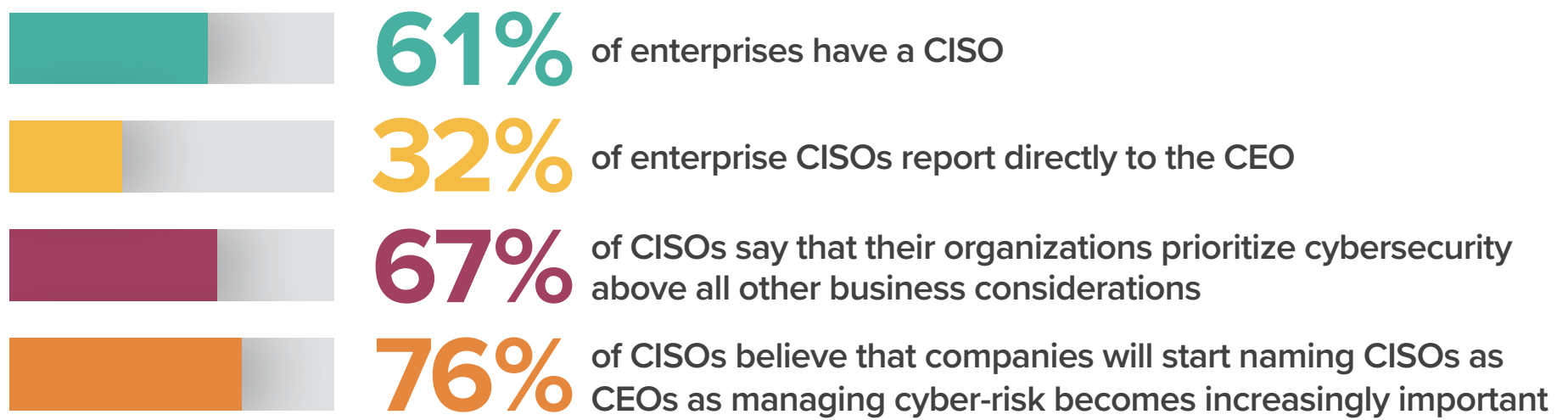


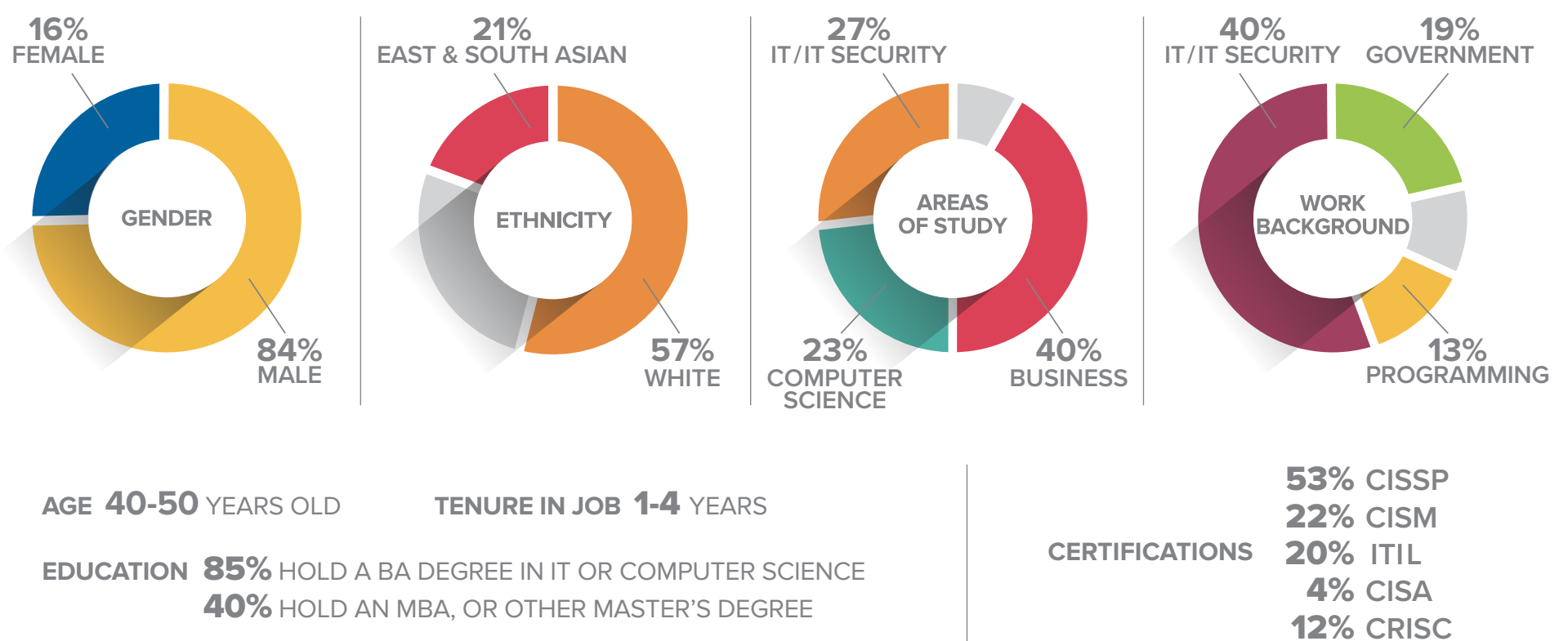
Today's CISO

Cybersecurity is now a high-level business priority and CISOs are growing in stature, with many in C-suite roles. What is the profile of today's CISO? What are their backgrounds, education, salaries, and responsibilities?

Cybersecurity is a business priority



CISO demographics

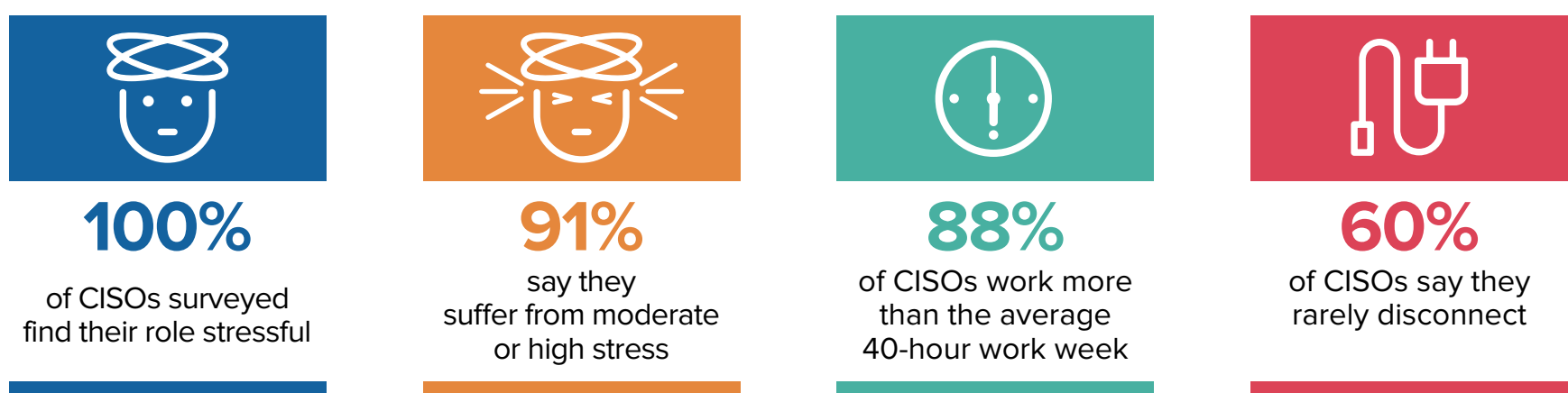


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- Second highest paying tech job in 2019, with annual salary range of **\$175,000 TO \$275,000**
- Median annual salary in 2019 was **\$156,659**
- Fortune 500s in big cities pay as much as **\$380,000 TO \$420,000**

With great responsibility comes great stress



CISO's wishlist

- 75%** CISOs say that AI will have a positive impact on reducing their job stress
- 67%** of CISOs want immediate and continuous visibility into their attack surface
- 83%** of CISOs want expanded cybersecurity budgets



As guardians of the enterprise cybersecurity posture, CISOs have the toughest job in the world. Learn more about [elements of cybersecurity posture transformation](#).

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