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Technical Assistance and Information Exchange Instrument

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PRESENTATION SUMMARY

1 HOW DOES TAIEX WORK?

2 STATISTICS

3 VIDEO

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1/ MISSION STATEMENT

TAIEX SUPPORTS BENEFICIARY COUNTRIES IN:

- UNDERSTANDING
- DRAFTING
- IMPLEMENTING & ENFORCING

EU POLICIES , LEGISLATION, RULES – THE ACQUIS

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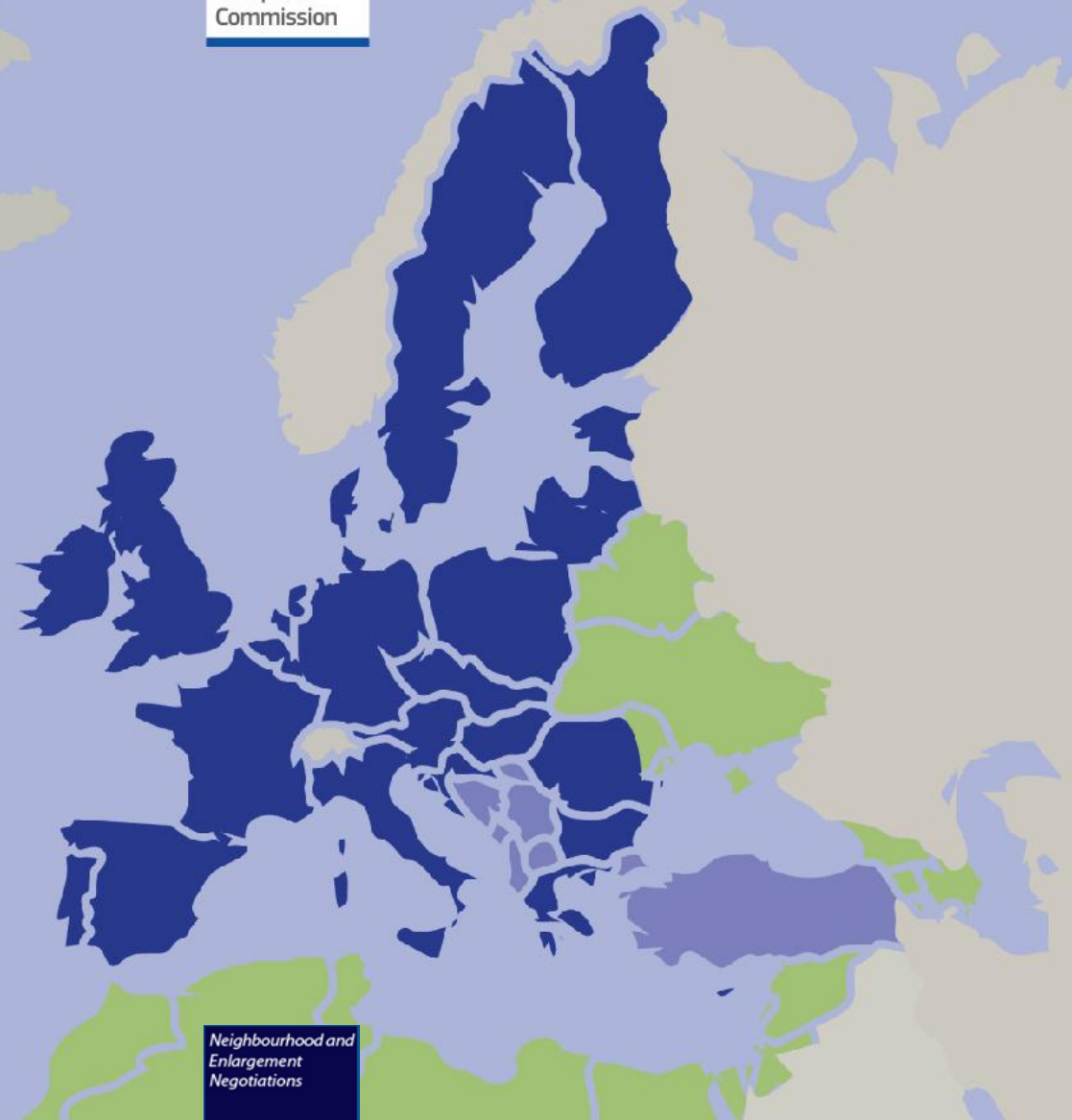
2/ BENEFICIARIES

The bulk of TAIEX activities is in the Enlargement and Neighbourhood countries and regions. However, TAIEX provides assistance also to the Turkish Cypriot community, to EU Member States in the framework of administrative cooperation with DG for Regional and Urban Policy, DG Environment and DG SGs' Structural Reform Support Service, and to countries elsewhere in the world covered by the EU Partnership Instrument.



