Regional Course on Statistical Business Registers

Session 10: New developments in SBRs

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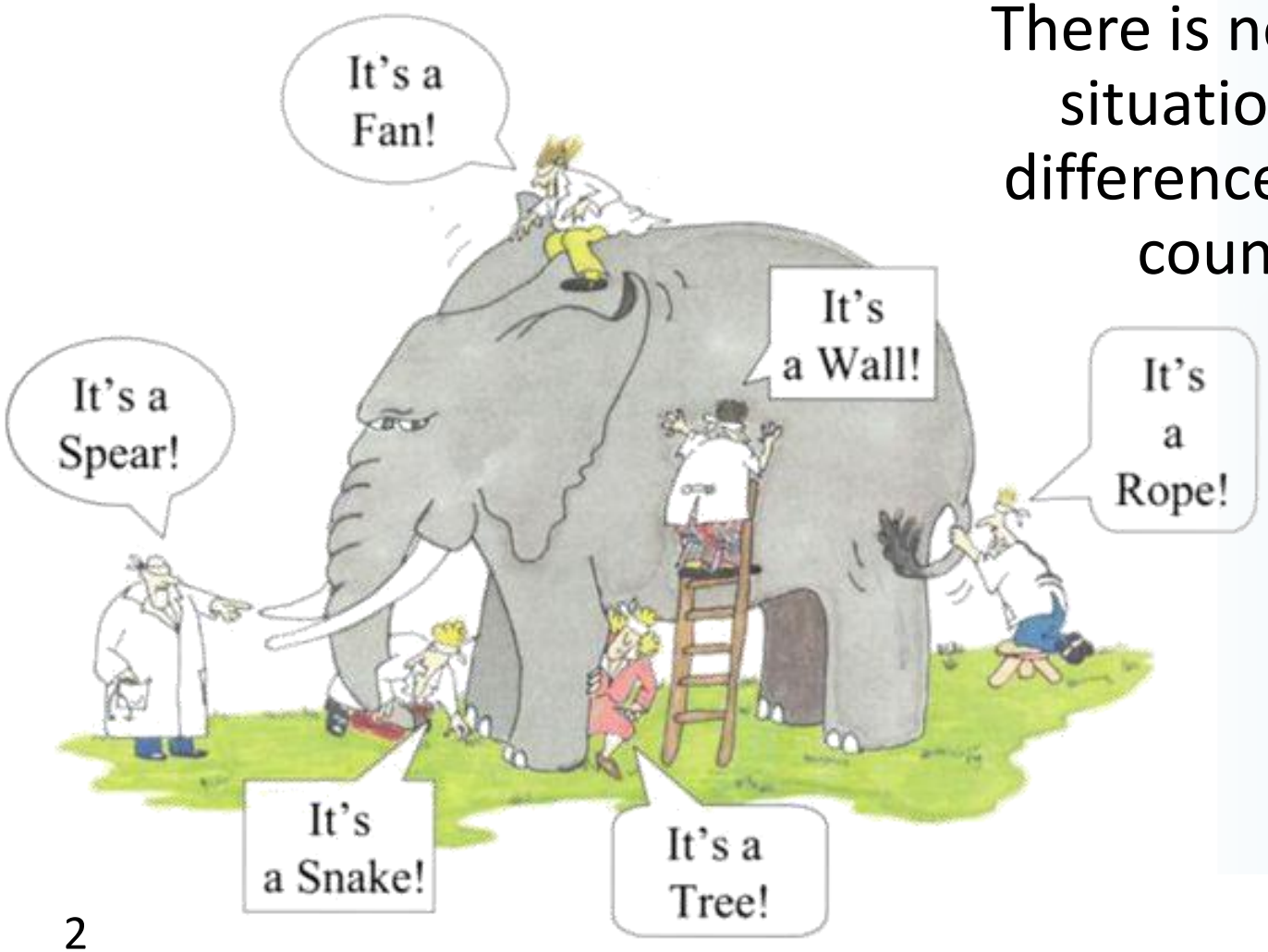
Importance of sharing experiences



There is no standard situation, many difference between countries.

SBR bodies

- UNCEBTS
  - Task Team Statistical Business Registers
- UN
  - Wiesbaden Group
- UNECE
  - Expert group on SBR

Task Team Statistical Business Registers

The task team focuses on further elaborating all elements of the Statistical Business Register Maturity Model (SBRMM).

The SBRMM is meant to provide countries with a tool to assess the stage of development of their SBRs and identify possible improvements to the SBR, so that no one is behind.

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The maturity model is a live framework that is periodically reviewed and adjusted. Having that in mind, the Maturity Model for Statistical Business Registers (SBRs) aims to be a tool to:

- share knowledge and best practices by means of a knowledge base
- determine the current state of your SBR by a self assessment questionnaire
- determine possible next steps for development
- find help and guidelines to actually be able to take those steps.

Areas of work – TT SBR

- Methodological work (Statistical Business Register Maturity Model)
- Capacity building
- Other areas, like
  - Multi National Enterprises
  - Infrastructure SBR
  - Knowledge sharing

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Member countries:

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Netherlands
Palestine
Portugal
South Africa
Turkey
UK
US

International Organisations

AfDB
Eurostat
IMF
OECD
UNSD

Task Team Statistical Business Registers

Highlights work program 2024

- SBR Maturity Model
  - Completing the toolkit
- Implementation ISIC revision
- Geospatial information
- Country presentations
- Big data for SBRs
  - Artificial Intelligence

1. Which of the topics have your interest?
2. Are there any topics missing from the list?

Task Team Statistical Business Registers

Next meeting: 2 May 2024

Interested? Please send a mail to Julian, Pedro or Hank.

Wiesbaden Group

- Every 2 years
- Sharing experiences
- Meeting colleagues in person
- Country progress reports
- 29th meeting in 2025
  - Looking for a host

28th meeting Wiesbaden group

- Country Progress Reports
- Profiling complex statistical units
- Globalization and Large Case Units
- Upcoming ISIC and NACE revision
- Workshop Maturity Model
  - Country Presentations
  - Advanced country presentations
  - Geospatial information
- New data sources: opportunities and challenges
- Redesigning the SBR

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Group of Experts on Business Registers

- 16 – 18 October 2024 Geneva

- Country Progress Reports
- The use of administrative data, big data, and other data sources
- Modernization of the statistical business register
- Classification of statistical units in the business register
- Producing statistics based on the business register
- The statistical business register and the digital and green economy
- The maturity model for statistical business registers
- Publication and confidentiality

Country Progress Reports 2023

28th Wiesbaden Group meeting

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Reporter Data

Are you the person responsible for the SBR of your country or organisation?

☐ YES ☐ NO

First Name:

Last Name:

Gender:

Country

Institution:

Position or Title:

E-mail:

Telephone:

Country code *Telephone*

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I. Organisation, Population and Usage of the Statistical Business Register

1. Name of the register

2. Name of the organisation responsible for holding the register

3. Position of the register unit in the organisation

4. Number of employees in the register unit (Headcount employees)

5. Primary goal and use of the register

6. Year of establishment of the register

7. Year(s) of the main reengineering(s) of the register

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I. Organisation, Population and Usage of the Statistical Business Register (2)

8. Statistical units which can be identified in the SBR or by linking the SBR with another data source (respond yes or no for each of the items below)

Statistical unit	(Y/N)	Number of active units
Enterprise groups		
Enterprises		
Local Units		
Establishments(Local Kind-of-activity Units)		
Kind-of-activity Units		
Legal units		
Others		

9. SBR coverage (more than one option can be selected)

	Coverage
Non-financial corporations	
Financial corporations	
General Government	
Households	
Others (specifiy)	

I. Organisation, Population and Usage of the Statistical Business Register (3)

10. Updating data sources
(respond yes or no for each of the items below)

	(Y/N)	Specify
Administrative data (e.g. tax, address, population registers, etc. administrative data could be public, private or semi-public/semi-private)		
Censuses and surveys		
Statistical registers (i.e. other statistical registers than the SBR)		
Big data		
Others (specify)		

11. Does the register have geographical coordinates assigned to every address or could they be obtained through other registers linked to it?

