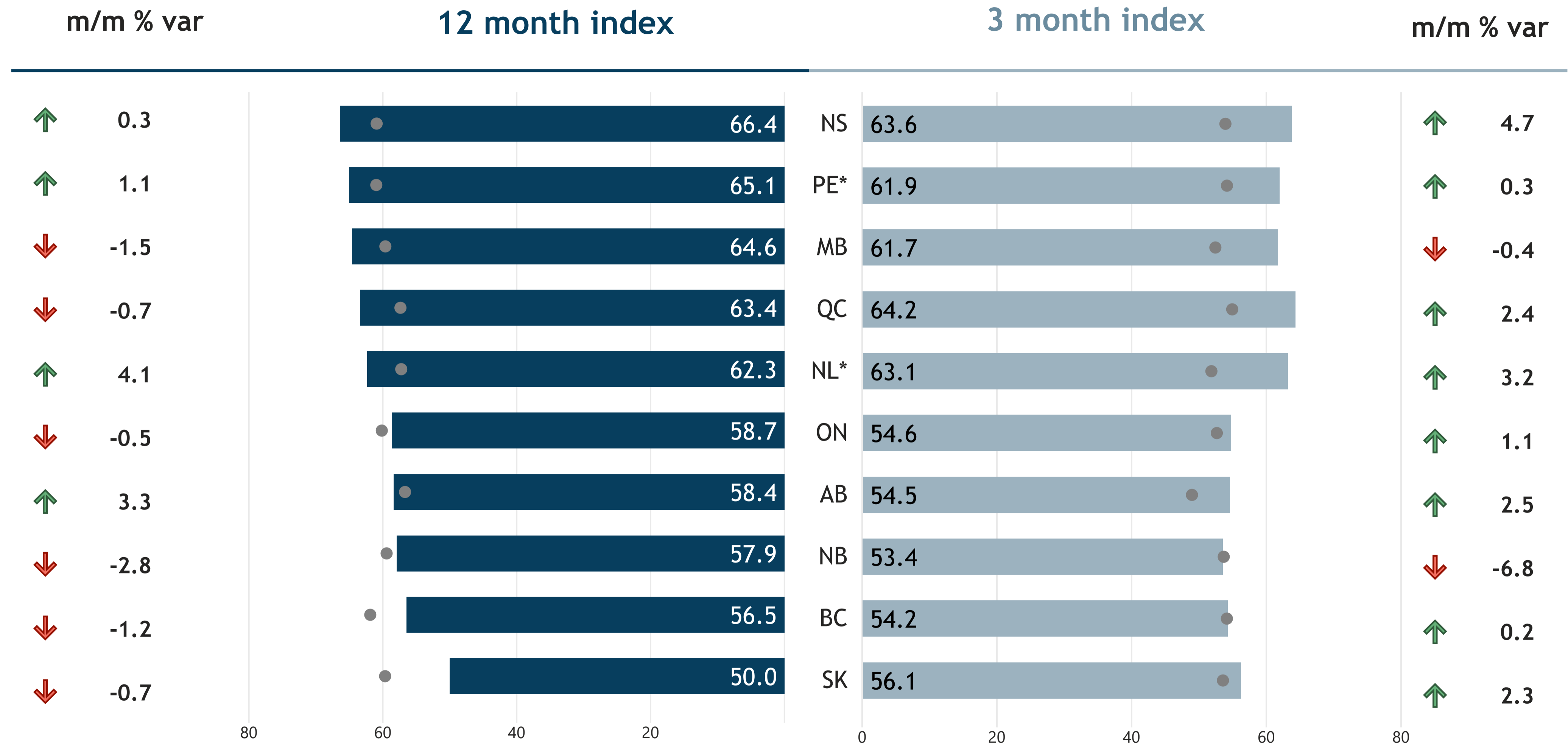


Business Barometer®: Small business confidence index, provinces



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**?

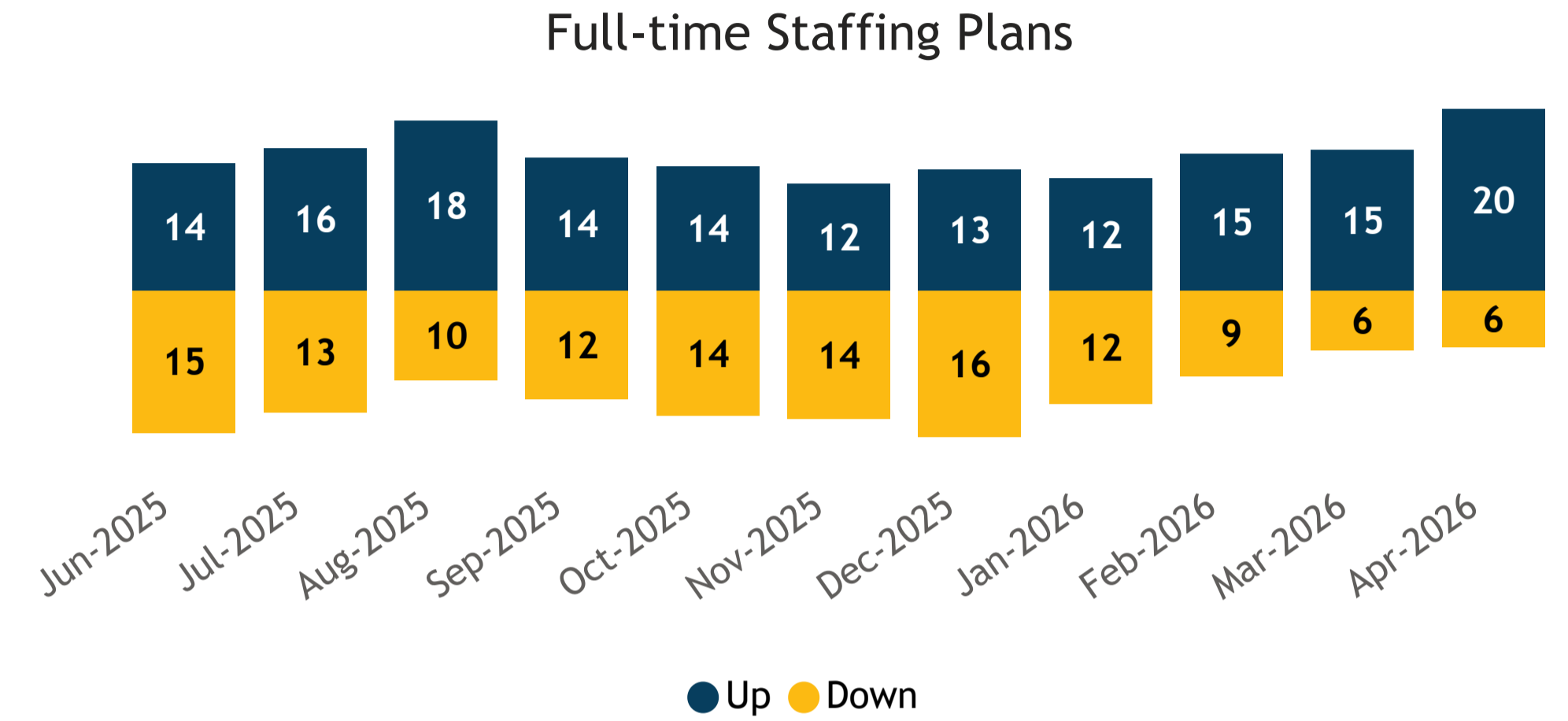
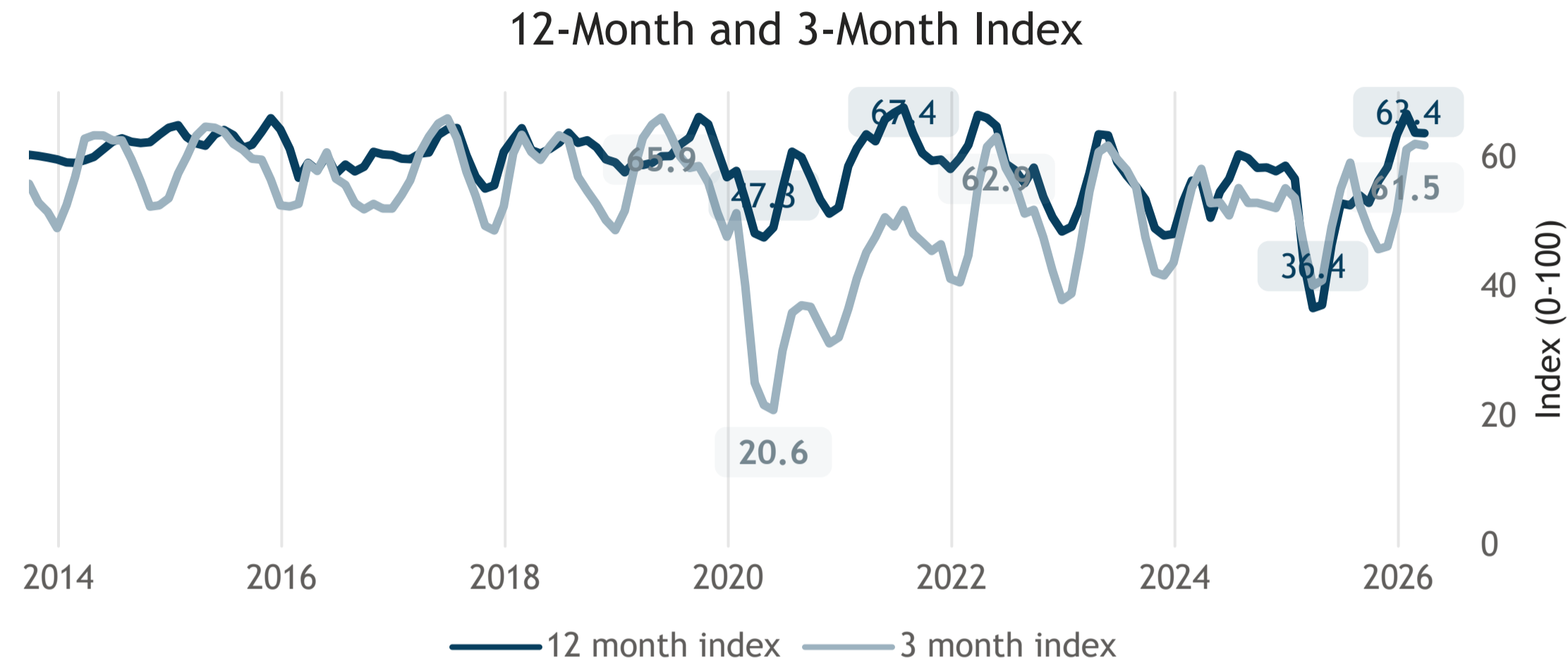
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Note: ● Historical averages. Data presented by 3-month moving average. *Data presented by 12-month moving average.

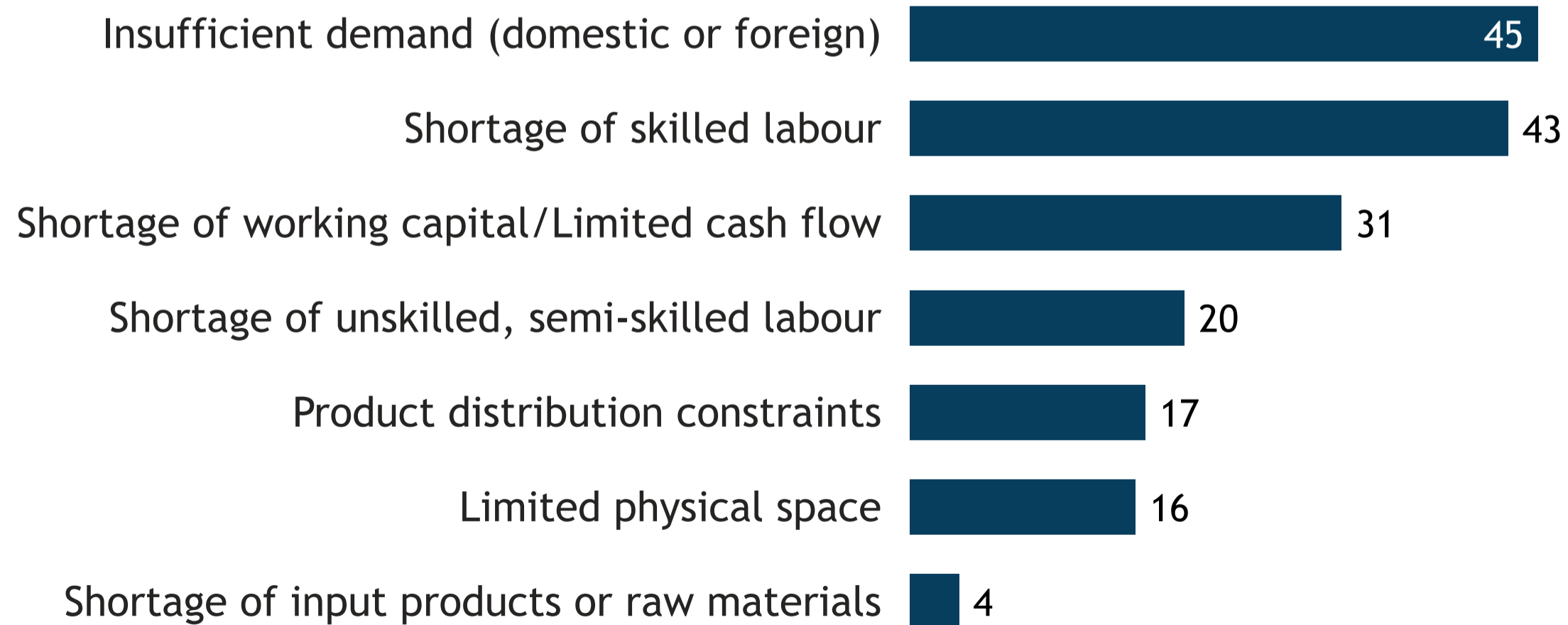
Index > 50 = more businesses expecting stronger performance than weaker performance

Business Barometer®: Atlantic Region

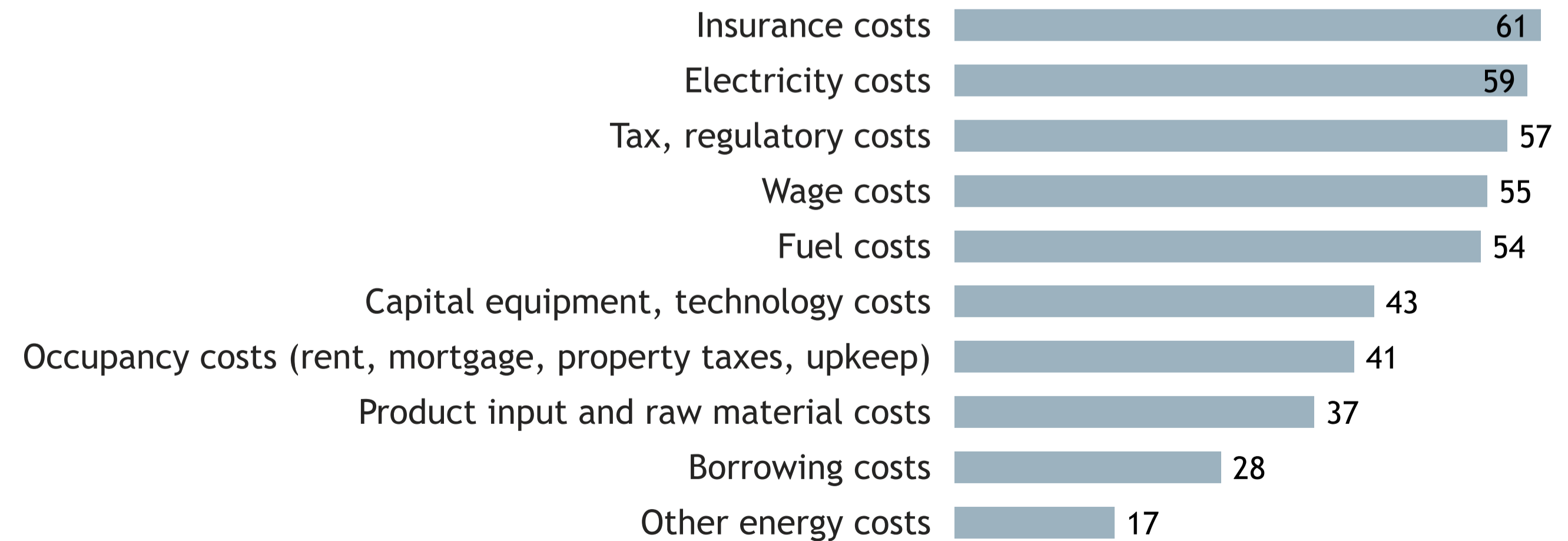
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Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



