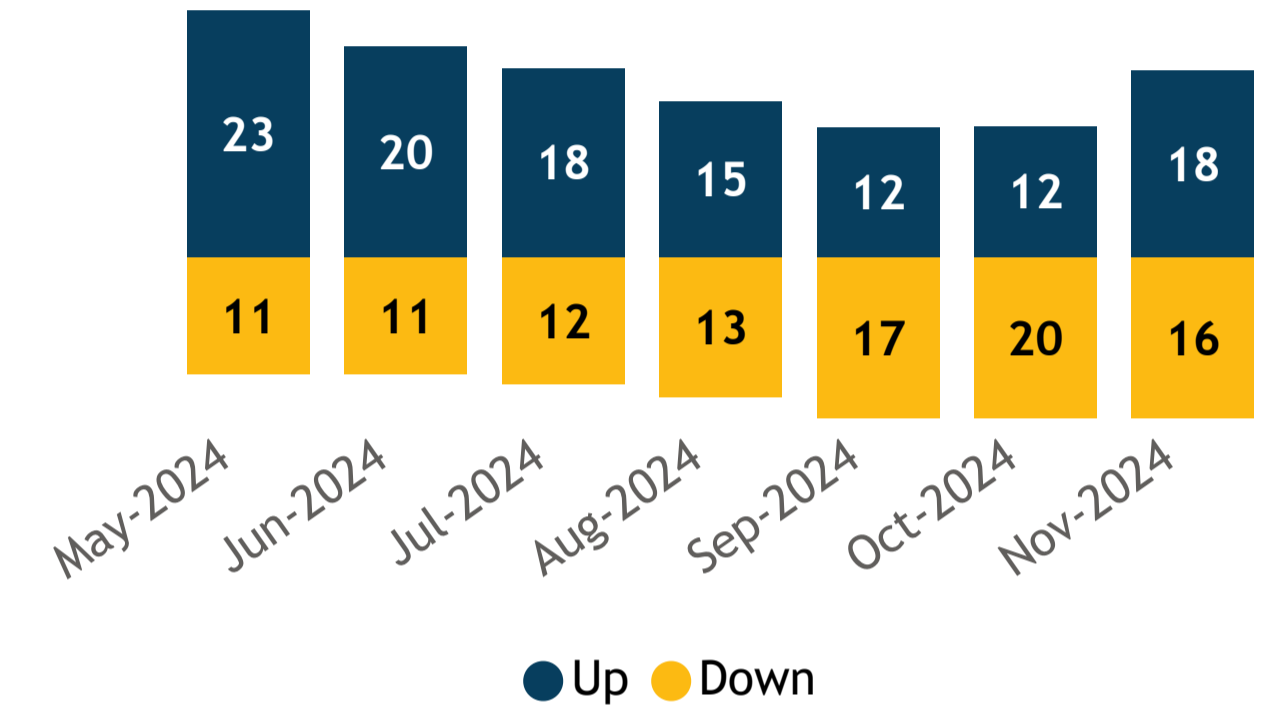
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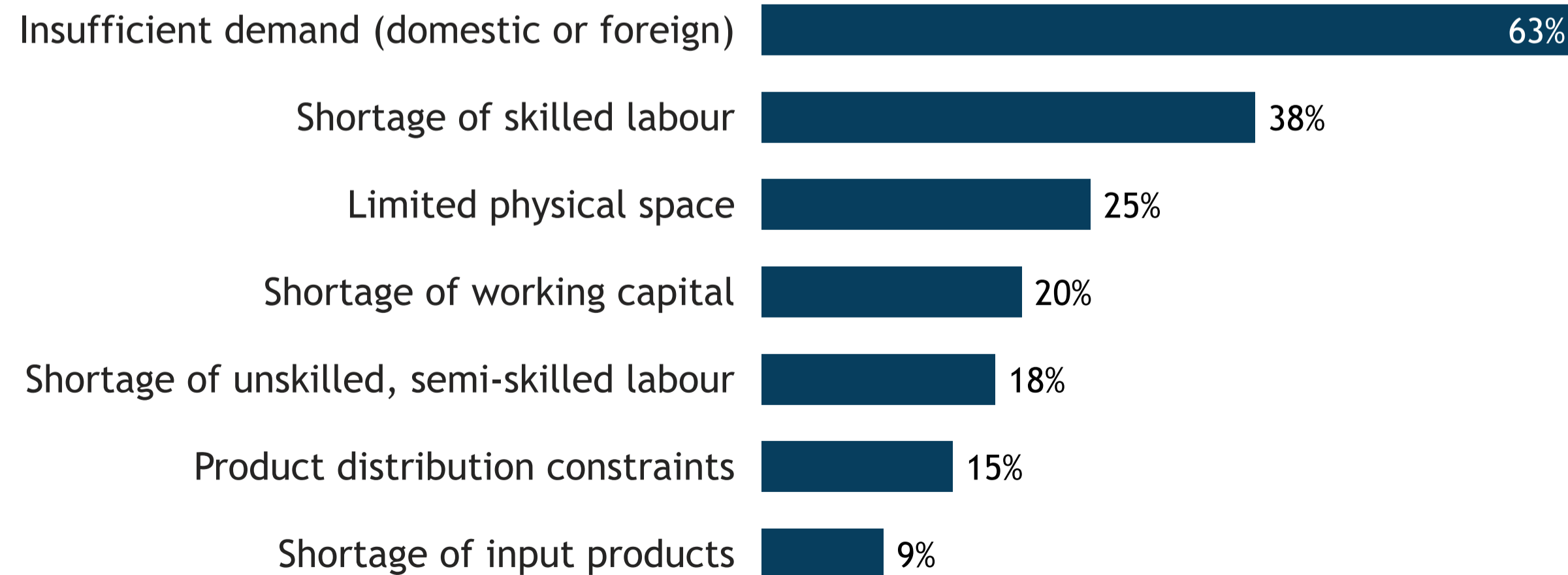
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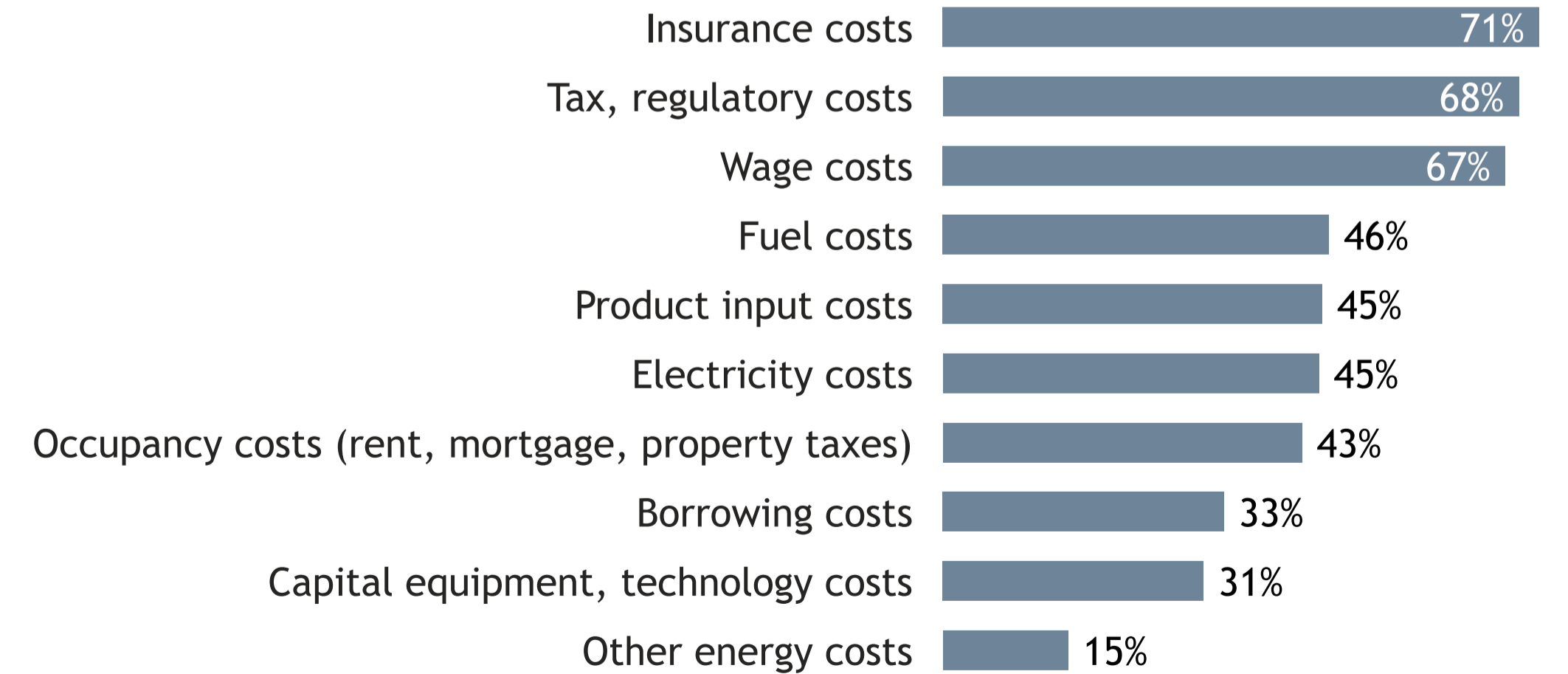
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



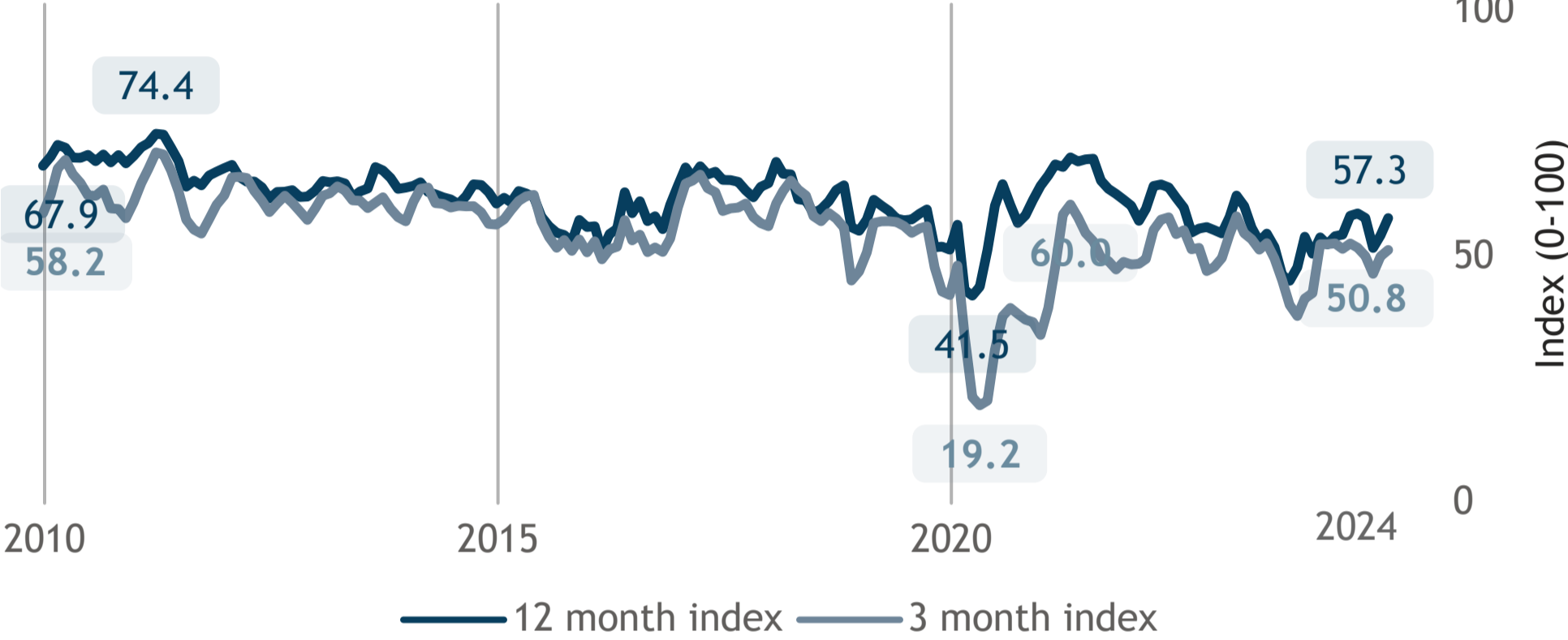
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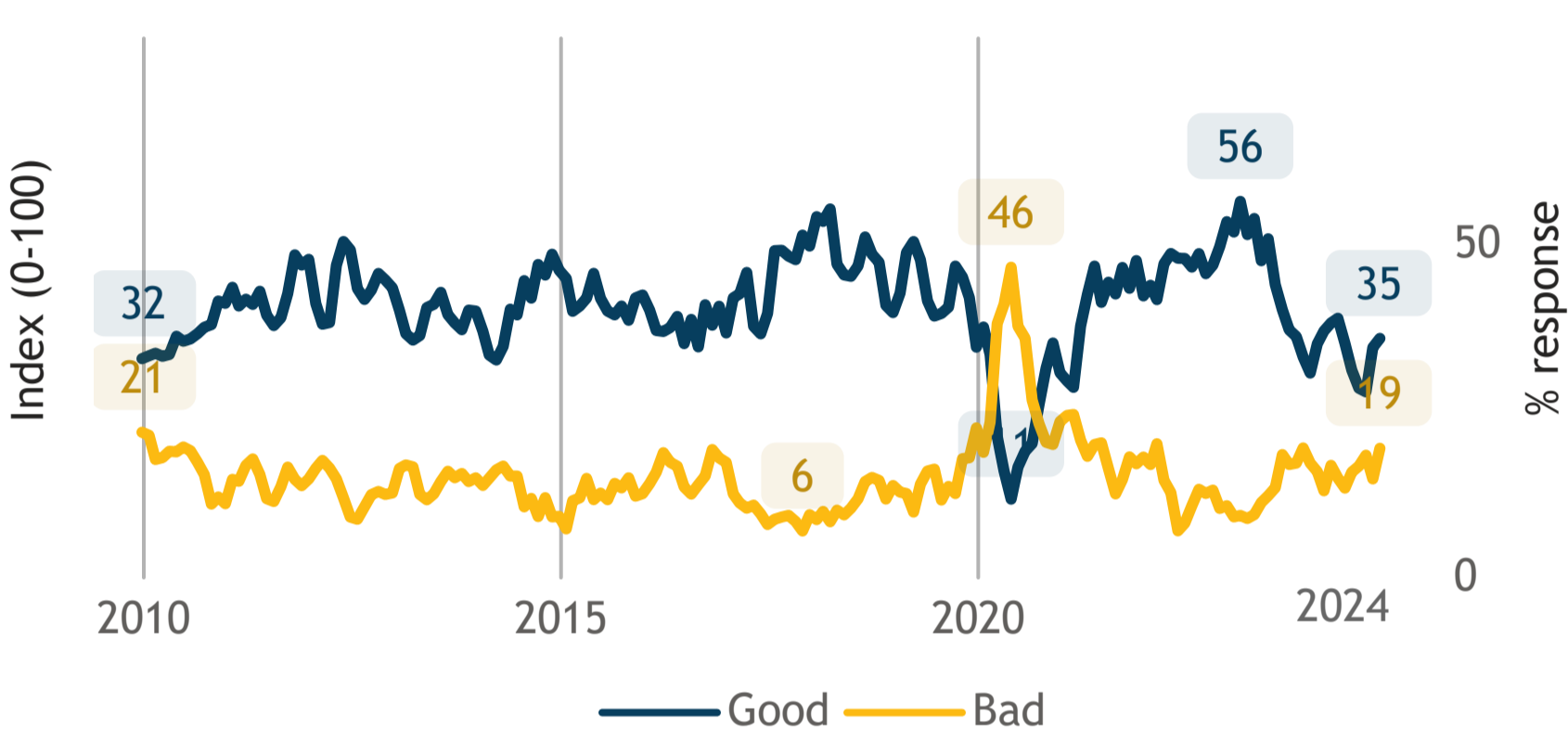
Business Barometer®: Wholesale

