

# The global progress of SPP: main results and lessons learned from UNEP's monitoring tools

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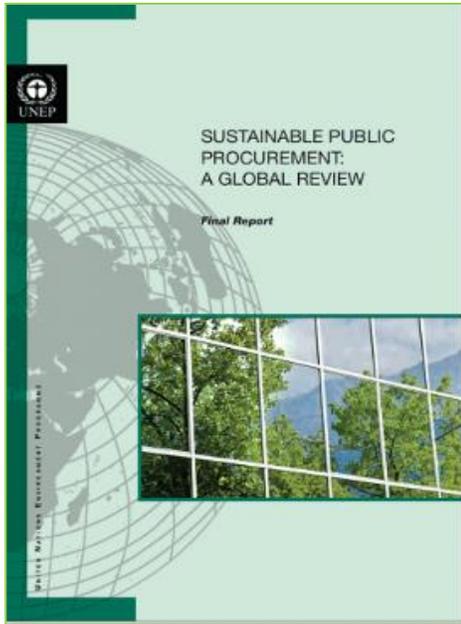
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# I. GLOBAL SPP REVIEW

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## 2013 Global SPP Review

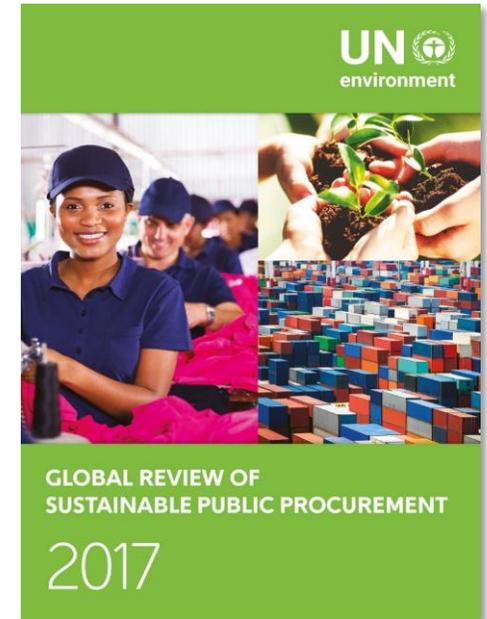


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A global report  
periodically  
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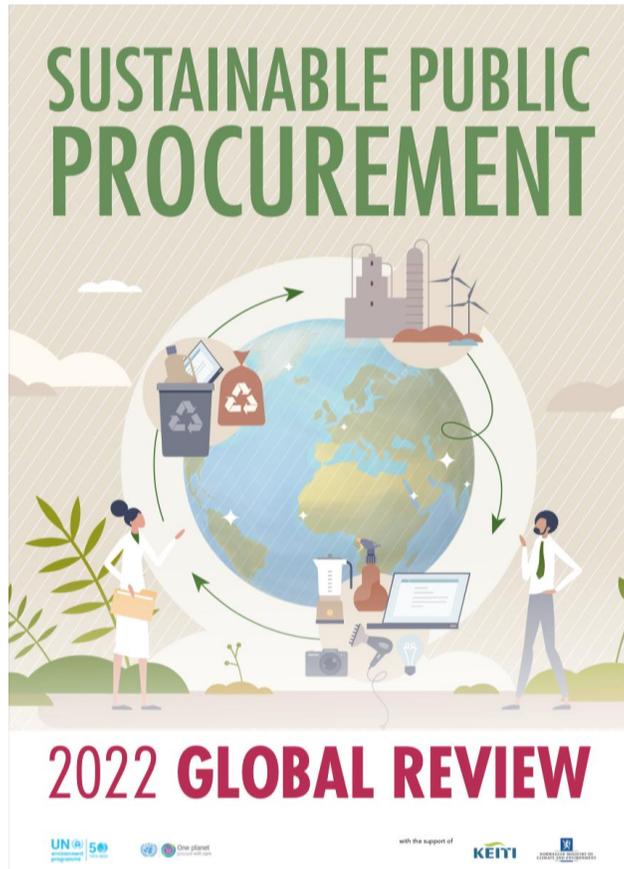
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**Upcoming : 2022 Global  
SPP Review**

# 2022 Global SPP Review



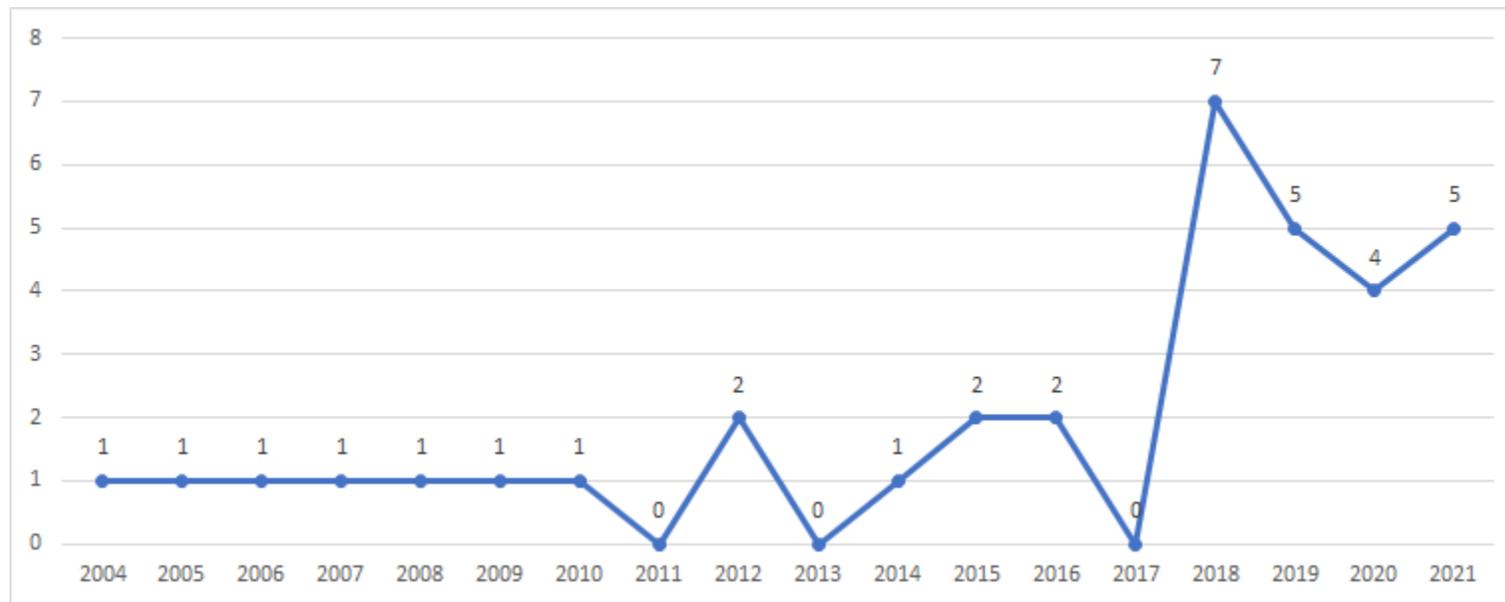
45 governments responded to the **National Questionnaire** and 322 stakeholders responded to the **Global Review Survey**

