



## Opinion poll 2009

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**Local poll 2009 –  
Östhammar**

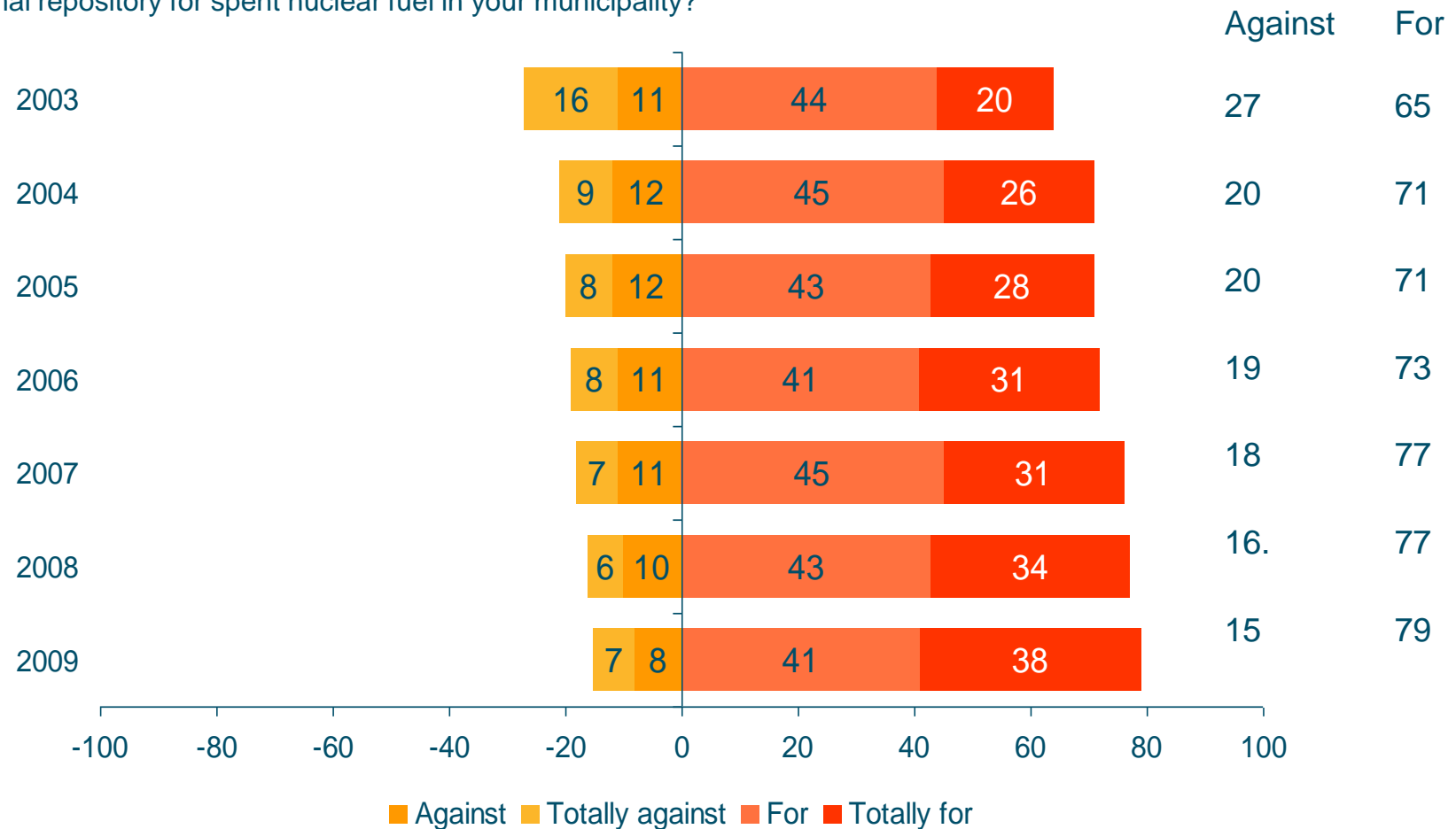
# About the poll

- Method: Telephone interviews
- Target group: Residents of Östhammar, 16 years of age and older
- Scope: 800 interviews
- Interview period: 21 April – 6 May 2009



