

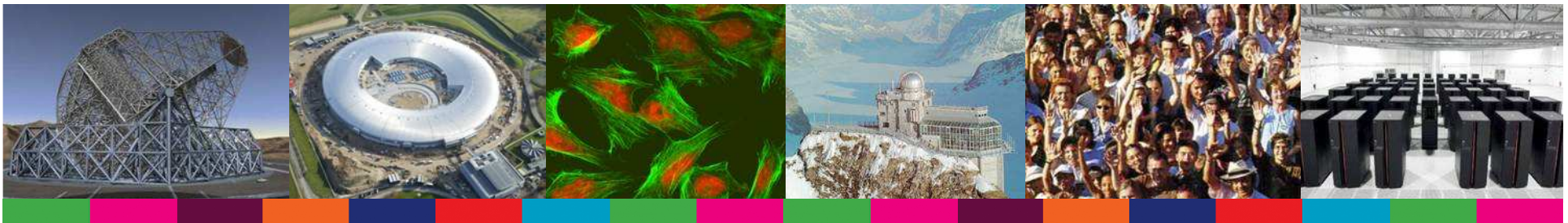


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Monitoring FP6 RI contracts Information about TA users

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Sources of information :

- Annual reports: databases with user's data and amount of access provided
- On-line « user group questionnaire »: to monitor individual contracts and assess the quality of services provided by the RI to the scientific community



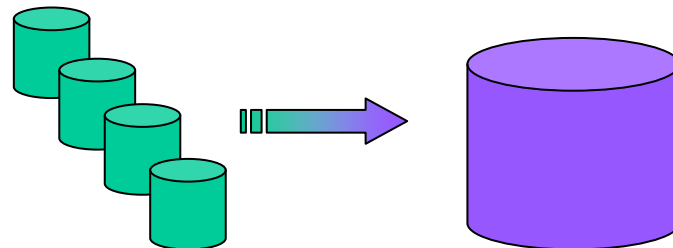


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Annual Report Databases

- So far 193 DB related to the approved annual reports of 24 ***IB*** and 33 ***TA*** contracts
- 10 700 user projects
- 24 000 users





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Database for TA activity

Welcome to the Annual Report Database for Transnational Access Activity

**Selection Panel
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**List of User-Projects
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List of Users Form

**Database Report
Form**

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"List of Users" Form (1)

List of Users Form											
Contract ID		RII3-CT-2003-506079			Print the List of Users				Back to		
Periodic Report	UserProject Acronym	Family Name	First Name	Gender	Birth year	Nationality	Researcher Status	Scientific Background			
								Sci. Field 1	Sci. Field 2	Sci. Field 3	
AR1	1	ABAD	Enrique	M	1972	ES	PDOC	Physics			
AR1	10	HOELTJE	Hans-Dieter	M	1939	DE	EXP	Chemistry			
AR1	100	ECKERT	Kai	M	1975	DE	PGR	Physics			
AR1	101	NUNZI	Francesca	F	1975	IT	PDOC	Chemistry			
AR1	102	MAZZEO	Marco	M	1977	IT	PGR	Chemistry			
AR1	103	BULANCEA	Catalin	M	1978	RO	PGR	Information & Co			
AR1	104	BROZOVSKY	Jiri	M	1976	CZ	PDOC	Engineering & T			
AR1	107	HUMINIC	Angel	M	1971	RO	EXP	Engineering & T			
AR1	109	AMPLE NAVARRO	Francisco	M	1975	ES	PGR	Chemistry			
AR1	111	CALZAVARINI	Enrico	M	1977	IT	PGR	Physics			
AR1	118	WENGER	Urs	M	1971	CH	PDOC	Physics			
AR1	12	FONTENELLE	Hugues	M	1978	BE	PGR	Engineering & T			
AR1	120	PANEK	Jaroslav	M	1973	PL	EXP	Chemistry			
AR1	125	YANG	Yan	F	1972	OT	PGR	Engineering & T			
AR1	126	BOHN	Andreas	M	1972	DE	PDOC	Physics			
AR1	128	BORGO	Rita	F	1975	IT	PDOC	Mathematics			
AR1	130	FRANCESCHINI	Francesca	F	1974	IT	PGR	Social Sciences			
AR1	134	VAN LINGEN	Joost	M	1977	NL	PGR	Chemistry			
AR1	135	VAN LENTHE	Joop	M	1951	NL	EXP	Chemistry	Physics		
AR1	137	CAMARDA	Massimo	M	1979	IT	PGR	Physics			





“List of Users” Form (2)

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Home Institution					New User	Group leader	Remote _user	Number of visits	Duration of stay	Trav. Sub. reimbursed
Type	Name	Town	Country	Email						
UNI	Universite Libre de Bruxelles	Brussels	BE	eabad@ulb.ac.be	Y	Y	N	1	91	Y
UNI	Heinrich Heine Universitaet Duesseldorf	Duesseldorf	DE	hoeltje@pharm.uni-duesseldorf.de	Y	Y	N	1	23	Y
UNI	University of Hannover	Hannover	DE	eckert@itp.uni-hannover.de	Y	Y	N	1	51	Y
UNI	University of Perugia	Perugia	IT	nunzi@thch.unipg.it	Y	Y	N	1	44	Y
UNI	University of Bologna	Bologna	IT	md.mazzeo@libero.it	Y	Y	N	1	79	Y
RES	Institute for Computer Science, Romanian Academy, Iasi Branch	Iasi	RO	qmxbeta@yahoo.com	Y	Y	N	1	61	Y
UNI	VSB-Technical University of Ostrava	Ostrava	CZ	jiri.brozovsky@vsb.cz	Y	Y	N	1	92	Y
UNI	Transilvania University of Brasov	Brasov	RO	angel.h@unitbv.ro	Y	Y	N	1	55	N
UNI	Universitat Rovira i Virgili	Tarragona	ES	ample@correu.urv.es	Y	Y	N	1	78	N
UNI	Universita' degli Studi di Ferrara	Ferrara	IT	calzavar@fe.infn.it	Y	Y	N	1	35	Y
RES	DESY Zeuthen	Zeuthen	DE	urs.wenger@desy.de	Y	Y	N	2	22	Y
UNI	University of Patras	Patras	GR	hfontenelle@deis.unibo.it	Y	Y	N	1	88	Y
UNI	University of Wroclaw	Wroclaw	PL	jarek@elrond.chem.uni.wroc.pl	Y	Y	N	1	29	Y
UNI	Anglia Polytechnic University	Chelmsford, Essex	GB	y.yang@apu.ac.uk	Y	Y	N	1	56	Y
UNI	Darmstadt University of Technology	Darmstadt	DE	abohn@bio.tu-darmstadt.de	Y	Y	N	1	70	Y
UNI	Italian National Research Council	Pisa	IT	borgo@isti.cnr.it	Y	Y	N	1	91	N
UNI	UMR 7041 CNRS Paris	Paris	FR	francescafranceschini@yahoo.it	Y	Y	N	1	26	Y
UNI	Utrecht University	Utrecht	NL	j.n.j.vanlingen@chem.uu.nl	Y	Y	N	1	19	Y
UNI	Utrecht University	Utrecht	NL	joop@chem.uu.nl	Y	Y	N	1	16	Y
UNI	Universita' di Catania	Catania	IT	massimo.camarda@ct.infn.it	Y	Y	N	1	56	Y