# SPP Action Plans in the World – according to UNEP Factsheets (2017)

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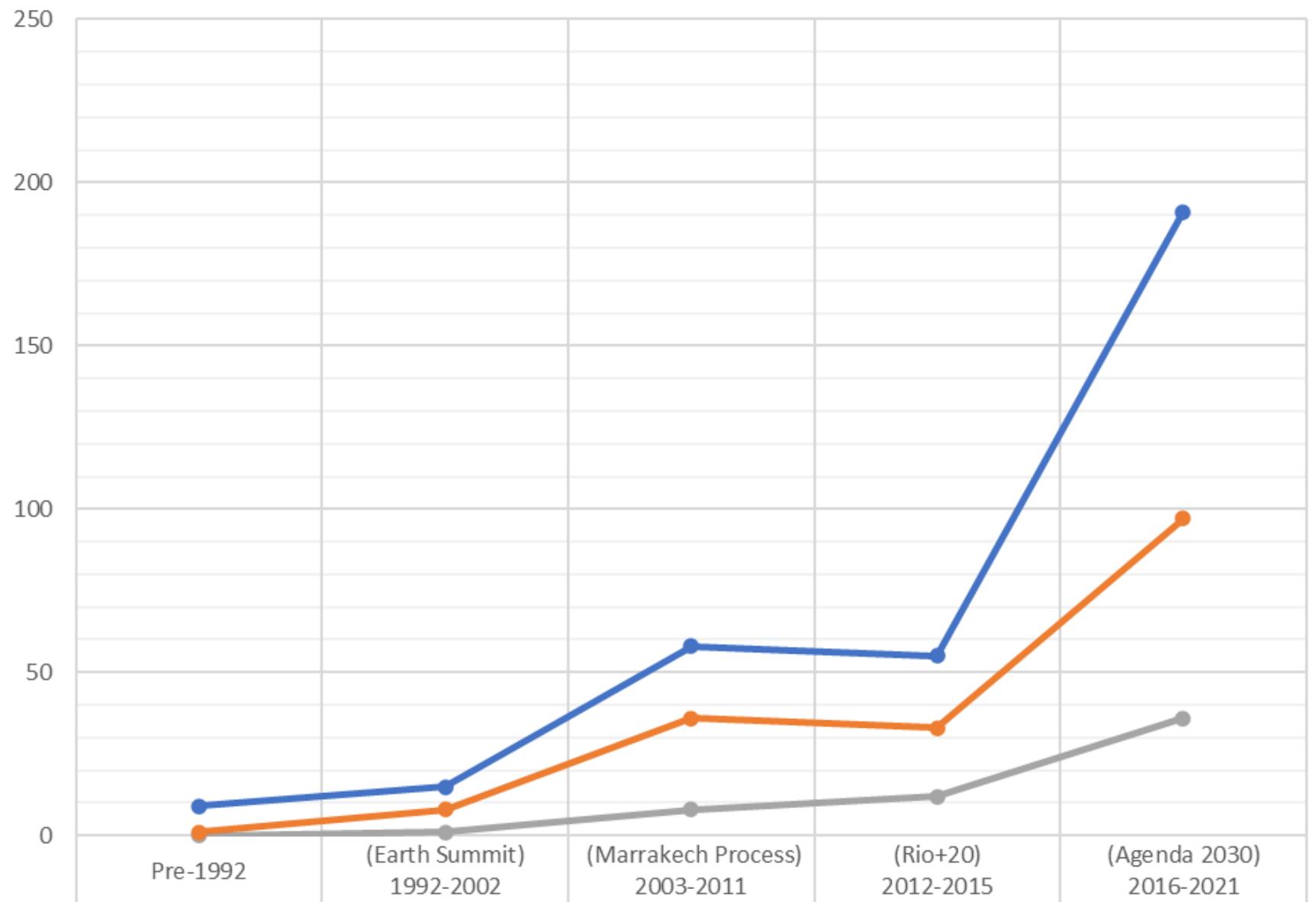


