



# Feedback from 2017 Focal Point reporting

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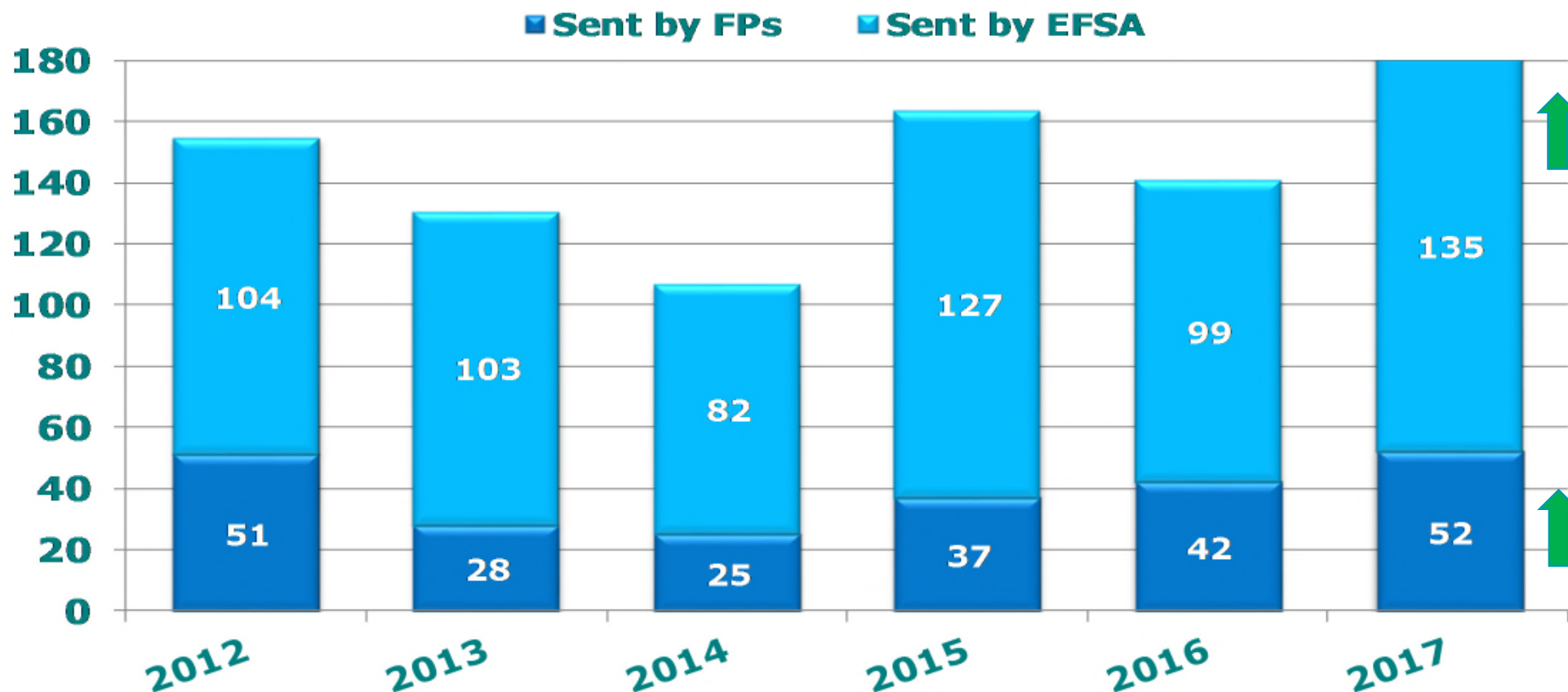
# OUTLINE OF PRESENTATION

## Main activities in 2017

- 1. Exchange of scientific information***
- 2. Art. 36 and expert cooperation***
- 3. Networking and raising of visibility***
- 4. Training opportunities in RA***
- 5. Coordination of Scientific Networks***
- 6. International Cooperation***
- 7. Overall FP activities summary***
- 8. Conclusions & recommendations for 2018***