II. Progress and Developments

Please list main achievements or problems you have tackled in the past year(maximum 3).
Also, please classify your answers according to the categories in each drop-down list.

1. Short title of work carried out | (Category)

Description of work (max 4-5 sentences)

2. Short title of work carried out | (Category)

Description of work (max 4-5 sentences)

3. Short title of work carried out | (Category)

Description of work (max 4-5 sentences)

III. Future plans

(Consider the future plans to know and address the impact of the pandemic derived from COVID-19)

Please list issues/projects (maximum 3) which you plan to tackle from this year onwards. Please classify them according to the categories in the drop-down list.

1. Short title of work planned | (Category)

Description of work (max 4-5 sentences)

2. Short title of work planned | (Category)

Description of work (max 4-5 sentences)

3. Short title of work planned | (Category)

Description of work (max 4-5 sentences)

IV. Main challenges

Please list main challenges (maximum 3) with respect to development, maintenance and use of your statistical business register. Please classify them according to the categories in the drop-down list.

1. Main challenge 1 (Category)

Description of the challenge

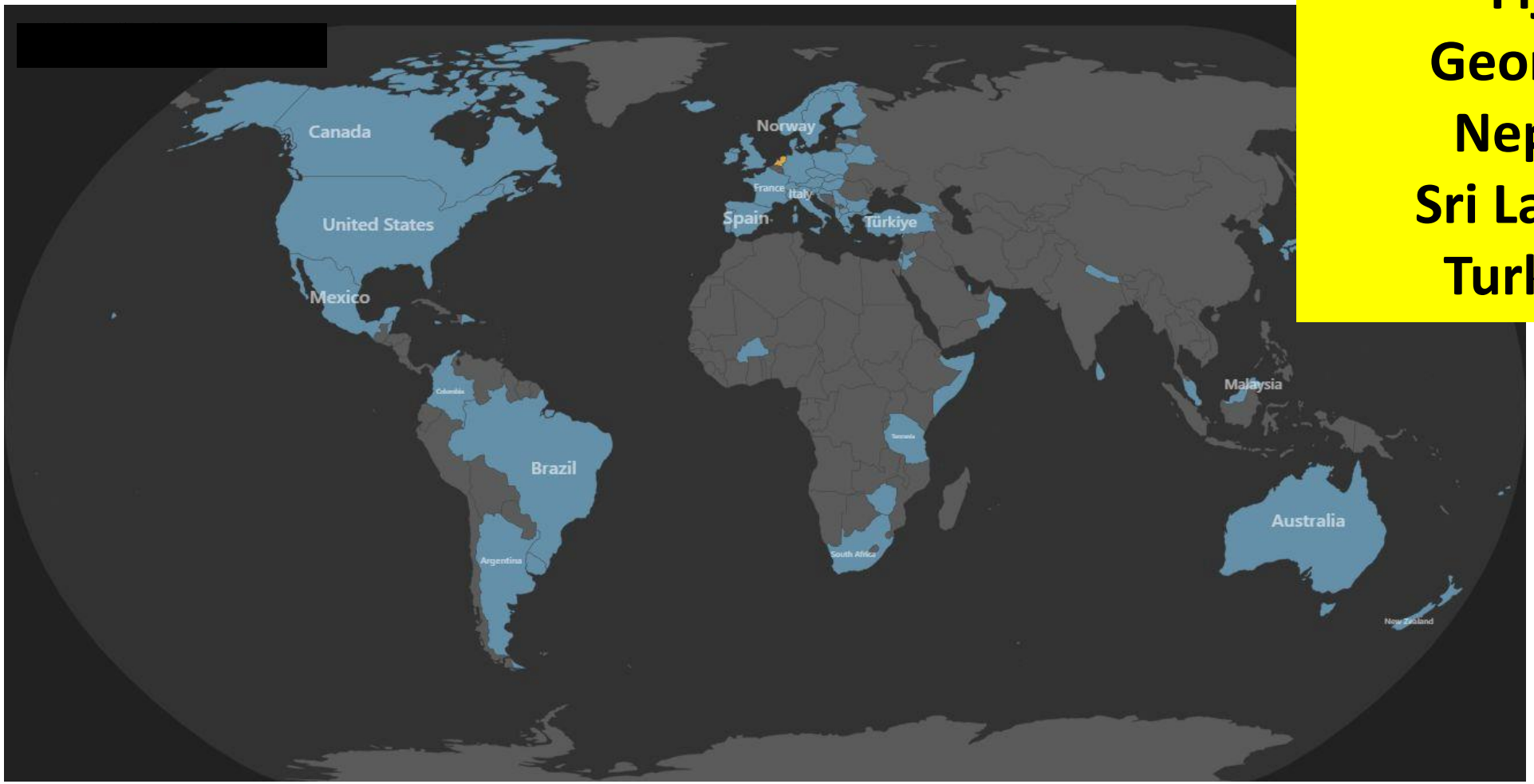
2. Main challenge 2 (Category)

