

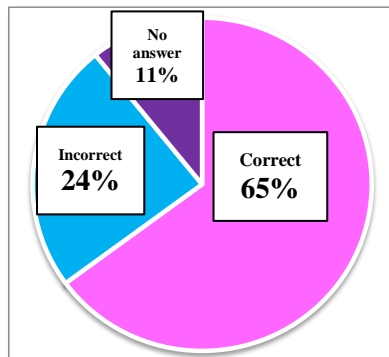
Summary of Results of 16th Soka Gakkai Chugoku Student Peace Committee Survey

Q1. Do you know the exact dates of the bombings of Hiroshima and Nagasaki? Please write down the dates.

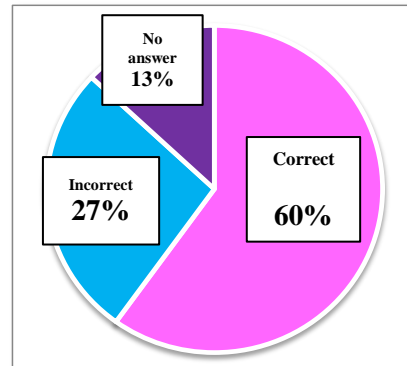
(The correct date for Hiroshima is August 6, 1945)

(The correct date for Nagasaki is August 9, 1945)

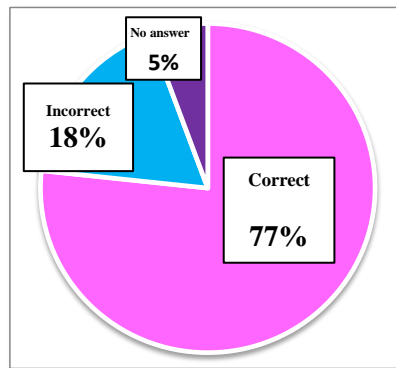
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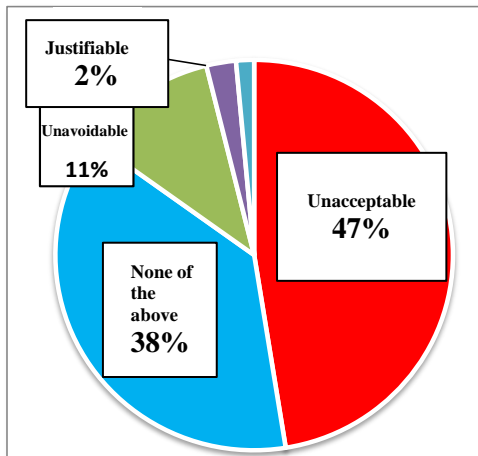


<Students whose hometown is Hiroshima>

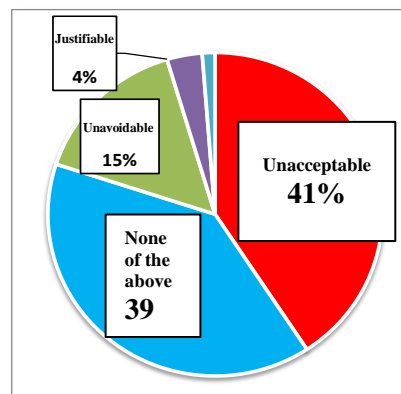


Q2. What is your opinion of the atomic bombing of Hiroshima and Nagasaki?

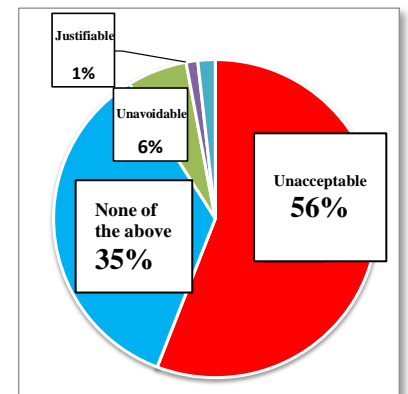
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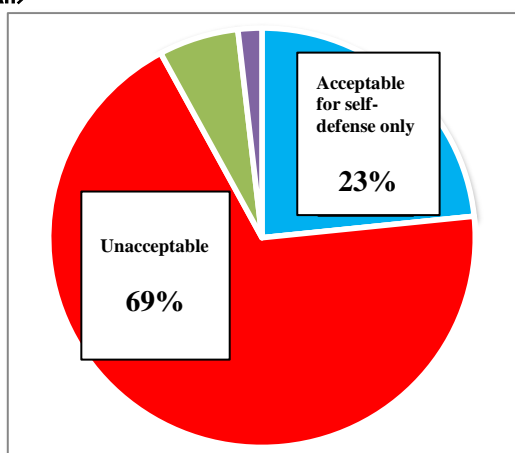
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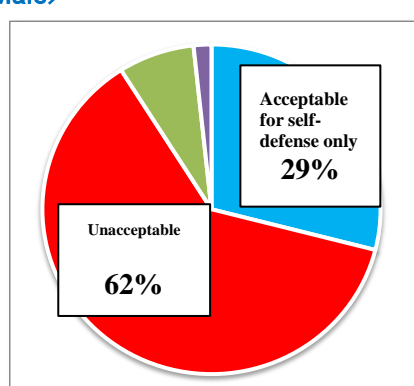
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Q3. What is your opinion of the existence of nuclear weapons?

