

July 2018 LAP Implementation Monitoring Report

Report prepared for the 30th MAB ICC based on the on-line Lima Action Plan Implementation Form (June 2018)

Lima Action Plan for UNESCO's Man and the Biosphere (MAB) Programme and its World Network

Endorsed by the 4th World Congress of Biosphere Reserves on 17 March 2016, adopted by the 28th MAB ICC on 19 March 2016, Lima, Peru, and approved by the 200th session of the Executive Board of UNESCO on 11 October 2016.



The Lima Action Plan is presented as a matrix, structured according to the Strategic Action Areas of the MAB Strategy 2015-2025.¹

It includes targeted outcomes, actions and outputs that will contribute to the effective implementation of the Strategic Objectives contained in the MAB Strategy. It also specifies the entities with prime responsibility for implementation, together with time range and performance indicators. Using the MAB Strategy 2015-2025 and Lima Action Plan 2016-2025 as the key points of reference, MAB National Committees and MAB networks are strongly encouraged to prepare their own strategies and action plans. These should be founded in national and regional realities and imperatives and will contribute both to addressing these and to implementing the Lima Action Plan at the global level.

The 29th MAB ICC in June 2017 at UNESCO Headquarters, Paris, discussed the implementation of the Lima Action Plan and its Strategic Action Area E. *Effective governance of and within the MAB Programme and the World Network of Biosphere Reserves – Action E3.1. Submit a biennial report to the ICC covering progress made in each Member State, using a template provided by the MAB secretariat.*



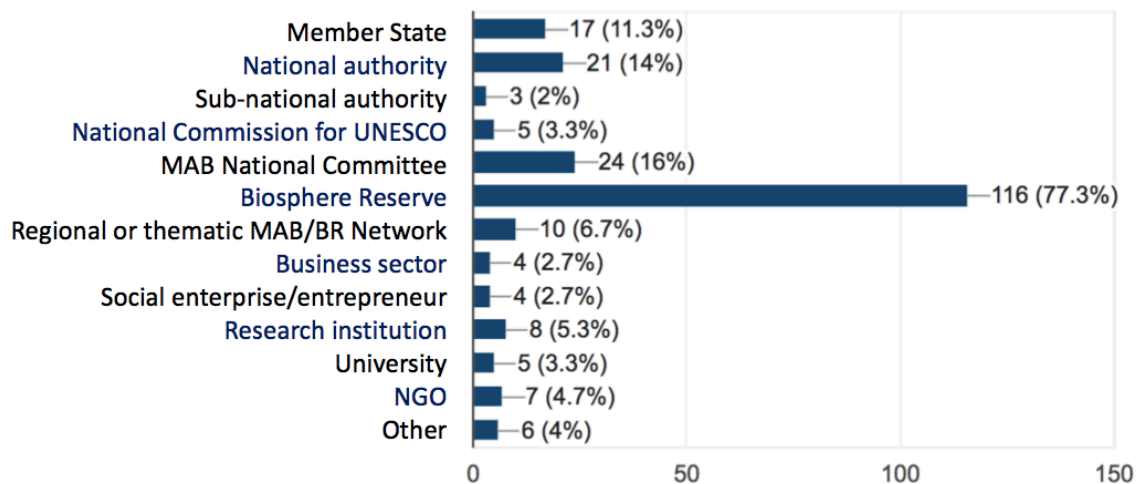
While recognizing that the LAP indeed calls for reporting, there was strong agreement that reporting linked to the LAP should serve the purpose of Member States and that it should not be unduly administrative in nature. Rather, it should be useful in terms of generating and sharing lessons learned. The Council referred to the benefits of utilizing on-line, easily accessible reporting tools and it invited the Secretariat to reflect its comments and suggestions in its work to finalize the draft template.

The MAB Secretariat therefore prepared an on-line Lima Action Plan Implementation Form for this purpose. The information collected through that survey form is summarized in this report.

¹ <http://unesdoc.unesco.org/images/0024/002474/247418E.pdf>

Prior to the 30th MAB ICC, 150 on-line submissions had been made by stakeholders from the following countries: Argentina, Australia, Australia, Bhutan, Brazil, Canada, China, Colombia, Croatia, Czech Republic, Denmark, Dominican Republic, Ecuador, Egypt, Estonia, France, Germany, Hungary, Italy, Japan, Latvia, Lebanon, Lithuania, Mexico, Mongolia, Morocco, Myanmar, Nigeria, Pakistan, Peru, Philippines, Poland, Portugal, Republic of Korea, Russian Federation, Slovakia, South Africa, Spain, Sri Lanka, Sudan, Sweden, Tunisia, Turkey, United Kingdom, Uruguay, Viet Nam, and Zimbabwe.