## A growing majority are in favour of a final repository – significant increase since 2006

Swedish Nuclear Fuel and Waste Management Company, SKB, has completed site investigations in the municipalities of Oskarshamn and Östhammar for the purpose of identifying an appropriate location for the final disposal of spent nuclear fuel. If there is an appropriate site for final disposal in Forsmark in Östhammar, then are you ... establishing a final repository for spent nuclear fuel in your municipality?

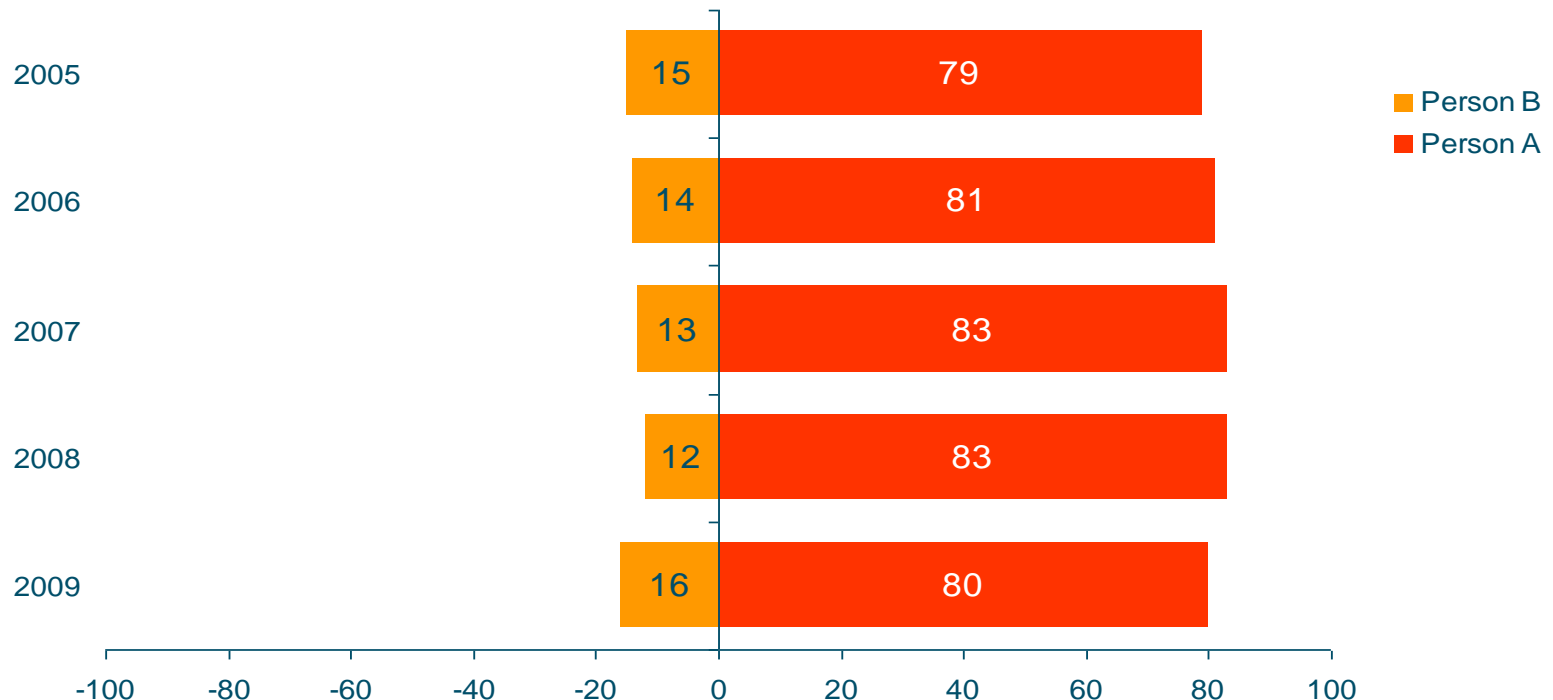


# A large majority is yet of the opinion that we who are alive today should solve the disposal issue

I am going to read what different persons have said about how spent nuclear fuel should be handled and ask you to indicate which of these opinions agrees best with your own opinion on this issue.