# Number of SPP policies adopted per year 2004-2021



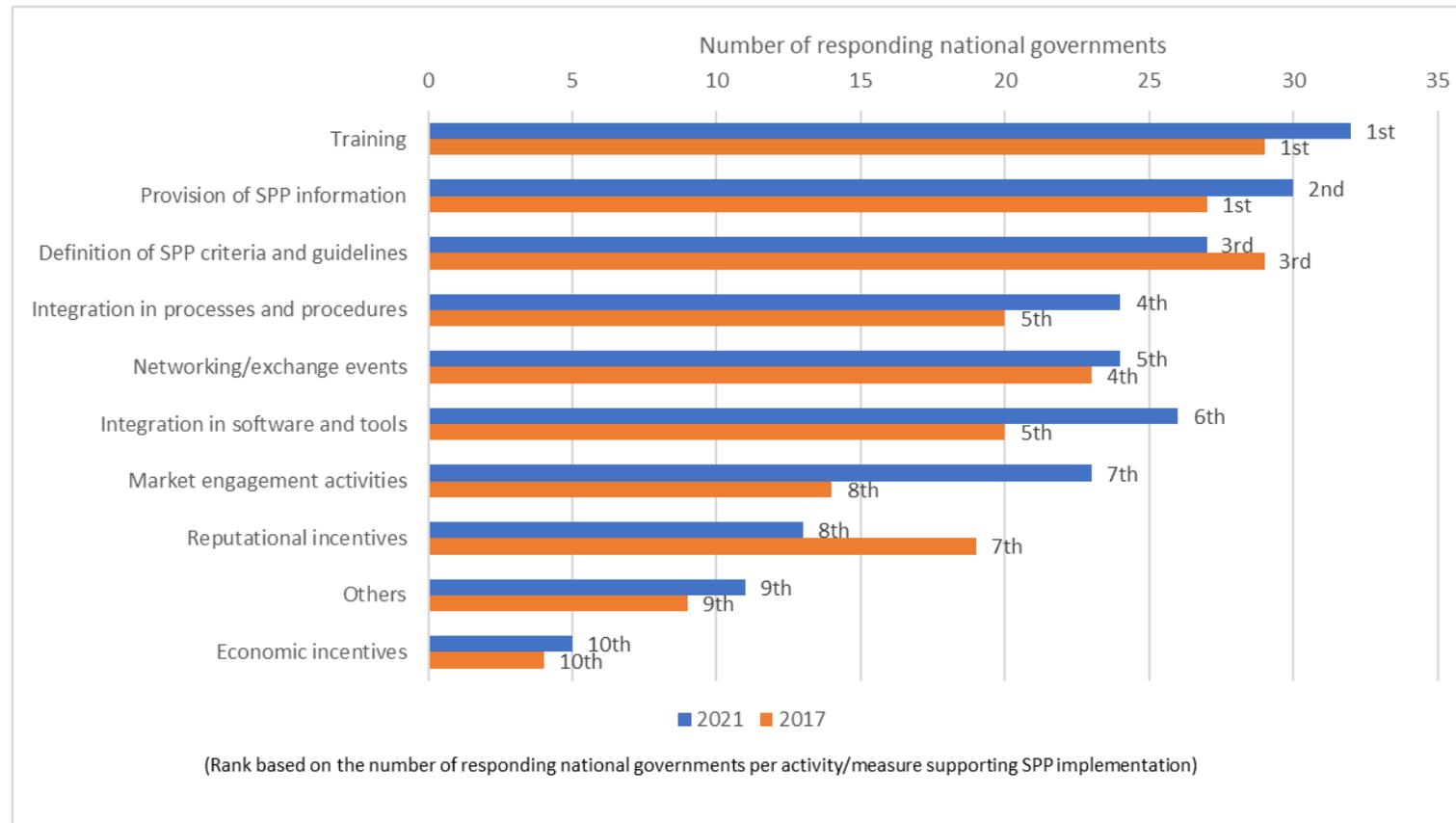
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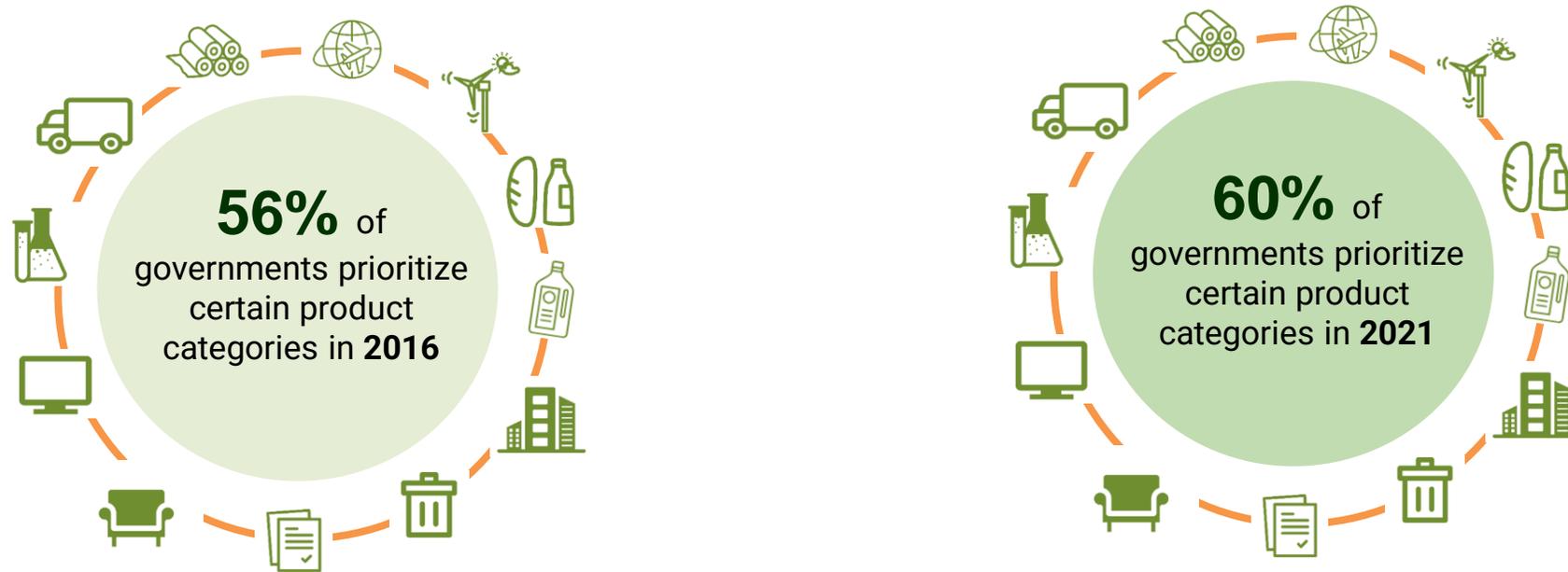


National overarching and thematic policies with SPP provisions	8	7	22	22	94
Procurement regulations with SPP provisions	1	7	28	21	61
Dedicated SPP policies and action plans	0	1	8	12	36

