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# AGM (Sunday, Feb 26, 2023)

0. Administrative Welcome
1. Board Chair Opening Remarks
2. Board Election Chair Report
3. Board Report
4. Member Resolution & Discussions
  - Appointment of Auditors
  - DotAsia Memorandum & Articles of Association (M&A) update
  - CEO Position and Board Composition
5. .Asia Registry Backend Provider Report
6. Financial Report 2021-2022
7. DotAsia Highlights 2022 & Strategic Direction 2023
8. Open Discussions

1830 (Local Time) Joint Dinner with AP\* (Meet at Sofitel Lobby)



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# Board Chair Remarks

Leonid TODOROV



# DotAsia Board Elections 2023

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# Board Elections 2023

- Seats up for election

- 4 seats from Sponsor Member Category
- 1 seat from Co-Sponsor Member Category

- Board members with term ending at AGM 2023

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|------------------------|--------------------|---------------------------|
| • Santanu ACHARYA      | Sponsor Members    | Central & South East Asia |
| • Andi BUDIMANSYAH     | Sponsor Members    | Central & South East Asia |
| • Jose Emmanuel DISINI | Sponsor Members    | Central & South East Asia |
| • Ellen STRICKLAND     | Sponsor Members    | Australasia & Pacific     |
| • Kashif ADEEL         | Co-Sponsor Members | N/A                       |



# Board Elections Procedures (BEP) 2023 Development

## Drafting & Finalization of Elections Procedures

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| • Review and Draft Considered at BGC & Board        | Aug-Dec 2022 |
| • Draft Circulated to AC for feedback               | Nov 2022     |
| • 1 <sup>st</sup> Draft announced (public comments) | Nov 8, 2022  |
| • 2 <sup>nd</sup> Draft announced (public comments) | Dec 5, 2022  |
| • Final BEP 2022 Announced and Posted               | Dec 23, 2022 |

## Notice of Board Elections

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| • 1 <sup>st</sup> Draft announced (public comments) | Nov 8, 2022  |
| • Final Notice Announced and Posted                 | Dec 23, 2022 |



# Board Elections 2023 Schedule

- Nomination Period (4 weeks) Dec 23, 2022 (Fri) – Jan 20, 2023 (Fri)
- Nomination Report sent to Board Jan 25, 2023 (Wed)
- Calling of AGM Feb 3, 2023 (Fri)
- Voting Period (2 weeks) Jan 30, 2023 (Mon) – Feb 13, 2023 (Mon)
- Report at AGM Feb 26, 2023 (Sun)



# Sponsor & Co-Sponsor Vacant Seats

- **Sub-Regions (Sponsor Category): 4 seats vacant**

- In accordance with the geographical diversity requirement specified in Article 33 of the M&A, at least 1 member from each of the 4 Sub-Regions is required

- North East Asia
- Central and Southeast Asia
- Middle East & Western Asia
- Australasia & Pacific
- Already met by continuing board member
- Already met by continuing board member
- Already met by continuing board member
- **At Least one Candidate in Sub-Region to be Elected**

- **Vacant Seats for Co-Sponsor Category: 1 seat vacant**



# Election Chair, Election Committee & 3<sup>rd</sup>-Party Election Team

- Seated Dec 22, 2022
- Election Chair: **Ms. Cheryl Langdon-Orr**
- Election Committee Co-Sponsor Members community representative: to monitor election for seat(s) returned from the Sponsor Member category:  
**Mr. Kuo-Wei Wu** (TWIGF & APrIGF)
- Election Committee Sponsor Members community representative: to monitor election for seat(s) returned from the Co-Sponsor Member category:  
**Mr. Andrew Molivurae** (.vu)
- 3<sup>rd</sup>-Party Election Compliance Administrator: **Ms. Janne Louise Marquez VILLAREAL**
- 3<sup>rd</sup>-Party Scrutineer: **Abacus CPA Limited**



# Abacus CPA



- Third-Party Scrutineer
  - Hong Kong Standard on Related Services (HKSRS) 4400 (Revised) “Engagements to Perform Agreed-upon Procedures” issued by the Hong Kong Institute of Certified Public Accountants (“HKICPA”)

# Nomination Results (Board Elections 2023)

Candidate	Member Category	Nominated By	Seconded By	Candidate Confirmation	Candidate Sub-Region
Nicole T. I. CHAN	Sponsor Member	TWNIC (.TW)	JPRS (.JP)	Accepted	North and East Asia
Kashif ADEEL	Sponsor Member	PH Domain Foundation (.PH)	UZINFOCOM (.UZ)	Accepted	Middle East and Western Asia
Santanu ACHARYA	Sponsor Member	KazNIC (.KZ)	Datacom Co., Ltd. (.MN)	Accepted	Central and South East Asia
Jose Emmanuel DISINI	Sponsor Member	AfgNIC (.AF)	KazNIC (.KZ)	Accepted	Central and South East Asia
Khan Md. Mahfuzus SALAM	Co-Sponsor Member	APNG	APRALO	Accepted	N/A
Tenanoia SIMONA	Sponsor Member	The IUSN Foundation (.NU)	ccTLD-ID (.ID)	Accepted	Australasia and Pacific
Thomas BARRETT	Sponsor Member	PW Registry Corp. (.PW)	JPRS (.JP)	Accepted	Not in Asia Pacific
Akinori MAEMURA	Co-Sponsor Member	APNIC	APTLD	Accepted	N/A
Maureen HILYARD	Sponsor Member	JPRS (.JP)	SGNIC (.SG)	Accepted	Australasia and Pacific
Jordan CARTER	Sponsor Member	auDA (.AU)	TWNIC (.TW)	Accepted	Australasia and Pacific



<https://nominations.board2023.dot.asia/>

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# Voting by Members – Article 40 (g) of DotAsia M&A

“40 (g) The candidate receiving the greatest number of votes in his favour within his category will be declared to be elected to the Board for such category. In case of an equality of votes, the election shall be decided by way of lot.”

- Random selection (drawing of lots) for the case where equality of votes occurs was arranged to be carried out by BigPulse prior to the release of any results to the Election Committee.





# Third-Party Scrutineer Report



## **Procedures and Findings**

We have performed the procedures described below, which were agreed upon with DotAsia Organisation Limited, on monitoring the voting procedures and results.

- 1. We assessed and suggested third-party online voting platform by reviewing the third-party online voting platform on security and integrity**
  - Two trials had been taken from 10<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> of January 2023 on testing the procedures and results of the online voting platform (“BigPulse”), especially focus on first-past-the-post voting with geographic requirement and tie-breaker.
  - System testing has been performed for the followings:-
    - a. Timeline (including test vote open, reminder for voters yet to vote and vote close)
    - b. Roles of the Election Manager (Primary Poll Election Manager acting as “Election Chair”, Election Compliance Admin and Scrutineer)
    - c. Voting validation
    - d. Results validation



# Third-Party Scrutineer Report

2. We obtained the results of the votes cast for the Board election, including in the poll results from BigPulse.

<u>Procedures</u>	<u>Findings</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Email with vote details were sent from BigPulse once voters voted during the polling period from 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023 00:00 UTC to 13<sup>th</sup> February 2023 23:59 UTC.</li><li>Received votes results after Poll closed.</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>No missing email and all email results were matched to the final results provided by BigPulse.</li><li>No irregularities found.</li></ul>

# Third-Party Scrutineer Report

## Sponsor Member Findings

3. We arranged email confirmation from voters and compared the individual details of votes cast included in the summary to the email confirmation received.

<u>Procedures</u>	<u>Findings</u>
<p>a. Send email to voters for confirming their votes. Votes will be counted as valid if voters reply confirmation email in 48 hours.</p> <p>b. Send reminder to voters yet to confirm after 24 hours.</p> <p>c. Acknowledgement of receipt will be sent to voters who have replied the confirmation email.</p> <p>d. Inform Election Committee if there is no reply after 48 hours and follow their recommendation.</p> <p>e. Any special request from voters will be sent to Election Committee for comments and final decision.</p>	<p><b><u>Sponsor Member</u></b></p> <p>23 out of 24 voters participated in this Board Election.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>One voter did not confirm his votes in 48 hours. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>To reduce the risk that the voter has not checked all possible folders such as SPAM, Election Committee sent out email to the voter directly and notify the voter has additional 24 hours to find and respond to Scrutineer's email directly.</li> <li>Scrutineer only provided the email address of the voter to the Election Committee, no voting details were sent during the communication.</li> <li>This voter finally confirmed his votes in 24 hours after the reminder sent by the Election Committee.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

- One voter submitted the appeal to Election Committee during the dispute period.
  - Voter reported no ballot was received. After investigation, there was technical issue on IP blocking.
  - Election Committee confirmed to allow this voter to vote in 24 hours after this technical problem resolved and follow the same confirmation procedure.
  - This voter finally voted and followed the procedure to confirm the votes before the deadline.
- As a result, total 85 valid votes were counted from those 23 voters.