3/ FORMS OF ASSISTANCE

TAIEX ASSISTANCE DELIVERED THROUGH:

DEMAND-DRIVEN
Or
STRATEGY-DRIVEN

PEER TO PEER PUBLIC EXPERTS' ASSISTANCE

WORKSHOPS

SINGLE OR MULTI-BENEFICIARY

EXPERT MISSIONS

STUDY VISITS

* Logistics implemented via a Framework Contract with an external Service Provider

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EXAMPLES OF PROJECTS

WORKSHOPS

30/03/2017 – Beneficiary: Georgia
TAIEX Workshop on Deinstitutionalisation – area: social policy; experts from Belgium, Estonia, Bulgaria and Croatia

SINGLE OR MULTI-BENEFICIARY

EXPERT MISSIONS

20-21/02/2017 – Beneficiary: Israel
TAIEX Expert Mission on Combatting Trafficking in Human Beings and impact of Prostitution Laws – area: justice and home affairs; experts from Austria, France, The Netherlands and Sweden

STUDY VISITS

6-10/02/2017 – Beneficiary: Montenegro
TAIEX Study Visit to Italy on Strengthening the Trainers' Capacity on Sustainable Use of Pesticides – area: agriculture and food safety

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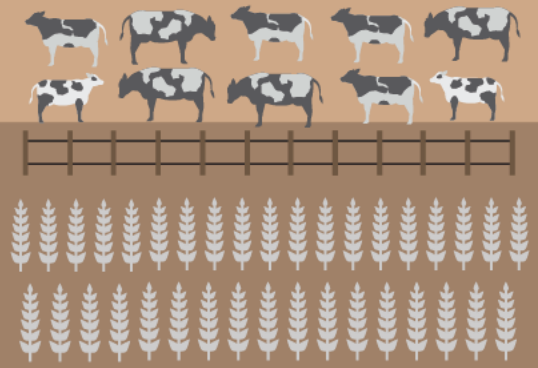
4/ MAIN AREAS COVERED

JUSTICE
HOME AFFAIRS

INTERNAL MARKET
CUSTOMS
EMPLOYMENT
SOCIAL POLICY

AGRICULTURE
FOOD SAFETY



ENVIRONMENT
ENERGY
TRANSPORT
TELECOMMUNICATIONS

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5/ "PEER TO PEER" EXPERTISE

MOBILISED EXPERTS ARE ALMOST EXCLUSIVELY
EU MEMBER STATES' PUBLIC-SECTOR OFFICIALS

- Every year 5.000 EU Member State public experts reach (exchange expertise with) 30.000 counterparts in beneficiaries' administrations

- such expertise is not available in the private sector

TAIEX Expert Database
Any public official of a Member State familiar with EU legislation is encouraged to register online

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6/ TAIEX: A SUCCESS STORY

- **DEMAND or STRATEGY DRIVEN**
  ADAPTED TO YOUR NEEDS

- **PEER-TO-PEER**
  NETWORKING
  BETWEEN MEMBER STATES
  AND BENEFICIARY OFFICIALS

- **GAP-FILLING**
  TARGETED AND COMPLEMENTARY
  TO OTHER EU ASSISTANCE

- **SHORT TERM ASSISTANCE,**
  LONG TERM EFFECT

- **QUICK**
  STRAIGHTFORWARD APPLICATION
  AND FAST DELIVERY

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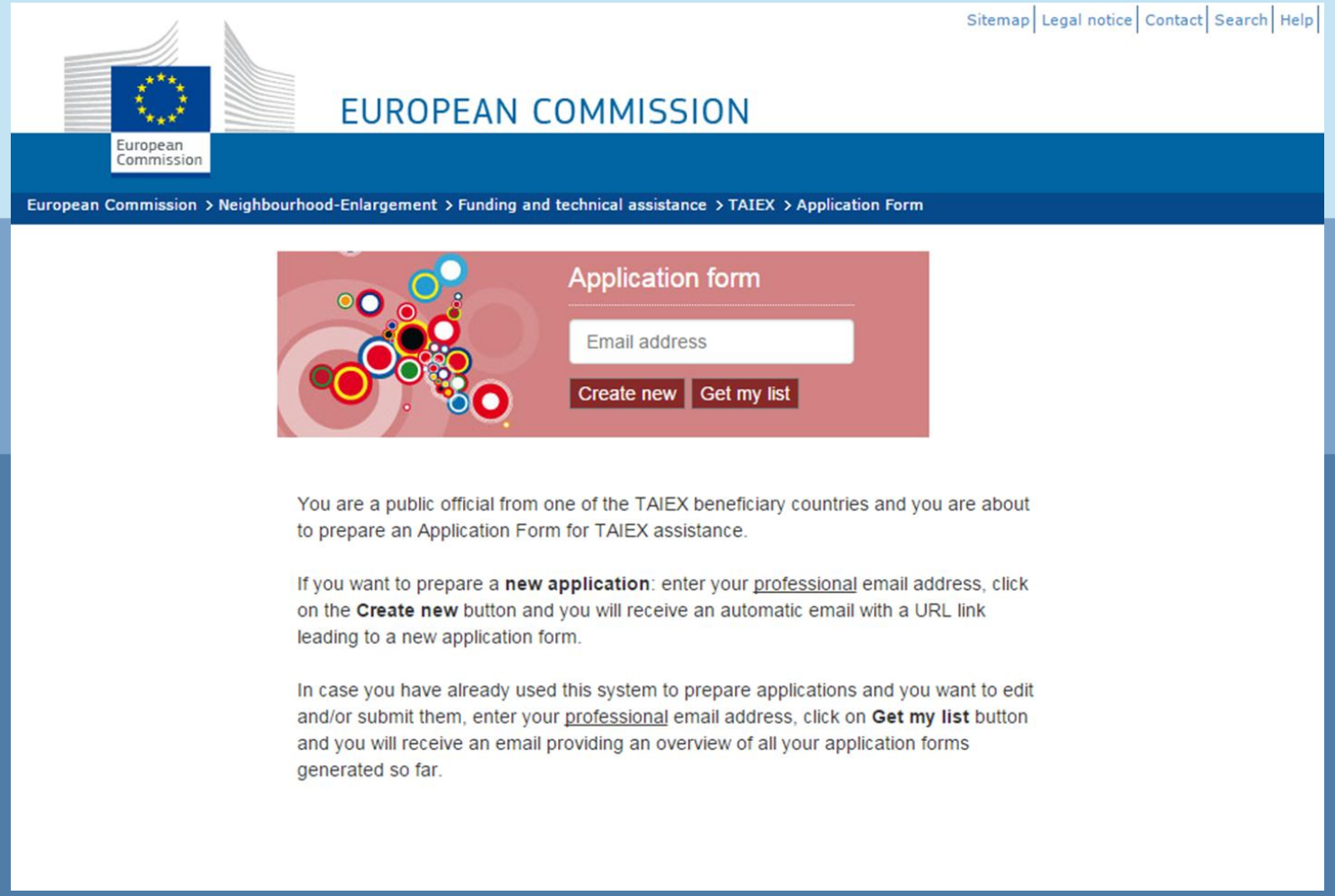
HOW TO APPLY FOR TAIEX ASSISTANCE?