# Common activities and measures to support SPP implementation, 2021 vs. 2017, ranked according to 2021 data

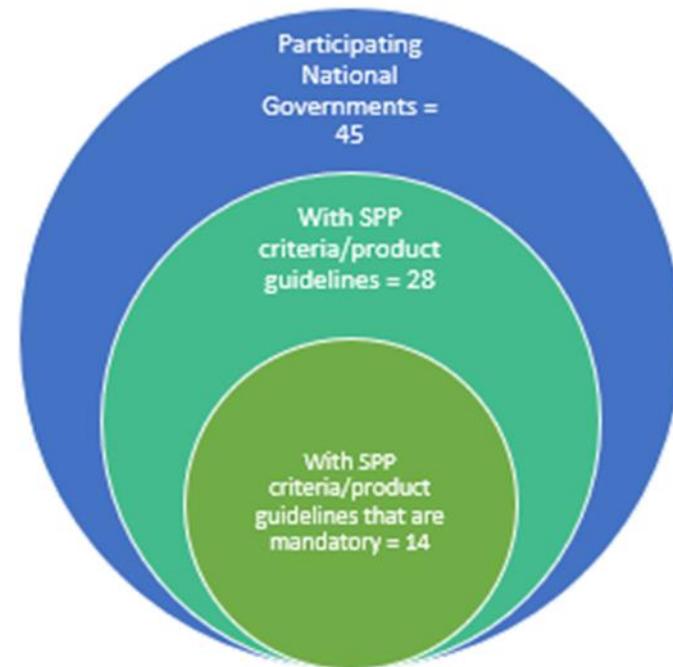


# Prioritization of product groups



Source: UNEP 2022 SPP Global Review

# Participating national governments with mandatory SPP criteria or product guidelines, 2021



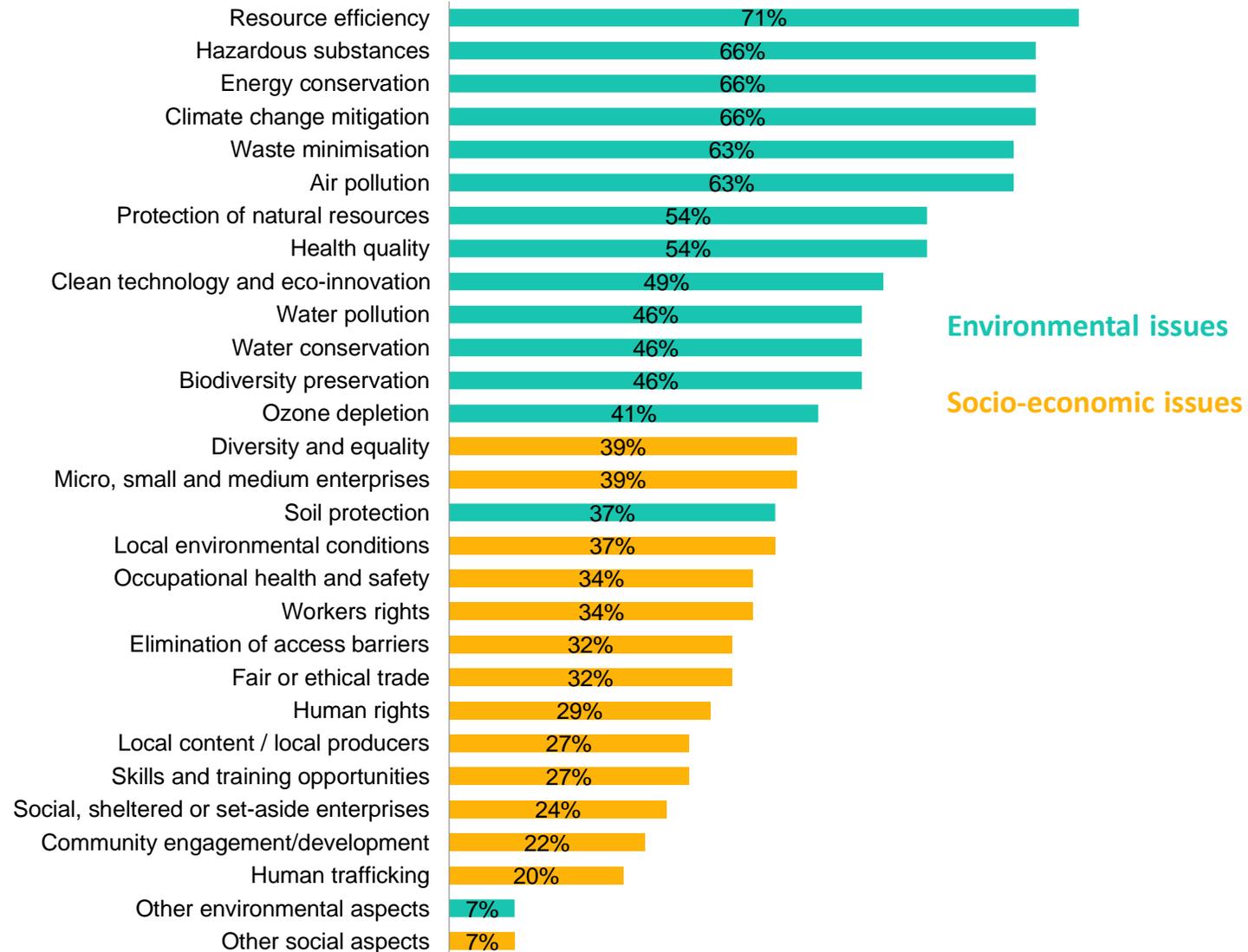
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# Which categories of products, services and works are prioritized?

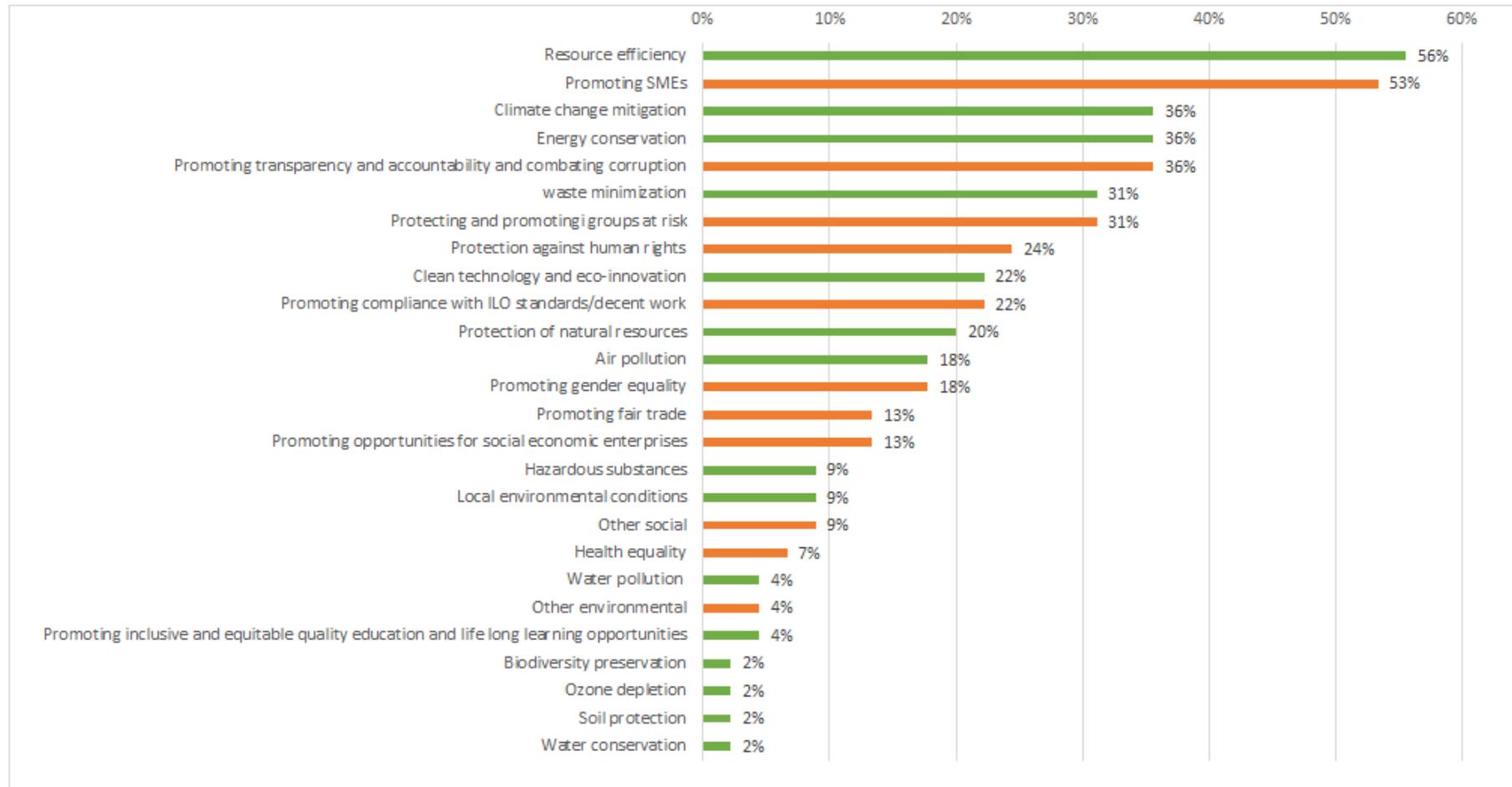


Office IT	89%
Office paper and stationary	85%
Vehicles	70%
Cleaning	67%
Furniture	63%
Building design and construction	59%
Building equipment	59%
Building materials	52%
Energy	52%
Textiles	52%
Food and catering	44%
Chemical products	37%
Household appliances	37%
Infrastructure design and construction	33%
Waste collection and street cleaning	22%
Travel services	15%
Works execution	15%