# Third-Party Scrutineer Report

## Co-Sponsor Member Findings

### Procedures

- a. Send email to voters for confirming their votes. Votes will be counted as valid if voters reply confirmation email in 48 hours.
- b. Send reminder to voters yet to confirm after 24 hours.
- c. Acknowledgement of receipt will be sent to voters who have replied the confirmation email.
- d. Inform Election Committee if there is no reply after 48 hours and follow their recommendation.
- e. Any special request from voters will be sent to Election Committee for comments and final decision.

### Co-Sponsor Member

7 out of 8 voters participated in this Board Election.

- One voter did not confirm his vote in 48 hours.
  - Election Committee concluded to follow the same procedure of Sponsor Member poll to allow additional 24 hours for confirmation.
  - This voter finally confirmed his votes in 24 hours after the reminder from Election Committee.
- As a result, total 7 valid votes were counted from those 7 voters.



# Third-Party Scrutineer Report



## RESULTS

Polling of Sponsor Member and Co-Sponsor Member of DotAsia Board Elections 2023 started from 30<sup>th</sup> January 2023 00:00 UTC and ended on 13<sup>th</sup> February 2023 23:59 UTC. There are total 24 and 8 potential voters for polling Sponsor Member and Co-Sponsor Member respectively. Each voter from Sponsor Member group can select up to 4 candidates while Co-Sponsor Member group can select 1 candidate only. 85 votes received from 23 voters in Sponsor Member group and 7 votes received from 7 voters in Co-Sponsor Member group were all counted as valid. The voting details are listed below.

### Sponsor Member

	<u>Voter ID</u>	<u>Vote casted</u>	<u>No. of candidates selected</u>	<u>Valid vote</u>	<u>Valid vote counted</u>
1.	715542				
2.	535331	√	4	√	4
3.	284753	√	4	√	4
4.	508079	√	4	√	4
5.	333472	√	3	√	3
6.	677630	√	4	√	4
7.	194942	√	4	√	4
8.	298878	√	4	√	4
9.	409655	√	4	√	4
10.	364205	√	4	√	4
11.	728030	√	4	√	4
12.	914410	√	4	√	4
13.	120741	√	4	√	4

14.	596290	√	4	√	4
15.	363956	√	4	√	4
16.	514157	√	4	√	4
17.	445652	√	4	√	4
18.	626443	√	1	√	1
19.	564685	√	2	√	2
20.	471325	√	3	√	3
21.	361297	√	4	√	4
22.	904329	√	4	√	4
23.	763055	√	4	√	4
24.	667896	√	4	√	4
Count/Total		23	85	23	85

# Third-Party Scrutineer Report

## Co-Sponsor Member

	<u>Voter ID</u>	<u>Vote casted</u>	<u>No. of candidates selected</u>	<u>Valid vote</u>	<u>Valid vote counted</u>
1.	507940				
2.	771886	√	1	√	1
3.	203697	√	1	√	1
4.	756292	√	1	√	1
5.	517759	√	1	√	1
6.	852554	√	1	√	1
7.	658962	√	1	√	1
8.	871757	√	1	√	1
	Count/Total	7	7	7	7

# Third-Party Scrutineer Report



Except for one appeal reported which was finally resolved, no further compliant, disputes and appeals were reported by the end of voting dispute period, 17<sup>th</sup> February 2023 23:59 UTC. The below results are then be concluded.

## Sponsor Member

<u>Candidate Name</u>	<u>Sub-region</u>	<u>No. of votes</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
Jordan CARTER (Elected)	Australasia and Pacific	12	52.17%
Jose Emmanuel DISINI (Elected)	Central and South East Asia	11	47.83%
Maureen HILYARD (Elected)	Australasia and Pacific	11	47.83%
Nicole T.I. CHAN (Elected)	North and East Asia	11	47.83%
Santanu ACHARYA	Central and South East Asia	11	47.83%
Tenanoia SIMONA	Australasia and Pacific	10	43.48%
Thomas BARRETT	Not in Asia Pacific	10	43.48%
Kashif ADEEL	Middle East and Western Asia	9	39.13%
ABSTAIN	N/A	0	0%

The elected candidate with the highest votes is in “Australasia and Pacific” sub-region. The geographic requirement has been met in this case. There were four candidates with the same votes in the second rank to compete for the three vacant seats. According to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of DotAsia Organisation Limited, clause 40(g), “*In case of an equality of votes, the election shall be decided by way of lot*”, random draw by the voting platform was used to elect the



# Third-Party Scrutineer Report



## Co-Sponsor Member

<u>Candidate Name</u>	<u>Sub-region</u>	<u>No. of votes</u>	<u>Percentage</u>
<b>Akinori MAEMURA (Elected)</b>	N/A	<b>5</b>	<b>71.43%</b>
Khan Md. Mahfuzus SALAM	N/A	1	14.29%
ABSTAIN	N/A	1	14.29%





# Complete Board Elections 2023 Results

- **Elected Board Members:**

- Jordan CARTER
- Nicole T. I. CHAN
- Jose Emmanuel DISINI
- Maureen HILYARD
- Akinori MAEMURA

(serving until AGM 2025)

- Australasia & Pacific
- North and East Asia
- Central and South East Asia
- Australasia & Pacific
- Co-Sponsor Member Seat

- **Other Remaining Board Members:**

- Satish BABU
- Arthur CHANG
- Murad IBRAGIMOV
- Alireza SALEH
- Leonid TODOROV

(serving until AGM 2024)

- Co-Sponsor Member Seat
- North and East Asia
- Central and South East Asia
- Middle East, Asia Minor, Eurasia
- Not in Asia Pacific



# Thank You

- Santanu ACHARYA
  - DotAsia Board Member: 2021 – 2023
- Kashif ADEEL
  - DotAsia Board Member: 2021 – 2023
- Andi BUDIMANSYAH
  - DotAsia Board Member: 2021 – 2023
- Ellen STRICKLAND
  - DotAsia Board Member: 2021 – 2023



# Thanks to Election Committee Members



Election Chair:  
**Cheryl Langdon-Or**  
*Independent*



Election Committee:  
**Kuo-Wei Wu**  
*Co-Sponsor (APrIGF / TWIGF)*



Election Committee:  
**Andrew Molivurae**  
*Sponsor (.VU)*

# Board Report



# Board Governance Committee (BGC)

Updates @ DotAsia AGM 2023 | Murad Ibragimov



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# BGC in 2022 since AGM

- Board Processes Review
  - Board Paper process implemented for governance policy development processes
  - Reviewed organizational and human resource policies
- Additional Legal Support Appointed
  - Legal counsel support (Squire Patton Boggs) for Board & Board Committees
- Board Governance Policy Development
  - BGC-004: Board Elections Procedures (BEP) – <https://dot.asia/BGC-004/>
    - Withdrawal of Candidate during voting period
  - BGC-005: Appointment of Directors to Subsidiaries – <https://dot.asia/BGC-005/>
  - BGC-006: Board Resolution Process
  - BGC-007: CEO Succession Planning (work in progress)



## Chief Executive Officer Position

### The Background

DotAsia Organisation (“DotAsia”) is a not-for-profit, community membership-based organization headquartered in Hong Kong. We are the Registry Operator for the .Asia top-level-domain (TLD) – the designated web address for Asia and Asian communities worldwide.

DotAsia’s Vision is to promote a globally visible domain that embodies the successful, cooperative atmosphere established within the Pan-Asia and Asia-Pacific Internet community to accelerate the overall growth of the region.

DotAsia’s mission is to sponsor, establish and operate a regional Internet namespace with global recognition and regional significance, dedicated to the needs of the Pan-Asia and Asia-Pacific Internet community; to operate a viable not-for-profit initiative that is a technically advanced, world-class TLD registry for the Pan-Asia and Asia-Pacific community; and to reinvest surpluses in socio-technological advancement initiatives relevant to the Pan-Asia and Asia-Pacific Internet community.

