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National Communications and Biennial Update Reports

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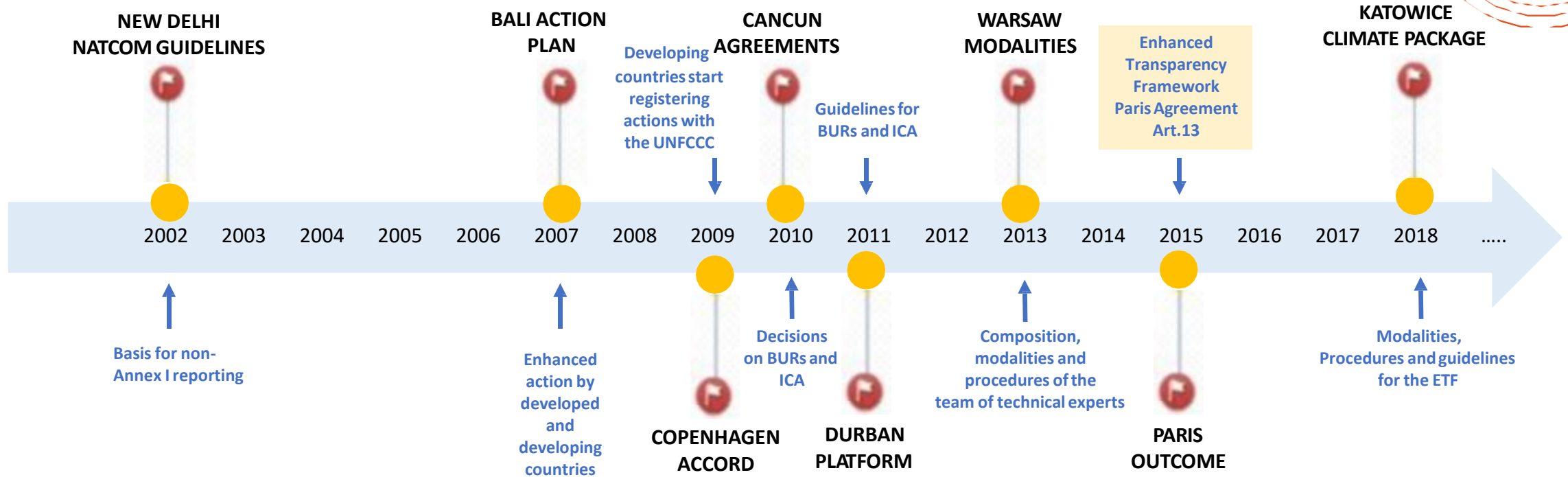


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Key Milestones in the Evolution of MRV framework



Convention -Articles 4 and 12:

- 17/CP.8 –revised guidelines for the preparation of national communications
- 1/CP.16 –Established MRV arrangements, including BURs and ICA
- 2/CP.17 – Guidelines and modalities for the preparation of BURs and the ICA
- 20/CP.19 –Composition, modalities and procedures of the TTE under ICA
- 14/CP.19 - MRV of REDD-plus information
- 21/CP.19 –General guidelines for domestic MRV