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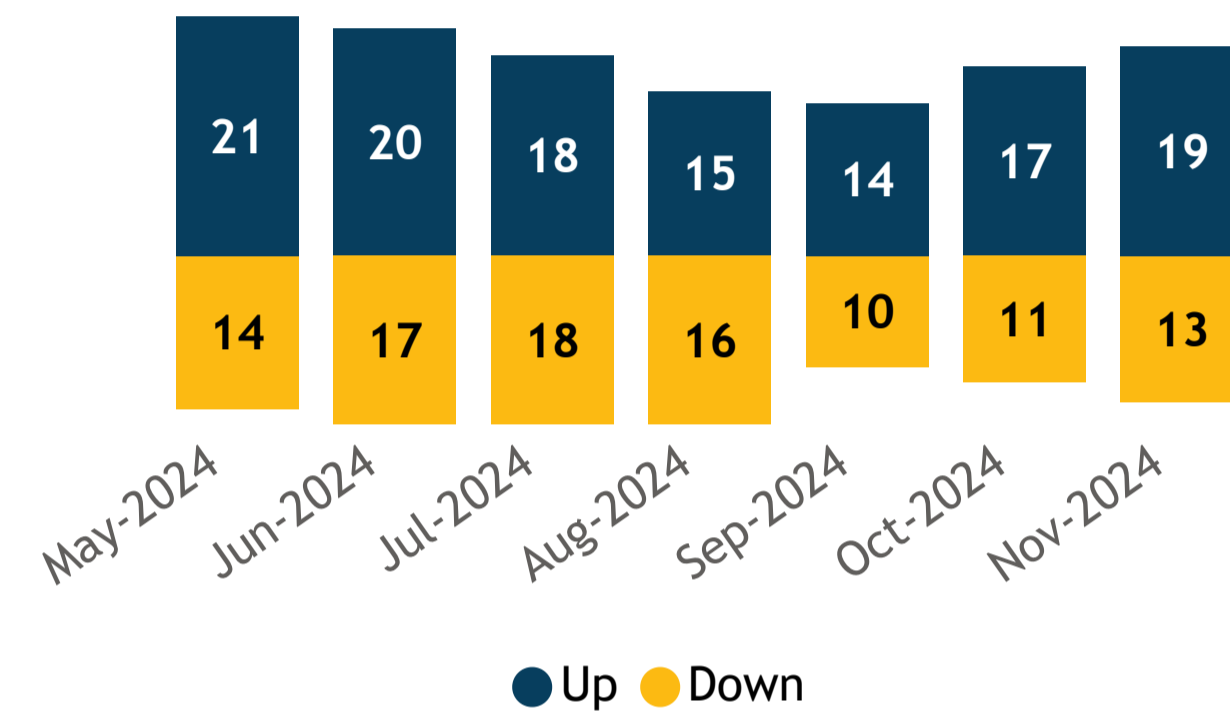
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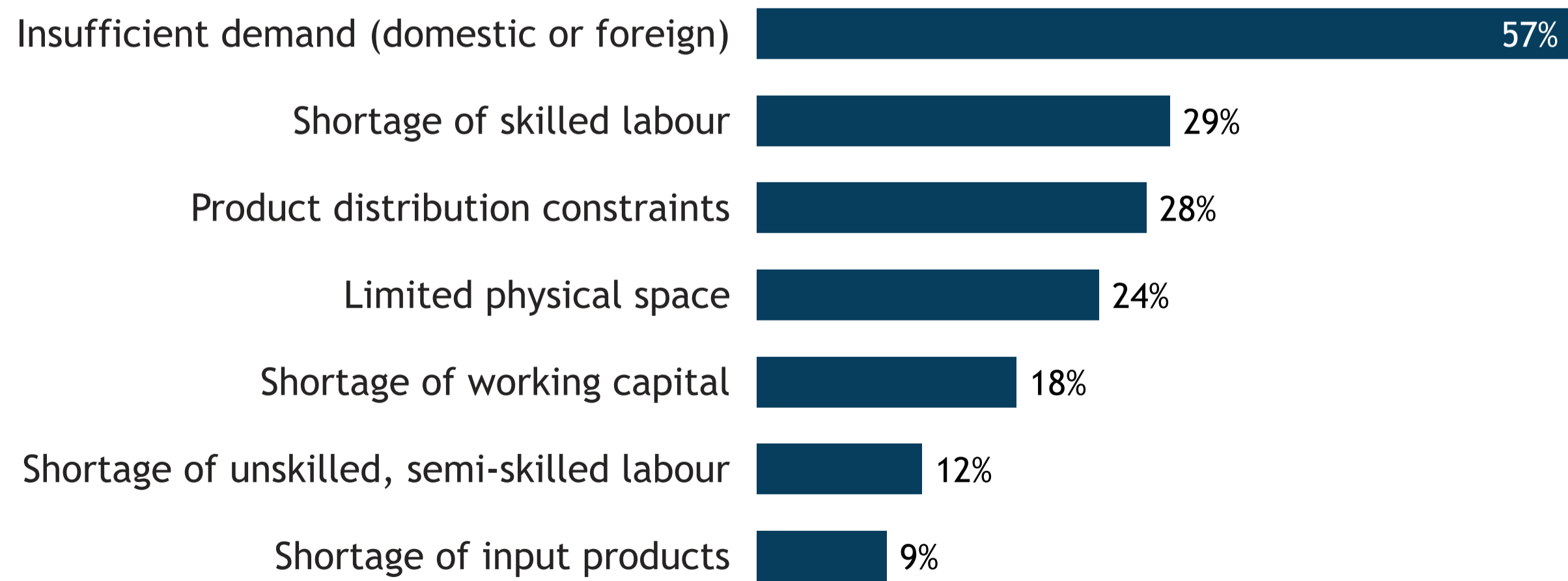
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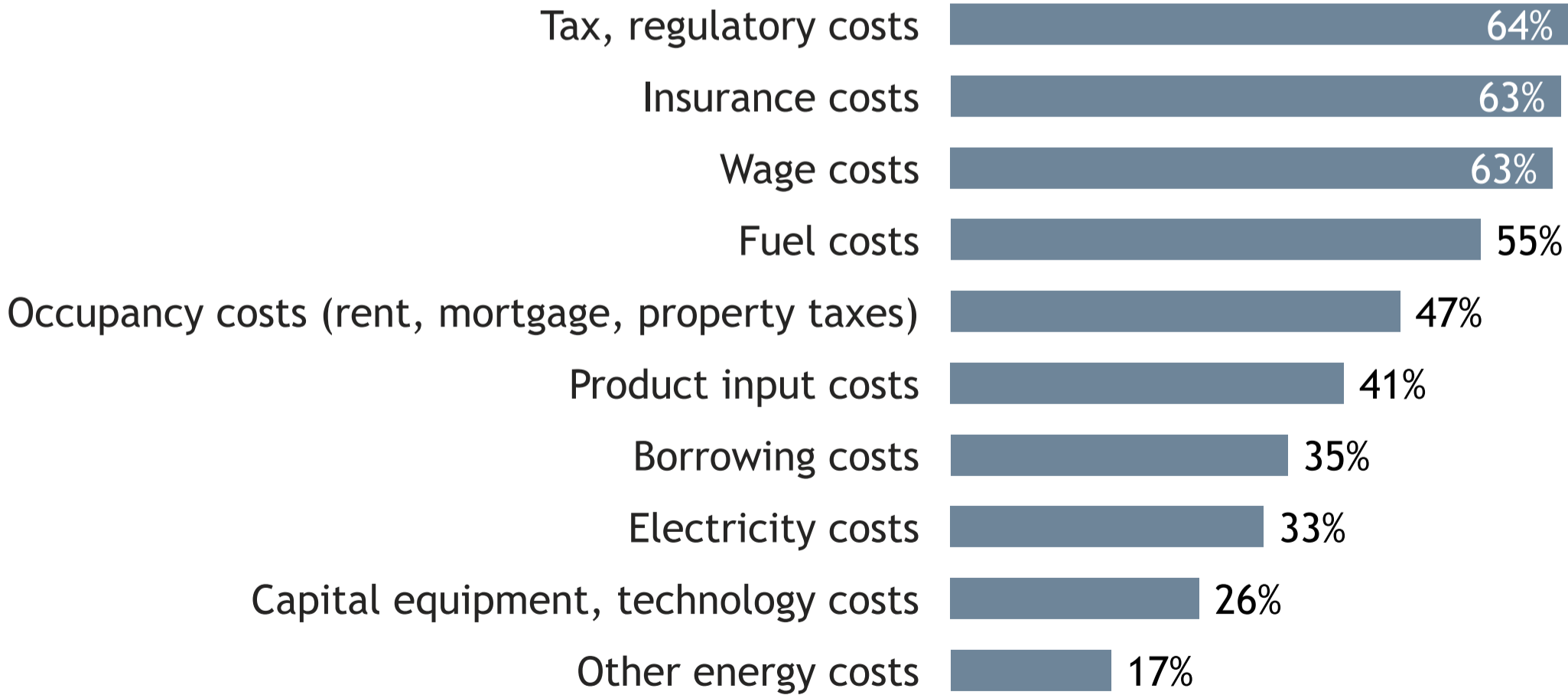
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



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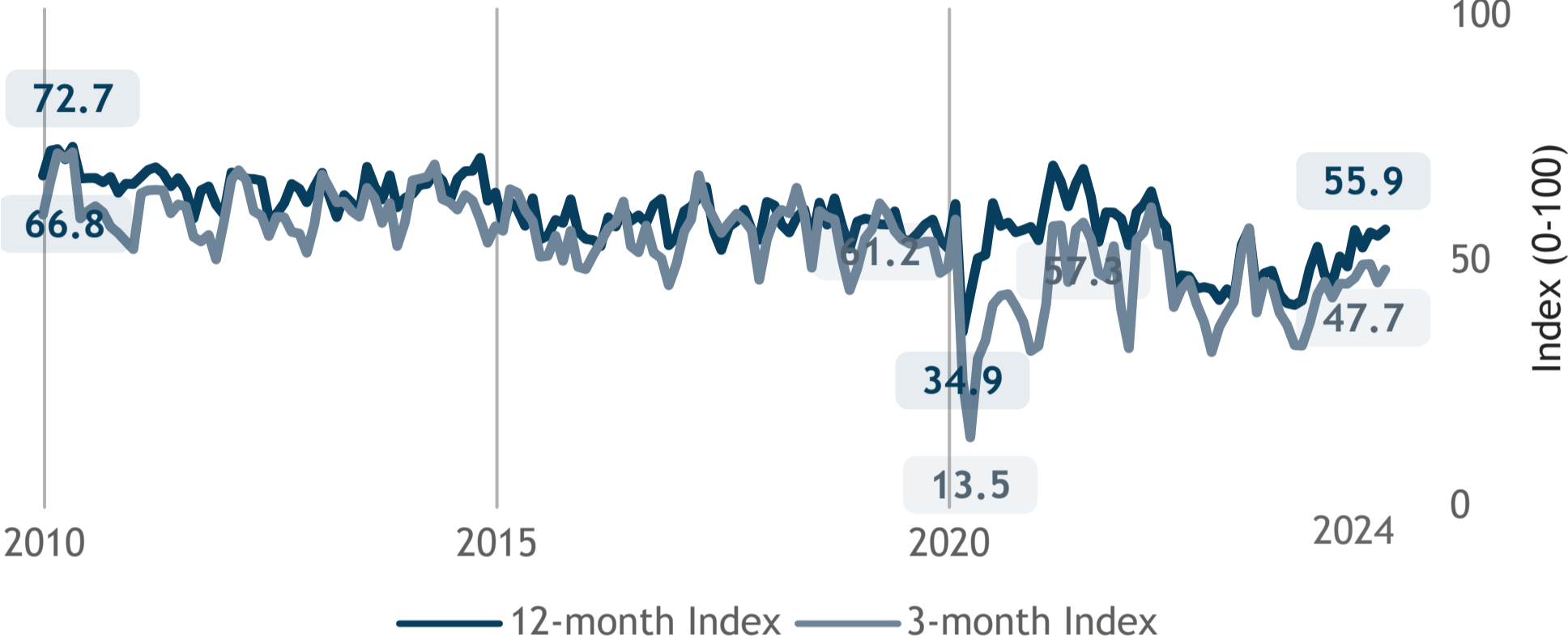
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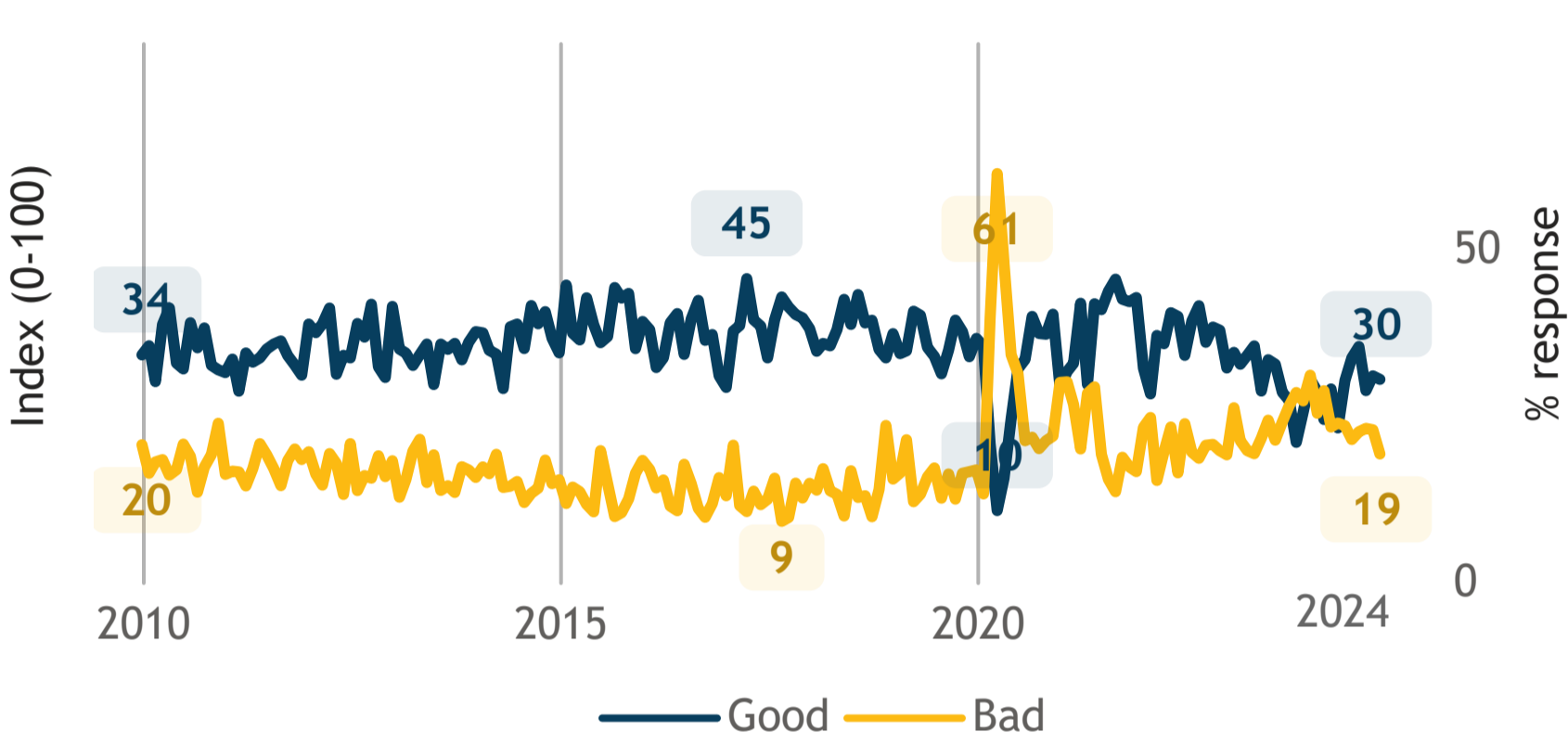
Business Barometer®: Retail

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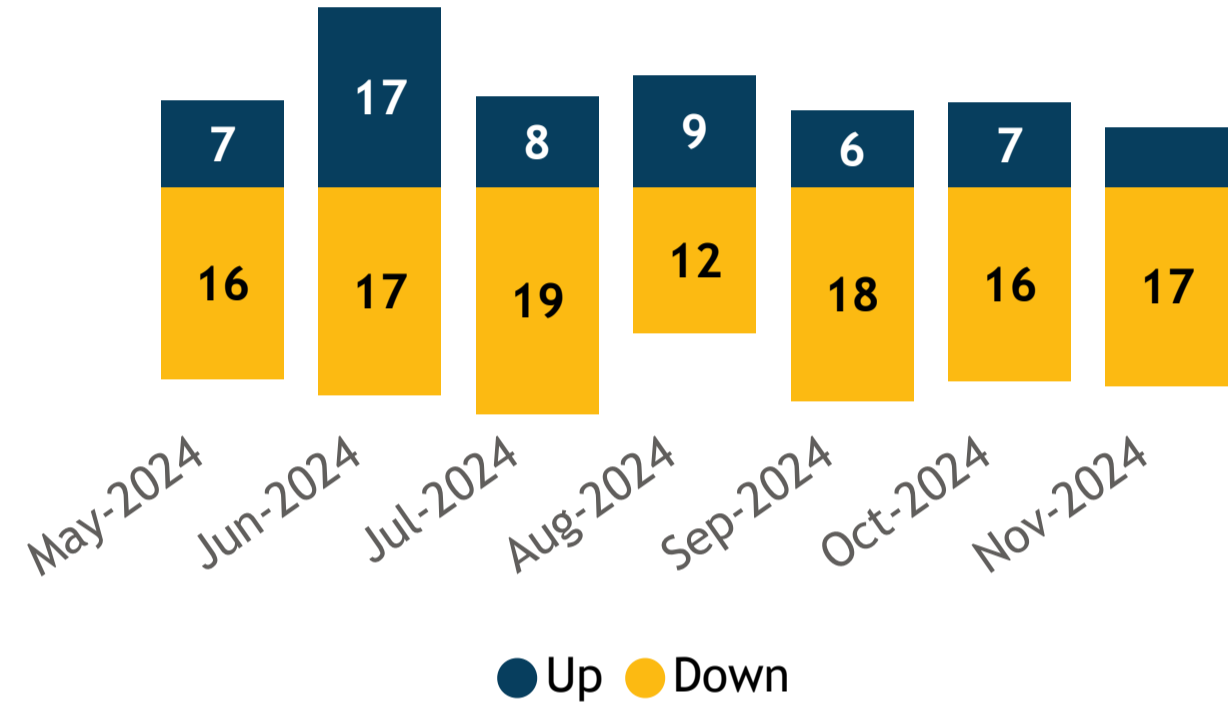
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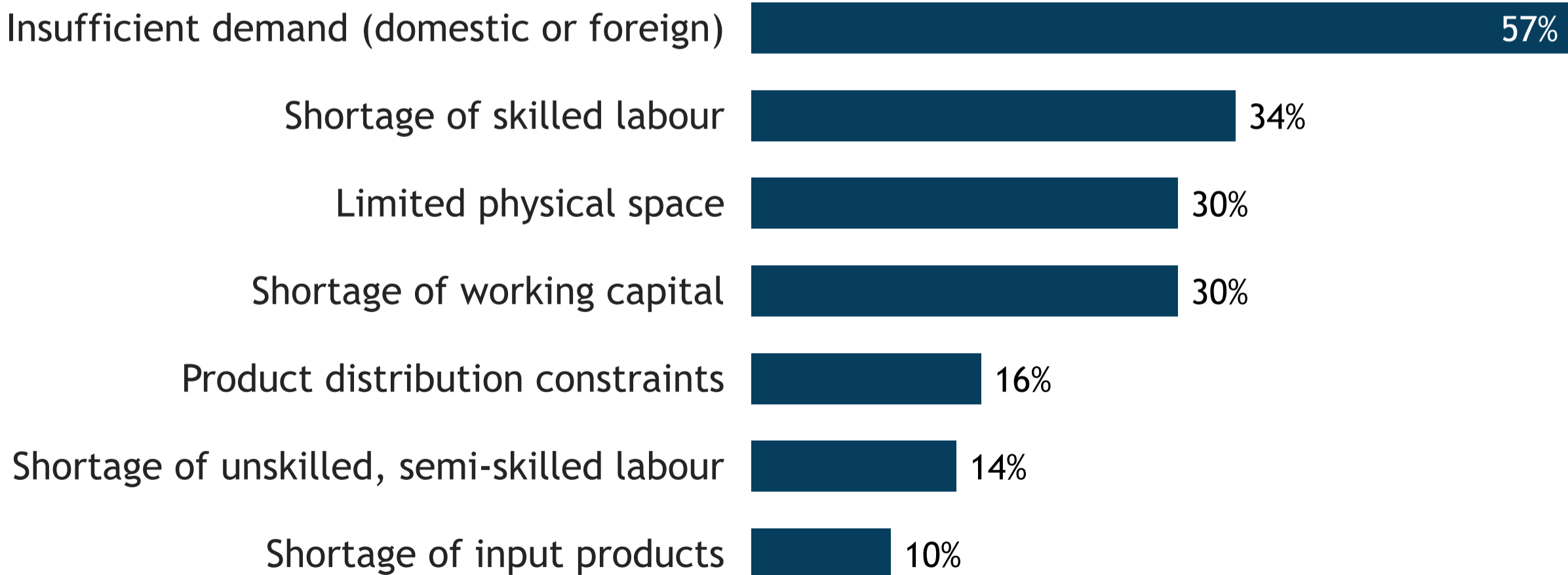
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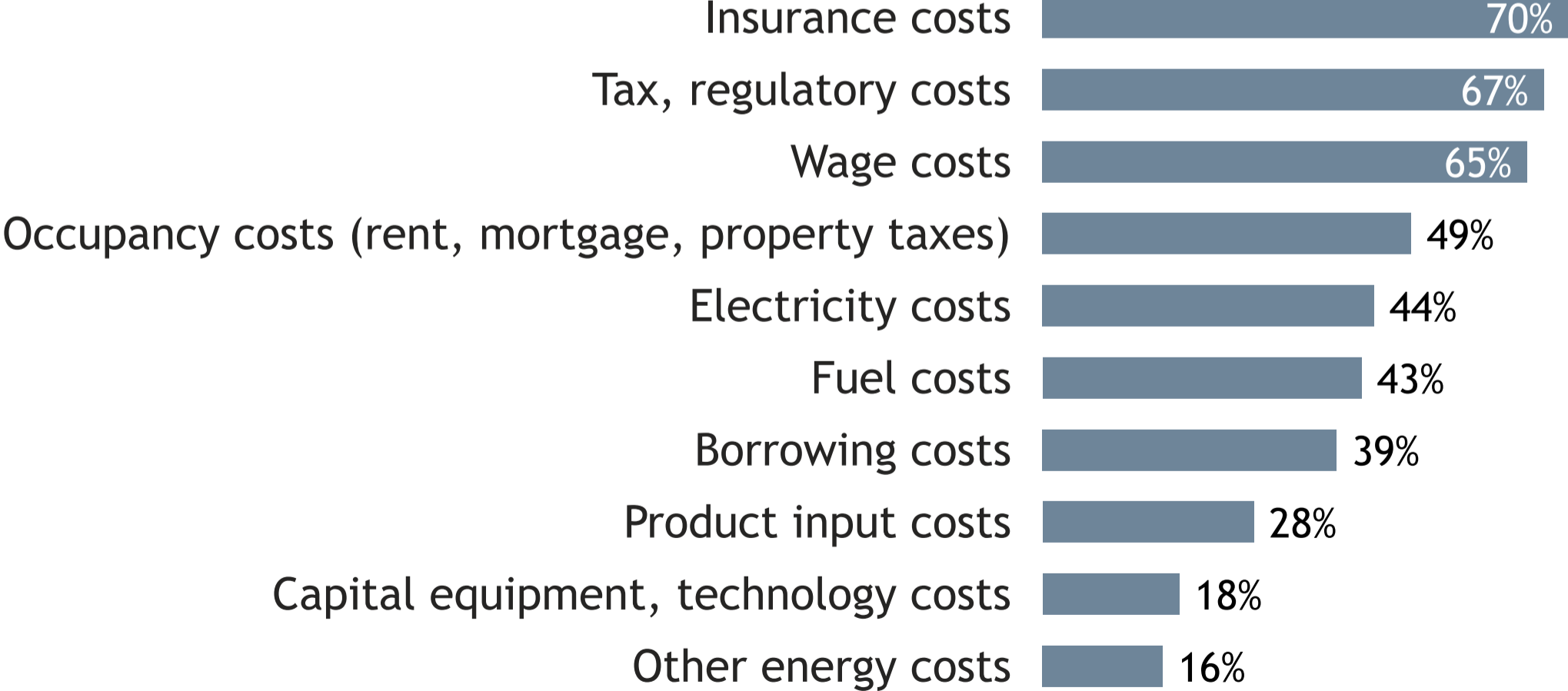
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