DotAsia’s commitment to transparency, accountability and success implies a review of the performance and tenure of the CEO from time to time. Going forward, as a separate step, we invite the incumbent CEO and experienced candidates who are interested in managing DotAsia as the CEO to submit an application for our consideration.

The right candidate must be ready to set a course for the company’s strategy; provide inspired leadership to the team; shape and leverage a great corporate governance culture, and champion and promote a great working relationship with our Membership and the regional and global stakeholders engaged in the Internet Governance processes.

### Job Description

#### Responsibilities:

1. Provide inspired and strong leadership among company, and make high-level decisions about its strategy;
2. Report to the Board of Directors and keep the Board abreast of corporate, community and social-responsibility initiatives and projects

# Amendments to DotAsia Articles (Work in Progress)

- Updating DotAsia M&A (Memorandum & Articles of Association) to DotAsia AA (Articles of Association) based on updated Companies Ordinance
  - HK Companies Ordinance updated in 2014
- Board Elections clarifications on definition of Nomination Report (M&A 40(b))
  - Based on legal advice received (and Special Advisory issued: Jan 2021)
- Considerations for formally including Observer members on the Board
- Actions requiring “major majority” decision of Board
  - Definition of threshold (previously undefined, used 75% in practice proposal to update to  $\frac{2}{3}$  of Directors present)
  - 1. Amendment of Articles; 2. Removal of CEO; and, 3. Removal of AC member
- CEO Position as a Board Director
  - CEO currently serving as a full Board Director proposal for CEO to be a Director without voting rights





# Board Community-Projects Committee (BCC)

Updates @ DotAsia AGM 2023 | Ellen Strickland



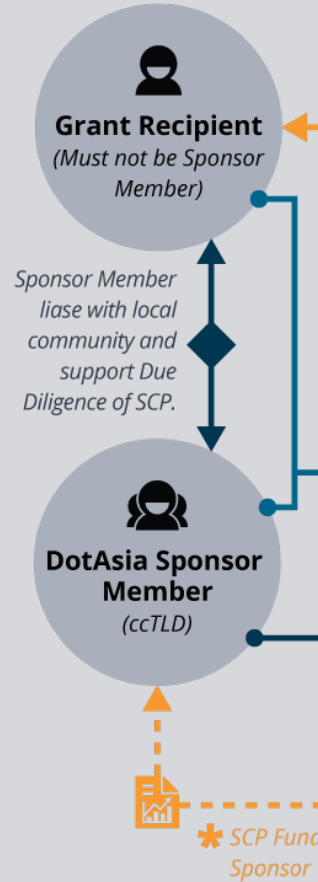
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# BCC in 2022 since AGM

- Sponsor Community Project (SCP) Development
  - Infographics to explain SCP process added
  - Webinar organized and video posted
  - SCP Application for: BKNIX Peering Forum & ThaiNOG Day (through .TH)
- Scorecard and Community Project Deep Dives
  - Introduction of Quarterly DotAsia Community Projects Scorecard
  - Engagement with Board Directors on more details of community works
- Board Community Engagement Support (BFC-003)
  - Maintenance of Known Aligned Community Events (KACEs)
- Social Impact Assessment (SIA) Reporting
  - Continuing SIA framework since 2019 (3 year's data now available)
  - Reports posted on DotAsia website

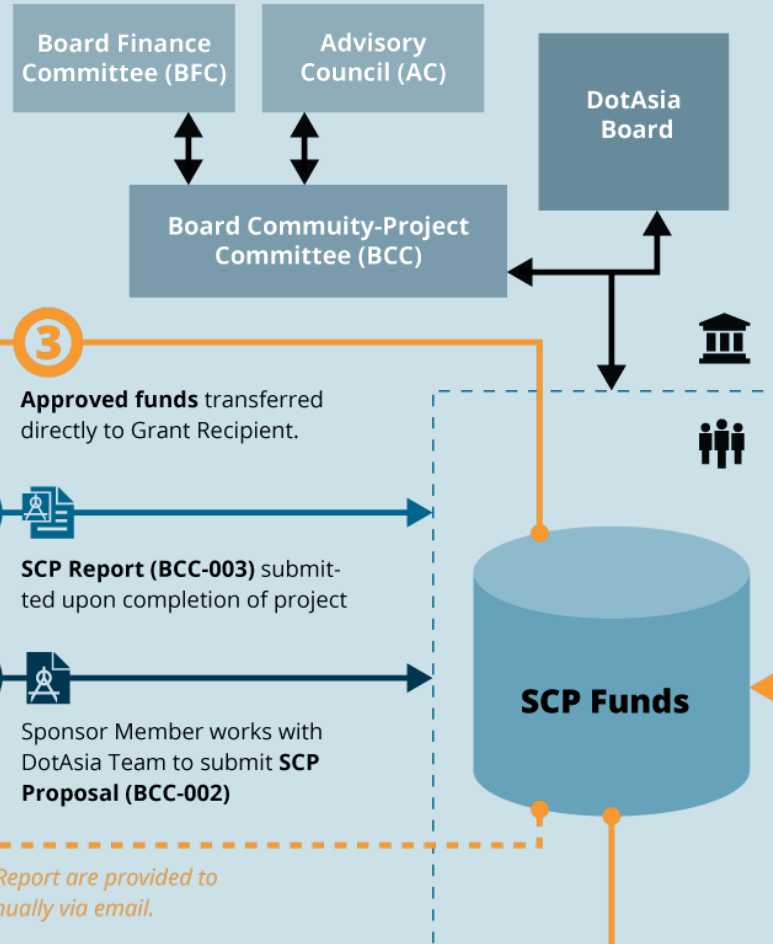


## SCP Application & Reporting



## SCP Proposal Evaluation

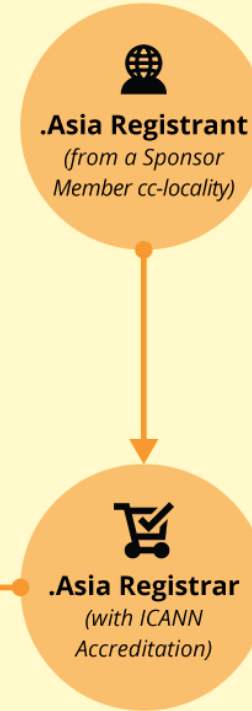
**2 Evaluation Process** shepherded through the BCC, circulated to other components of the governance bodies (BFC and AC), and approved by the Board.



\* SCP Funds Allocation Report are provided to Sponsor Members annually via email.

## SCP Funds Accrual

SCP Funds are accrued for each regular .Asia domain registration and renewal for a corresponding DotAsia Sponsor Member cc-locality.



## SCP Funds Expiration

SCP Funds expire after 4 years, and are allotted to support other Community Projects at DotAsia.



## Webinar - DotAsia Sponsor Community Project (SCP) Funds

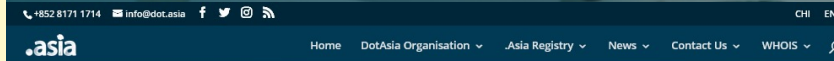
**Event Info:** January 10, 2023 (Tue)

**Time:** 04:00 UTC (30 minutes)

**Speaker:** Edmon Chung, CEO for DotAsia Organisation

In this webinar, DotAsia's CEO Edmon Chung will tell you about the DotAsia Sponsor Community Project (SCP) Funds, explain who may be eligible and how Sponsor Members of DotAsia can help initiatives that promote Internet development within their cc-locality to apply for the SCP Funds. Join us on January 10, 2023 (Tue) at 04:00 UTC to learn more.