"List of Users-Project" Form

List of User-Projects Form															
Print the List of User-Projects		◀ NEW ▶	Back to the Main Page												
Contract ID	<input type="text" value="RII3-CT-2003-506079"/>	Periodic Report	<input type="text" value="AR2"/> User-Project Acronym <input type="text" value="1"/> <small>(max 20 characters)</small>												
User-Project Title	<input type="text" value="A multilevel approach for the study of self-organization phenomena in soft-matter systems"/>														
User-Project Objectives	<p>1. Objectives</p> <p>The long-term goal of my joint project with members of the Nonlinear Dynamics in Physicochemical systems (DNPS) group at the University of Barcelona is the characterization of structure formation and dynamic self-organization phenomena in Langmuir monolayers and lipid bilayers in view of possible applications in the domain</p>														
User-Project Achievements	<p>2. Main achievements</p> <p>The main objective of the project has been accomplished, since we were able to develop a model describing the motion of the defect which has given rise to two research articles. The model is based on a relaxational ansatz for a free-energy functional containing bend and splay terms as well as an additive thermal noise. Some analytical results for the morphology of equilibrium textures have also been obtained from the model. A major difficulty we had to cope with is that in the beginning we had no noise term in our model, but it turned out that the latter is necessary to observe the excursion of the defect and its subsequent motion along the droplet boundary.</p>														
User-Project Scientific Field	<i>Main field</i> <input type="text" value="Physics"/>	<i>FP6 priority or Specific discipline</i> <input type="text" value="Other - Physics"/>													
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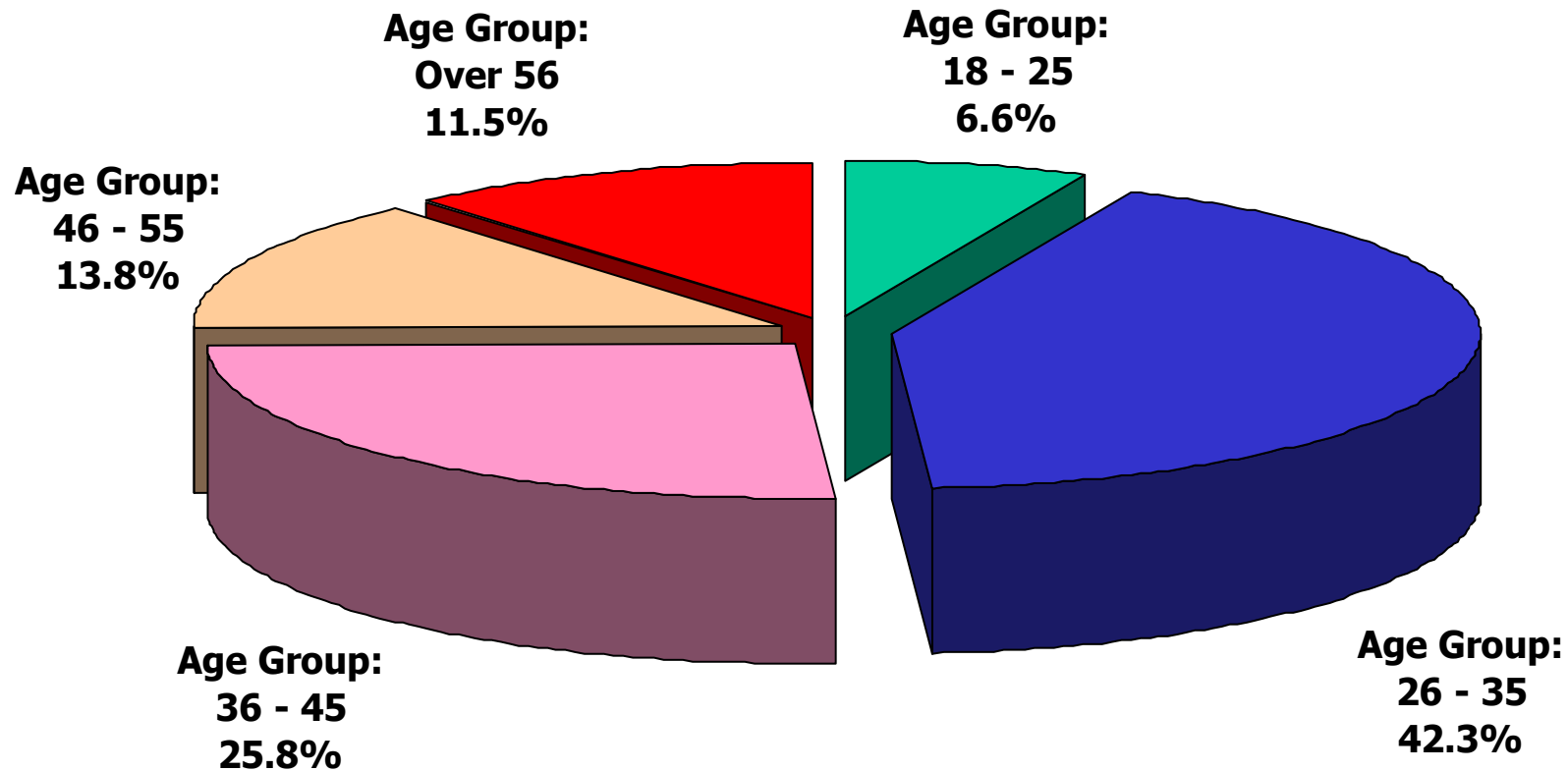




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Distribution of users by age group (as % of the total number of users)

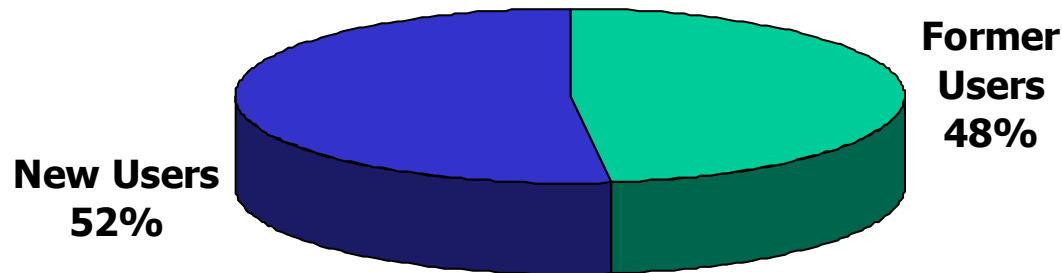
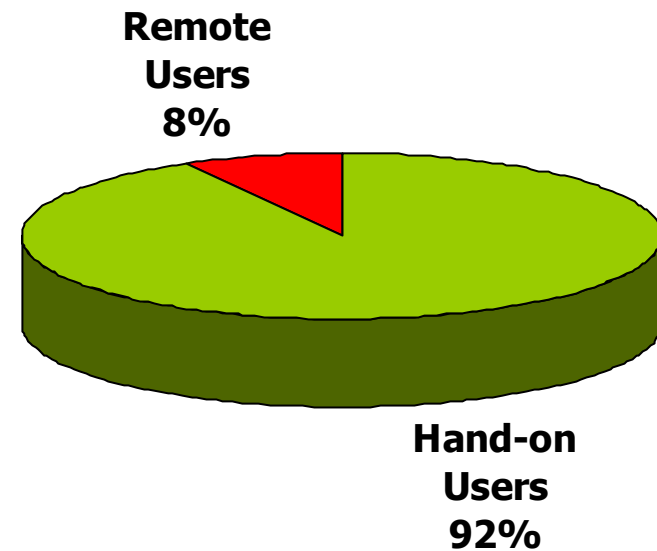
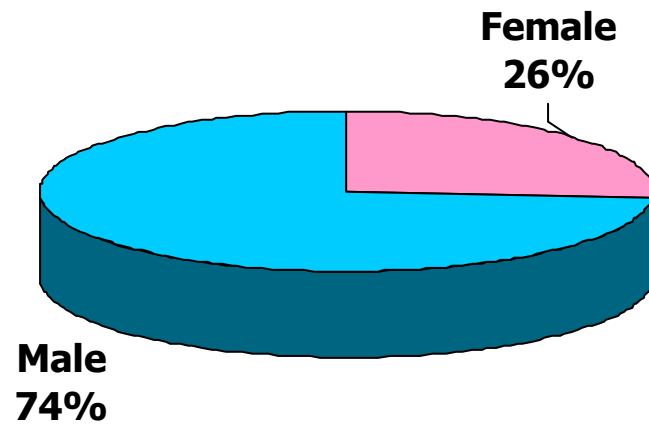




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Distribution of users by gender and type

