

National Participation in COST Actions

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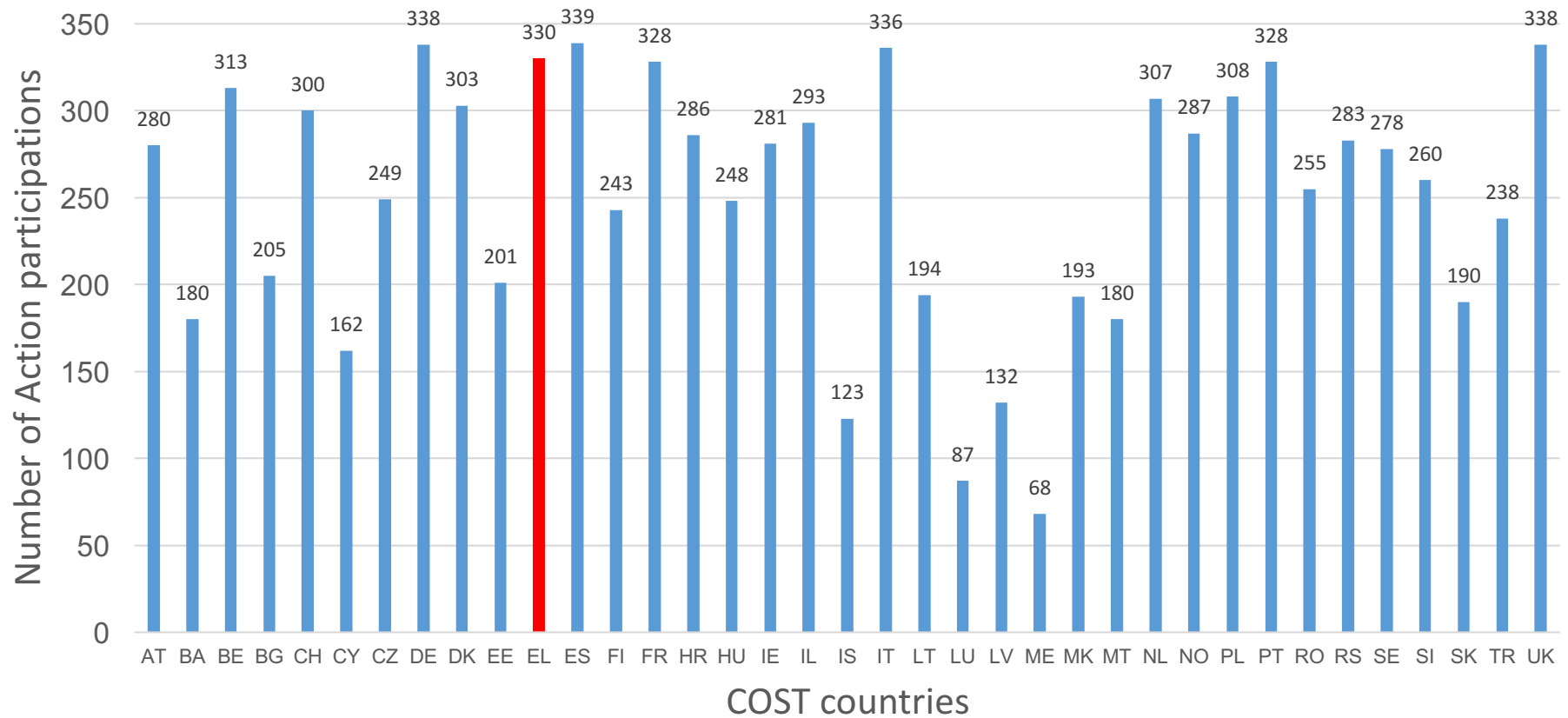
The Expectations

- **High quality research on emerging and national priority fields**
- **High impact multidisciplinary/transdisciplinary research**
- **Objective and transparent selection procedures**
- **Fair balance among scientific disciplines**
- **Fair policies for the Member States**
- **Special care for the good but less privileged:**
 - **Early Career Investigators**
 - **Gender Balance**
 - **Peripheral Institutions**

