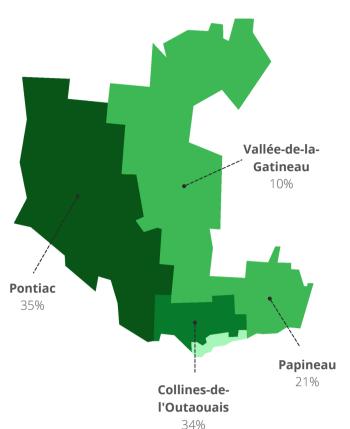
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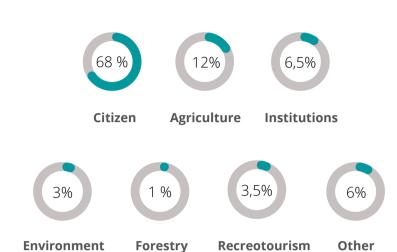
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RESPONDENTS



PROFILE



For representativeness reasons, the subsequent data was analyzed for all groups and industry sectors*.

REASONS TO VISIT











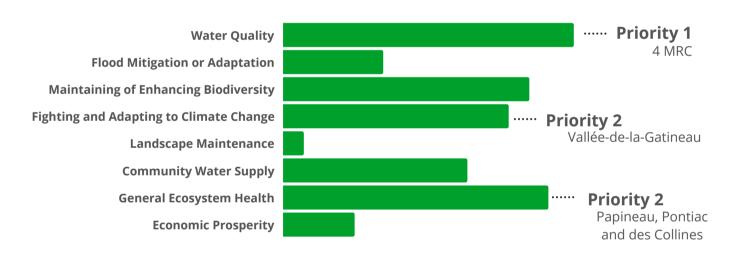


Relaxation

Sports

Residence

PRIORITY ISSUES



78%

of respondents wish to leave a healthy environment to future generations.





Hydrology

- > Water quality (color, temperature, sediments)
- > Water level
- > Bank erosion
- > Floods

CHANGES IN WETLANDS AND WATER BODIES



Biodiversity

- > Decline in animal biodiversity > Devegetation
- > Invasive species



- **Anthropogenic**
- > Pollution (physical and chemical waste, septic system)
- > Traffic
- > Construction
- Restrictions

^{*}We recognize the importance of distinguishing and considering issues related to different groups and industry sectors in the prioritization analysis. Subsequent public consultations will refine these issues as necessary.