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Note: All results are calculated as 3-month moving averages

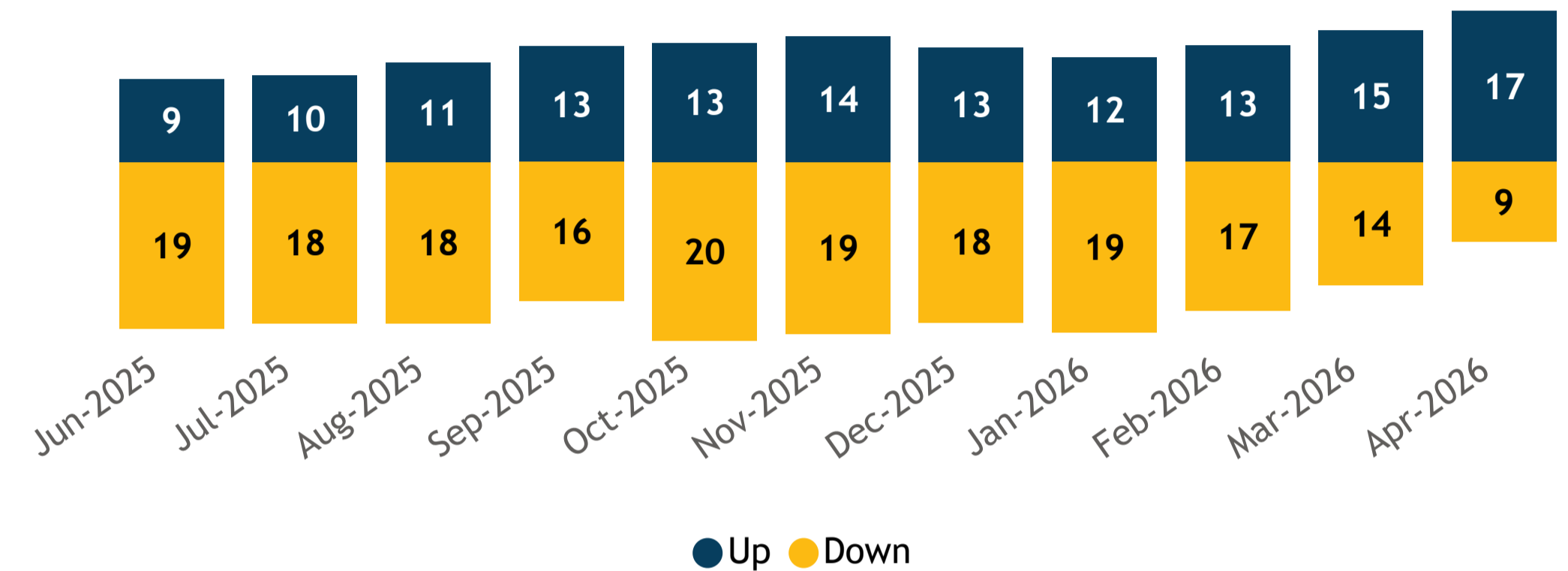
Business Barometer®: Newfoundland And Labrador

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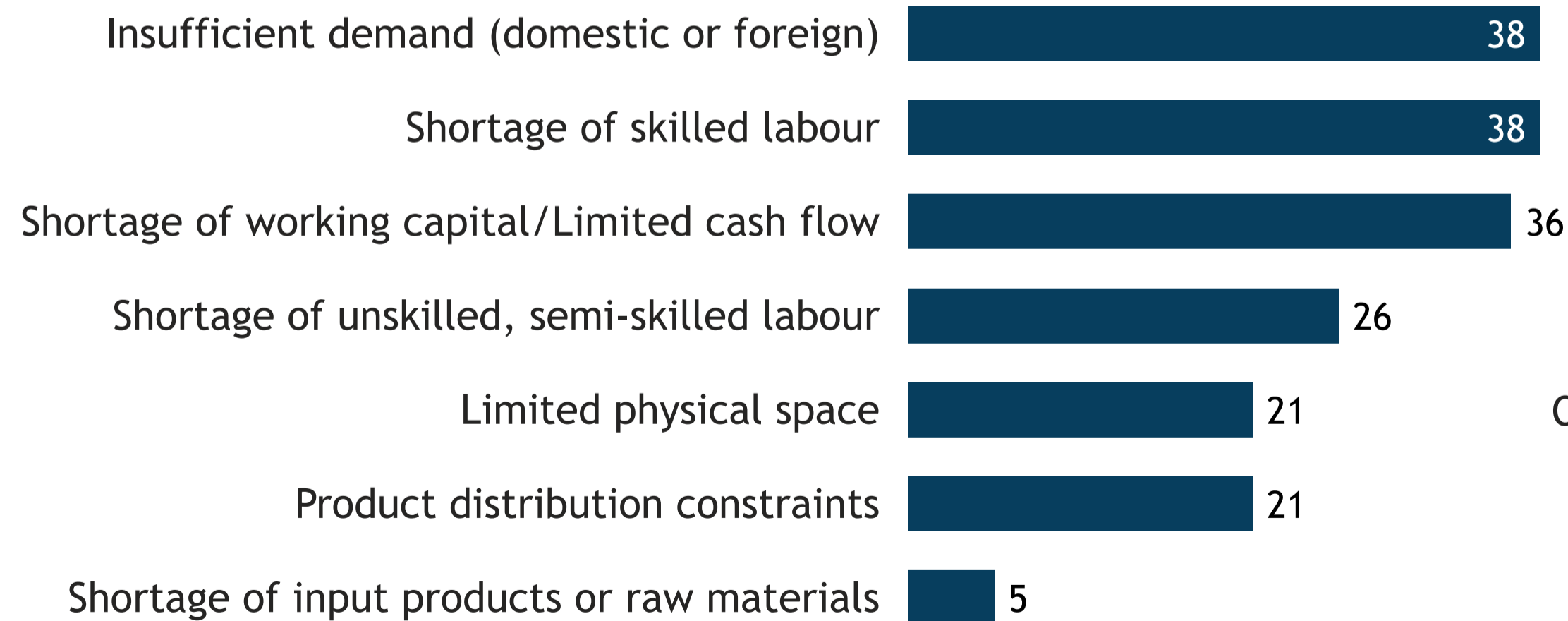
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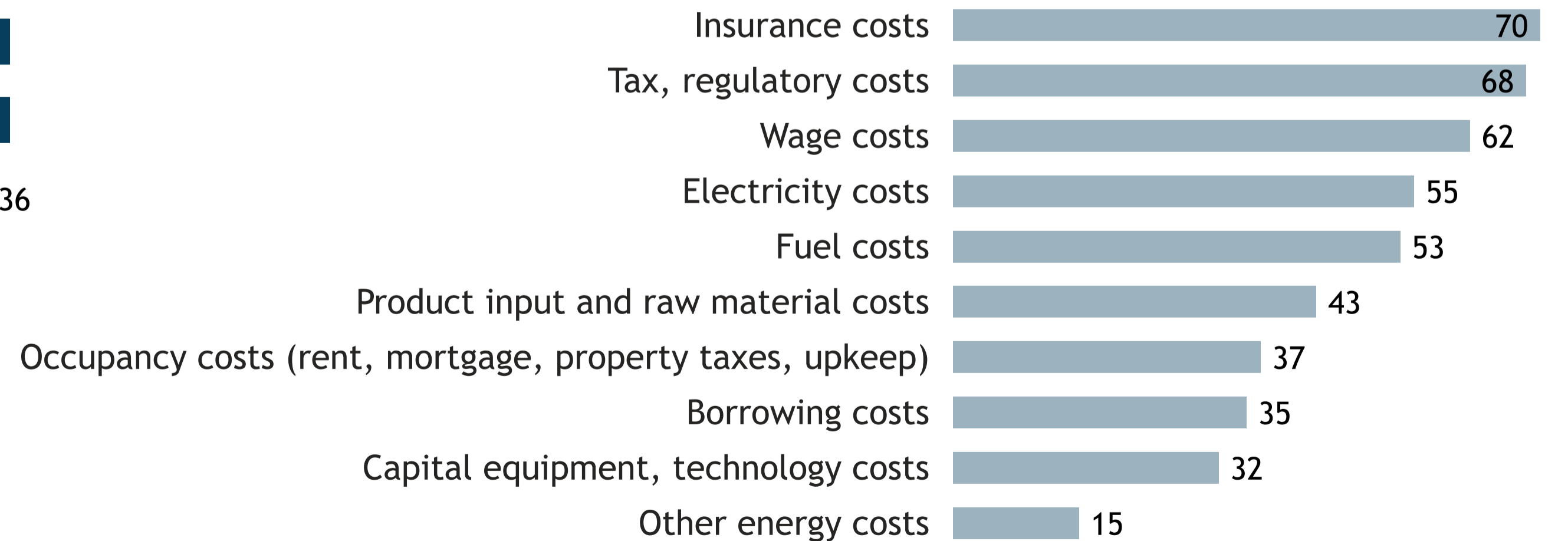
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints

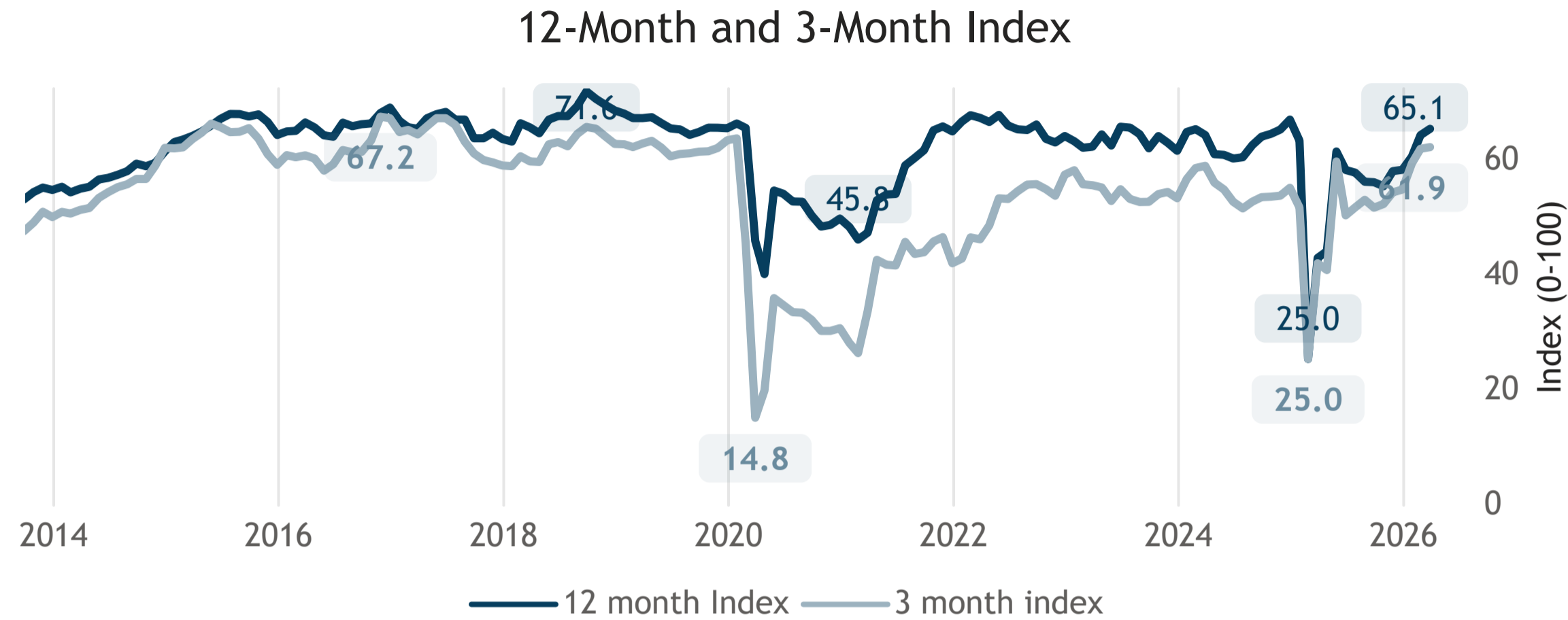


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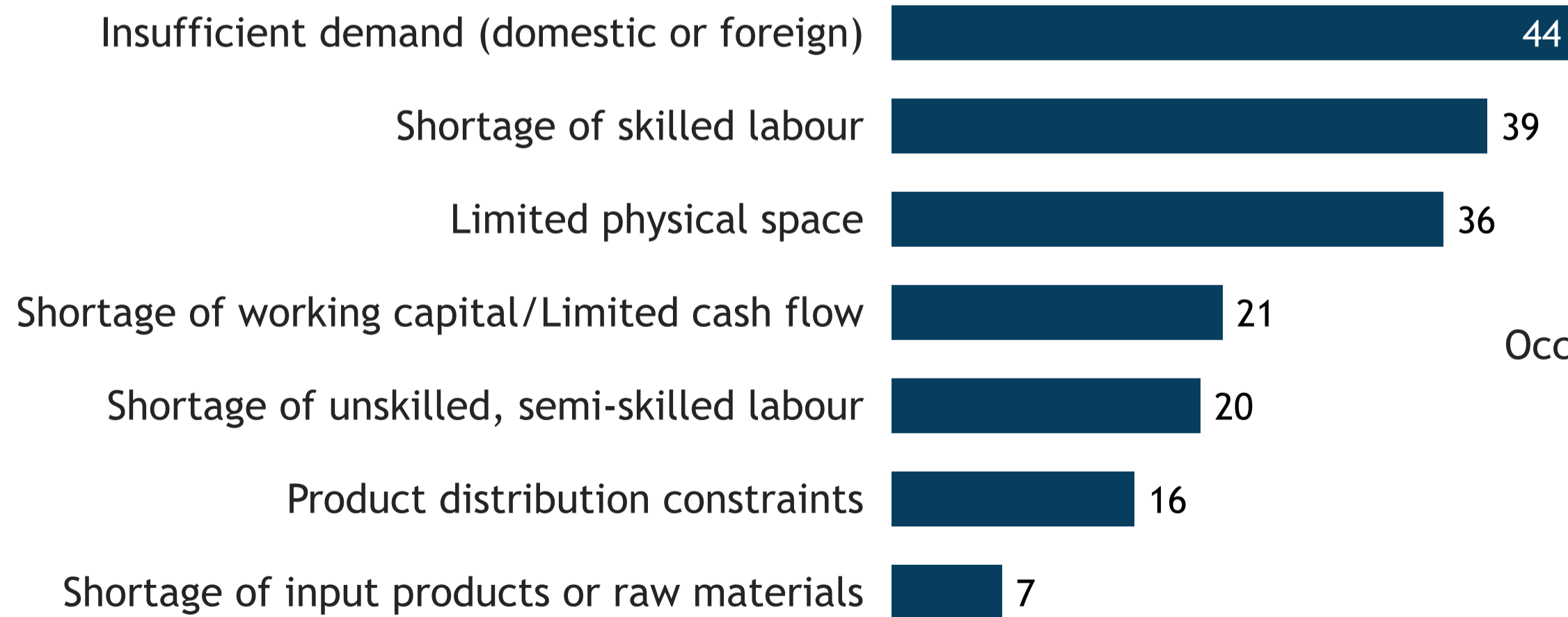
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Business Barometer®: Prince Edward Island