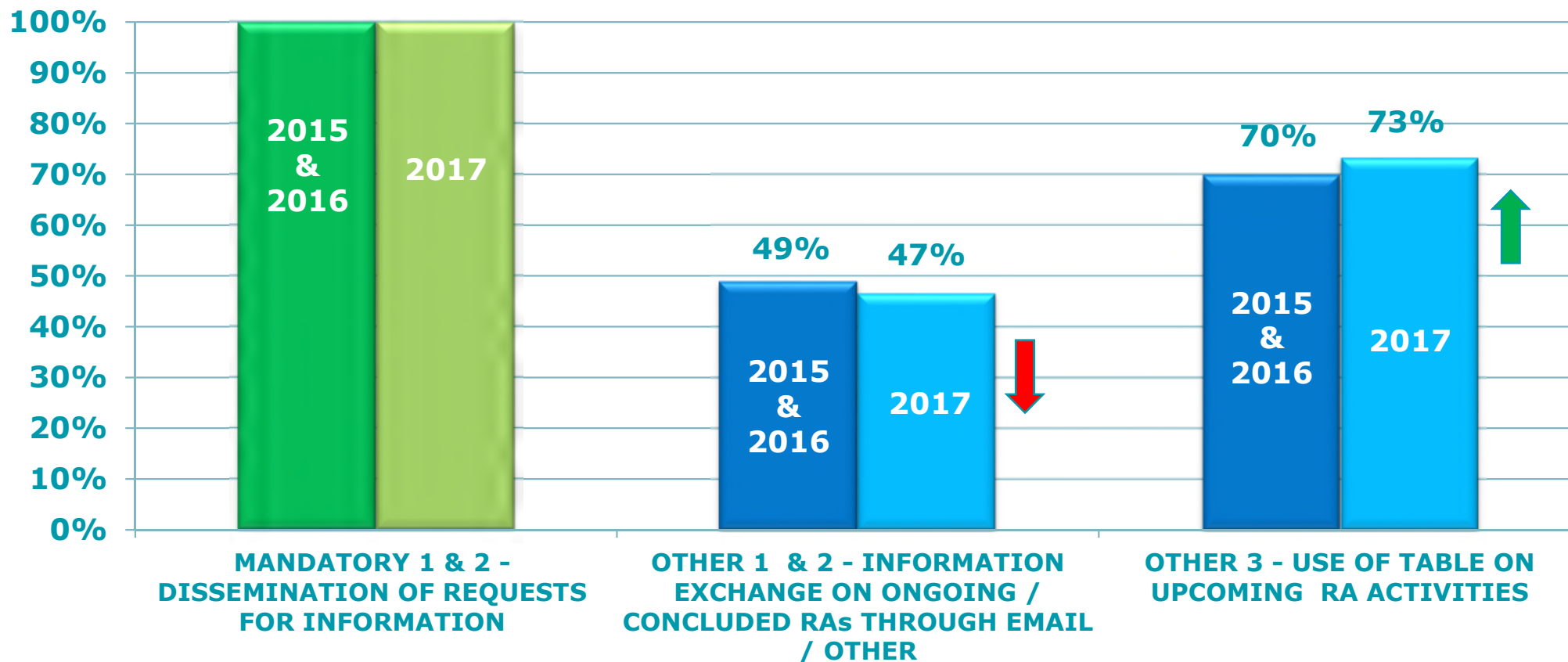
## EXCHANGE OF SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION

### No. requests sent through the FP network / year



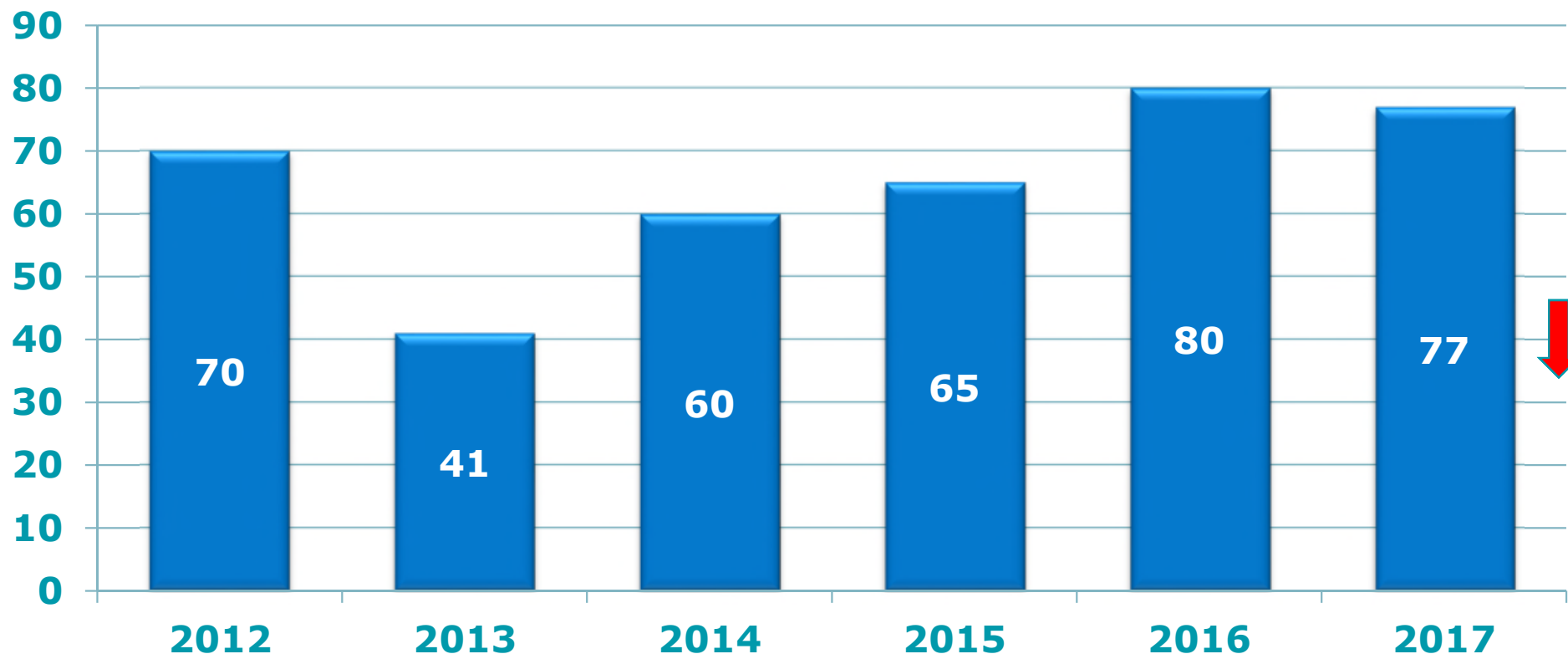
# EXCHANGE OF SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION

## % of execution of activities in 2015/2016 vs 2017



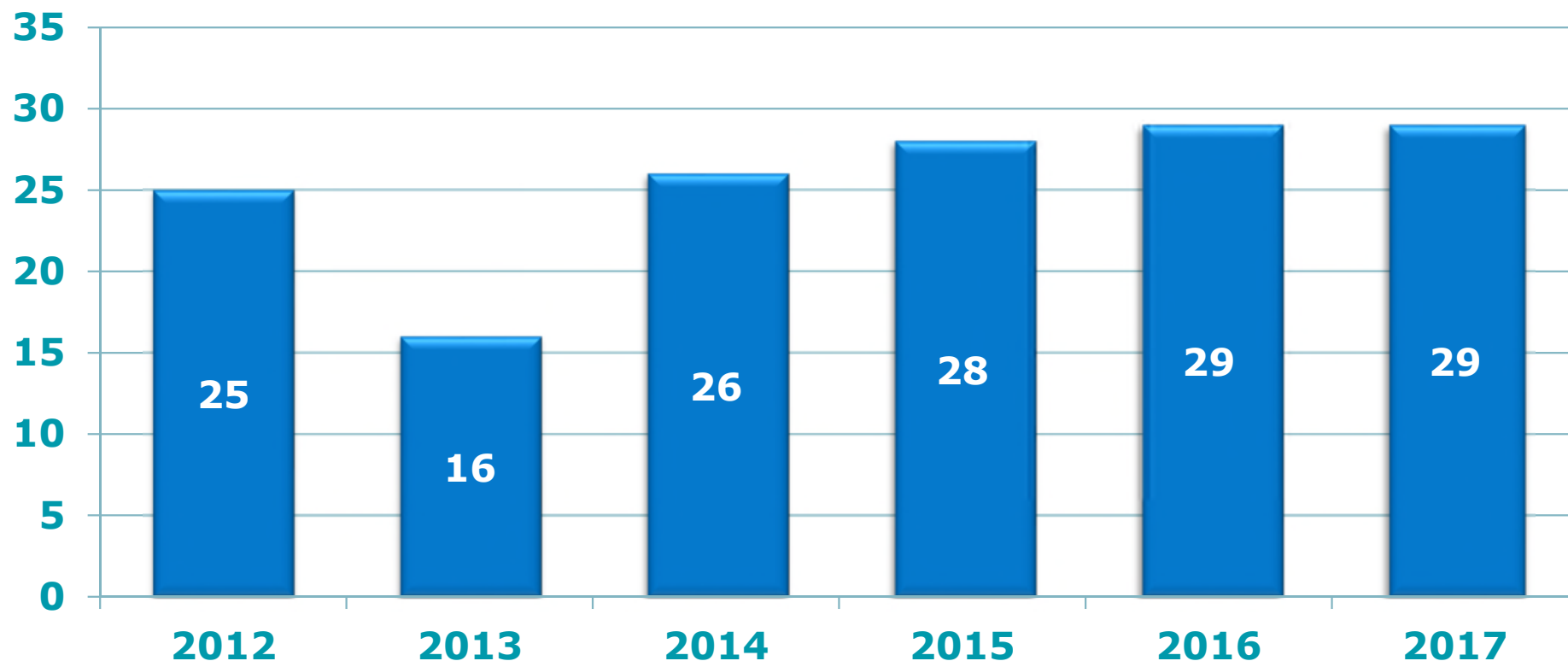
## ARTICLE 36 ORGANISATIONS

### No. FP meetings with (potential) Art. 36 org.