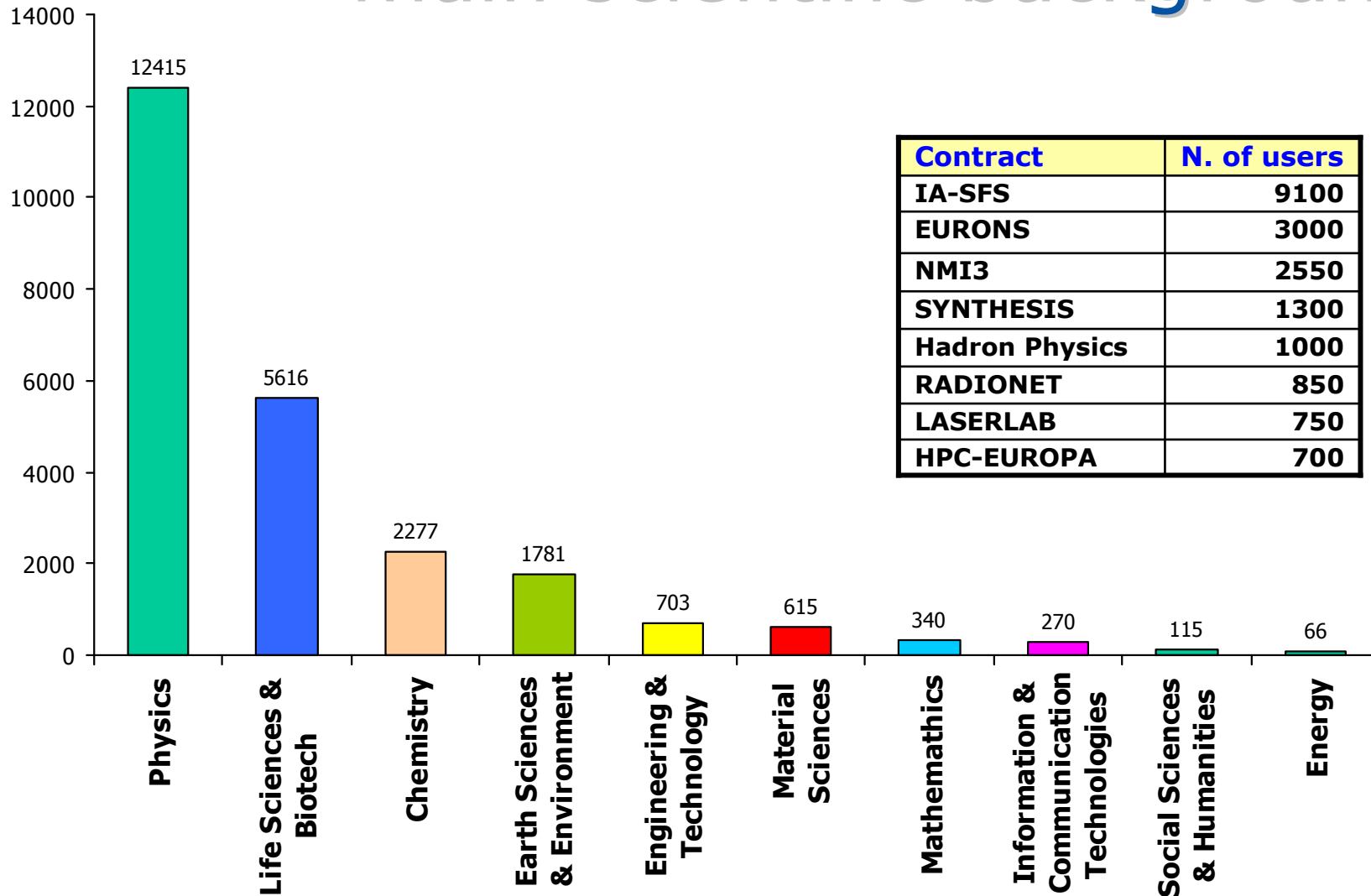




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Distribution of users by main scientific background

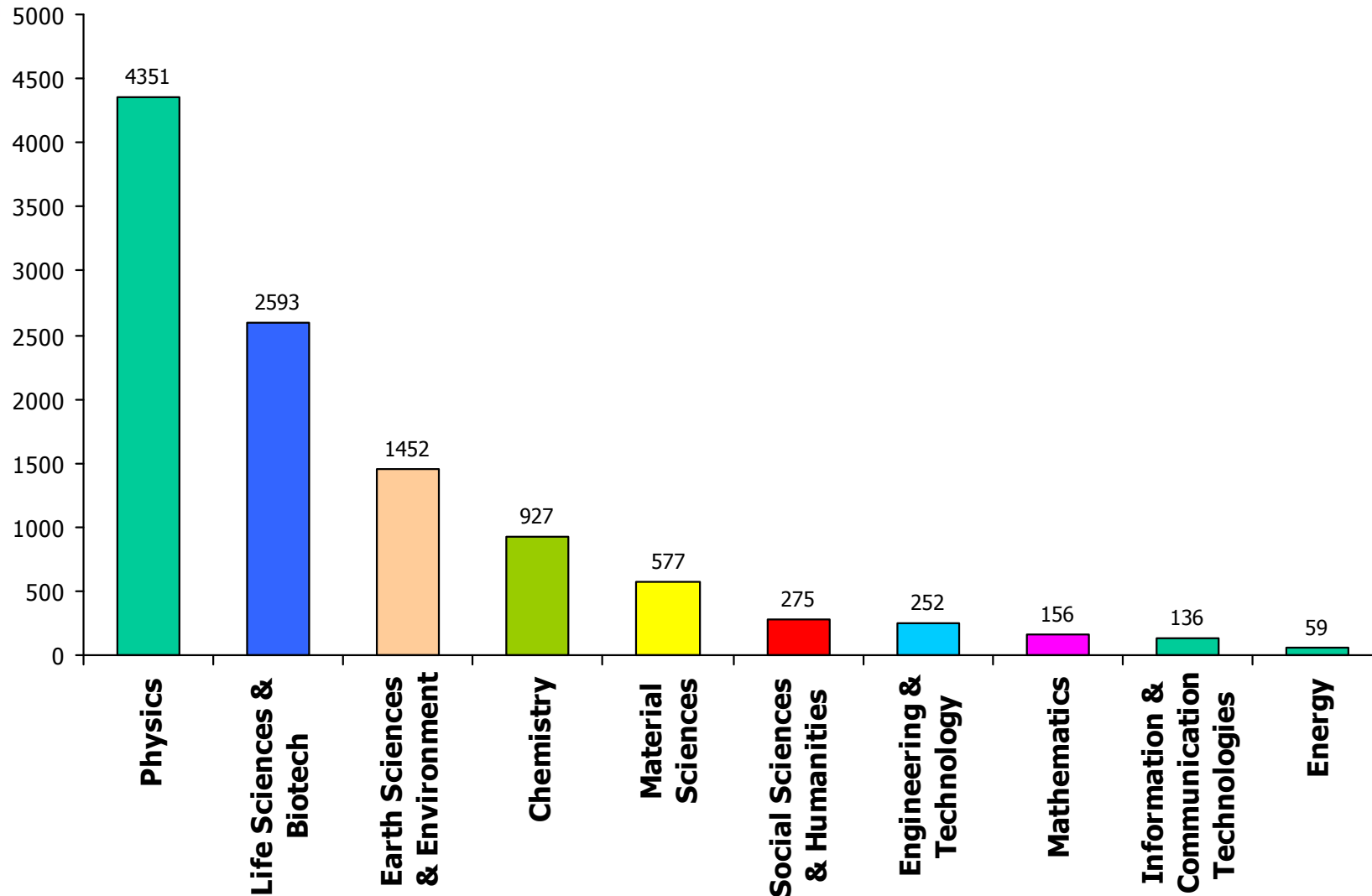




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Distribution of user-projects by discipline



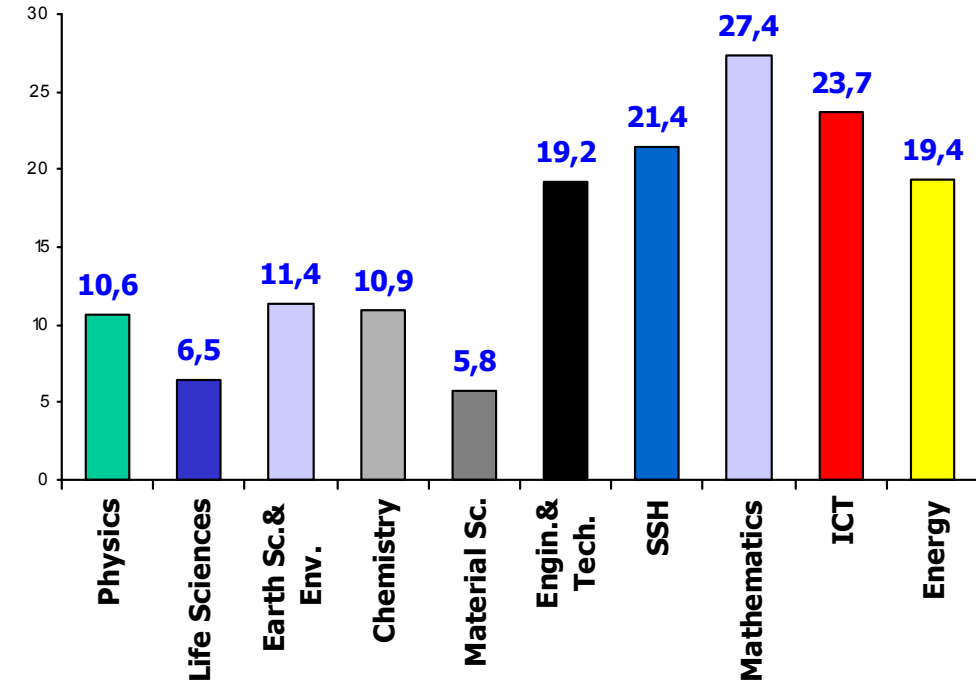
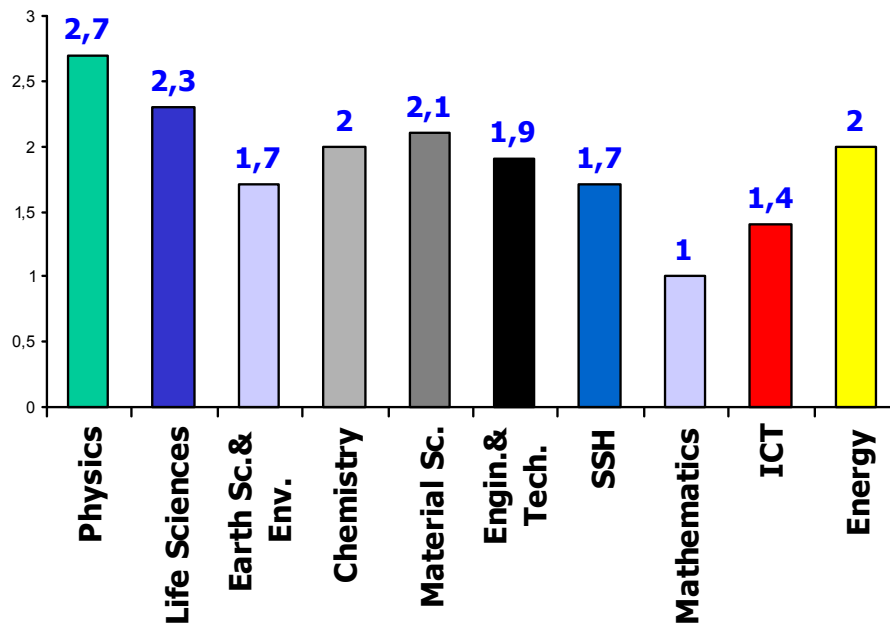