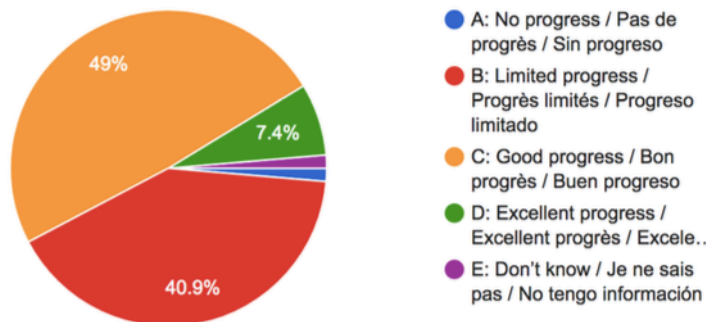
Representing the following LAP stakeholder groups (multiple choices possible):



Questions and overall responses

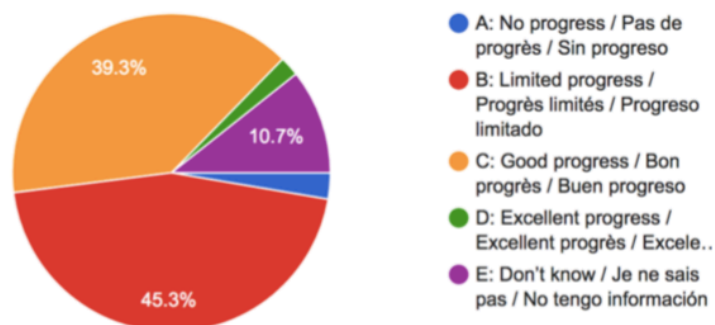
1. How would you rate the overall progress in the implementation of the LAP actions that you/your stakeholder group(s) are responsible for?
1. Comment évalueriez-vous le progrès global réalisé dans la mise en œuvre des actions du PAL dont vous / votre / vos groupe (s) de parties prenantes est responsable ?
1. ¿Cómo calificaría el progreso general en la implementación de las acciones del PAL de las que usted/su grupo de partes interesadas es/son responsable(s)?

149 responses



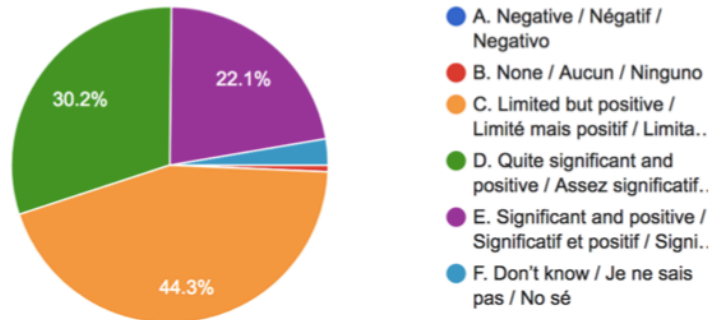
2. What is your perception of the overall progress in the implementation of the LAP by the other stakeholder groups?
2. Quelle est votre perception du progrès global réalisé dans la mise en œuvre du PAL par les autres groupes de parties prenantes?
2. ¿Cuál es su percepción del progreso general en la implementación del PAL por parte de otros grupos de partes interesadas?

150 responses



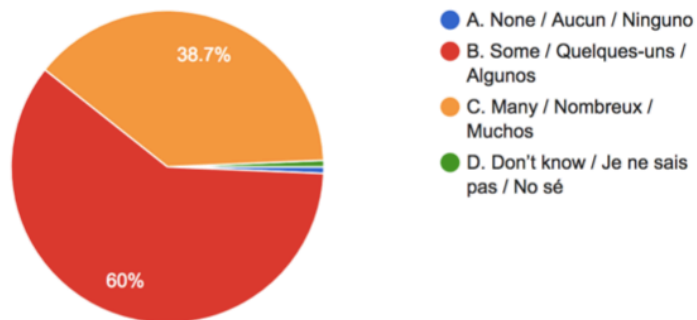
3. What is the impact of your stakeholder group's LAP implementation in relation to the vision and mission of MAB?
 3. Quel est l'impact de la mise en œuvre du PAL de votre groupe de parties prenantes par rapport à la vision et à la mission du MAB?
 3. ¿Cuál es el impacto de la implementación del PAL para su grupo de partes interesadas en relación con la visión y misión del MAB?

