

GDevCon#6

EVENT REPORT

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EVENT OVERVIEW

Date

9-11 September 2025

Location

Brighton Dome, Brighton, UK

Attendees

185 (same as GDevCon#5)

Sponsors

19 Sponsors (same as GDevCon#5)



WHO ATTENDED?

G Companies

106 different companies were represented within the GDevCon#6 audience. 23 companies had not attended an event previously. This is a slight decrease from the previous year (113), but showed more teams attending which is something we continue to encourage.

A list of companies who attended can be located in Appendix 1.

G Attendees

This year we sold 186 tickets with just one 'no-show', putting this on par with the previous event when more tickets were sold (191) but more 'no-shows' were recorded.

32% of attendees had not attended a GDevCon Europe event before. Of the 66 attendees who completed the feedback form, 50% had attended at least two events before GDevCon#6.

G Sector Representation

9 different sectors were represented by the companies attending:

- Automotive
- Aerospace/Defence
- Energy
- Manufacturing
- Academic/Research
- Consulting - System Integration
- Equipment Supply
- Rail
- Marine

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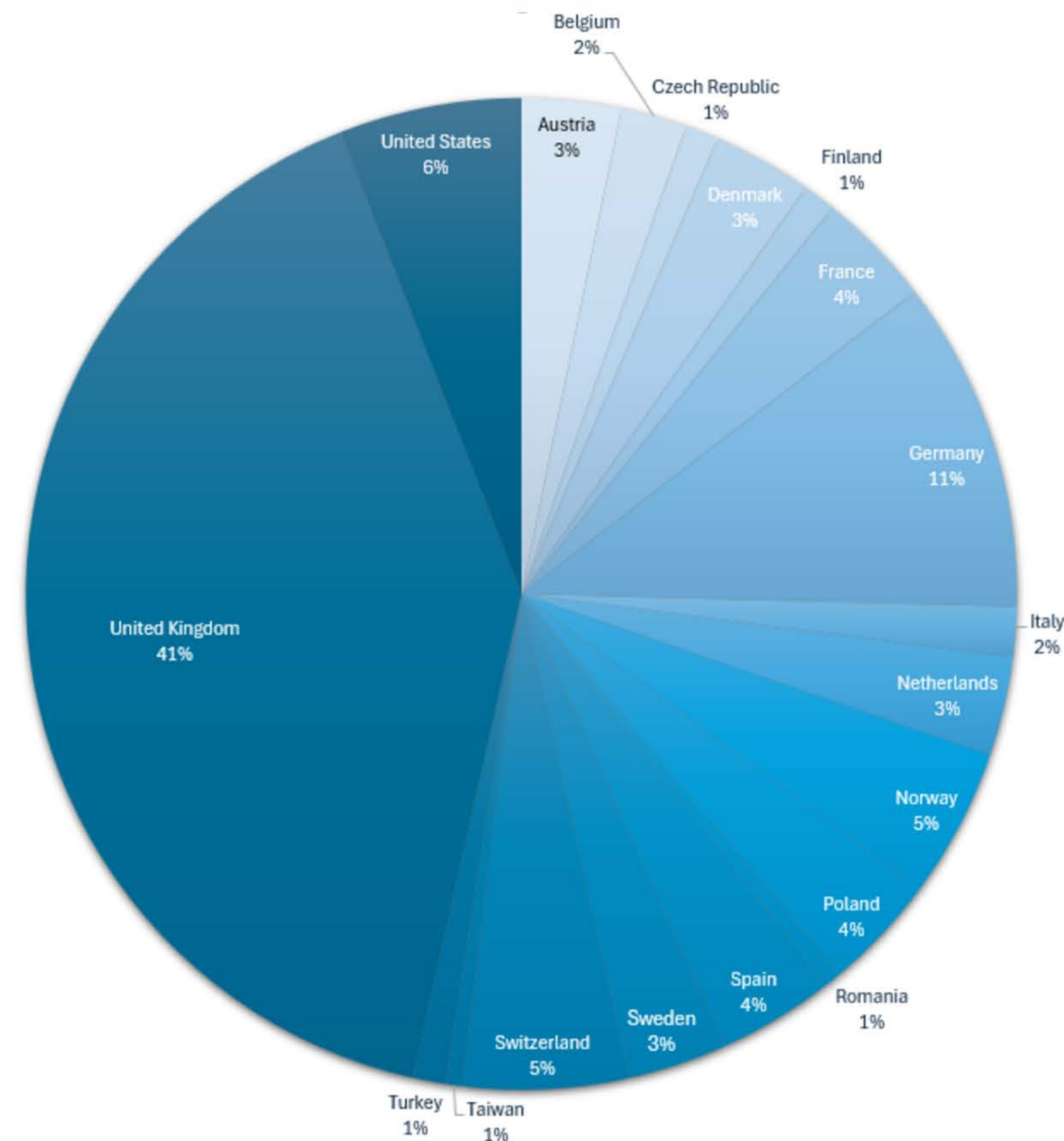
G Countries of Origin