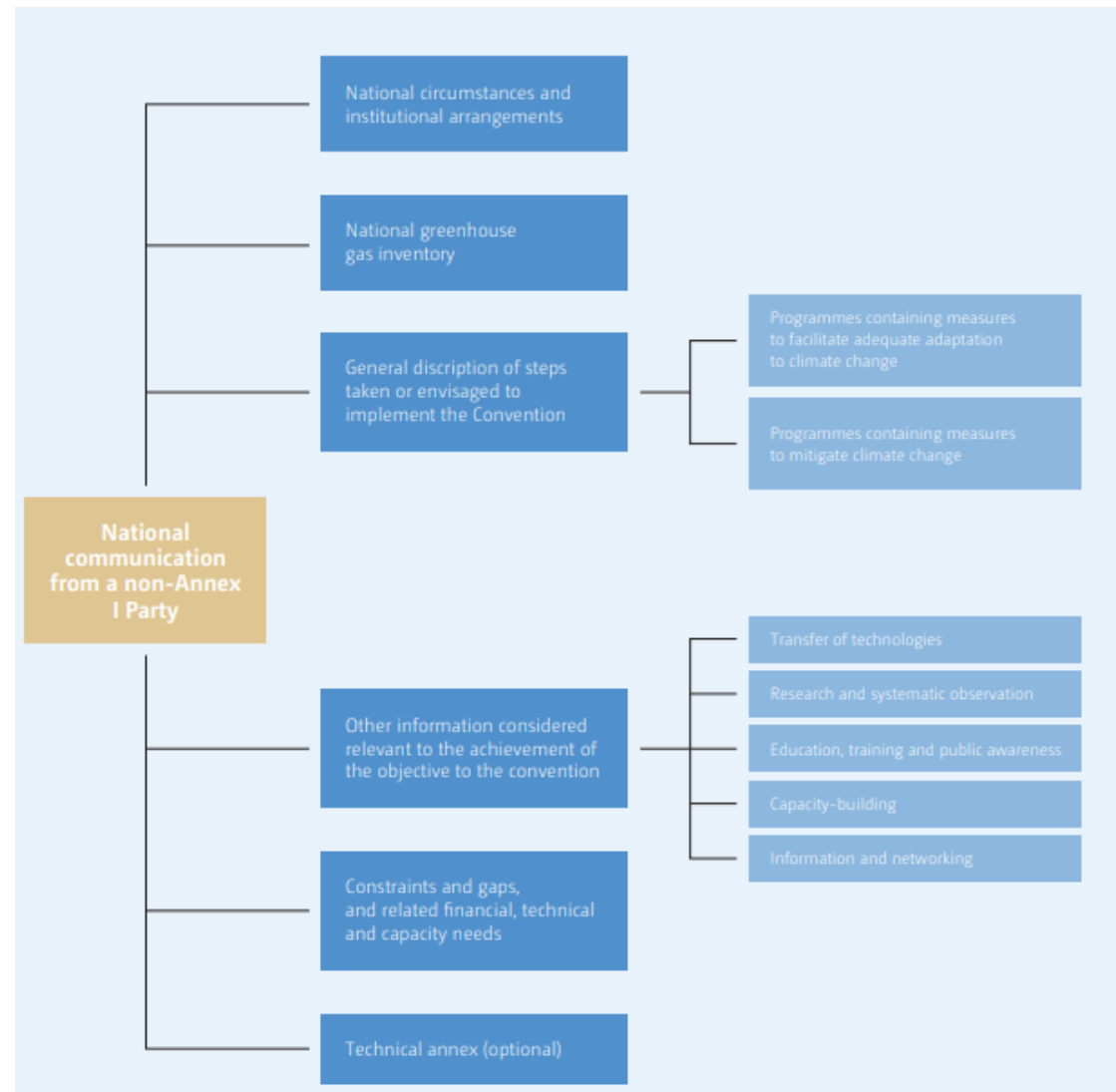
National Communications – non-Annex I countries

Frequency:

- every four (4) years;

Guidelines:

- mandated by Article 4, paragraph 1 and Article 12, paragraph 1 of the Convention
- At COP 8 (New Delhi, 2002) Parties adopted the [revised guidelines](#). ([decision 17/CP.8](#)).