**Person A says:** If the solutions that can be developed with current technology and expertise fulfil the safety requirements of the authorities, then I think that we who are alive today should handle the long-term disposal of spent nuclear fuel.

**Person B says:** If we postpone the long-term disposal of spent nuclear fuel, then we may gain access to new knowledge and technology. Thus I am of the opinion that we should let future generations solve the issue of long-term disposal.





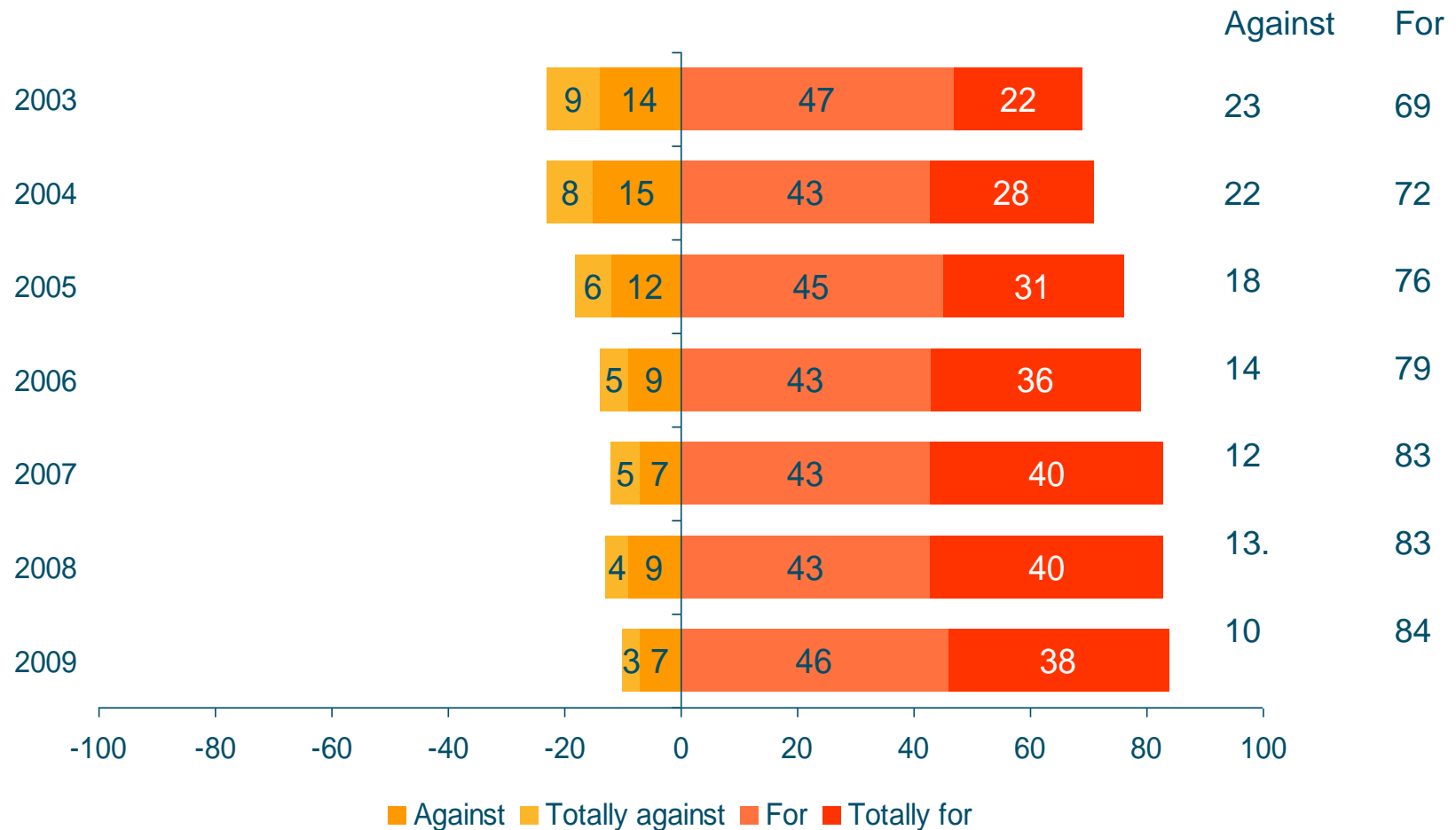
**Site investigation  
2009 – Oskarshamn**