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Average duration of visits per discipline (days)

Average size of user groups per discipline

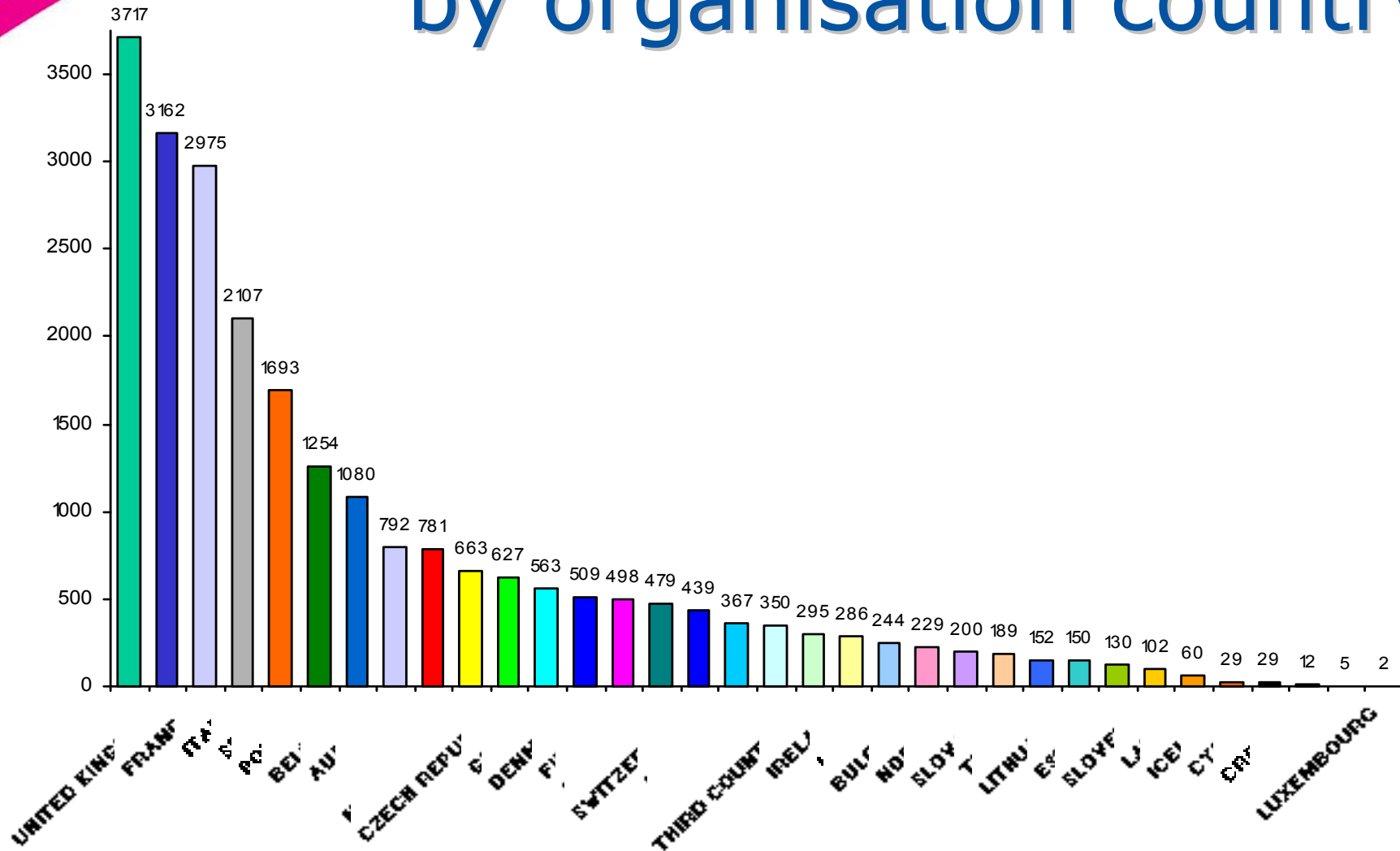




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Distribution of users by organisation country

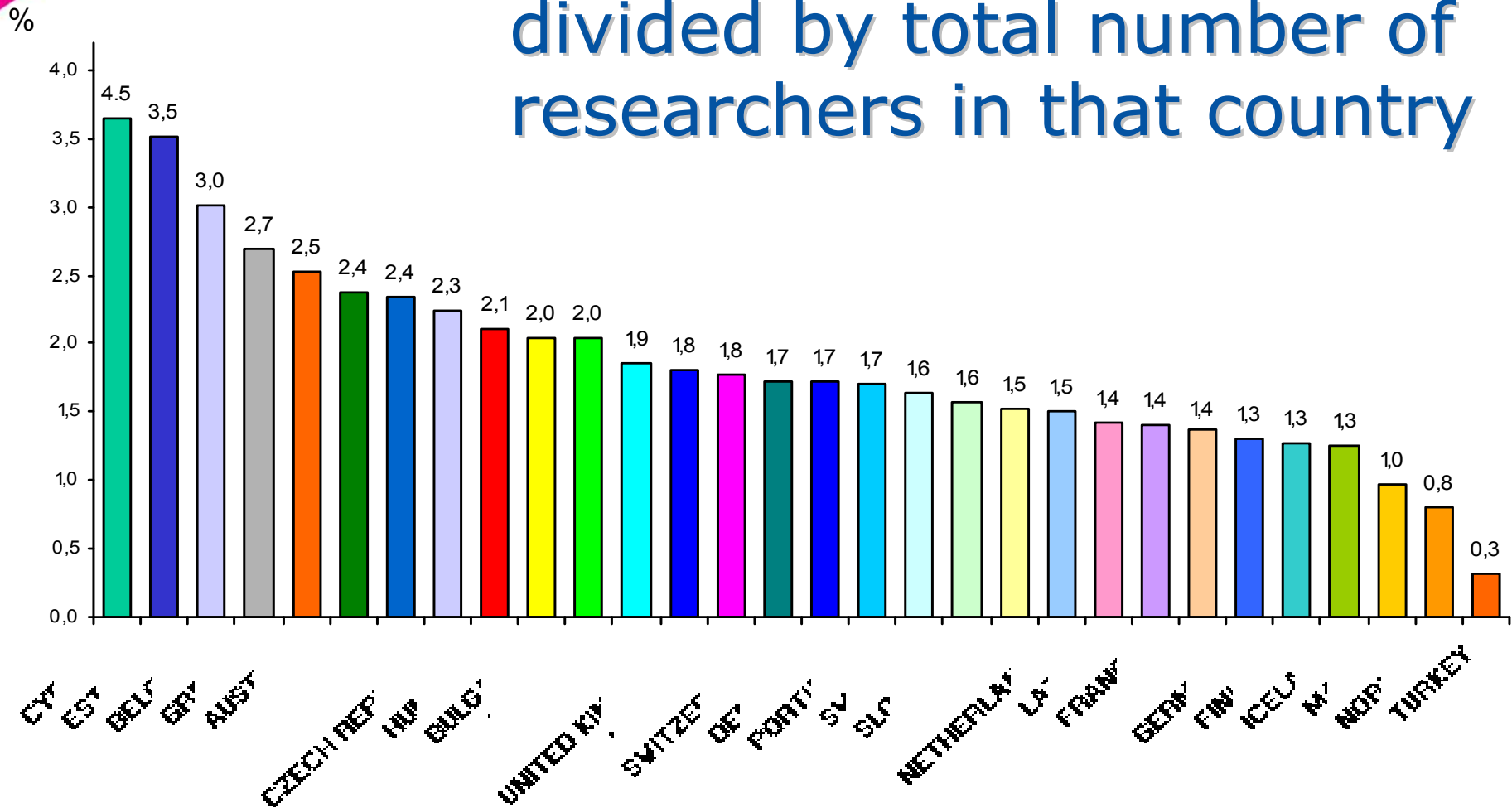




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Distribution by country of number of supported users divided by total number of researchers in that country