Delegates travelled from 19 different countries to attend the event.

G LabVIEW Experience

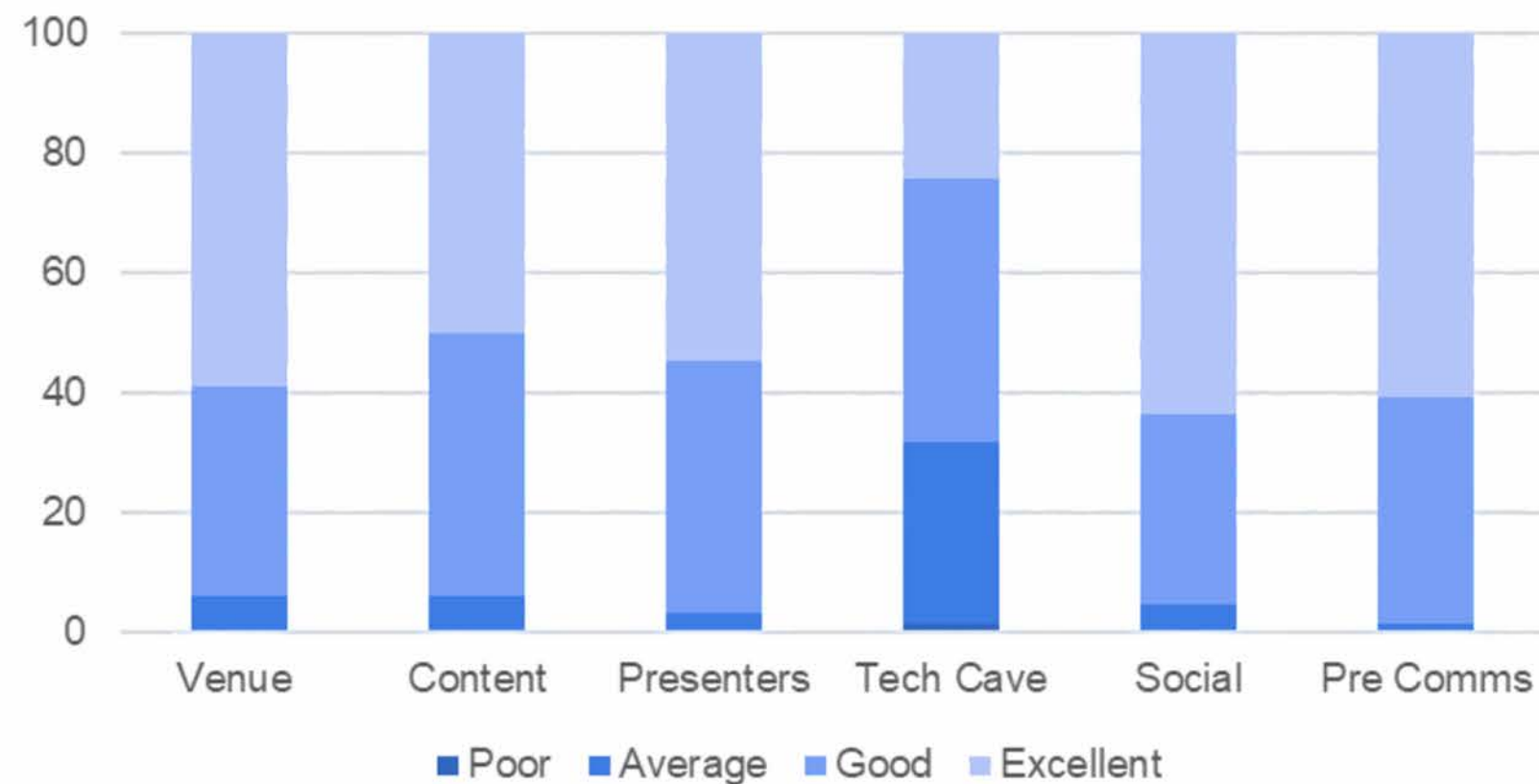
From our post-event survey (based on 36% response rate), 65% of respondents identified that they had at least 10 years experience working with LabVIEW. Only 18% had less than 5 years experience.