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# A solid majority is in favour of a final repository

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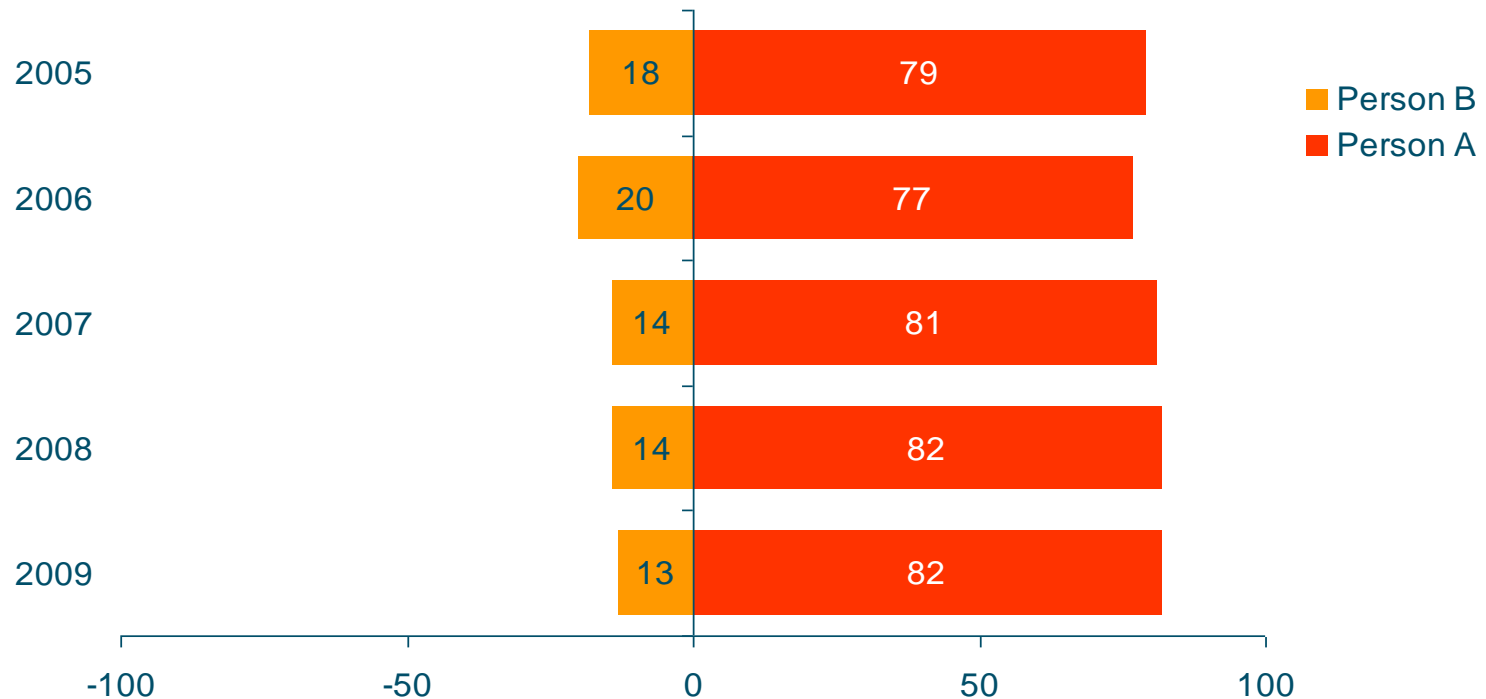