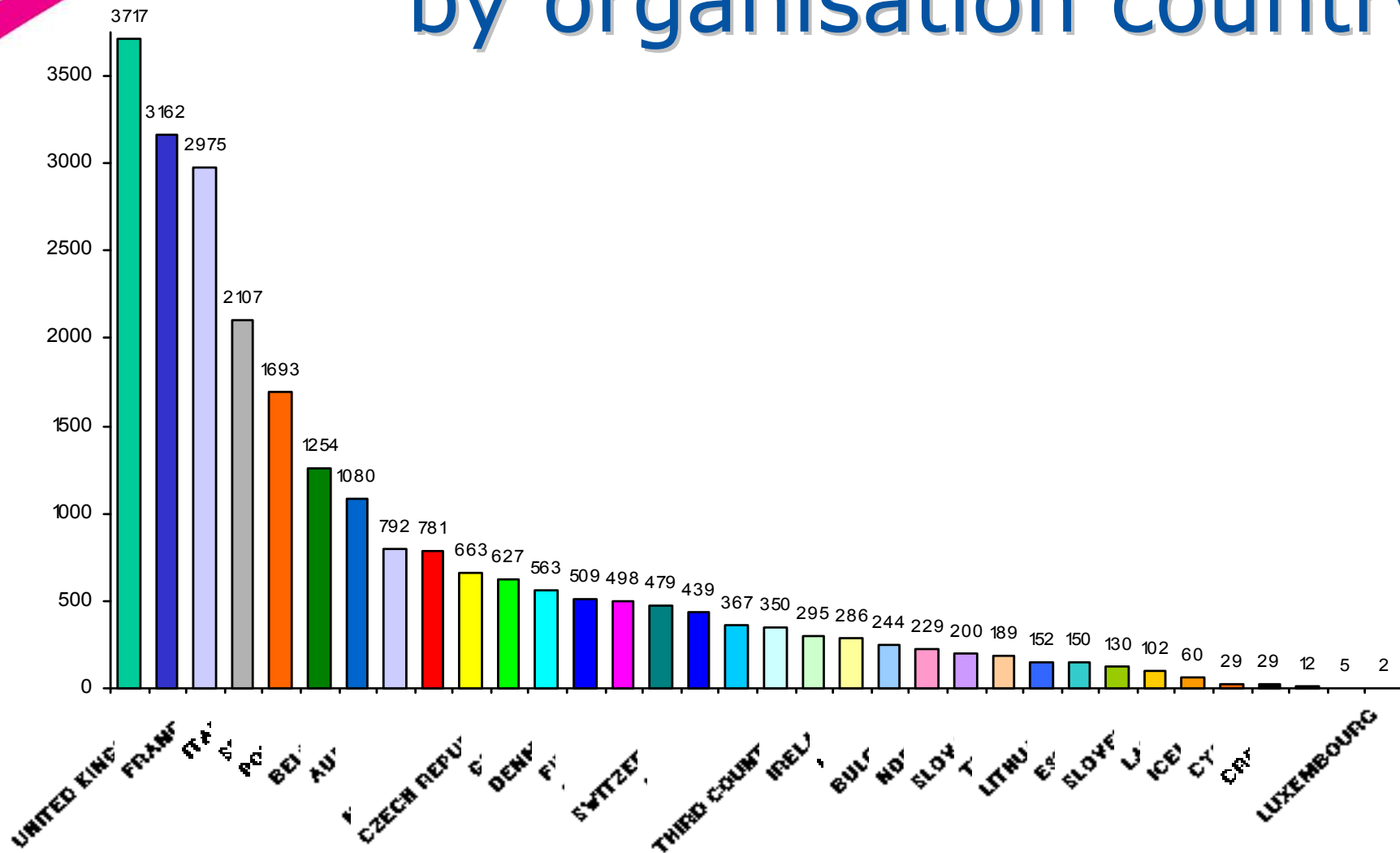




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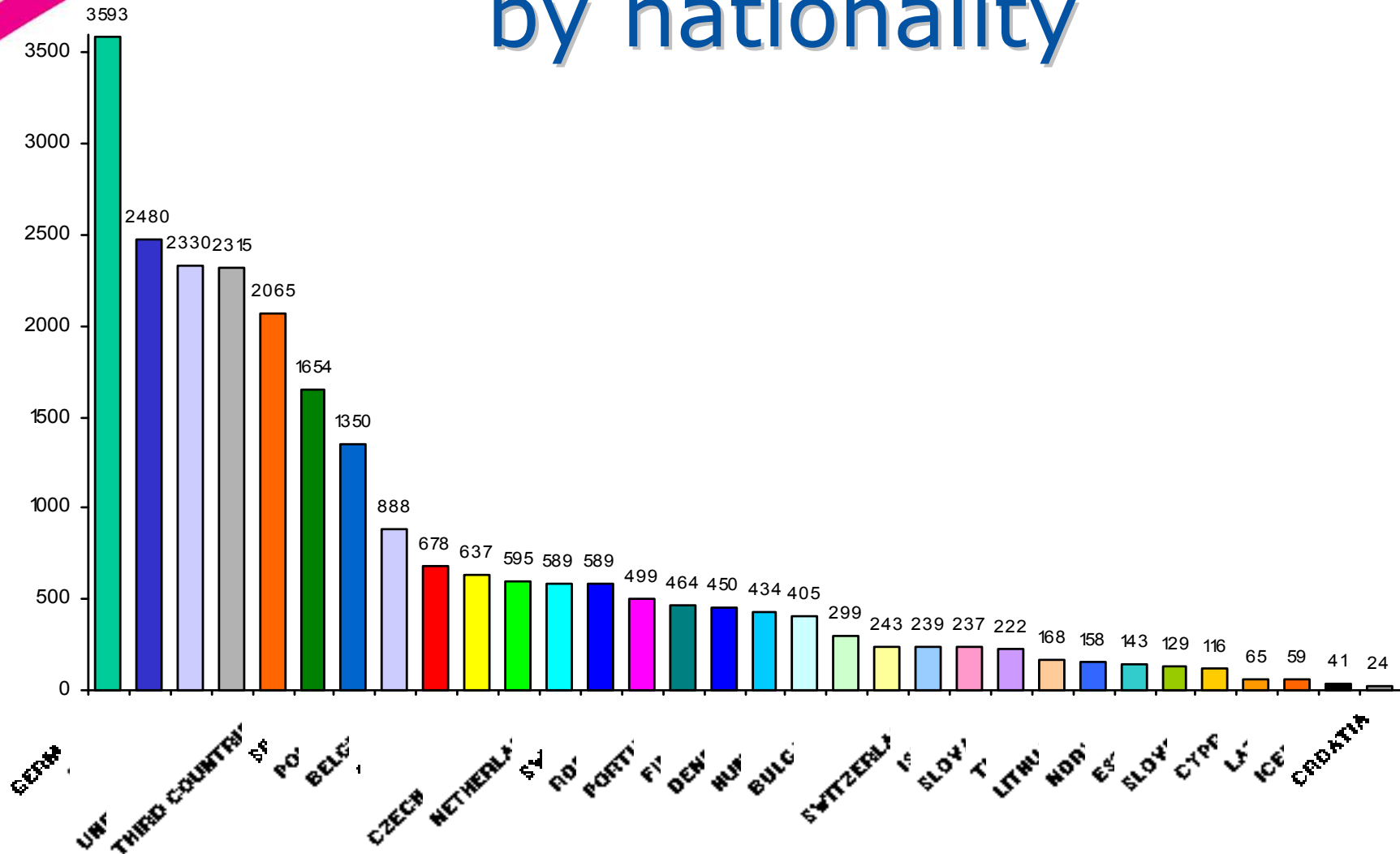




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Distribution of users by nationality

