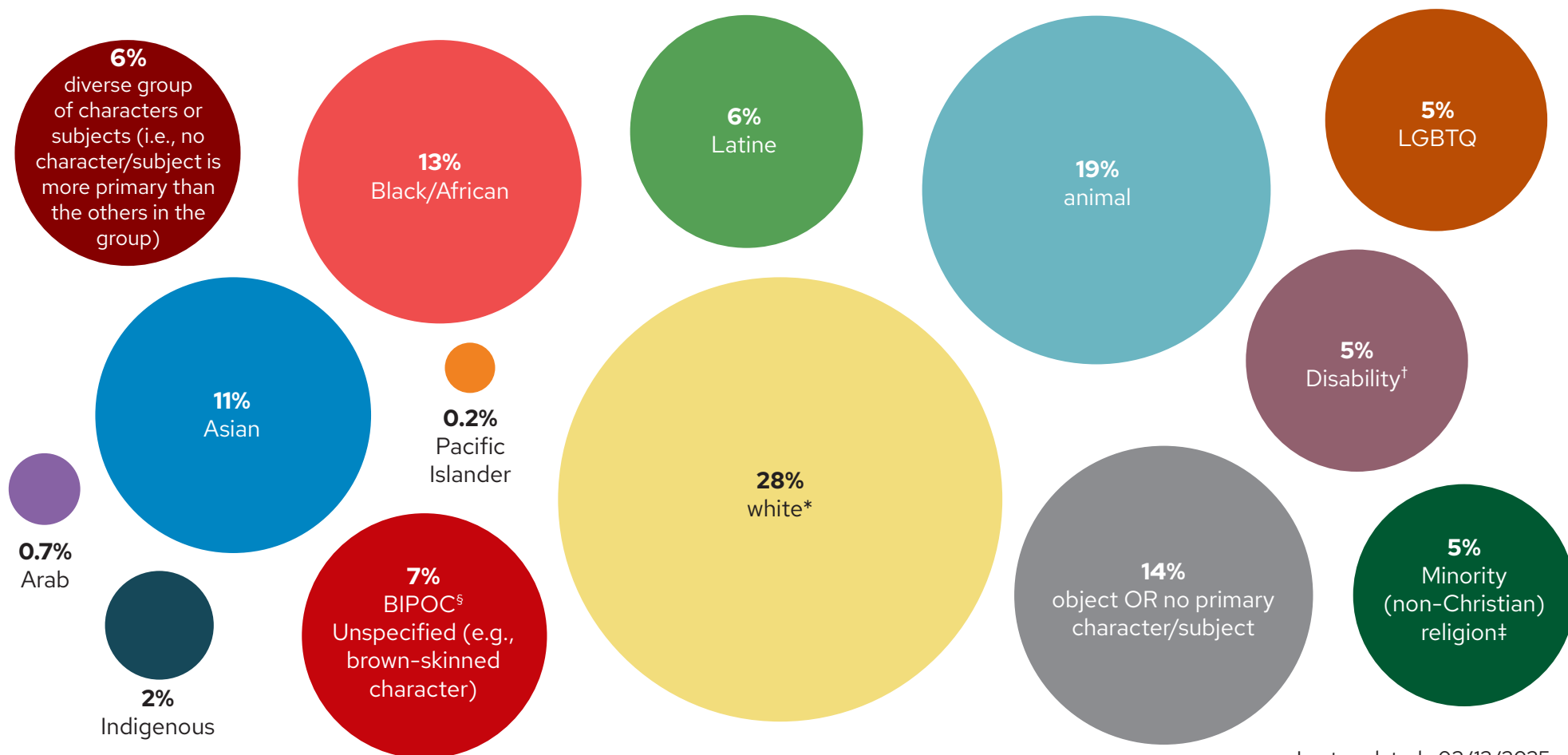


2024 CCBC Diversity Statistics: PRIMARY CHARACTER/SUBJECT

Race/Ethnicity, Disability, LGBTQ, Religion



37% of 3,619 total books received have at least one BIPOC[§] primary character (fiction) or human subject (nonfiction).

Individual books with multiple primary characters/subjects or primary characters/subjects with multiracial or intersectional identities will be counted in all applicable categories. Percentages are not mutually exclusive and cannot be combined to calculate a total of the whole.



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* "White" is not counted for multiracial characters/subjects so as not to misrepresent a BIPOC[§] individual as white.

† "Disability" includes physical, cognitive, neurological, and psychiatric disabilities.

‡ 3% Jewish, 2% Muslim, 0.8% other minority religion

§ Black, Indigenous, and People of Color