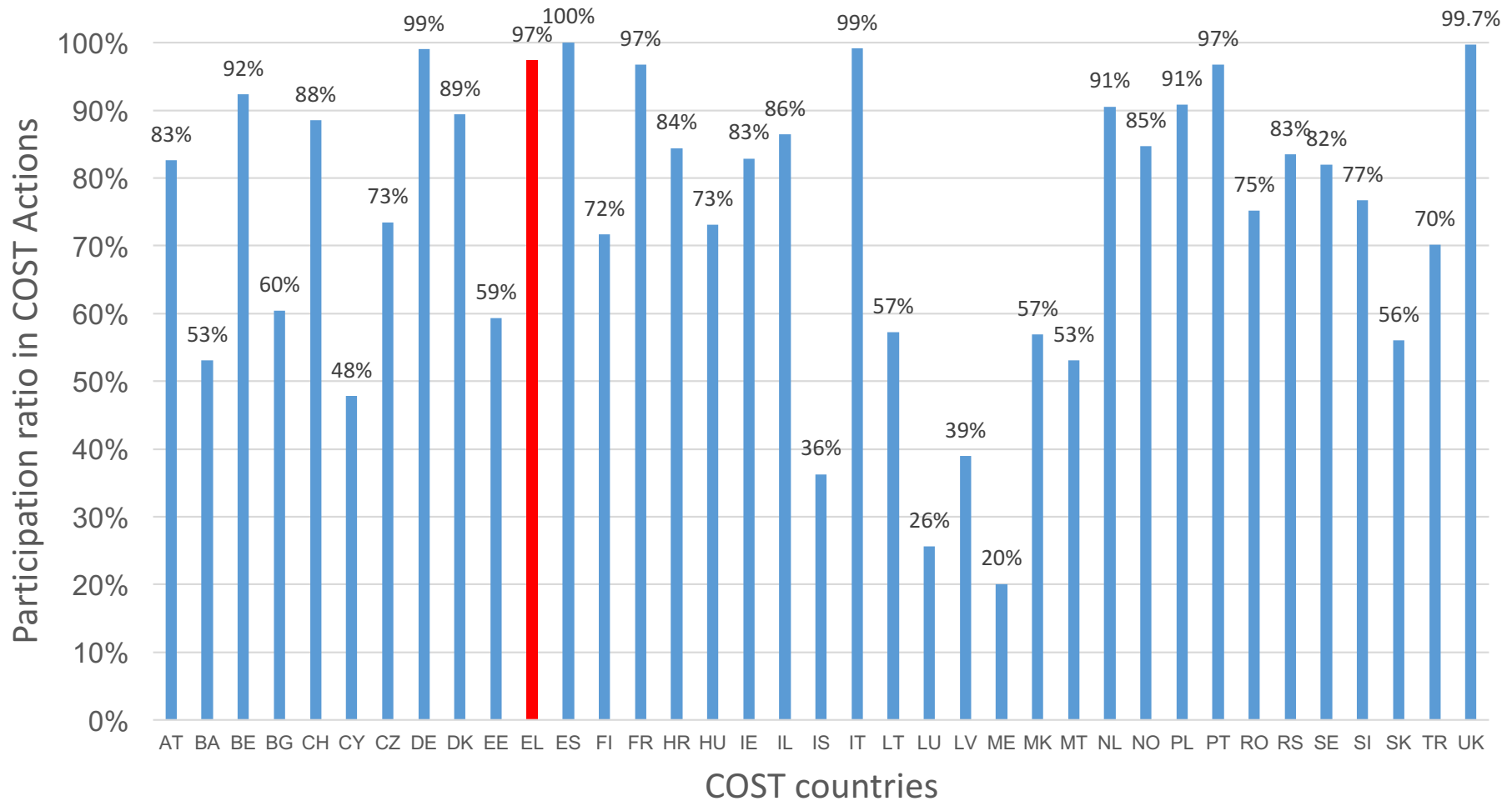
Greek Scientists vs COST

- **European Networking**
- **Added value on innovative R&D**
- **Sharing experiences in the field of interest**
- **Access to new data/processes/infrastructures**
- **An important gate for entering EU Framework Projects**
- **Establishing long term links with qualified research Institutions**
- **Improve competitiveness on national level and beyond**

Country participation in 339 running Actions 2017 (number)

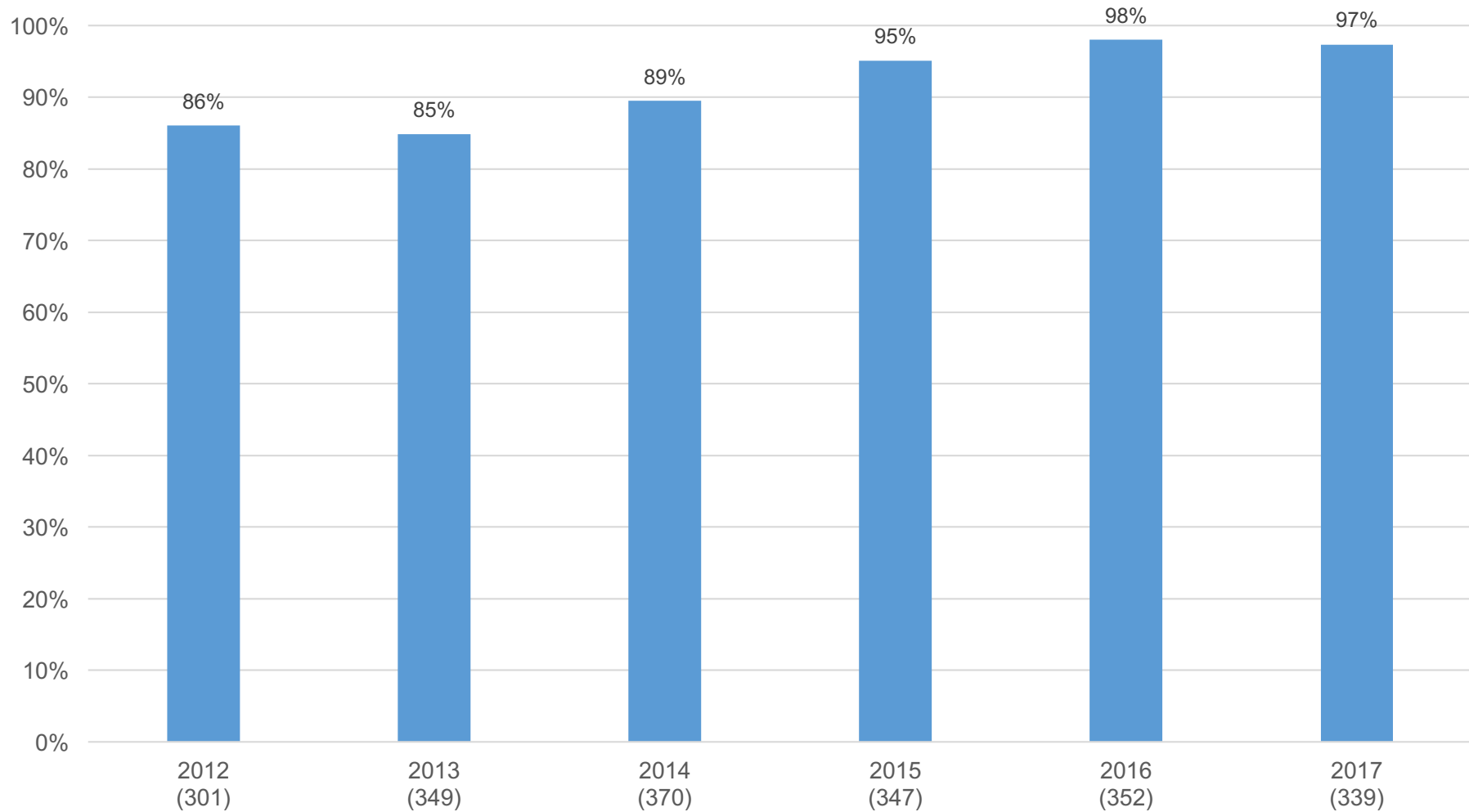


Country participation in running Actions 2017 (% of total)