Description of the challenge

3. Main challenge 3 (Category)

Description of the challenge

Response overview



Including:
Fiji
Georgia
Nepal
Sri Lanka
Turkey

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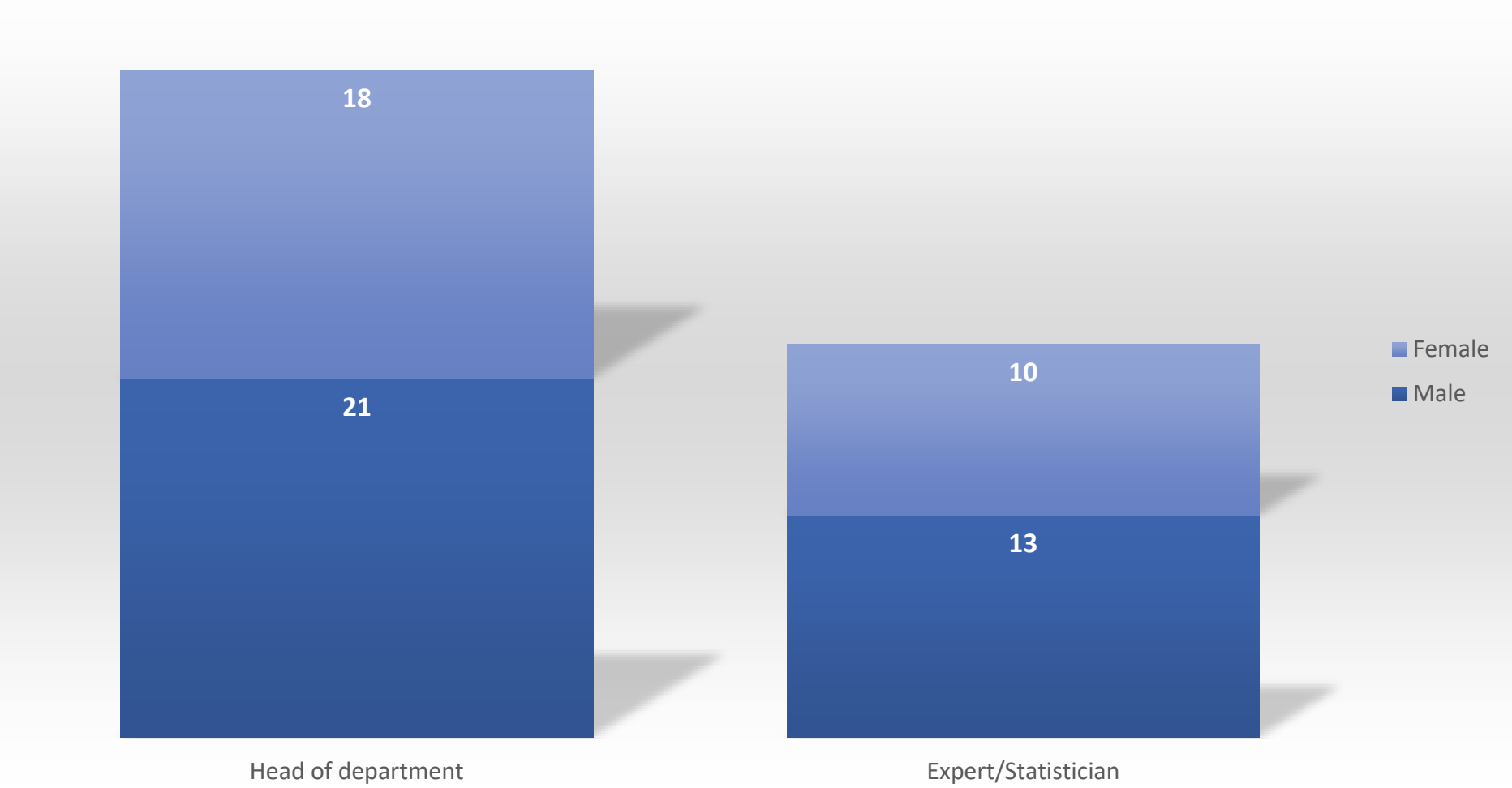
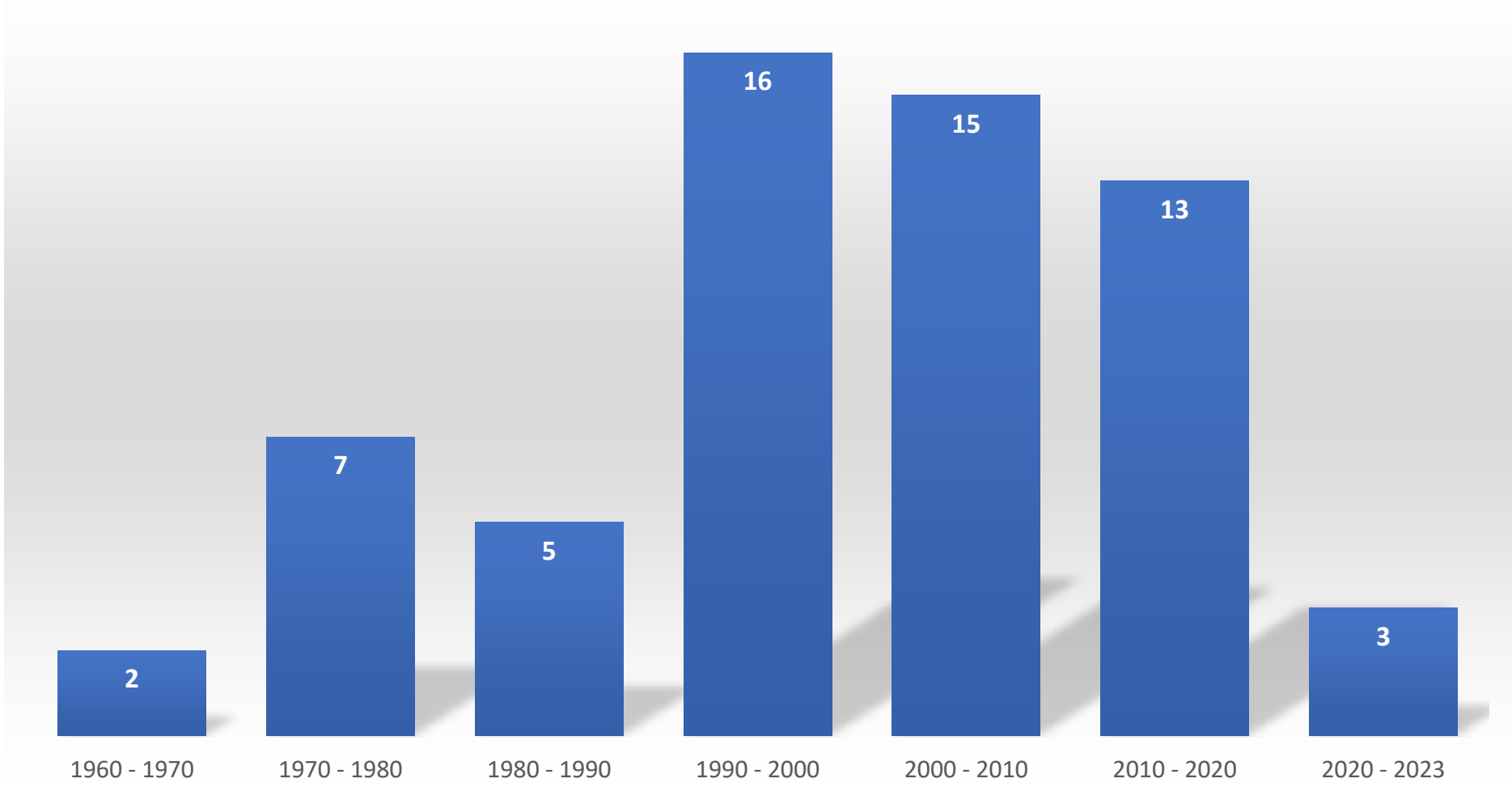
Response compared to 2021

