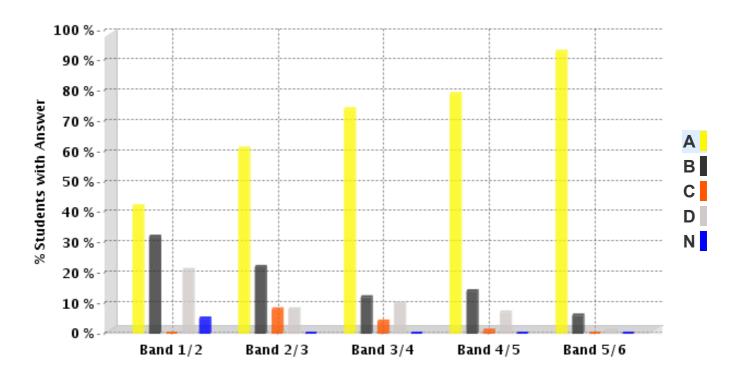
## **Question 9**

In response to society's concern for the environment, textile designers have sought to use fibres, such as bamboo, in garment manufacture.

What does this response reflect?

- A ✓ An environmental trend influencing designers
- **B** × Designers influencing an environmental trend
- **C** × Environmental factors affecting workers' status
- **D** × A designer's expertise affected by limited environmental resources

## **HSC Statistics on this Question:**



Band 1/2 Band 2/3 Band 3/4 Band 4/5 Band 5/6

<b>A</b> 42%	61%	74%	79%	93%	
<b>B</b> 32%	22%	12%	14%	6%	
<b>C</b> 0%	8%	4%	1%	0%	
<b>D</b> 21%	8%	10%	7%	1%	
<b>N</b> 5%	0%	0%	0%	0%	

The table and graph show, for the groups of students whose marks in the examination corresponded to the borderline between two bands, what percentages of each group selected the responses A, B, C and D. N is used to identify: No valid response.