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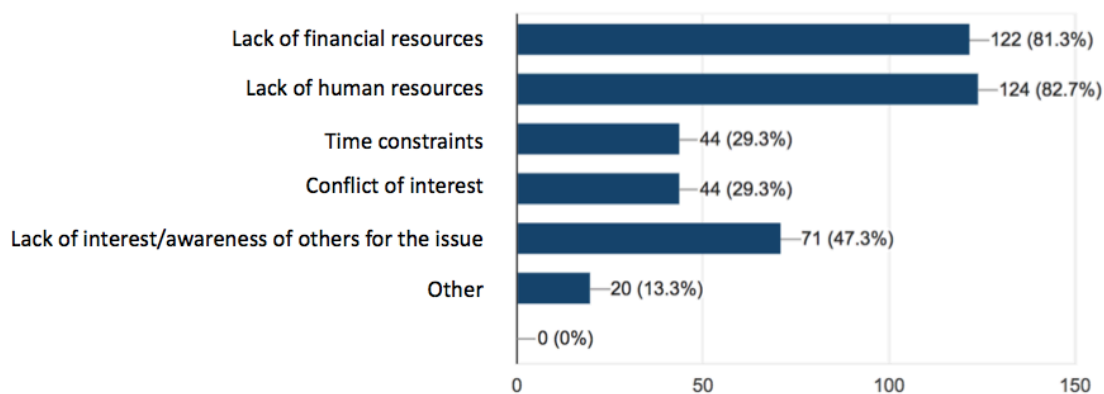


4. Challenges experienced in implementing the LAP?
 4. Les défis rencontrés dans la mise en œuvre du PAL ?
 4. ¿Cuáles son los retos a los que se ha enfrentado en la implementación del PAL?

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5. Nature of challenges? (multiple choices possible)
 5. Nature des défis? (plusieurs choix possibles)
 5. ¿Tipo de desafíos? (múltiples opciones posibles)

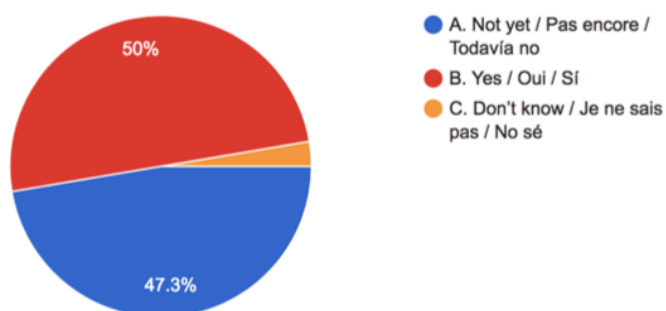


6. Do you have any success stories, or lessons learnt, from LAP implementation that you would like to share with other MAB and Biosphere Reserve stakeholders?

6. Avez-vous des exemples de réussite ou des enseignements tirés de la mise en œuvre du PAL que vous aimeriez partager avec d'autres parties prenantes du MAB et des réserves de biosphères?

6. ¿Tiene alguna historia de éxito, o lecciones aprendidas, de la implementación del PAL que le quisiera compartir con otras partes interesadas del MAB y de las reservas de biosfera?