[Watch Replay](#)



### SCP Program Background

- Dedicated funds to support community development
- Organized through DotAsia Sponsor Members (ccTLDs in Asia Pacific)
  - DotAsia relies on Sponsor Members to vet organizers & projects
  - Project should align with the vision & mission of DotAsia (BCC-001)
- Funds allocated from registered .Asia domains in particular cc-locality
  - Not all cc-localities have large volume of registration
  - Funds are not allocated to Sponsor Members
  - Unused funds are used to support other community projects
- SCP is only one of the many ways DotAsia work with Members and the Asia Pacific Internet community

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# BFC-003: KACEs

- BFC-003: Board Director travel support to serve as DotAsia Ambassadors to Community Events

- **4 Categories:**

1. ICANN and ICANN Organized the Meetings in Asia Pacific
2. ICANN Community Events in Asia Pacific
3. IGF, Regional IGFs & School of Internet Governance (SIGs in Asia Pacific)
4. Internet Community Events in Asia Pacific



DotAsia Board / Governance / Policy Document:				Doc ID:	BFC-003
Board Community Engagement Support					
Current Version:	<a href="https://dot.asia/BFC-003">https://dot.asia/BFC-003</a>				
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This document describes a framework for providing travel support to DotAsia Board members for attending relevant conferences and events to enhance community engagement and in furthering DotAsia’s mission and vision.

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# DotAsia SIA Framework 2020-2022

- Framework developed based on DotAsia vision and mission (from 2019)
- Reports 2020, 2021 & 2022 to be posted
- Reaching Goals



Project:	NAME	Framework Versions:	Status:	Date:	
		Report Version:	Status:	Date:	
Project Goals (What is the long term change you see as DotAsia's Goal/Outcome for the Project/Program?):					
	DotAsia Community Goal/Outcome		.Asia Registry Goal/Outcome		
Theory of Change (ToC: SMART Model):					
Specific:	What Community Need will this Project/Program solve?	How will this Project/Program Enhance the .Asia Domain?			
Measurable: Goal Achieved or Not	How will we know if the Goal/Outcome is achieved?	How will we know that the .Asia Domain is enhanced?			
Achievable: Challenging but Realistic	Is DotAsia the right organization to drive this?	Are Goals/Outcomes aligned?			
Relevant: Pertinent to DotAsia's Vision & Mission (included in Vision & Mission Considerations below)					
Time-Bound: Specific & Chronological	What is the timeline?	Are timelines for Community & .Asia Registry Goals aligned?			
Vision & Mission Considerations (Relevance)					
Individual	Social	Community	Organizational	Economics	
Individual	Social	Community	Organization	Economics	.Asia

Project name, date and versioning

Duo-Goal Design: Community + .Asia

**SMART Model:**  
Specific  
Measurable  
Achievable  
Relevant  
Time-based

**DotAsia Core Values:**  
Relevance to Vision & Mission

**DotAsia Core Competence**

**5 + 1 Dimension (HKCSS SIA):**

1. Individual
  2. Social
  3. Community
  4. Organizational
  5. Economics
- + .Asia registry



## DotAsia Social Impact Assessment (SIA) Framework

The DotAsia SIA Framework is developed based around the DotAsia [Vision and Mission](#), which is operationalized in the [DotAsia Core Values & Core Competence Framework \(BCC-001\)](#). Starting in 2019 through 2020, the DotAsia team working with the Board Community Project Committee (BCC) reviewed the core community projects and contributions, and studied different Social Impact Assessment (SIA) methodologies, including particularly the [Actionable Impact Management \(AIM\)](#) approach developed in collaboration with the University of Melbourne's Asia Pacific Social Impact Centre, Social Return on Investment (SROI) approaches, and the [Hong Kong Council of Social Services \(HKCSS\) SIA](#)

Year	Community Project	SIA Report	Highlights
2020	Asia Pacific Regional Internet Governance Forum (APrIGF)		
2020	NetMission.Asia		
2021	Asia Pacific Regional Internet Governance Forum (APrIGF)		
2021	NetMission.Asia		
2022	Asia Pacific Regional Internet Governance Forum (APrIGF)		
2022	NetMission.Asia		

# Board Finance Committee (BFC)

Updates @ DotAsia AGM 2023 | Kashif Adeel



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# BFC in 2022 since AGM

- Detailed Budget Review
  - Cost Management
  - Adjusted Income Development Targets
- Conducted Financials Workshop for Board (delivered by Fusion)
- Monthly Financials Enhanced
  - Added year-to-month and month-to-month comparisons
- Board Community Engagement Support (BFC-003)
- BFC Chair Oversight Enhancements

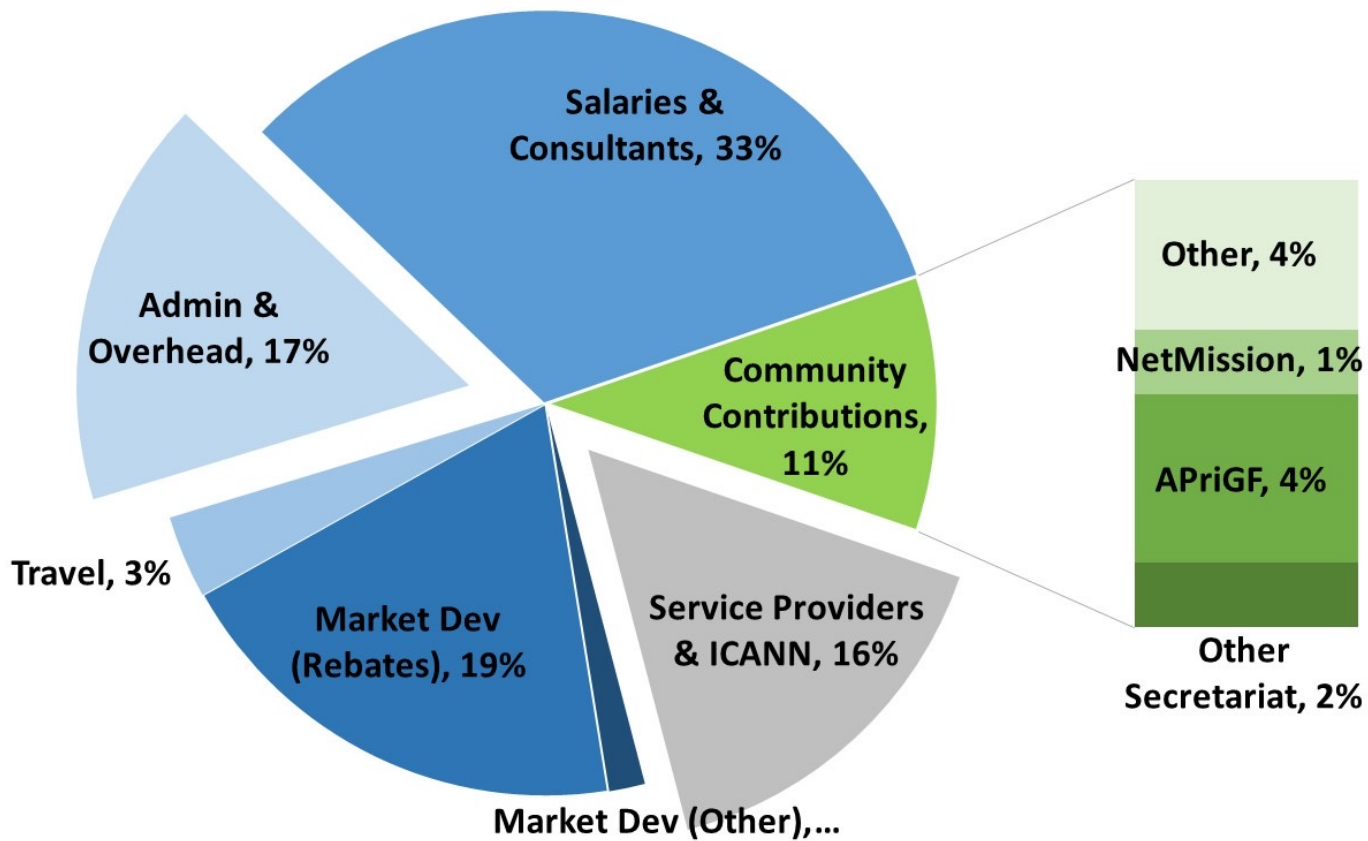




# BFC-003: Board Community Engagement Support

- Board Travel support to serve as DotAsia Ambassadors to Community Events
  - Bridges DotAsia Board engagement with community engagement
  - Enhances DotAsia presence in community events
- Accountability structure
  - Board Director Commitment Requirements
  - Limitations on funding support
  - Requirements for reporting for enhanced Board knowledge