Biennial Update Reports – non-Annex I countries

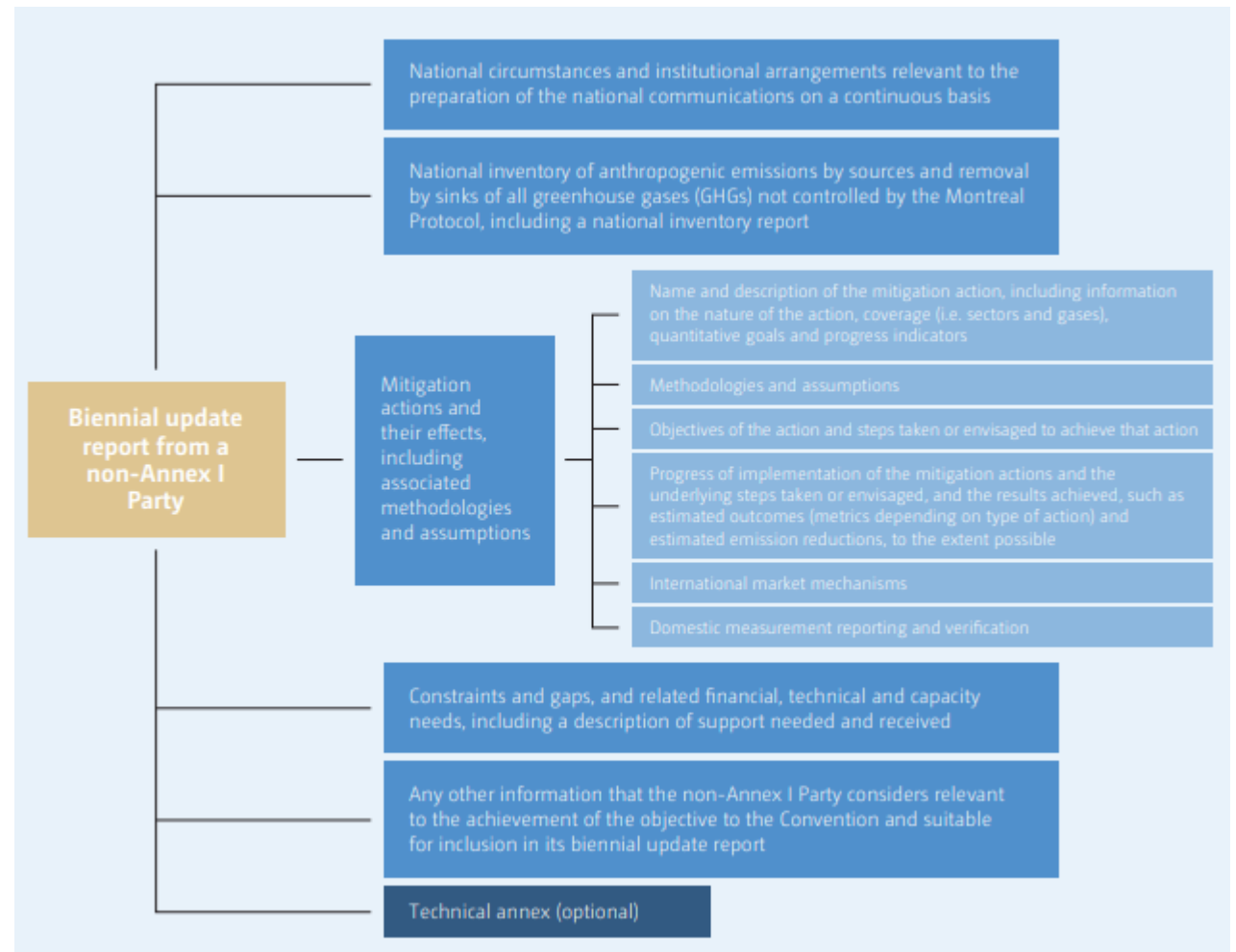
Frequency:

- every two (2) years;

either as a summary of parts of the NC in the year when the NC is submitted or as a stand-alone update report.

Guidelines:

- At COP 17 (Durban, 2011) ([annex III of decision 2/CP.17](#))



NOT SUBJECTED TO ICA*

National circumstances

National GHG inventory

Programmes containing measures to facilitate adequate adaptation to climate change

Programmes containing measures to mitigate climate change

Constraints and gaps, related financial, technical and capacity needs

Any other information

- Transfer of technologies
- Research and systematic observation
- Education, training and awareness
- Capacity-building
- Information and networking

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Scope of biennial update reports (decision 2/CP.17, annex III)