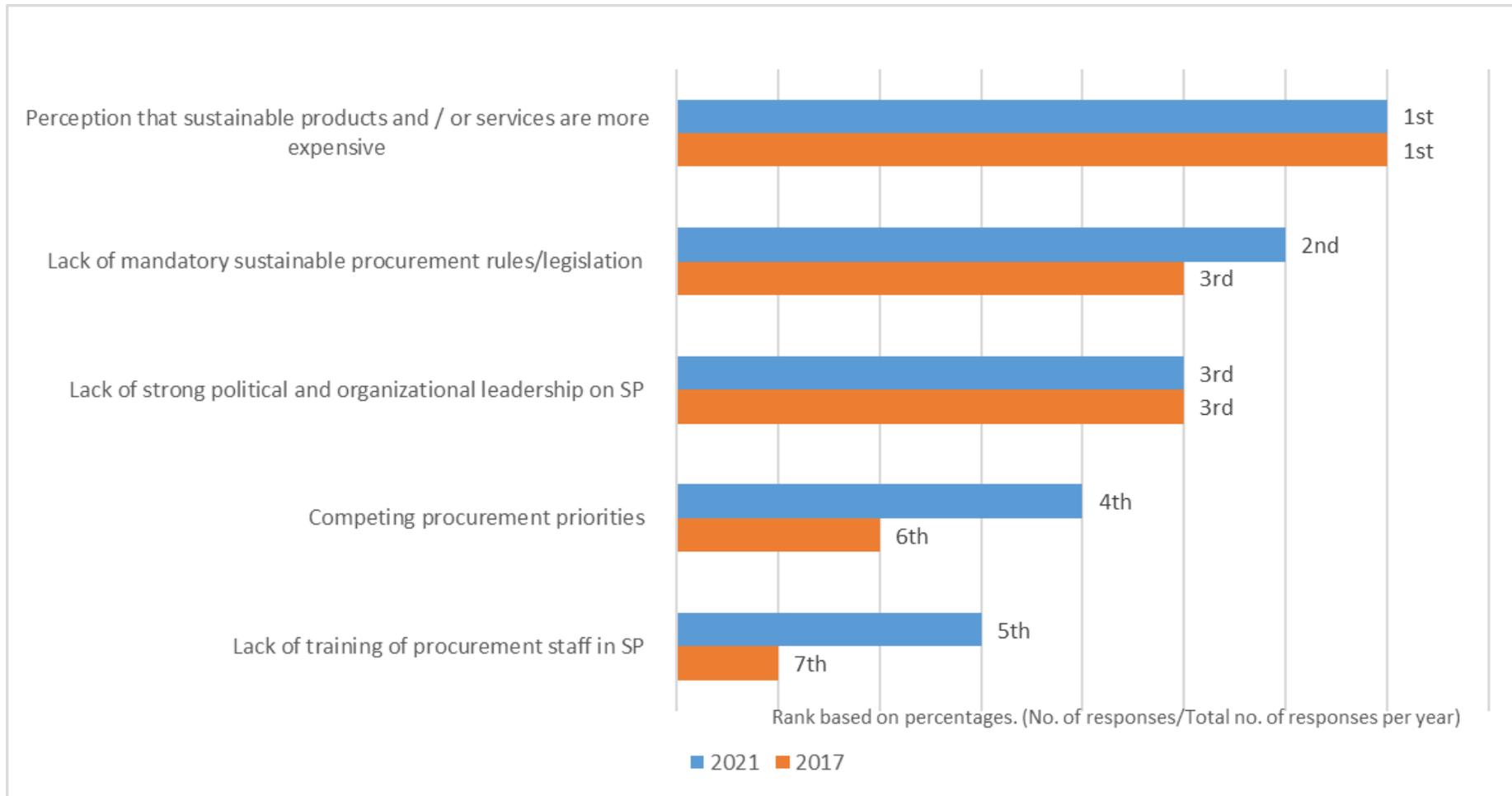
# What type of sustainability issues are addressed by SPP policies? 2016