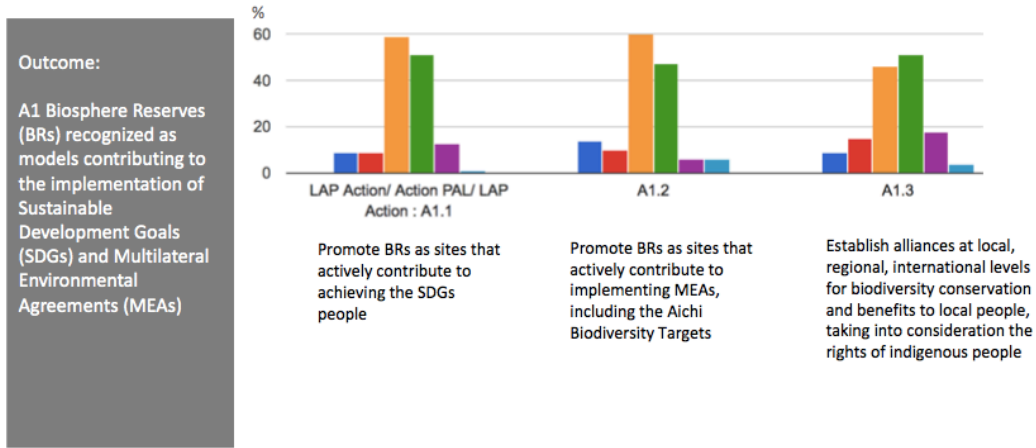
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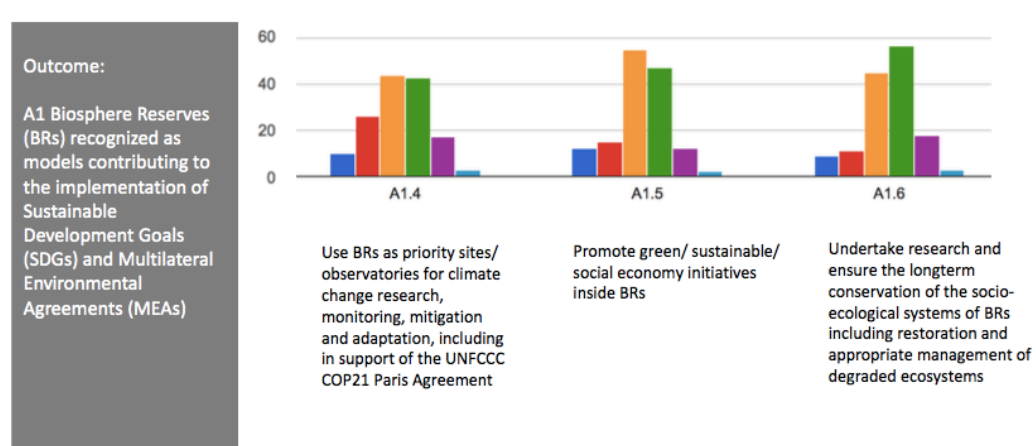
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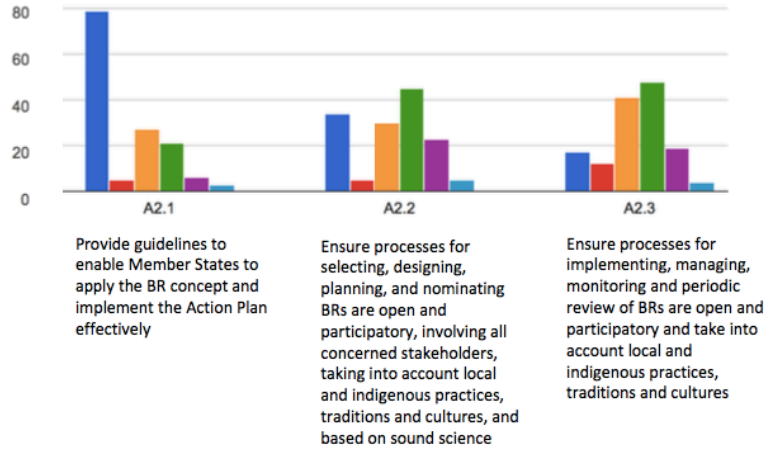


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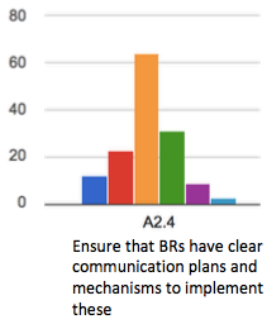


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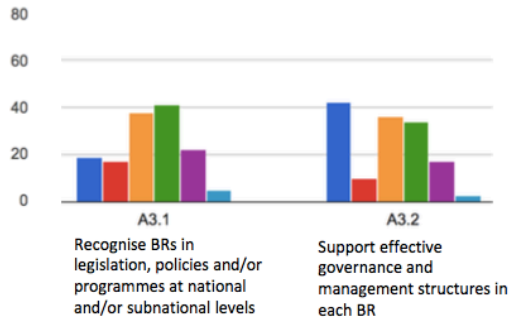
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A3 Integration of BRs into relevant legislation, policies and/or programmes complemented by support for the functioning of BRs



