

Survey of Sephardi/Mizrahi Archives in the Northeastern United States

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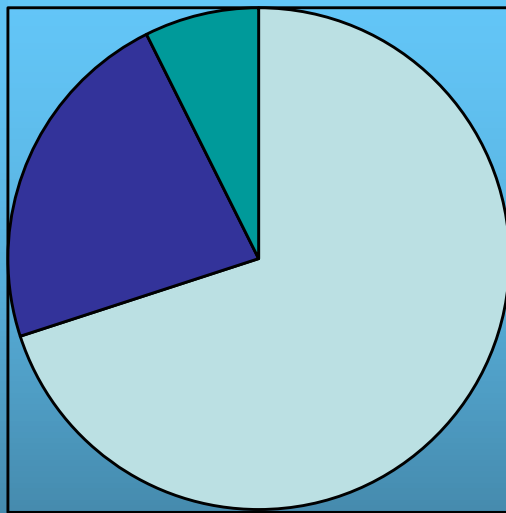
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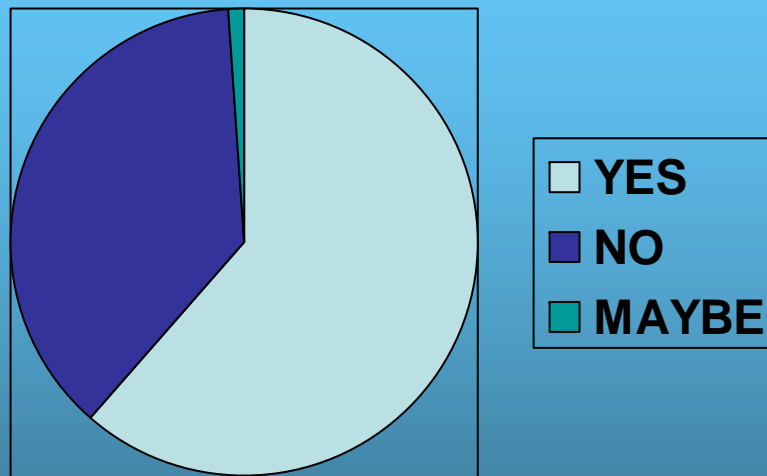


Breakdown of Responses by Entity



- Total of 80 responses
- A = Collecting repositories (56) 70 %
- B = Congregations (18) 22.5 %
- C = Scholars/ Individual Collectors (6) 7.5 %

Identification of Materials



Responses indicating whether the repositories possessed materials.

- 49 positive responses
61.25 %
- 1 possible positive
1.25%
- 30 negative responses
37.5 %

Congregation Shaare Zion—flagship of the Syrian Community



Aaron Lopez Letters

Capt: Gomez's Shipman
 Newport Novem: 9: 1770
 Sir
 I am directed by your command, being
 ready fitted for the sea, you are to embrace the first fair wind, & proceed directly to
 the Island of Jamaica, when on your safe arrival ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~any~~ Port you
 may judge most proper to dispose of your cargo for the best advantage, to effect
 which, have my Liberty to go from one Port to another till you complete the sales
 of the Cargo, which shall be glad if you'll endeavour to convert into Cash; but
 should you find it impracticable to Obtain money for the whole, you may take
 good use of Part, for the London ^{or some other} Market, which soon as effect, attend the
 arrival of Capt: Benjamin Wright to whom you are to deliver the whole of the
 next proceeds of your cargo & from the time of his arrival at Jamaica, follow his
 instructions in every Respect that has any regard to my interest, rendering all

Mr John Bours }
 Bro of Aaron Lopez } Newport Aug 27: 1772

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| 10 Rolls paper hangings | @ 26: 13 | £ 66: 10 |
| 2 Rolls Binding | at 13: 6 | |
| | at 13: 6 | £ 27: 16 |
| | | in Law: money £ 2: 19: 10 |
| 5 Rolls of Edward Hoarston | at 5: 3 | 1: 6: 3 |
| 4 1/2 Bolls Binding | at 2: 7/2 | 2: 7/2 |
| | at 4: 4 | 4: 4 |
| | | £ 5: 3: 10 |