# Sustainability issues addressed by SPP policies, 2021

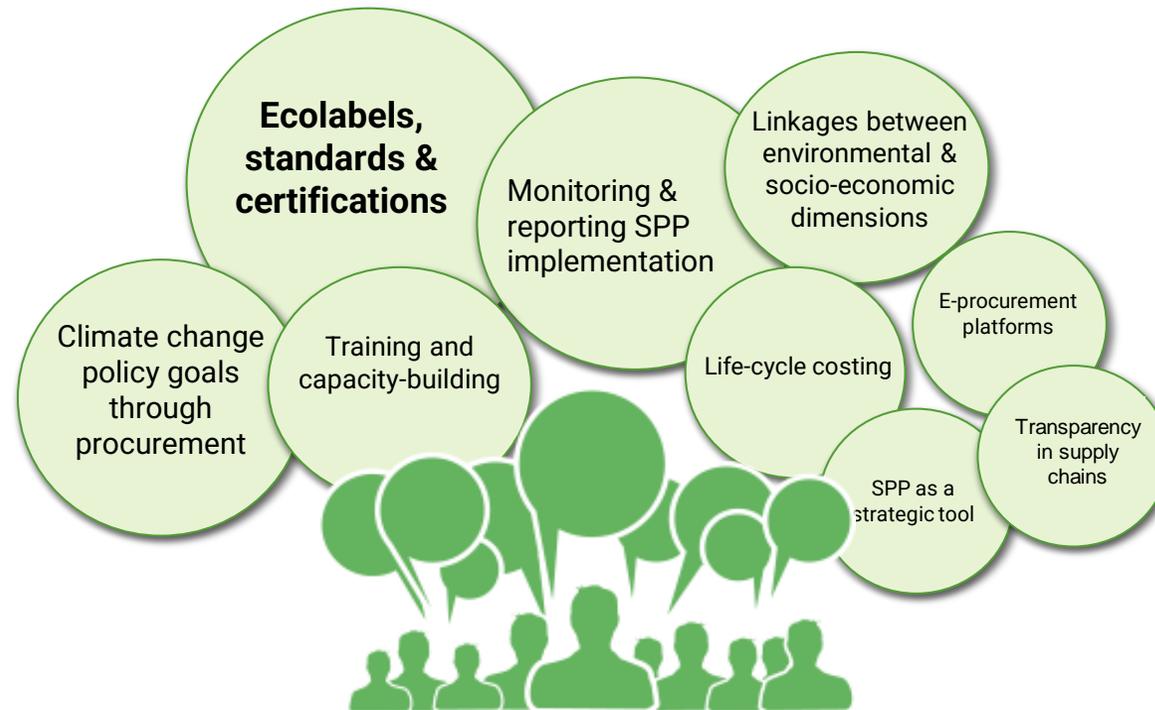


# Strongest barriers to the implementation of SP in survey participants' organisations rankings, 2017 vs. 2021



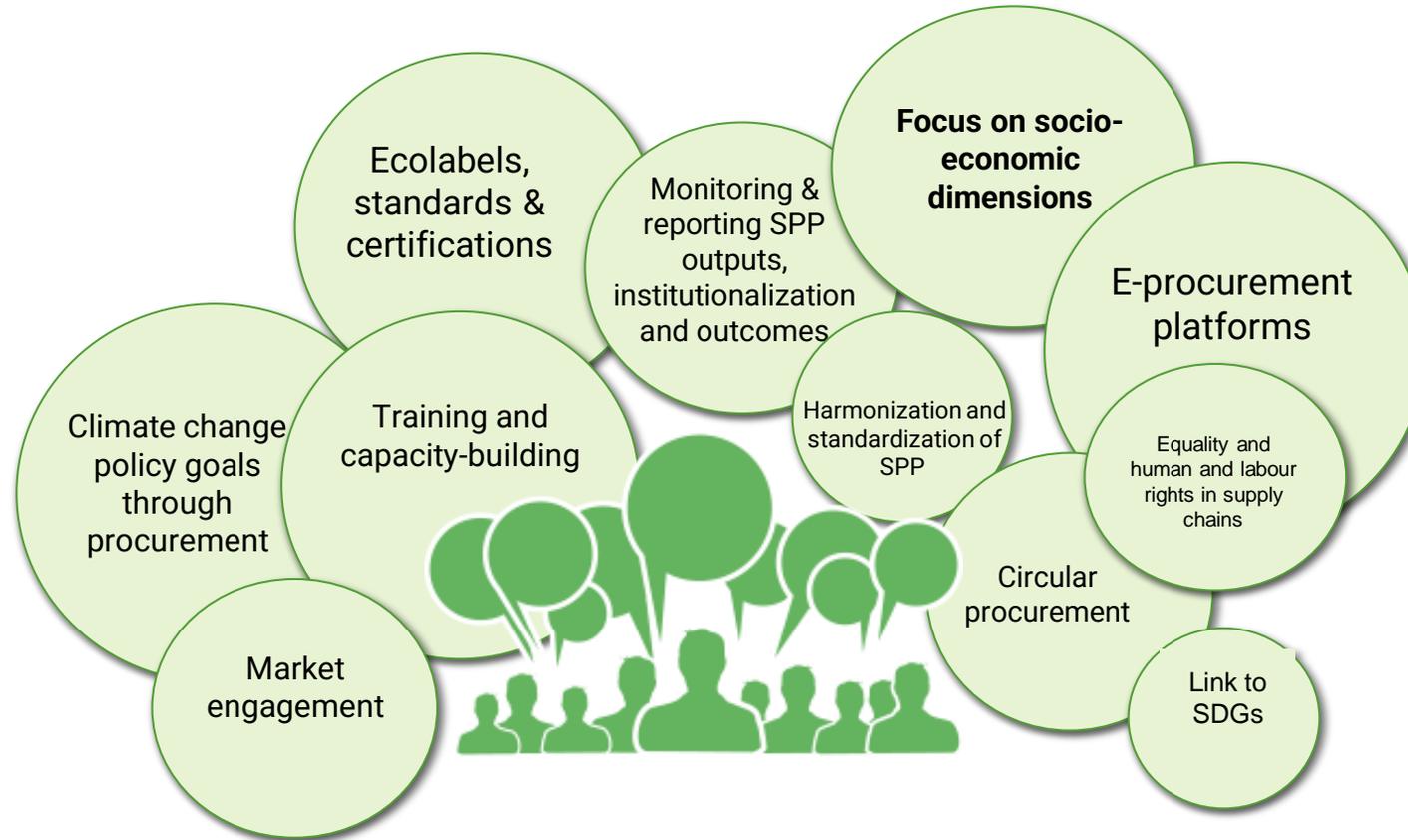
# 2017: Emerging topics, strategies & activities

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# 2021: Emerging topics, strategies & activities

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## II. SDG 12.7.1 data collection outcome

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■ **SDG 12.7:** Promote public procurement practices that are sustainable, in accordance with national policies and priorities

## SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



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## SDG 12

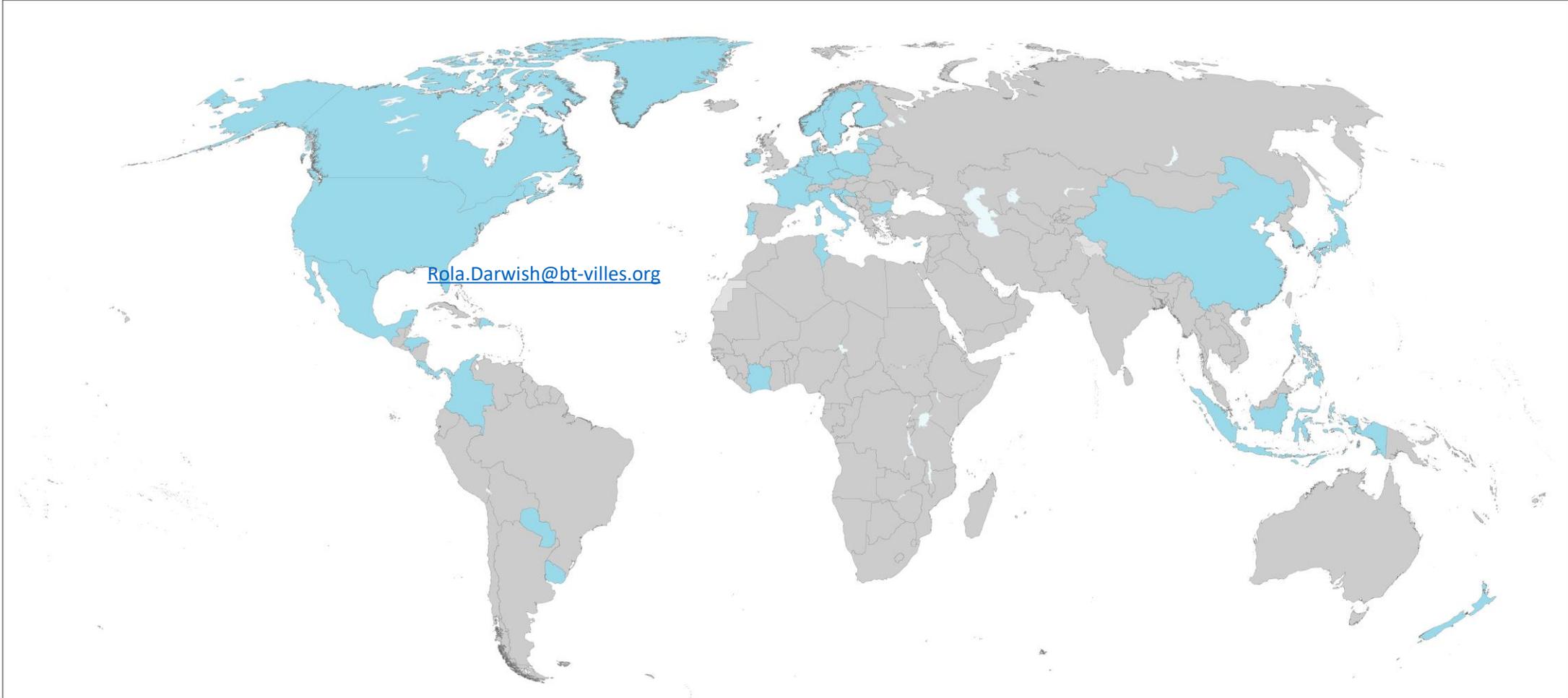
- **Goal 12:** Ensure sustainable consumption and production patterns
- **Target 12.7:** Promote public procurement practices that are sustainable in accordance with national policies and priorities
- **Indicator 12.7.1** Number of countries implementing sustainable public procurement policies and action plans

