

The Fourth Technology Mechanism Biennial National Designated Entities Survey



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Summary

Background

Process

Lessons Learnt



1. Background

- **COP 24:** Technology Framework adopted, requiring CTCN & TEC to have a coherent M&E framework
- **2020:** CTCN & TEC jointly develop M&E system, including the first biennial NDE survey
- **COP 25 & 27** encouraged/reinforced this joint M&E approach
- **Four NDE surveys** conducted up to date: 2020, 2022, 2024, 2026
- 3rd and 4th surveys used an **enhanced approach**: broader NDE targeting, refined questions, more coordinated outreach



2. Process

Distribution of survey

Online form, available in 3 languages (ENG, FR, SP)

Word format available upon request

Deadline: July 30th

- Initial mass email (March 2026)
- 2-5 reminder emails by Regional CTCN teams (April – July 2026)
- Dedicated sessions at CTCN NDE Forums in Africa (March), Latin America and Caribbean (May), and Asia (July)



2. Process

Survey Design Non-Annex I

- 49 questions (60 in 2024)
 - 14 multiple choice, 9 scale, 26 open

Survey Design Annex I

- 42 questions (40 in 2024)
 - 16 multiple choice, 5 scale, 21 open

Updated questions: matchmaking, logistical support, indigenous/endogenous technologies and enhancing NSI, and multi-country TAs

Post-TA Implementation Form



2. Process

Sections

Part I: Past Engagement with the CTCN and Awareness on the Role of NDEs

Part II: Outcomes and Impacts of the CTCN Technical Assistance

Part III: Outcomes and Impacts of the CTCN Capacity Building and Knowledge Sharing

Average time to complete: ~40 minutes

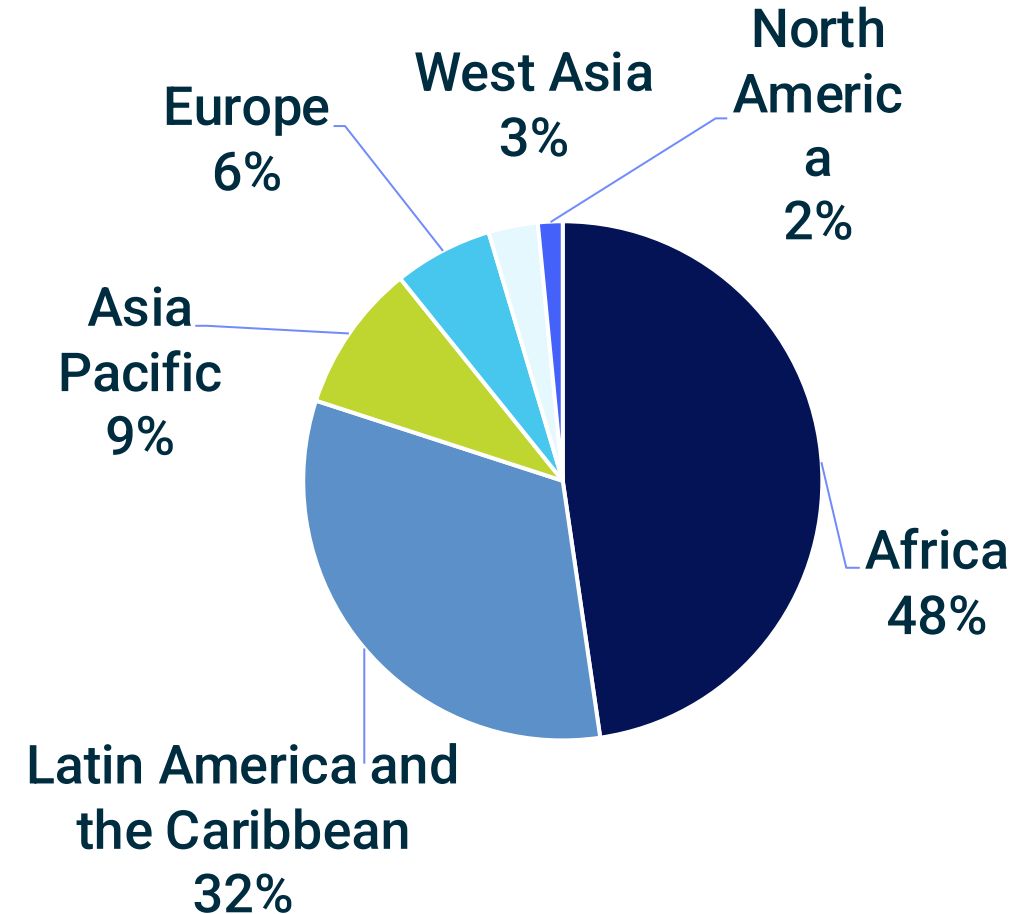


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Survey Response Statistics

NDEs	# of surveys sent	# of survey response	# of online responses	# of offline response
Annex I	37	5	5	0
Non-Annex I	139	60	58	2
Total	166	65	Response rate: 39%	

-6% compared to 2024 response rate



3. Lessons Learnt

Challenges

- Survey too lengthy
- Low response rate
- Other information channels may be more efficient

TEC and CTCN AB members are invited to provide guidance whether to:

- Shorten survey – remove TA questions already covered in post-implementation form
- Add a focused survey session at NDE forums



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