



Feedback from 2016 Focal Point reporting

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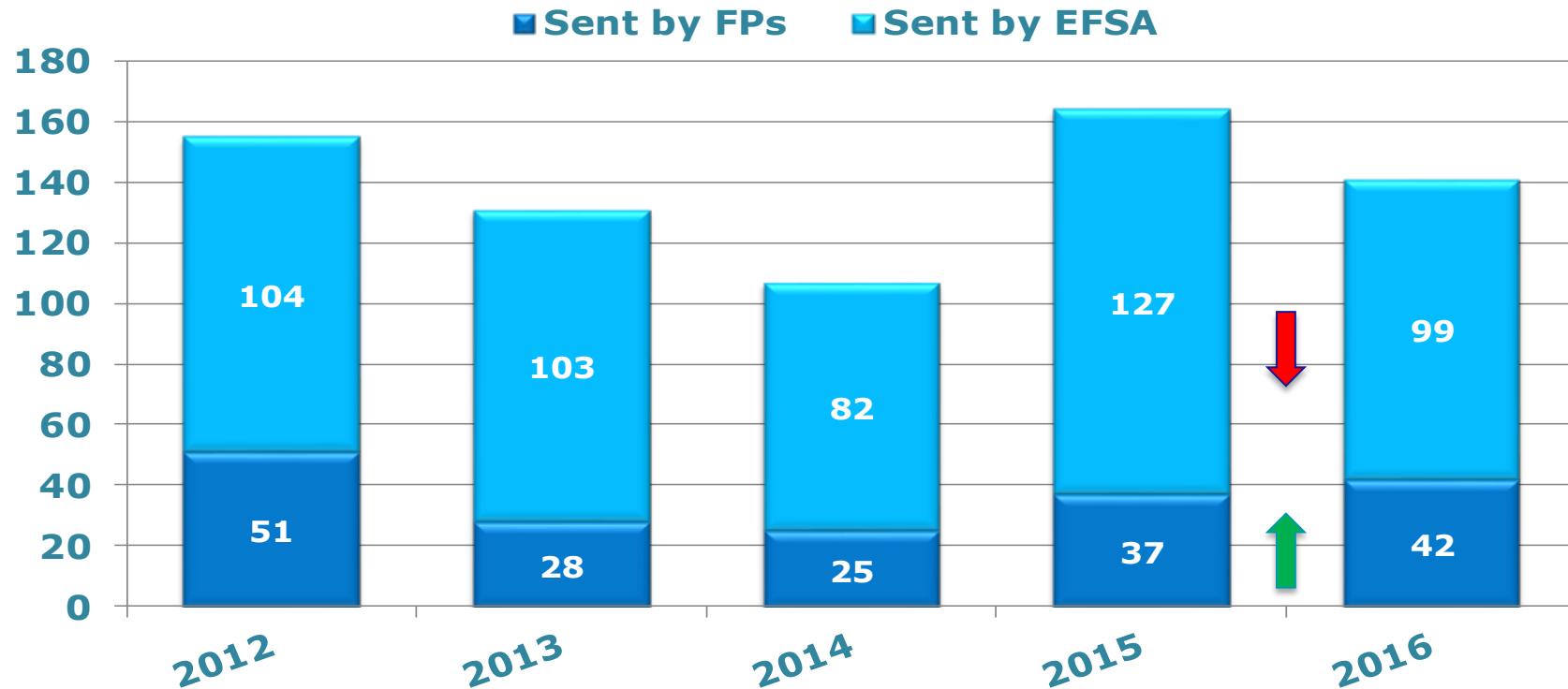
OUTLINE OF PRESENTATION

Main activities in 2016

- ***Composition of the FP network***
- ***Exchange of scientific information***
- ***Art. 36 and expert cooperation***
- ***Networking and raising of visibility***
- ***Training opportunities in RA***
- ***Coordination of Scientific Networks***
- ***International Cooperation***
- ***Overall FP activities summary***
- ***Conclusions & recommendations for 2017***