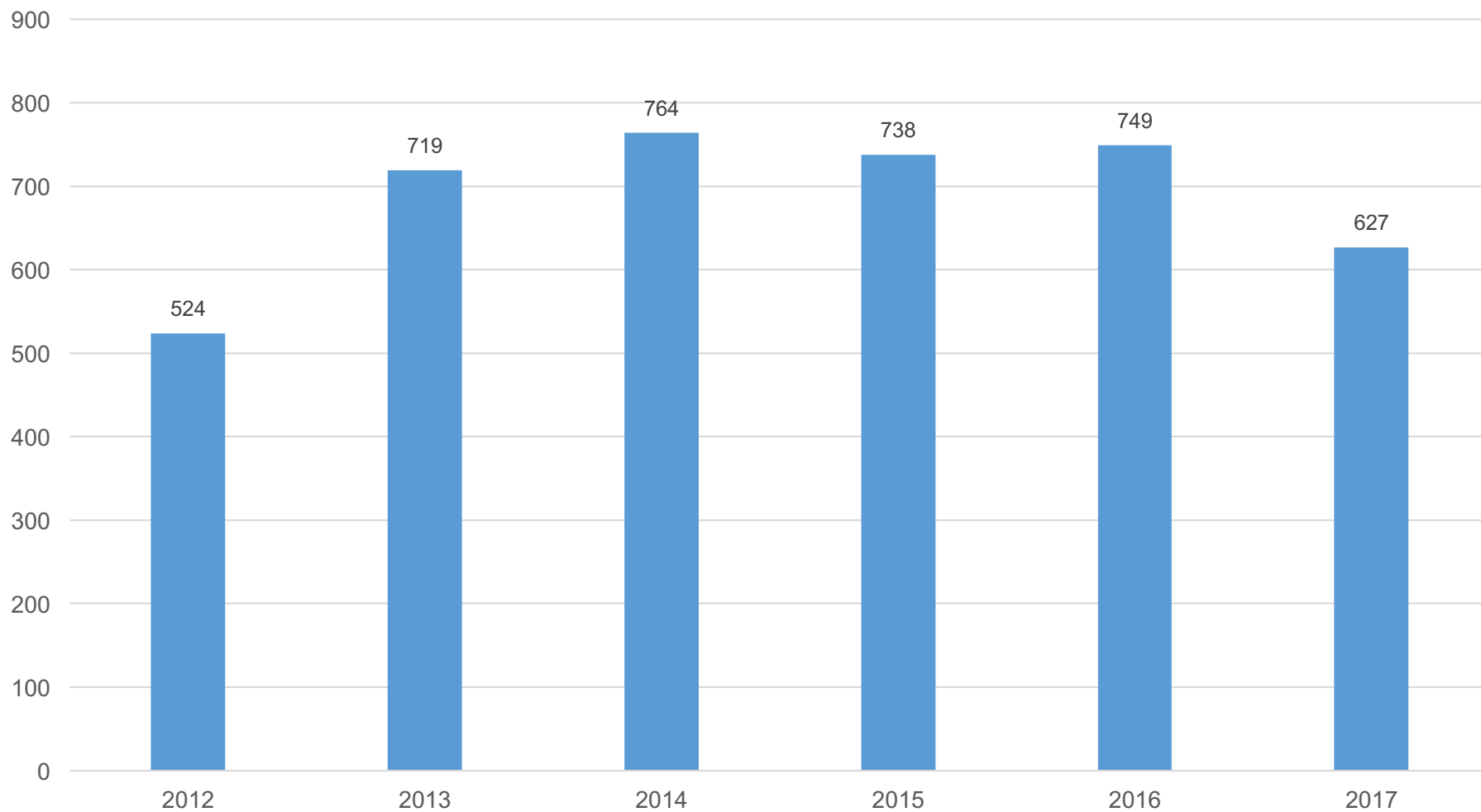


National participation in running Actions

% (total number of running Actions in bracket)

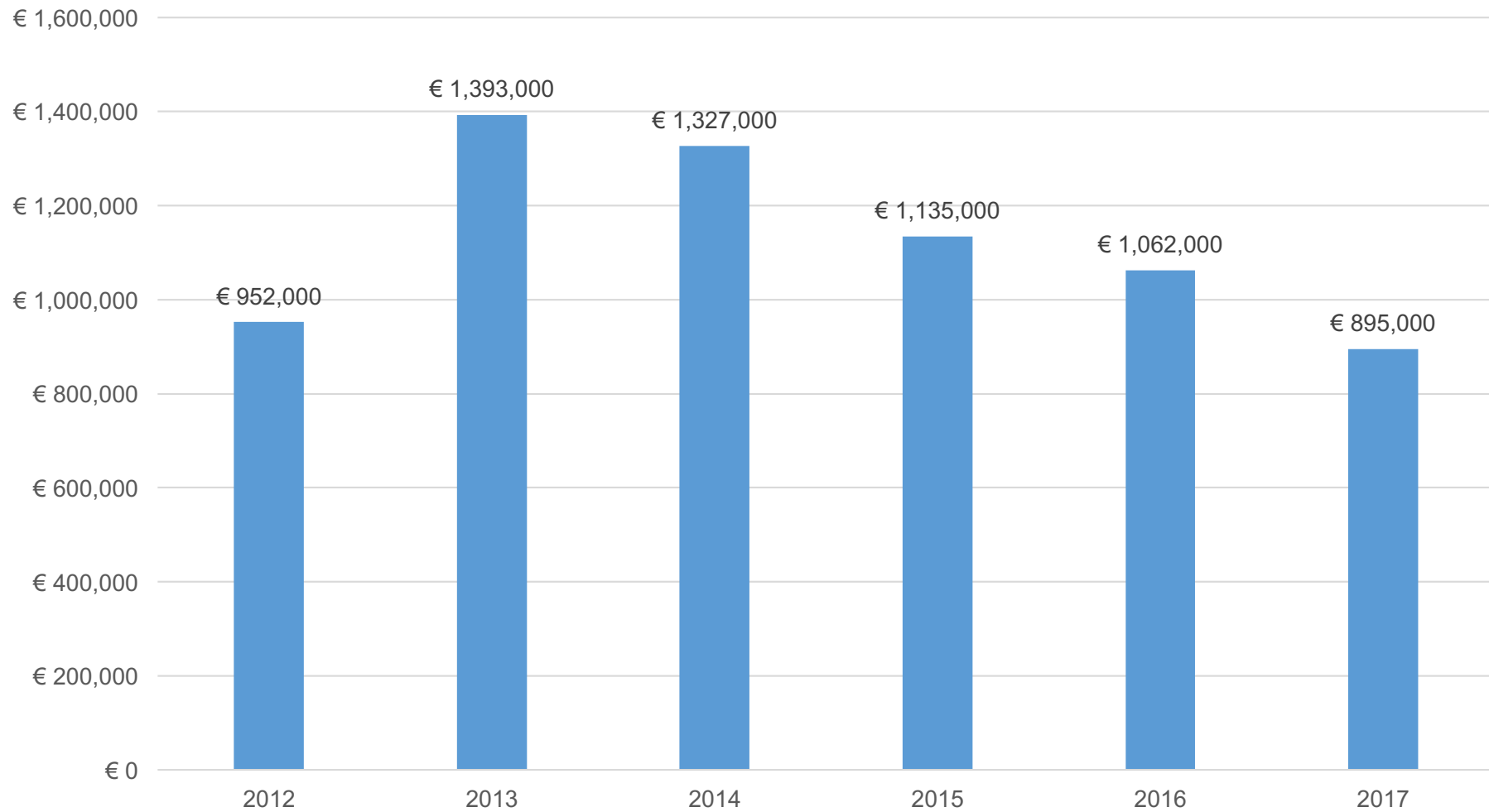


Total number of reimbursed participants in Actions' networking activities(Greece)