# 40 submissions received from **national** governments (representing 72% of Global GDP)

TARGET 12-7



PROMOTE  
SUSTAINABLE PUBLIC  
PROCUREMENT  
PRACTICES



# 40 participating national/federal governments in 12.7.1 reporting exercise

## Europe



## Latin America and the Caribbean



## Africa and Western Asia



## Asia and the Pacific

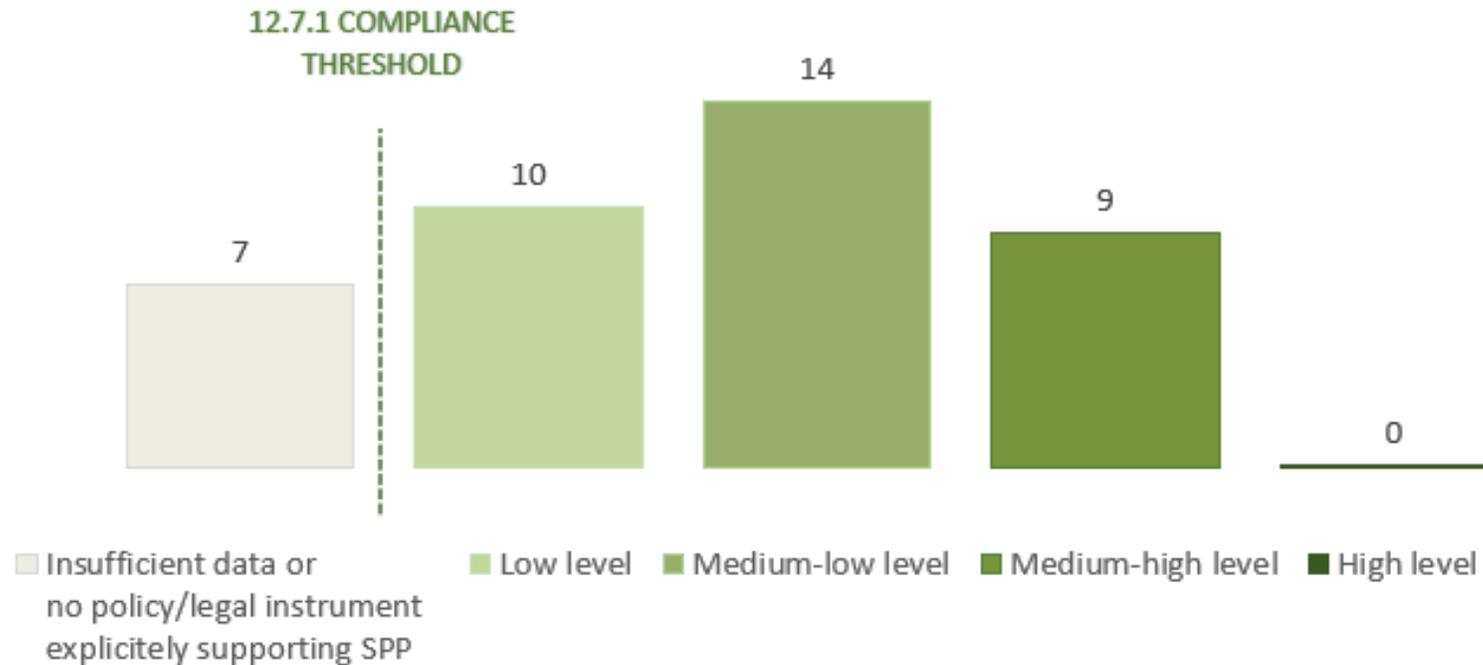


## Northern America



# 2020 SDG 12.7.1. Data collection outcome

## Level of SPP implementation (national/federal government)



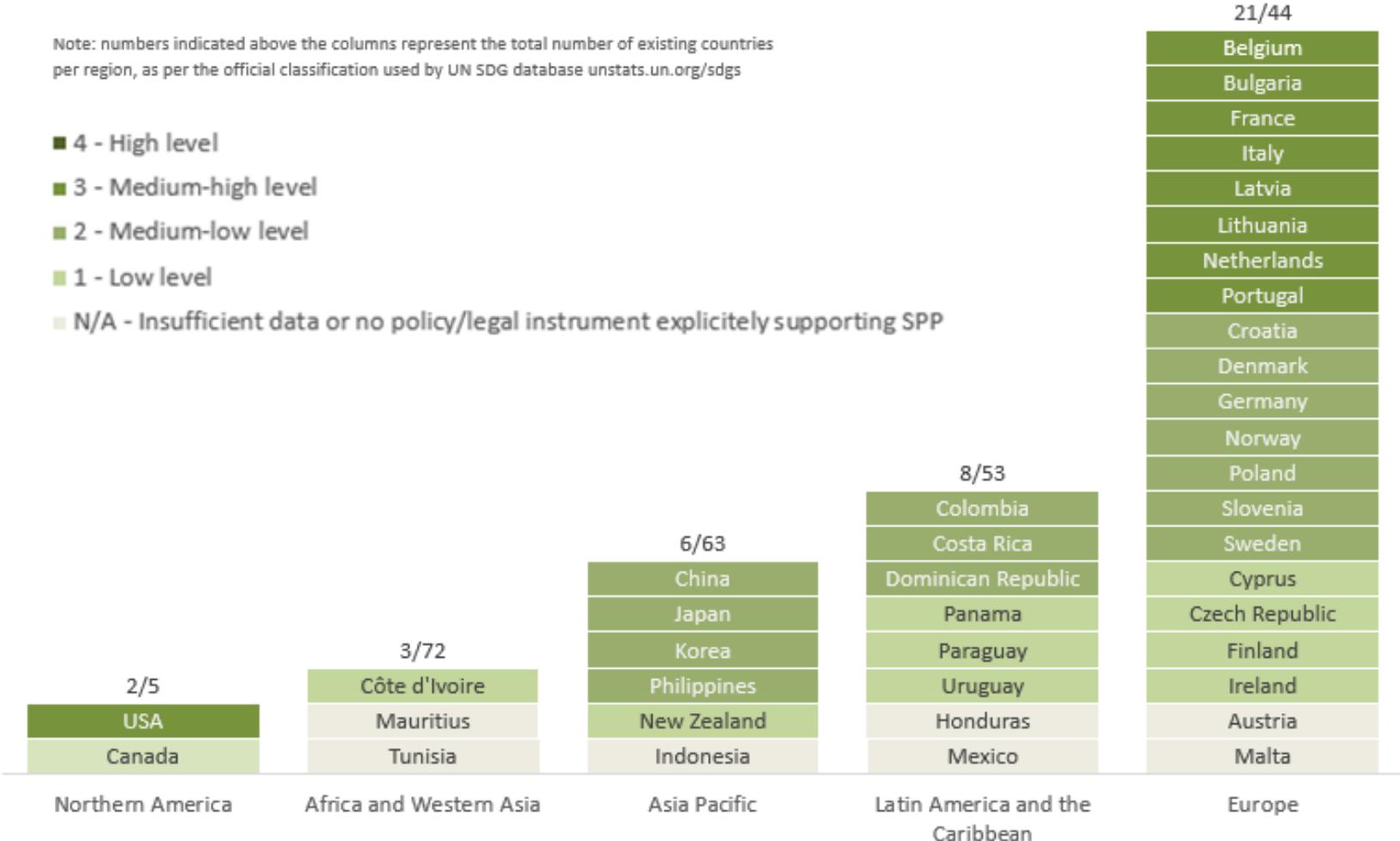
# 20/21 SDG 12.7.1. Data collection outcome

Regional distribution and classification of submissions based on the information and evidence provided, as of December 2020