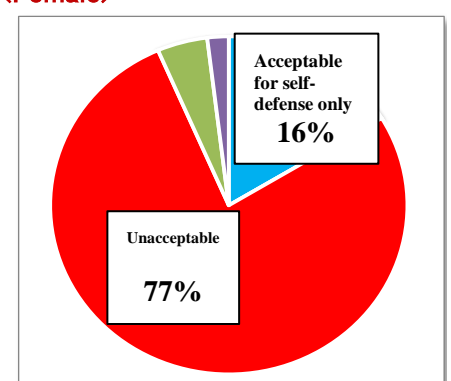
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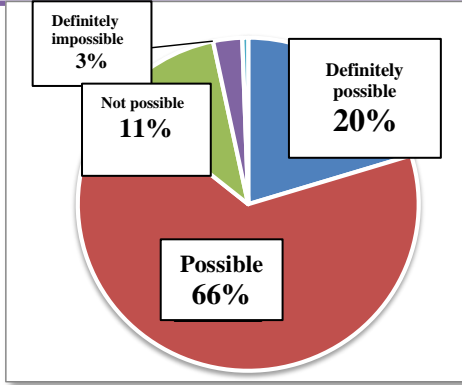
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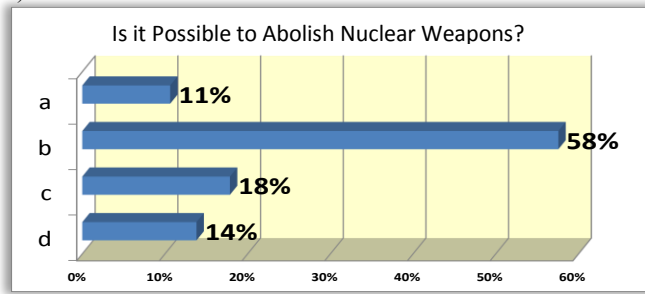
Q.4 Do you think there is a possibility that nuclear weapons will be used in war or conflict in the future?

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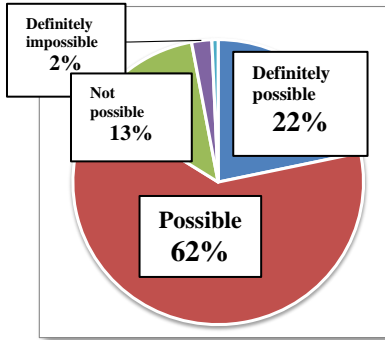


Q.5 Do you think it is possible to abolish nuclear weapons?

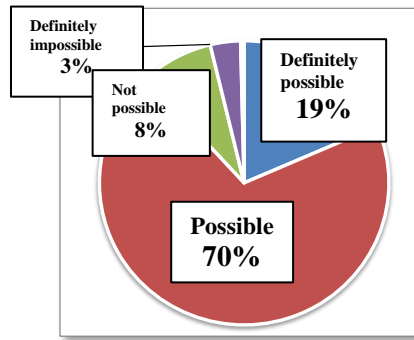
- a) Nuclear abolition is possible
- b) Abolition is not possible but preventing proliferation is possible
- c) Even preventing proliferation is impossible
- d) Don't know