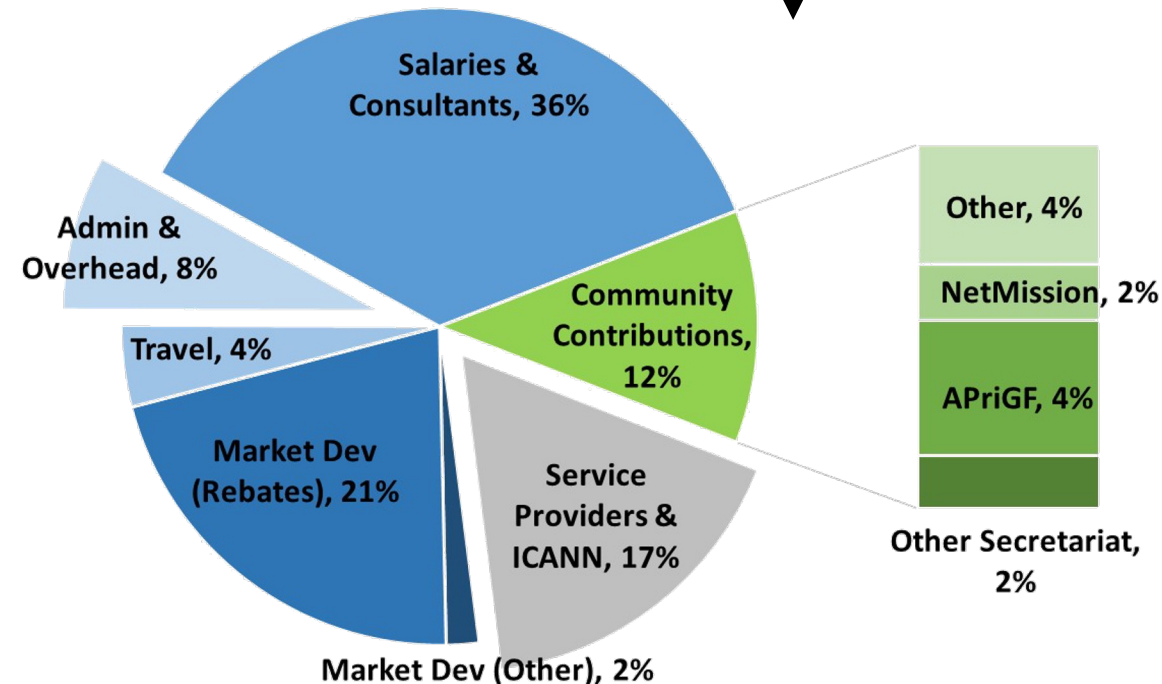


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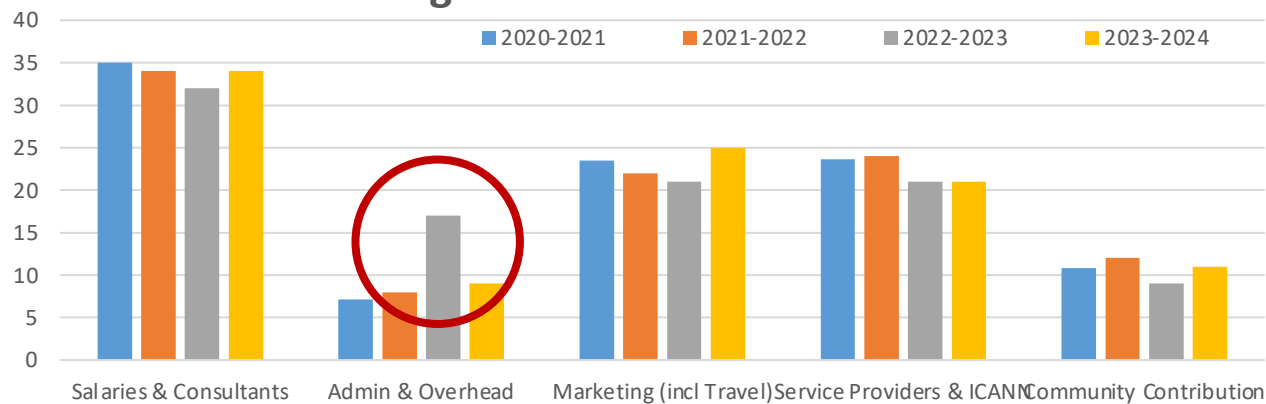
- Larger allocation for Admin costs for legal requirements
  - Deficit Budget
- Aim to settle disputes in 2022

## 2023-2024

- Returning to Balanced Budget
- Administrative costs projection return to usual

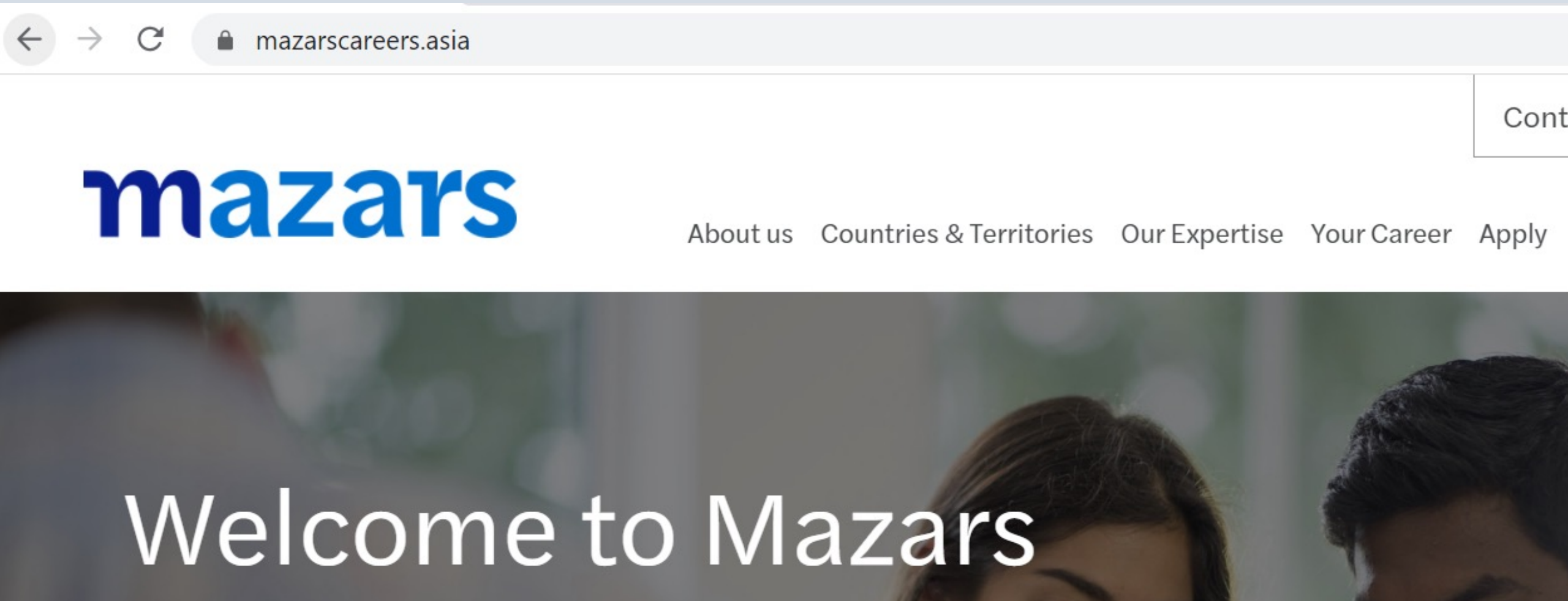


**Budget Allocation 2020-2024**



# Member Resolution

- Continue to Appoint Mazars as Auditors for DotAsia



# Member Discussion:

## Amendments to DotAsia Articles of Association

- Updating DotAsia M&A (Memorandum & Articles of Association) to DotAsia AA (Articles of Association) based on updated Companies Ordinance
  - HK Companies Ordinance updated in 2014
- Board Elections clarifications on definition of Nomination Report (M&A 40(b))
  - Based on legal advice received (and Special Advisory issued: Jan 2021)
- Considerations for formally including Observer members on the Board
- Actions requiring “major majority” decision of Board
  - Definition of threshold (previously undefined, used 75% in practice proposal to update to  $\frac{2}{3}$  of Directors present)
  - 1. Amendment of Articles; 2. Removal of CEO; and, 3. Removal of AC member
- CEO Position as a Board Director
  - CEO currently serving as a full Board Director proposal for CEO to be a Director without voting rights