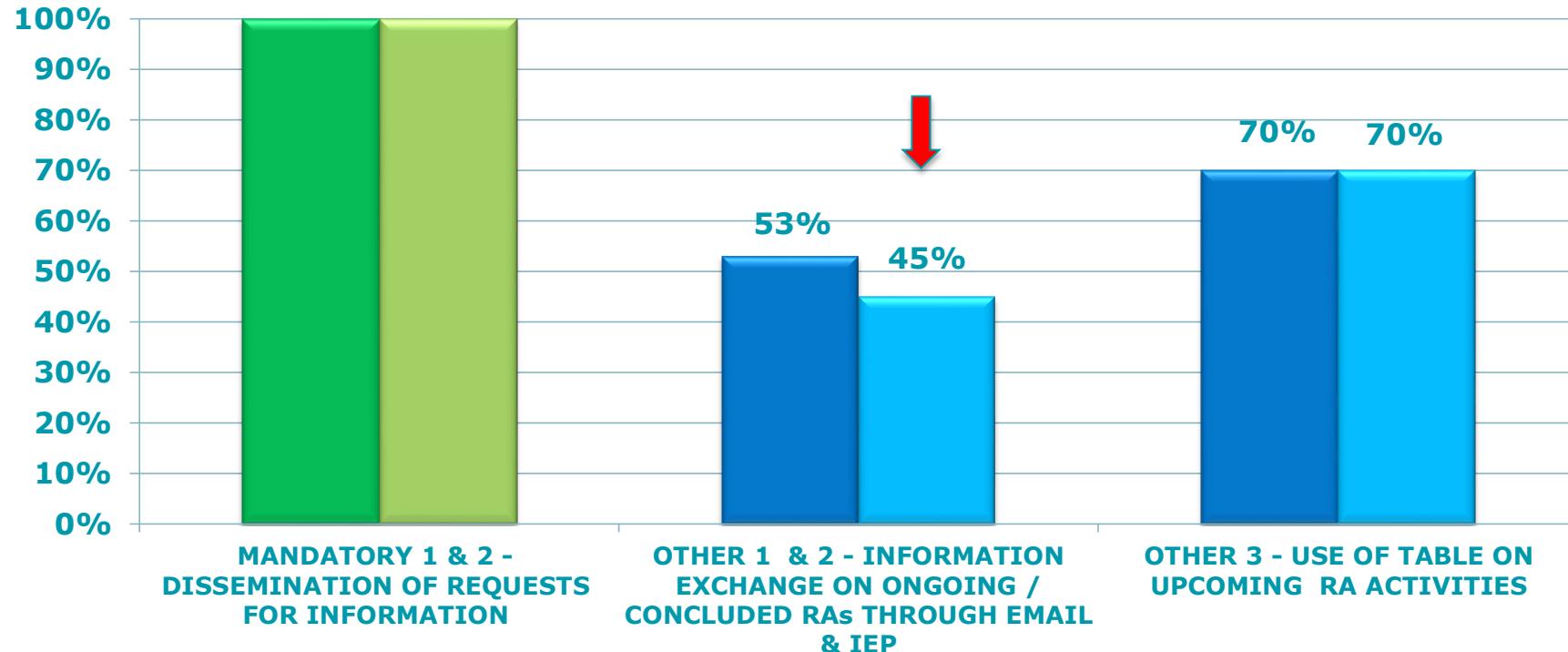
EXCHANGE OF SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION

No. of requests sent through the FP network / year



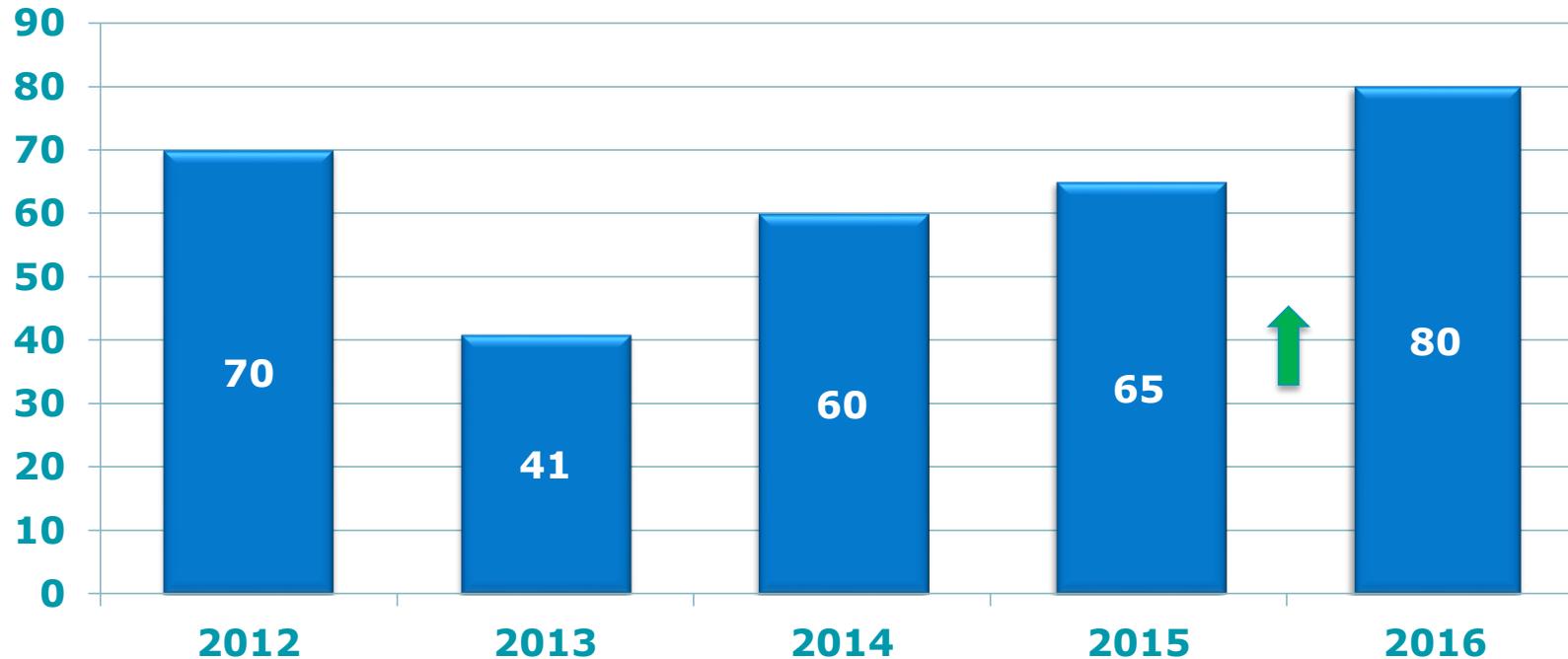
EXCHANGE OF SCIENTIFIC INFORMATION

% of execution of activities in 2015 & 2016



ARTICLE 36 ORGANISATIONS

No. meetings FPs with (potential) Art. 36 org.