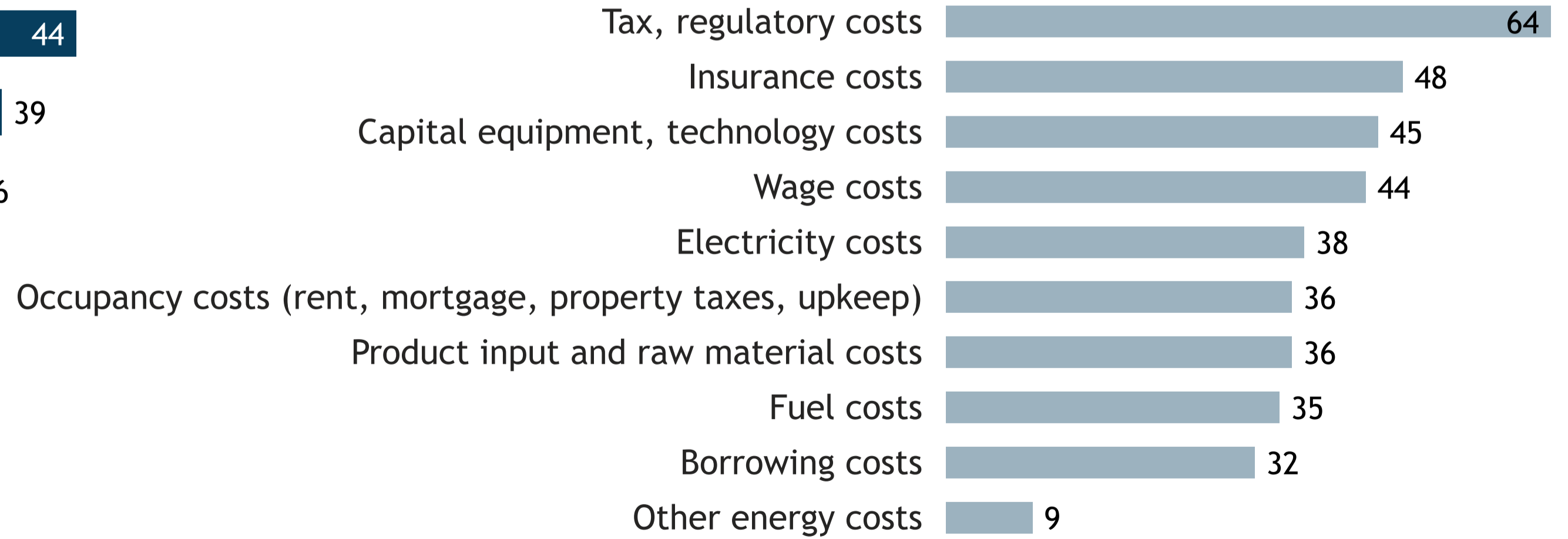
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Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



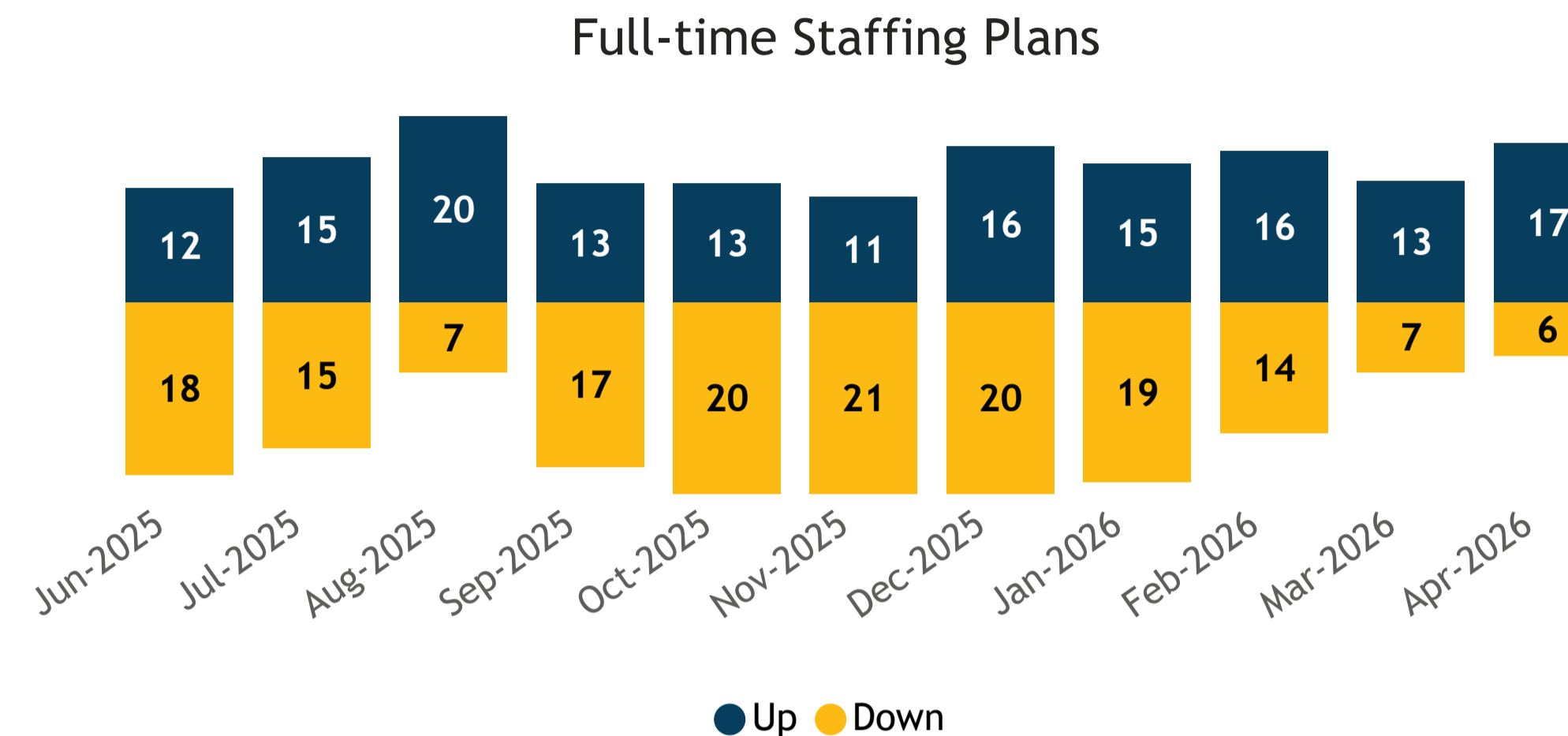
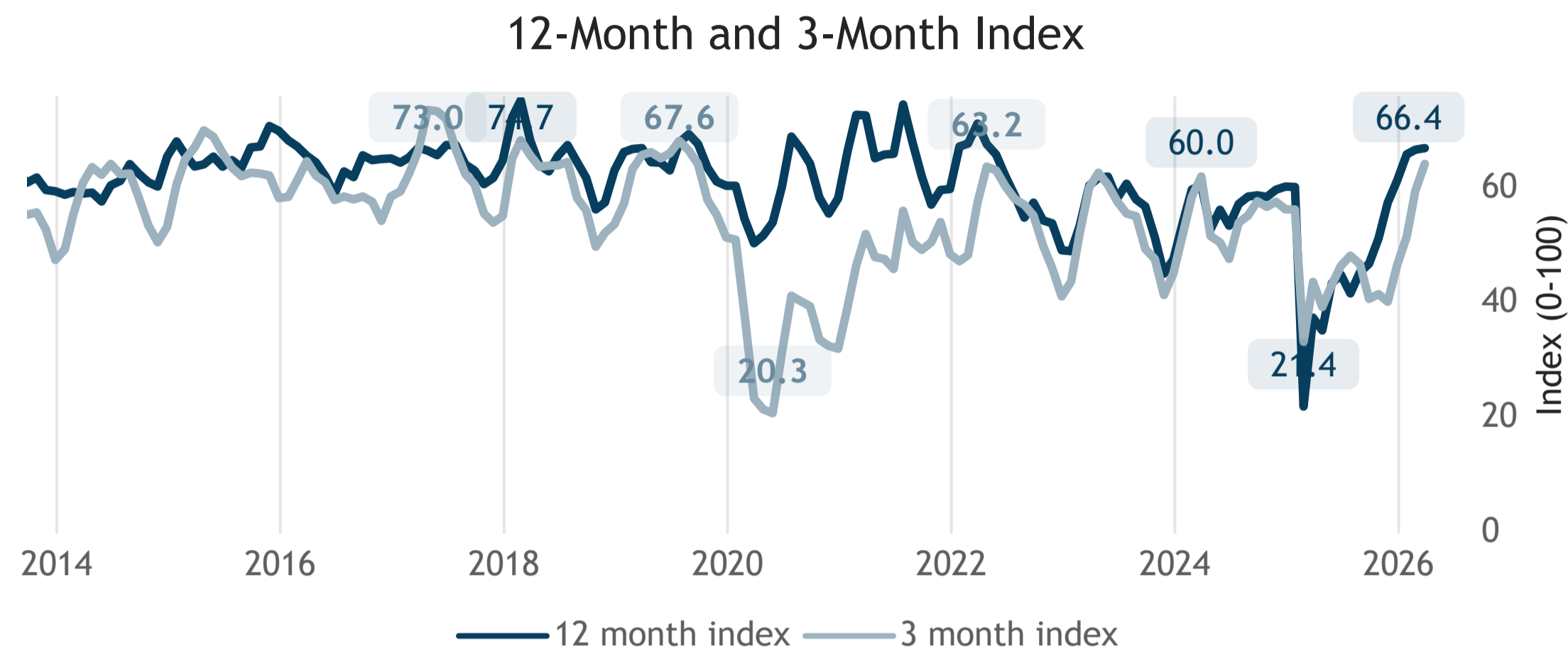
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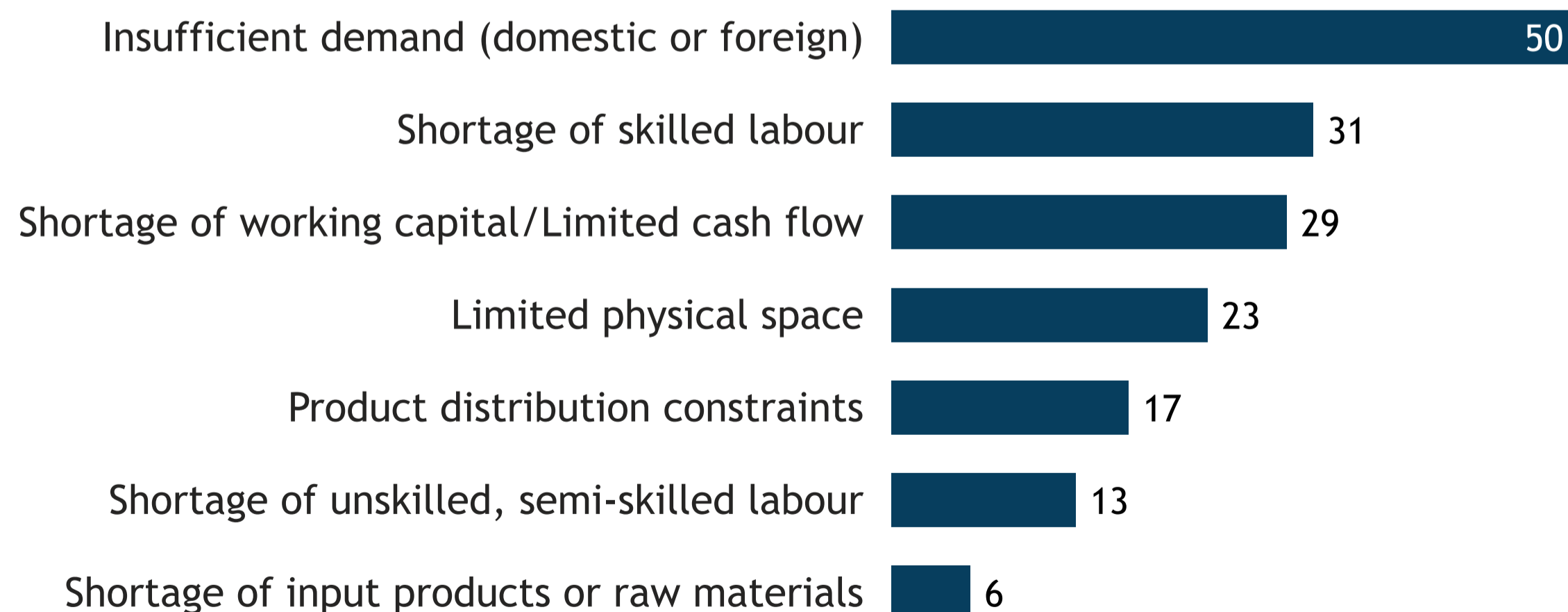
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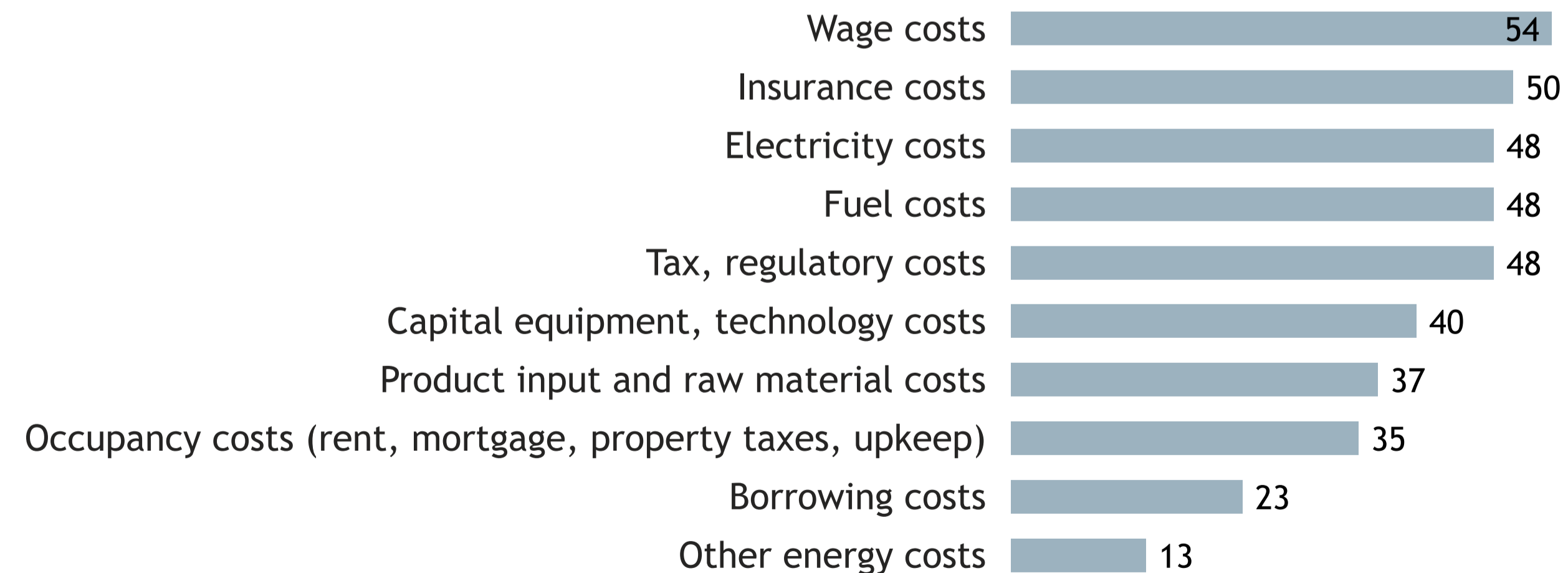
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Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



