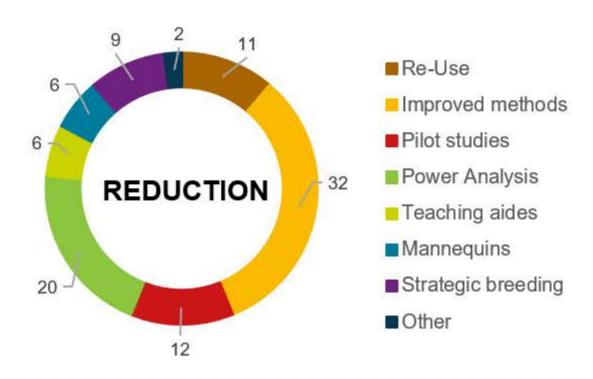
2022 3 Rs - Reduction



44 organisations provided information about reduction of animals at their organisation

98 responses were received from these organisations*

*Individual returns are provided for each species. Some responses met the criteria for multiple reduction categories, these are reflected in the numbers given in the figure.

Categories

Re-Use

Improved methods

Pilot studies

Power Analysis

In vitro

Teaching aides

Mannequins

Strategic breeding

Other

Description

Animals were reused or used from other experiments.

Improved experimental design reduced the number of animals required.

Pilot studies were used to answer preliminary questions and reduced animal numbers.

Power analysis was used to calculate the minimum viable number of animals required.

In vitro analyses were used alongside other types of analysis.

Teaching aides reduced the number of animals required for teaching.

Mannequins reduced the number of animals required for teaching.

Strategic breeding was used to optimise the number of animals bred for experiments.

Historic data were used to reduce animal numbers.