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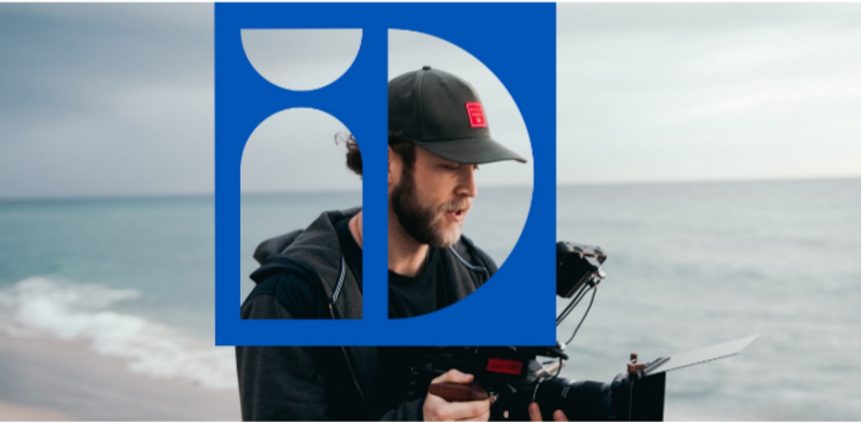
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# .ASIA AGM 2023

February 2023

Joseph Yee <jyee@identity.digital>

# Agenda

- 2022 Overview
- Exceeding ICANN SLA
- Registrar Overview
- Marketing Promotions
- Security and Anti-abuse update
- Plans for 2023



# 2022 Overview



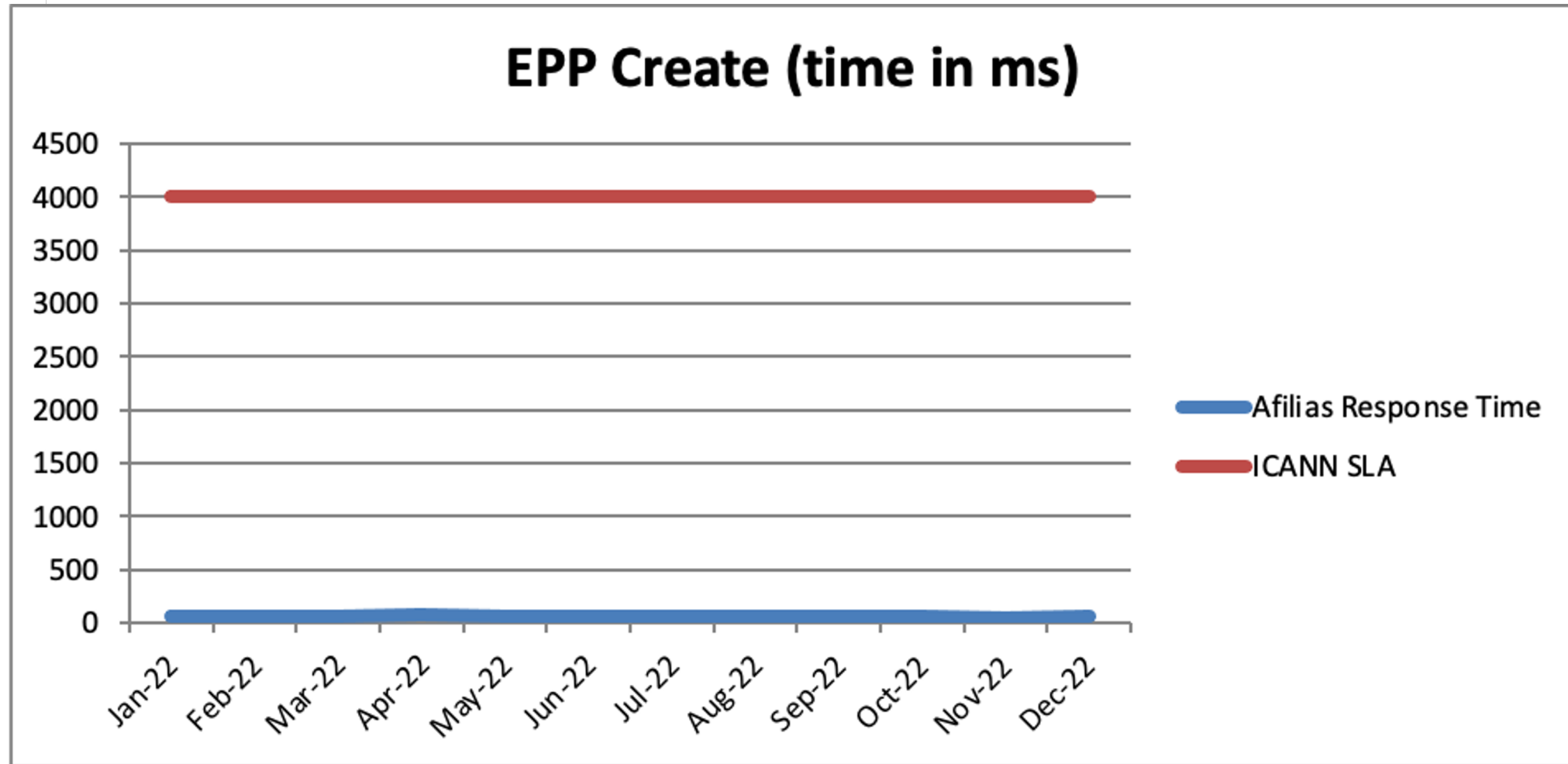
- ▶ Celebrating 15 years of .asia!
- ▶ Enhance .asia abuse mitigation processes
  - Leverage CleanDNS tools + Identity Digital expertise to provide enhanced protection for .asia domains
  - New tools provide centralized tracking and communication to registrars
- ▶ Update registrars process for MIIT Verification Compliance
  - Partnership with Teleinfo to provide RNV and DNV services for .asia domains in China
  - Smooth integration process as registrars
- ▶ Conduct Audit and Renew MIIT License
  - Successfully completed two scheduled MIIT audit activities for .asia in 2021
  - License was officially renewed in early Jan 2023
- ▶ The launch of .KiDS
  - Sunrise in August, General Availability in Nov
  - DUM: 2676 by end of 2022
  - Partnership with CleanDNS for anti-abuse and content scanning