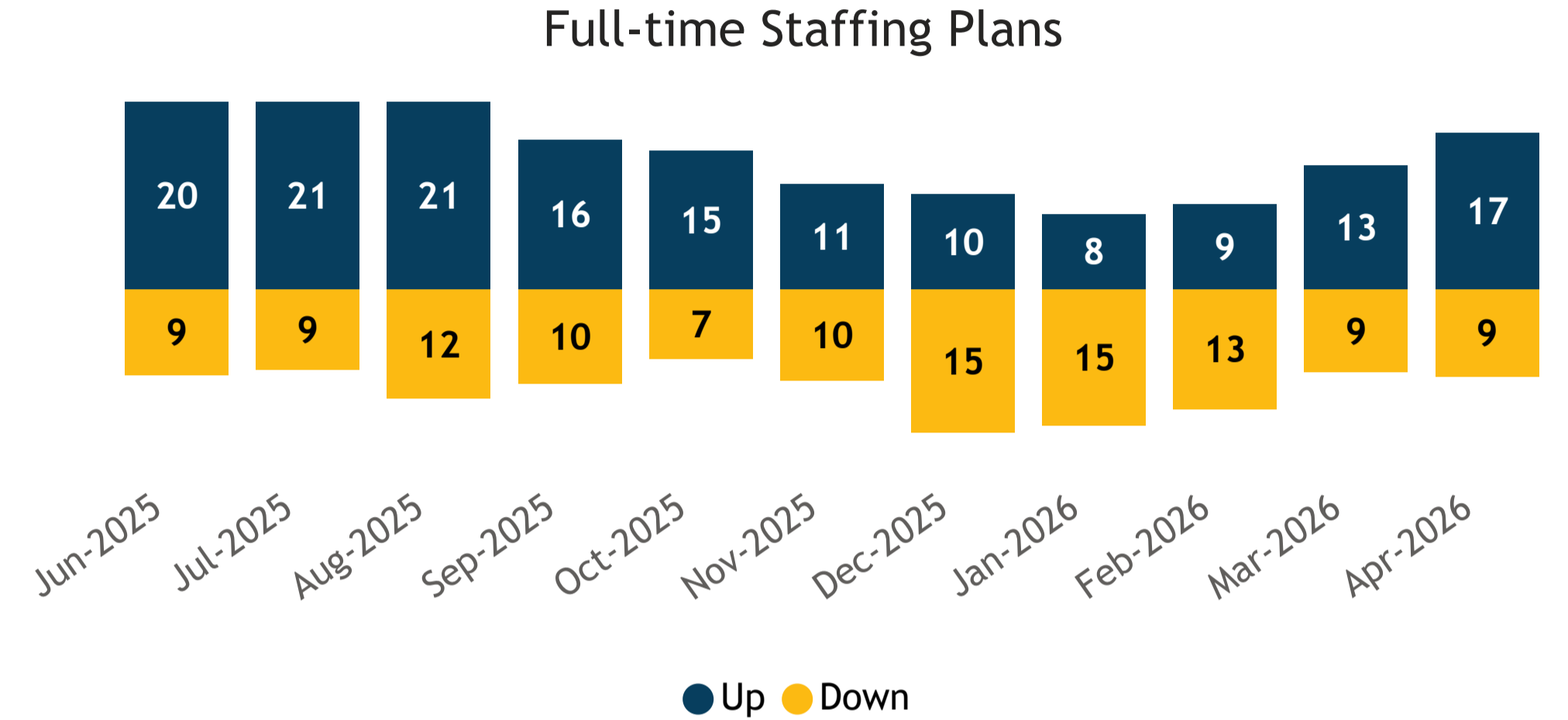
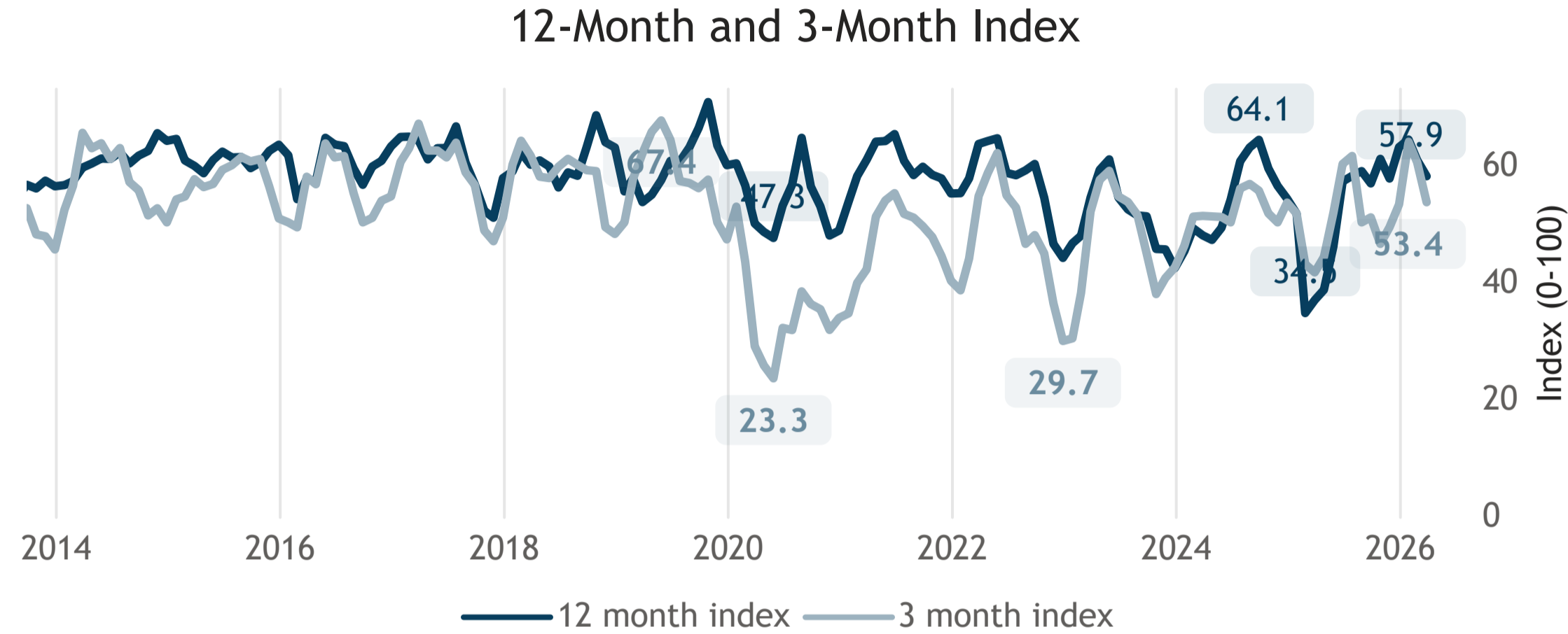
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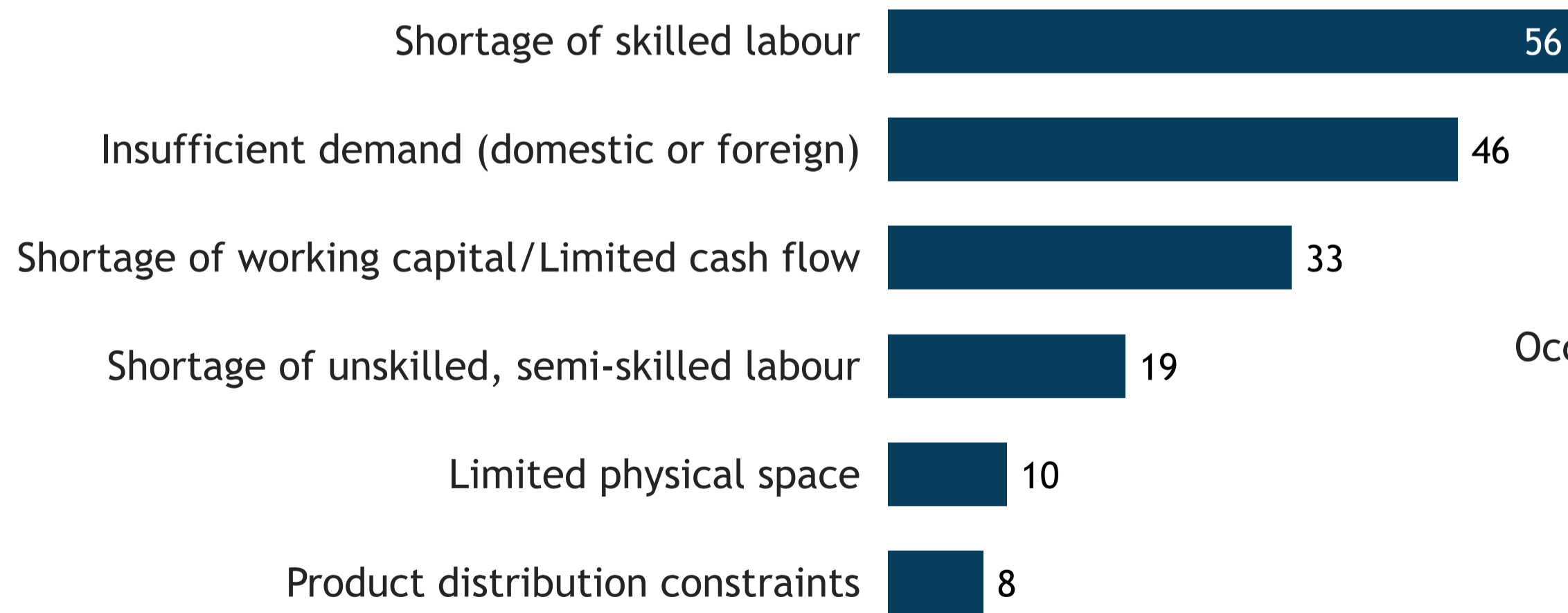


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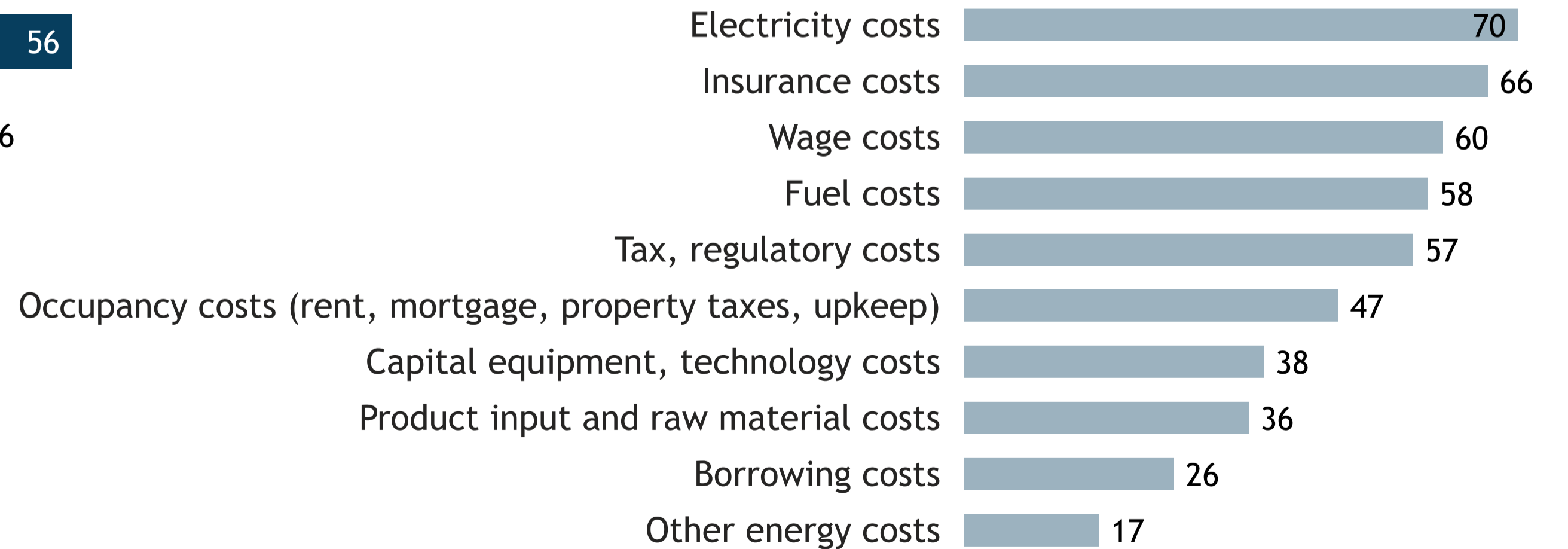
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Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints