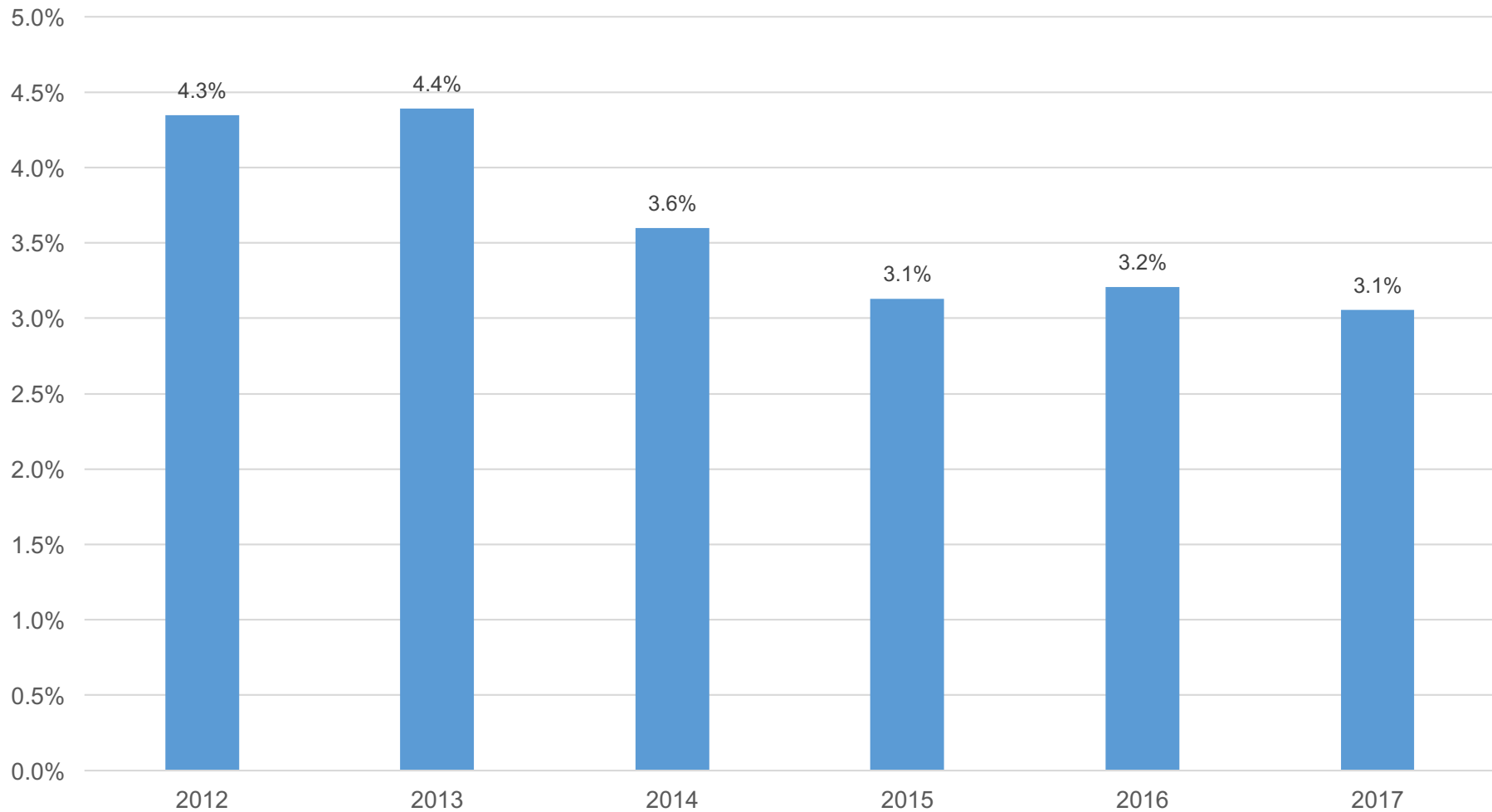
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COST Actions' budget transferred to the country



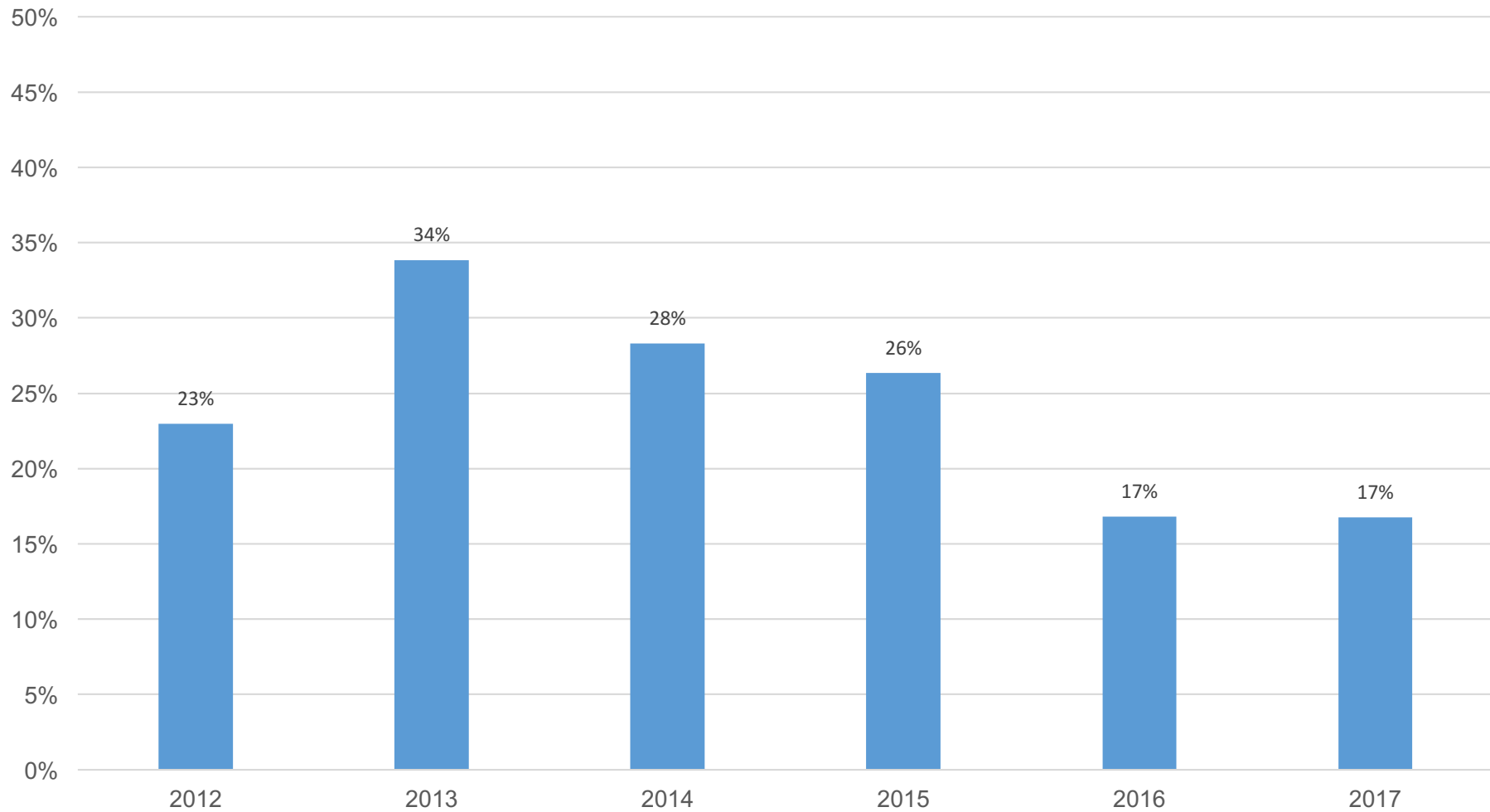
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Country share of the total Action budget (Greece)