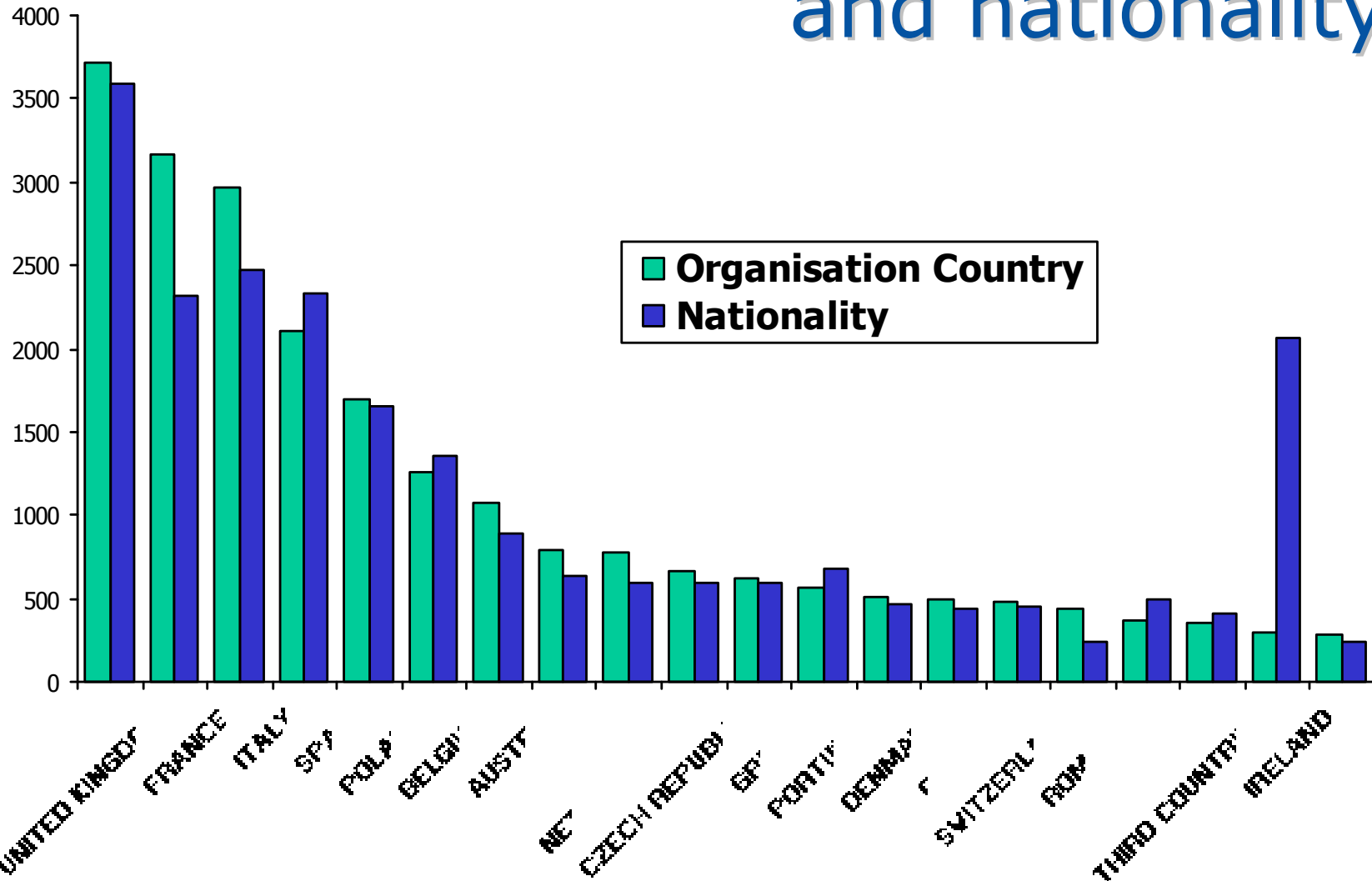




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Distribution of users by organisation country and nationality

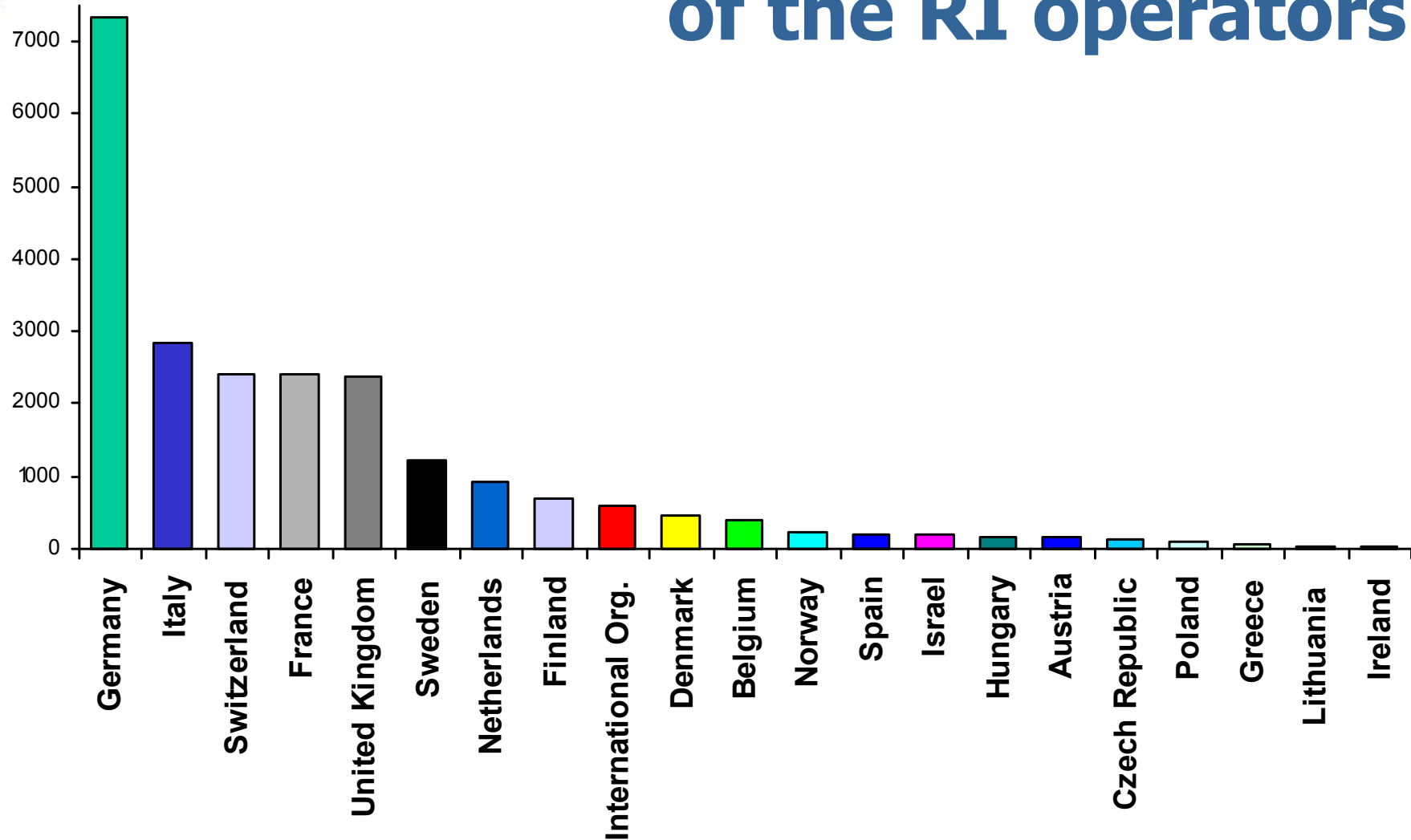




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Number of served users by country of the RI operators

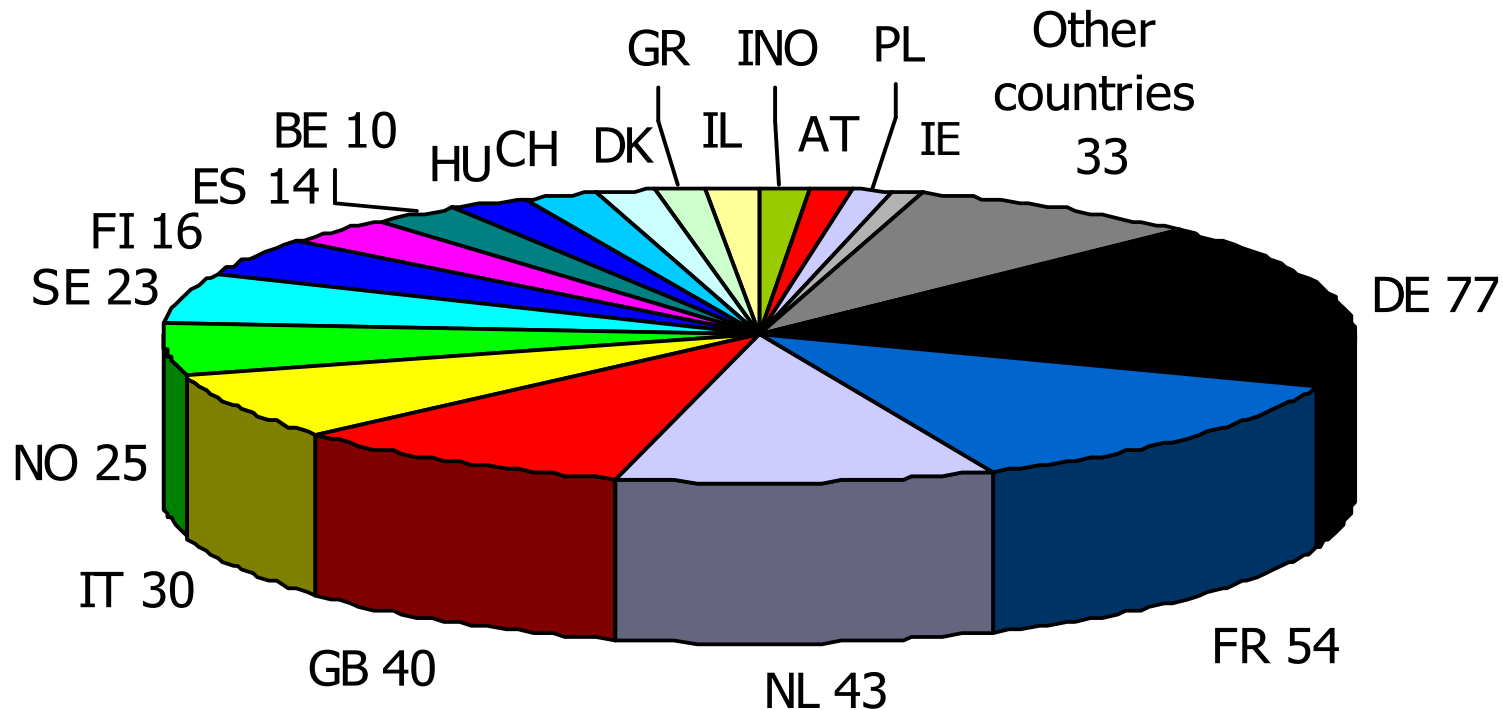




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Supported Infrastructures/ Installations per country

