

UNECE Project to strengthen the safety of mining operations, in particular tailings management facilities (TMFs), in Tajikistan and UNECE Project on supporting countries of Central Asia in strengthening the safety of mine tailings

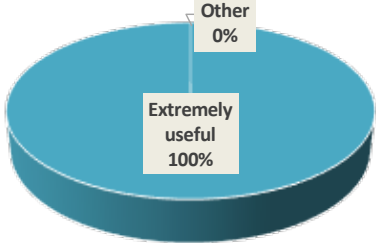
Evaluation summary

Technical meeting to prepare for the on-site training in Tajikistan and to enhance capacity for governance and policy-making on tailings safety in Central Asia, online, 23 April 2021

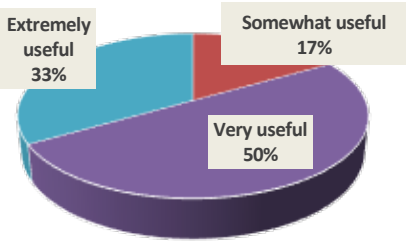
The participants were requested to indicate their opinion of various aspects of the event in terms of its usefulness and organization. A total of 6 evaluation forms were submitted. A summary of the feedback received is presented below.

I. Degree of usefulness of the meeting and its components in terms of:

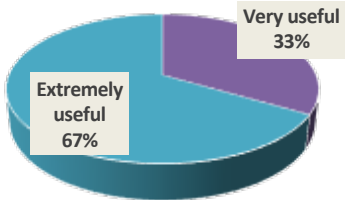
1. Relevance of the topic(s) for your sphere of competence or activities



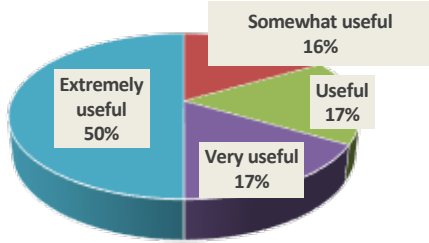
2. Knowledge and skills acquired for your future work



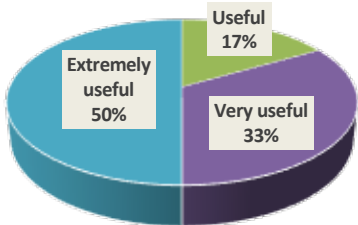
3. Provision of a forum for information exchange on strengthening the safety and management of mine tailings



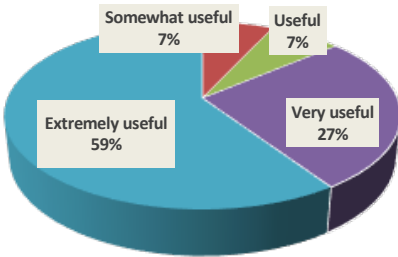
4. Provision of opportunities for networking



5. Identification of good practices and lessons learned



I. Average of the meeting's usefulness ratings:

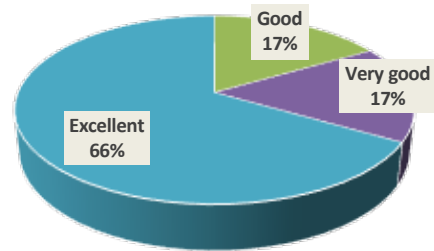


II. Rating the meeting in terms of:

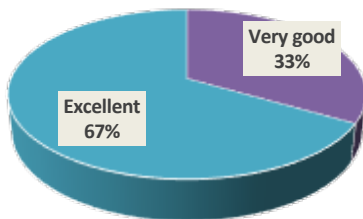
6. The program structure



7. Quality and clearness of presentations



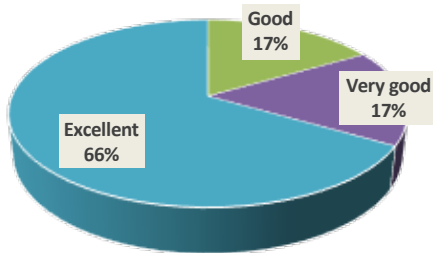
8. Quality and relevance of handout materials distributed by the organisers



9. Usefulness of discussions



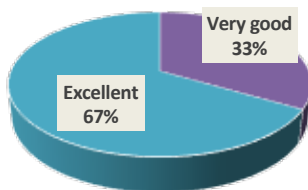
10. Organisation of the technical meeting