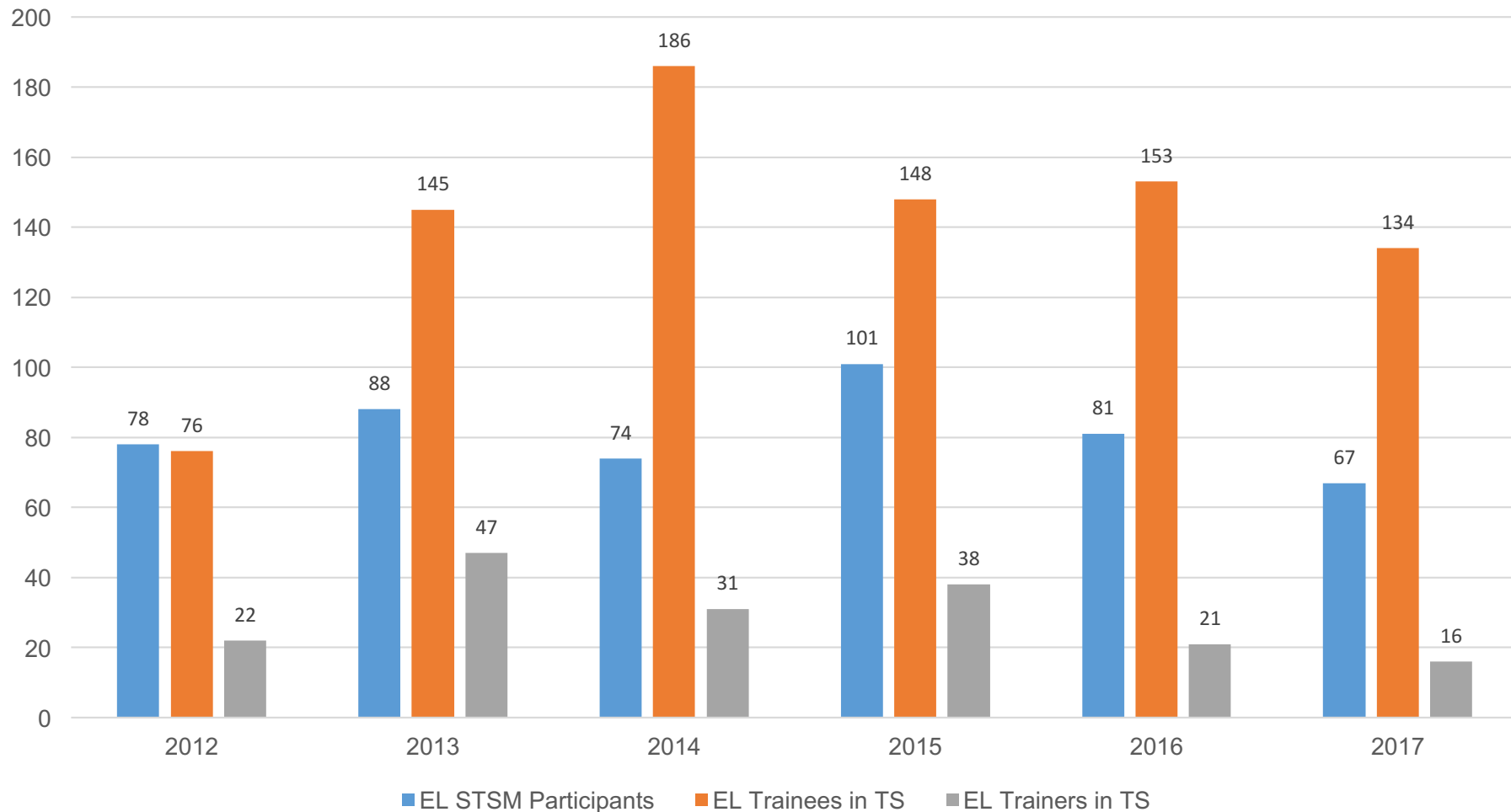
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Early Career Investigators share among participants in Actions' networking activities in Greece