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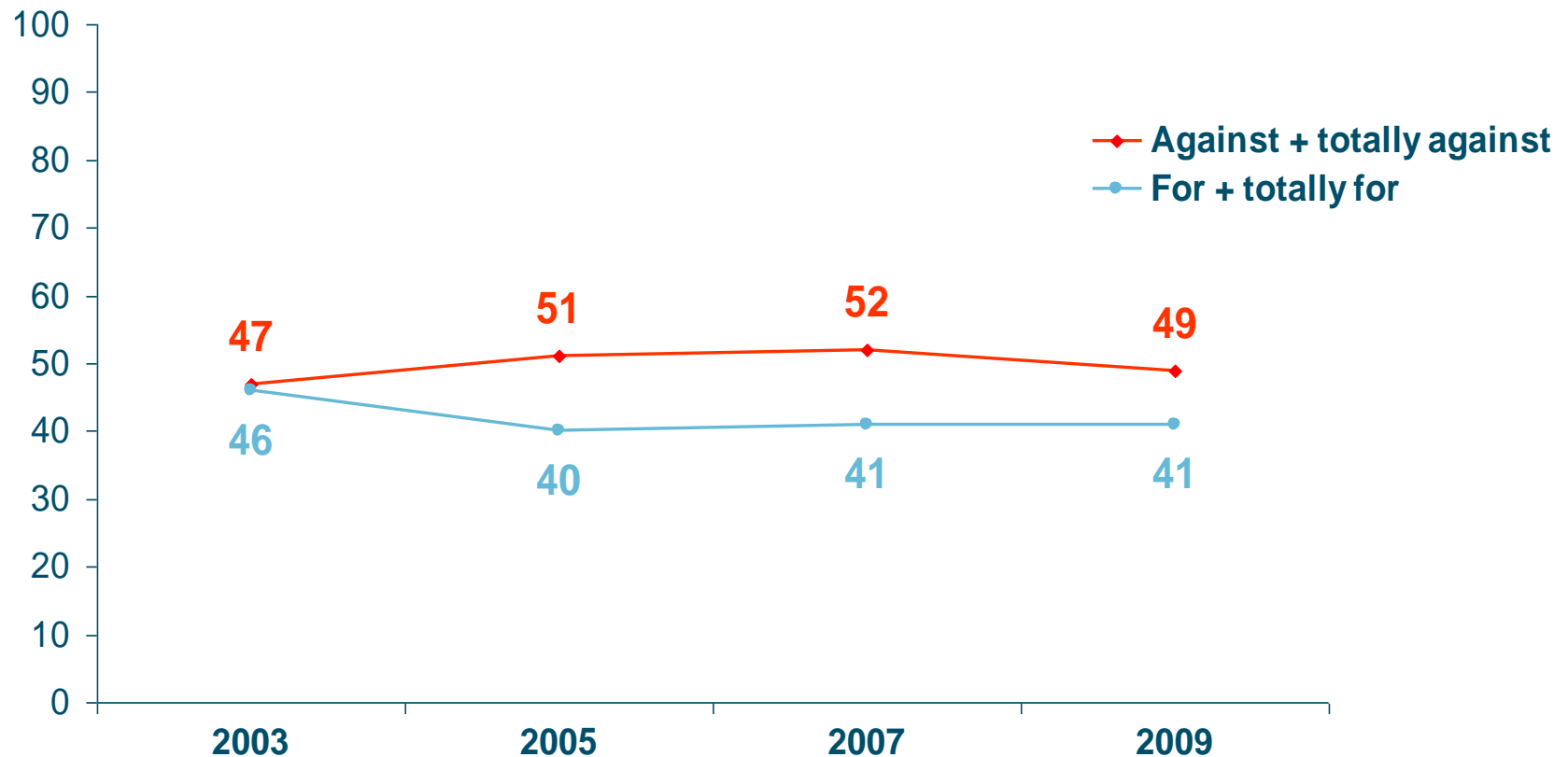
**National poll  
2009**

