

Results of the IAN System connectivity test and of the 6th Online Consultation of the Points of Contact

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IAN System connectivity test (1/3)

Approach

- 26 Oct 2018: Email sent by UNECE announcing the 6th PoC Consultation and that a test would be held beforehand
 - Email sent to all PoC and Focal Points
 - IAN System instructions (ENG, RUS) attached
- ⇒ Compared to past tests, the exact date of the test was not known
- **14 Nov 2018 @10:49 am**: UNECE connectivity test conducted
 - Early-Warning Report in Exercise Mode
- 16 Nov 2018: Intermediate results with reactions shared with all PoC and Focal Points (final results presented in the informal document)
- 22 Nov 2018: 6th Online Consultation of the PoC

IAN System connectivity test (2/3)

Results of the test conducted on 14 Nov 2018 @10:49 am

- Out of 43 registered UNECE member States, the following reacted:
 - 20 Countries acknowledged receipt of the accident report (< half)
 - 13 countries reacted within the recommended 1 hour (< one third)
 - 23 countries did not acknowledge receipt of the report (> half)
 - 3 Parties not registered in IAN
 - 5 non-Parties registered in IAN
 - 0 non-Parties acknowledged receipt of the report
- Lower response rate (overall and within 1 hour) compared to 2016 test
- Technical problems and lost access information

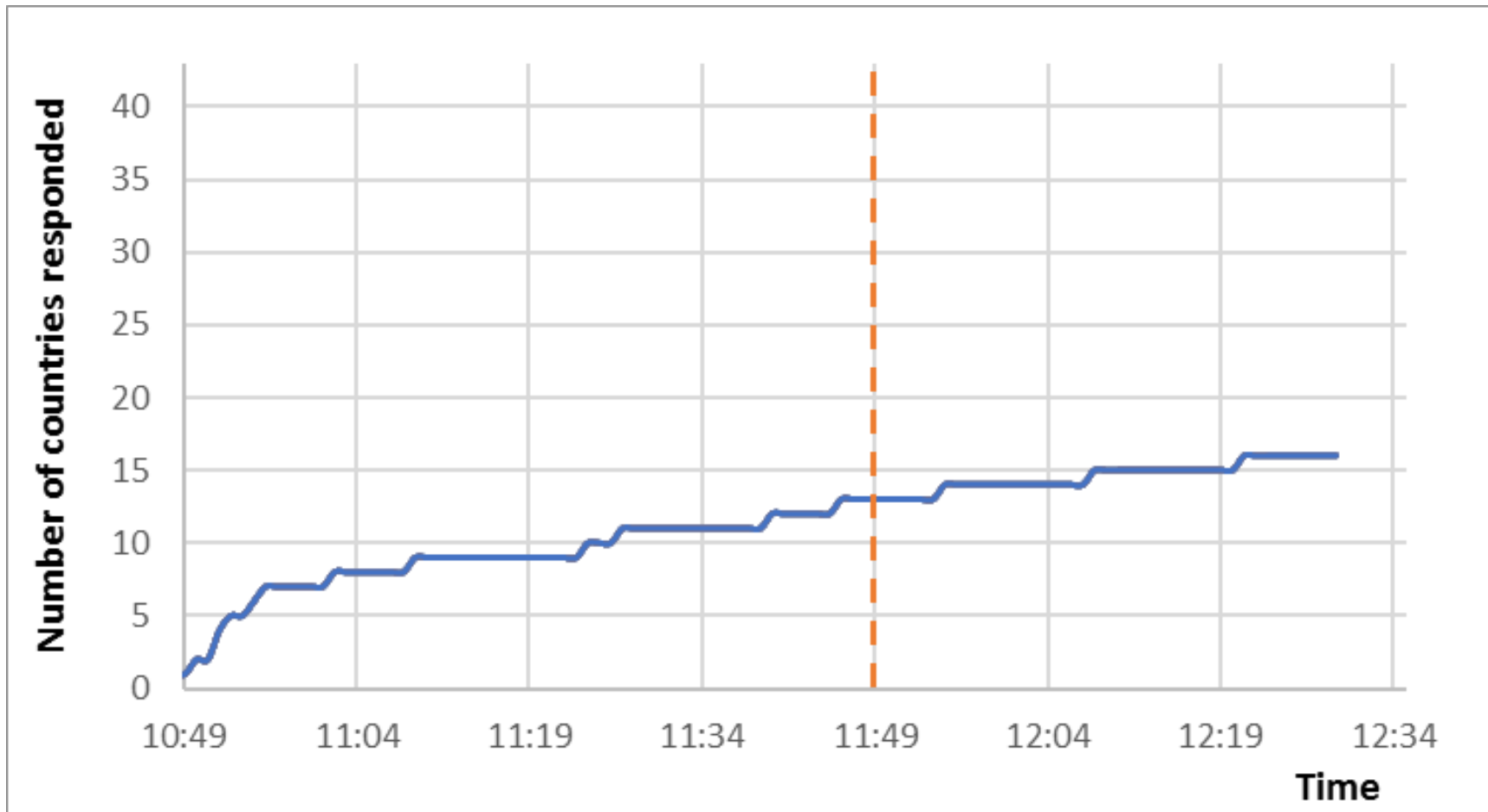
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IAN System connectivity test (3/3)

Visualization of the IAN connectivity test on 14 Nov 2018 @10:49 am



6th Consultation of the Points of Contact

- Held on **22 Nov 2018 via webex** to discuss the results of test
- Participants from 15 Points of Contact and 2 Focal Points
- Findings and conclusions:
 - Need for continuous exercises (jointly, back-to-back, independently)
 - Need for more tests/training at the subregional level by lead countries
 - Several lead countries volunteered to do tests in the next biennium (no lead country yet for the Caucasus and Central Asia)
 - Countries to present and discuss results of subregional tests at the next consultation of the Points of Contact
 - Countries' responsibility to ensure that PoC details are updated, access information is available and they know how to use System
 - Secretariat to contact PoC that did not react to the test – reasons
 - To increase efficiency and operability of the IAN System, technical improvements should be further considered

**Thank you for your
attention!**