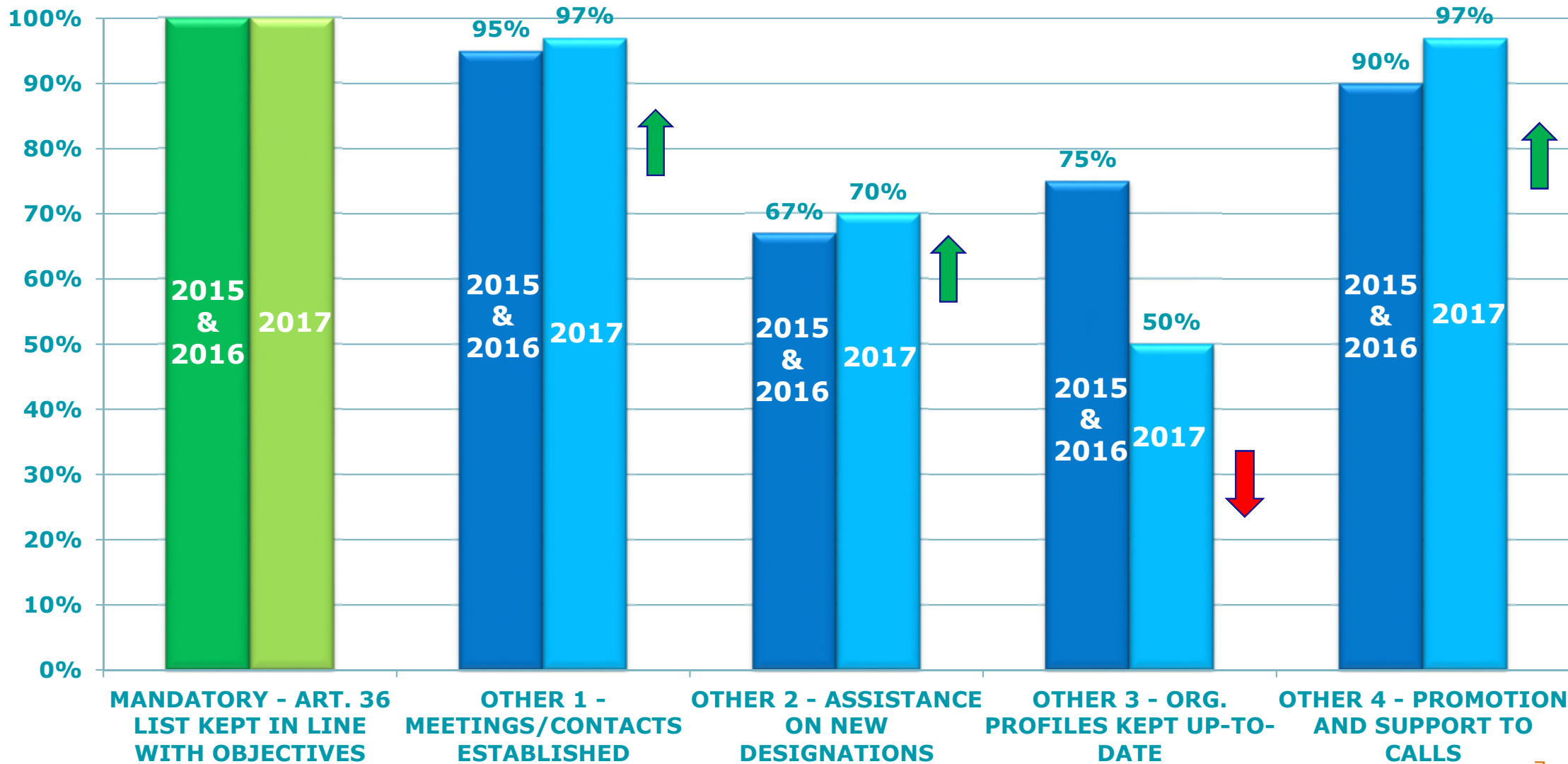


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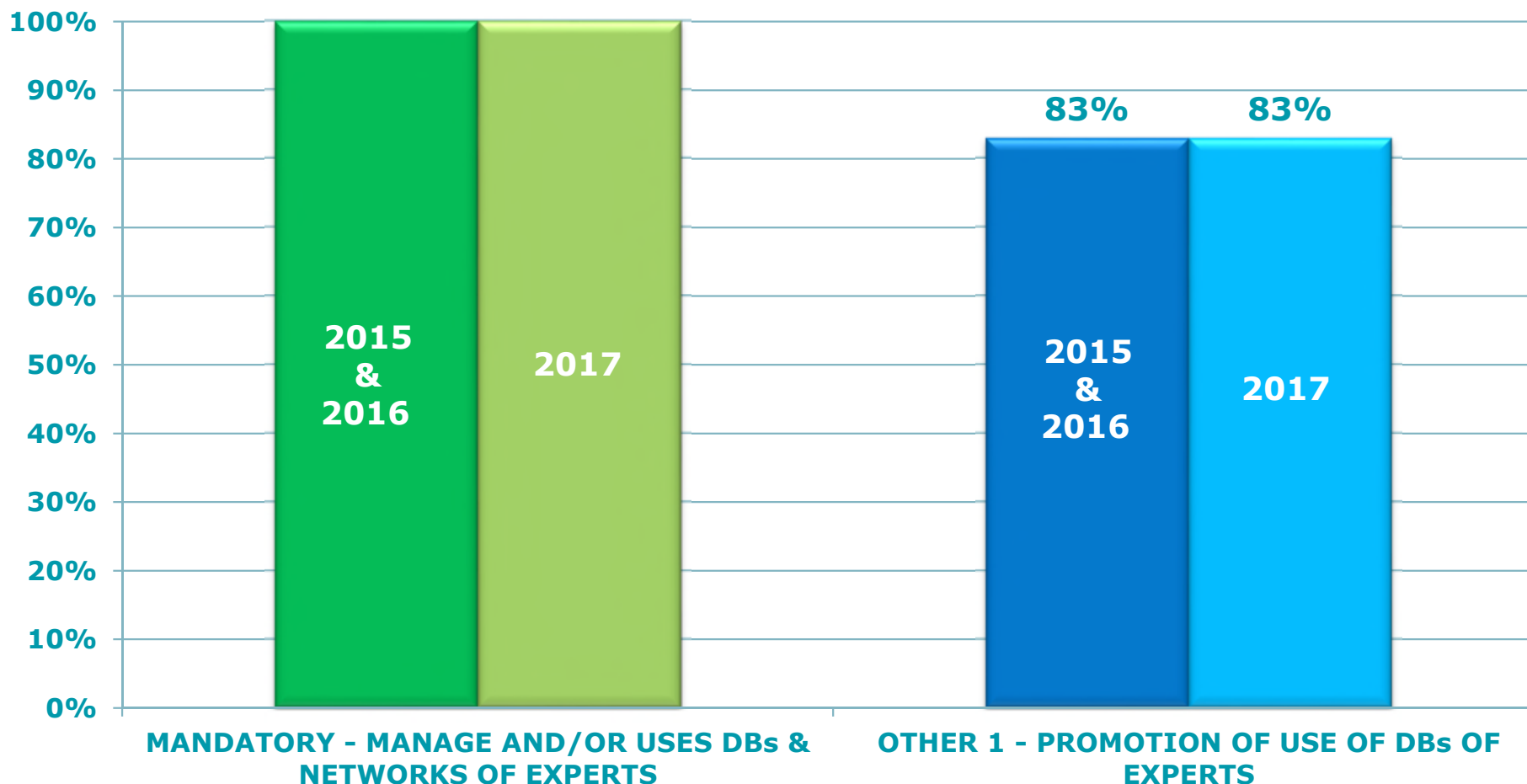
### FPs meeting with (potential) Art. 36 organisations