- https://webgate.ec.europa.eu/TMSWebRestrict/applicationForm

- **Enter your e-mail address – a confirmation e-mail will be sent to you with a link via which you can access your e-application**



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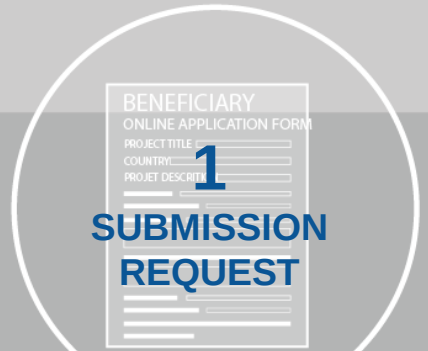
7/ TAIEX CYCLE



1
SUBMISSION REQUEST

2
CONSULTATION PROCESS

3
APPROVAL

4
PLANNING, EXPERT IDENTIFICATION

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5
IMPLEMENTATION

6
EVALUATION

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8/ STATISTICS

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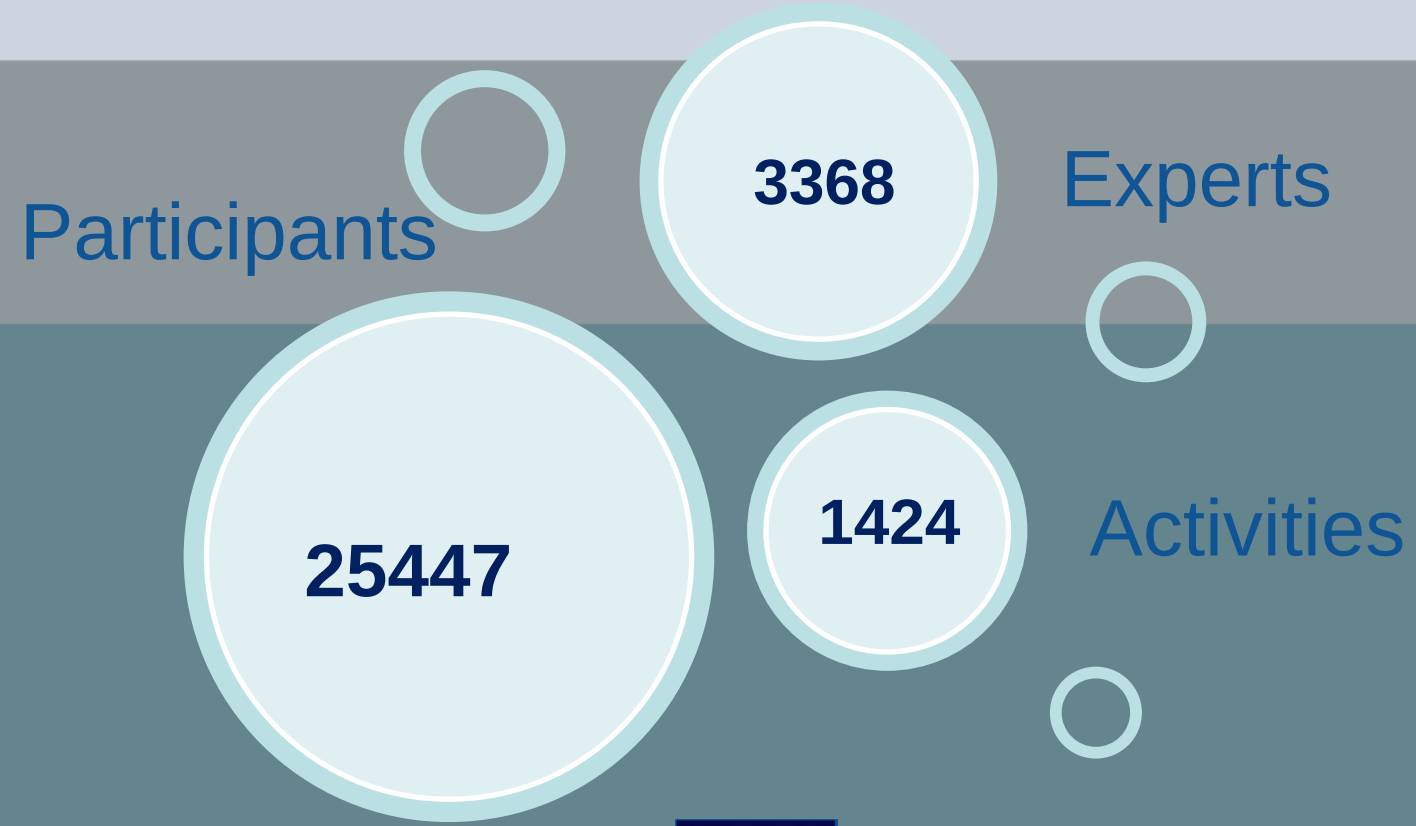
TAIEX 2016 IN NUMBERS