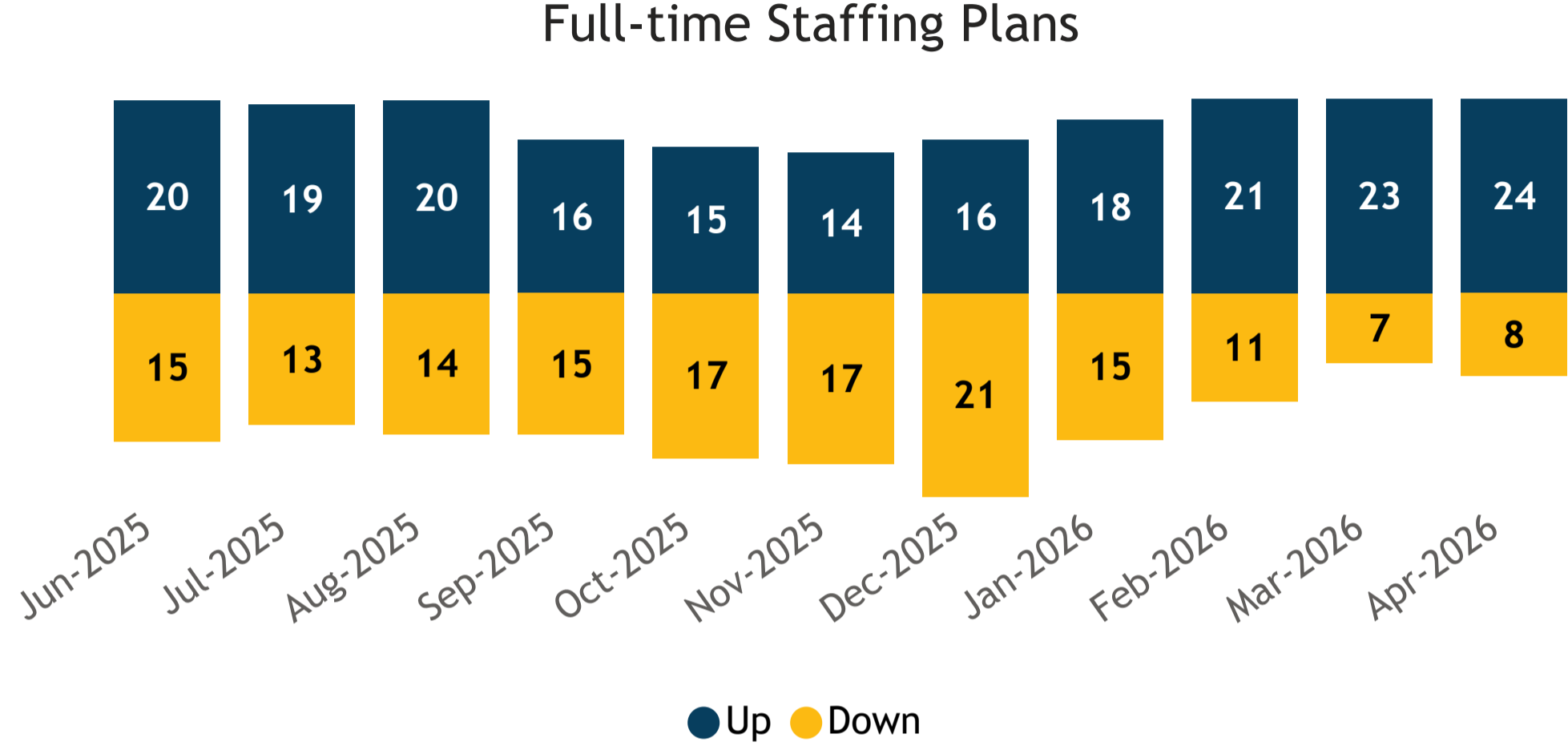
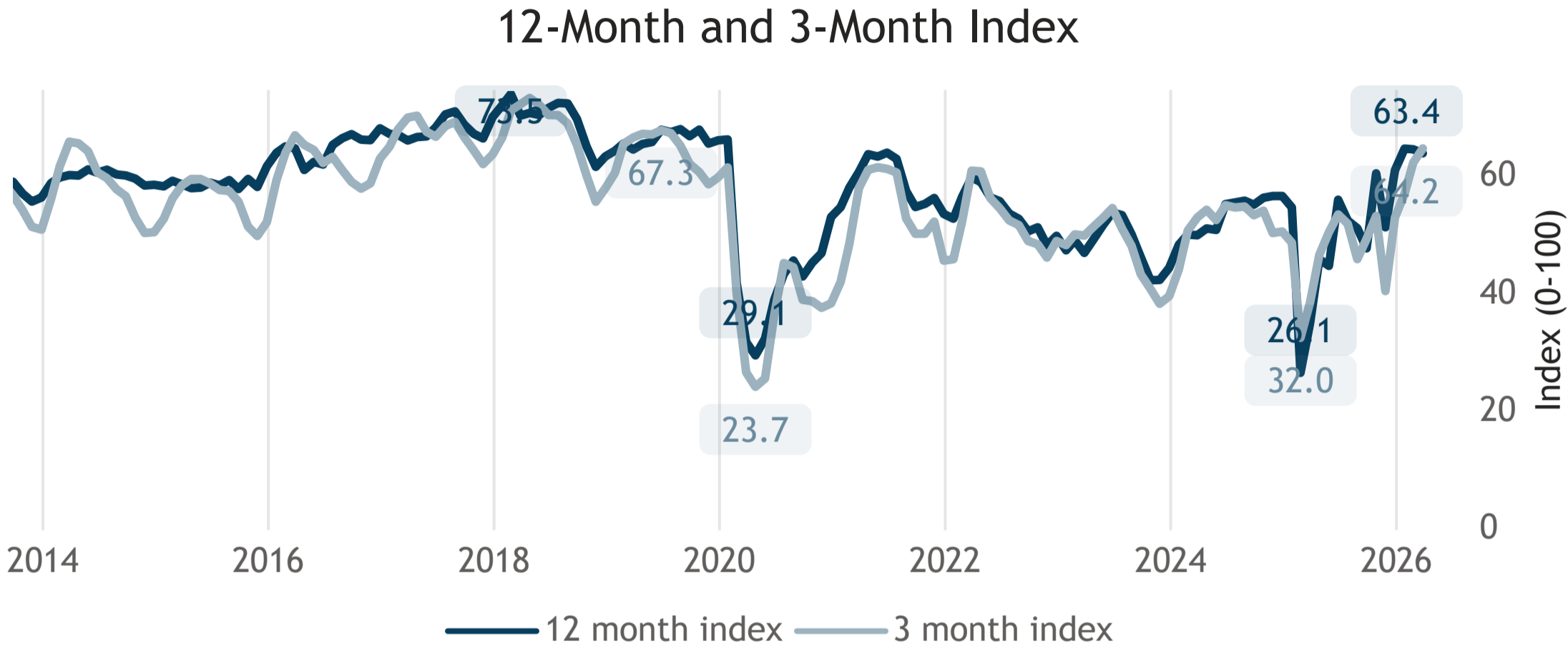


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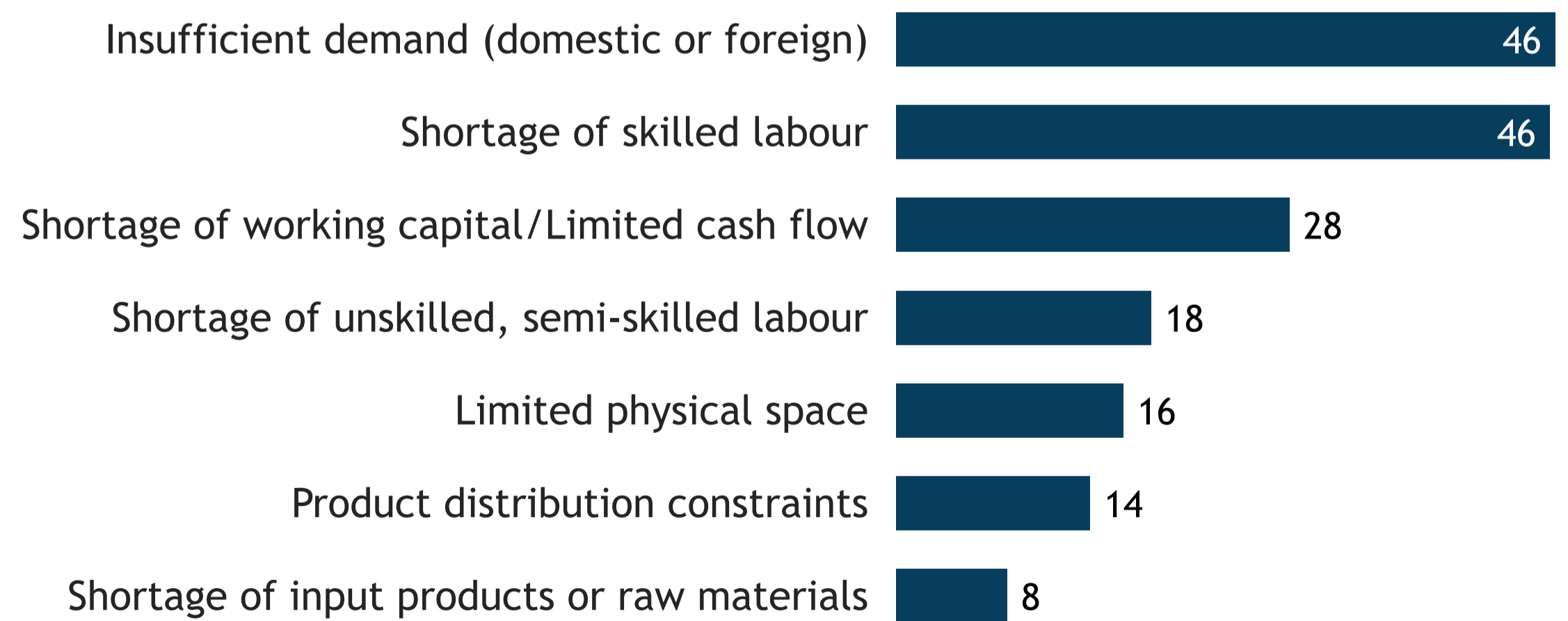
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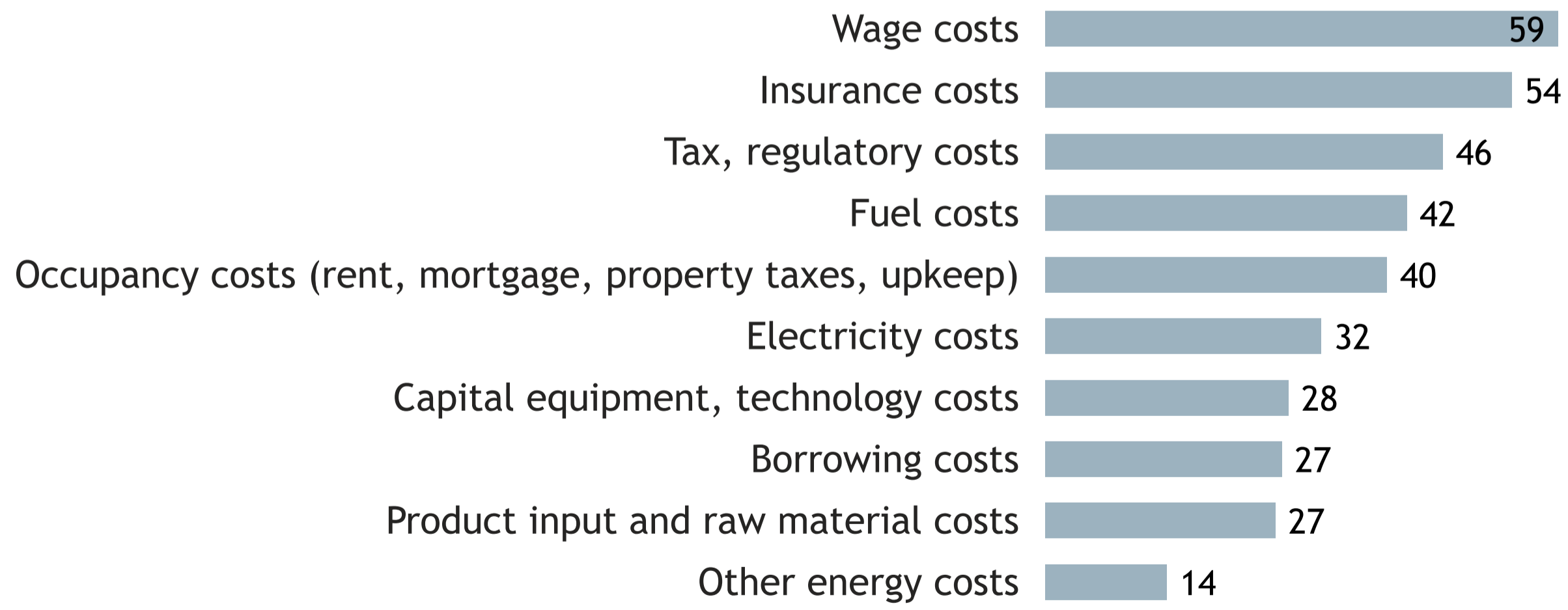
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Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints

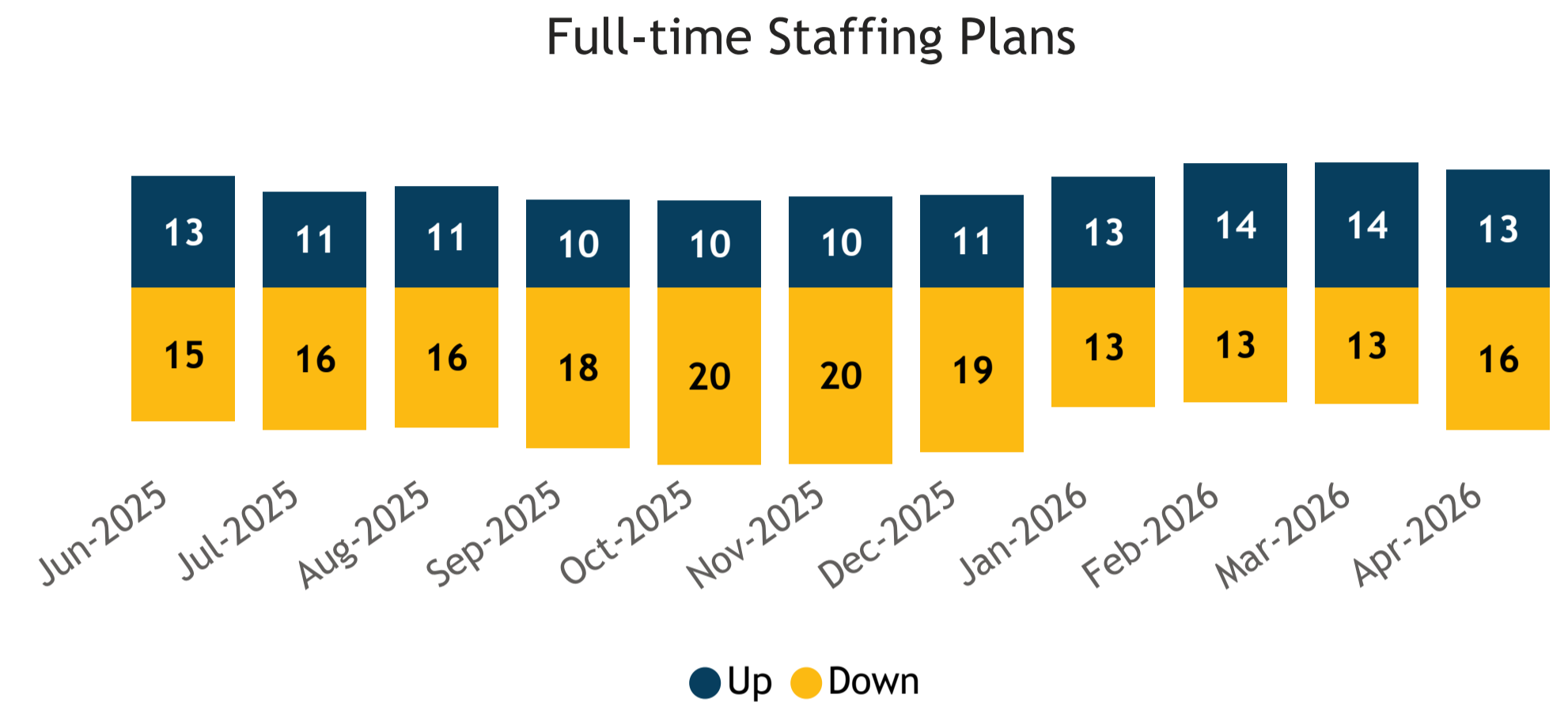
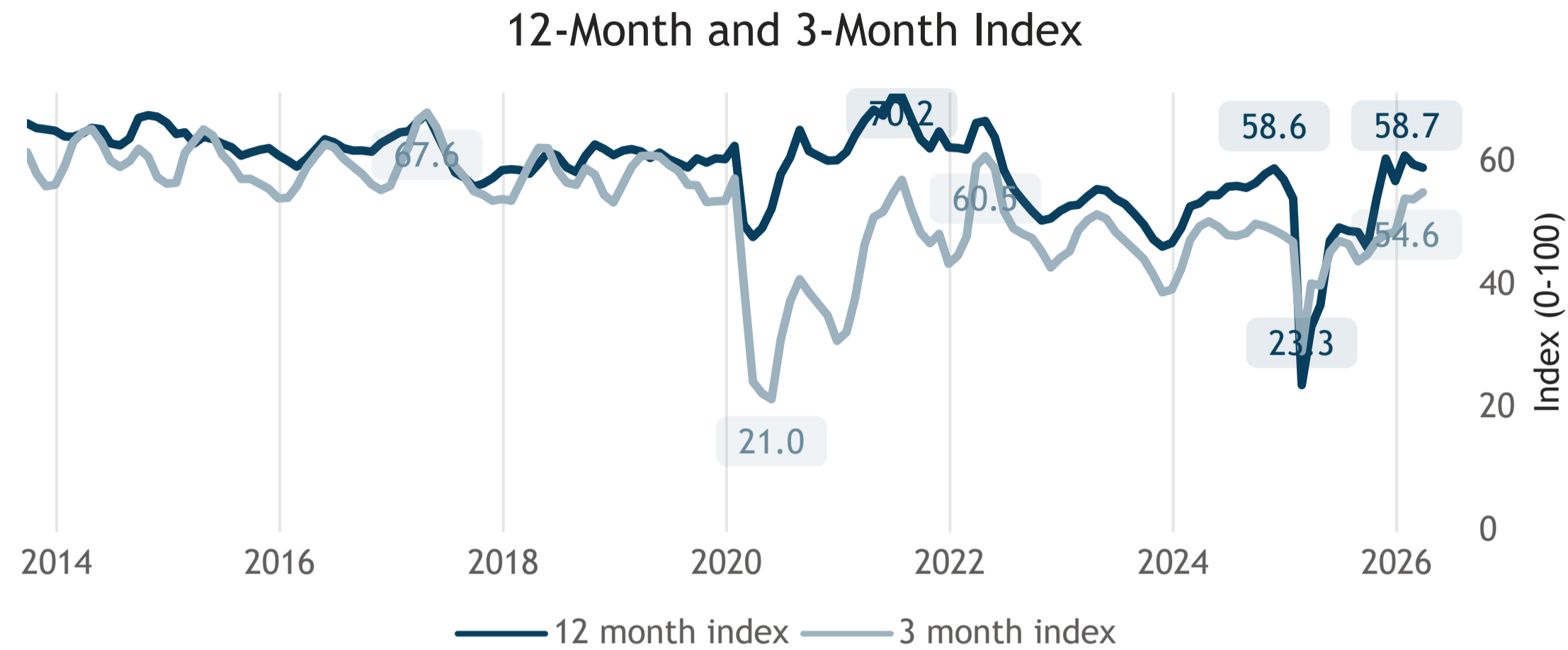