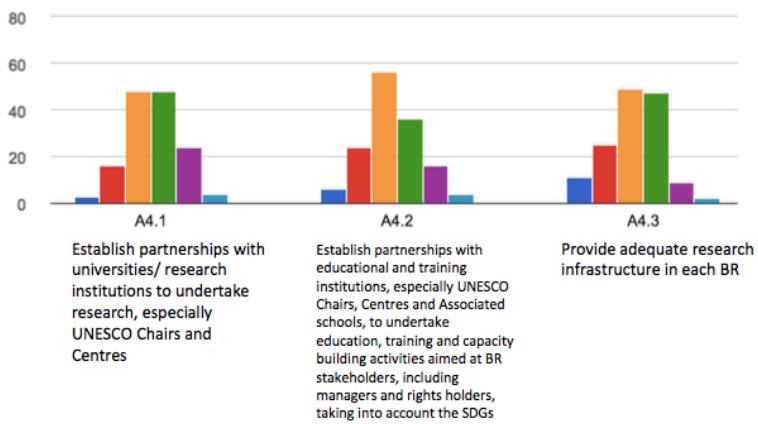
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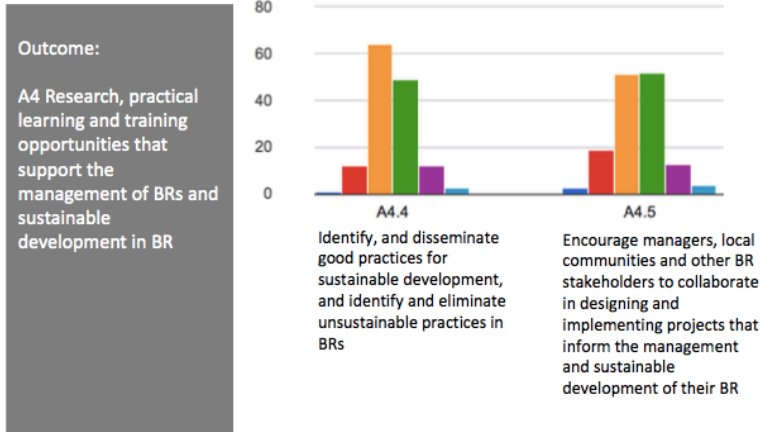
A4 Research, practical learning and training opportunities that support the management of BRs and sustainable development in BR



