What is your main interest in the Southern Ocean? (Please use lowercase single words, e.g., "carbon" rather than "carbon cycle")

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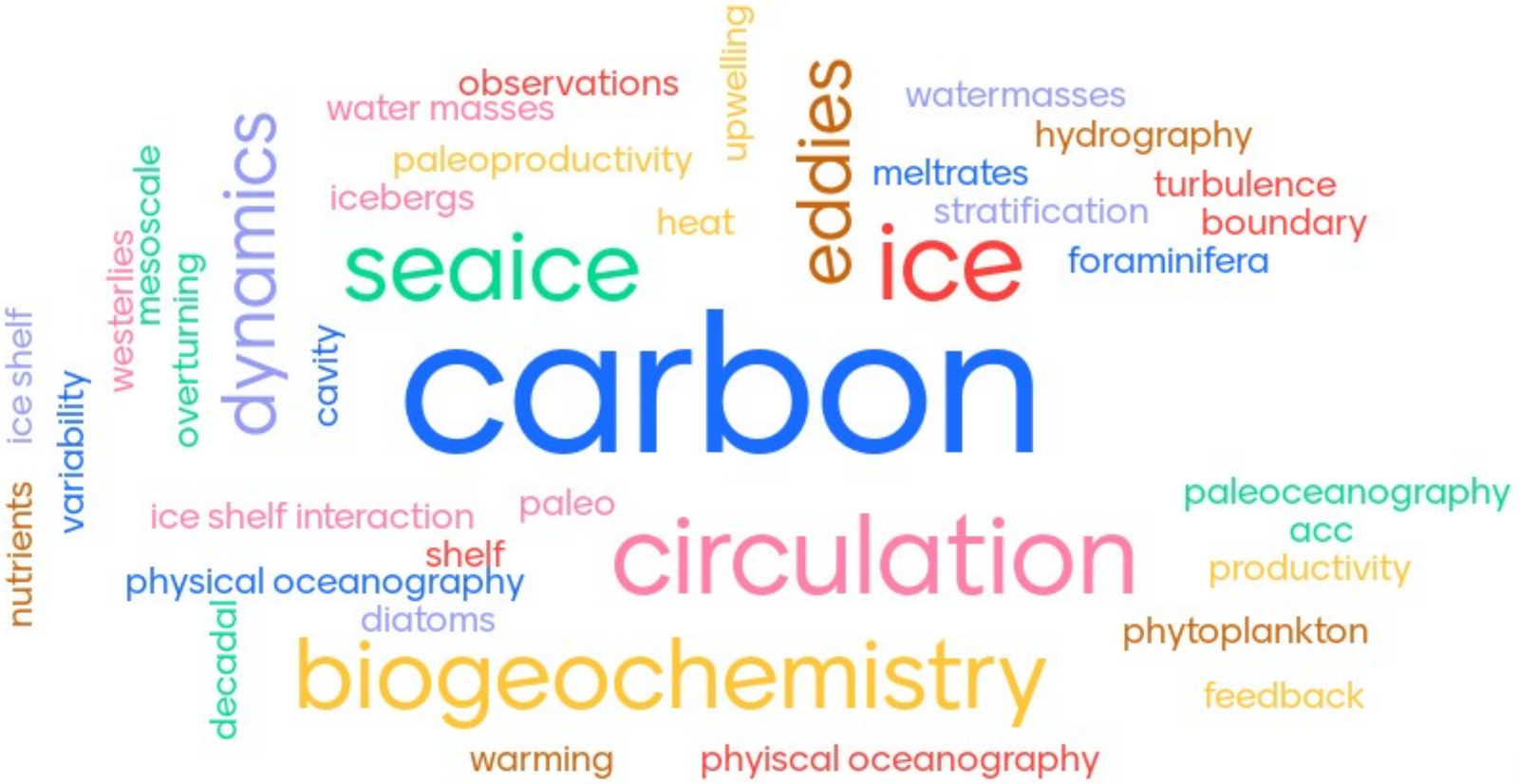