National circumstances and institutional arrangements

National GHG inventory and inventory report

Mitigation actions and their effects – methodologies and assumptions

Domestic MRV

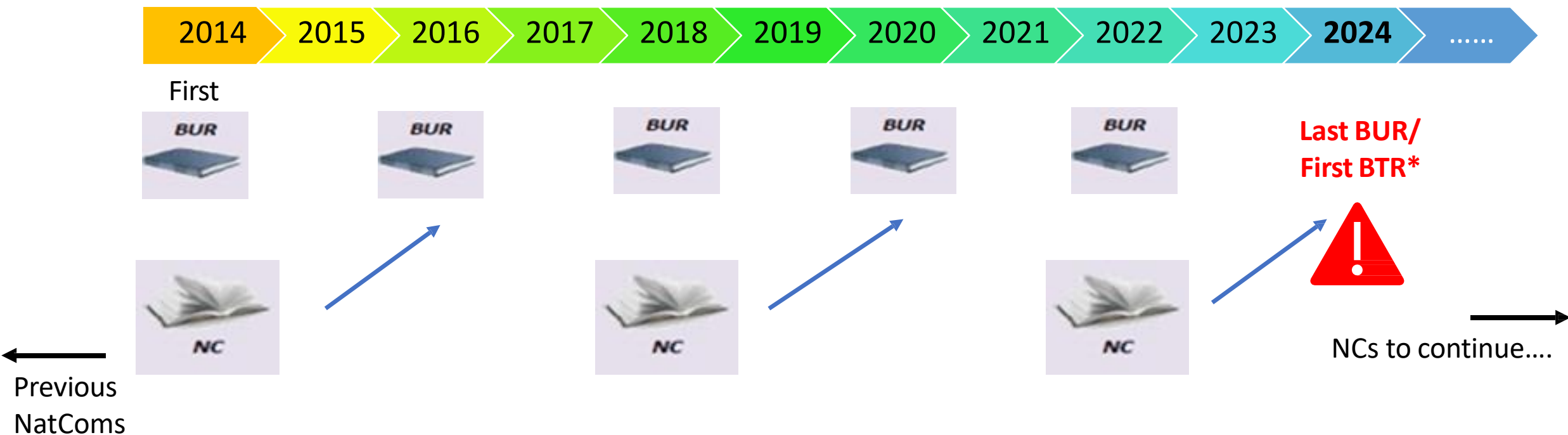
Constraints and gaps, related financial, technical and capacity needs – support needed and received

Support received for BURs preparation and submission

Any other relevant information

*International Consultation and Analysis

Timeline for submission of NC and BUR reports – Ideal scenario



**Biennial Transparency Report*

National Communications – Non Annex I Parties

- 152 Countries submitted the 1NC : *Just 2 countries yet to submit it*
- 138 Countries submitted the 2NC : 20 countries (13%) yet to submit it
- **70 Countries submitted the 3 NC**
- 6 Countries submitted the 4NC
- Only 1 country has submitted the 5NC and the 6NC
- Average of 10 years from 1NC-to-2NC submission
- Average of 5.6 years from 2NC-to-3NC submission, but average will increase as more countries submit