## Art.36 - % of execution of activities in 2015/16 vs 2017



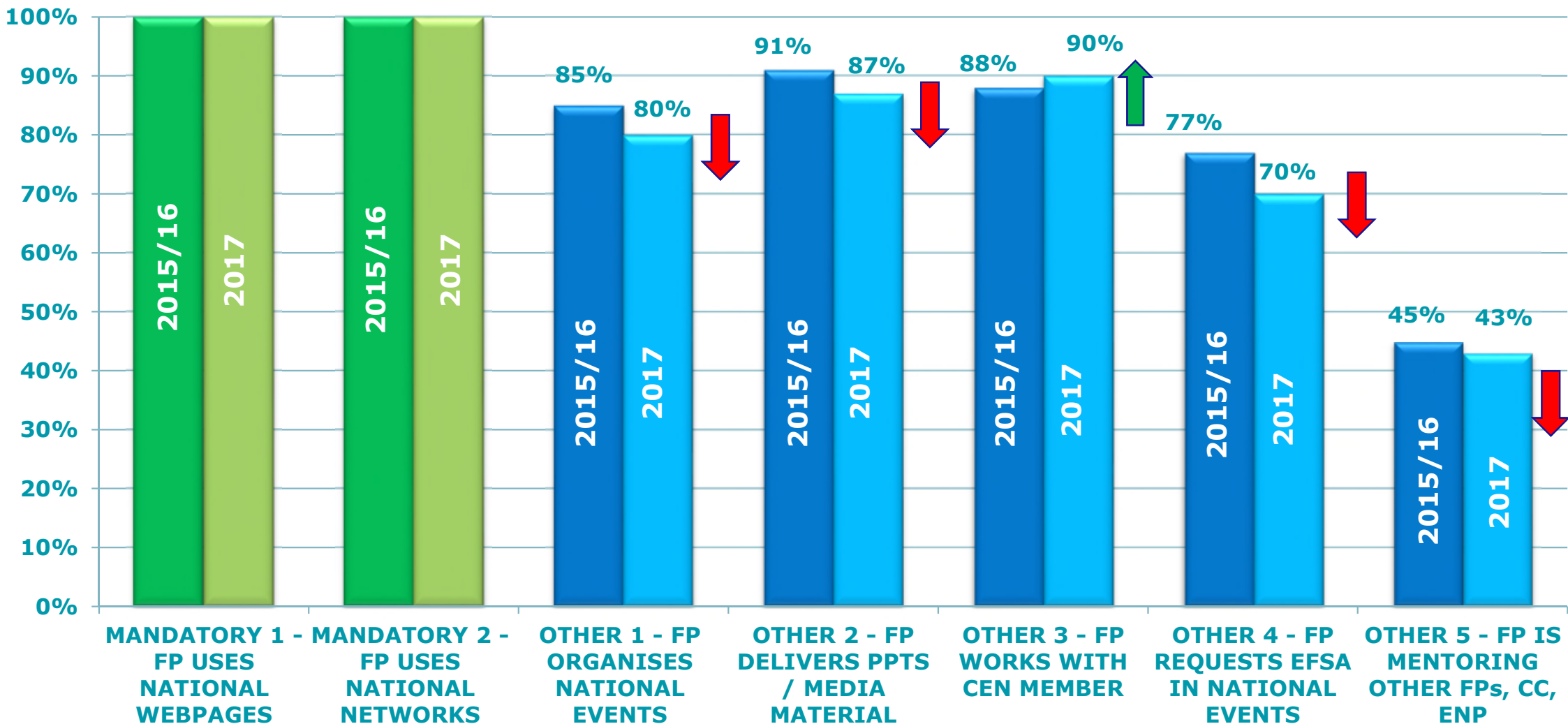
## POOLING OF EXPERTISE - % EXECUTION OF ACTIVITIES





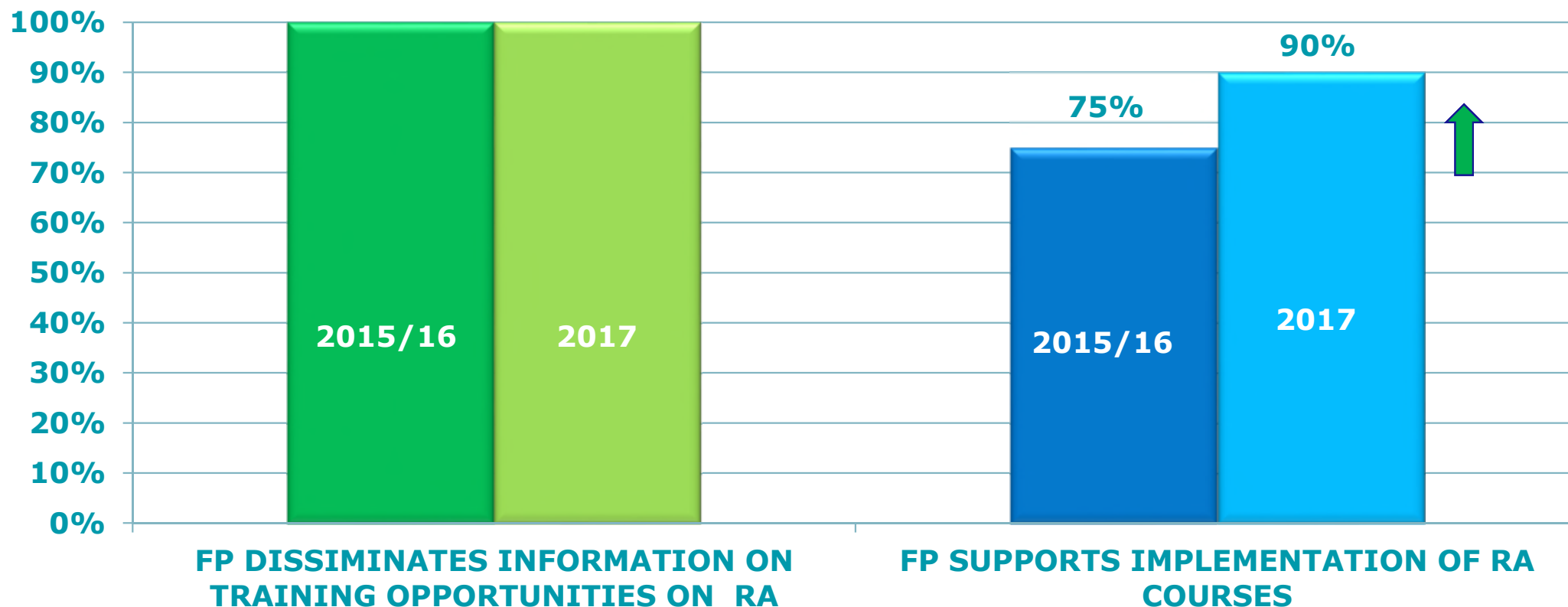
# Networking and raising EFSA visibility

