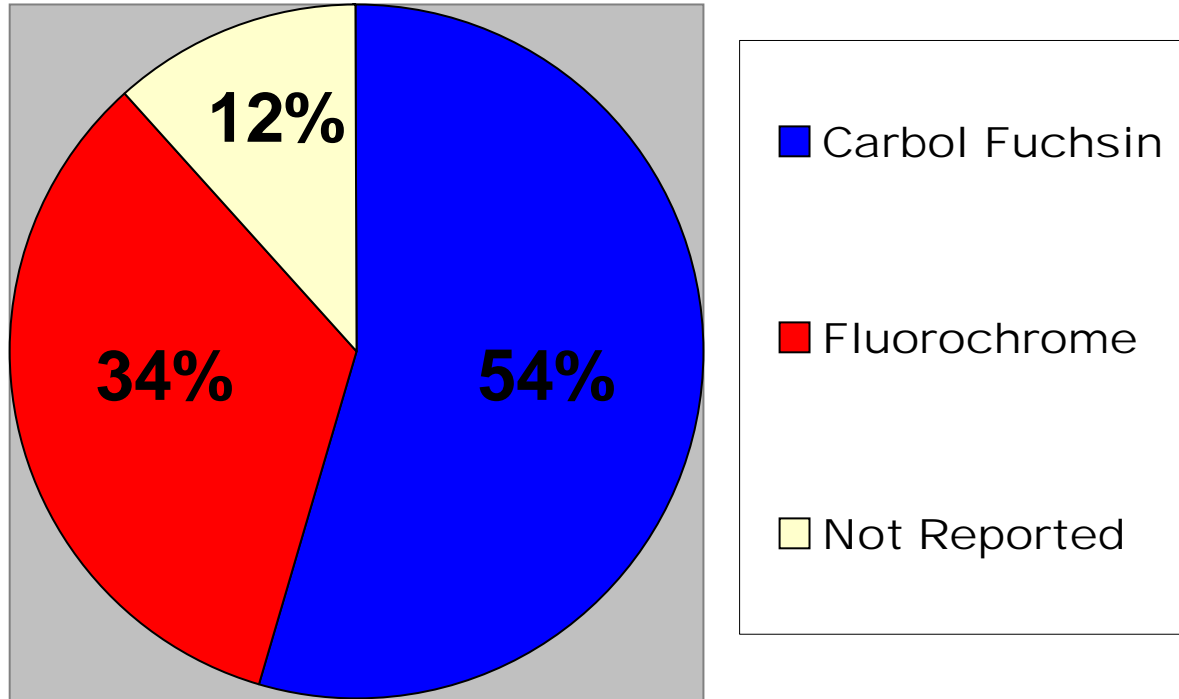


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20 total errors were reported by a total of 16 separate laboratories

9 errors were reported by laboratories using Carbol Fuchsin, 7 of which were false positive, and 2 were false negative.

9 errors were reported by laboratories using Fluorochrome methods, 6 of which were false positive and 3 were false negative.

Two errors were reported by laboratories that did not provide methodology.