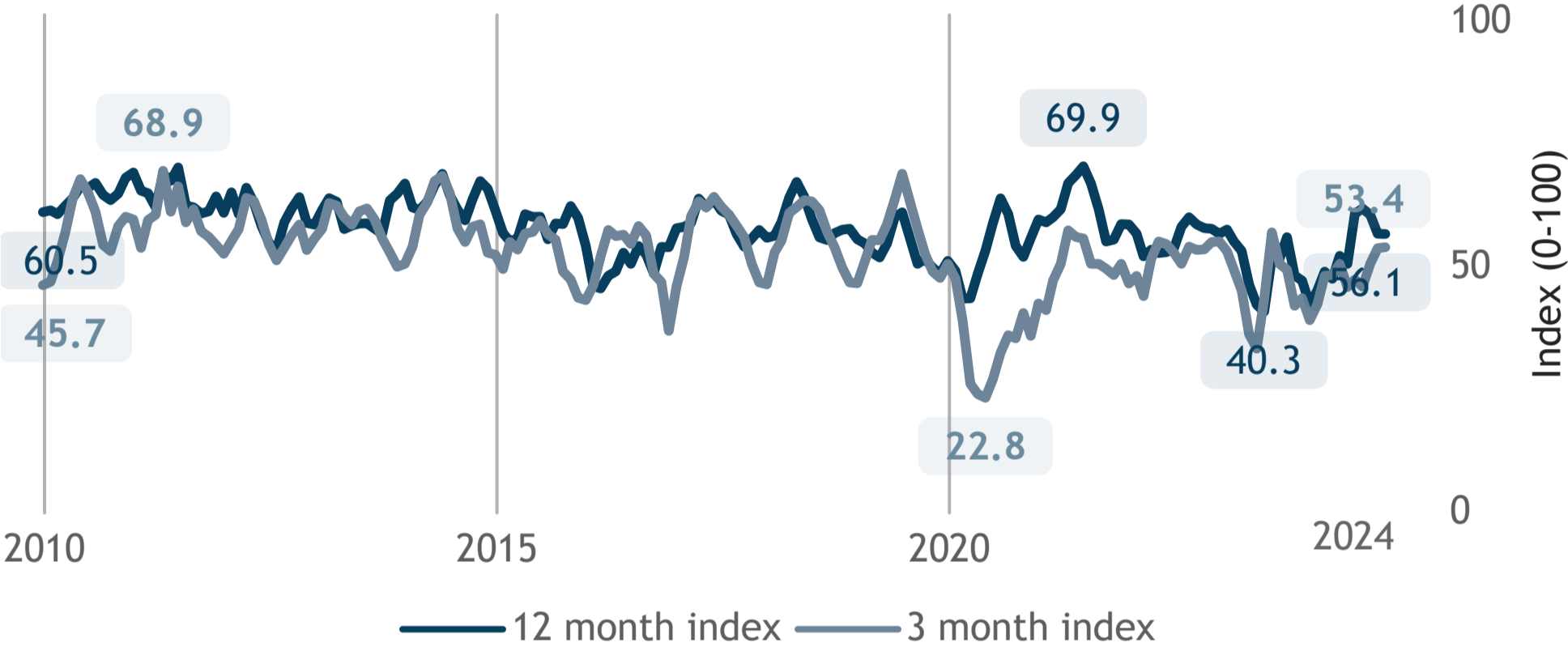
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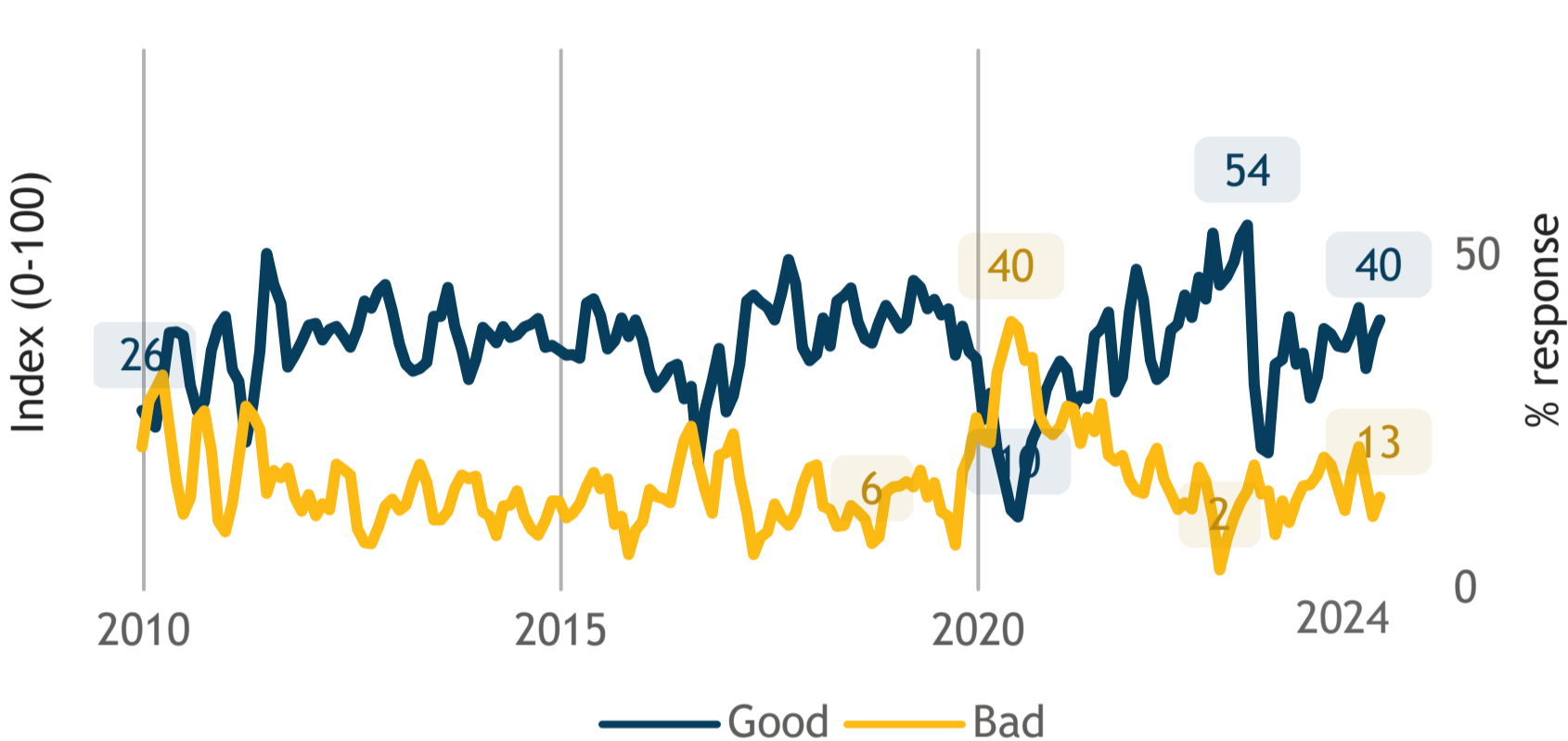
Business Barometer®: Transportation

Responses: 76
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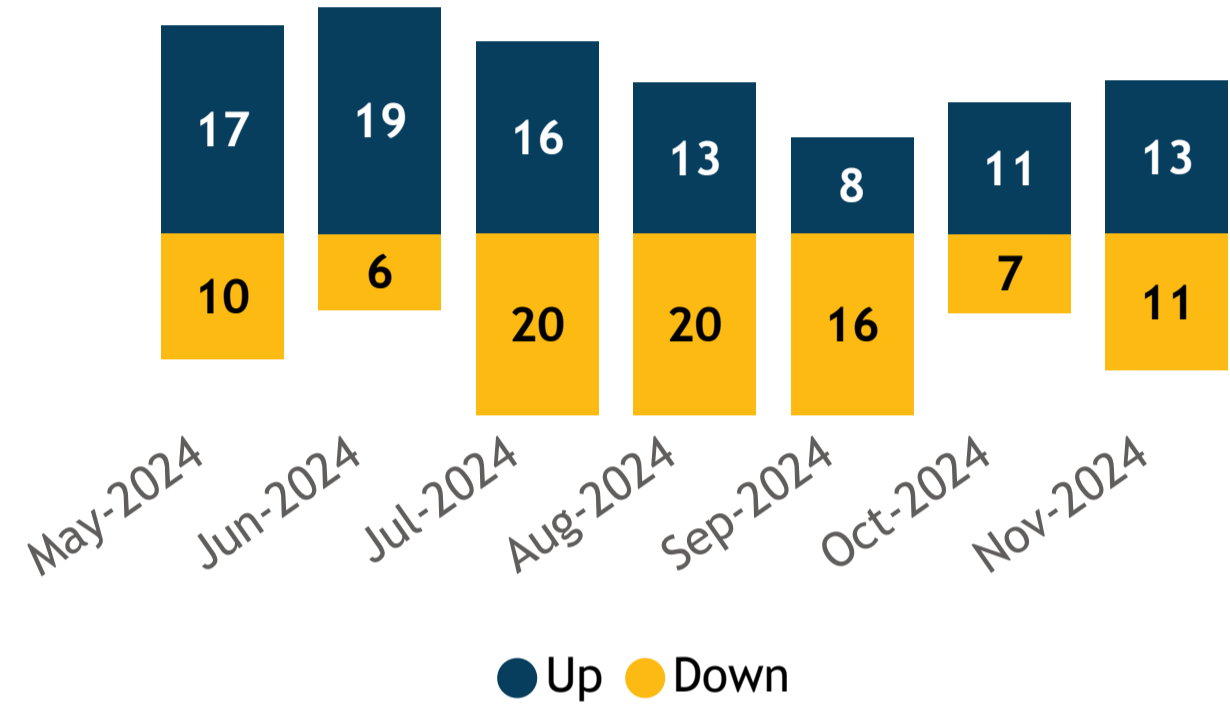
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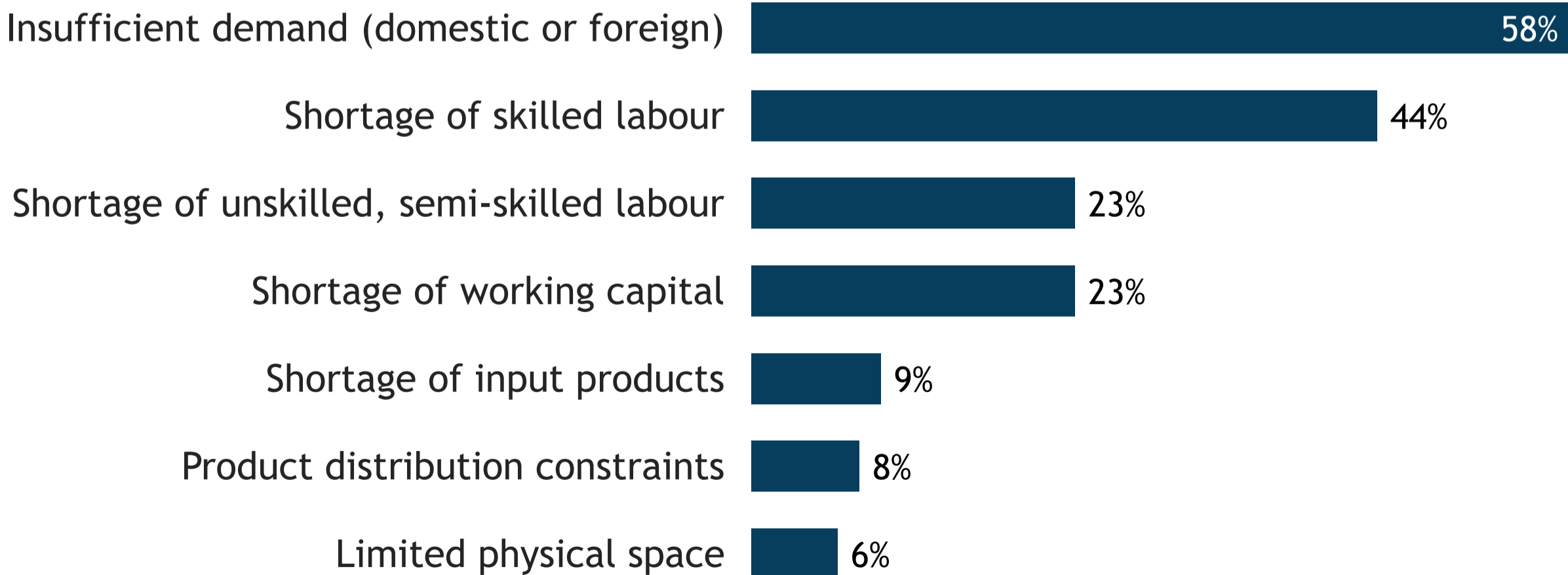
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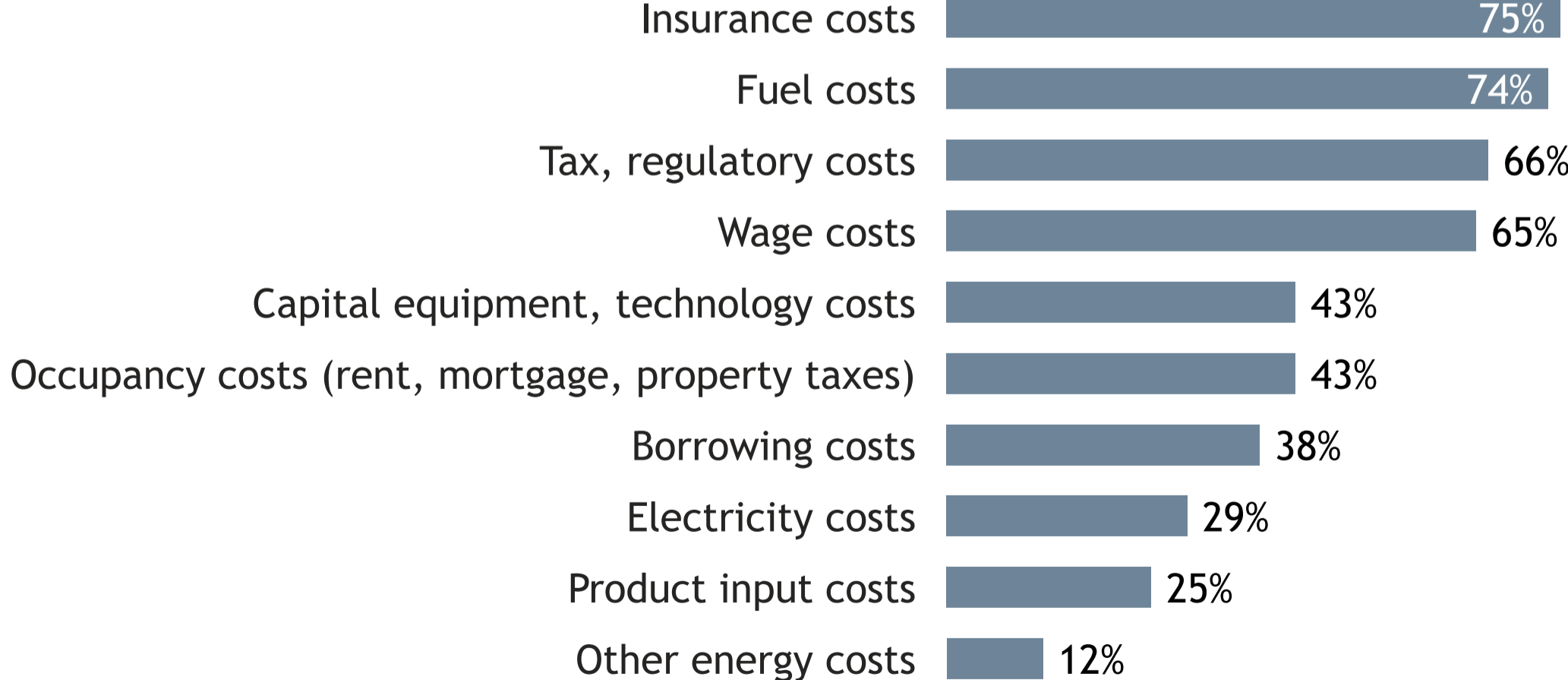
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