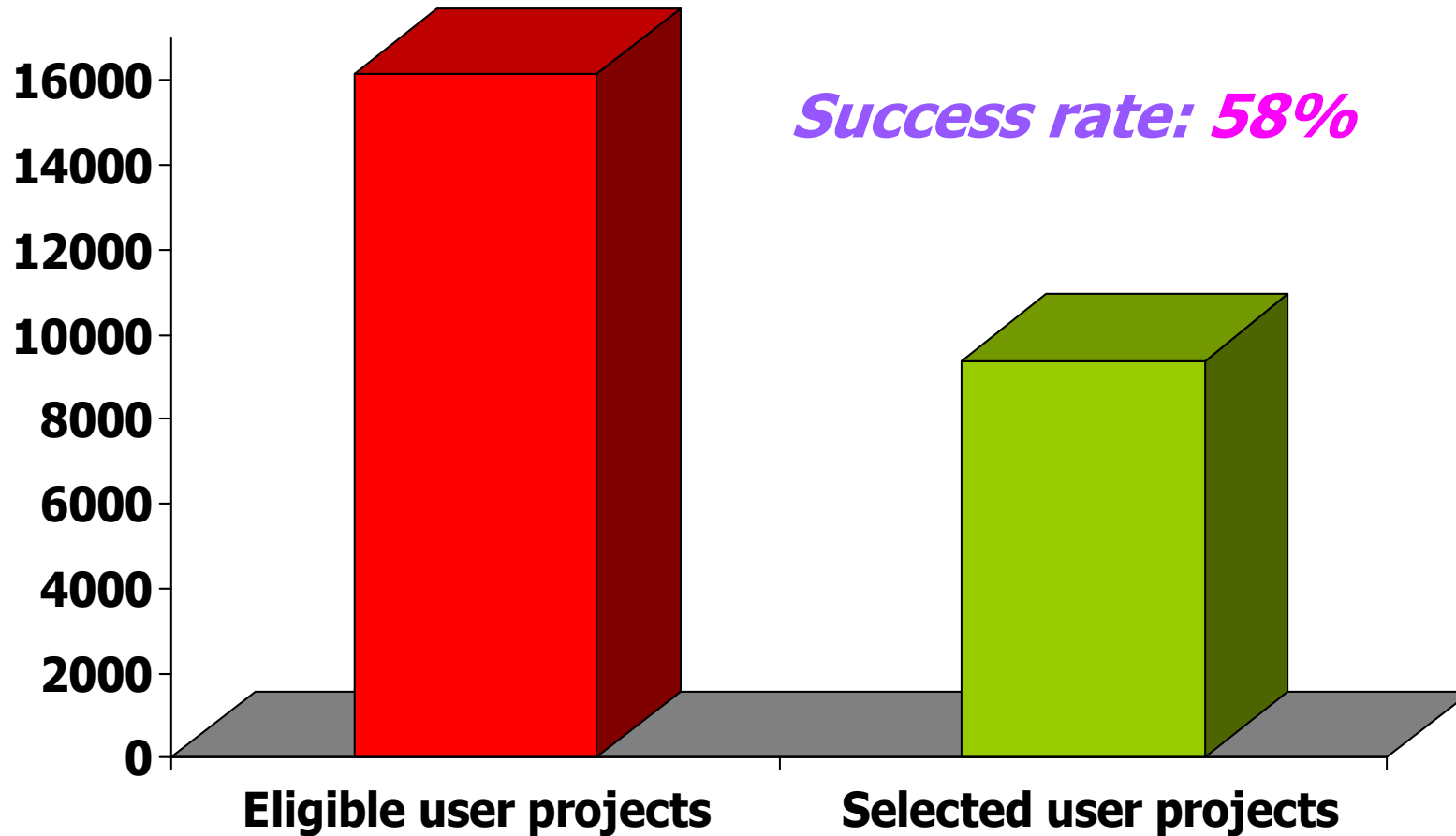




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Success rate of user projects





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What we have supported so far ?

- 24 000 users
- 19 000 users supported in their T&S
- 22 500 supported trip
- 225 000 supported days of stay
- 3,7 billions of units of access





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User group questionnaire

- Questionnaire available at
➔ <http://www.cordis.lu/infrastructures/questionnaire.htm>
- Up to now 5050 filled questionnaires
- Used to produce statistics to monitor individual contract implementation ...
- and General statistics too



USER GROUP QUESTIONNAIRE

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1 Number of the EC Contract that financed the user group's access to the research infrastructure

Please select



2 User Project Acronym [note 1](#)

3 Person filling in the questionnaire (normally the User Group Leader)

Family name

First name(s)

4 Where did you first find out about the possibilities of access supported through the EC contract?

EC Research Infrastructures Action web-site

Announcement in journal

CORDIS databases

Announcement at conference

Contract web-site

Direct mailing from infrastructure

Infrastructure web-site

Personal contact (please specify)

5 Without the support of this EC contract would you still have been able to carry out your work at this research infrastructure?

Yes

No

If no, please indicate the reason (you may indicate more than one choice)

Not otherwise eligible to apply for access to the infrastructure(s)

Too difficult to obtain access by applying directly

Unable to pay the user fee

Unable to pay travel & subsistence for one or more of the group members

Other (please specify)

6 Please assess the services provided by the contract with respect to the following points rating them on a scale from 'very poor' to 'very good'.

(Please provide at least 4 ratings. Leave blank when the point is not applicable)

Publicity, made by the infrastructure, concerning the access financed by the EC	<input type="text"/>
Practical information provided on how to apply for access	<input type="text"/>
Advice to use the most appropriate installation or infrastructure note 2	<input type="text"/>
Information provided, once your project was accepted, on how to use the facility	<input type="text"/>
Scientific support to set up your experiments and interpret the results	<input type="text"/>
Technical support to make best use of the installation(s)	<input type="text"/>
Logistic support at the facility (office space, computing, libraries, accommodation)	<input type="text"/>
Administrative support (including the reimbursement of travel & subsistence expenses)	<input type="text"/>
The intellectual environment	<input type="text"/>
Overall appreciation of the services provided (mandatory)	<input type="text"/>

Please indicate any comments you would like to make on the services provided (here you can also differentiate your appreciation with respect to the different installations or infrastructures [note 2](#))

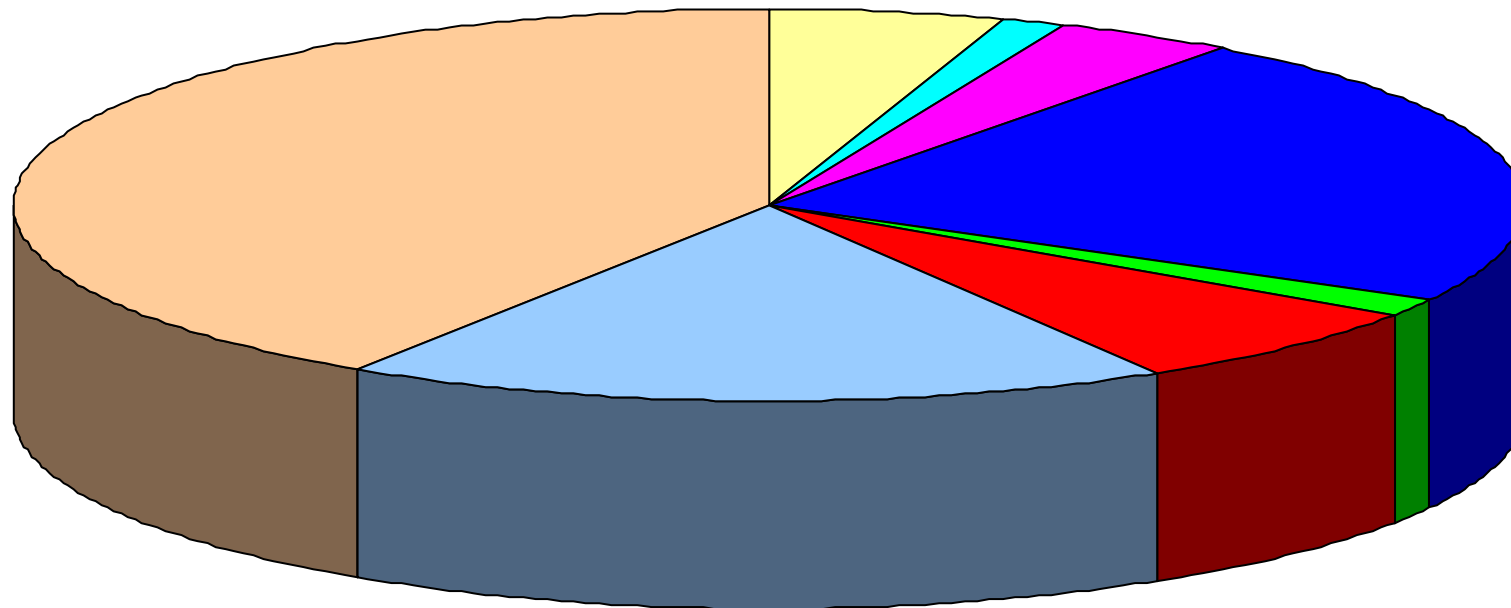
7 Please indicate any further comments or suggestions you would like to make concerning your access to the infrastructure