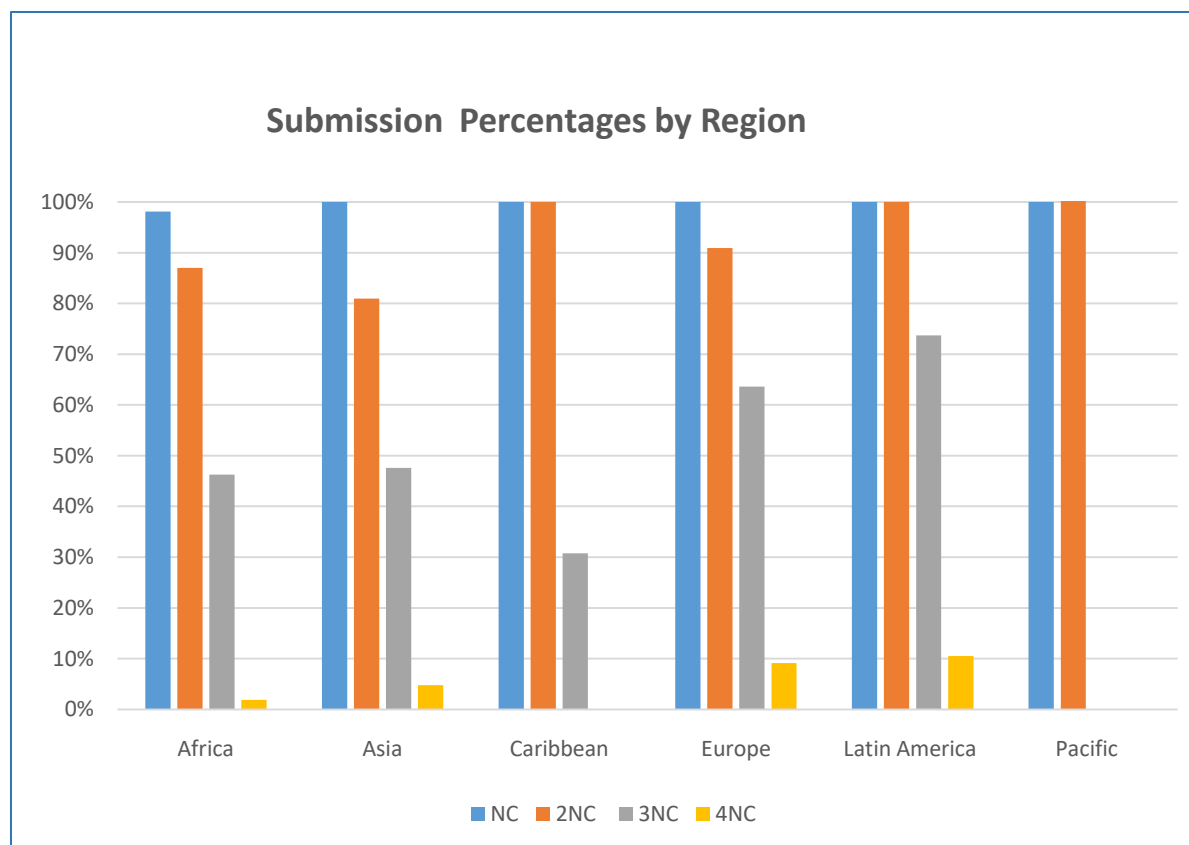
National Communications

Year	FNC	SNC	TNC	4NC	5NC	6NC	Total	
2014	1	7	7				15	
2015	1	12	6				19	GSP starts
2016	2	10	15	1			28	
2017	1	3	13				17	
2018		4	17	3		1	25	
2019	3	5	8	1			17	