11. Results / decisions endorsed at technical meeting



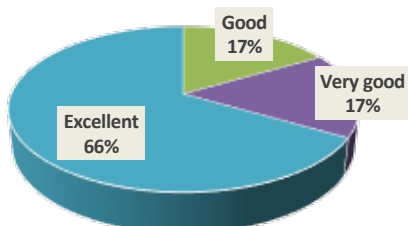
12. Support provided by UNECE Secretariat before and during the technical meeting



13. Support provided by the Water Initiatives Centre before and during the technical meeting



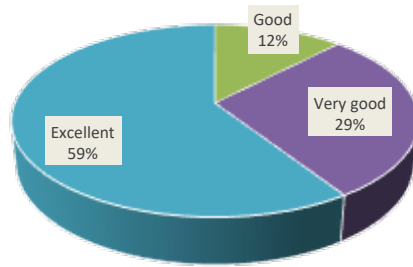
14. Schedule of technical meeting and agenda items



15. Duration of the technical meeting

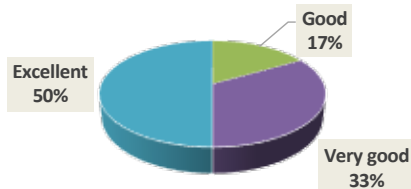


II. Average of the above ratings

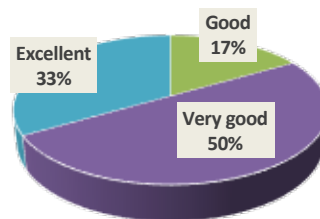


III. The extent to which the meeting objectives were achieved:

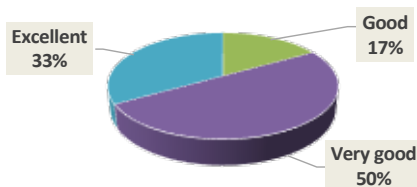
16. Supporting Central Asian countries in strengthening tailings safety through the implementation of the UNECE Convention on Industrial Accidents and the UNECE Convention on Watercourse



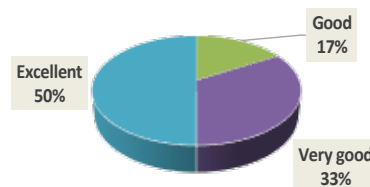
17. Enhancing capacity for governance and policy-making on tailings safety in Central Asia using UNECE's instruments and tools



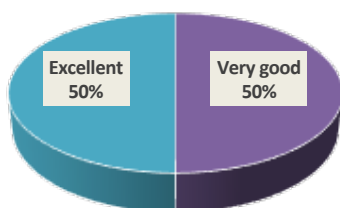
18. Prepare the Tajik participants for the on-site training (applying the UNECE Safety Guidelines and Good Practices for Tailings Management Facilities (TMFs) and related TMF methodology)



19. Support Central Asian countries in their implementation of related recommendations arising from the UNECE Environmental Performance Reviews (EPRs), incl. the update of their national self-assessments and action plans



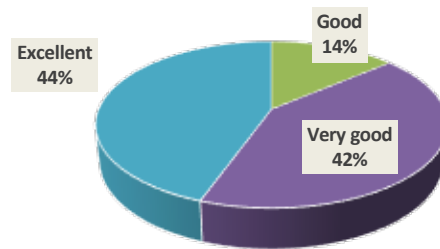
20. Review implementation progress for UNECE project on supporting Central Asia countries in strengthening the safety of mine tailings (Inter-Institutional Working Groups on Tailings Safety and the Prevention of Accidental Water Pollution in KAZ and TAJ)



21. Identify next steps for the implementation of the UNECE project on supporting countries of Central Asia in strengthening the safety of mine tailings



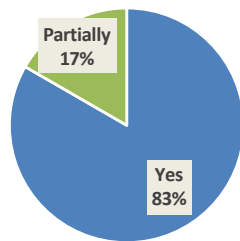
III. Average of the ratings for meeting the objectives



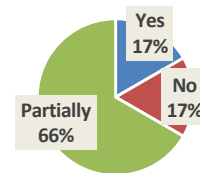
IV. Preparedness for the on-site training following this meeting in terms of:

While expectations for the online meeting were mostly fulfilled, participants seem to feel only partially prepared for the on-site training, as they also feel an only partially deeper understanding of the Safety Guidelines and Tailing Management Facility (TMF) Methodology – which could be due to the format of the event.

Fulfillment of expectations



Deeper understanding of UNECE Safety Guidelines and Good Practices for Tailings Managements Facilities (TMFs) and a related TMF methodology



Preparedness for the on-site training and/or deeper understanding of key issues to strengthen governance and policy-making on tailings safety in respective CA country