We continue in our goal to expand who attends our events to include those with less familiarity but this remains work in progress.



EVENT FEEDBACK*

We asked all respondents to rate key elements of the event on a scale of 'poor' to 'excellent'. The results of which can be seen below.



Overall this is a very positive picture with the social event having the largest growth in positive feedback. As a team we continue to review all elements of the event to make changes to the way in which it's delivered.

*Based on a sample of 66 people



GENERAL FEEDBACK - THE POSITIVE



I very much like the concept of the three day event with the presentations in the morning/noon and afterwards the huddles with enough time in the breaks. So, the information overflow is not too big.



Excellent event!



Overall an excellent, technical event and I hope to attend next year.



Very much enjoyed my first GDevCon and got a lot out of it.



I want to sincerely thank the entire GDev Team for a wonderful event! All your efforts are appreciated! You're Awesome!



The welcome at the front desk at the venue was lovely.



Fantastic!

I'll be back next year :-)

GENERAL FEEDBACK - AREAS FOR REVIEW



Only slight down on the venue due to the layout of the main room making it difficult to slip in and out, I get fidgety! Normally I would use the streaming room in these times.



I found DQMH overrepresented.



Very good event but its hard for young people to talk to some people because its already a family



Food was very good but there was an issue with quantities. It was better previous years where we could serve ourselves the right quantity.



I'd rather have a few more presentations and e.g. only one huddle per day.



I would be interested in more technical / advanced presentations.



Would be great to build a community within the conference for the early career developers with less than 5 years of experience. Some topics were quite advanced that I probably wouldn't use this information but there definitely was a lot to be gained from this targeted group having discussions.

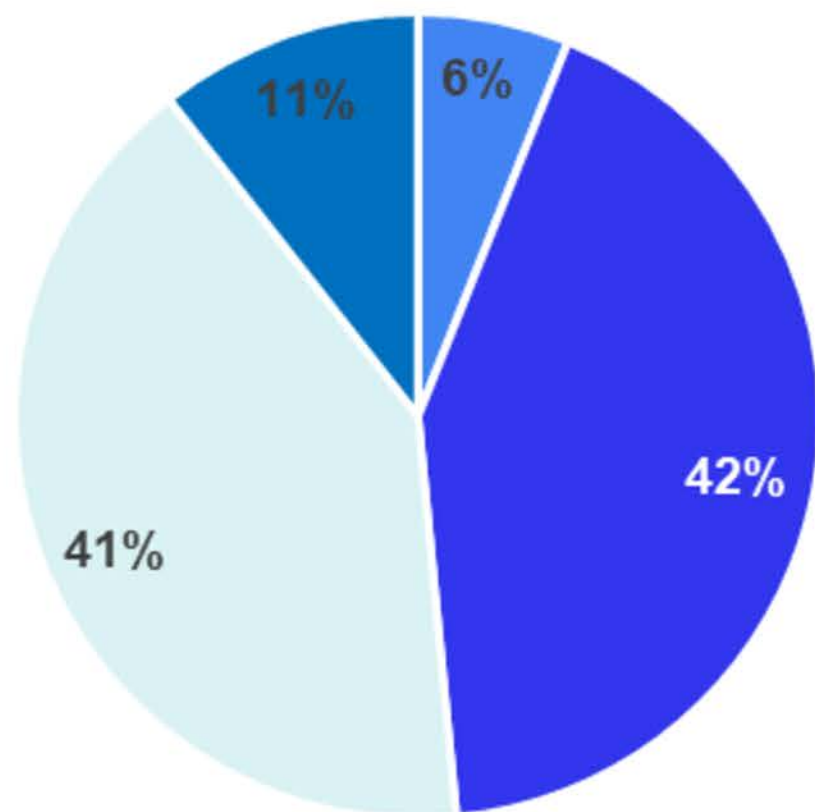
A FOCUS ON HUDDLES

“ Use of Discord ”

A small number of comments suggested that there were challenges around the use of Discord for screen sharing and the general use of Discord for this part of the event.