Africa	America	Asia	Europe	Oceania
2021				
3	20	5	22	2
2023				
5	10	11	31	3

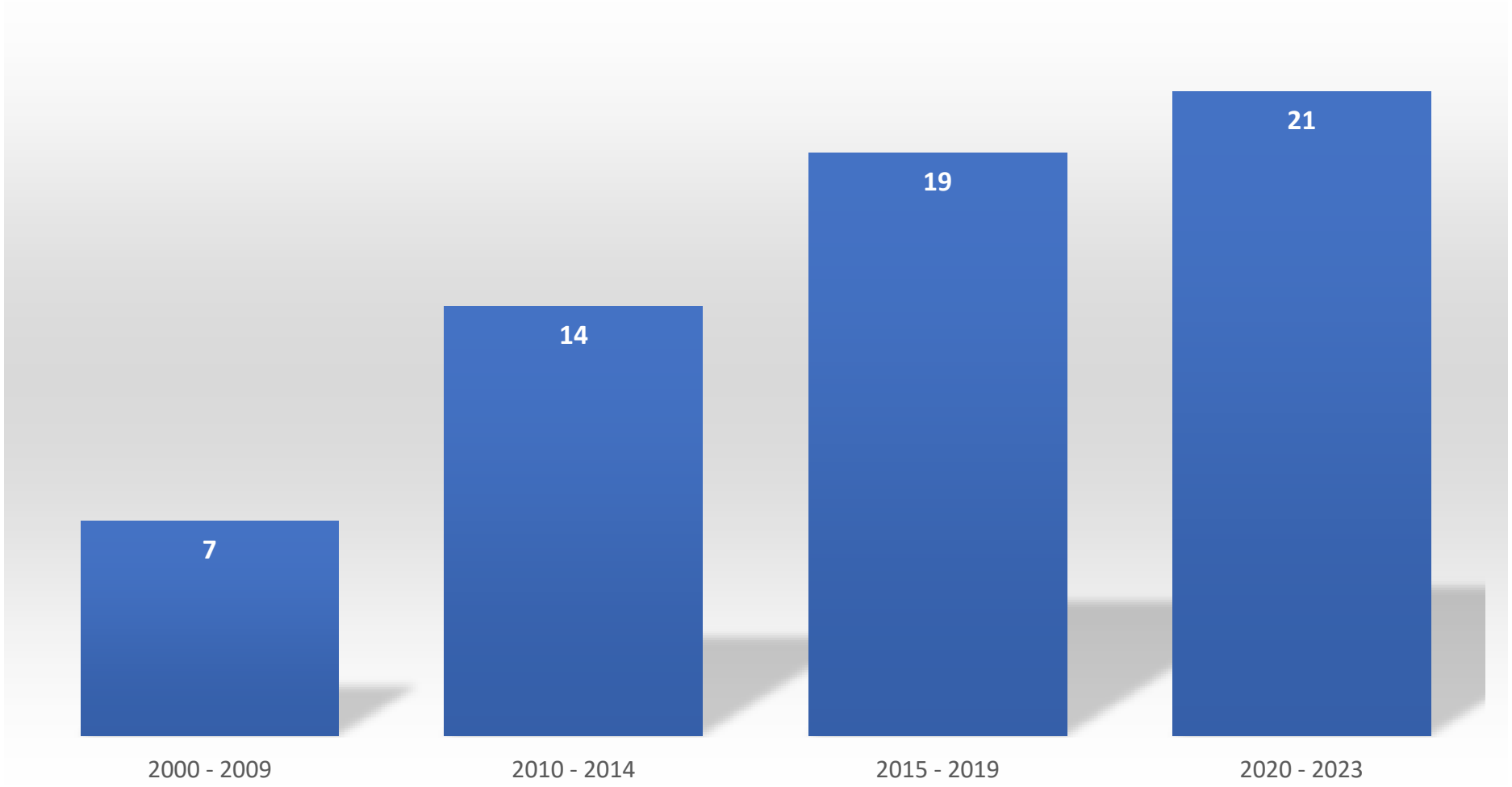
Respondents