Note: numbers indicated above the columns represent the total number of existing countries per region, as per the official classification used by UN SDG database [unstats.un.org/sdgs](https://unstats.un.org/sdgs)

- 4 - High level
- 3 - Medium-high level
- 2 - Medium-low level
- 1 - Low level
- N/A - Insufficient data or no policy/legal instrument explicitly supporting SPP

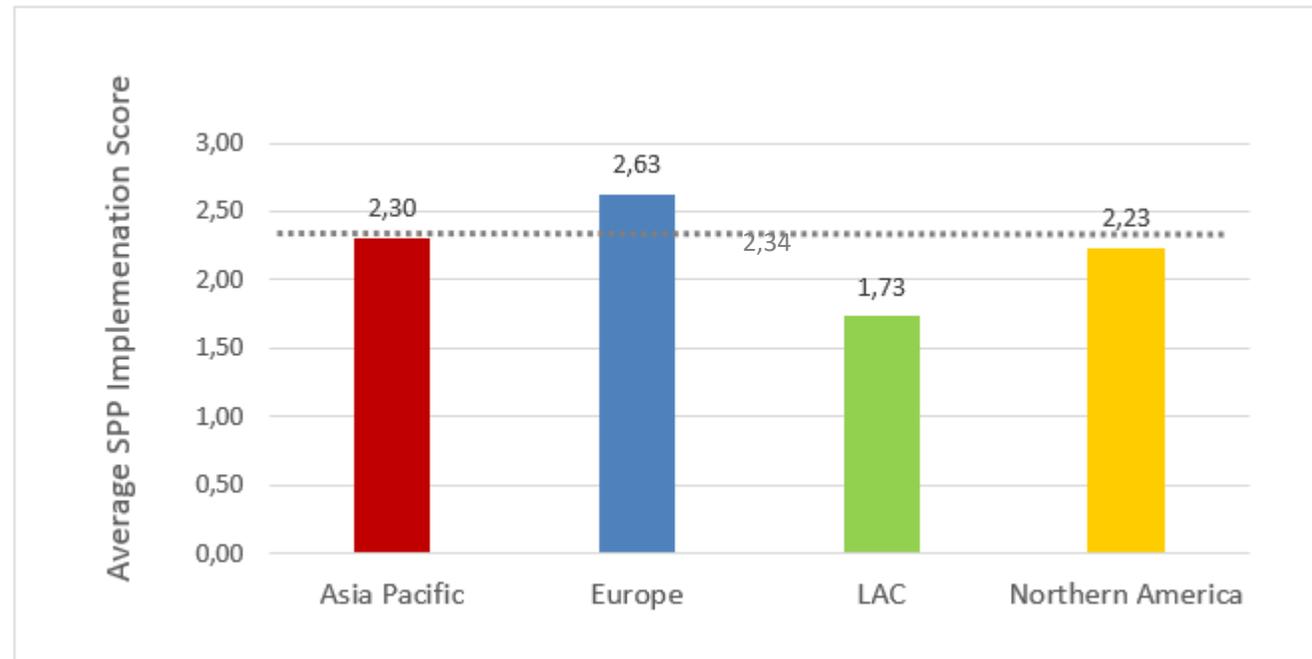


# 2020/2021 Data collection for SDG 12.7.1

## Level of SPP implementation



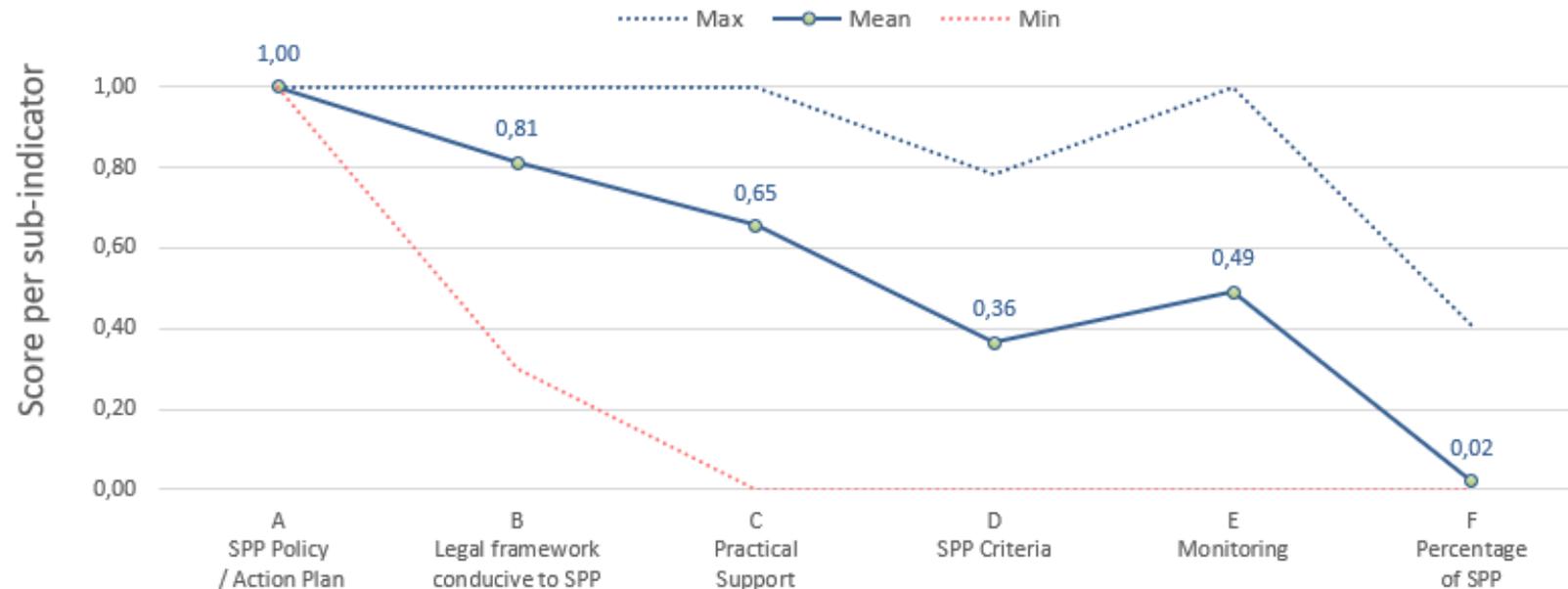
Average SPP Implementation score per region\*



\* Please note that due to the participation of only one country in Africa and Western Asia (Côte d'Ivoire) out of 75 countries in the region, this part of the world is not represented in the regional charts as data of one country cannot be considered as representative of regional trends.

# Overview of governments' performance in each section of the questionnaire

12.7.1. Compliant countries  
Overview of results



- **Good performance** in terms of reaching an **enabling public procurement legal framework** (sub-indicator B) as it is a necessary first step in the implementation of SPP.
- **Medium performance** in terms of **practical support** provided to SPP practitioners (sub-indicator C) and the general **monitoring of SPP** (sub-indicator E).
- **Lower performance:** development of **sustainable procurement criteria** and conduction of a **risk assessment analysis** before the development of those criteria (sub-indicator D), or in the actual **measurement of SPP outcomes/outputs** (sub-indicator F).

Thank you!



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