If you attended the Huddles, what did you think of them?

■ Poor ■ Good ■ Excellent ■ Did not attend



“ Information from Huddle leaders ”

A number of respondents requested that further information about each session is shared in advance to clarify purpose of the huddle. There was also a request for facilitators to identify whether laptops are required in advance (and for plug sockets to be available).

“ Huddles for Beginners ”

A couple of comments were made about accessibility in terms of being able to participate as someone with less experience.

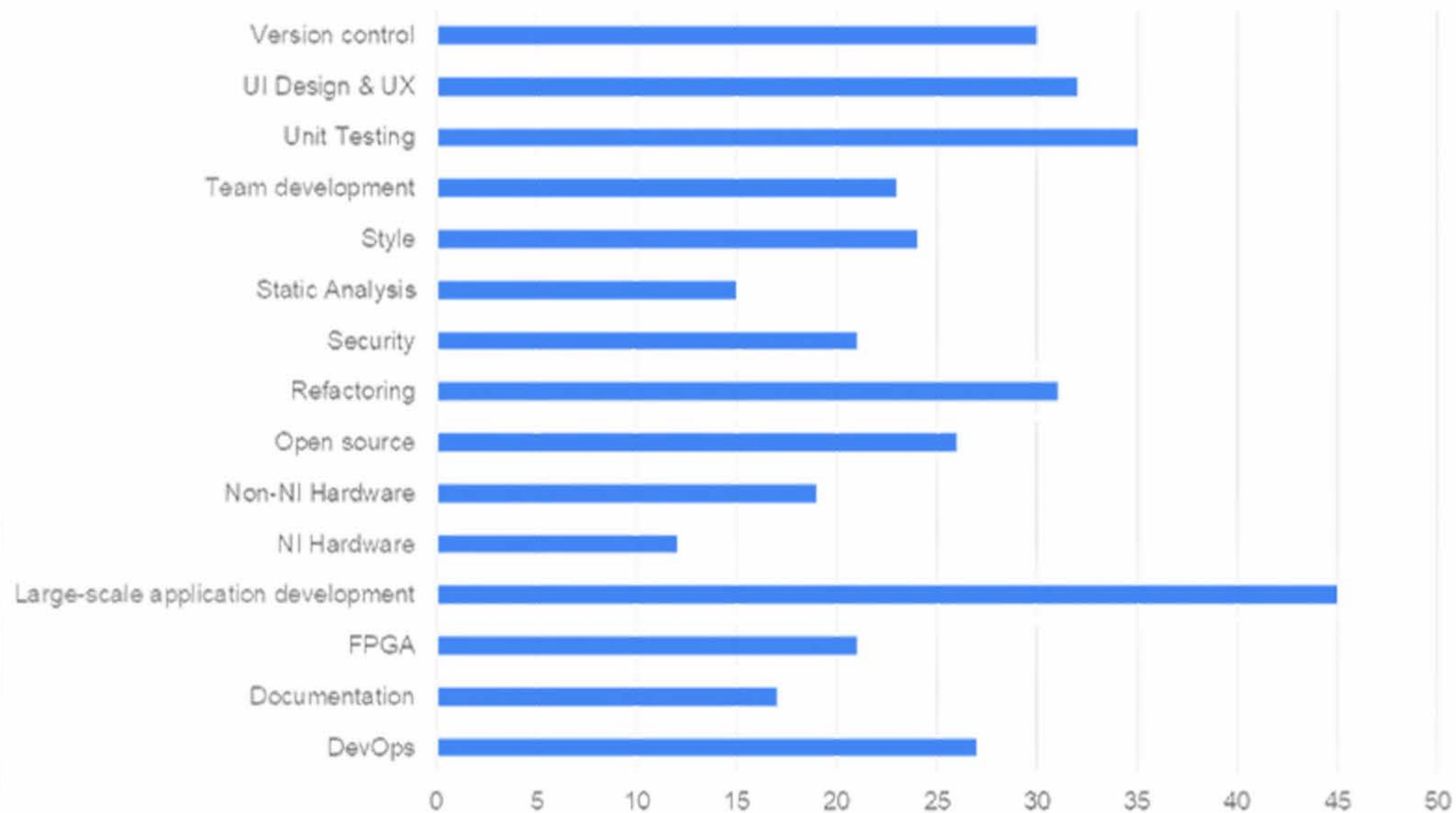


WHAT TOPICS DO ATTENDEES WANT TO SEE MORE OF?