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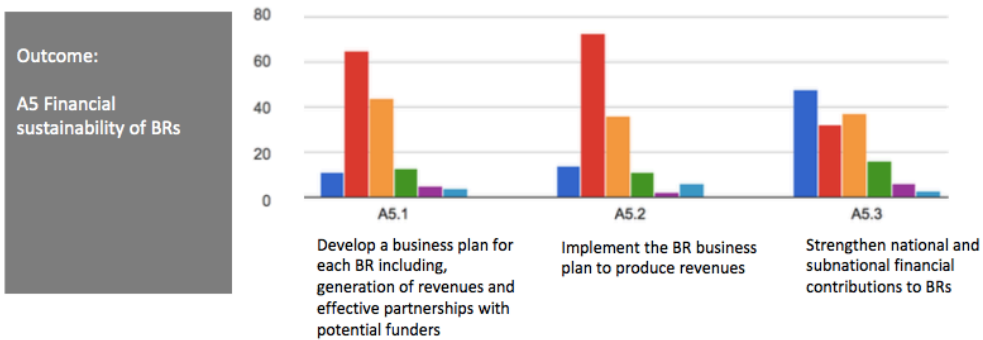
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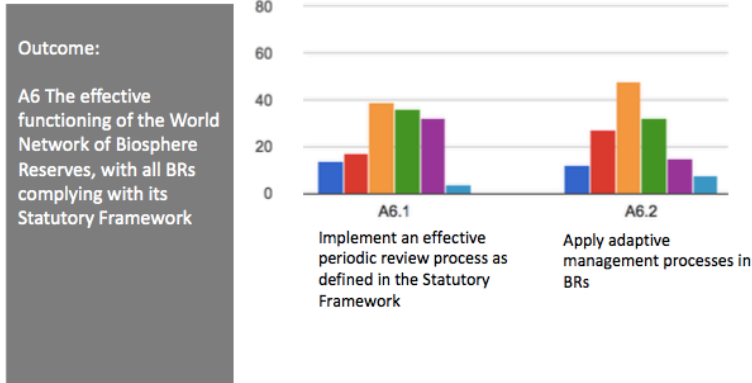
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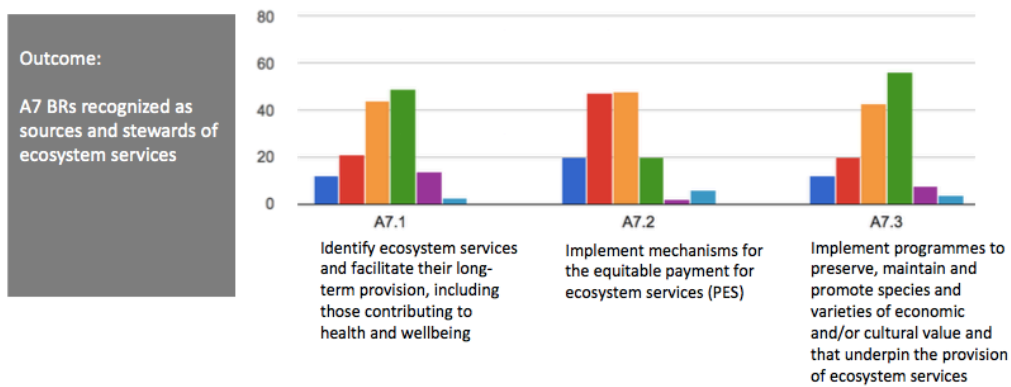
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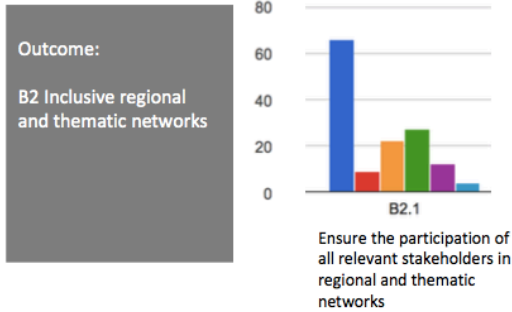
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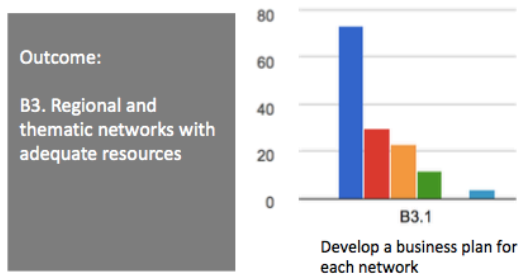
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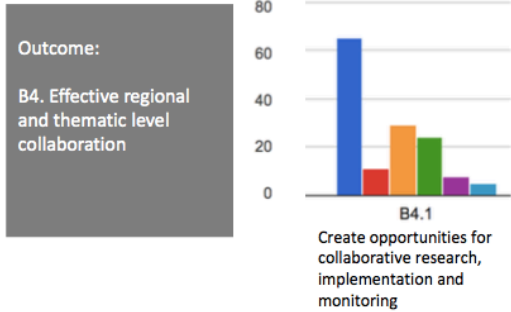
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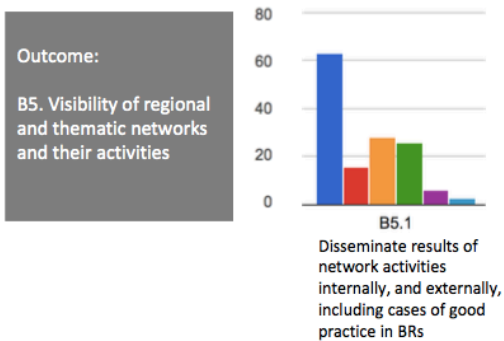