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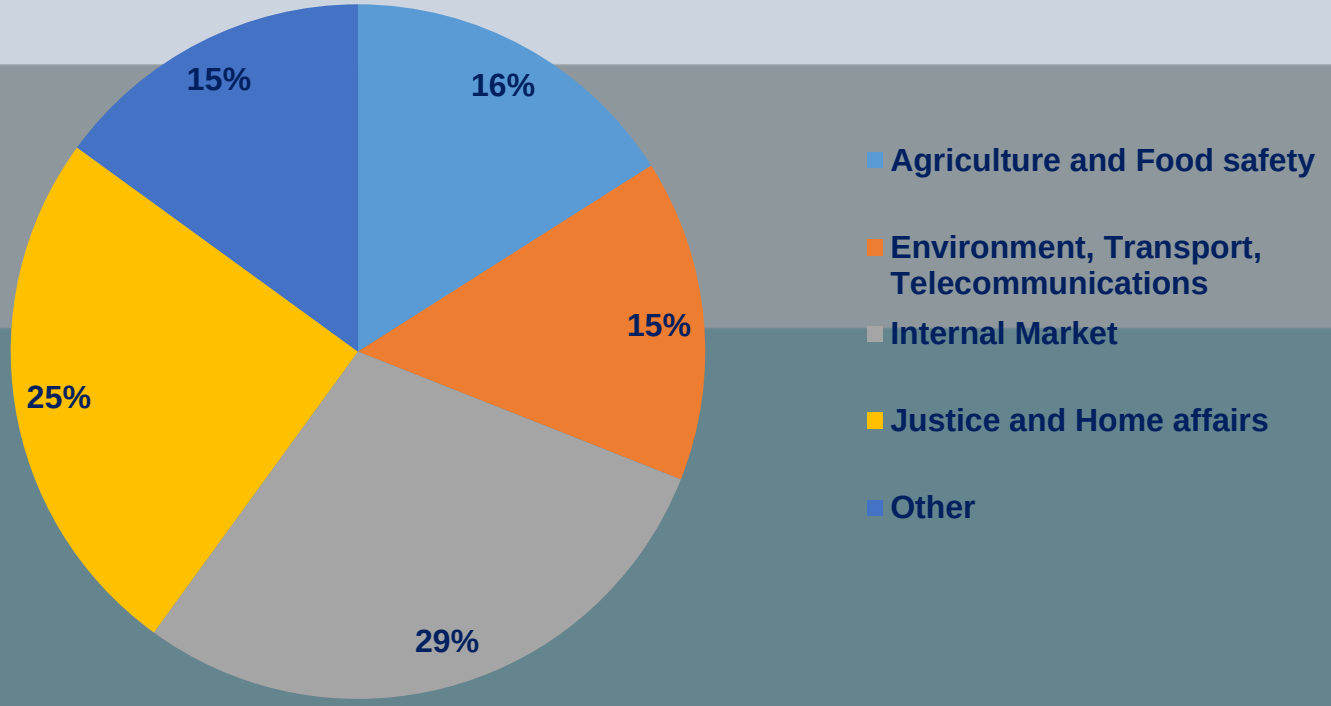
% OF EVENTS ORGANISED PER SECTOR IN 2016