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- Method: Telephone interviews (Synovate Direct)
- Target group: Swedish people, 16 years of age and older
- Scope: 1,008 interviews
- Interview period: 21-27 April 2009

## The majority is against a repository in their own municipality

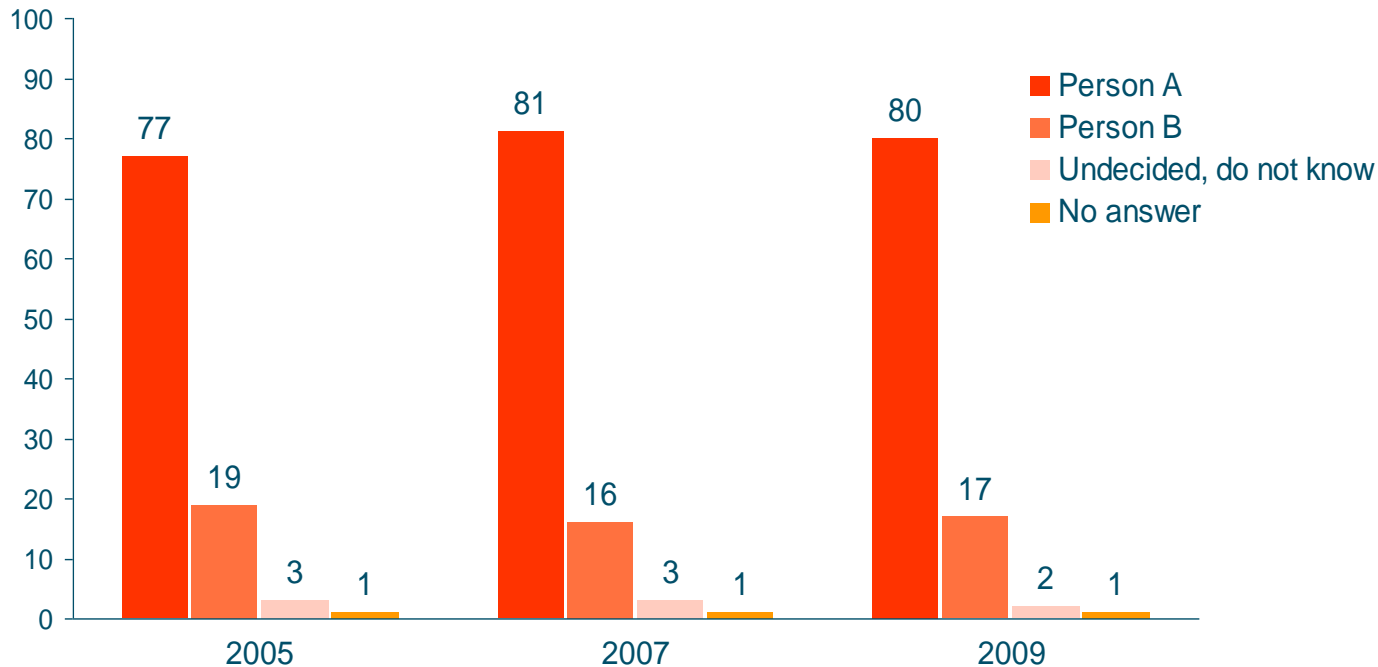
Swedish Nuclear Fuel and Waste Management Company, SKB, has conducted site investigations in various locations throughout the country for the purpose of identifying an appropriate location for the final disposal of spent nuclear fuel. If there is an appropriate site for a final repository of spent nuclear fuel in your municipality are you then... constructing a final repository in your municipality?





# Eight out of ten are of the opinion that we who are alive now should handle the final disposal

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