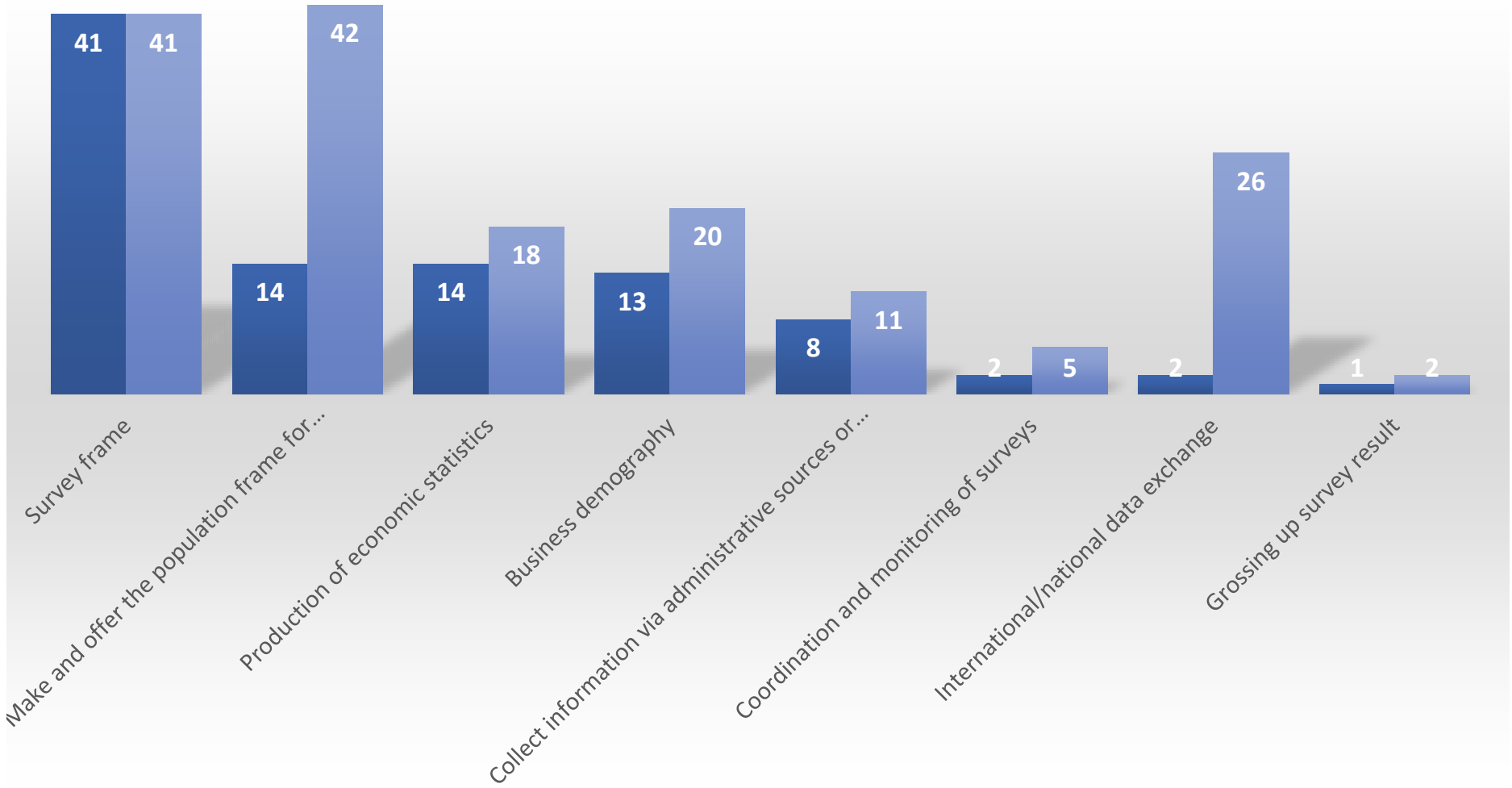
Year of establishment



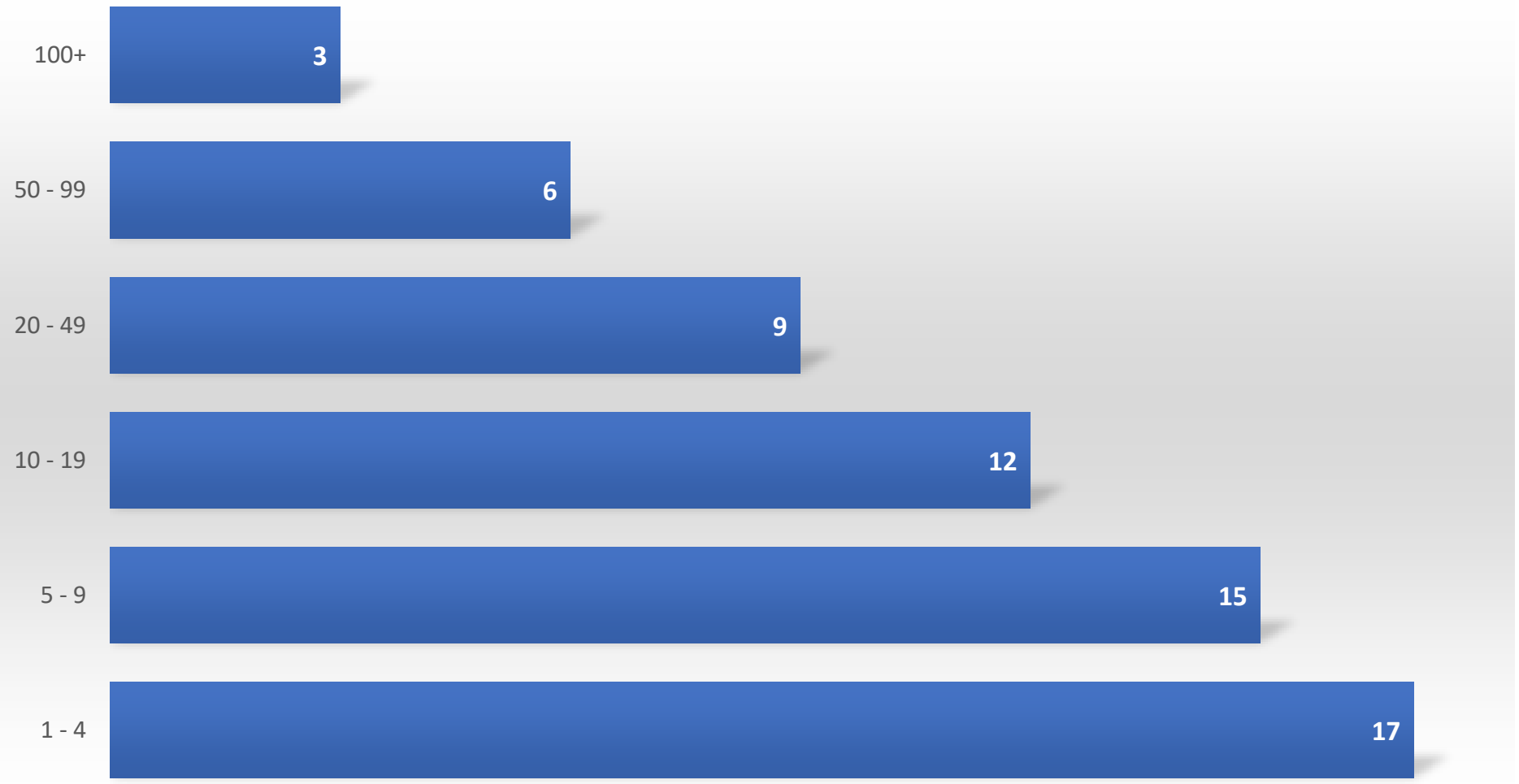
Year of latest reengineering