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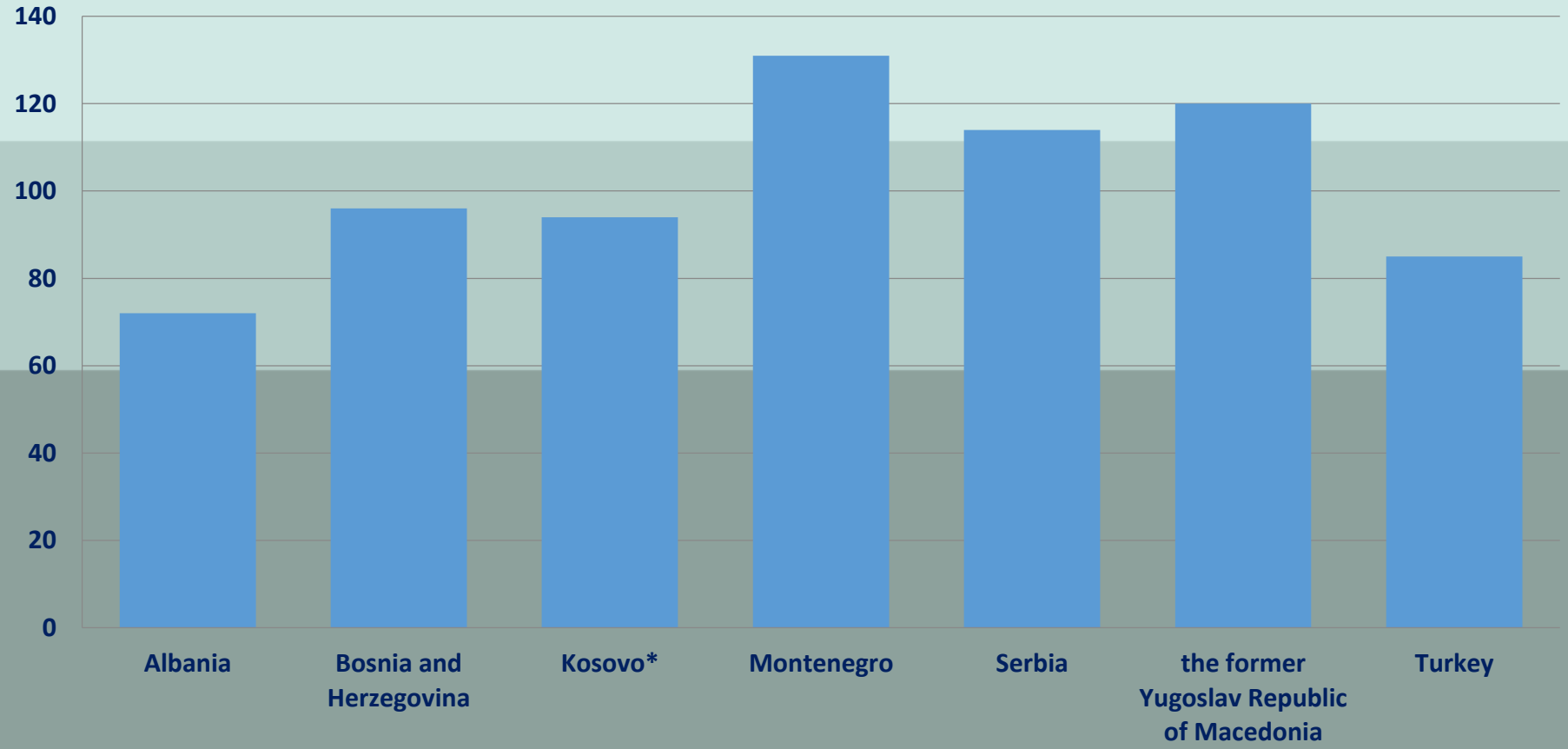
EVENTS BREAKDOWN - IPA BENEFICIARIES IN 2016



