



Country Progress Report on SBR 2021



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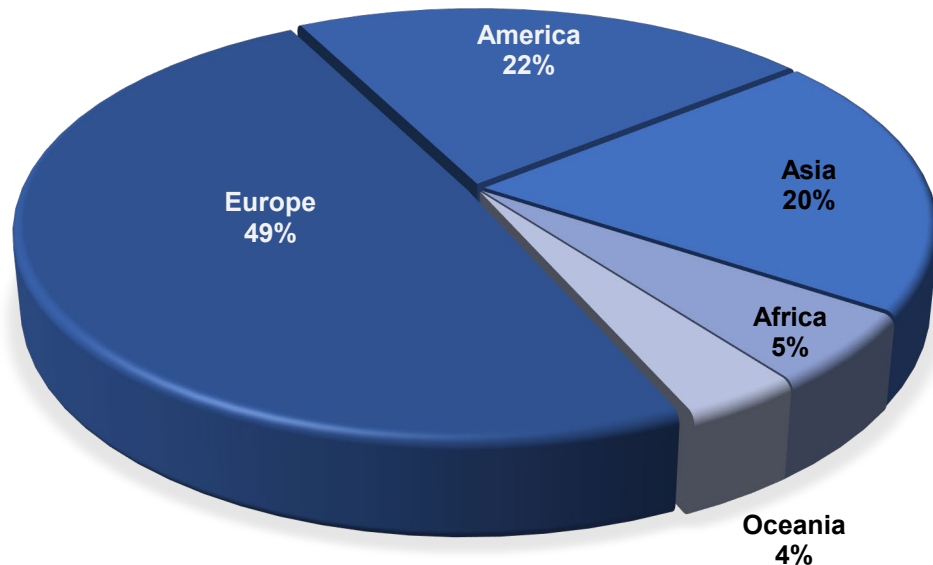
Reports Received by Continent and Country



Countries that responded by continent

5

55 countries responded
the CPR 2021



Africa (3)

Botswana
Maurice Island
South Africa

America (12)

Argentina
Belize
Brazil
Canada
Chile
Costa Rica
Cuba
Dominican Republic
Ecuador
Mexico
Panama
Surinam

Asia (11)

Armenia
Azerbaijan
Cyprus
Indonesia
Japan
Kyrgyzstan
Mongolia
Myanmar
Palestine
Singapore
Turkey

Europe (27)

Albania
Austria
Belarus
Croatia
Denmark
England
Estonia
Finland
France
Germany
Greece
Hungary
Iceland
Ireland

Italy
Lithuania
Macedonia
Moldova
Netherlands
Norway
Poland
Serbia
Slovakia
Slovenia
Spain
Sweden
Switzerland

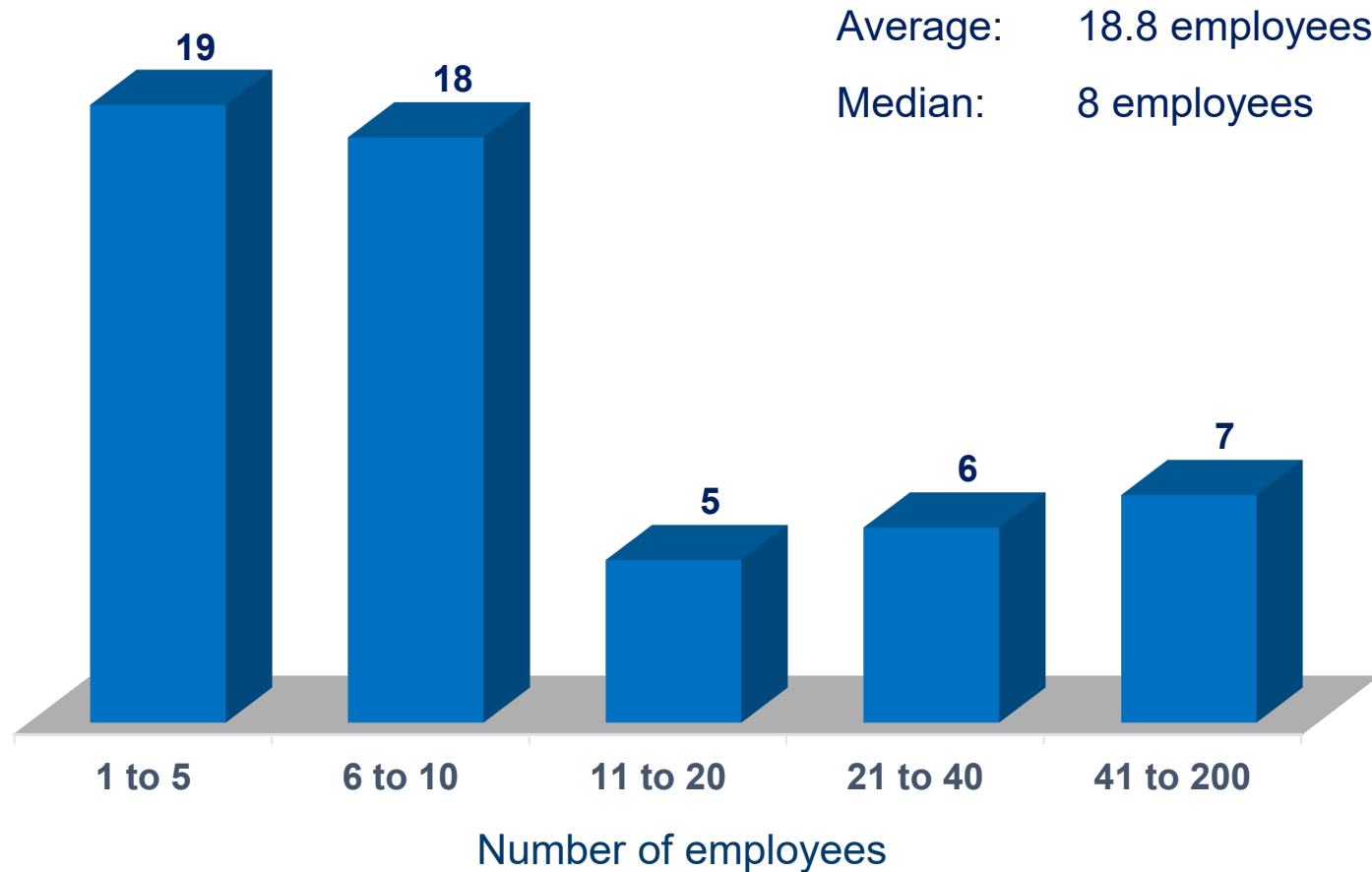
Oceania (2)