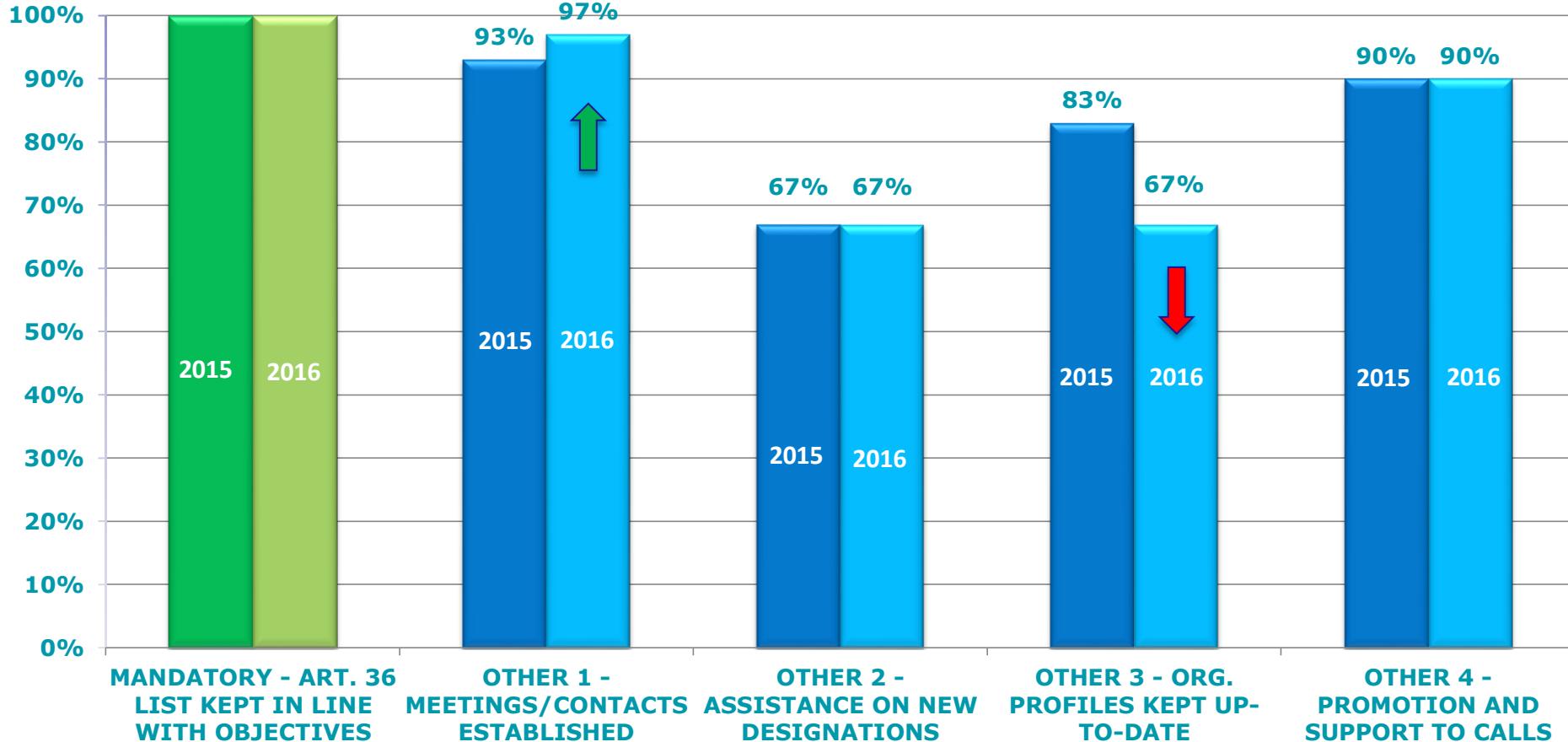


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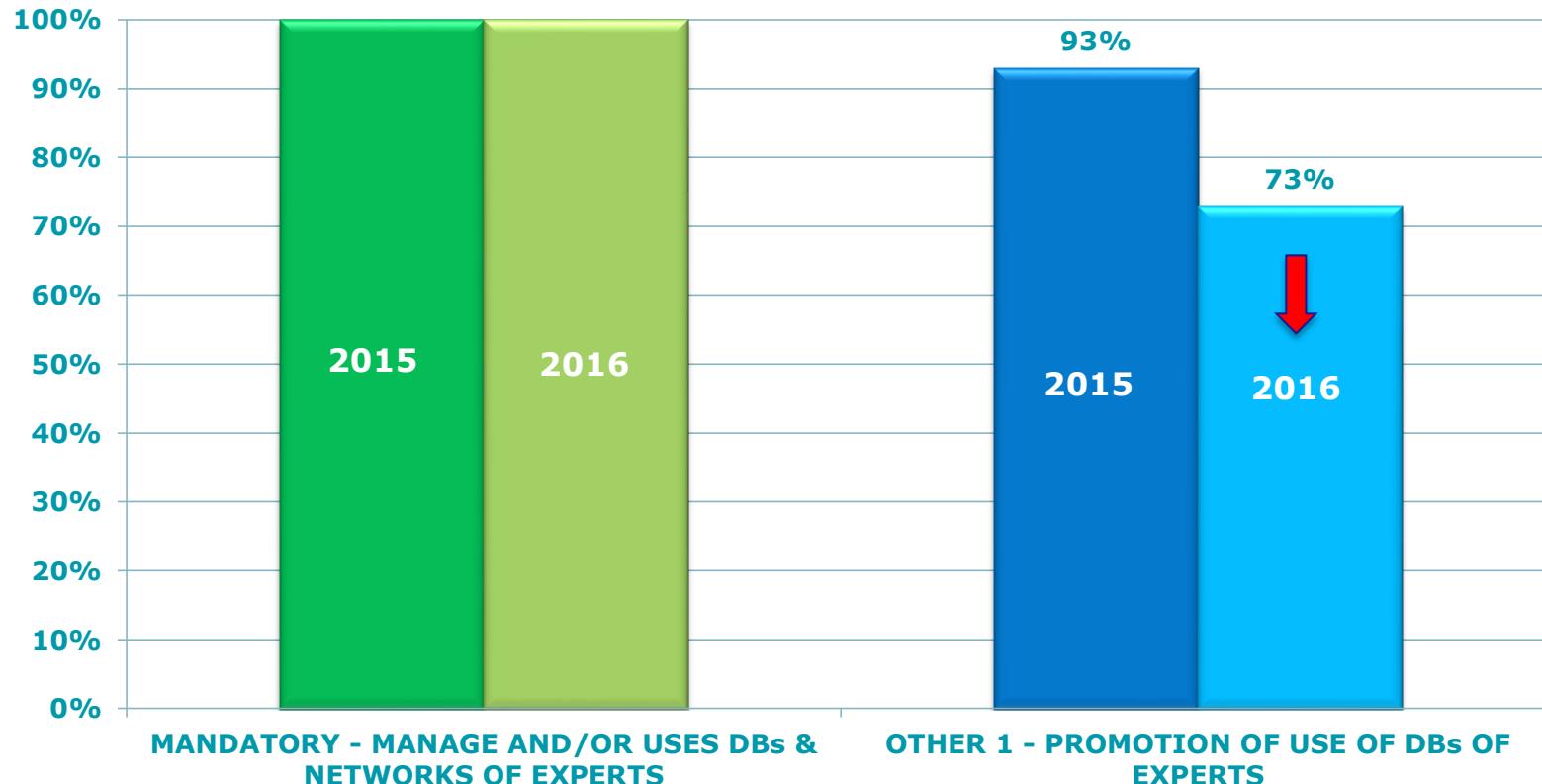
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Art. 36 - % of Execution of activities in 2015 & 2016