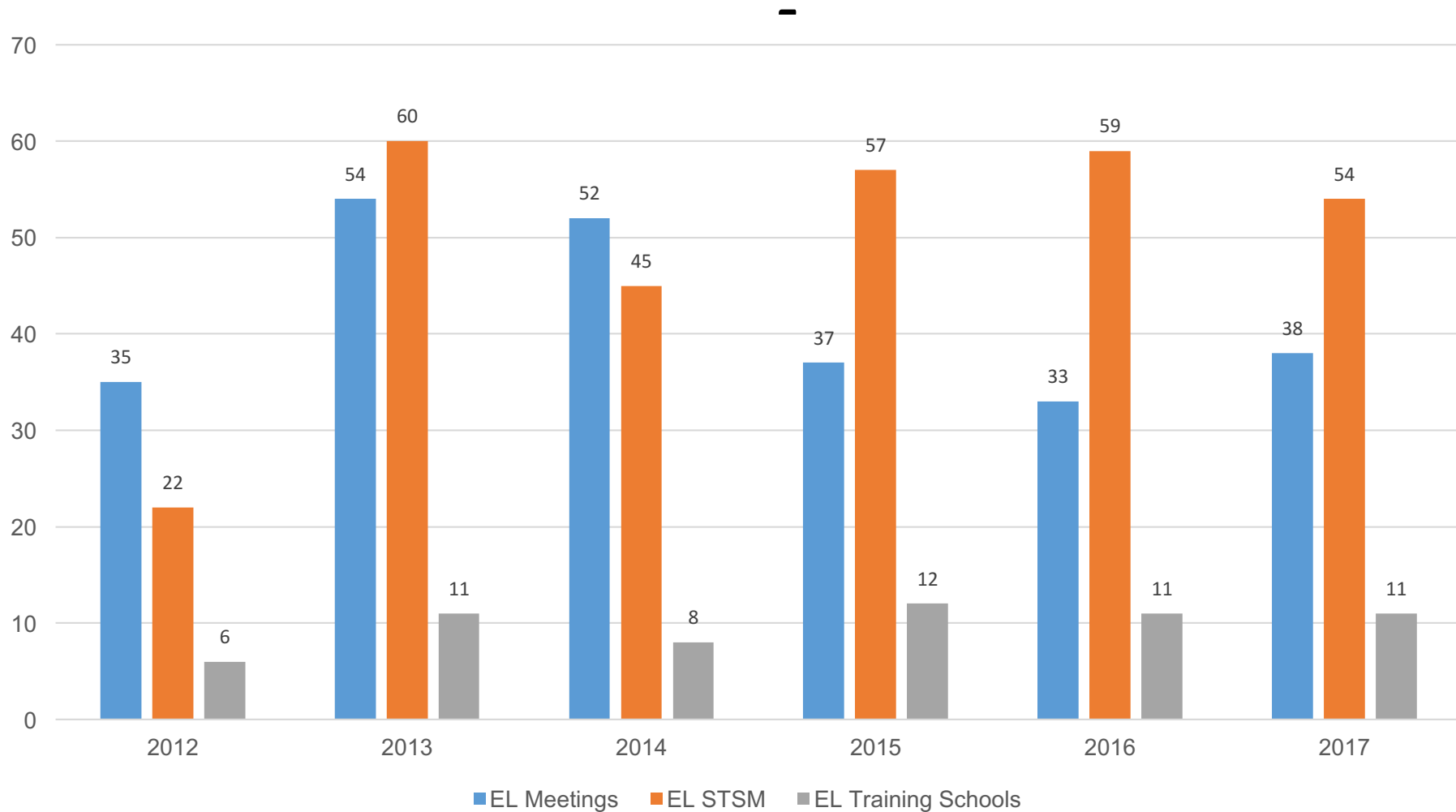
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Short Term Scientific Missions(STSM) and Training Schools as Trainee or Trainer