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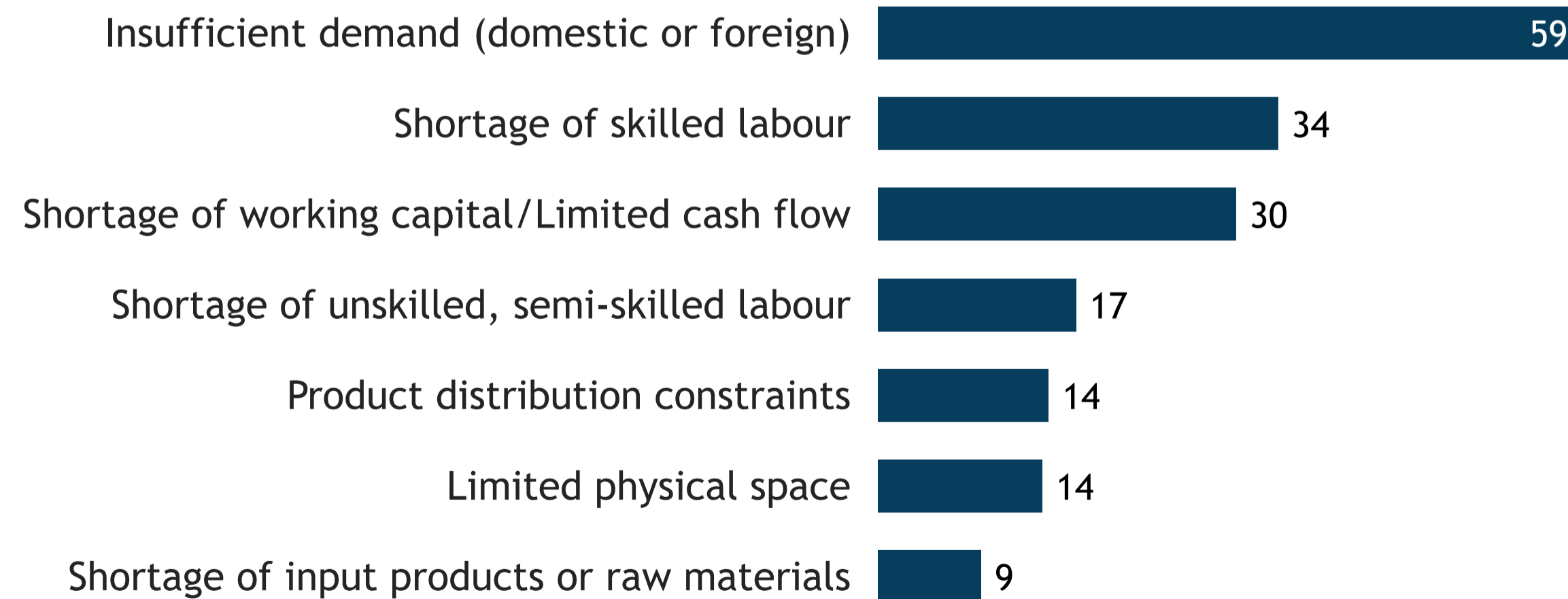


Business Barometer®: Ontario

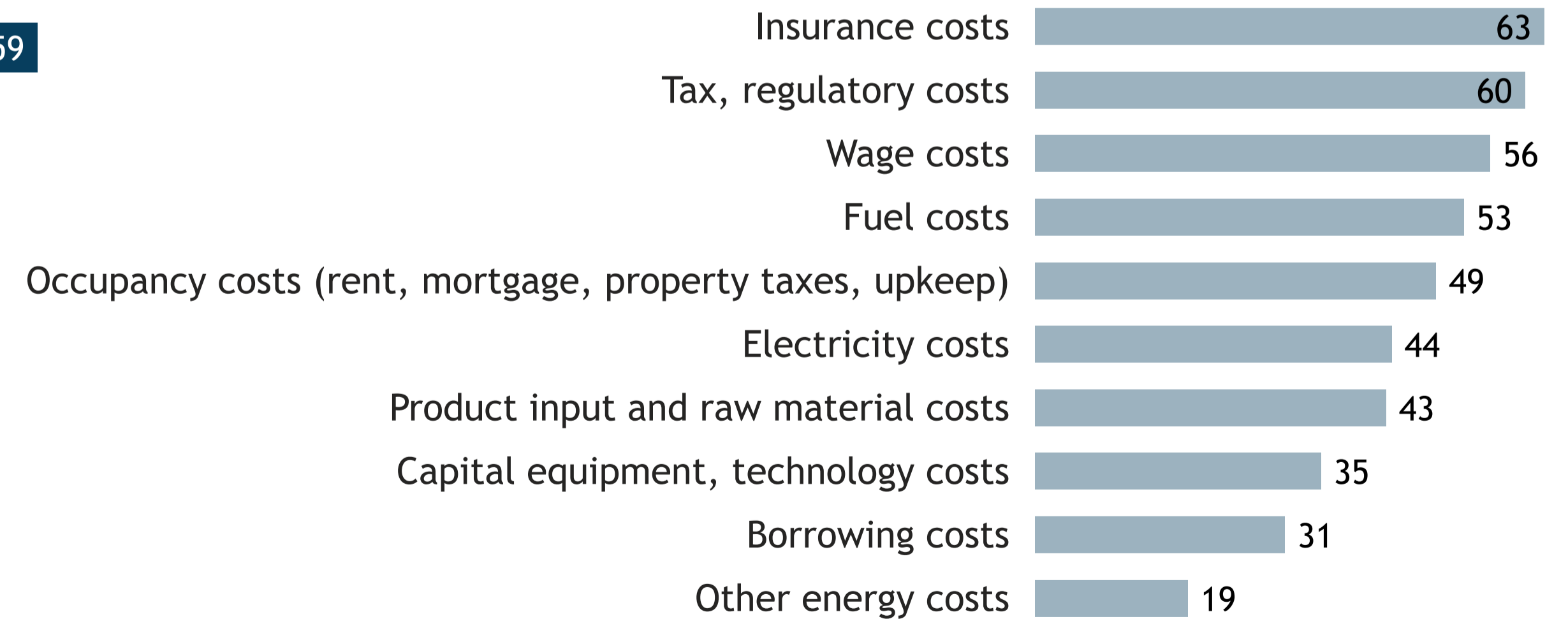
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Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



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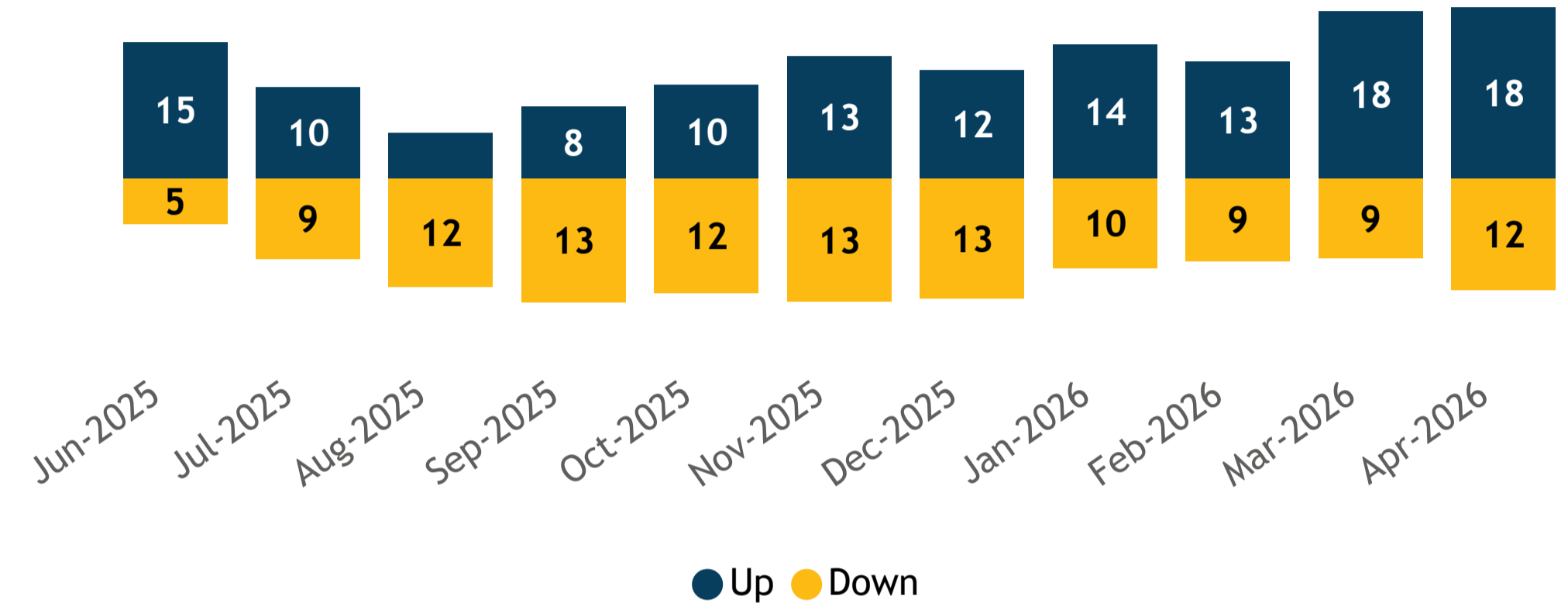
Business Barometer®: Manitoba

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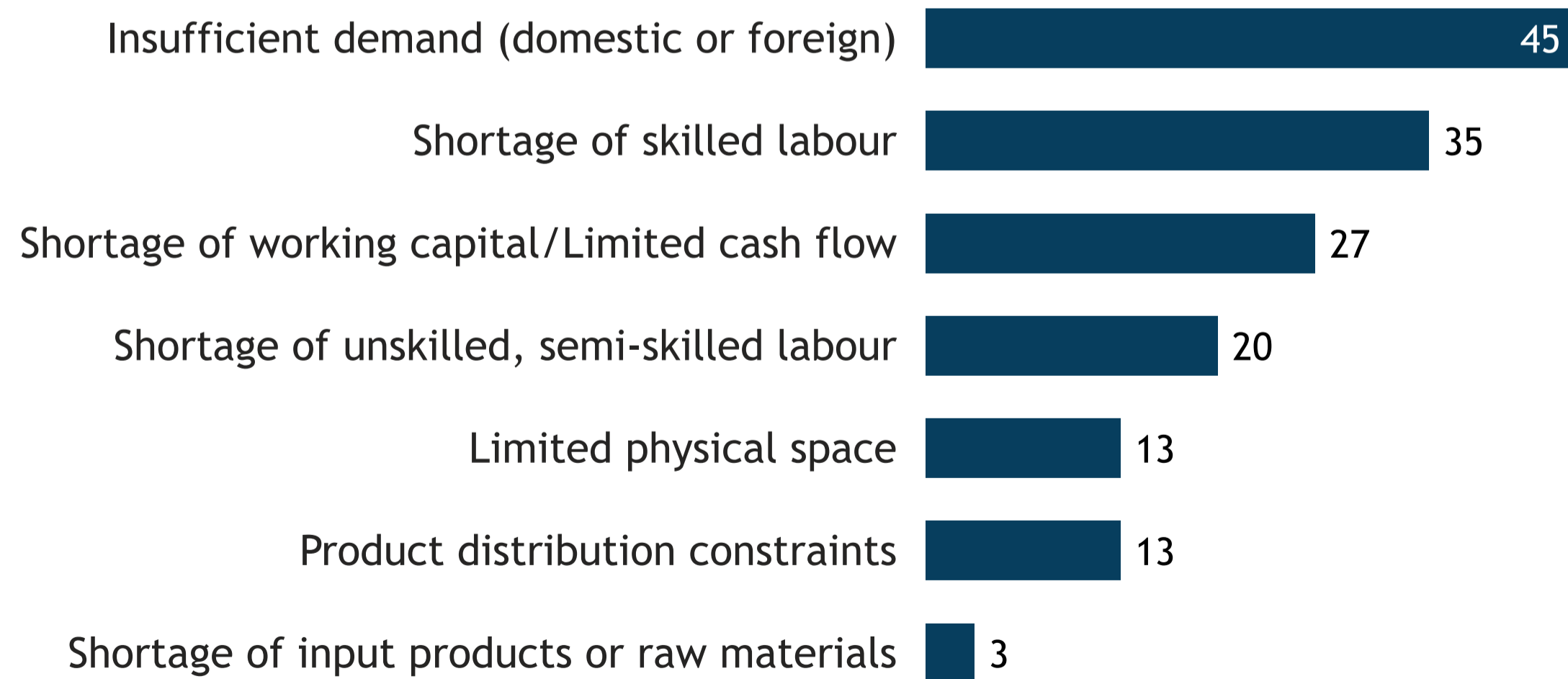
12-Month and 3-Month Index



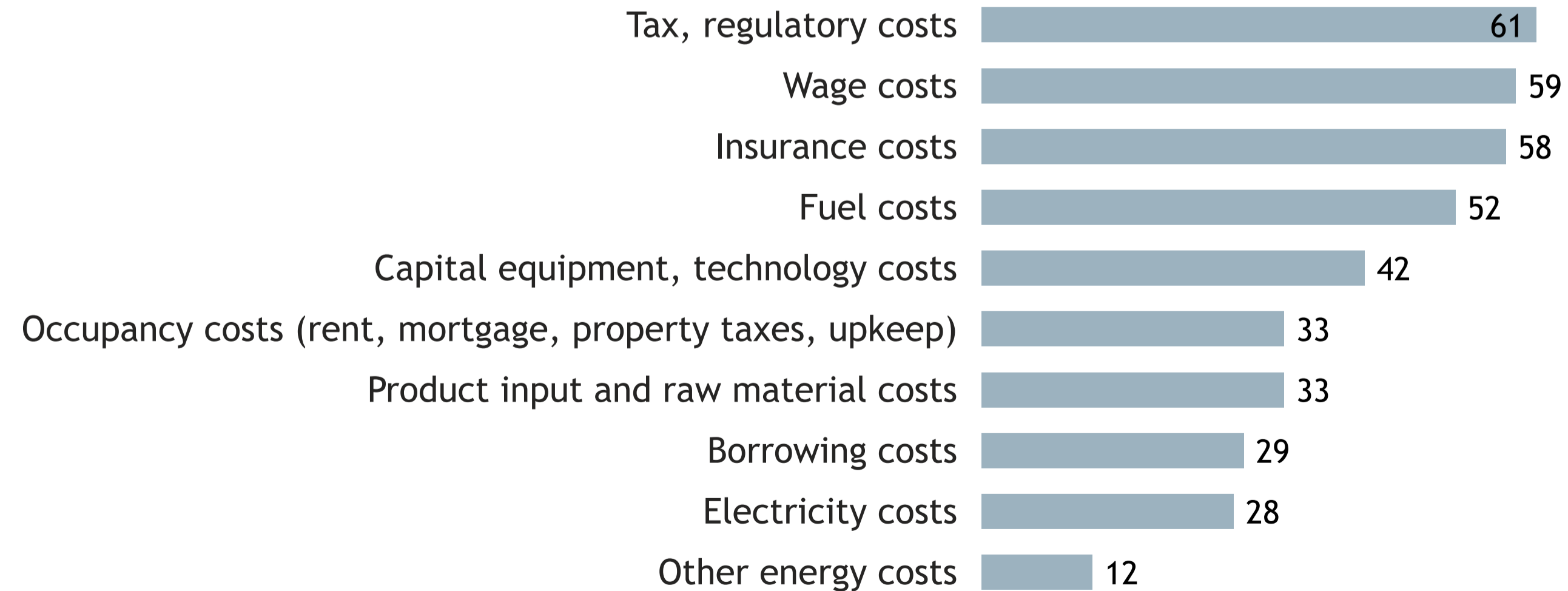
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