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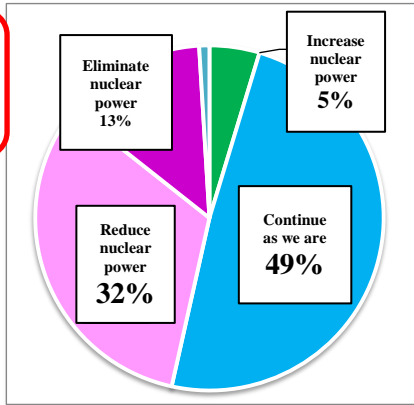


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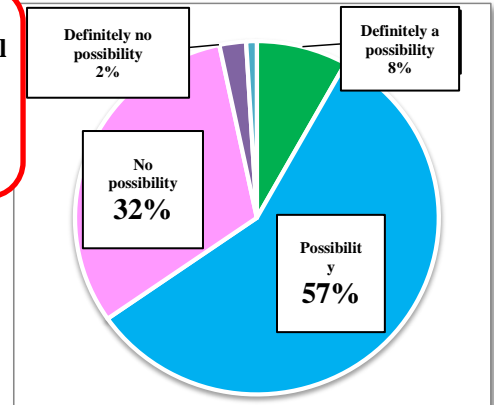


**86% of students think nuclear weapons will be used in the future. This is 9% more than last year's result. 84% of male students and 89% of female students answered there is a possibility that nuclear weapons will be used in the future. Both figures have increased since last year.*

Q.6 What do you think we should do about nuclear power in Japan?

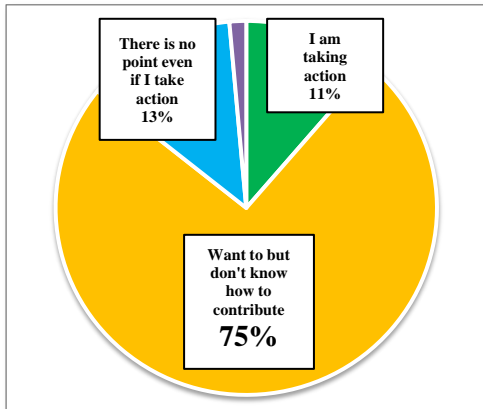


Q.7 Do you think nuclear weapons proliferation will increase as a result of a policy of promoting nuclear power?

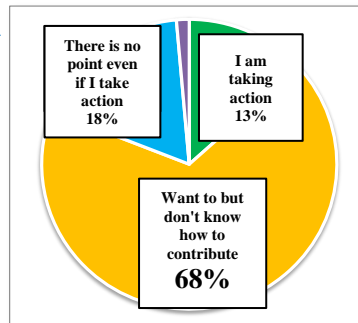


Q.8 Are you taking action to contribute to peace?

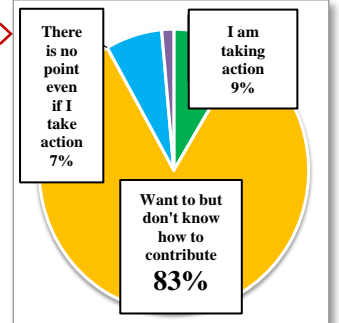
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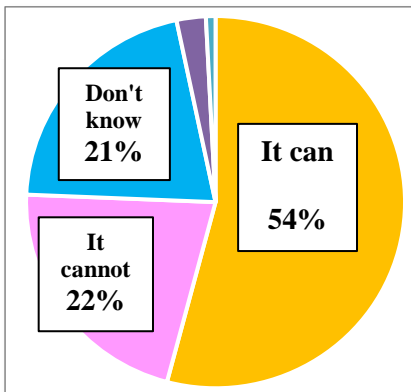
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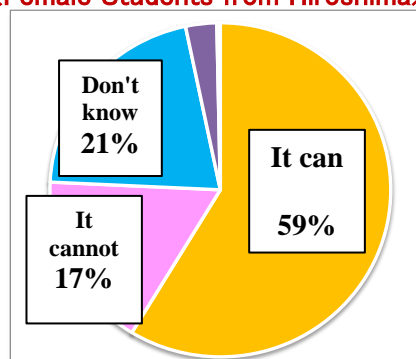
**68% of male students and 83% of female students answered, "I want to contribute but don't know how." On the other hand, 18% of males answered, "There is no point even if I take action."*

Q.9 Do you think a movement toward nuclear abolition can arise out of a process of dialogue?

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<Female Students from Hiroshima>



**54% of students think a movement toward nuclear abolition can arise out of a process of dialogue. Almost half think that it cannot. About 60% of female students from Hiroshima think it can.*