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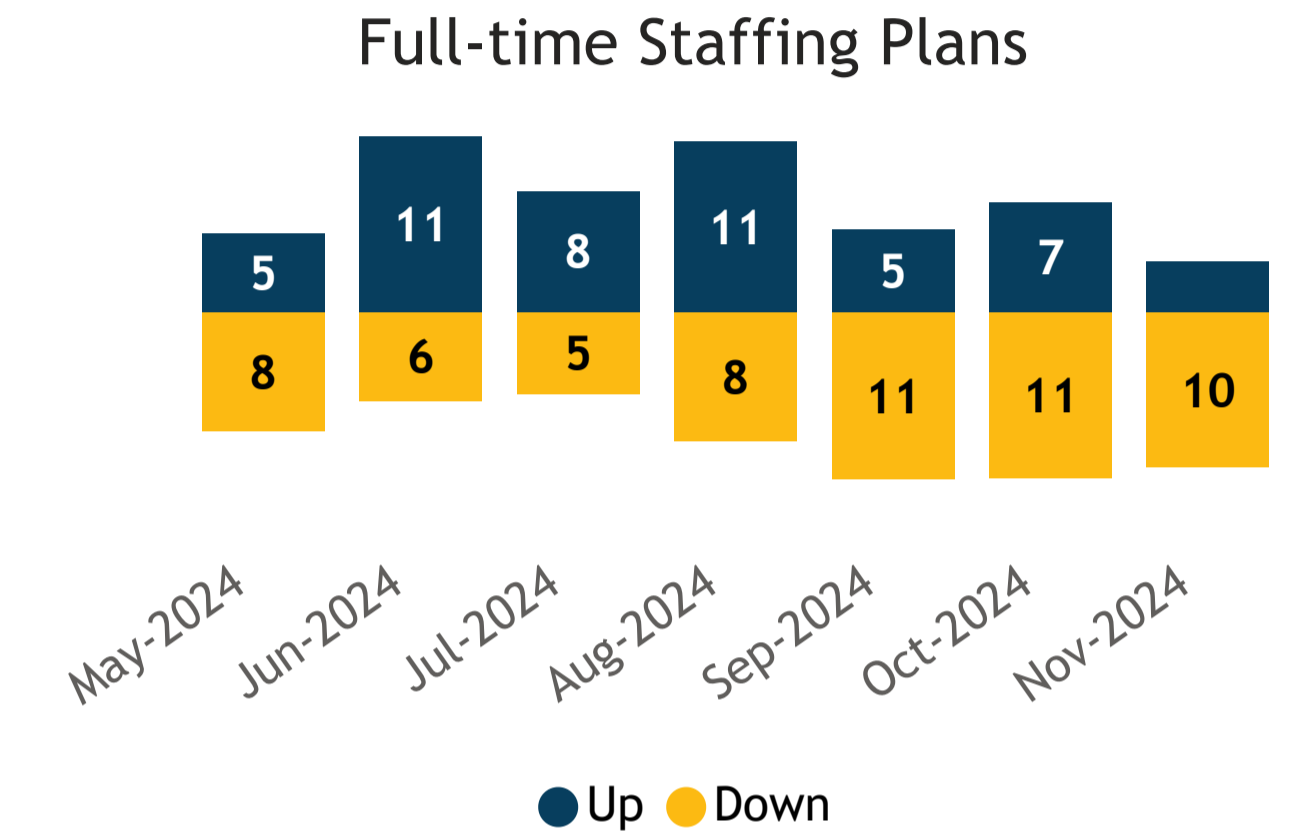
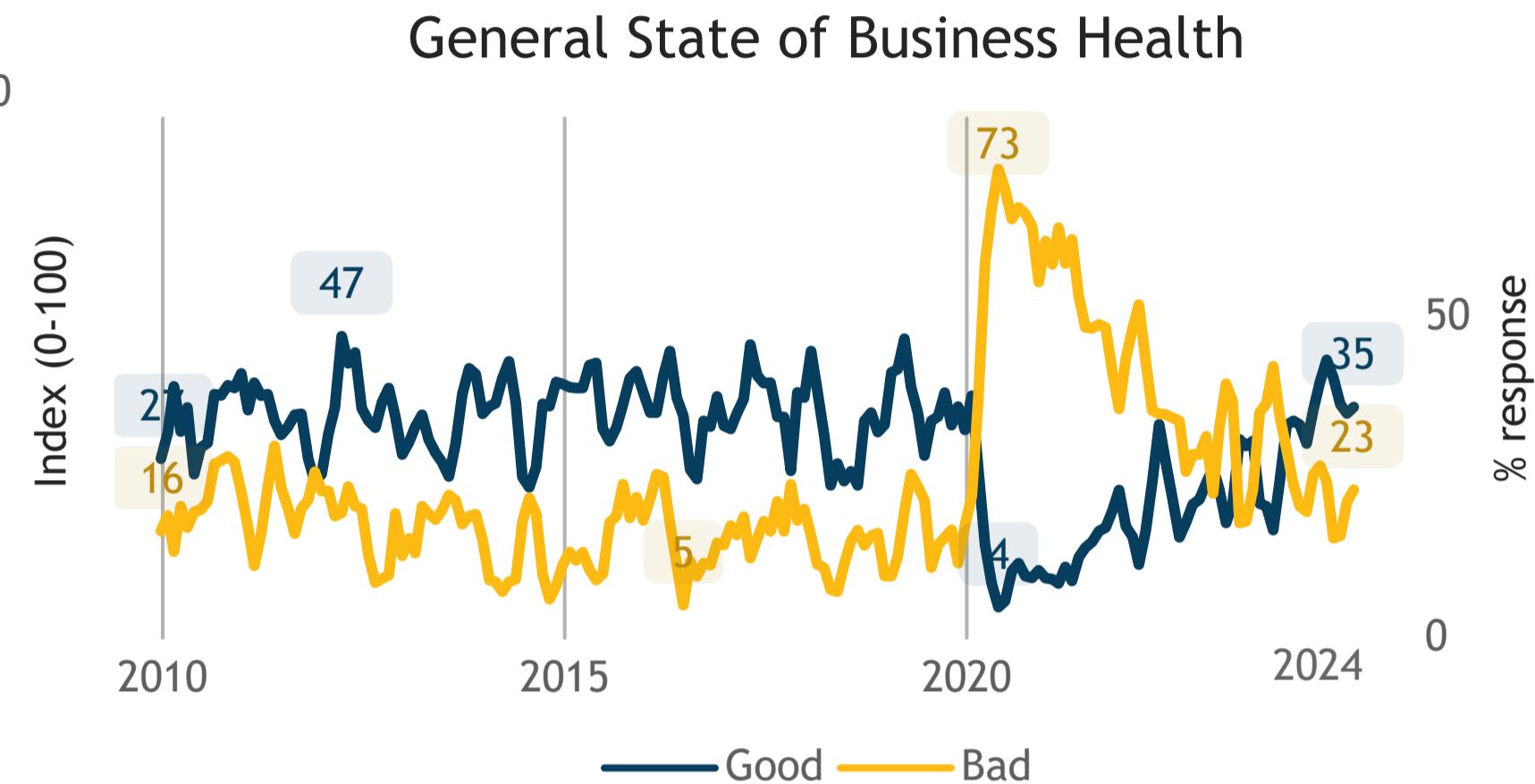
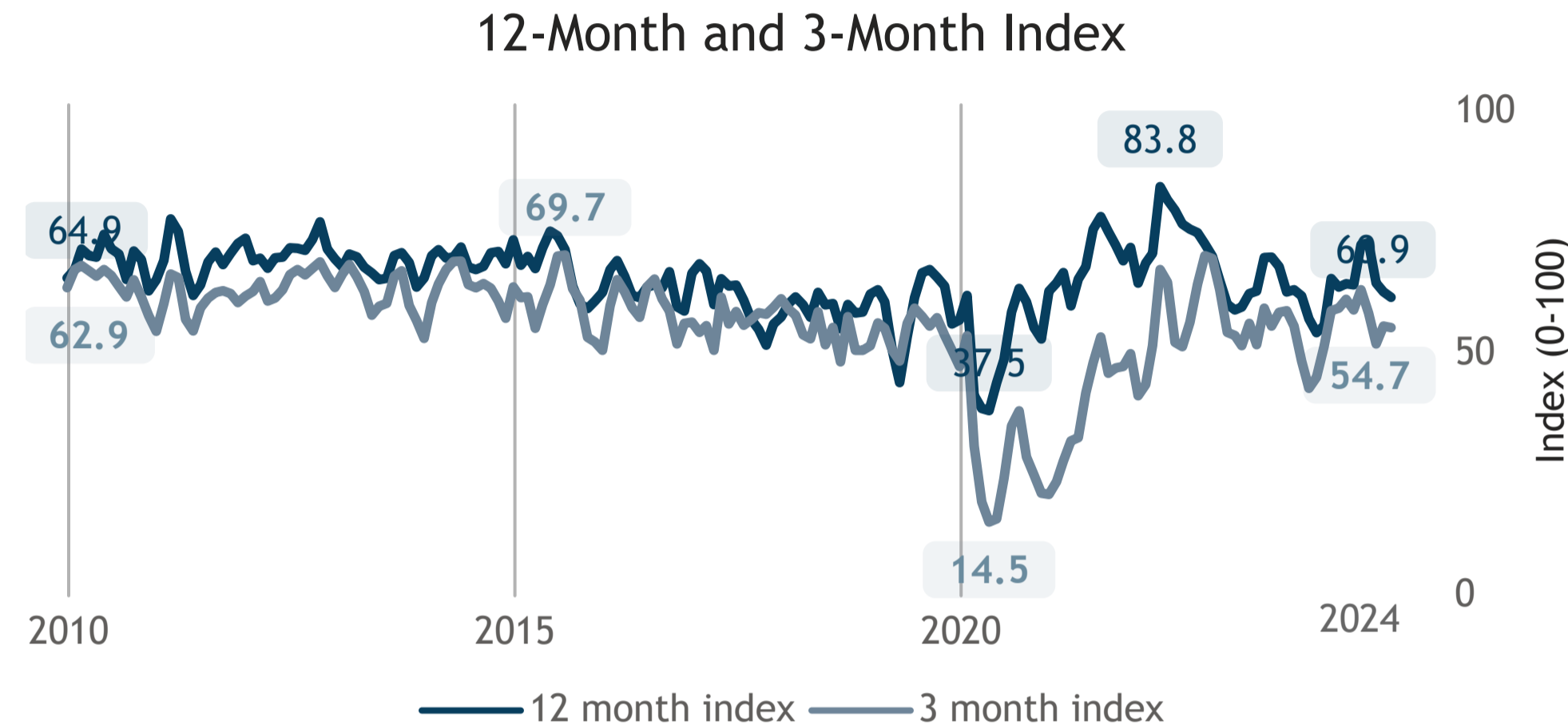
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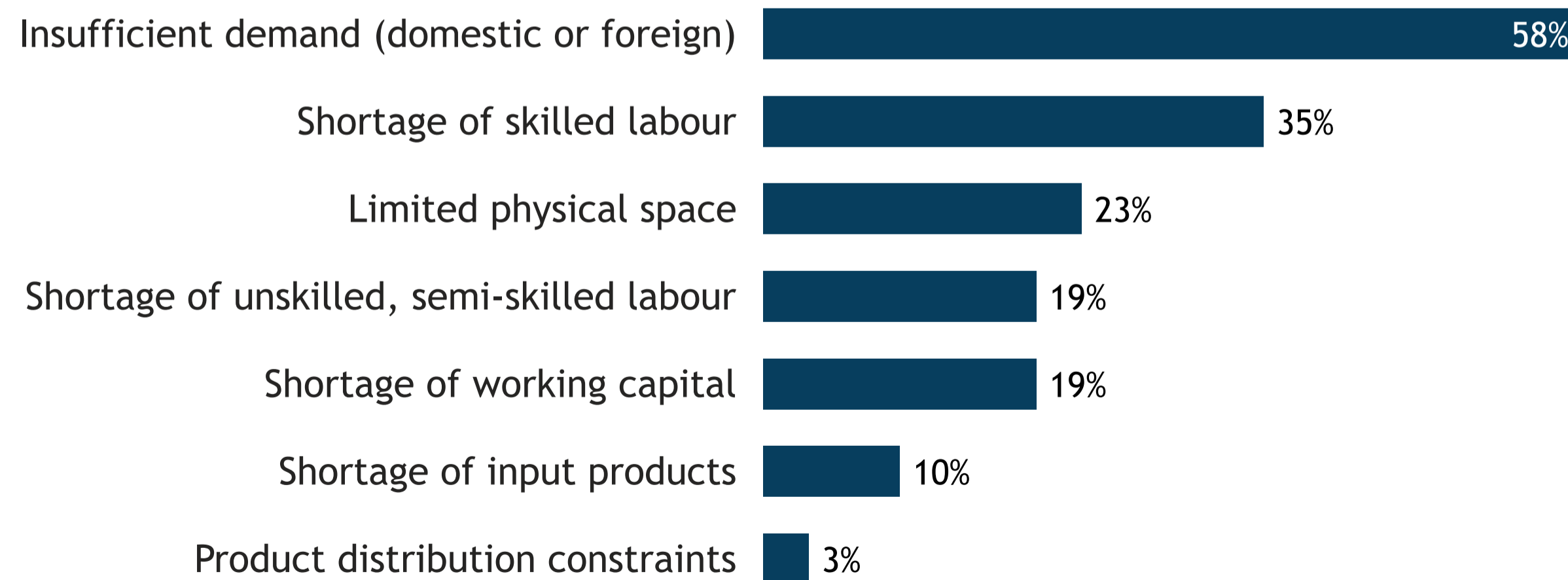
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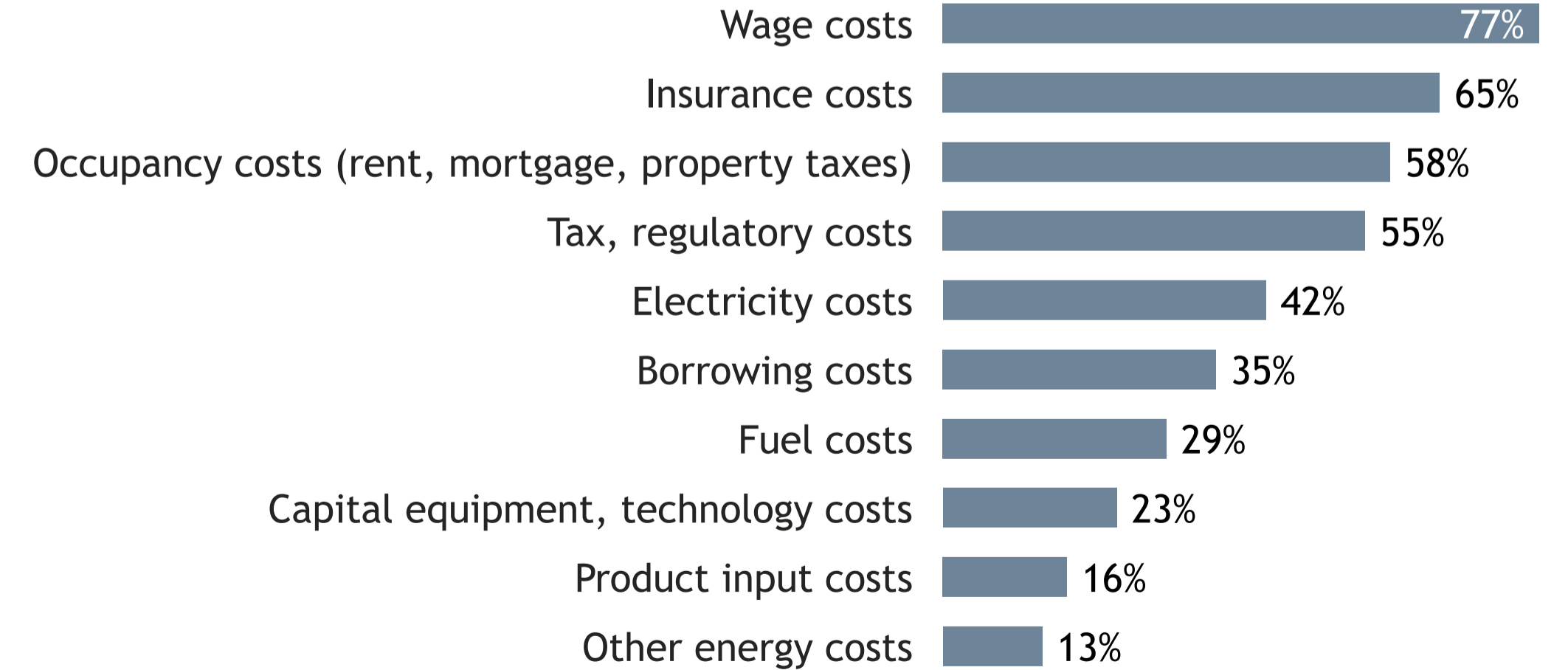
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Limitations on sales or production growth