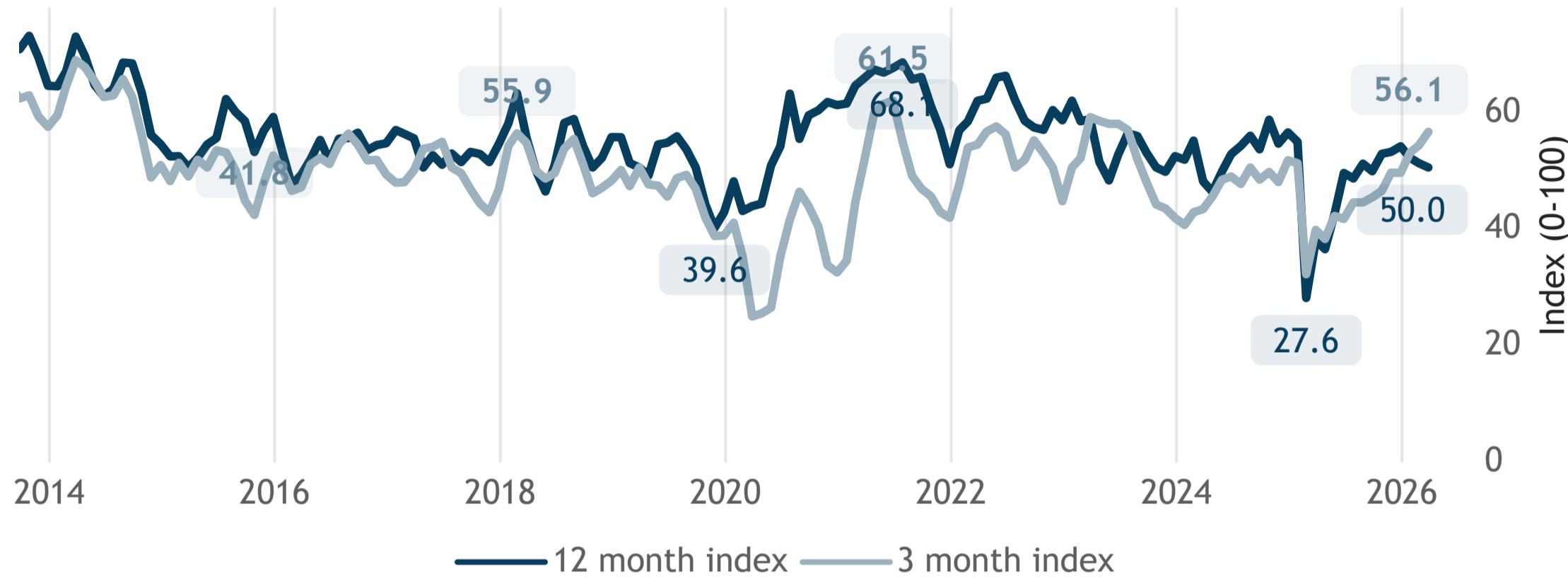
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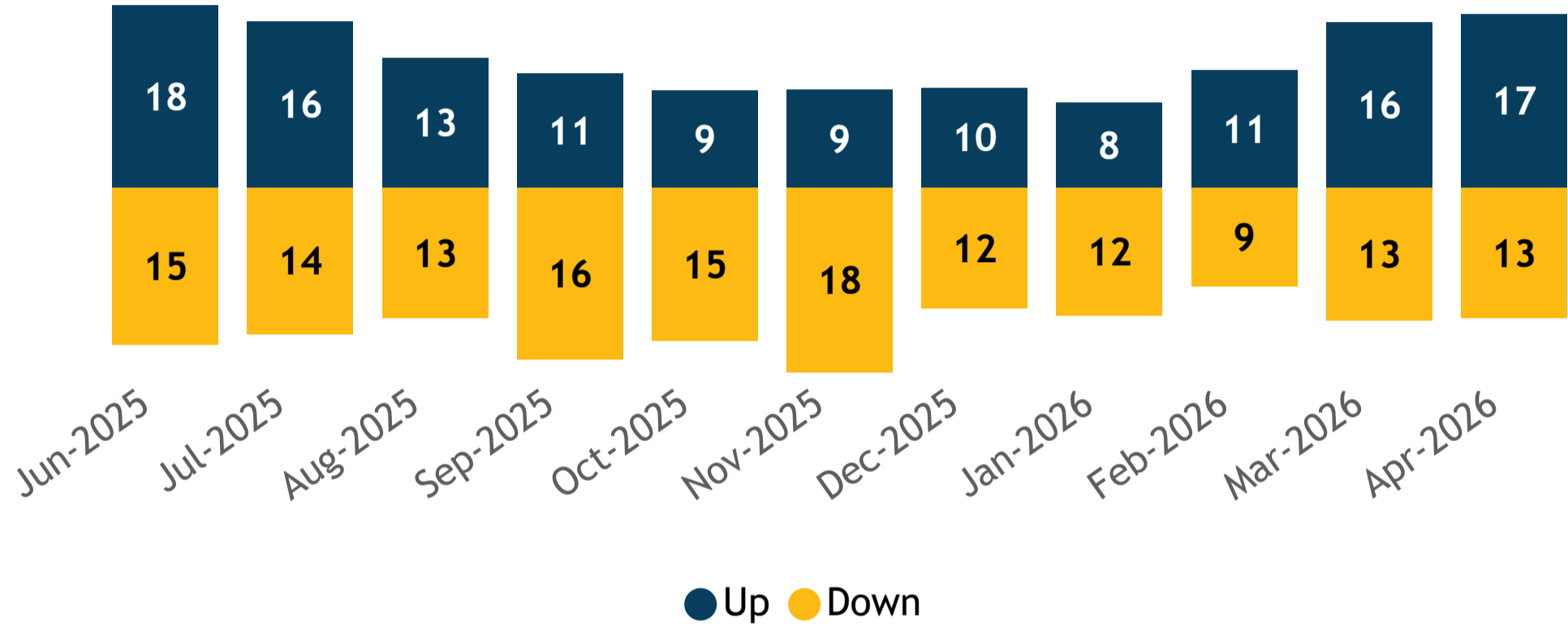
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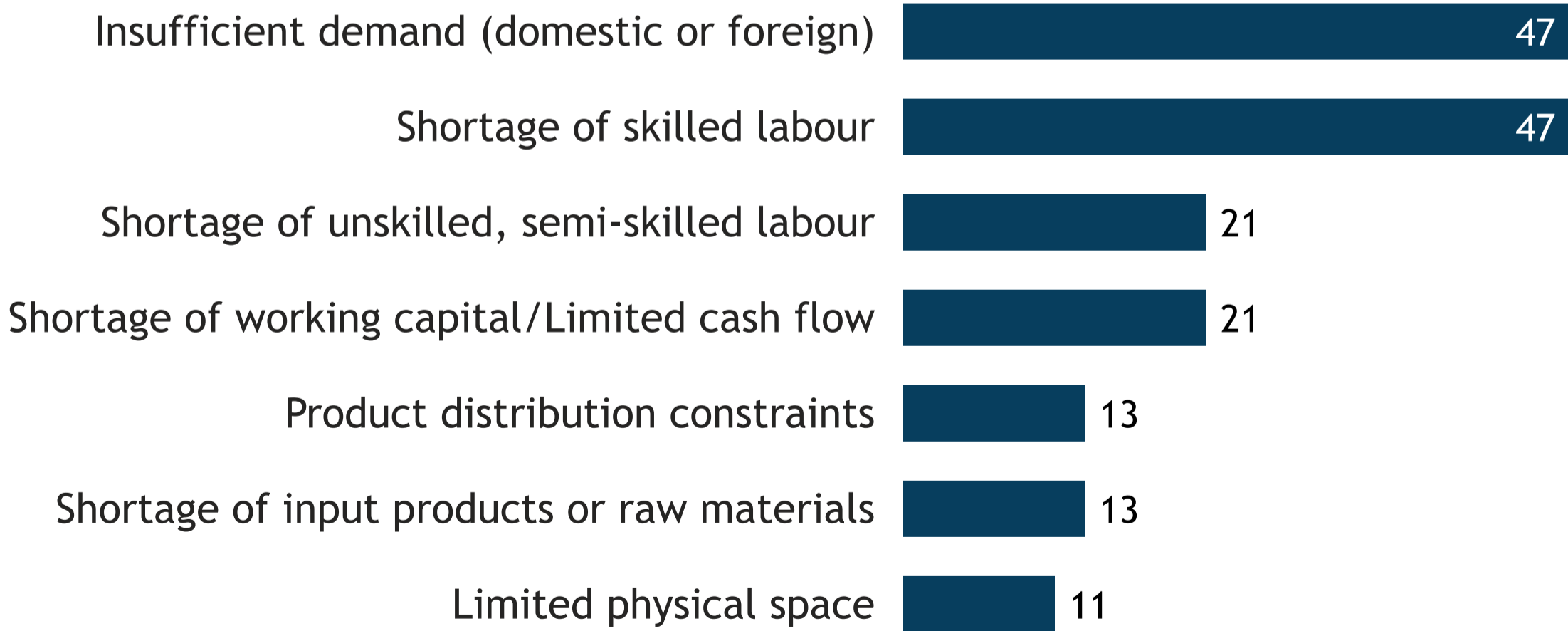
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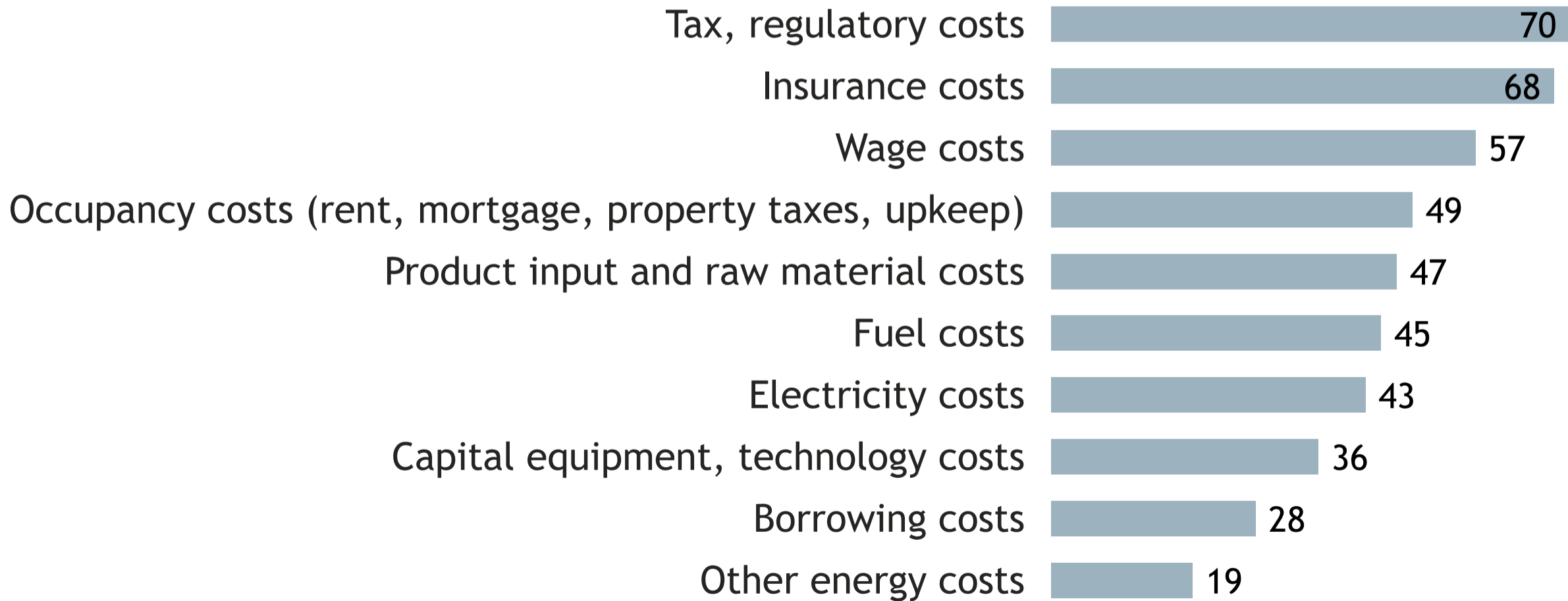
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



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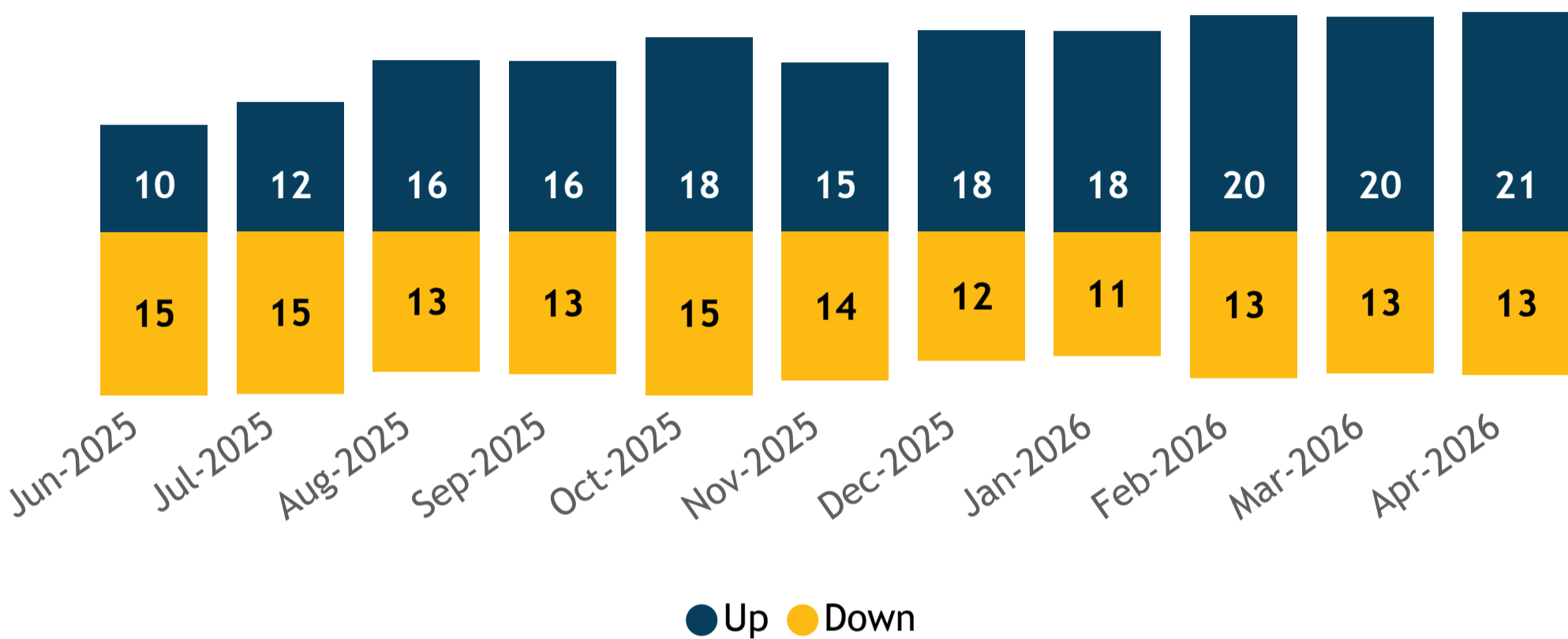
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Responses: 181