We asked respondents to identify topics which they'd like to see presented at a future GDevCon event. This detail, as last year, will be shared within the presenter information pack.

Additional topics included:

- Performance
- Design patterns - specifically architecture patterns
- High speed FPGA and FPGA control systems
- Building businesses around a LabVIEW and NI ecosystem
- The use of AI and the ability of LabVIEW to 'deal' with it



... can write code that a
... can understand.
... programmers write code
... can understand.

Martin Fowler

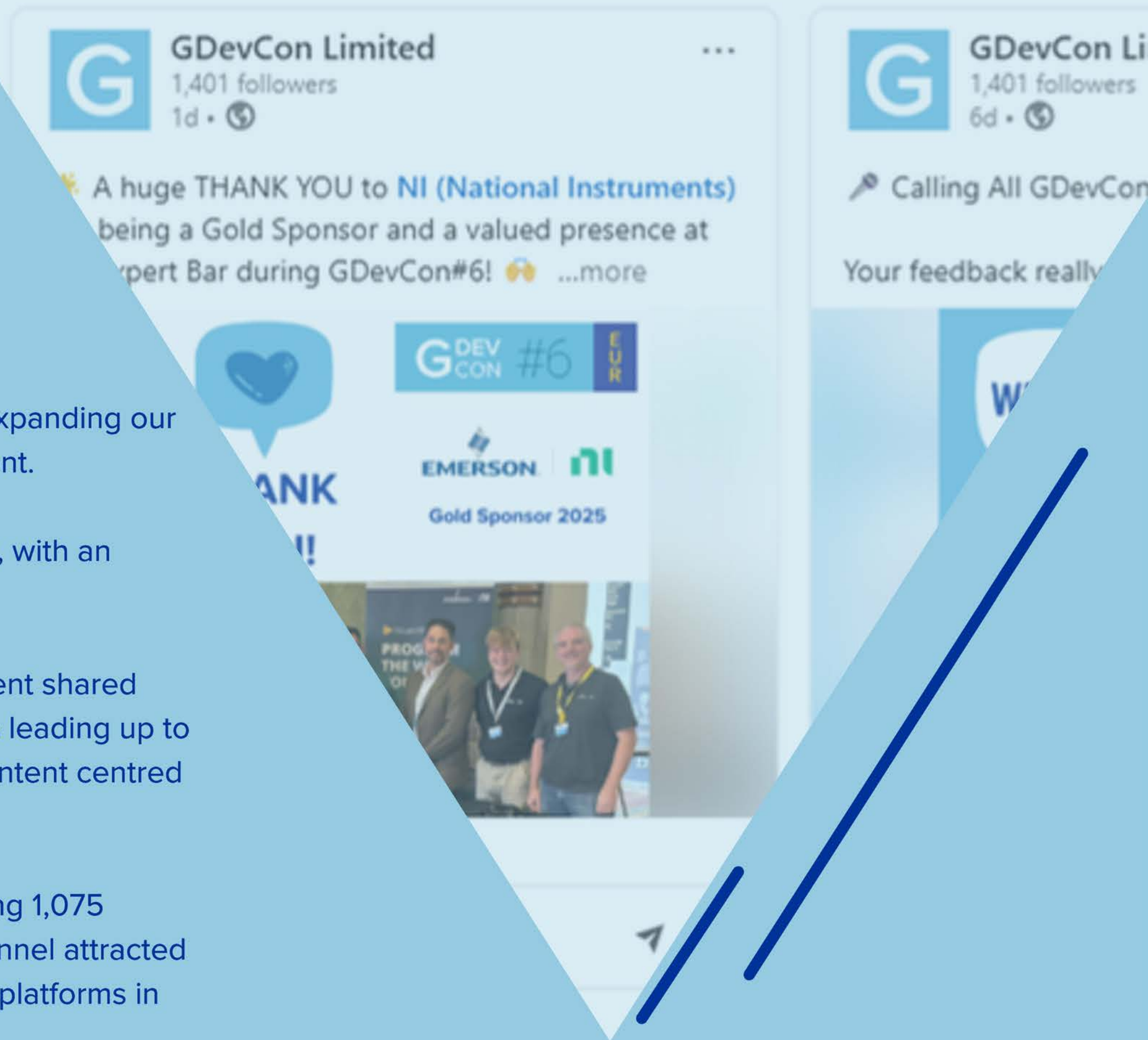
SOCIAL MEDIA & DIGITAL ENGAGEMENT

As a key channel for connecting with our audience, we are focused on expanding our reach through the ongoing development of engaging social media content.

Over the past 12 months, our LinkedIn presence has seen steady growth, with an increase of 189 followers—reflecting a 12% year-on-year rise.

Social media activity remained consistent throughout the year, with content shared regularly and increasing to up to five posts per week in the three months leading up to the event. Engagement levels were strong, particularly in response to content centred around storytelling.

Our event's YouTube channel also demonstrated positive growth, reaching 1,075 subscribers—an increase of 13% compared to the previous year. The channel attracted 14.6k views over the same period, continuing to outperform comparable platforms in both reach and engagement.



HUGE THANKS TO ALL OUR SPONSORS!



WHAT NEXT?

Plans are underway for GDevCon#7 in Belgium.

Details coming soon!

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APPENDIX 1: COMPANIES ATTENDED

Agilent Technologies LDA UK Ltd
Amfax Ltd
AMH Test Systems Limited
ANGARA Technology Sàrl
Anscombe Software