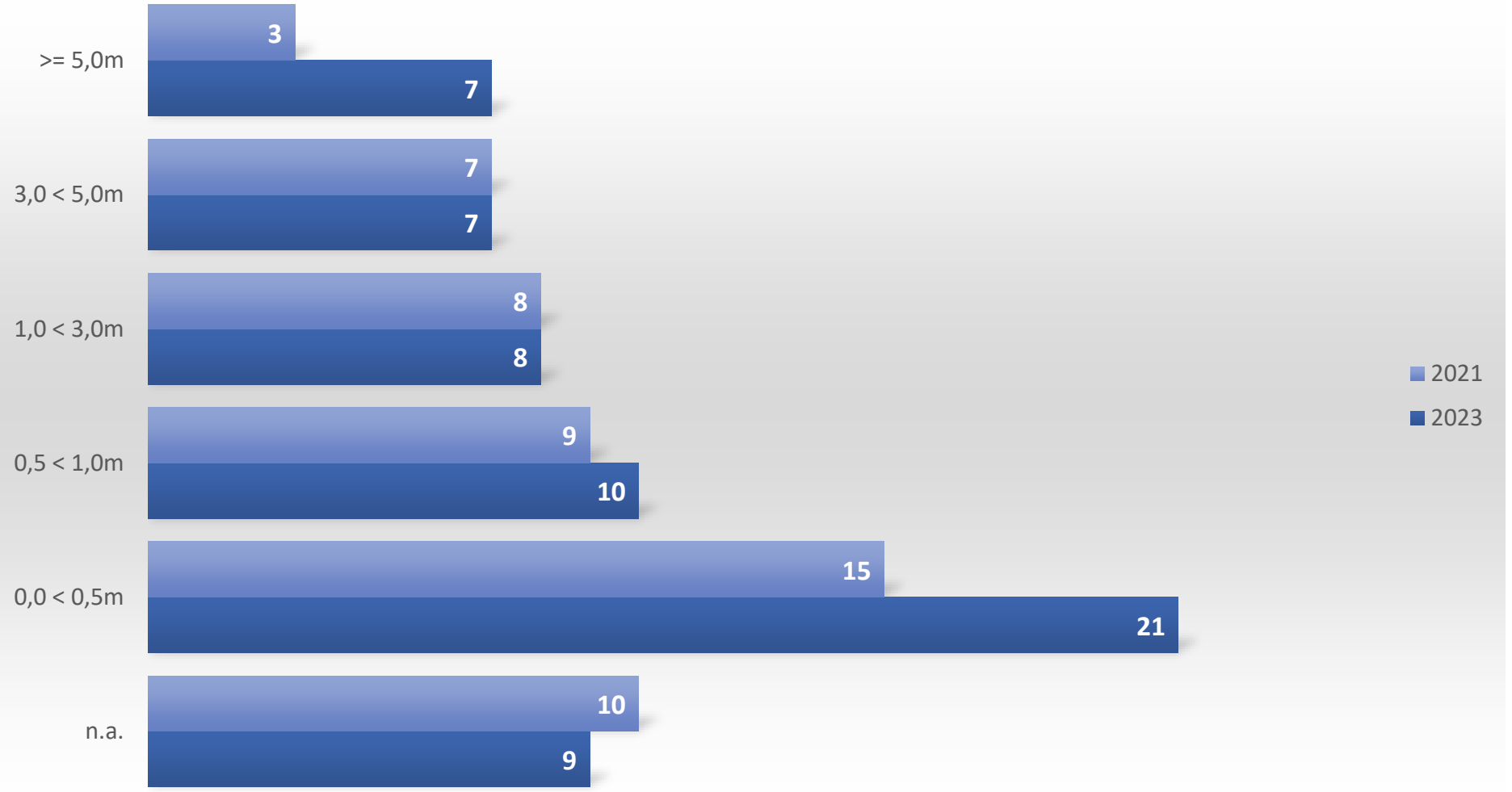
Uses of the SBR



Size of SBR departments

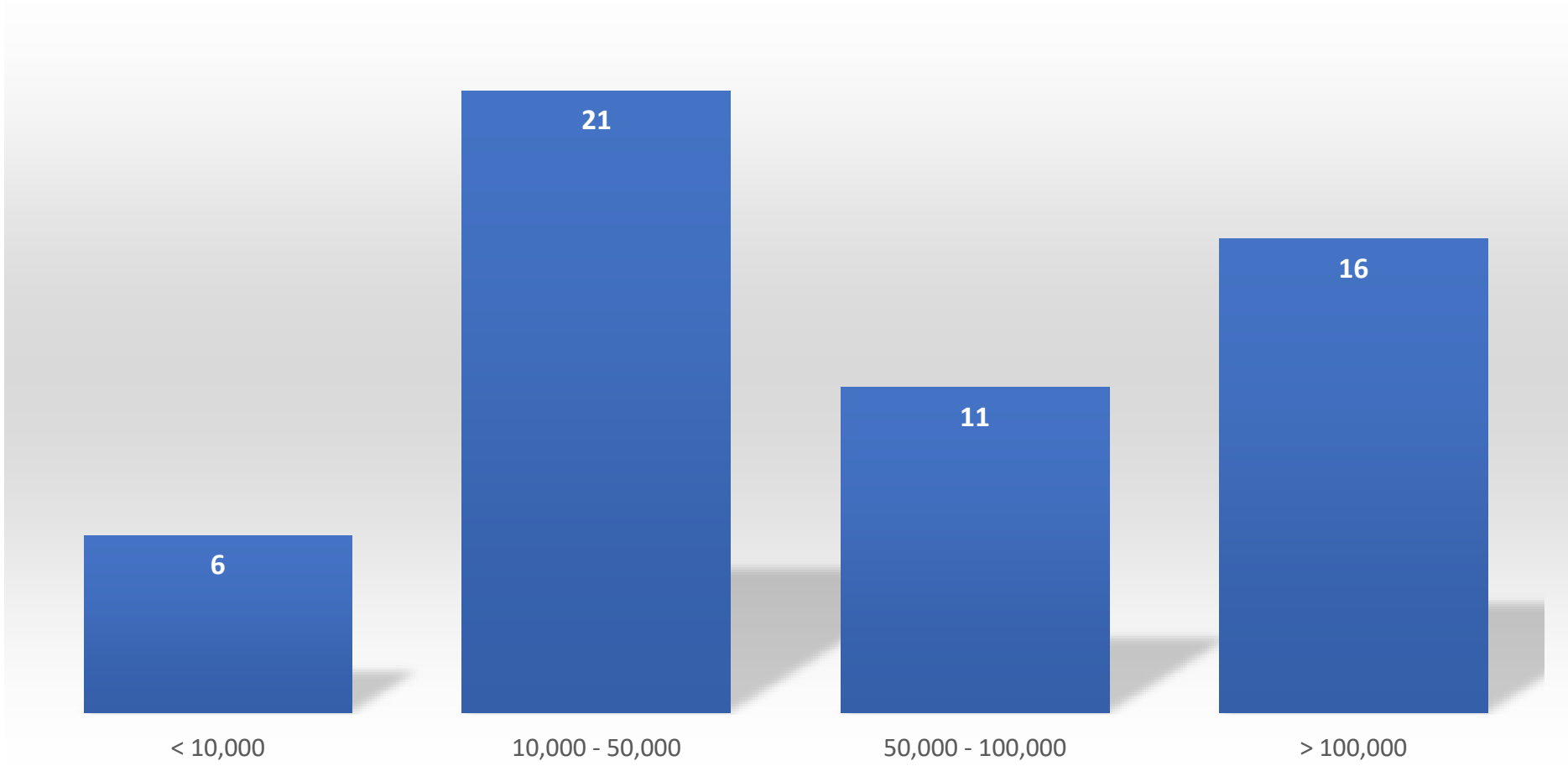


SBRs by number of enterprises