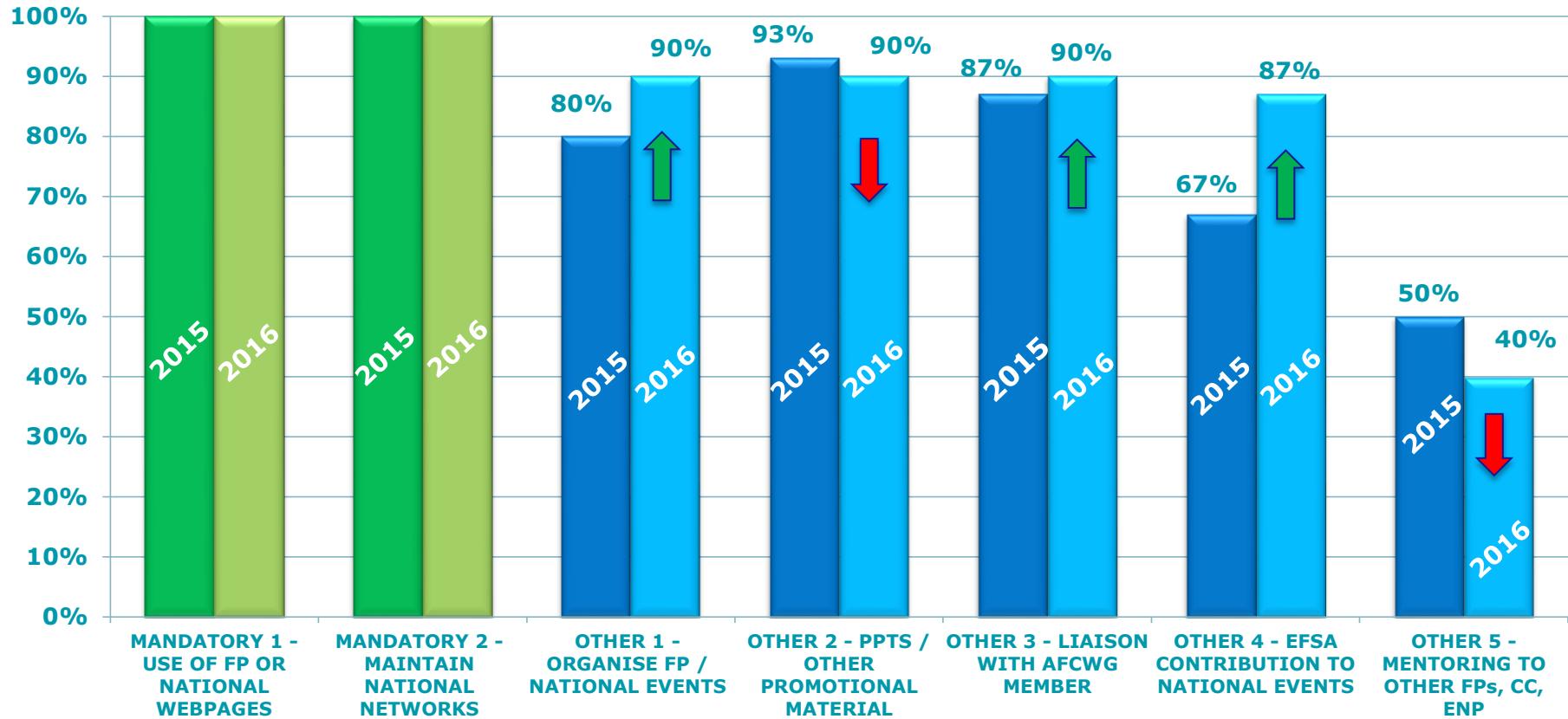


EXPERT COOPERATION - % EXECUTION OF ACTIVITIES



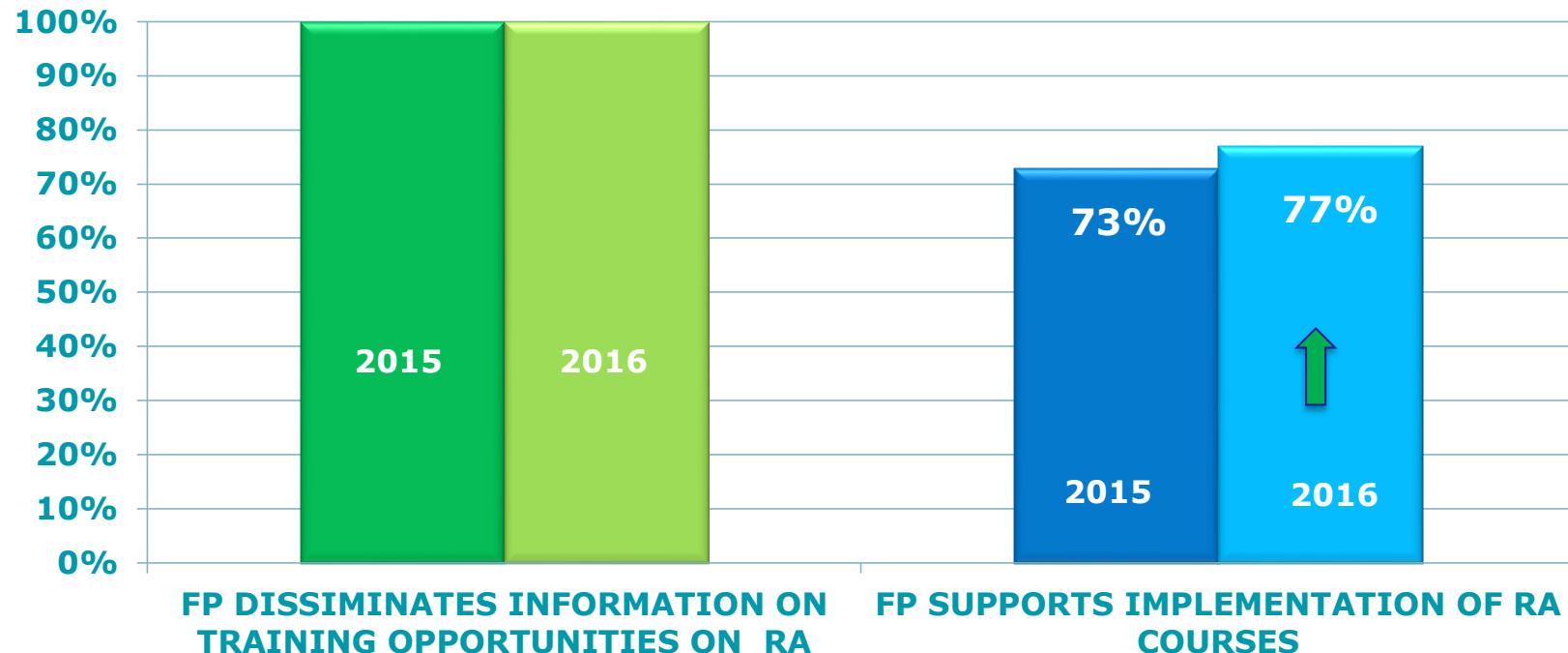
Networking and visibility