Australia
New Zealand

Organization, Population and Use of the Statistical Business Register



Number of headcount employees in the register unit



1

In general, they are small organs, 74.55% of them functioning with less than 18 people

2

The countries that report operating with fewer staff are:

- Surinam and Iceland (1)
- Botswana, Argentina, Belize and Palestine (2)

3

The countries that report operating with the most staff are:

- Germany (200)
- Canada (75)
- Mexico (73)

Uses of the register



Surveys: Survey frame, to support collection activities, to monitor and control response



Production of economic statistics



Business demography



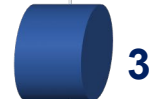
Tool for coordination and integration of administrative data



National accounts



Basis for elaborating censuses



To keep economic records

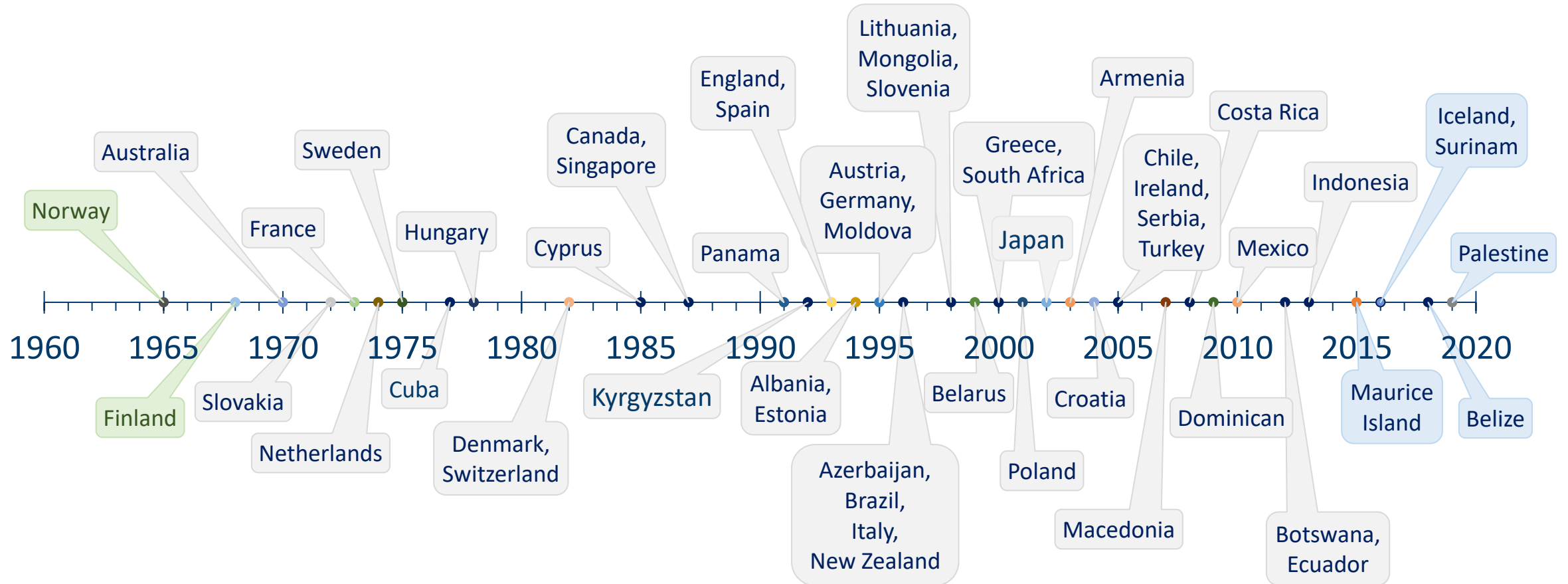


Data exchange with government agencies



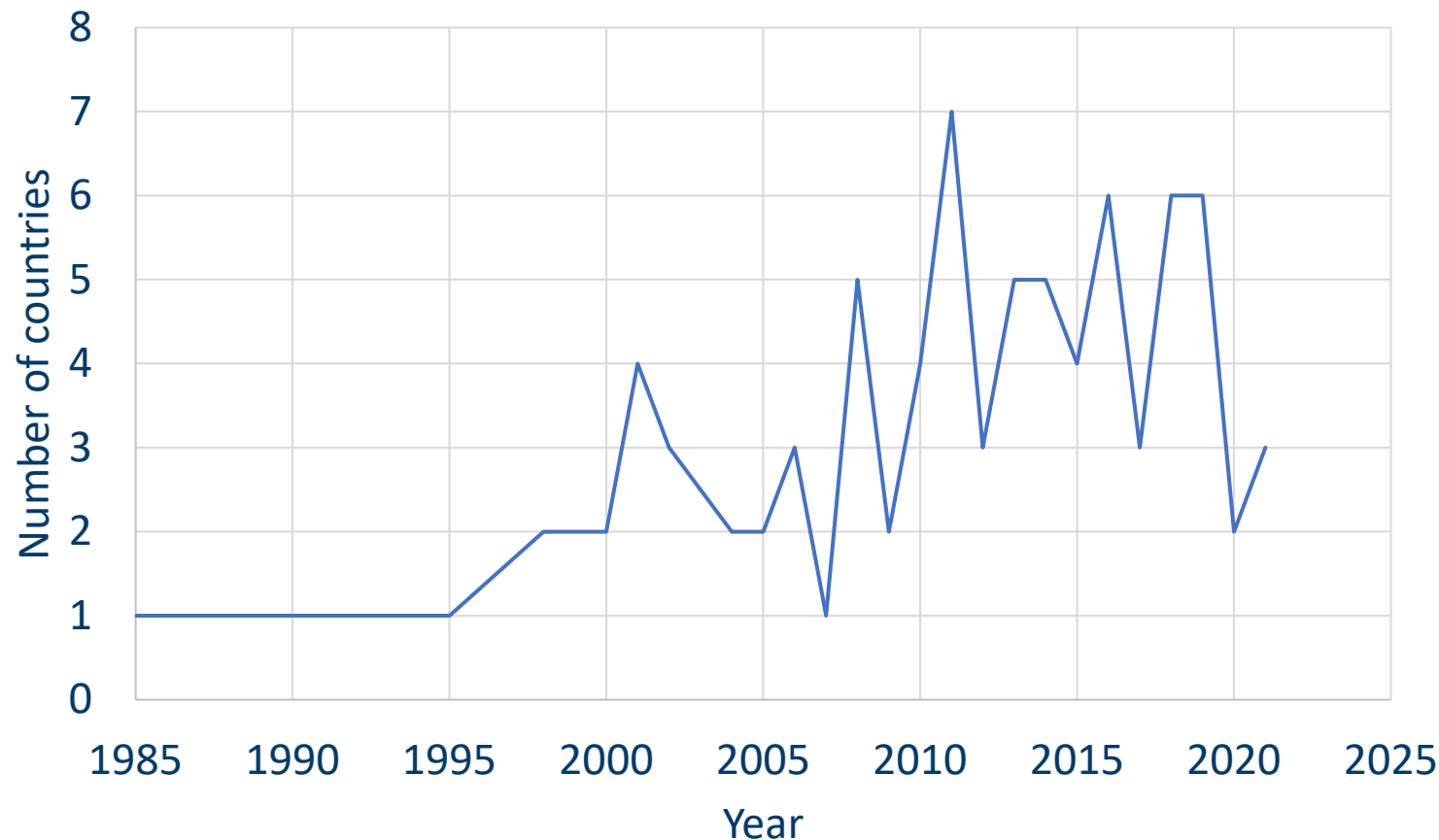
Year of establishment of the register

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42.6% of the SBRs emerged in the current century