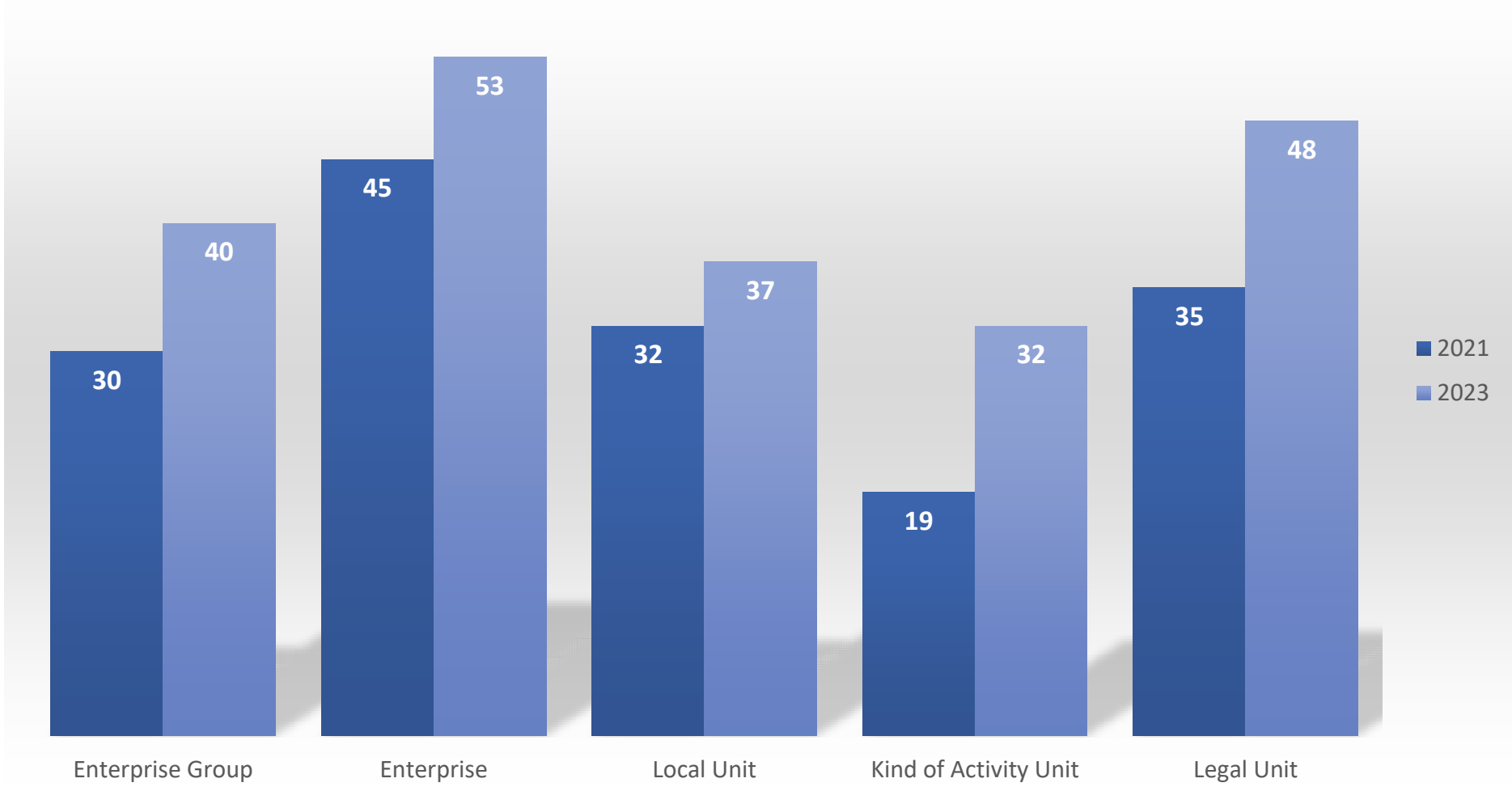


SBR workload

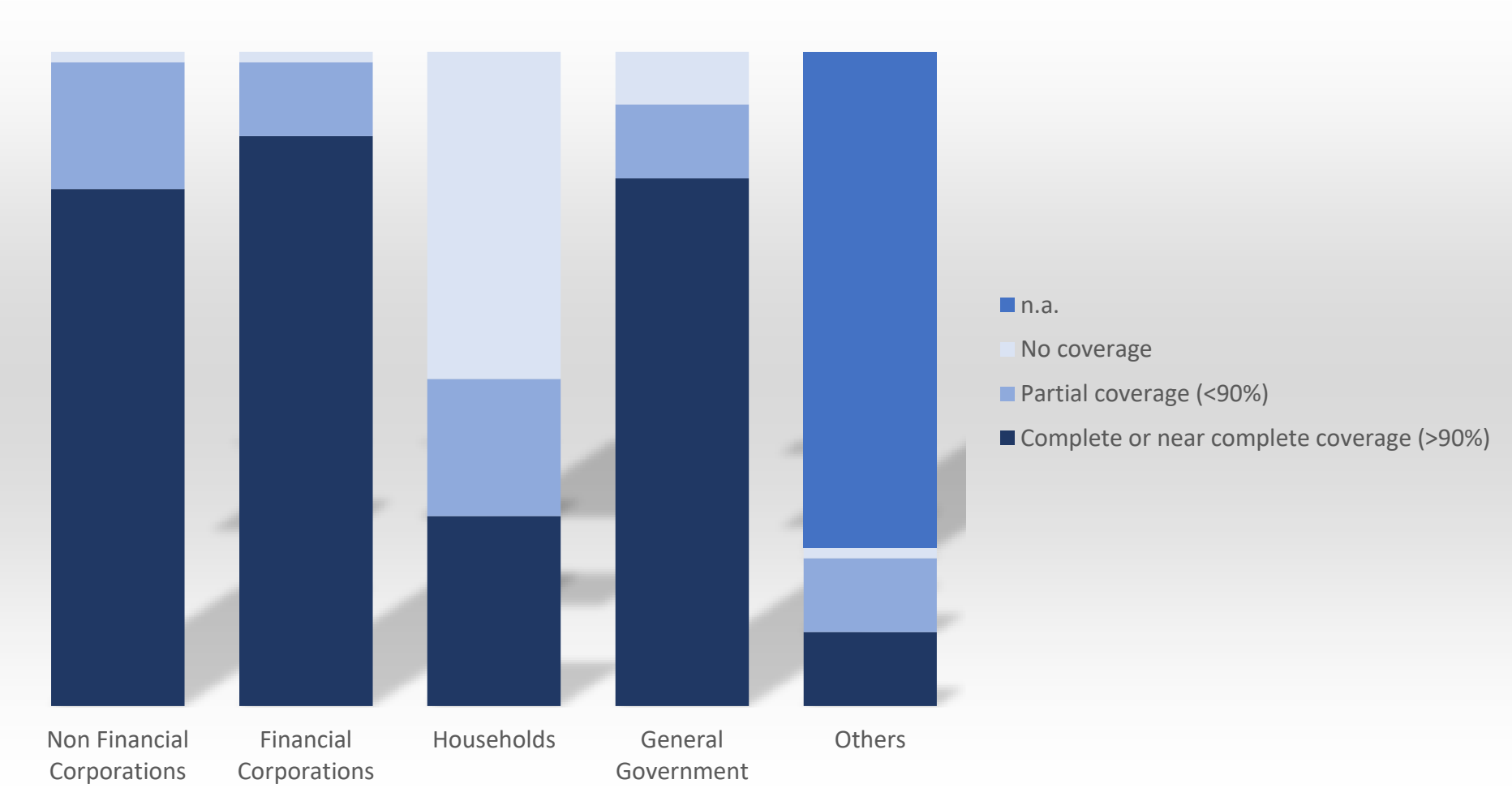
of enterprises divided by # of employees