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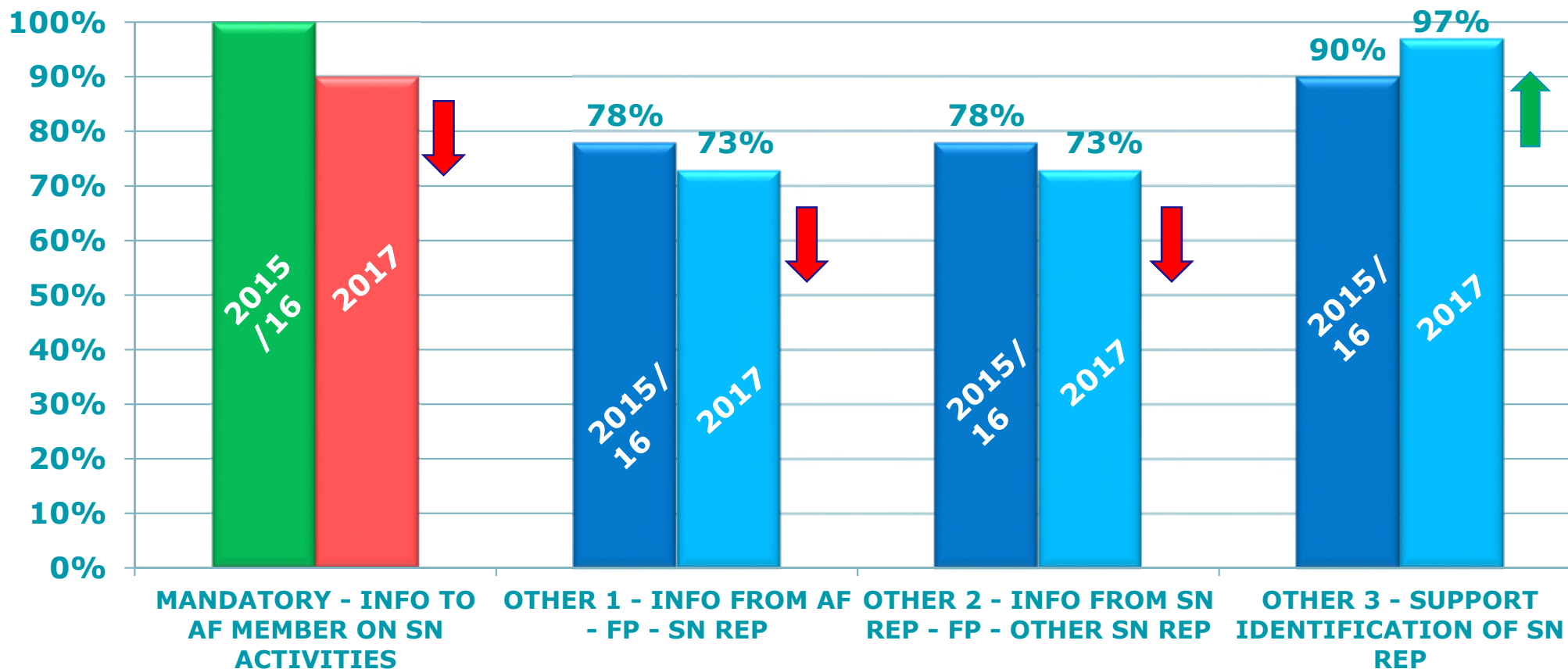
## PROMOTING TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES IN RA