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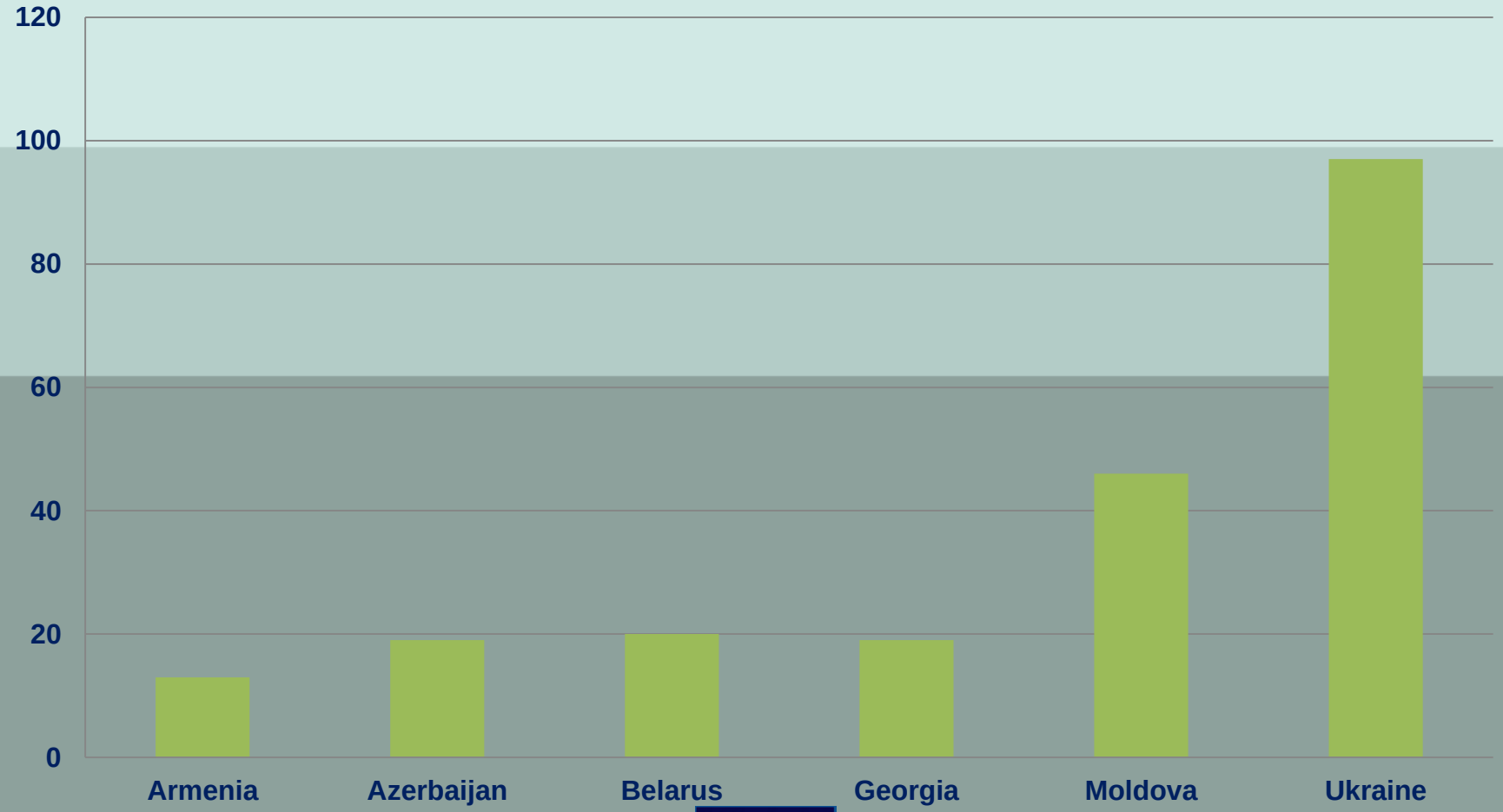
EVENTS BREAKDOWN - ENI EAST BENEFICIARIES IN 2016



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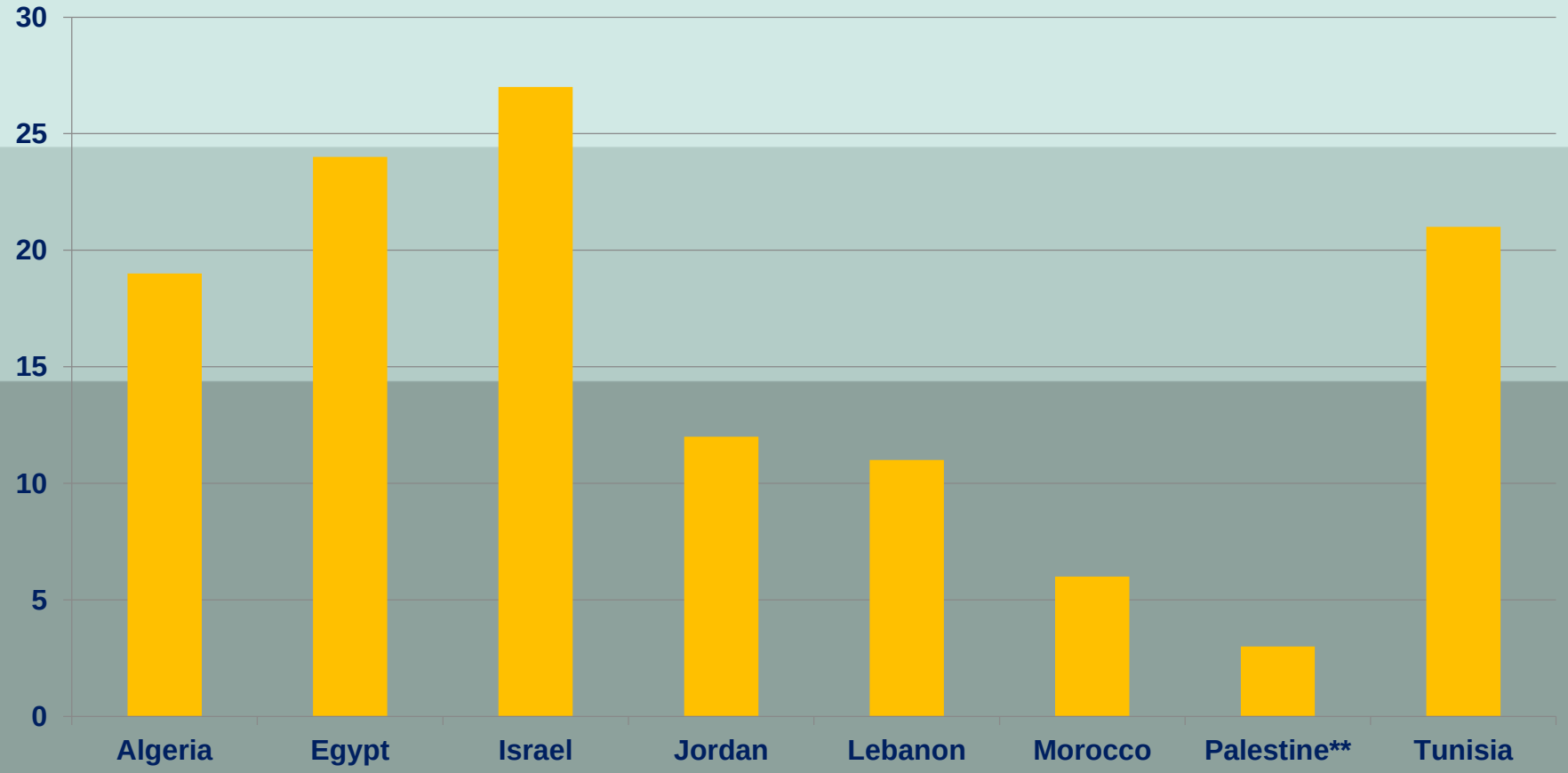