Years in which SBR re-engineering has been implemented by countries



1

SBRs have been re-engineered in more recent years

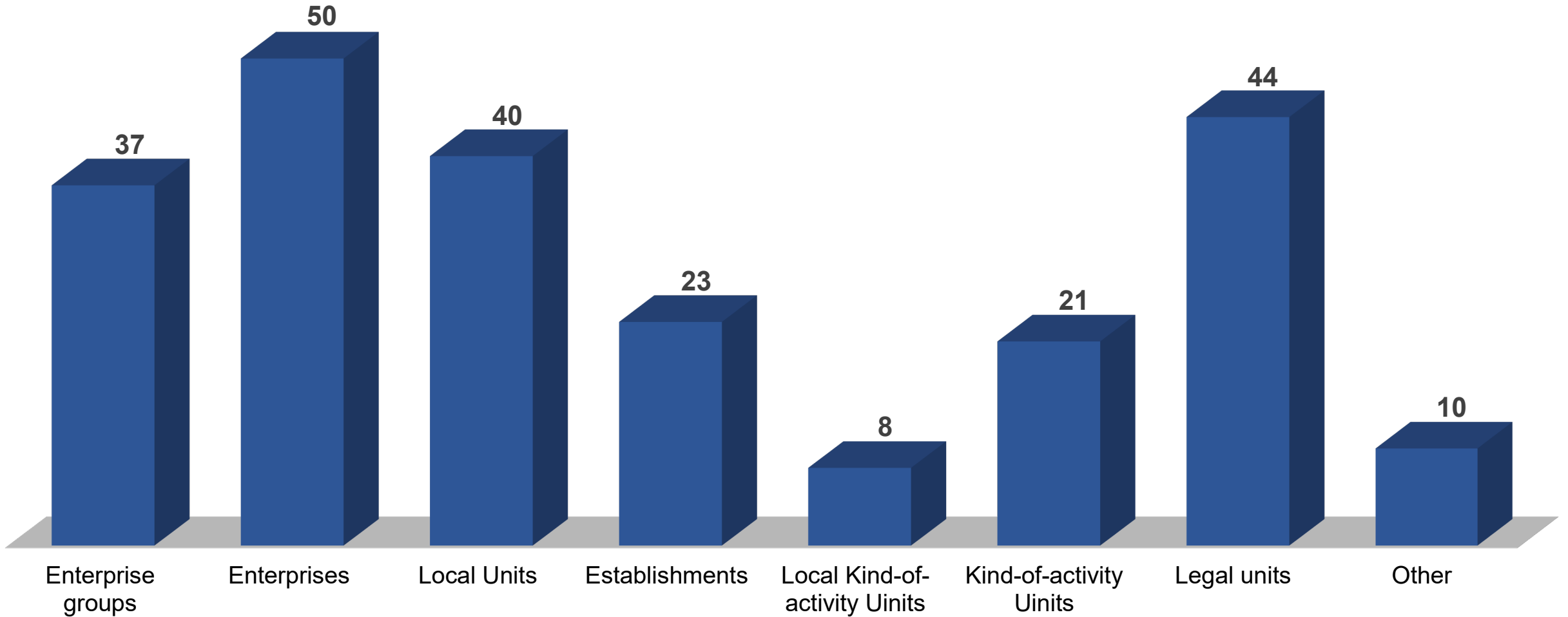
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2008 stands out as the year that countries began to reengineer their SBRs

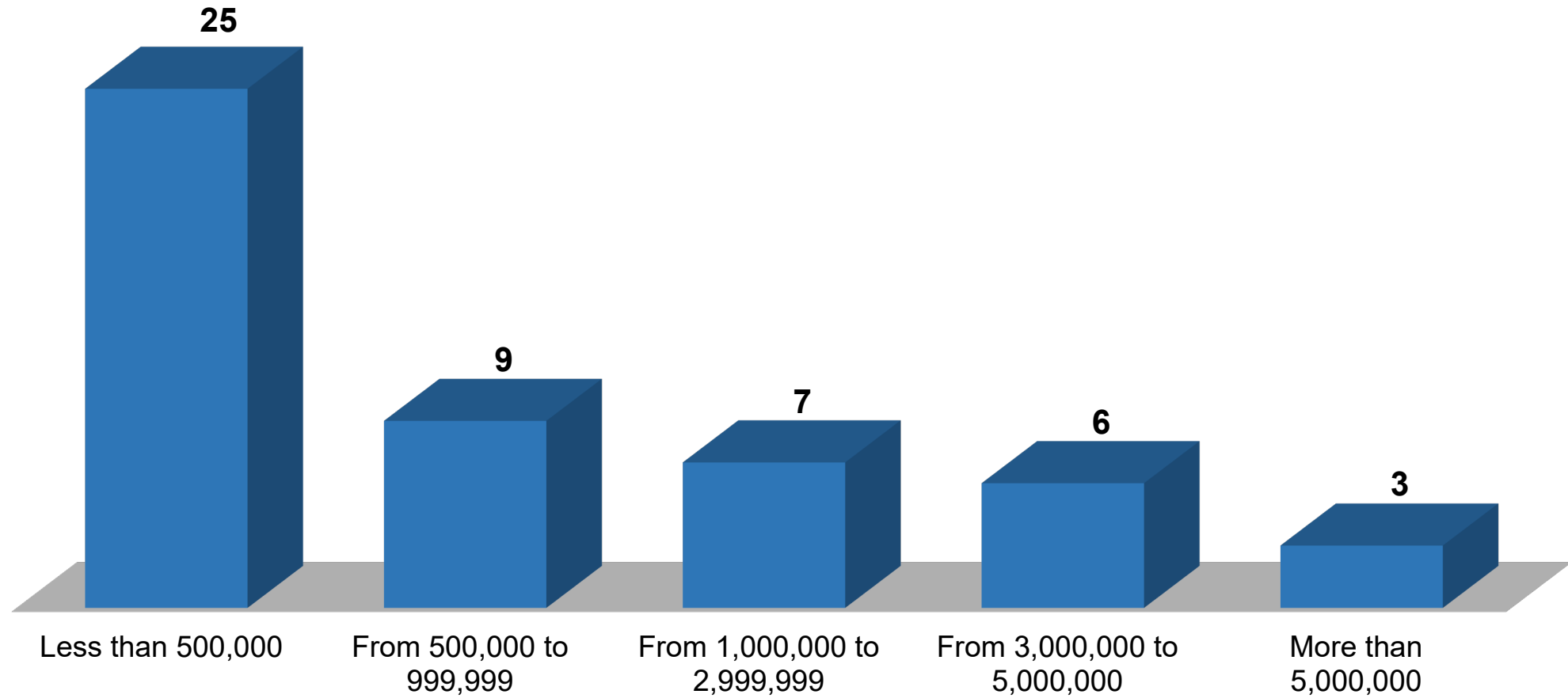
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In 2011 higher percentage of countries implemented a re-engineering.