# System Update



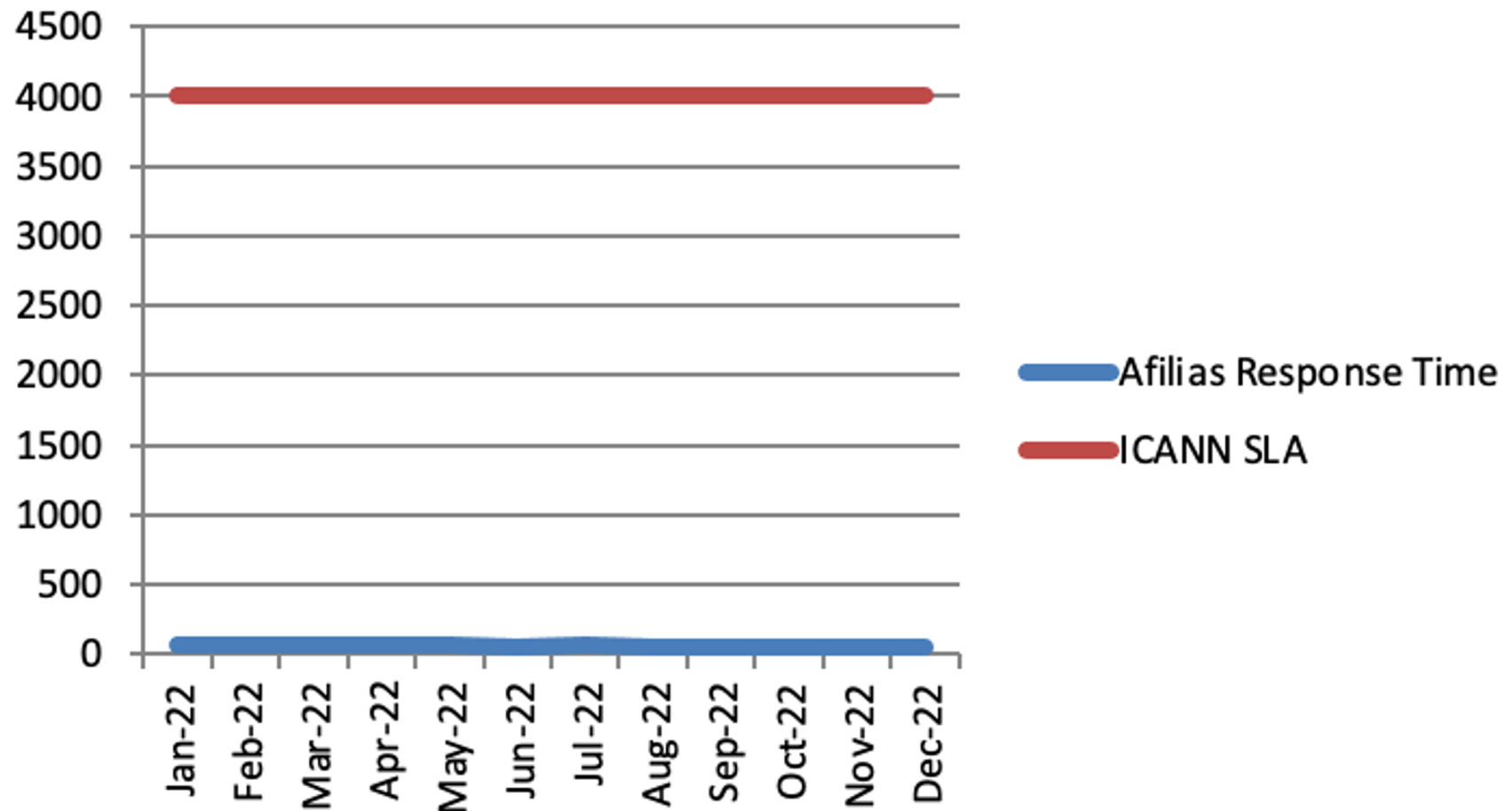
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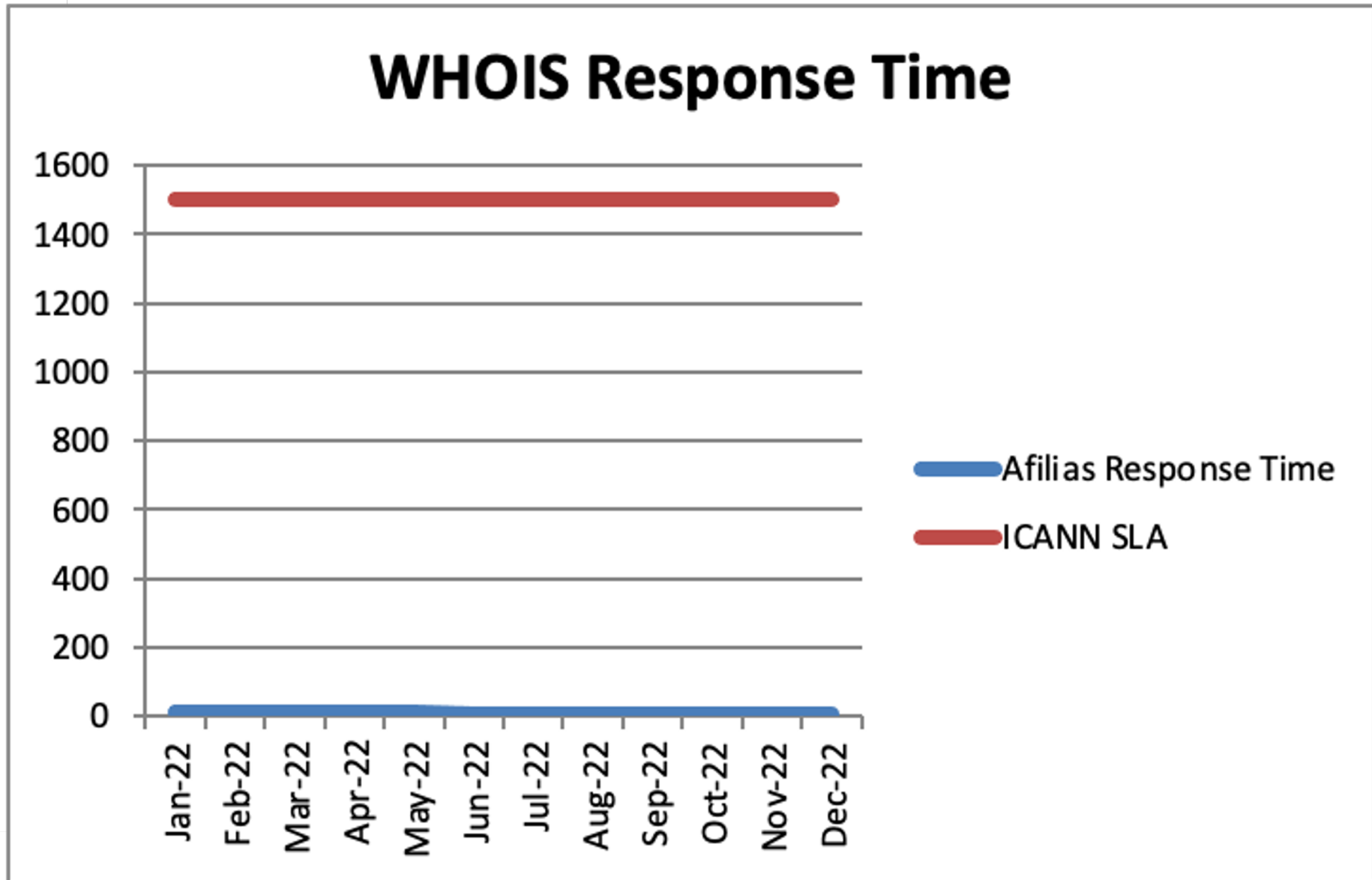
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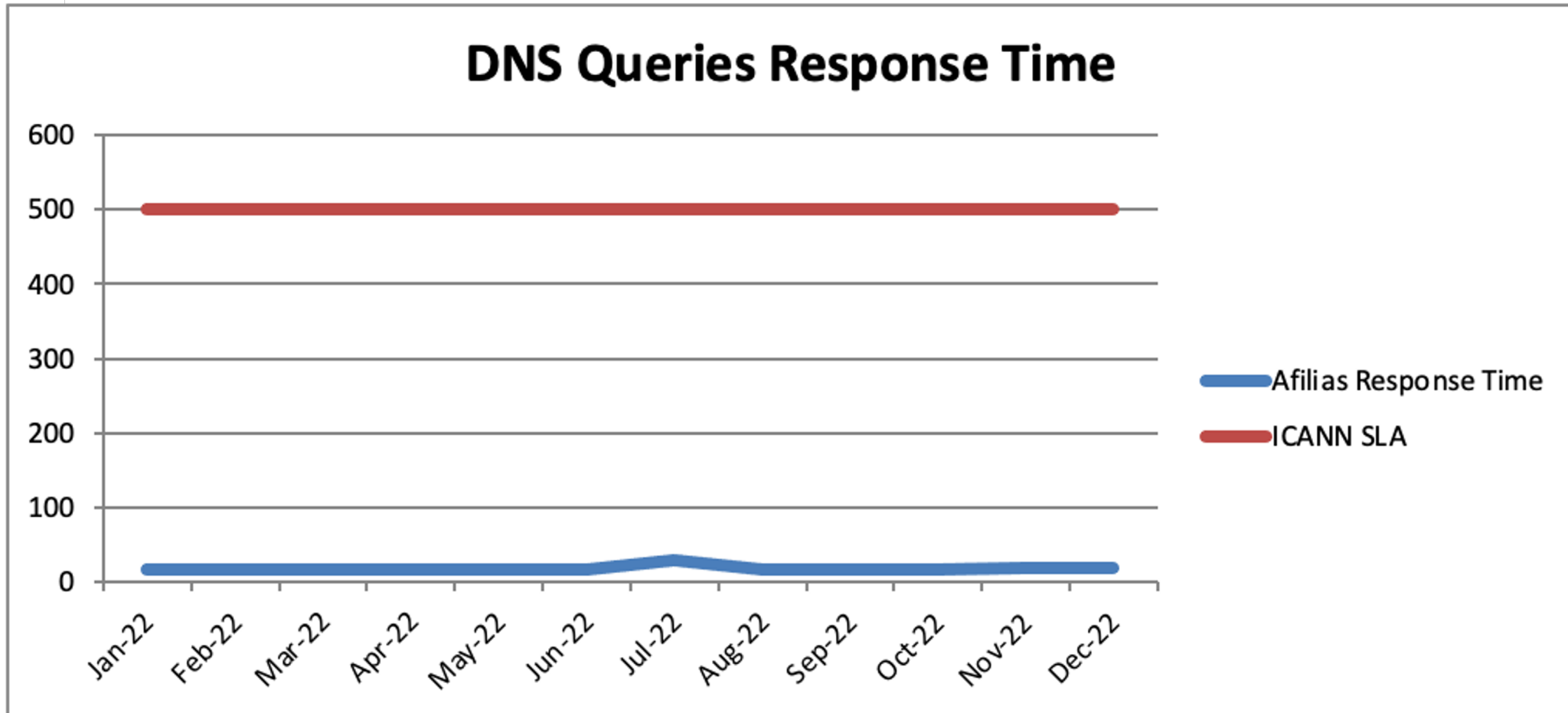
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## ICANN SLA Update (3 of 4) : WHOIS Response Time