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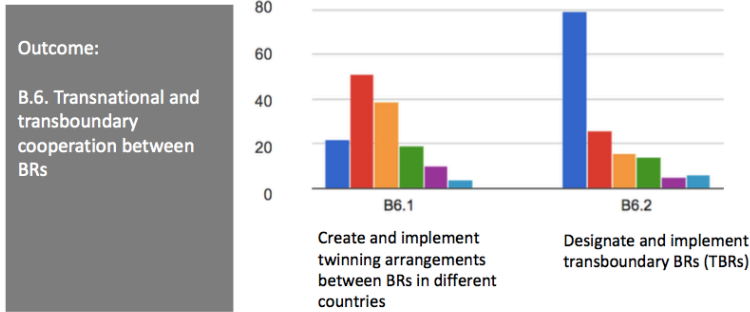
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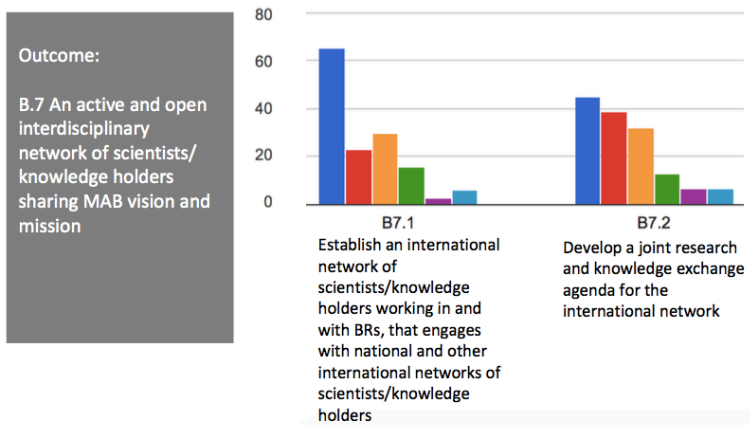
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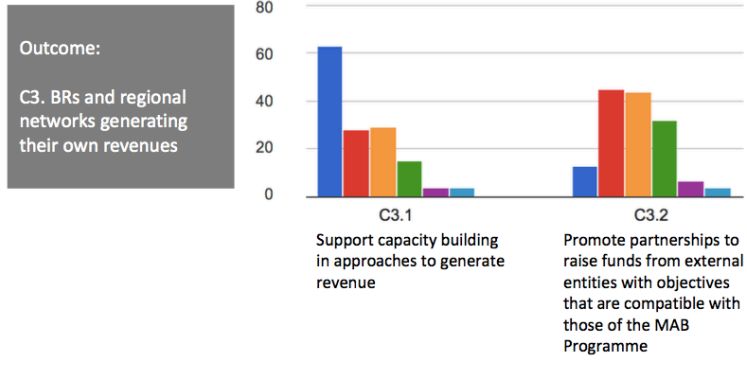
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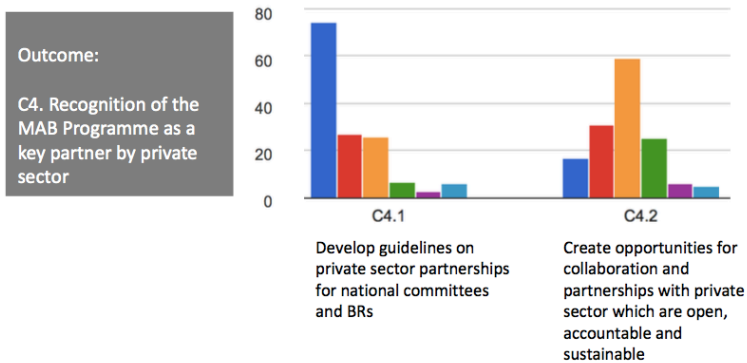
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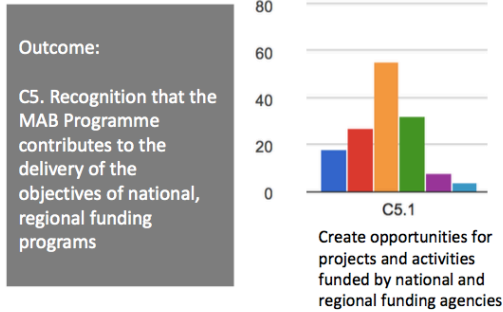
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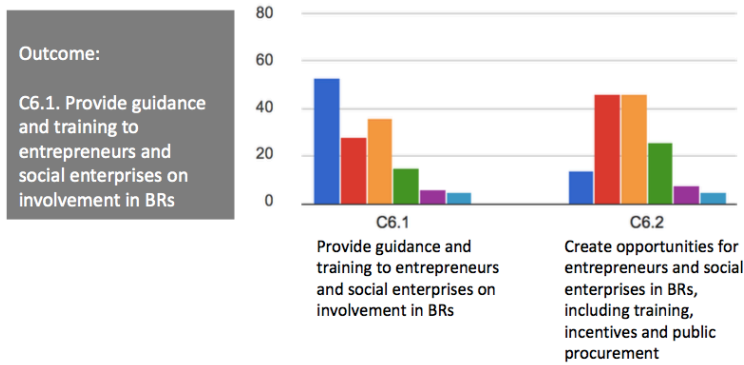