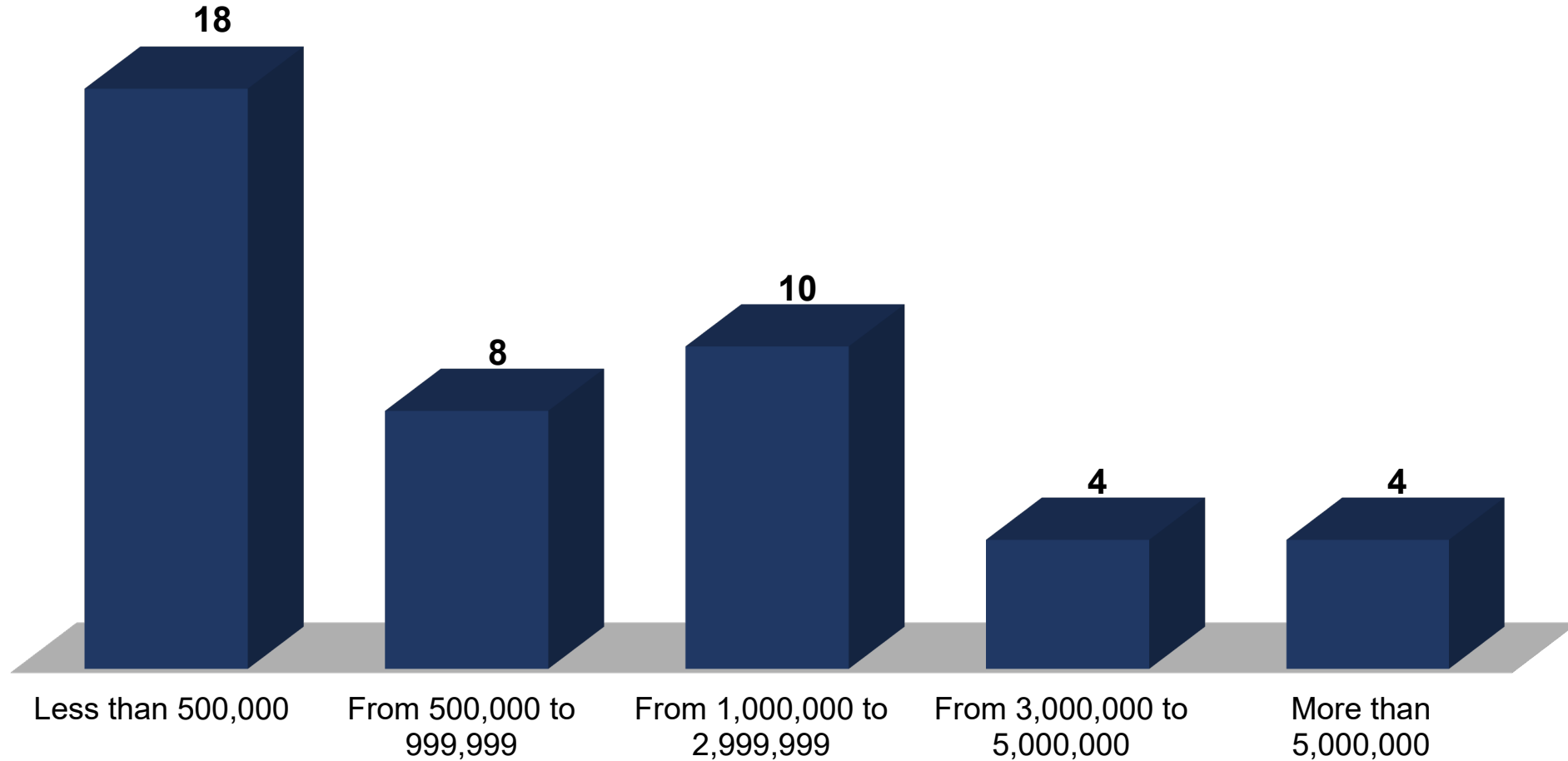
Type of observation units included in the SBR¹¹