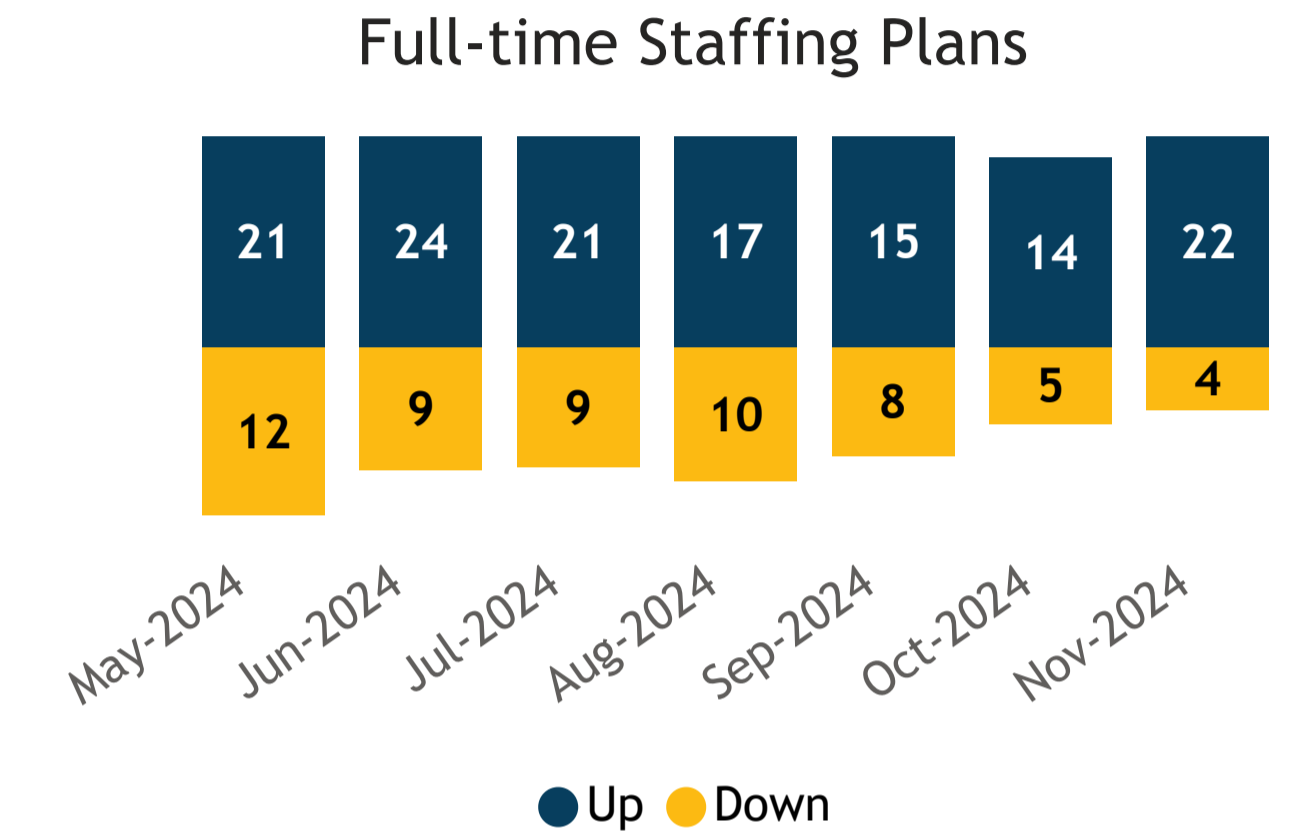
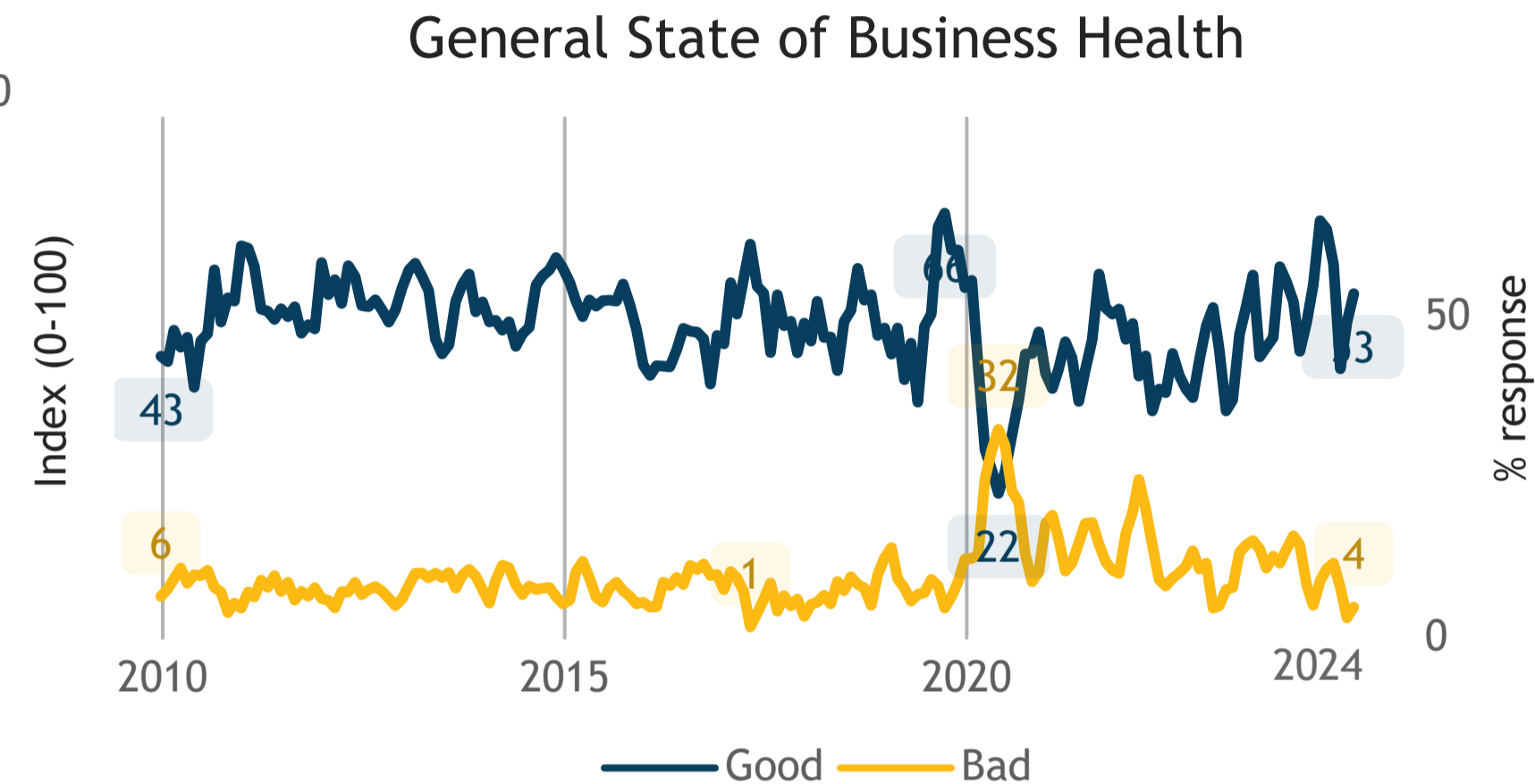
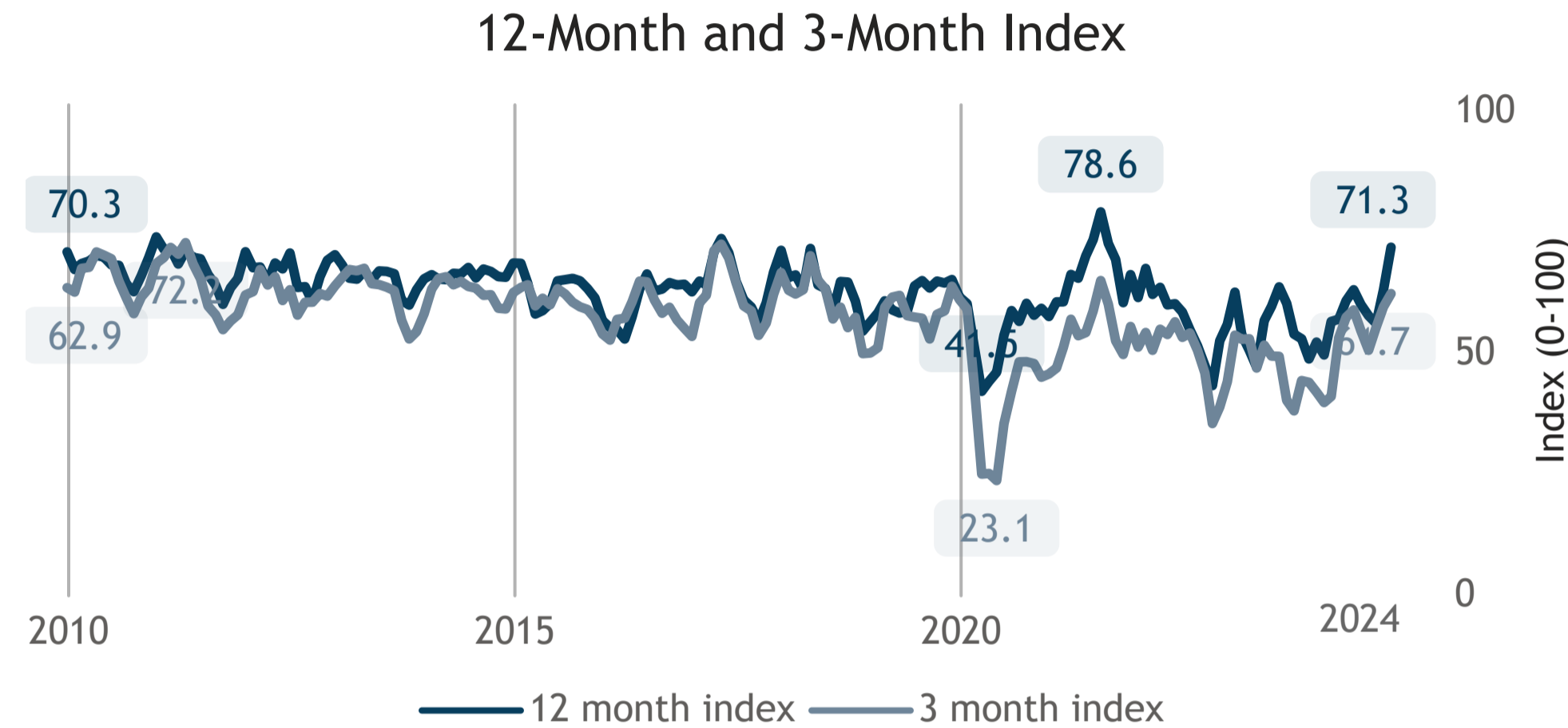
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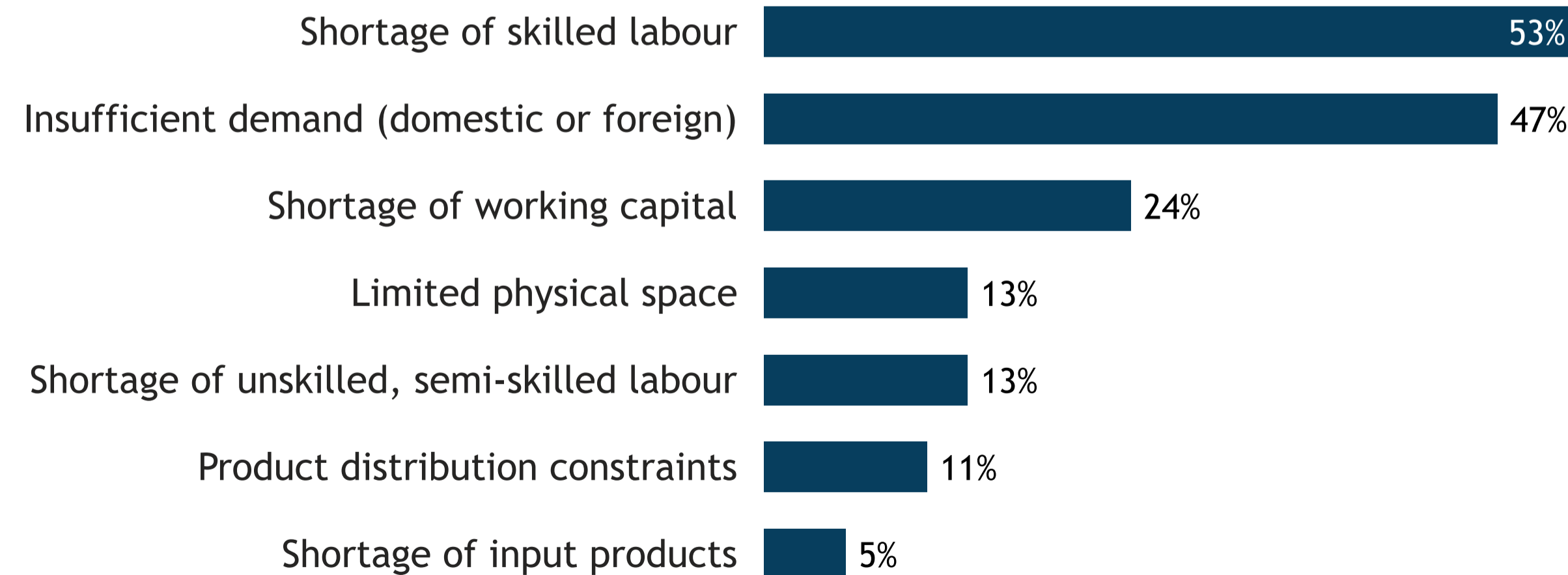
Business Barometer®: Finance, Insurance, etc.

Responses: 47

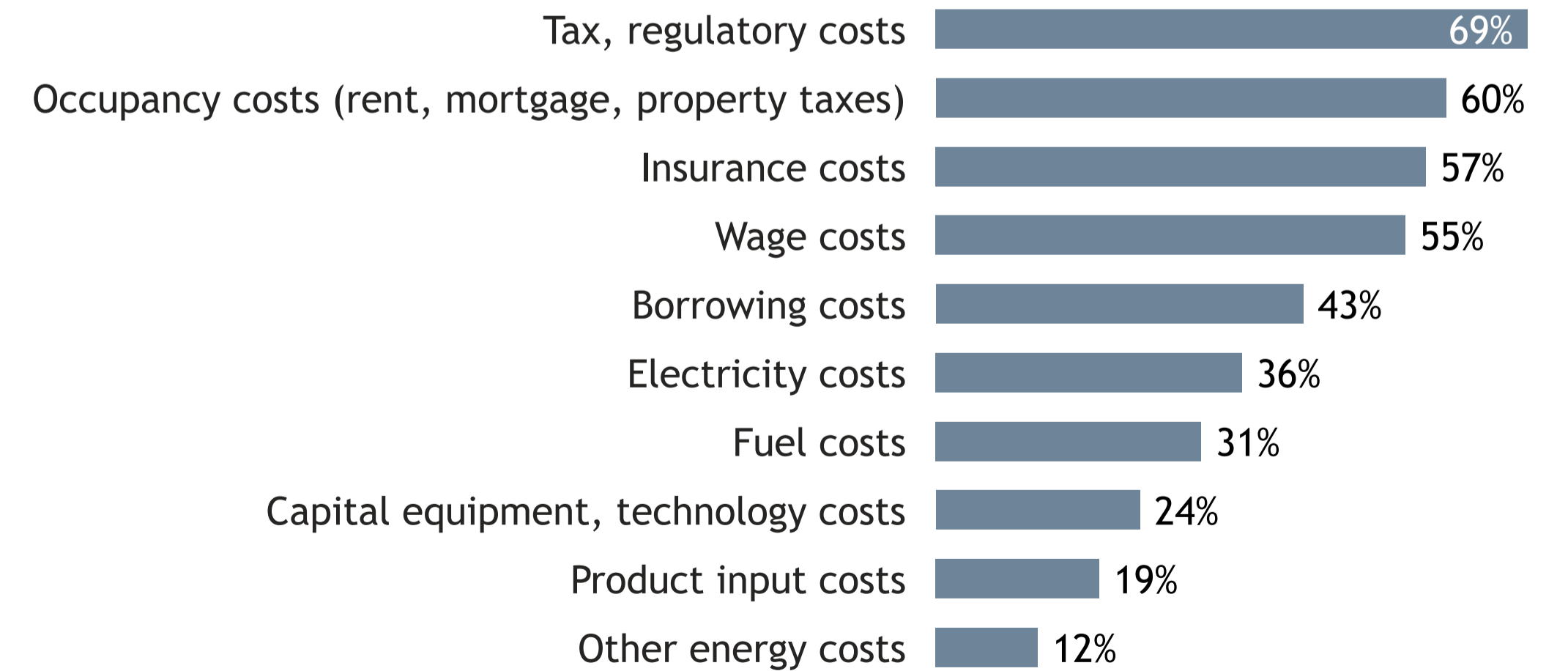
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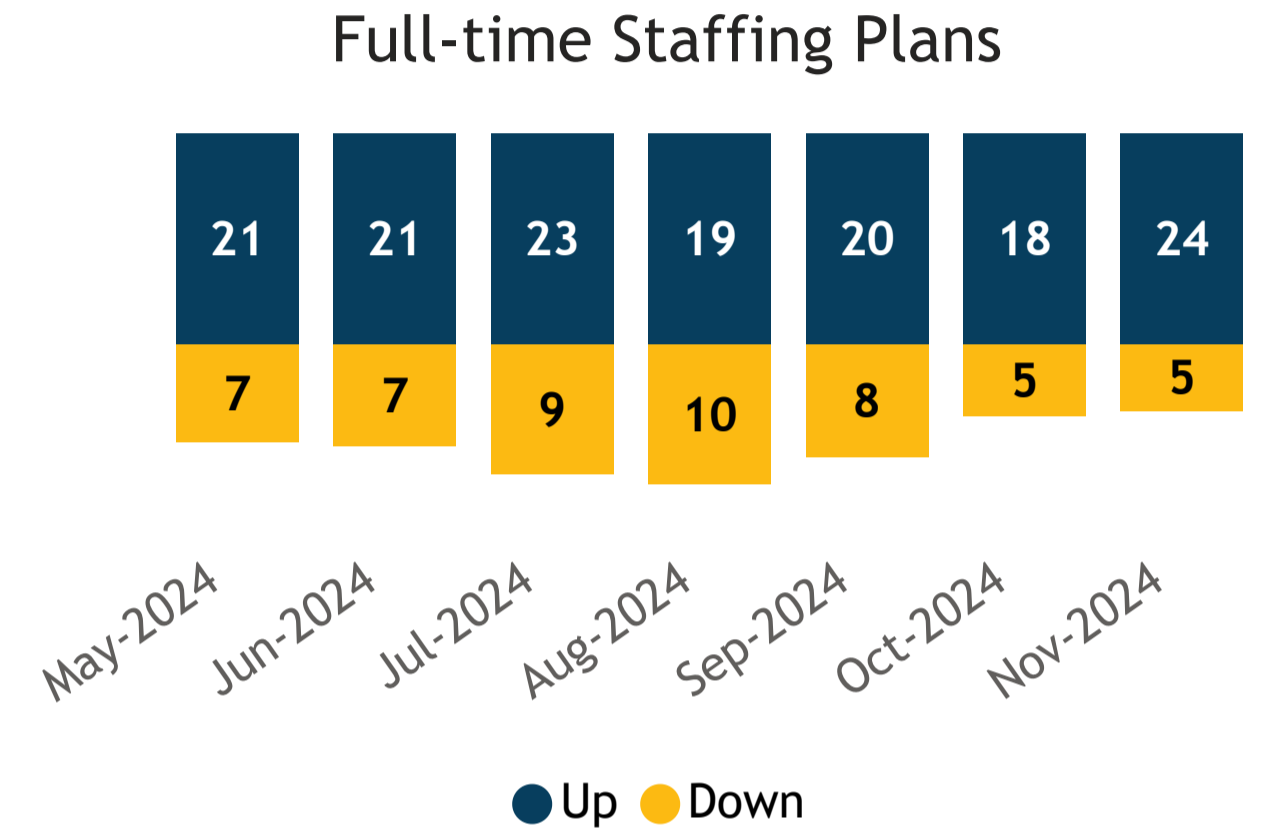
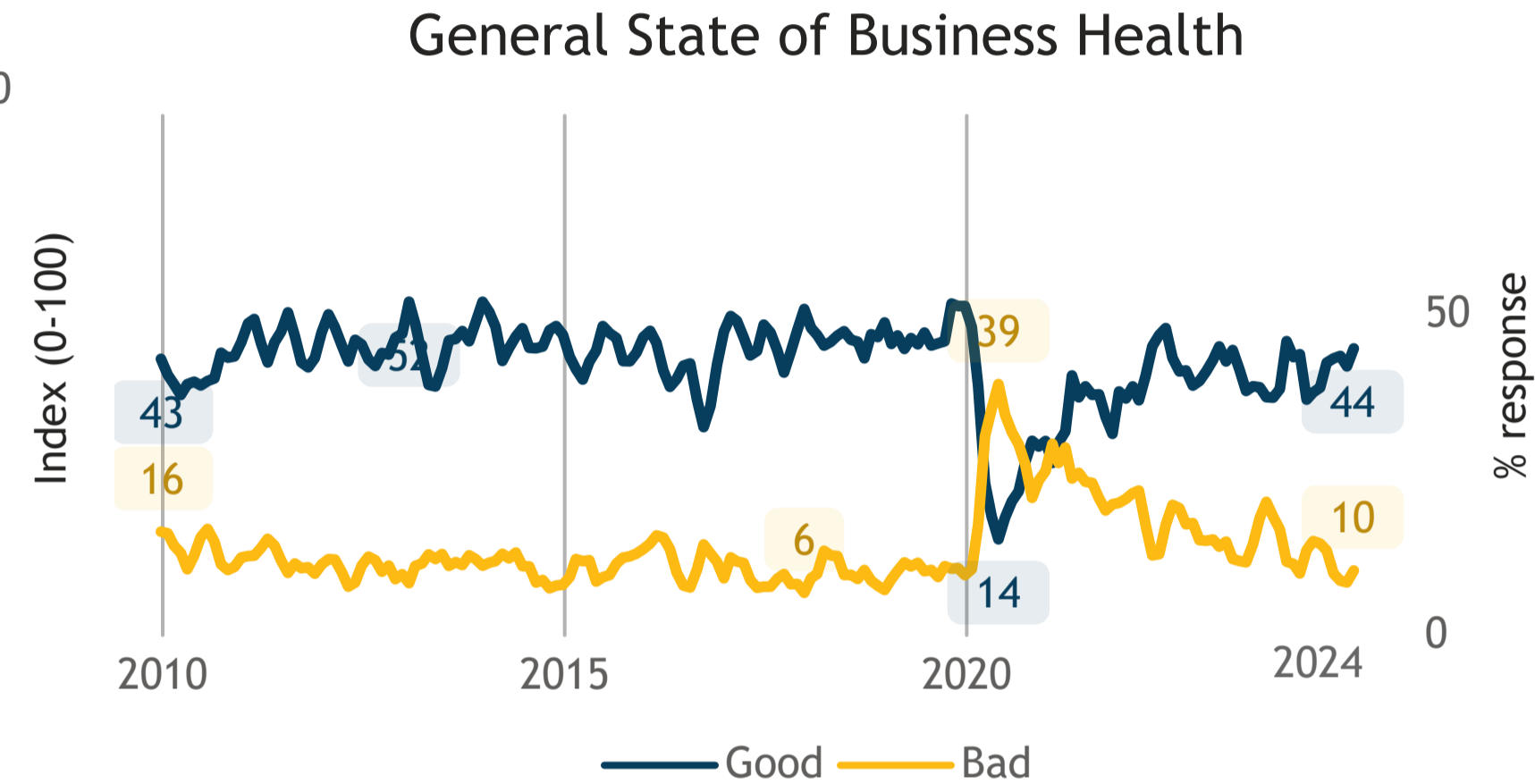
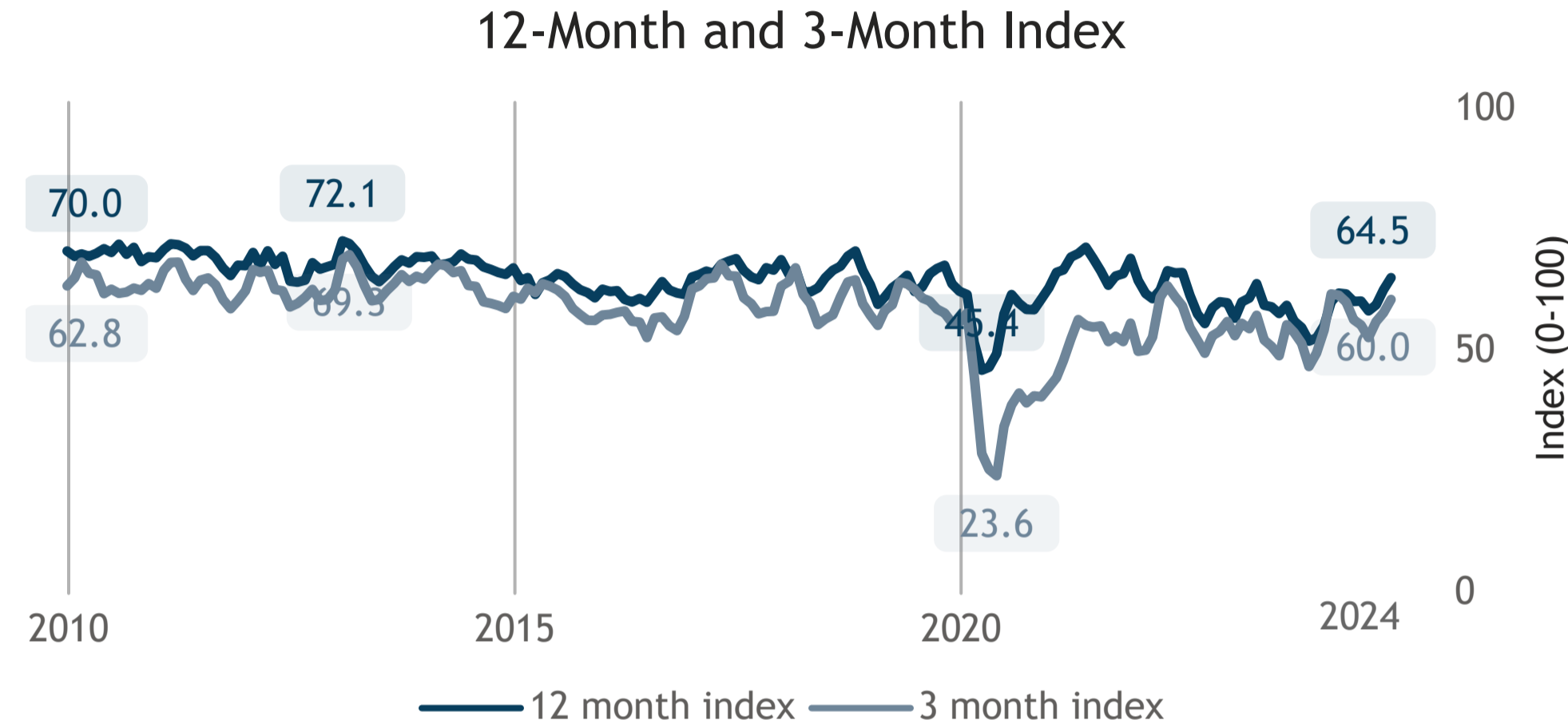