Arden Photonics
Aselsan
ASML
Astemes Ab
Austin Consultants
BAE Systems
BAE SYSTEMS MARINE Ltd.
Beckhoff Automation
BSH Hausgeräte GbmH
Bürkert Werke GmbH & Co. KG
Cardiff University
Carya Automatisering
Casale SA
CCS Ltd
Choose Movement Consulting
Collins Aerospace
Control Software Solutions
Convertertec Poland
Delta energy Systems
Emerson
ExtendTest
FAAM / NCAS
Farnell
Fida Biosystems
Framatome
Frauscher Sensortechnik GmbH

Fundacion Tekniker
G2CPU / QPLOX
Genesee Technologies Ltd
GPower
Greenside Test Solutions Ltd
Hampel Software Engineering
Hasbun Wood Engineering
Helbling Technik AG
Herzog Engineering
IABG mbH
Infinitesima Ltd
Ingenieurbüro Thomas Schön
Intelligent Energy Limited
Intersoft Electronics NV
JAGA
Jaguar Land Rover
JDP Science Ltd
JKI
Jungheinrich AG
justACS
KAI GmbH
Kalbermatter Engineering
Kongsberg
Kreiseder IT Services
Lat51 Space Systems
Leadec Automation & Engineering
GmbH
LS Instruments AG
Mequadrat AG

MET S.r.l.
Mili Solutions Ltd
Moog AG
Murmah LabVIEW Consultants SL
National Physical Laboratory
NECSI Engineering s.r.l.
Niemelä Tech Consulting AB
Nokian Heavy Tyres
Novator Solutions AB
Novatron Fusion Group
Orbimation Technology
Phalanx
Phinia Delphi UK Ltd
Pickering Interfaces Ltd
Politecnico di Milano
Precision Acoustics Ltd
Radiotechnika Marketing Sp .z o.o.
Red Pitaya
Roketsan
Scania CV AB
Scarfe Controls
Sécheron Hasler CZ, spol. s r.o.
Sekanina Electronics ApS
SELFLAB AUTOMATION SRL
Sepha Ltd
SINTEF Ocean AS
SSDC Ltd
STFC
STUDIO BODs

Testeract
Thales
Thetic Engineering Ltd.
Tokamak Energy
Traton AB
ULMA EMBEDDED SOLUTIONS
S.COOP.
University of Oslo
Vertical Aerospace Group Ltd
VI Technologies
Vikings Software GmbH
Virinco AS
Williams Grand Prix Engineering
Limited
Wiresmith Technology
Wovalab
Yotta Volt UK LTD
Zuehlke Engineering