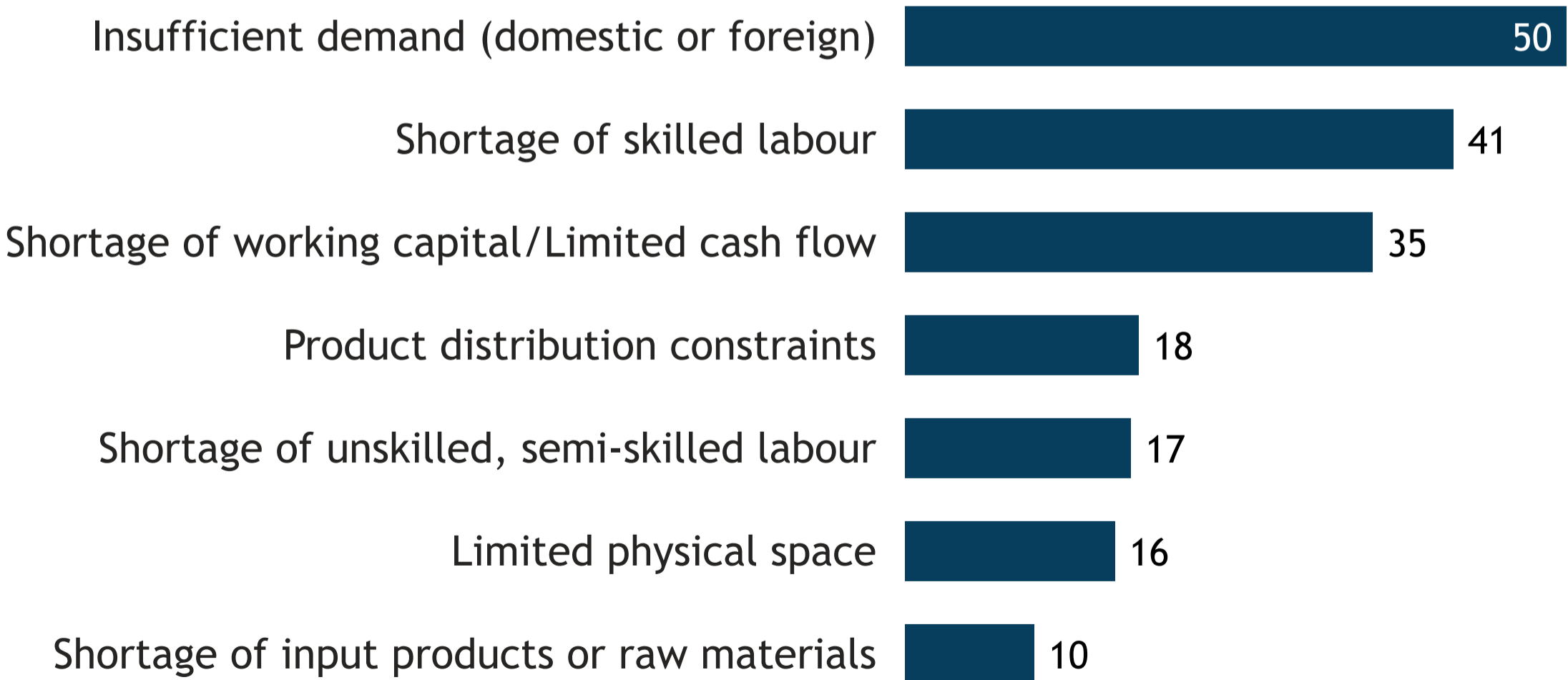
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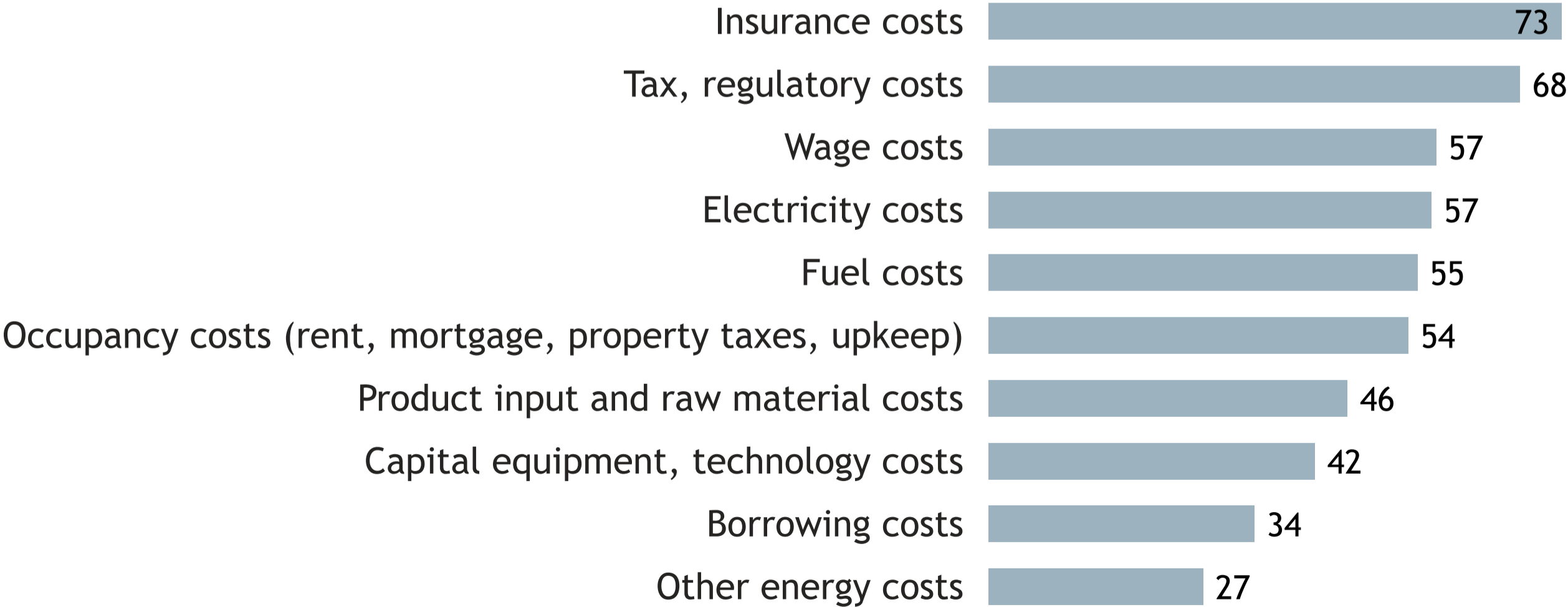
Full-time Staffing Plans



Limitations on sales or production growth



Major input cost constraints



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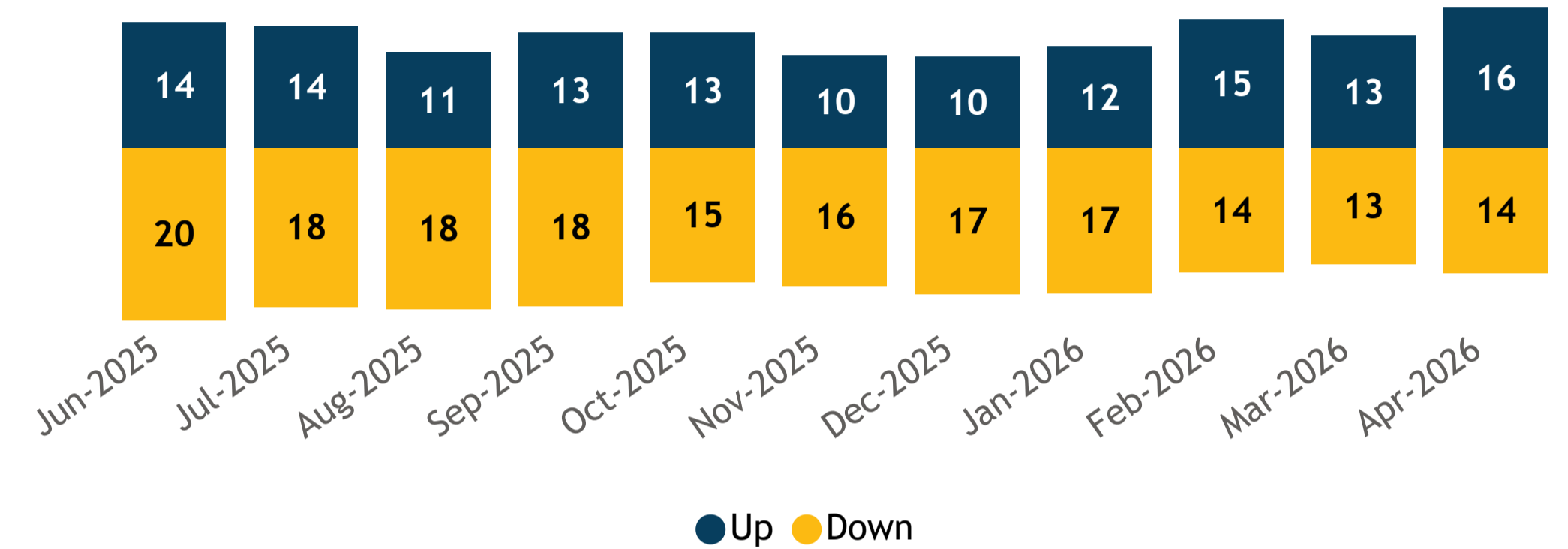
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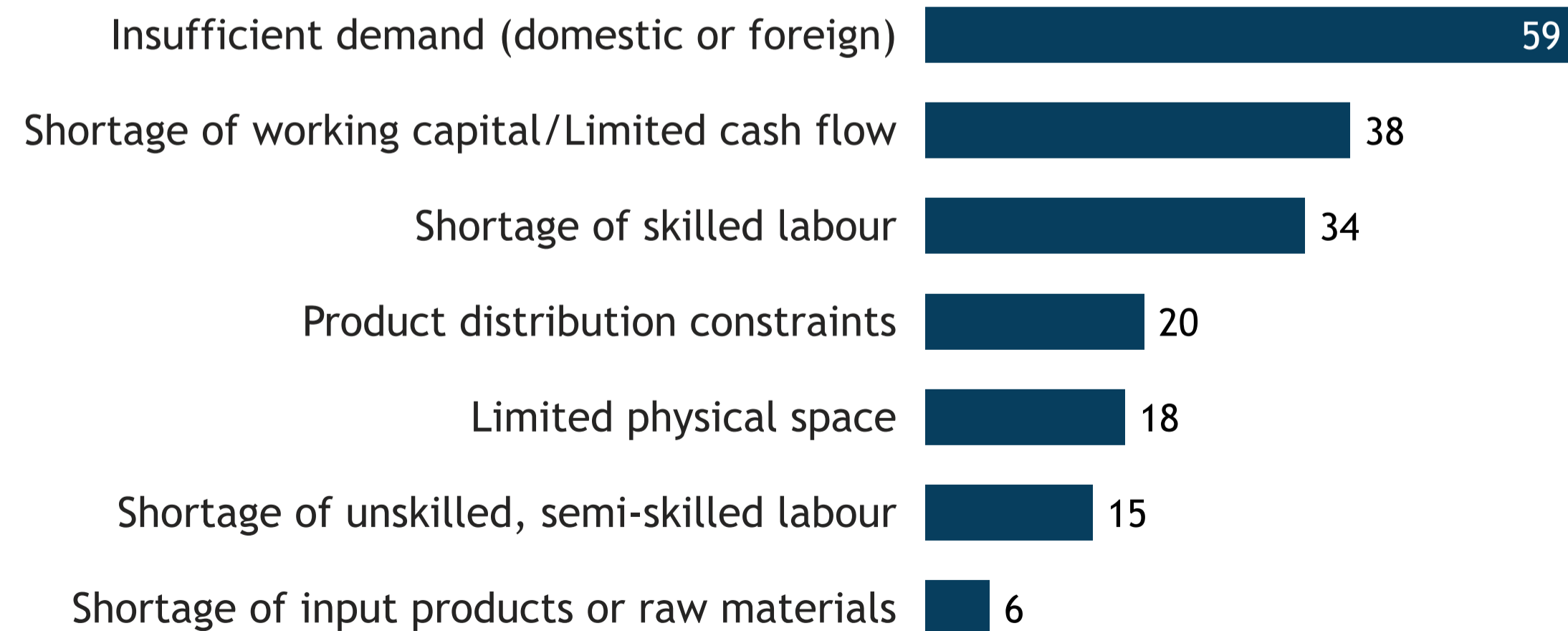
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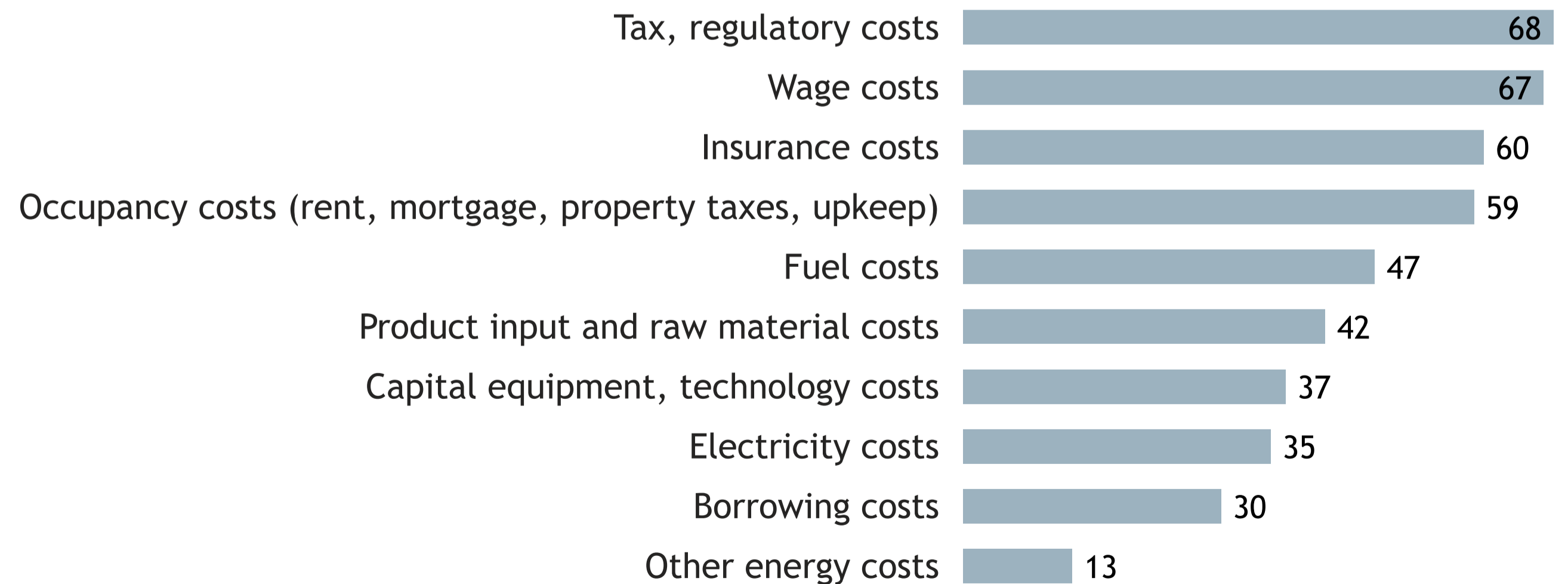
Full-time Staffing Plans



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