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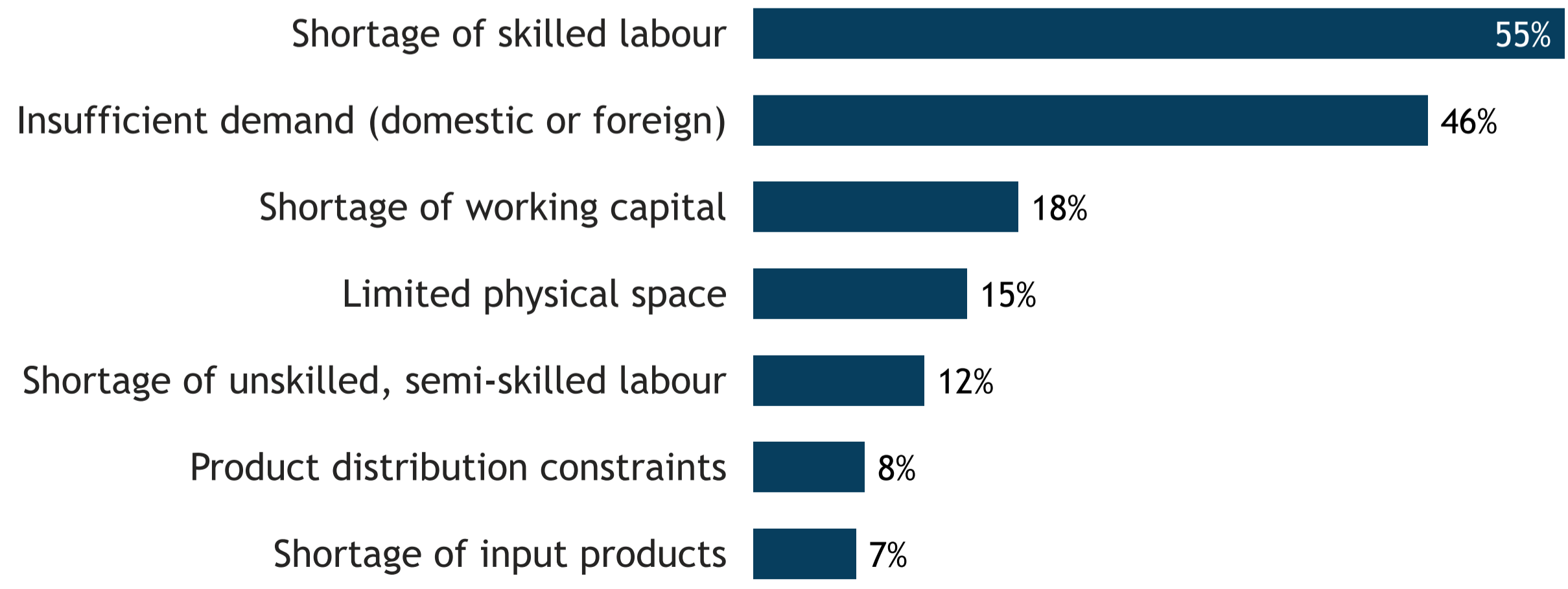


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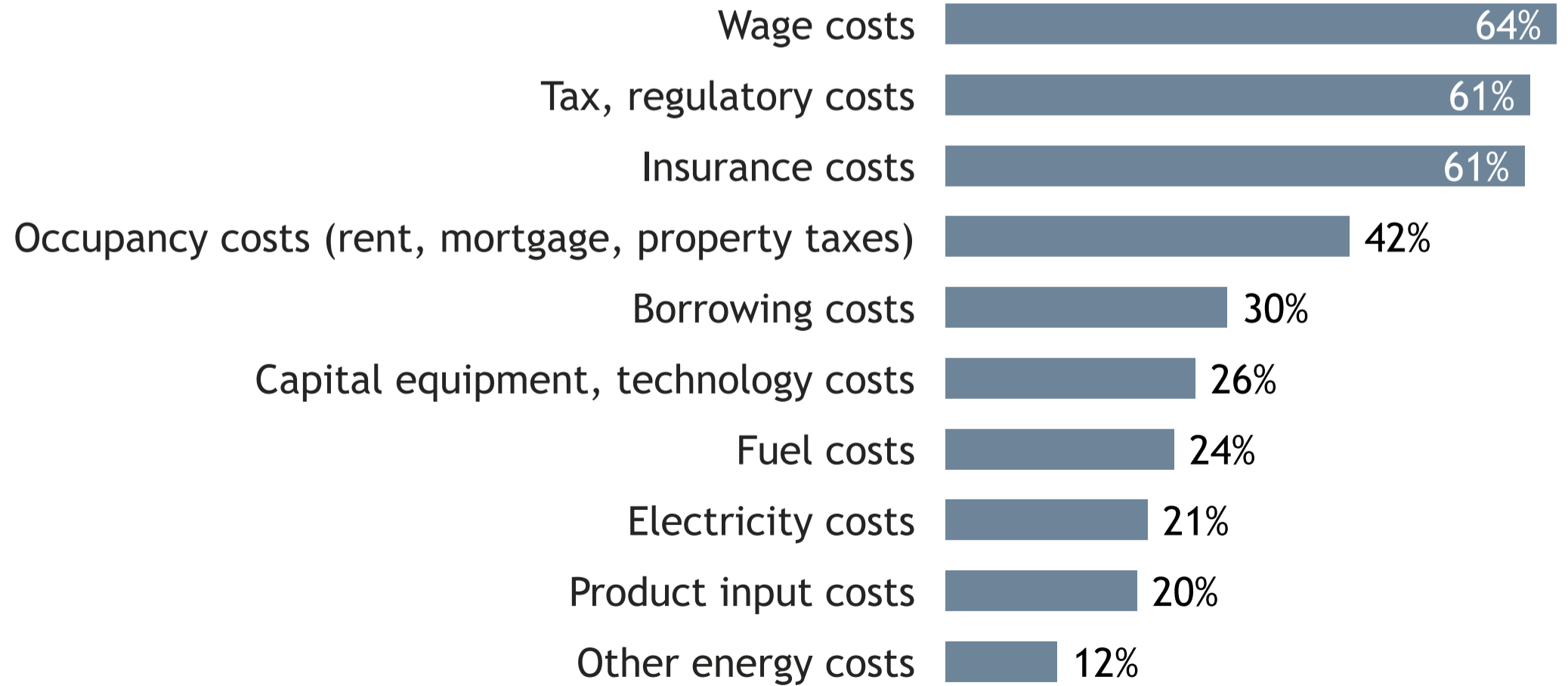
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Limitations on sales or production growth



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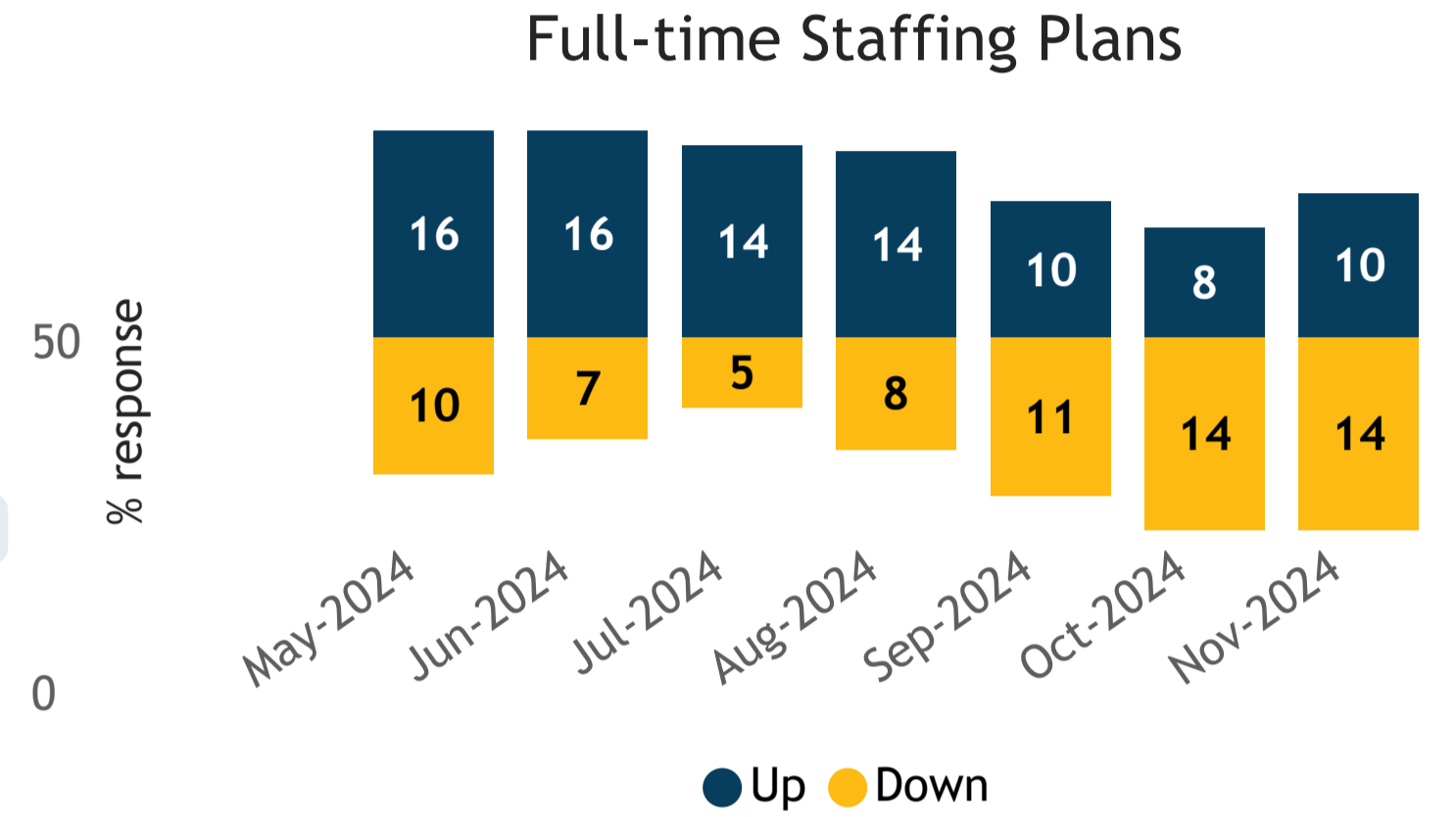
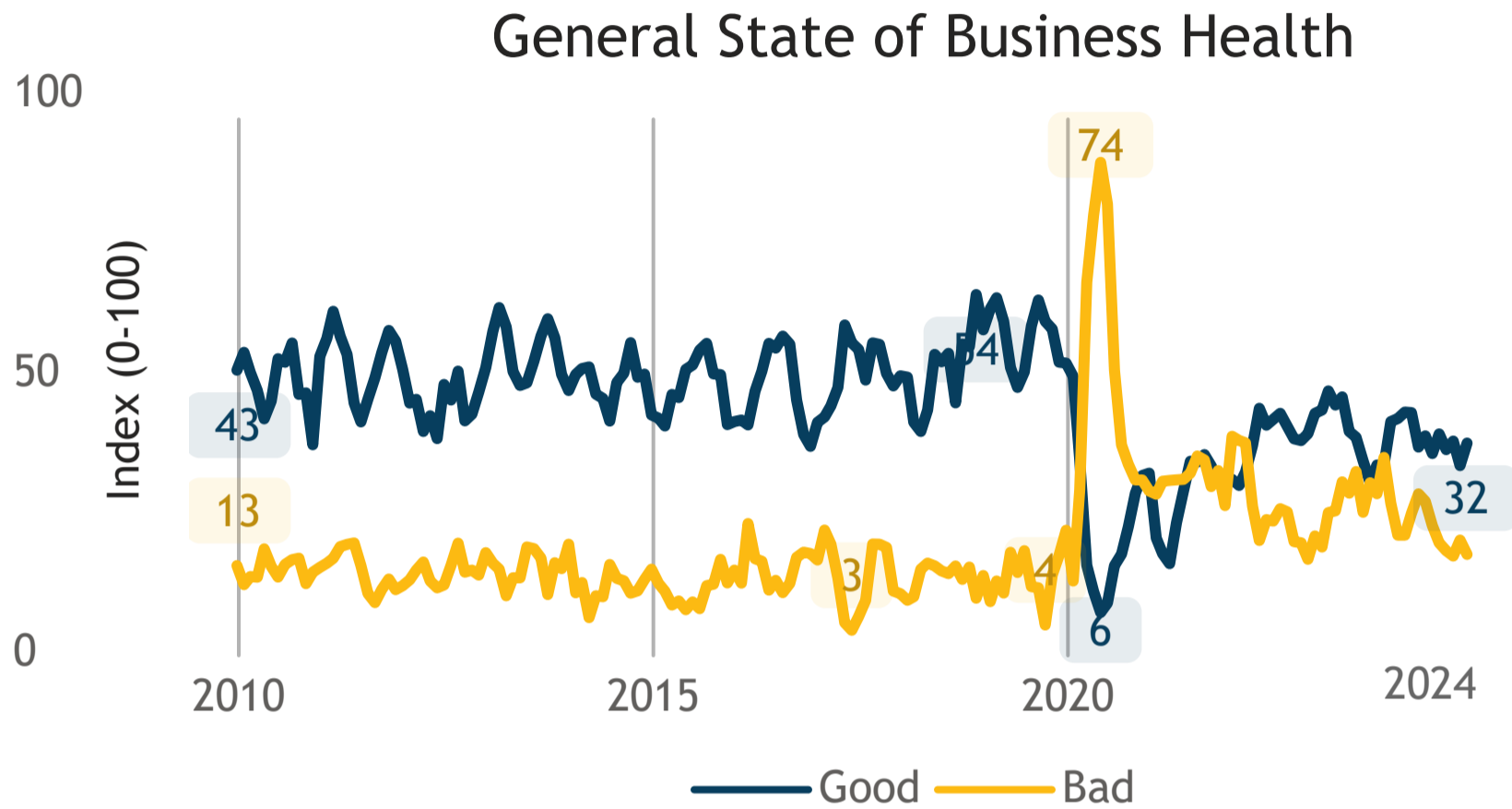
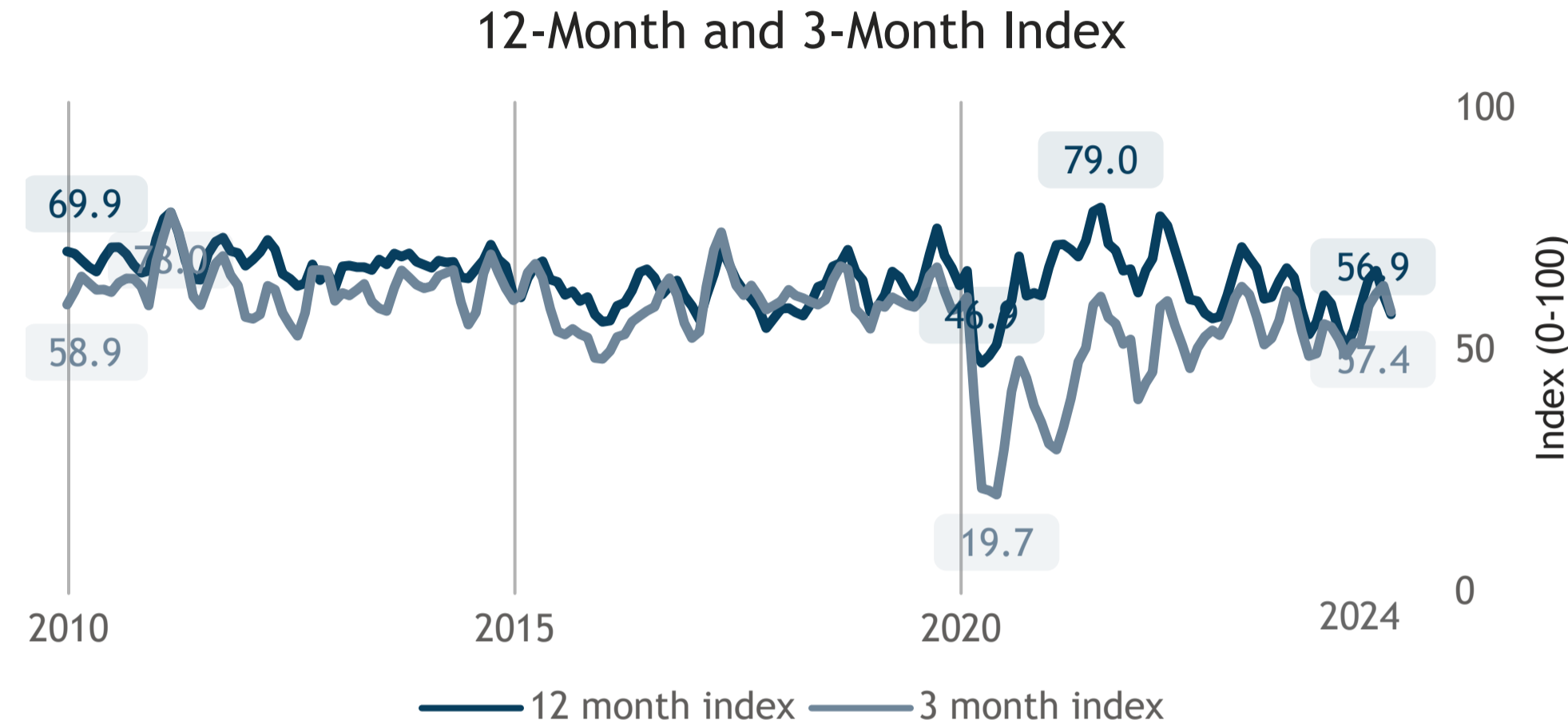