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Where users find out about access opportunities



■ CORDIS RI WEBSITE

■ CORDIS DATABASES

■ CONTRACT WEBSITE

■ INFRASTRUCTURE WEBSITE

■ JOURNAL

■ CONFERENCE

■ INFRASTRUCTURE MAILING

■ DIRECT CONTACT

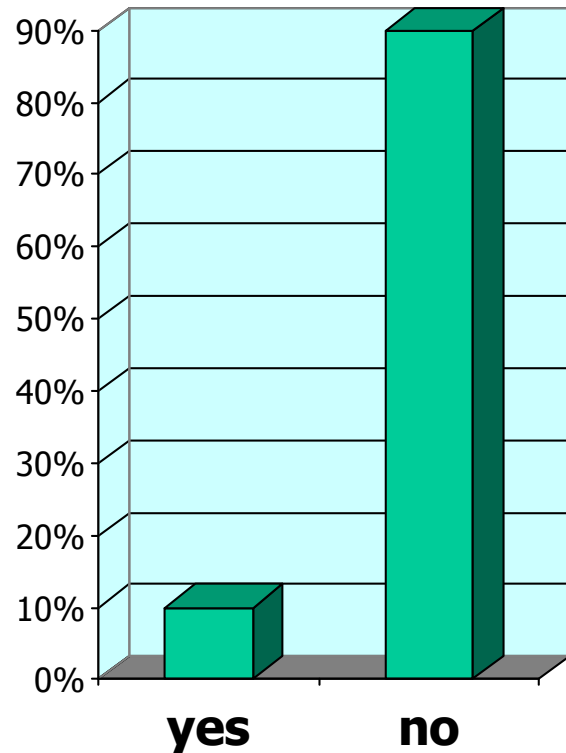




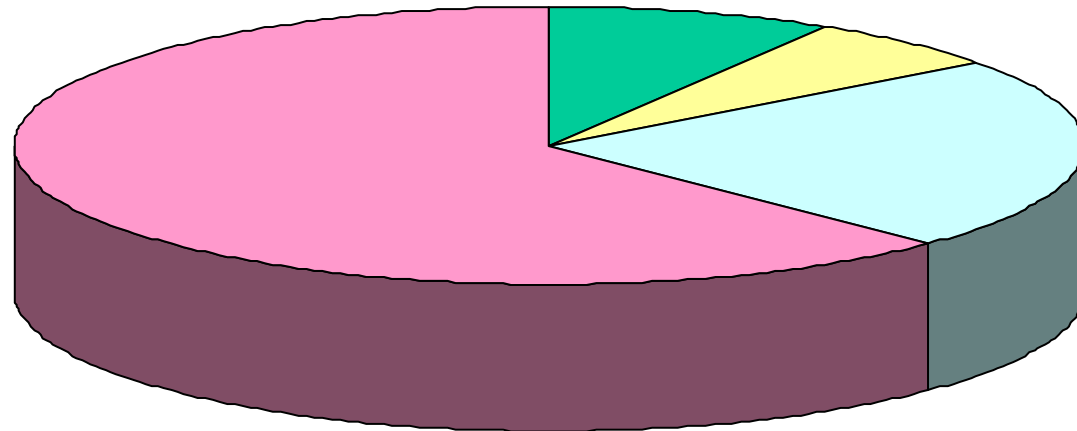
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Are the users able to carry out their research on the RI without EC support?



When no, why?



■ NOT ELIGIBLE

■ APPLIC. TOO DIFFICULT

■ UNABLE TO PAY UF

■ UNABLE TO PAY T&S

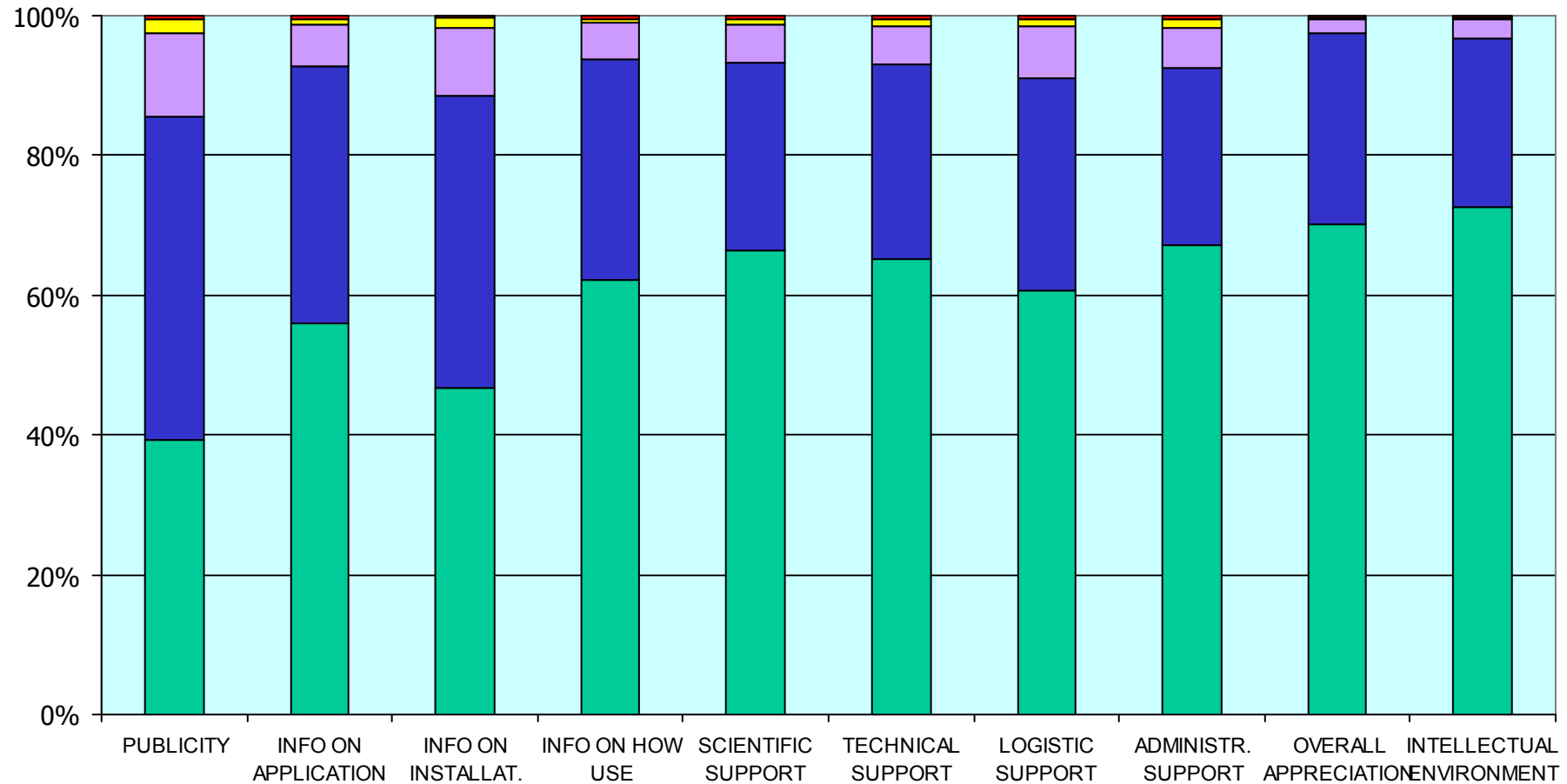




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User's assessment of RI services and intellectual environment



very good good fair poor very poor





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Thank you for your attention