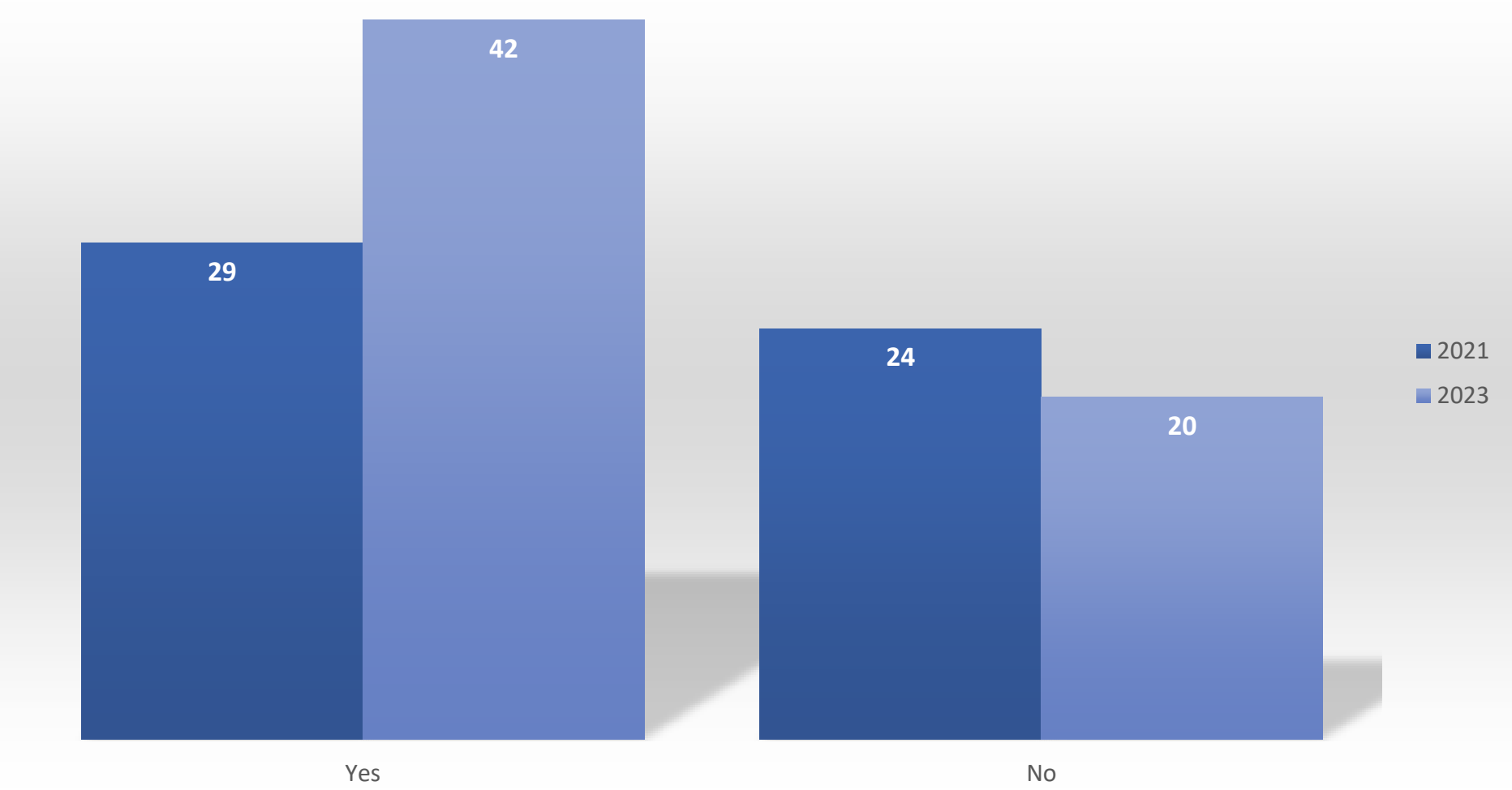
SBR by type of unit



SBRs by coverage



Geo Coordinates



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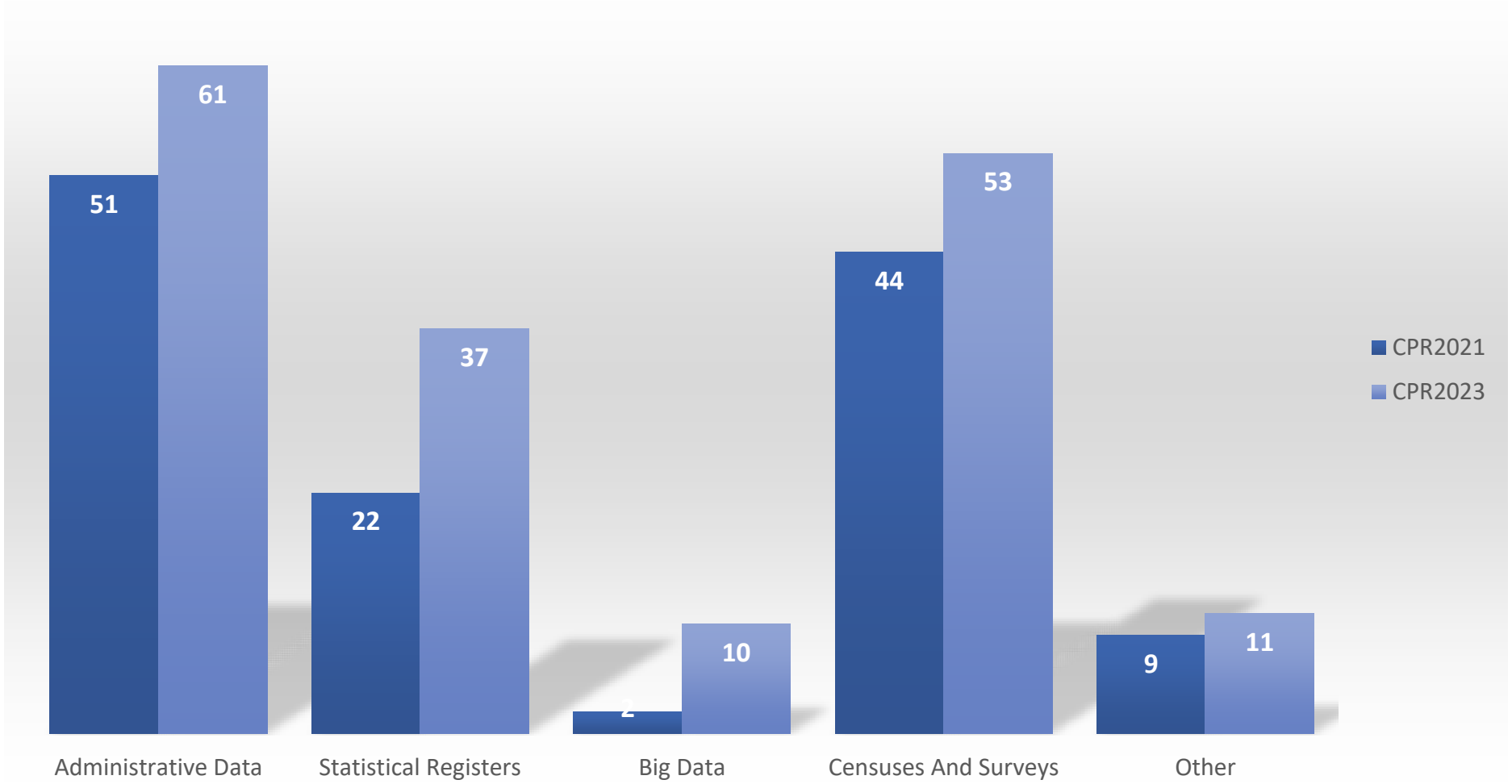
Sources for maintenance



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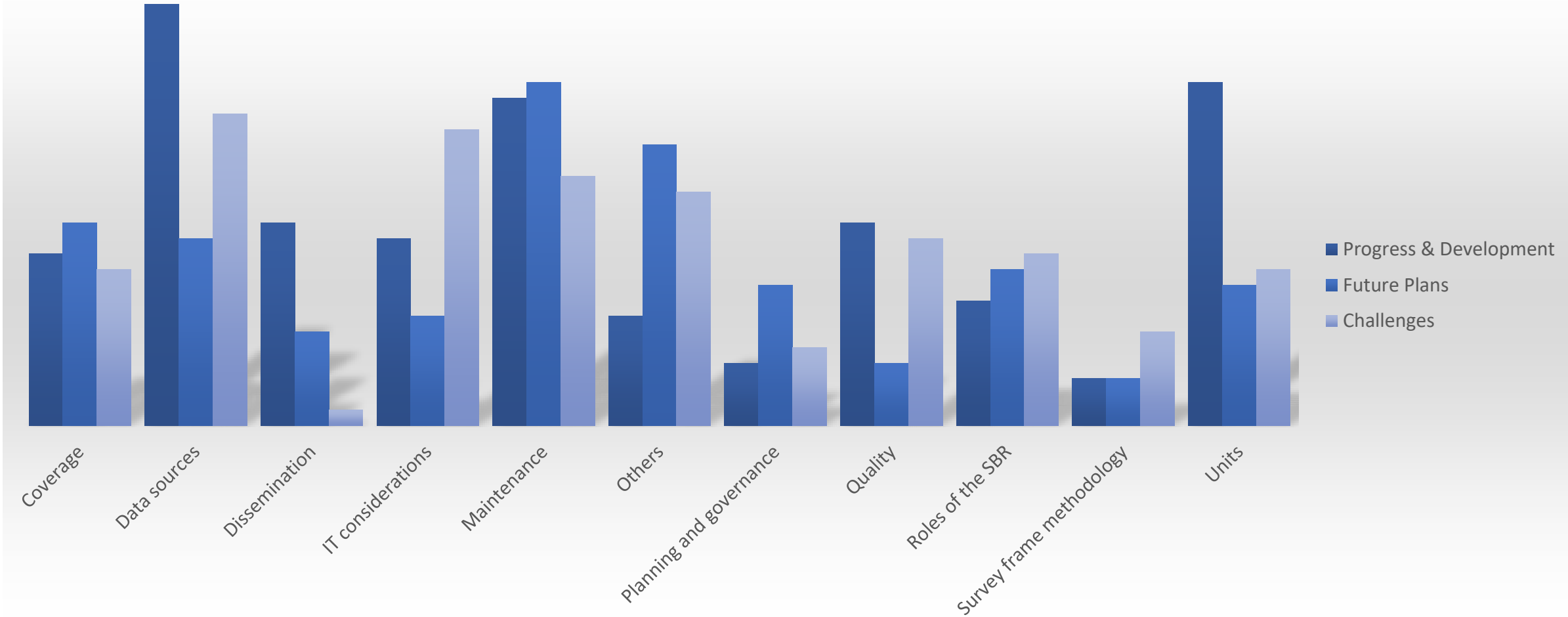
Achievements, Future plans, and Challenges



Current work

- Global assessment
  - Based on Self assessment questionnaire

Combine with:

- Country Progress Report

- Supported by Statistical Commission in March 2024
- First time in 2025 (29th Wiesbaden Group meeting)

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End of Session 10

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