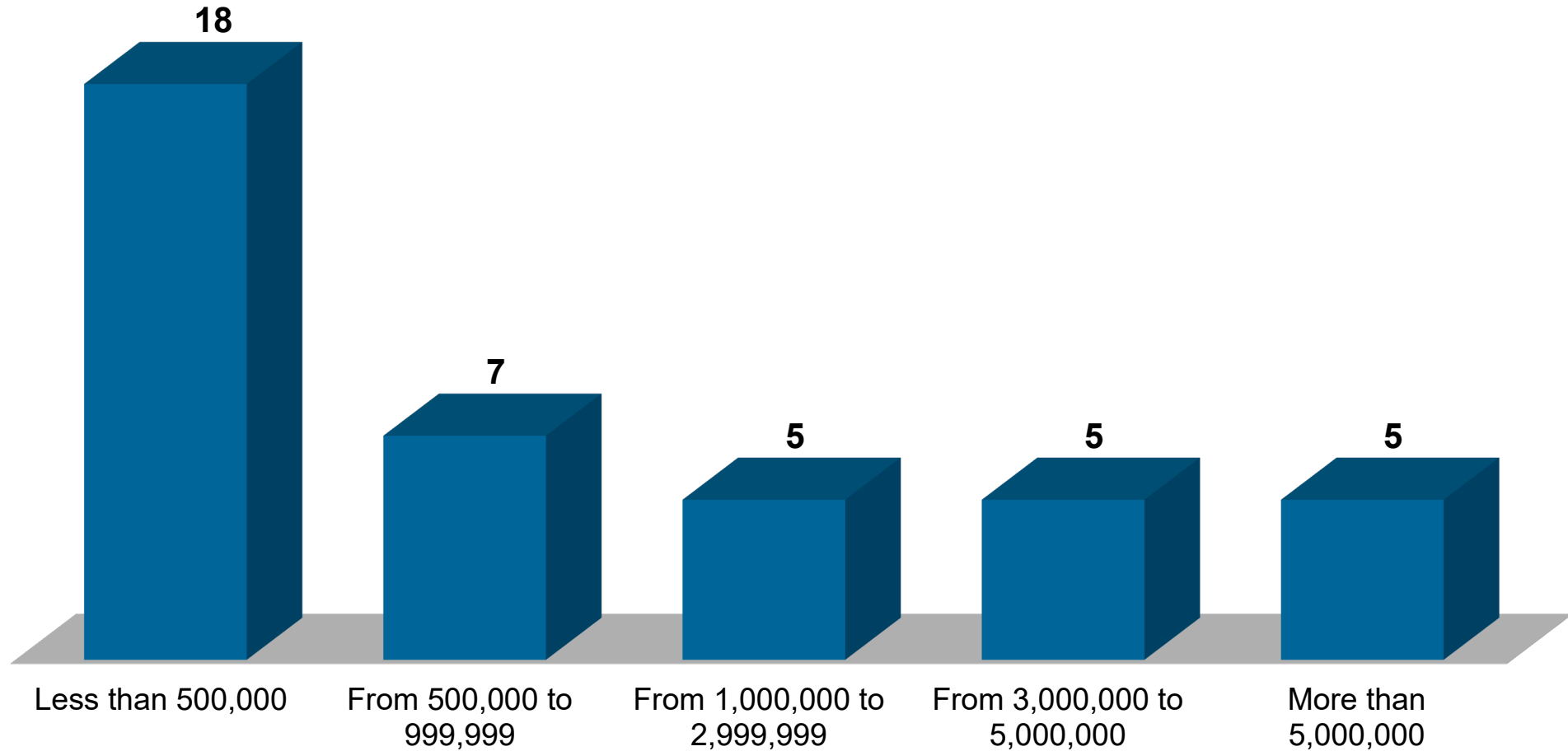
Number of enterprises in the SBR



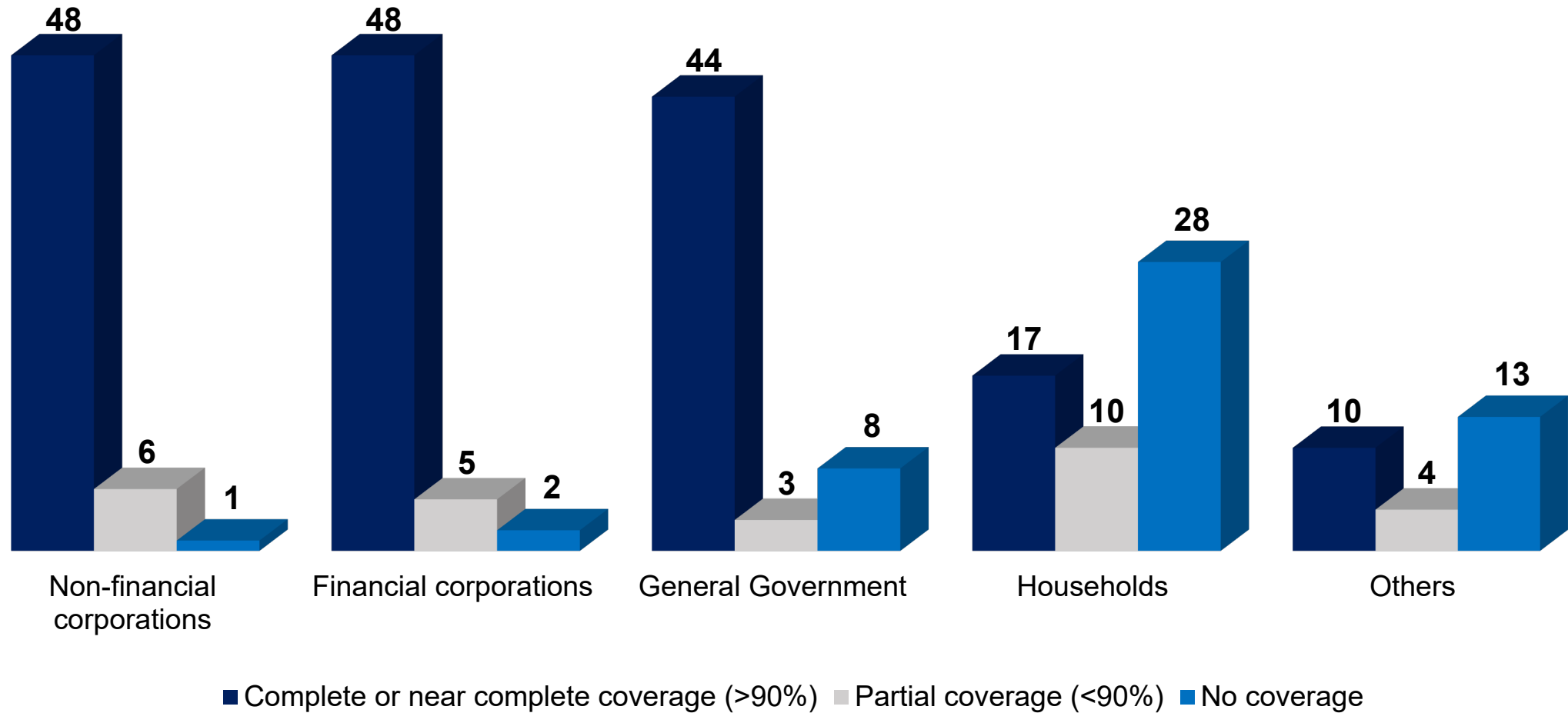
Number of legal units in the SBR



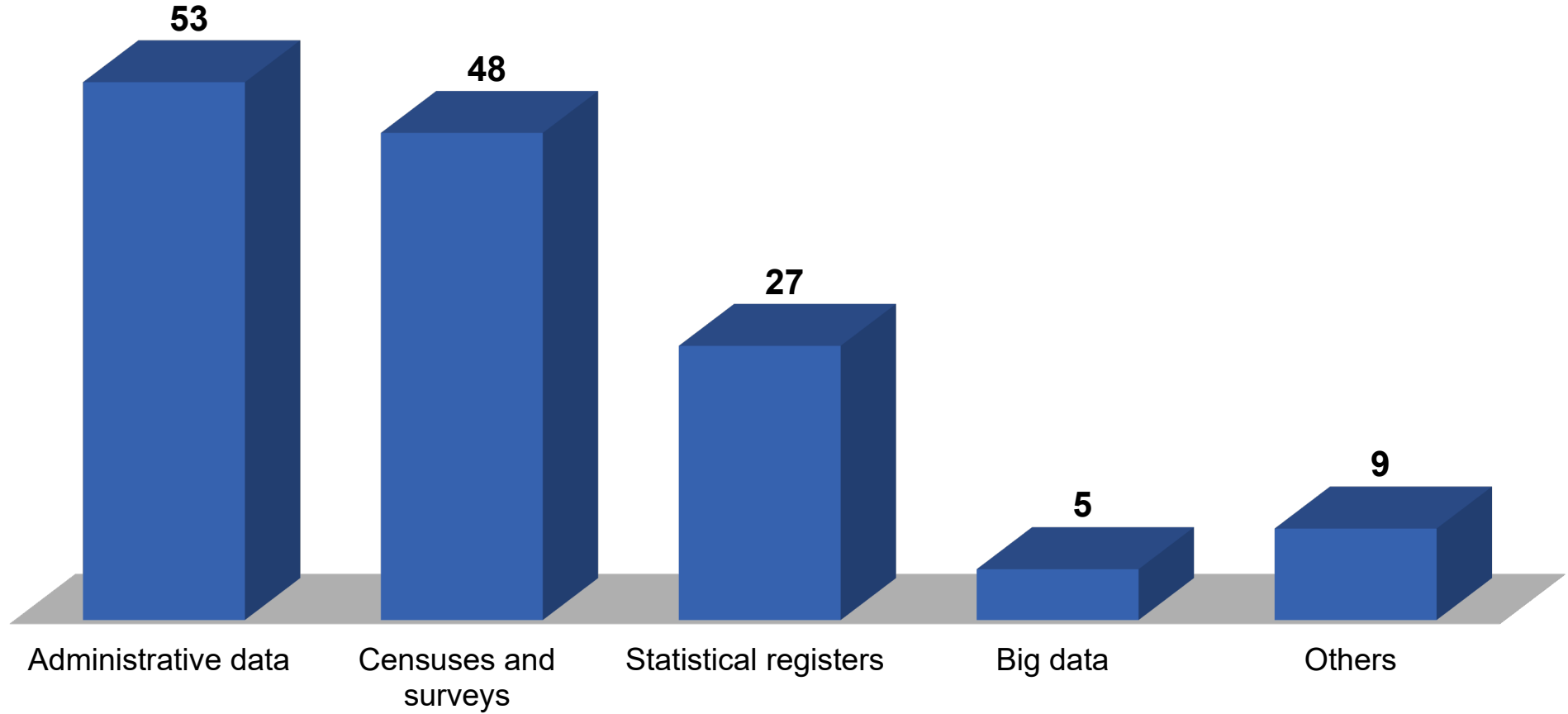
Number of local units in the SBR



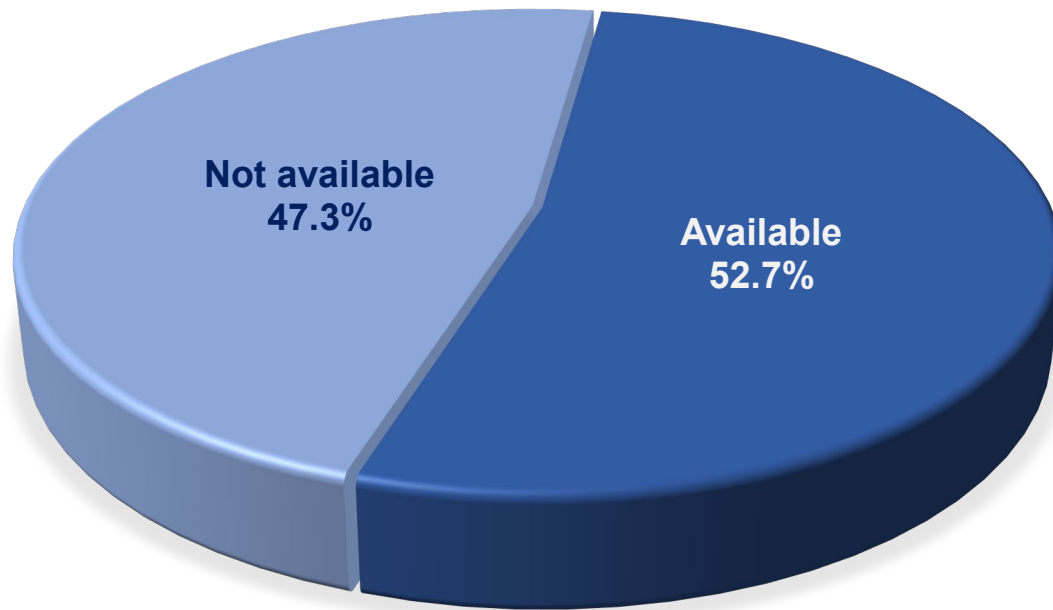
SBR Coverage



Updating data sources



Geographical reference available in the SBR^{1/}



52.7% reported the availability of the geo-reference of the observation units in their SBR, either directly in the register or through the link with other registers