### % of Execution of Activities in 2015/16 vs 2017



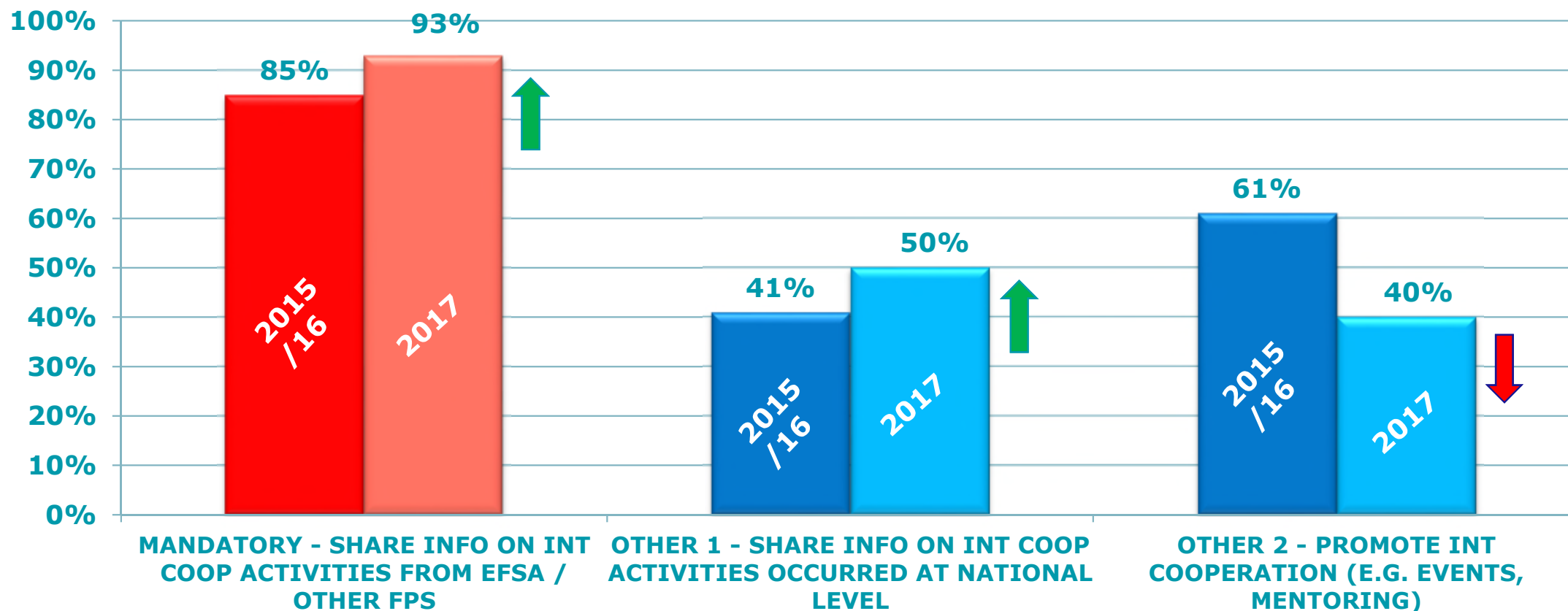
# COORDINATION OF SCIENTIFIC NETWORKS

## % of Execution of Activities in 2015/16 vs 2017



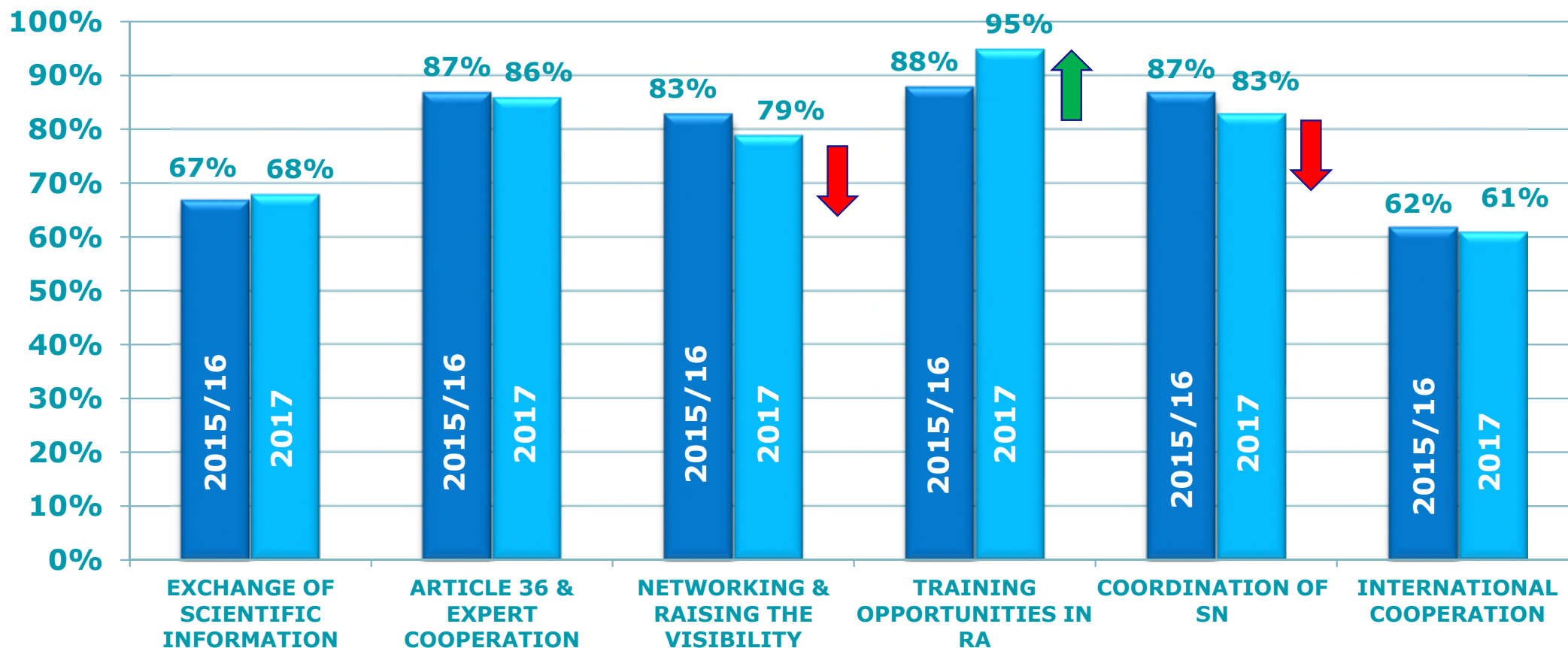
## INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

### % of Execution of Activities in in 2015/16 vs 2017



## OVERALL FP ACTIVITIES SUMMARY

### % execution of FP Activities in 2015/16 vs 2017



# CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 2018

## Conclusions:



### Higher activity

- Email exchange
- Support to G&P calls
- Liaising with CEN rep.
- Promoting RA courses
- Identification of SN rep.



### Lower activity

- Art.36 – keeping org. profiles updated
- No. FP events & EFSA attendance
- Keeping AF rep. informed on SN activities

## Overall key recommendations:

1. Prioritise email exchange & use other tools for information exchange
2. Maintain increased support for promoting G&P calls
3. Review role of FPs fostering the pooling and drawing of expertise
4. Use of national FP webpages – keep info updated + recommended content
5. Training in RA – can EFSA courses be open to Art.36 organisations?
6. Keeping AF representative informed on SN activities (mandatory when relevant)
7. Review tasks of FP on international cooperation