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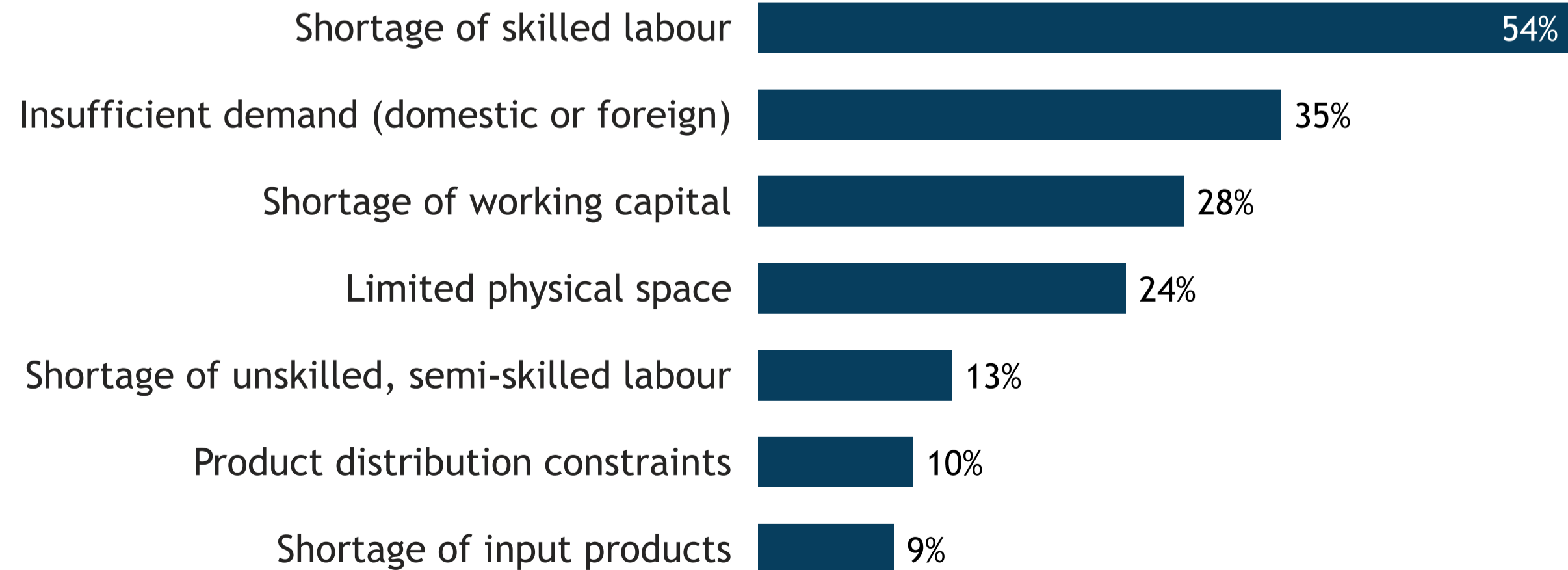


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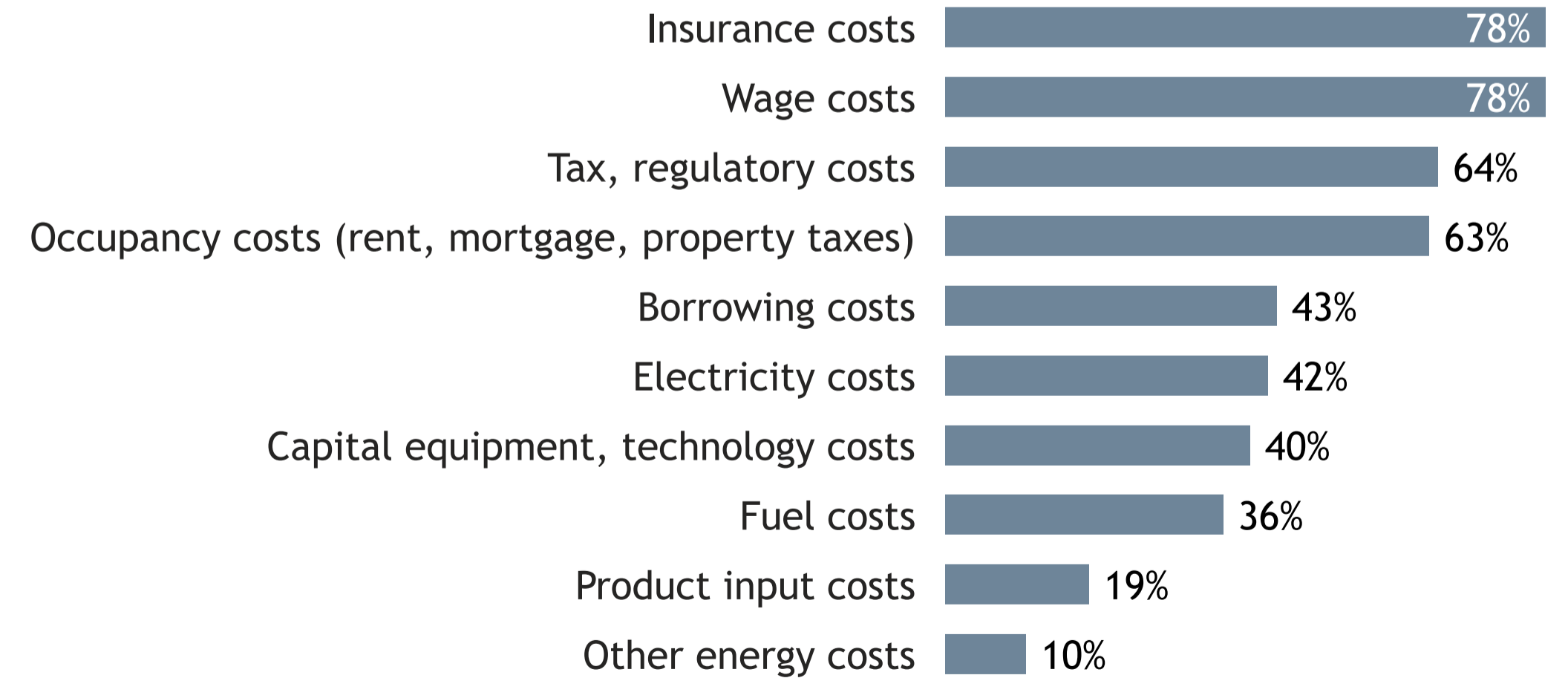
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Limitations on sales or production growth



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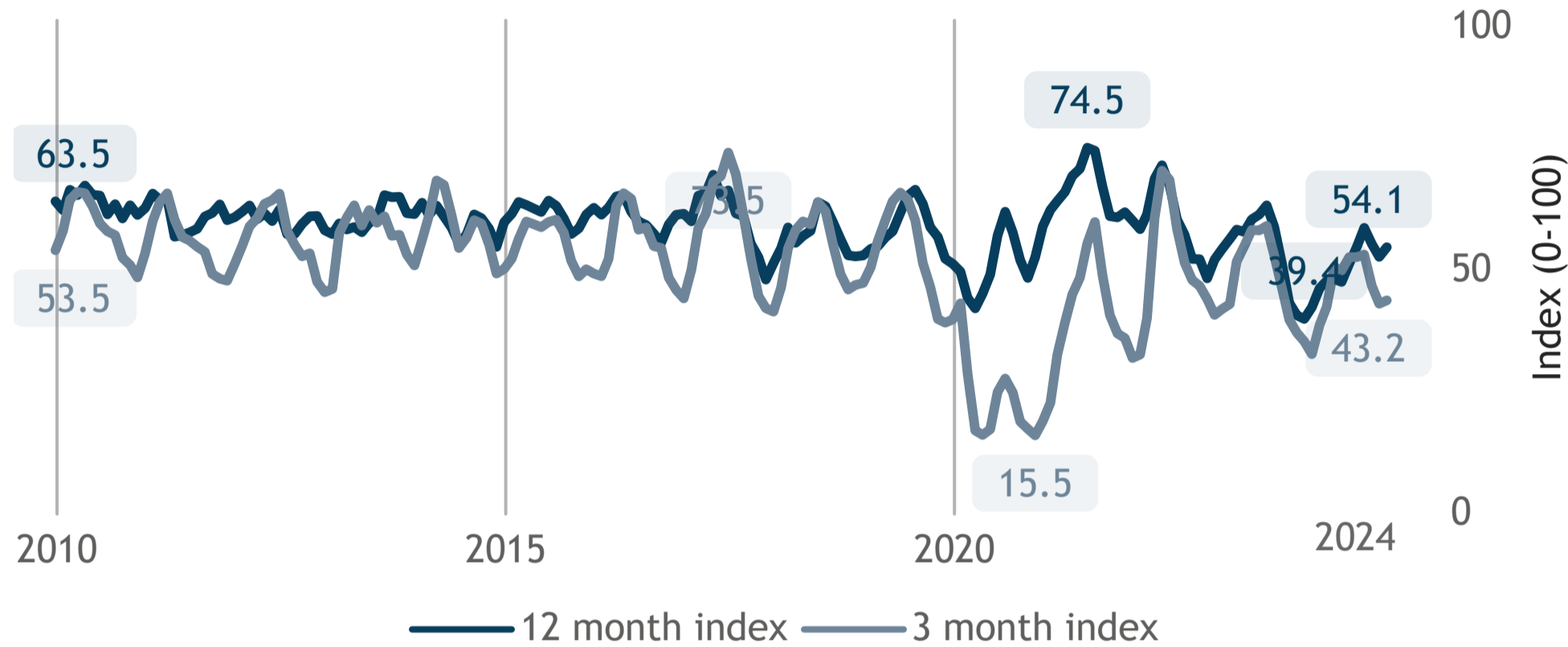