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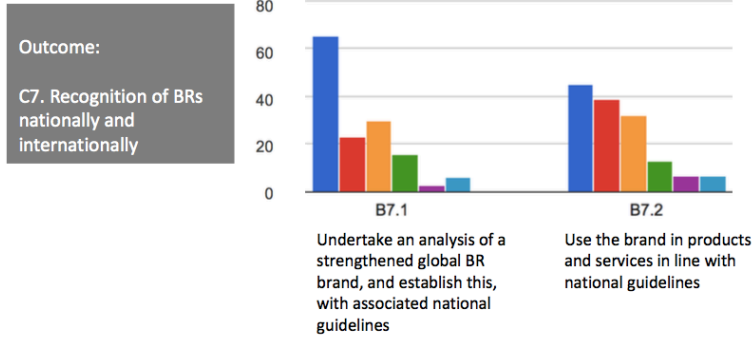
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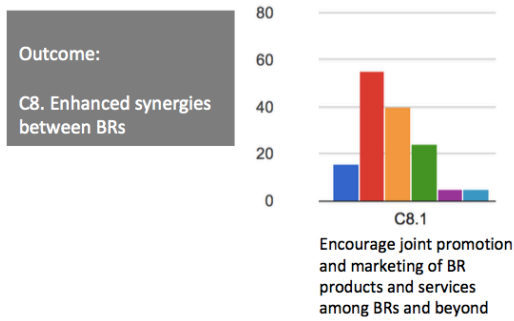
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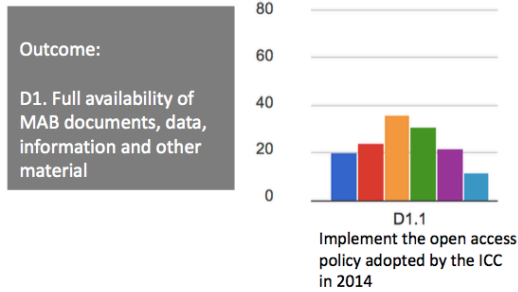
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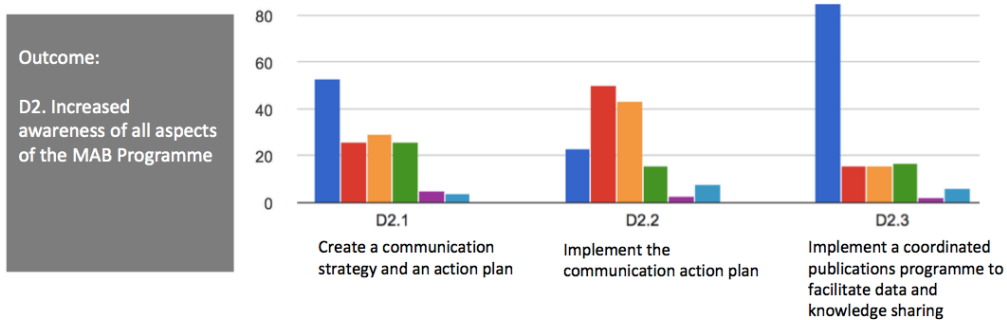
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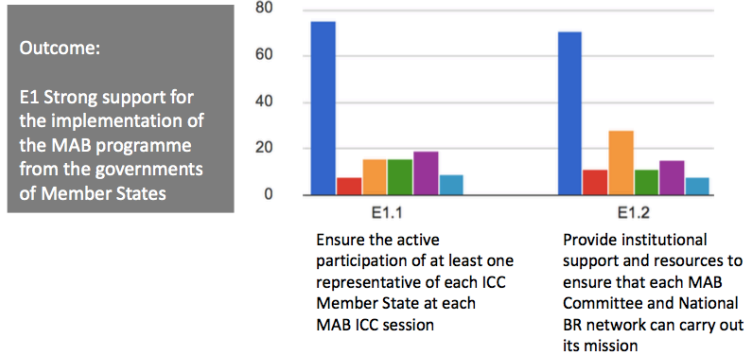
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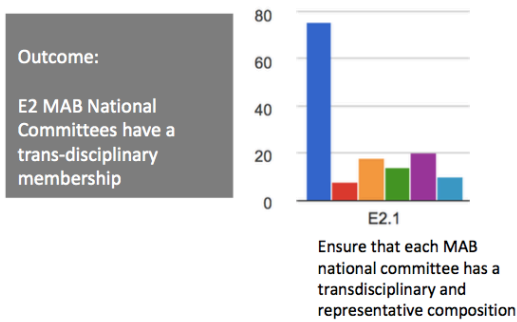
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