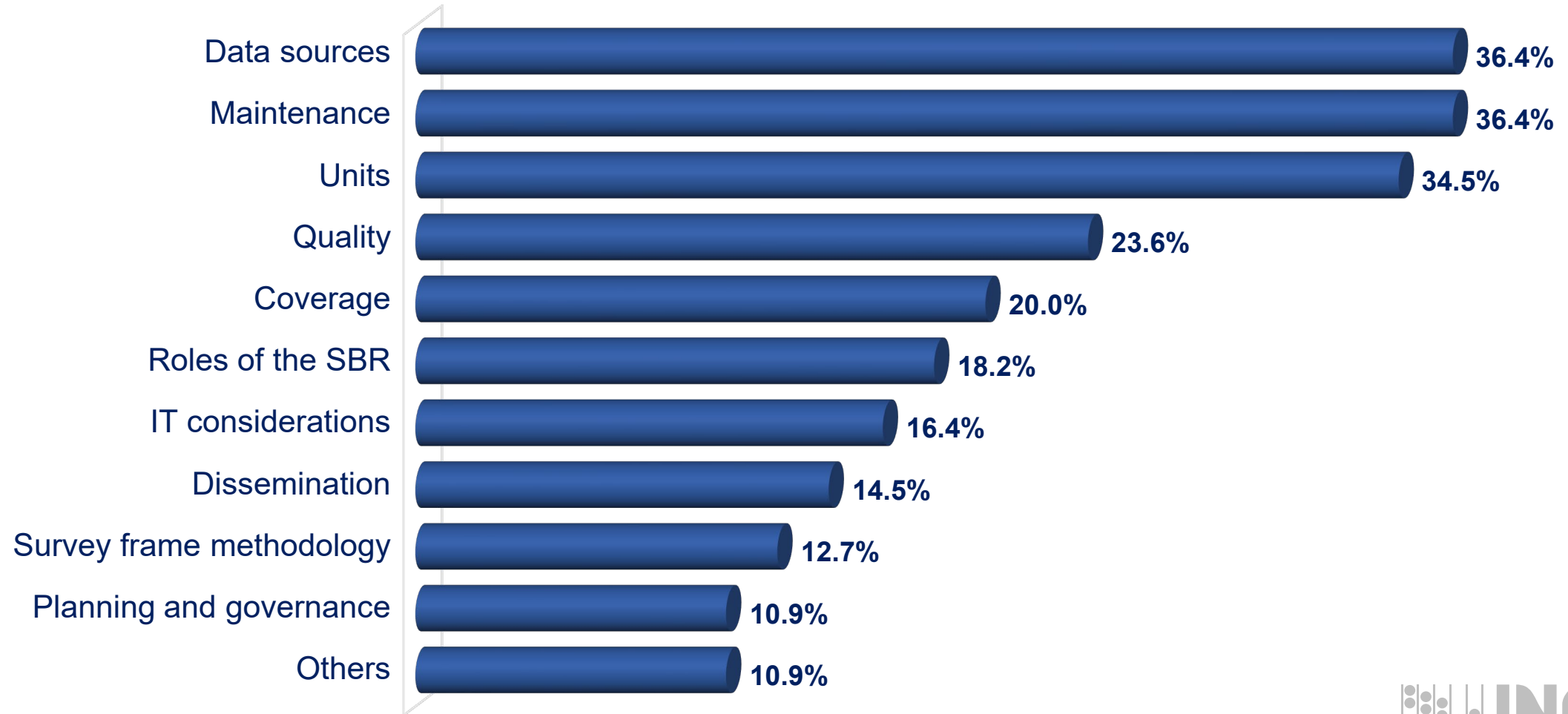
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Progress and Developments in 2021



Percentage of countries reporting progress and development during 2021 by category