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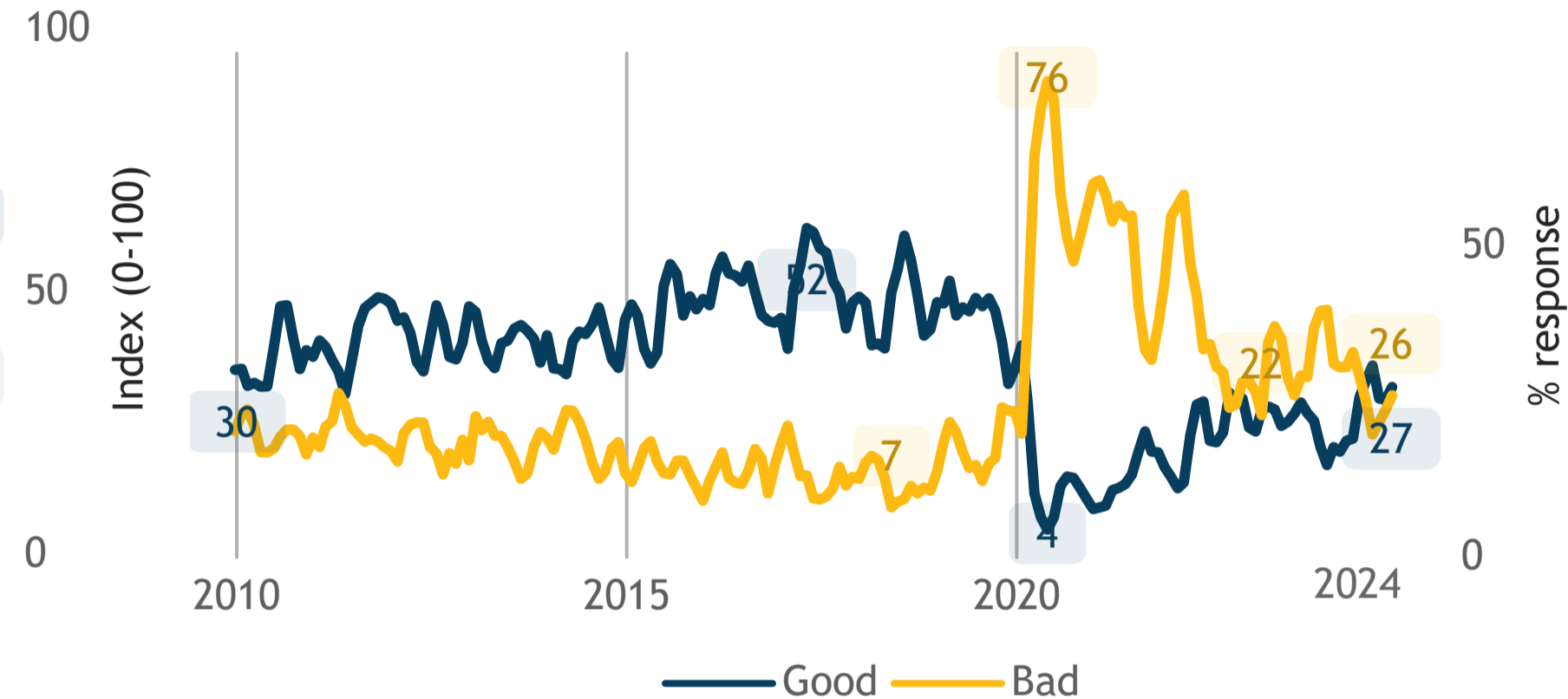
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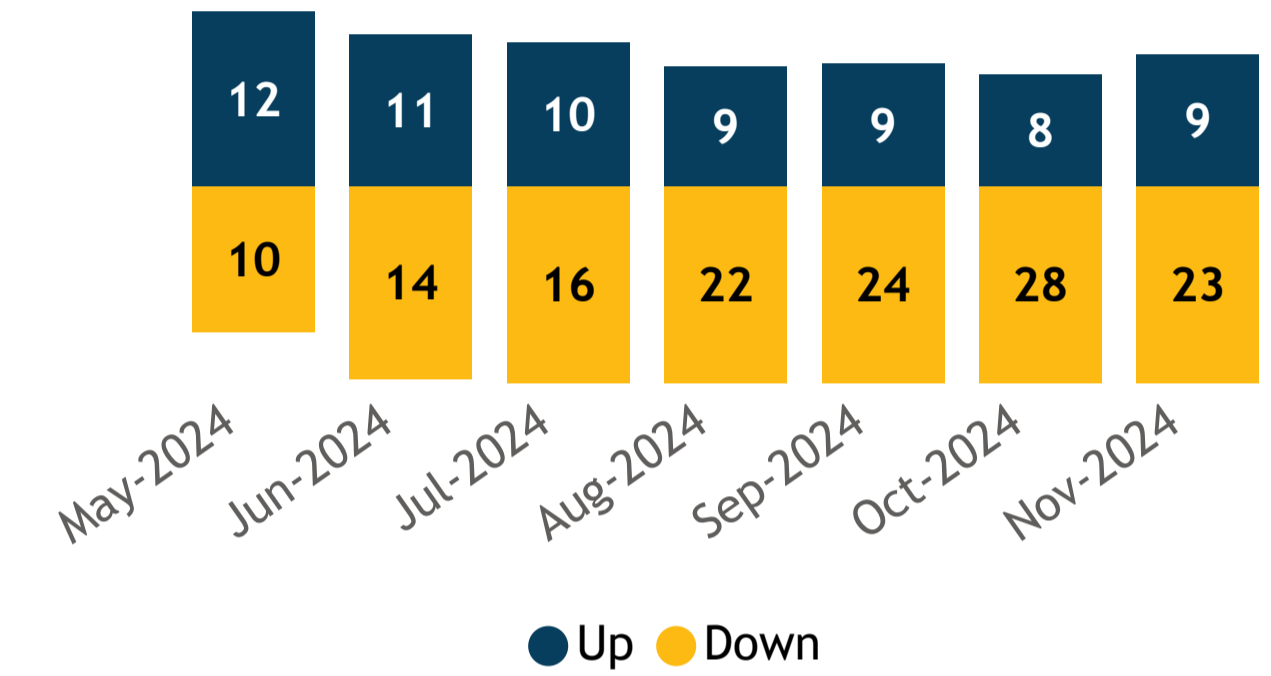
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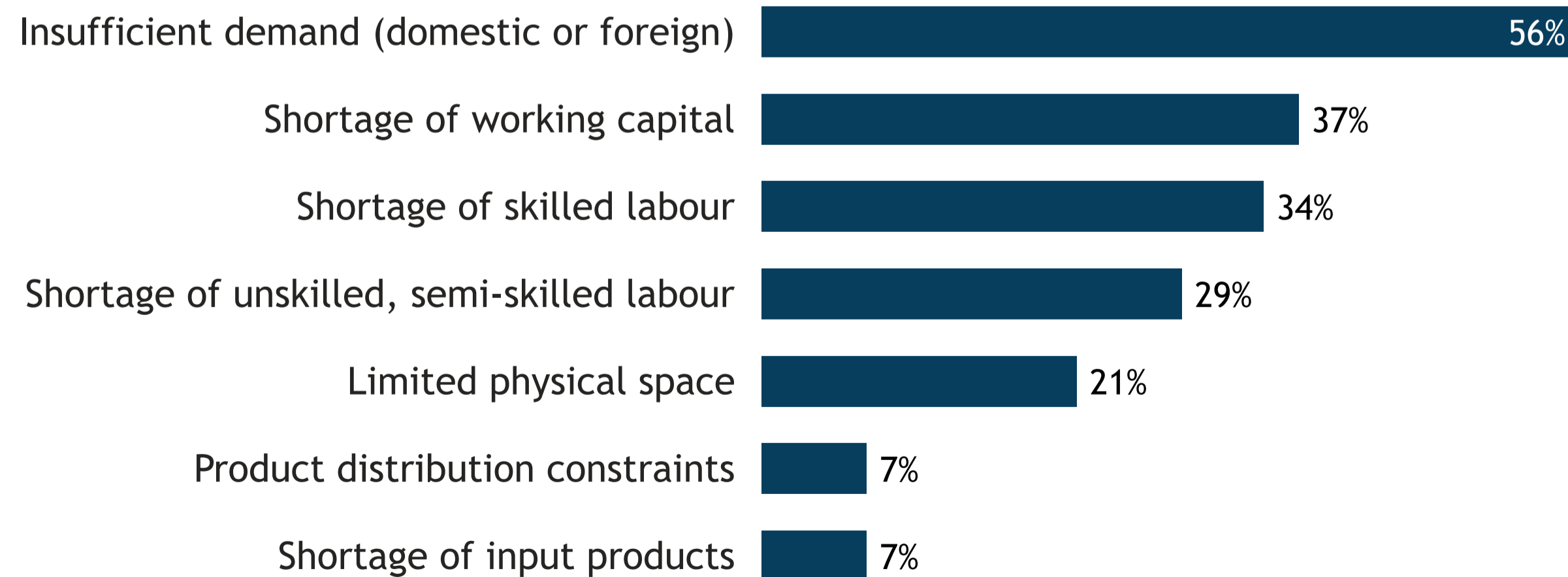
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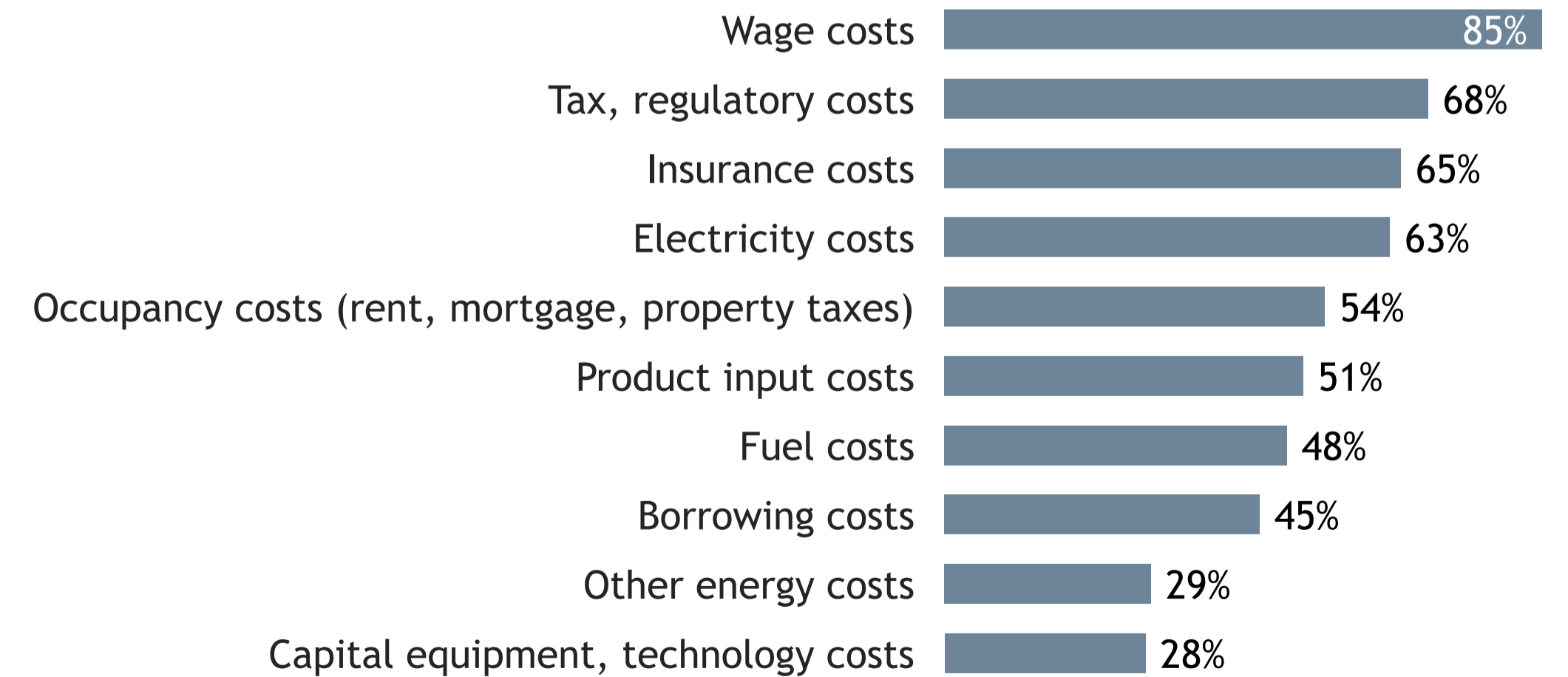
Full-time Staffing Plans



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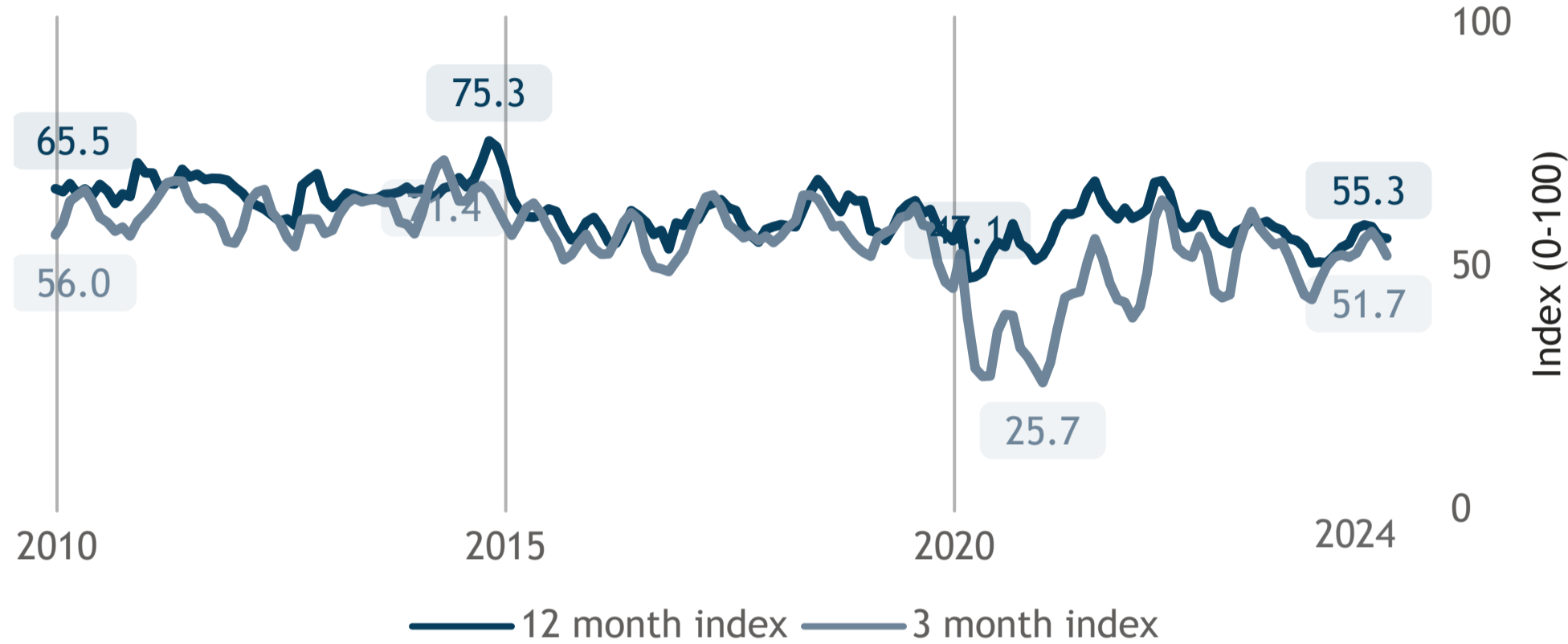


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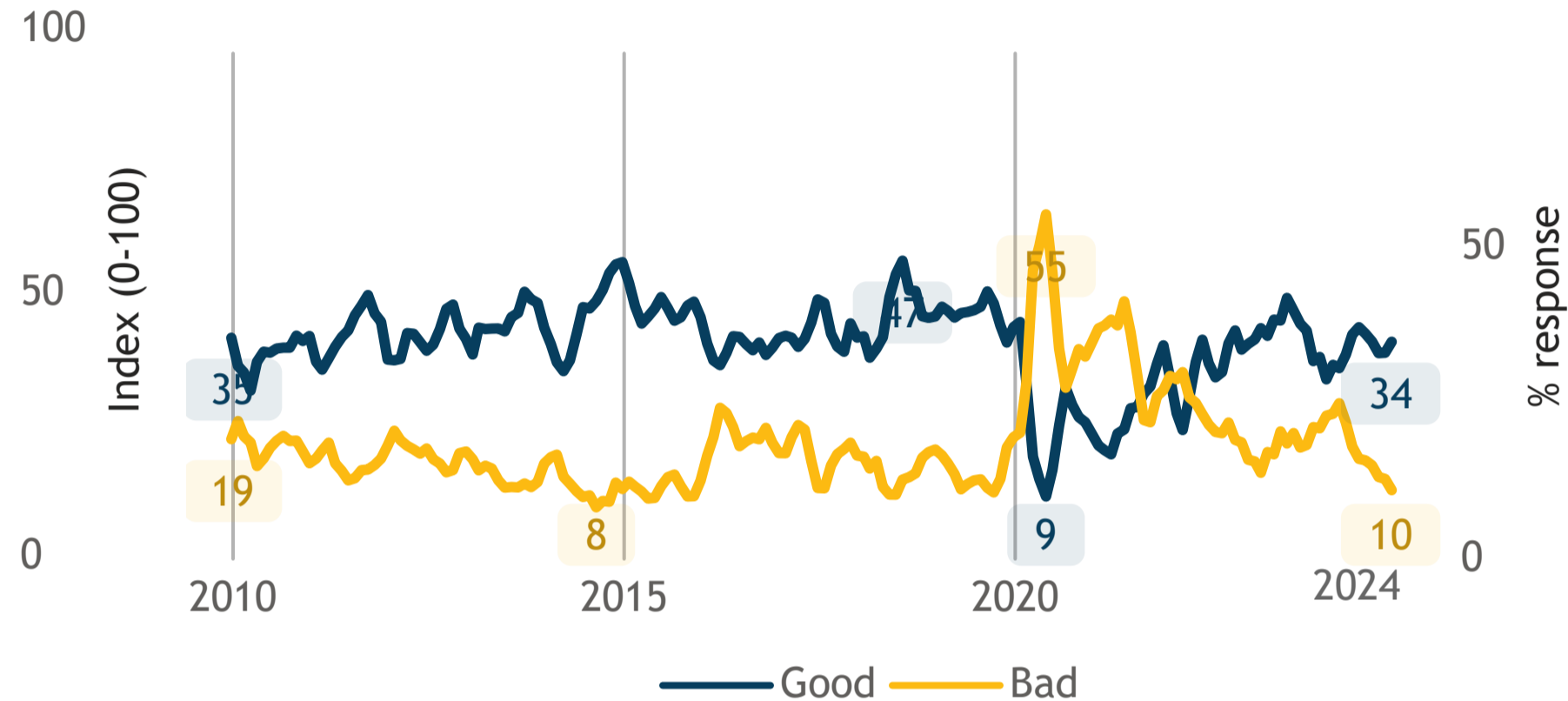
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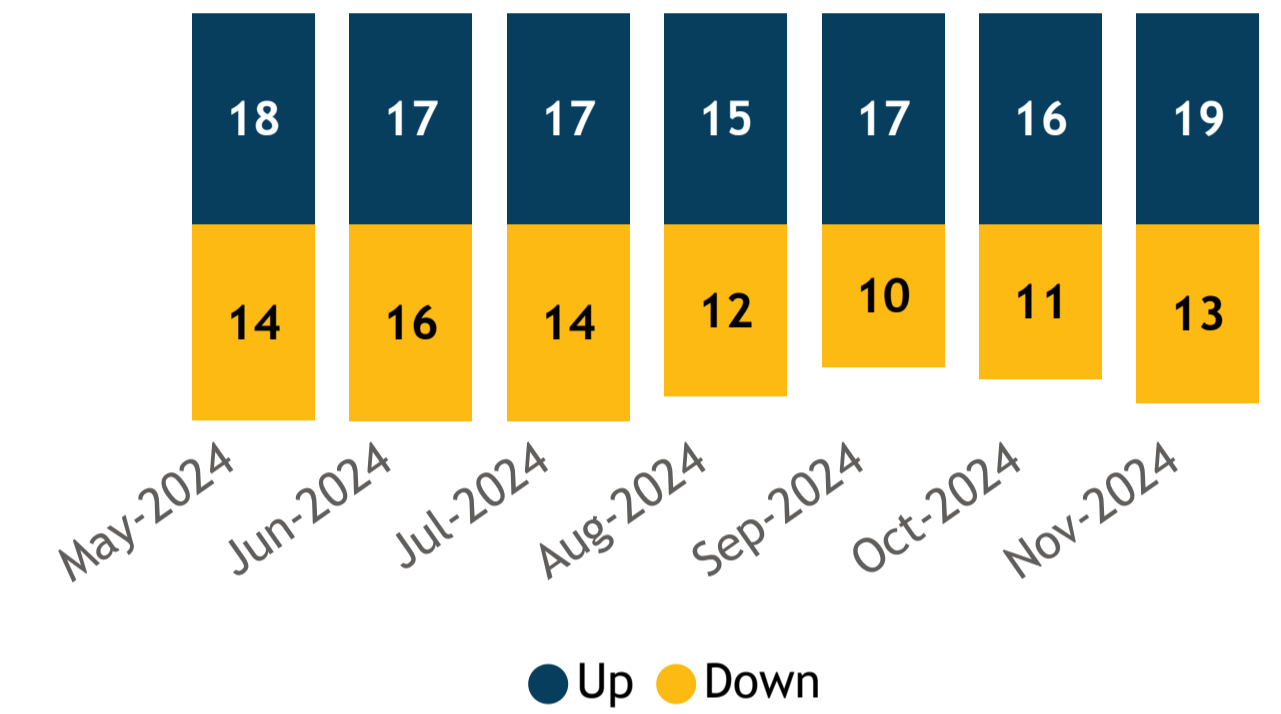
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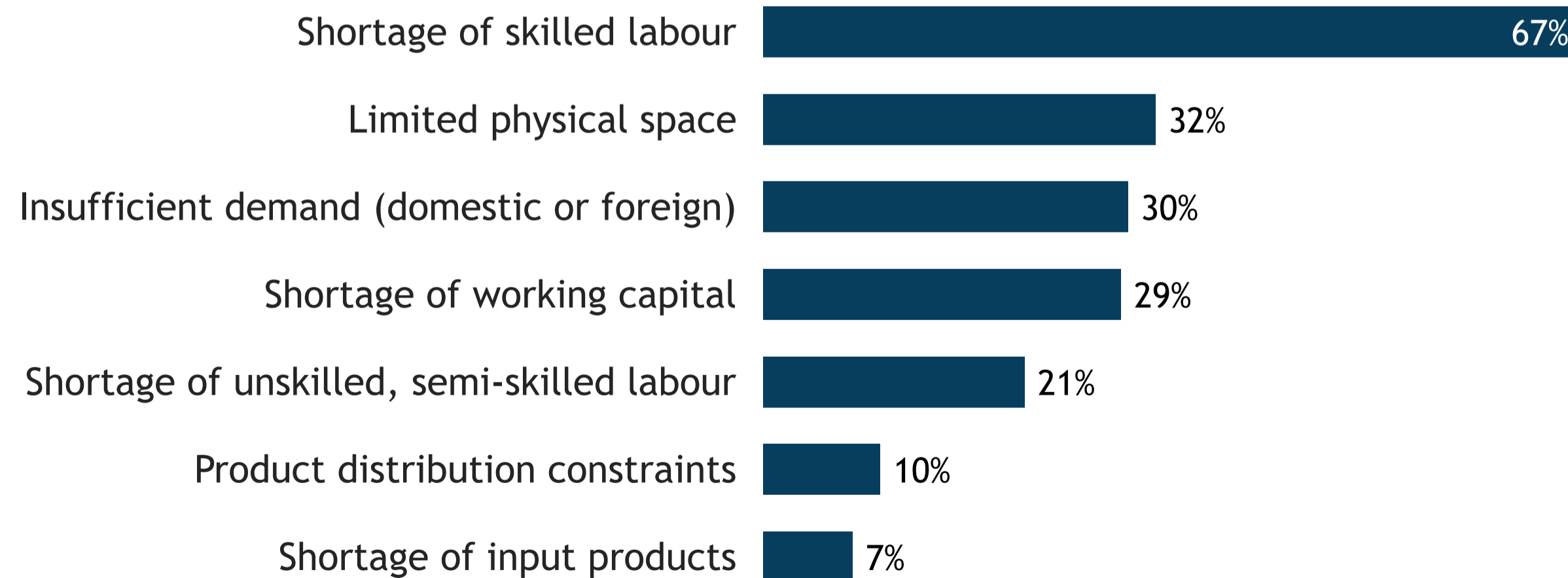
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Major input cost constraints