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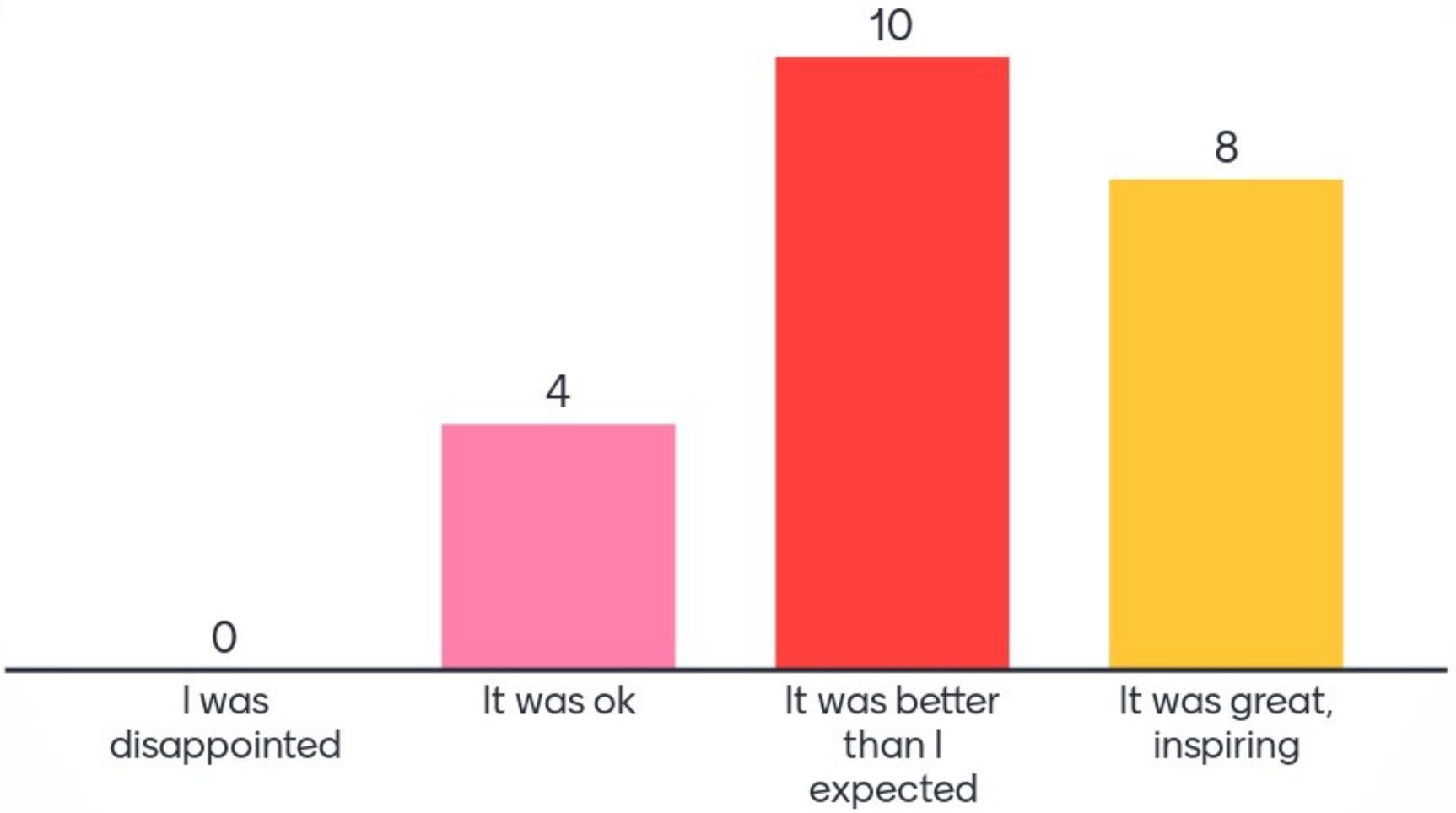
How did you like the session?



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It should be possible to better structure the chat next time, i.e. conveners should be able to group the displays in the discussion order, and it would be good to add replies directly to the questions. Maybe one could even tag displays.

Really great work by convenors keeping everything to time and everyone who contributed for making it so good!

Liked: social hour after the session. Content of the presentations. Improve: 5 minutes was too short a time window to engage with each presentation.

It appears to me that 5 minutes is a rather short time slot, also for typing answers and questions, so maybe one could think about something like 6 minutes..?

I found it easier to ask questions in the chat than I would in a big auditorium. In the future I wonder if it would be better to have chat on all the presentations simultaneously at a designated time (more like a poster session) using e.g. Slack

It was awesome.

No, I think it was as good as it could possibly be given the new adapted format

Questions via chat are great (should be possibly also in a physical conference). It is difficult for authors to respond that quickly in written form, at least the authors should have the option to talk.

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It was a great idea to have the coffee break and bar meet-up. I found the chats sometimes overwhelming, trying to untangle which question is being answered where, but this was not unique to this session, that was due to the new online format.

I liked the short summary of each author at the beginning of each presentation for everyone to know the keypoints. The organisation for questions could be improved, because the timing is a bit short th ask/answer all questions

I especially liked that you enabled social gatherings! Having Southern Ocean socials would be nice for physical conferences as well (if not already occuring).

I thought the coffee/bar sessions were great, almost better for networking as an ECR than a normal conference. The session could be improved if i'd looked at presentations beforehand (or longer/different format sessions)

The session was hard to follow as it was very fast-paced, but tremendous that it could happen at all - so thanks to the convenors!

Text chat was better than expected but no substitute for an in-person meeting. Various formats for displays was more confusing than helpful. Some general discussion could have been nice but would have meant less attention for individual displays.

Great diversity of SO-related topics in the session, great idea to facilitate some more networking via zoom during the break and after the session! Gave it more of a conference feeling!