Third National Communications



Submission Percentages by Region



NC submissions in the region

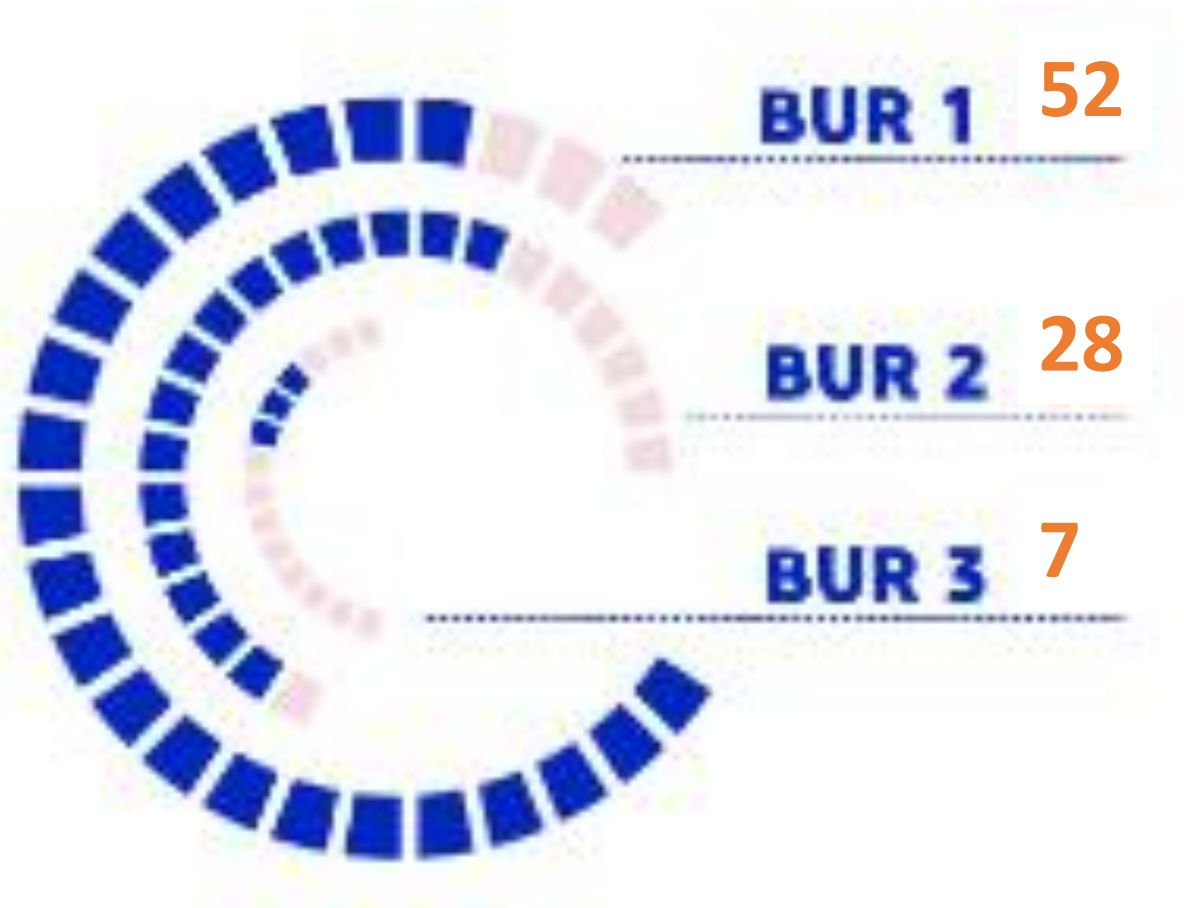


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Next 4NC submission

2020	2021	2022	2023
Armenia	Georgia	Kyrgyzstan	Turkmenistan
Azerbaijan	Kazakhstan (8NC)	Uzbekistan	
Tajikistan			