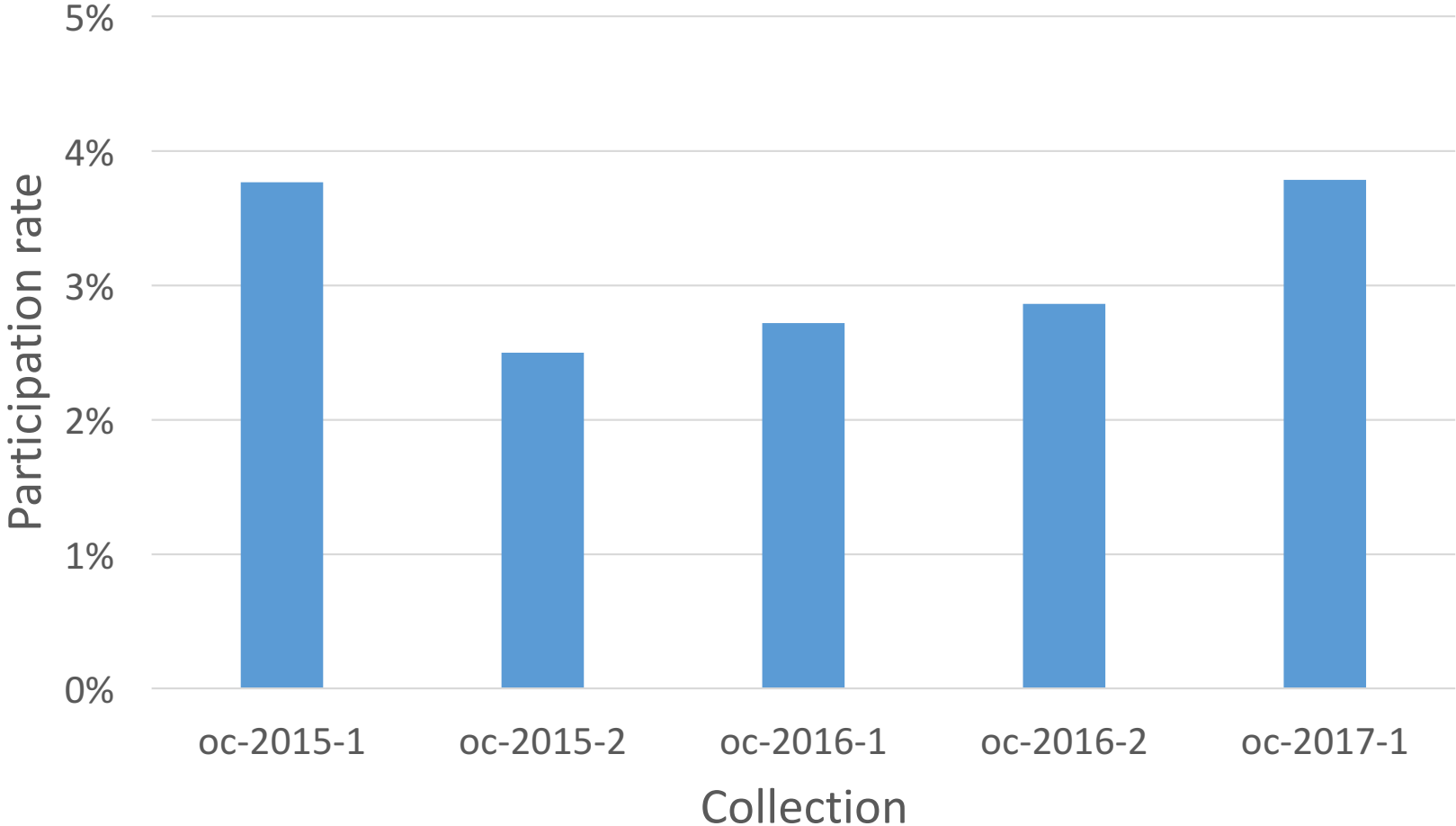


Networking activities held in Greece

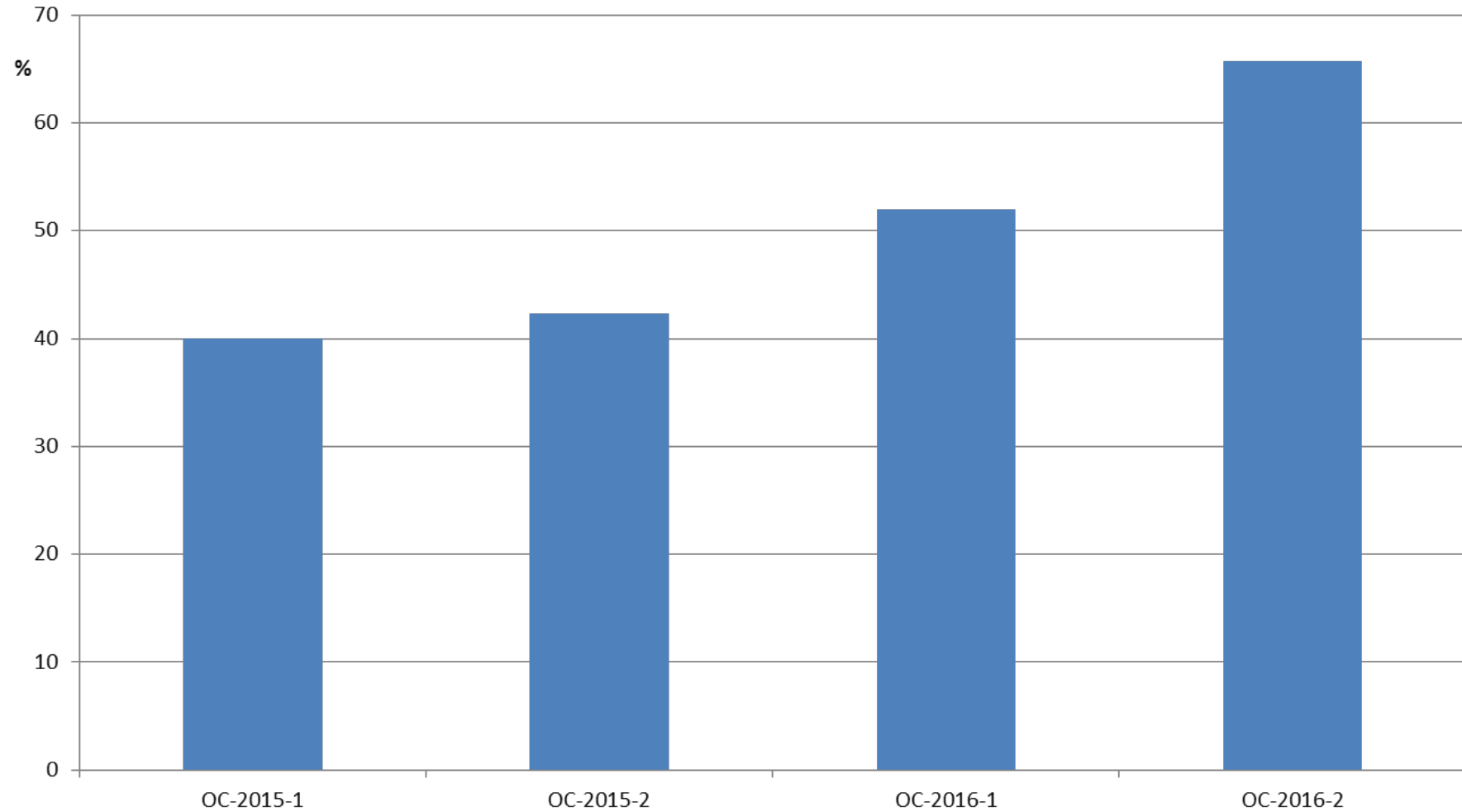
[Meetings (conferences, workshops, etc.), Short Term Scientific Missions (STSM) and Training Schools].