19

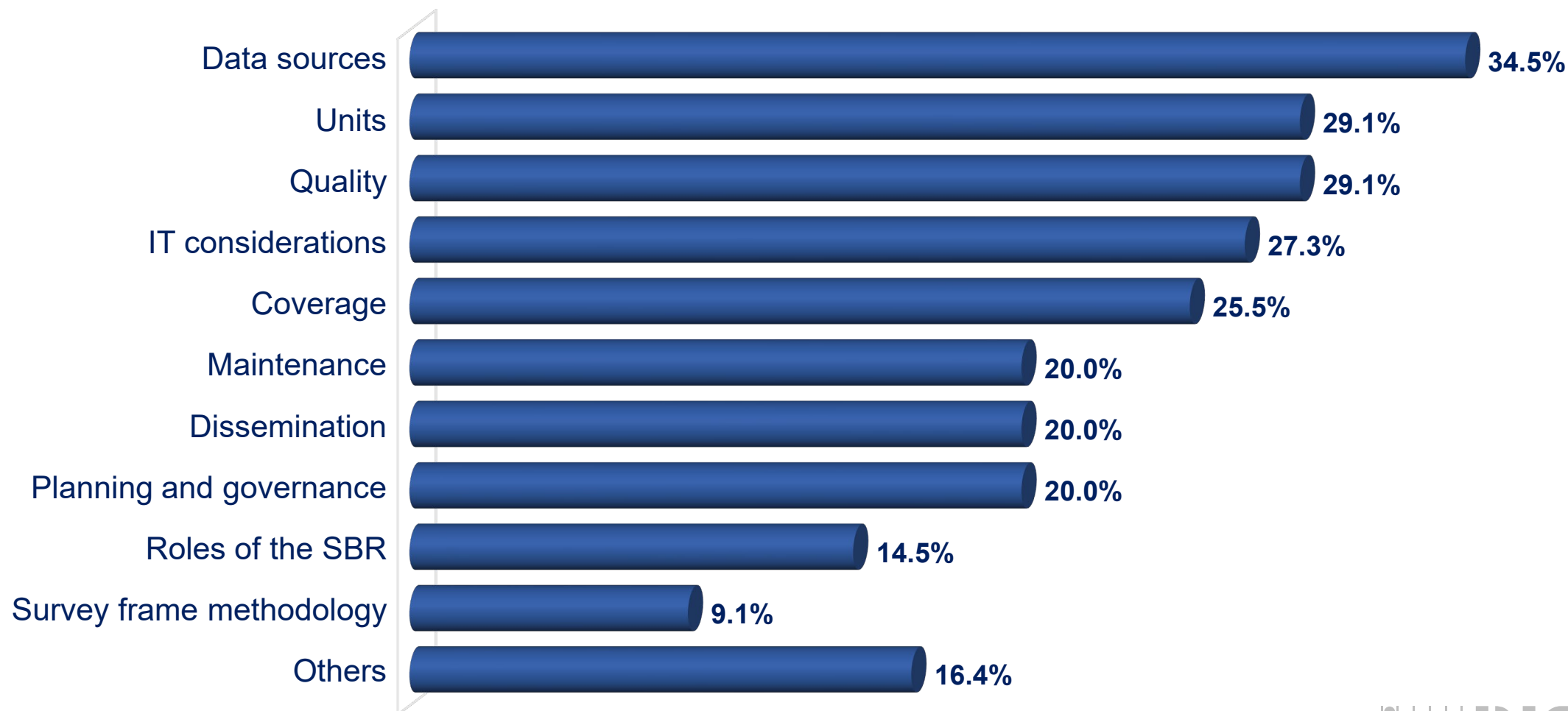


Future plans



Percentage of countries reporting future plans by category

21

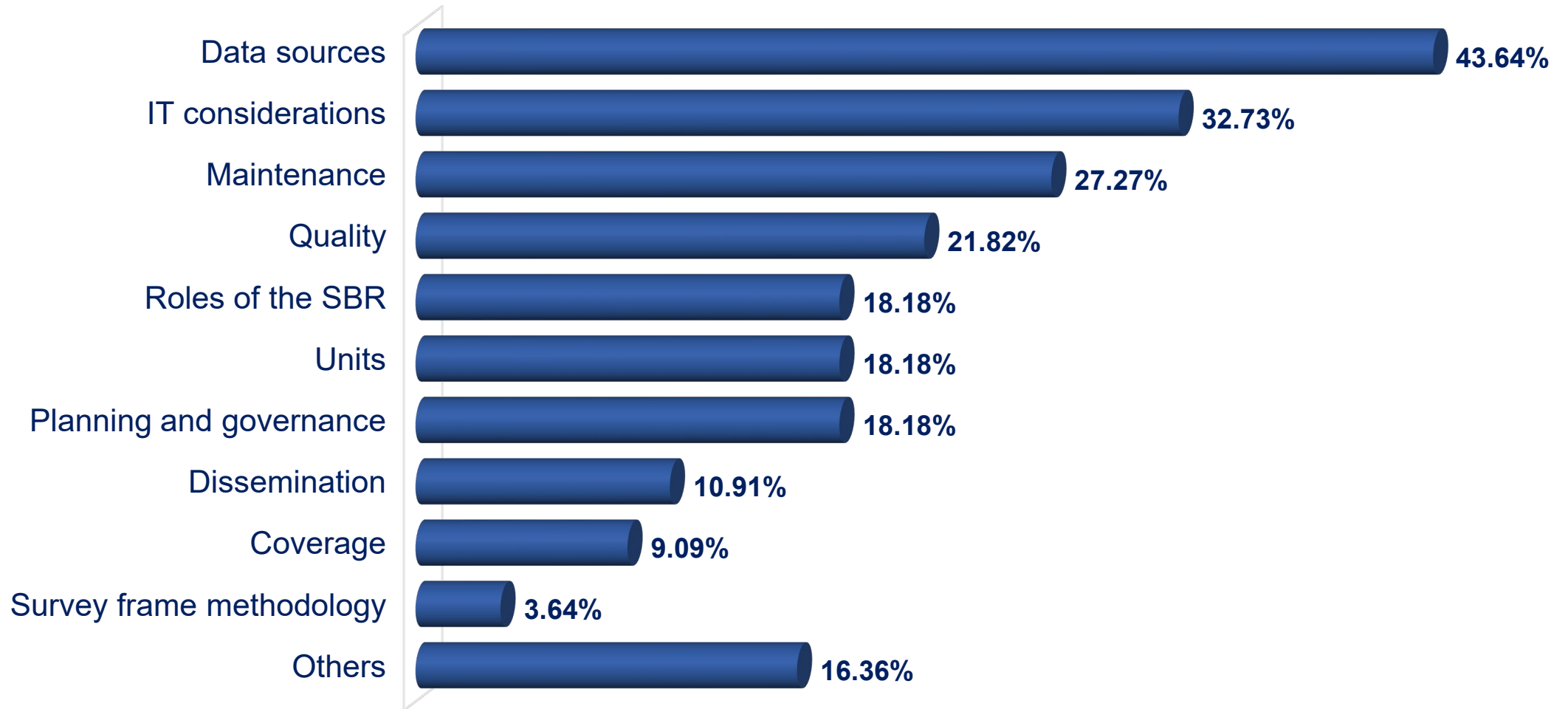


Main challenges



Percentage of countries reporting main challenges by category

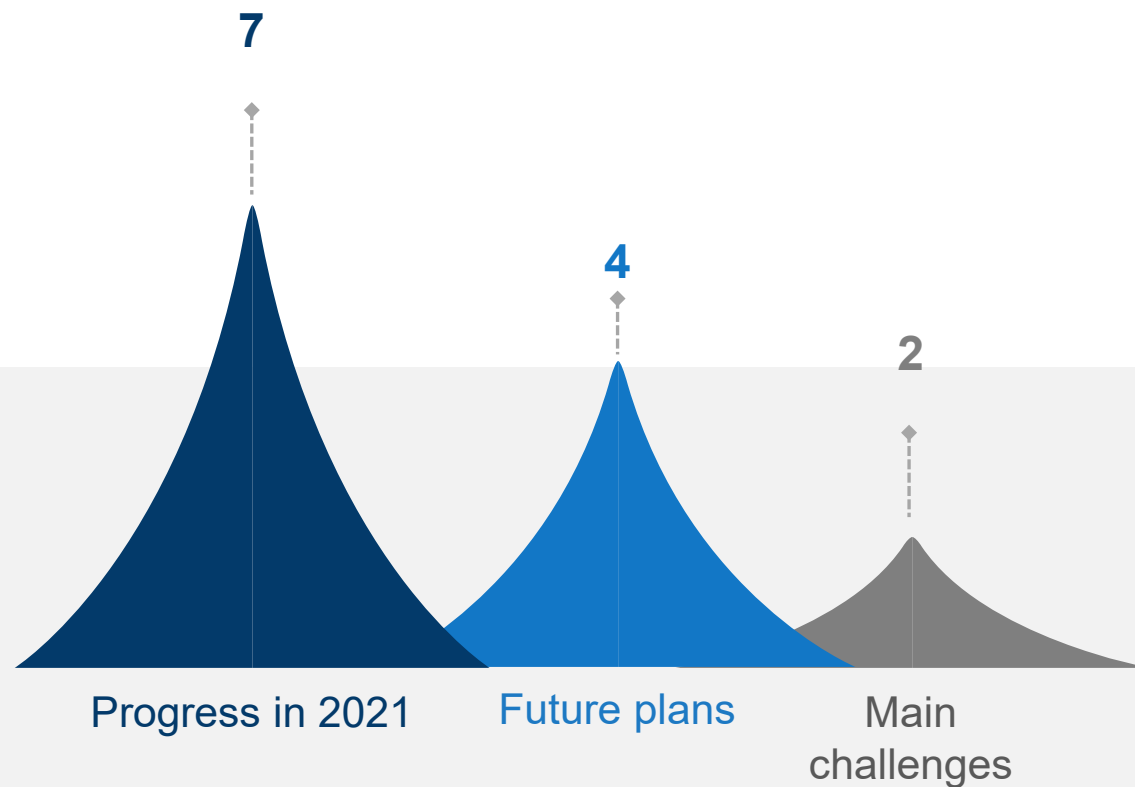
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Progress, future plans and main challenges related with COVID-19



Number of countries that report activities, plans or challenges related with the COVID-19 pandemic



1

There are 10 countries that report progress in activities during 2021, future plans or challenges related with the COVID-19 pandemic

2

The counties that report progress in activities related to COVID-19 in 2021:

- America: Costa Rica, Mexico
- Asia: Indonesia
- Europe: Germany, Serbia
- Oceania: Australia, New Zealand

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