% of execution of activities in 2015 & 2016



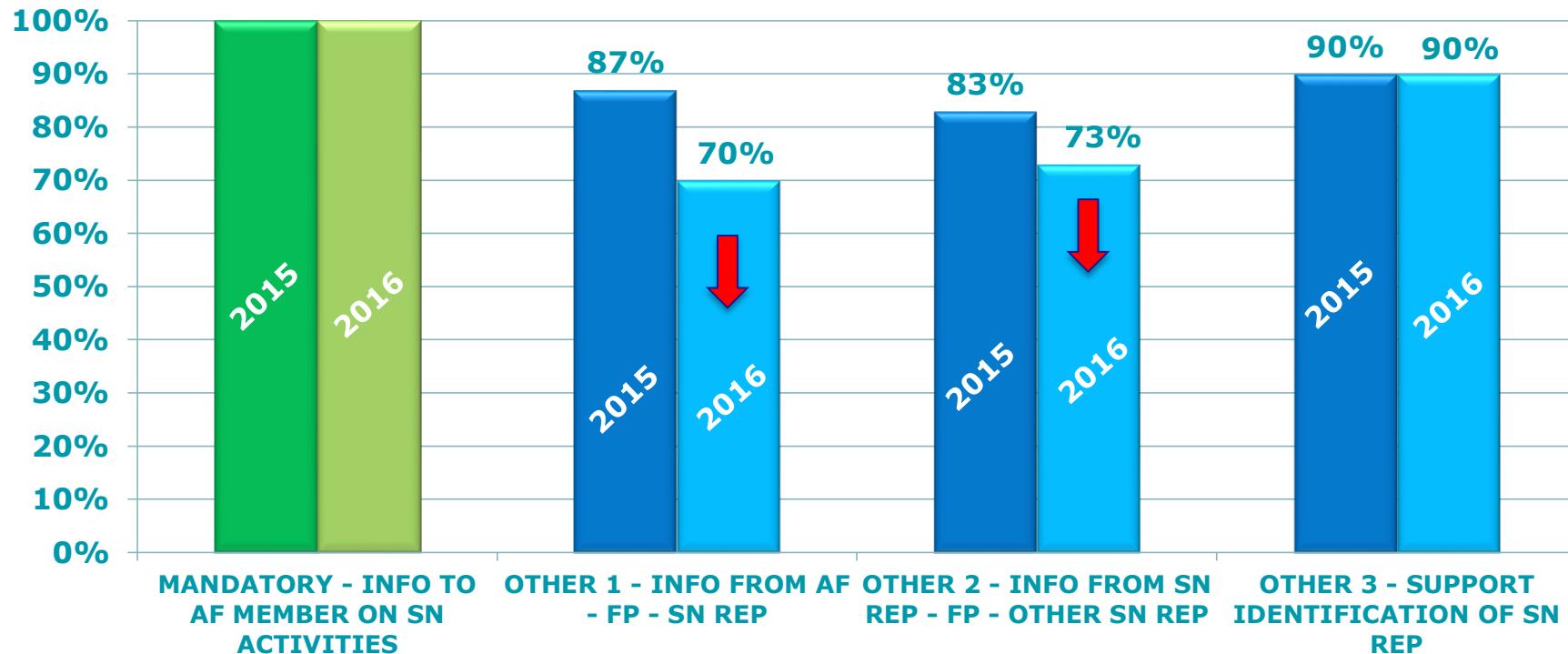
TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES IN RA