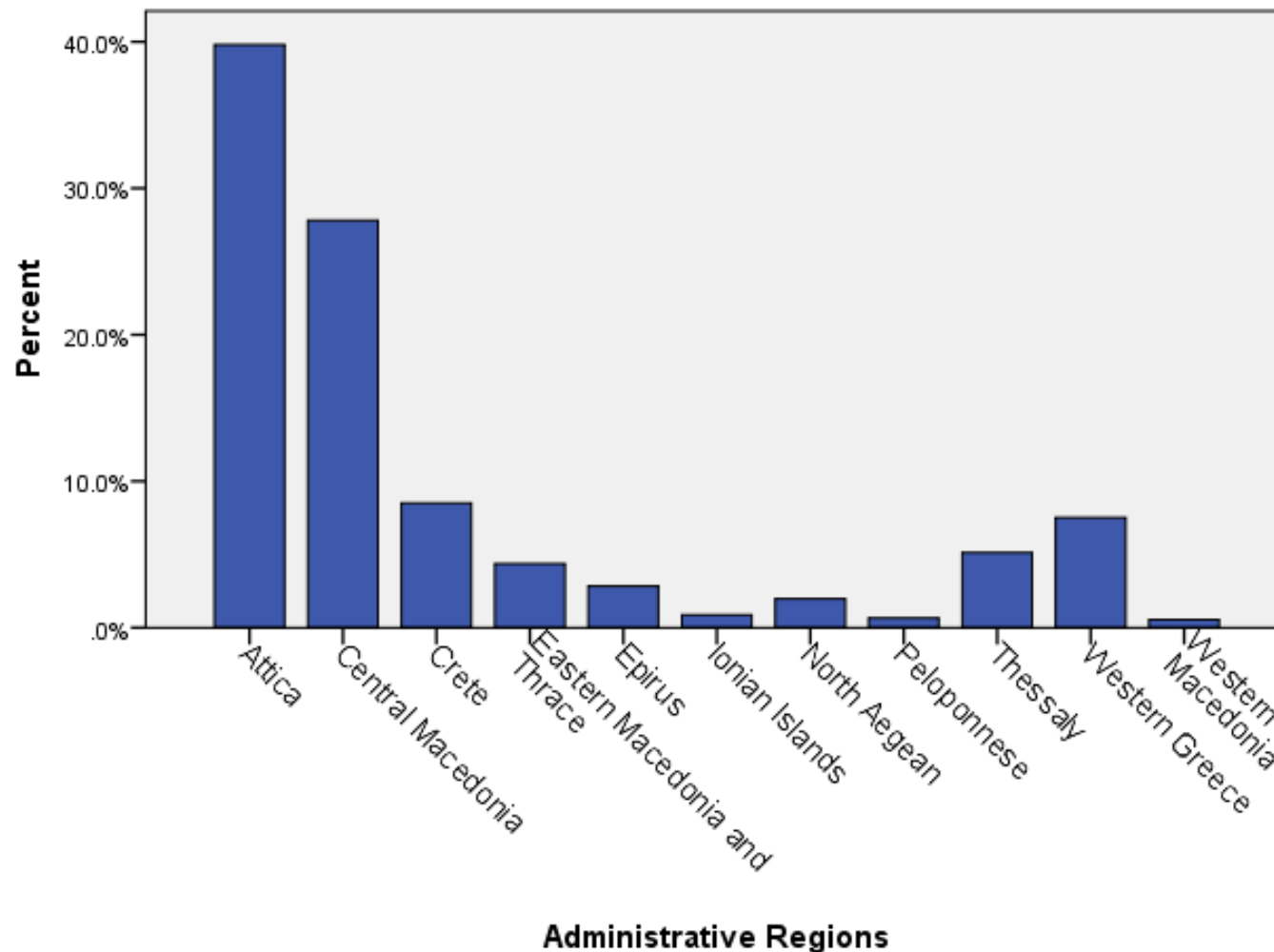
Greek proposals submission per call



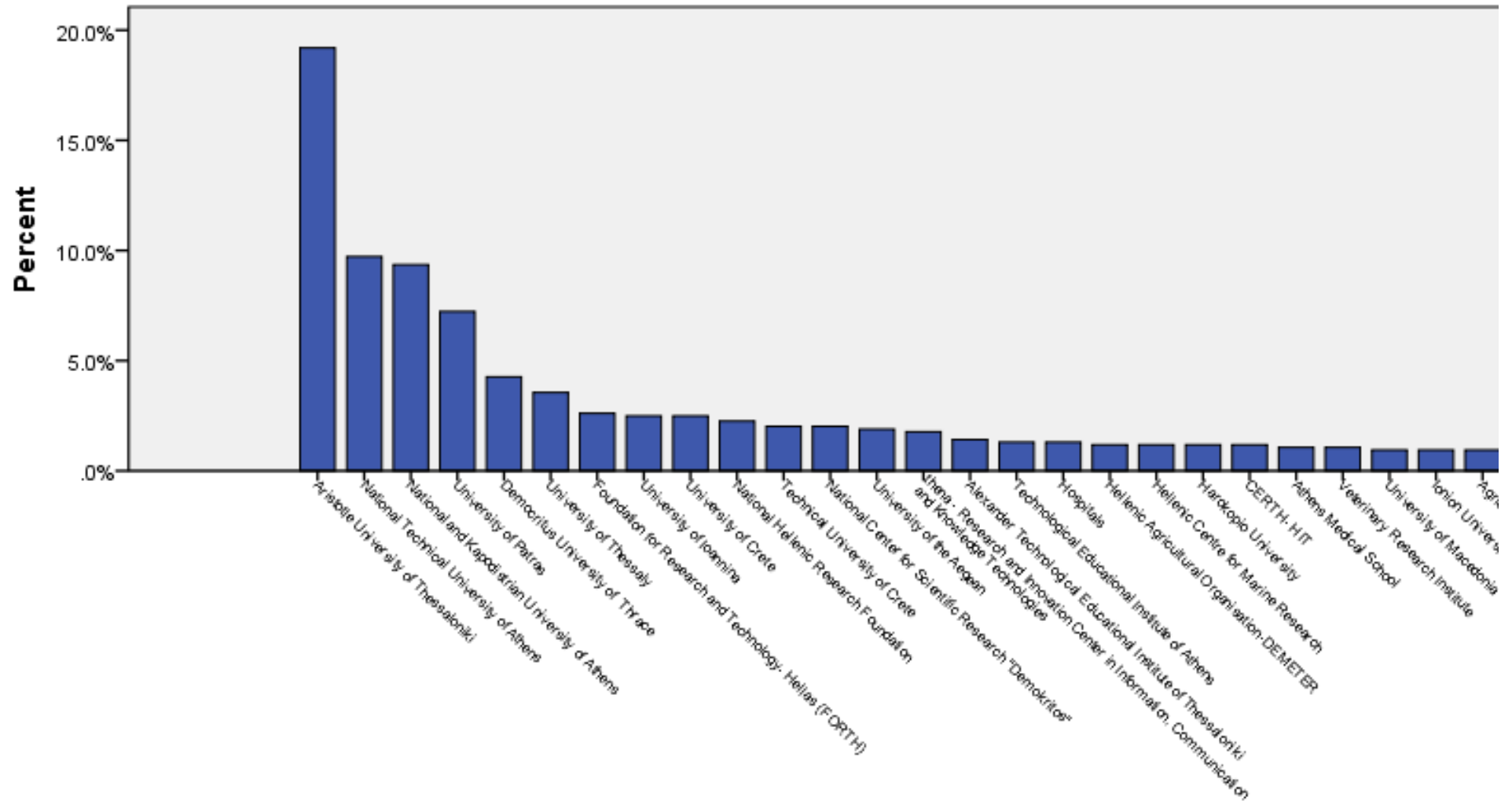
Greek participation in successful proposals per call



Greek Scientists Regional Distribution in COST Actions



Greek COST Participants per Institution (68 Institutions)



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Concluding Remarks

- **COST an attractive Instrument for European Networking for the Greek Scientific Community**
- **The participation of the Greek Scientists in COST Actions is already very high**
- **The financial benefit from COST for the Greek Scientific Community is roughly 1MEuros per year**
- **A fair number of Early Career Investigators benefit from COST. There is a need for a further increase.**



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Thank you

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