Biennial Update Reports



State of Play: Nov 7th 2019

Biennial Update Reports

FBUR submitted : 52

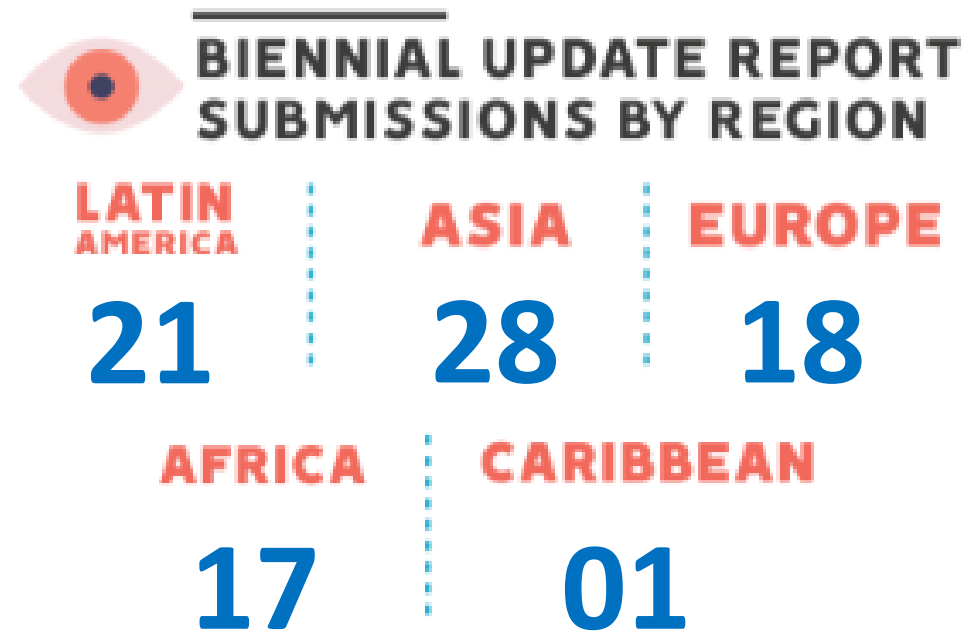
SBUR submitted: 28

TBUR: 7

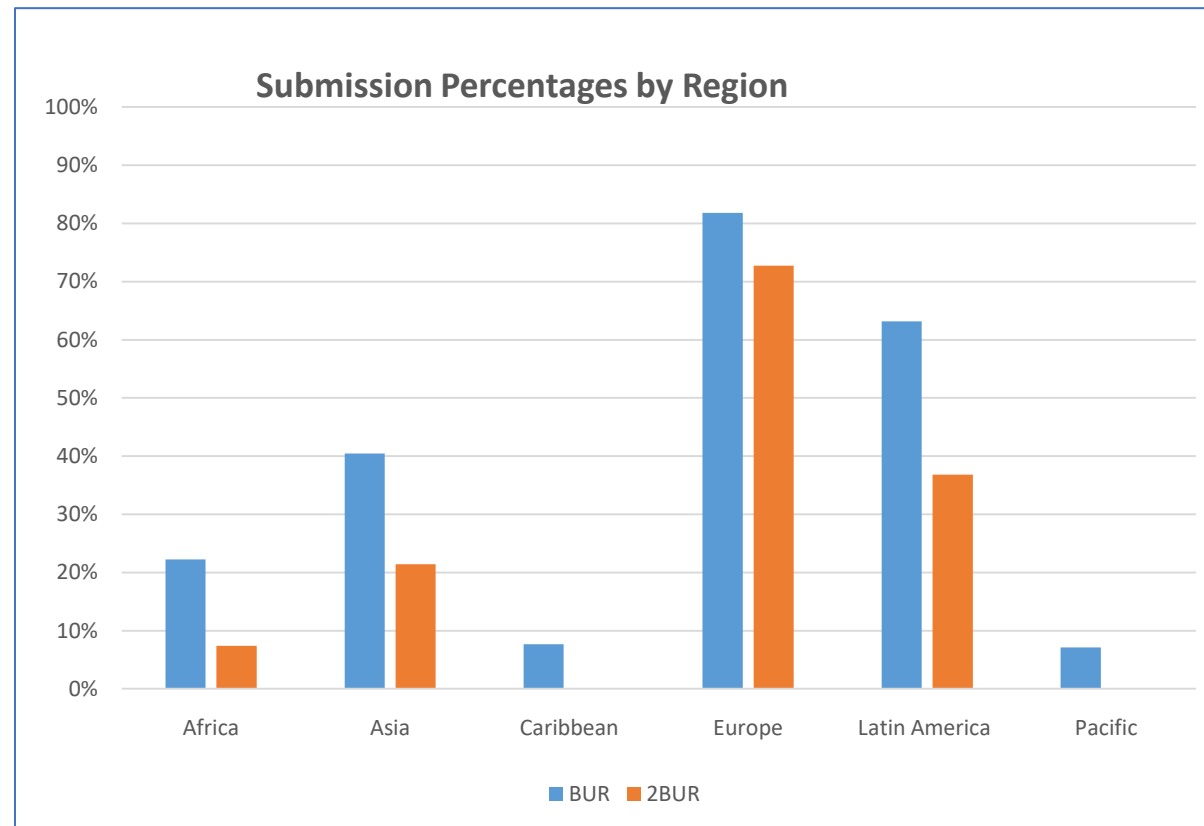
2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
10	12	13	4	6	7
		4	10	11	3
				2	5

Biennial Update Reports

- **Latin America = 21**
5- BUR, 5- 2BUR, 2- 3BUR
- **Asia = 28**
8- BUR, 7- 2BUR, 2- 3BUR
- **Africa = 17**
8-BUR, 2 -2BUR, 2 – 3BUR
- **Europe = 18**
1- BUR, 7- 2BUR, 1-3BUR
- **Caribbean = 1**
1- BUR
- **Pacific =1**
• 1-BUR



Submission Percentages by Region



BUR/ BR submissions in the region



GEF- Survey

2019	2020
Kazakhstan (4BR)	Armenia (3BUR)
	Kyrgyzstan (BUR)
	Turkmenistan (BUR)
	Uzbekistan (BUR)

In process for accessing funds: Azerbaijan (3BUR)

No funds requested: Georgia (3BUR) and Tajikistan(2BUR)

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