** This designation shall not be construed as recognition of a State of Palestine and is without prejudice to the individual positions of the Member States on this issue.

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9/ FEEDBACK AND IMPACT EVALUATION

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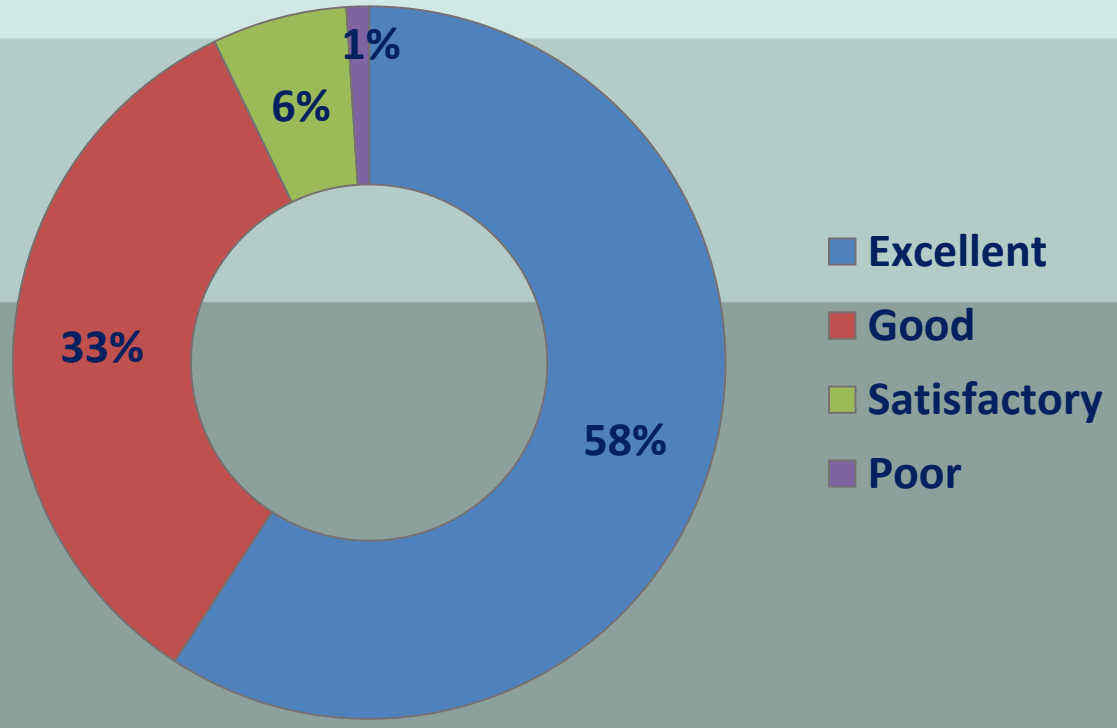
FEEDBACK OF THE BENEFICIARIES ON THE QUALITY OF THE EXPERTS IN 2016