% of Execution of Activities in 2015 & 2016



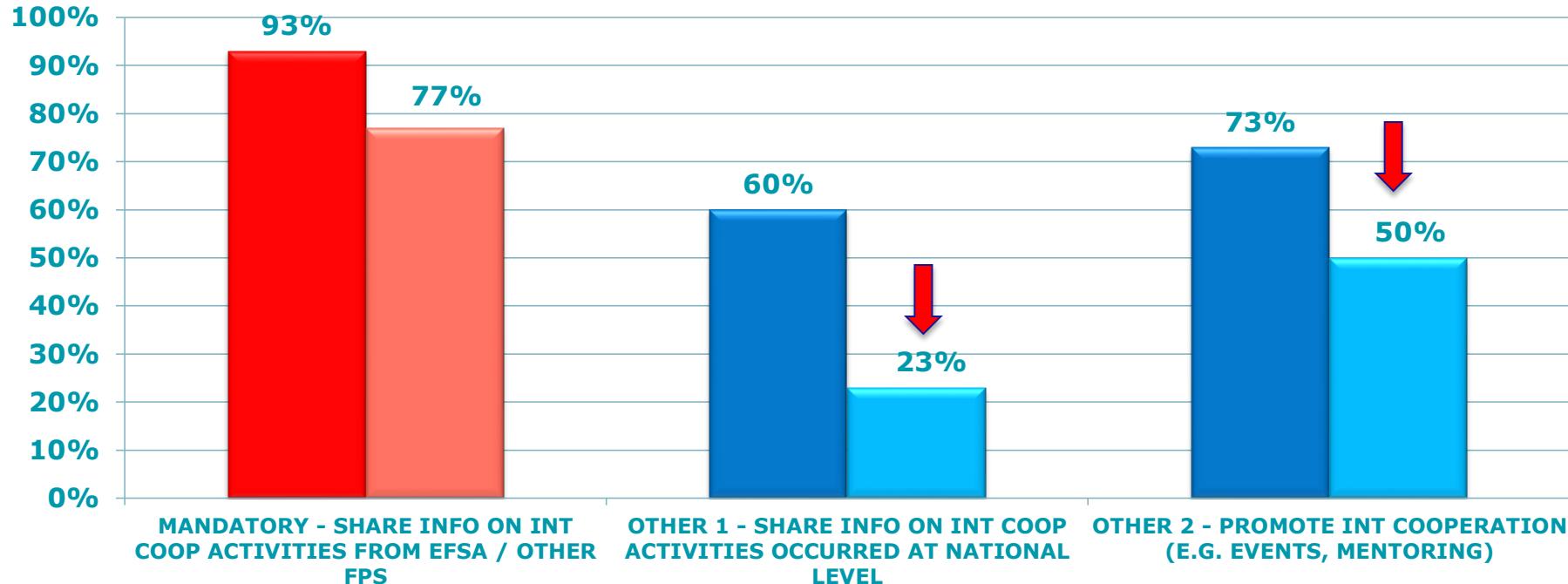
COORDINATION OF SCIENTIFIC NETWORKS

% of Execution of Activities in 2015 & 2016



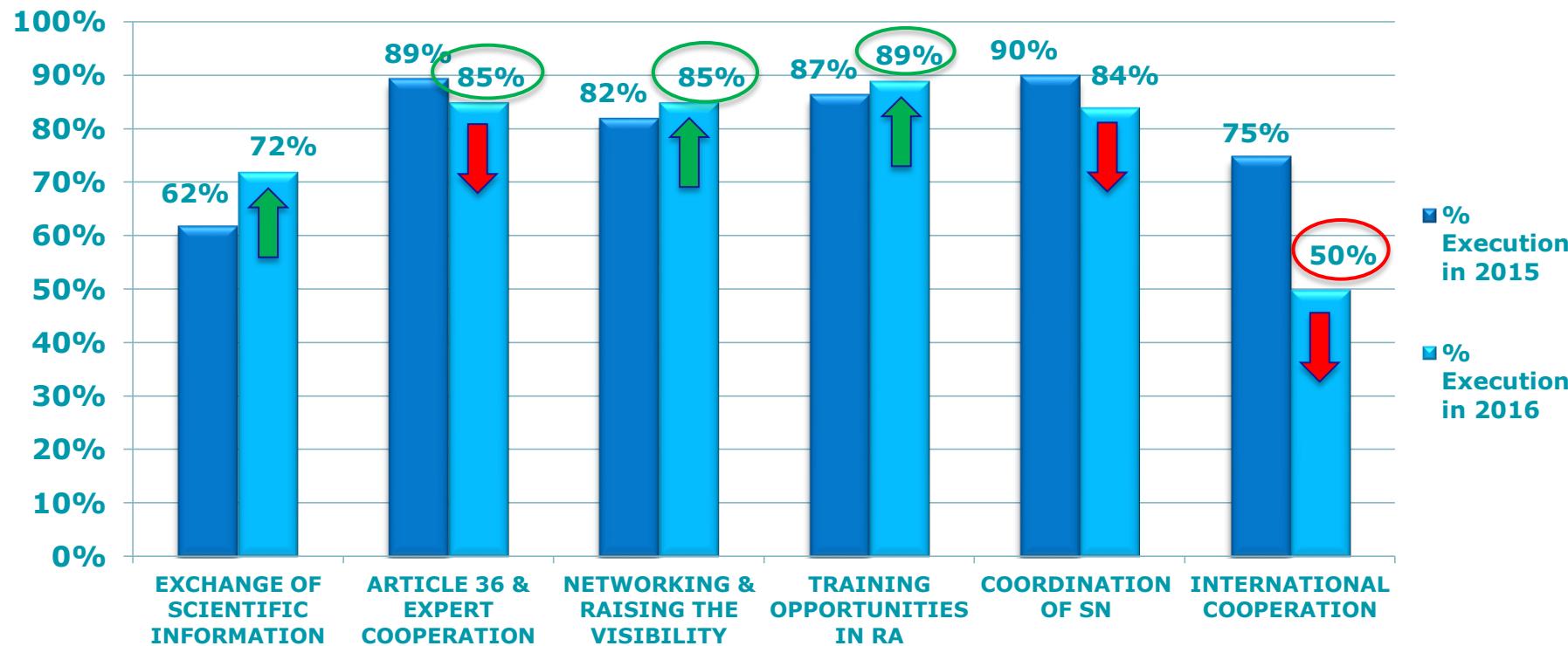
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

% of Execution of Activities in 2015 & 2016



OVERALL FP ACTIVITIES SUMMARY

% Execution of FP Activities in 2015 & 2016



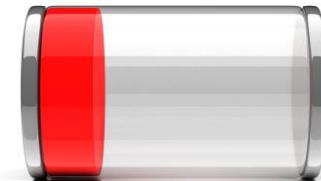
CONCLUSIONS & RECOMMENDATIONS FOR 2017

Conclusions:



High activity

- Training (89%)
- Art. 36 (85%)
- Networking / raising EFSA's and FP visibility (85%)



Low activity

- International cooperation (50%)
- Information exchange (72%)

Recommendations:

- Information exchange: innovative tools recommended (e.g. knowledge Junction, MS Office 365, XL DB for RA activities)
- Art. 36: maintain Art. 36 list & org. profiles up-to-date
- Scientific Networks: use of available or national guidelines for further promoting optimal information flow
- Networking, raising visibility, training: keep up the good work ☺
- International cooperation: improve / increase information sharing – 2017 template updated

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