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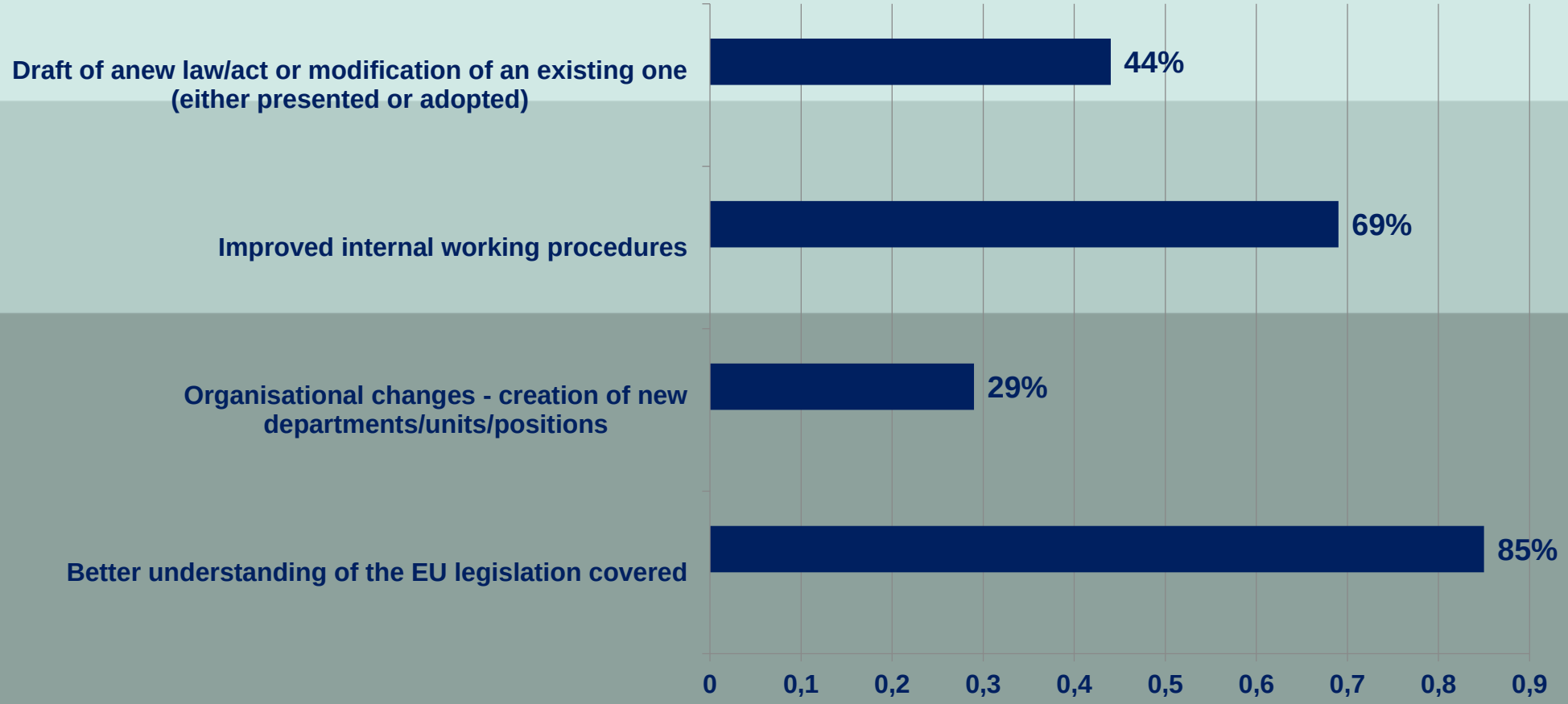
IMPACT EVALUATION OF TAIEX ASSISTANCE AFTER 6 MONTHS - 2016



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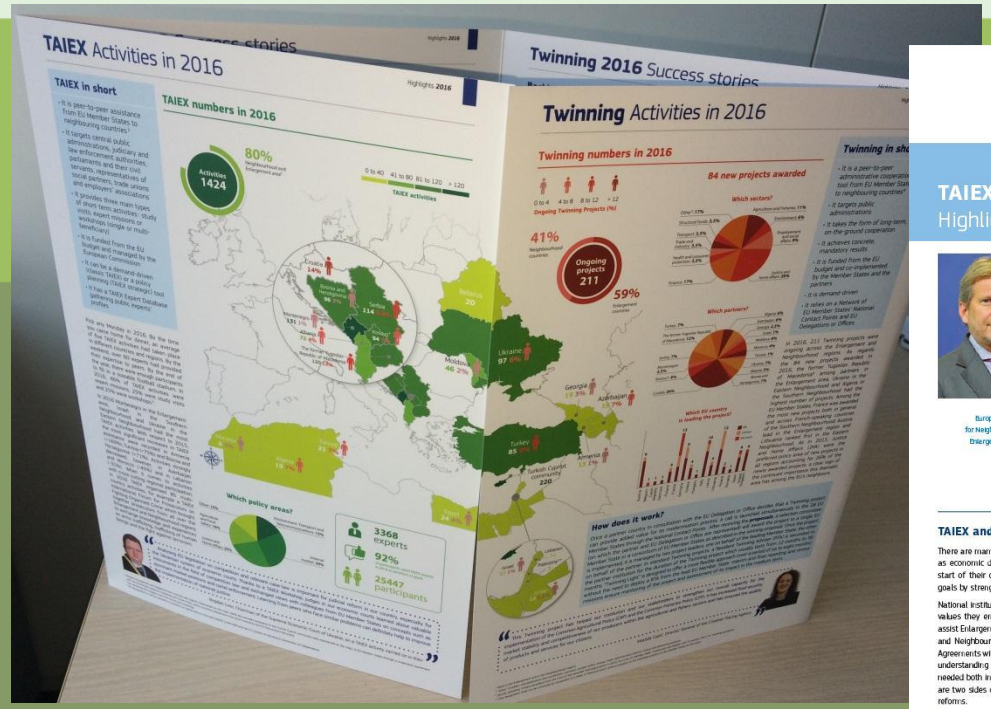
Further information:

The TAIEX and Twinning Annual Activity Report 2016

Available in English, French and German at www.ec.europa.eu/taiex



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