## ICANN SLA Update (4 of 4) : DNS Response Time

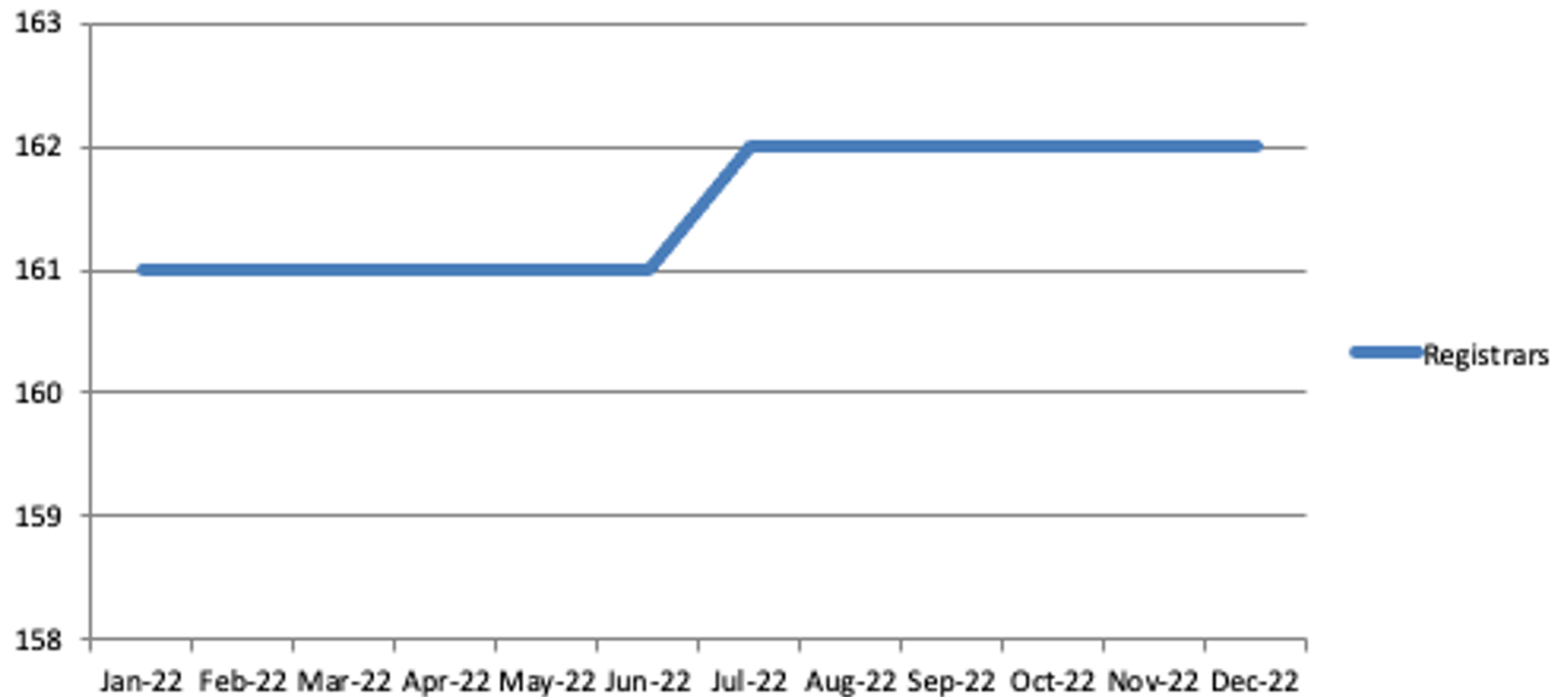




## 2022 Registrar Review



### ASIA Registrars (with DUM or transactions) in Production 2022





# Marketing Promo

Promotion highlight in 2022

Registrar	Creates during promotion	Impact on DUM
GoDaddy	9462 creates	3 years in a row with over 9k creates Top registrar by DUM
GMO	8738 creates	Increase over 1k creates in 2021 (6728) 2nd highest registrar by DUM
Alibaba Cloud	9915 creates	DUM increase from 6771 to 11247 from year 2021 to year 2022, a 66% increase

# Anti-abuse & Security



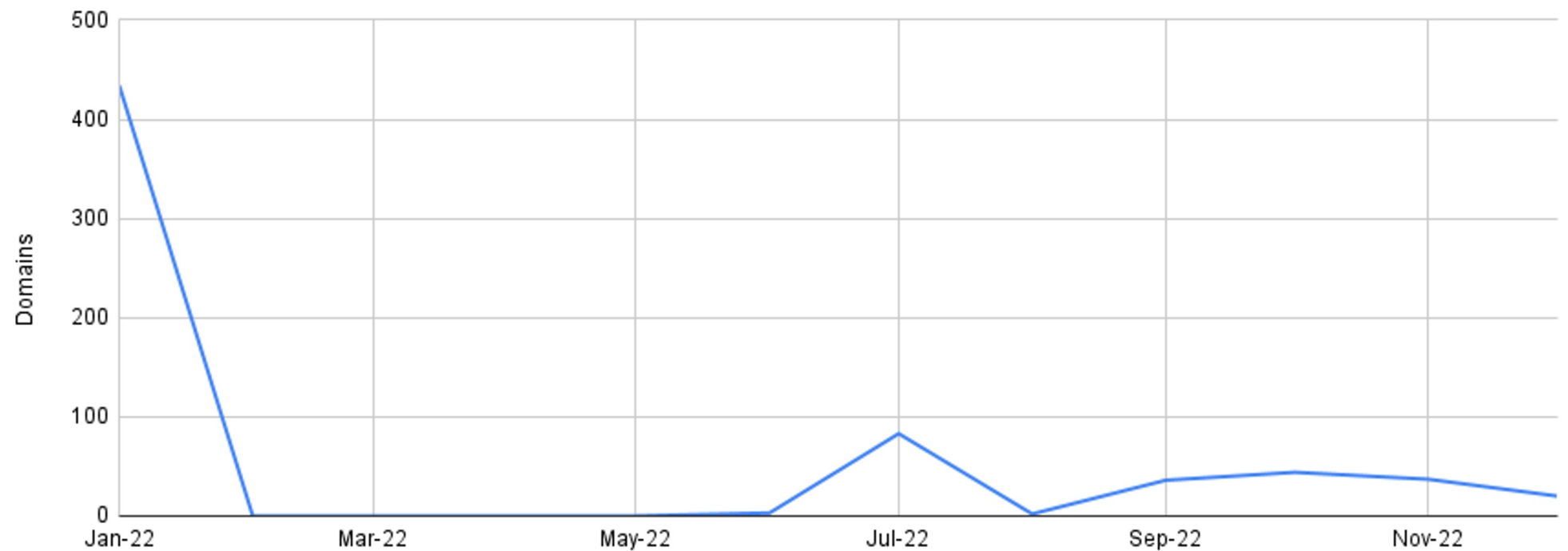
# Anti-Abuse Highlight

- Continued to work with dotAsia, law enforcement, major corporations, threat intelligence communities to identify and suspends names for bad behaviour
- In 2H of 2022, Identity Digital enhanced the tracking and take down tool with CleanDNS.
- Some significant volume increases during Q2, mainly due to early year spam and related activity from GMO. The rest of the year the domains being monitored were having little to no activity.
  - Most activities in 2H were phishing of Steam and related video game services
  - Spam: 434 domains, Phishing: 222 domains, Malware: 3 domains



# Anti-Abuse Highlight

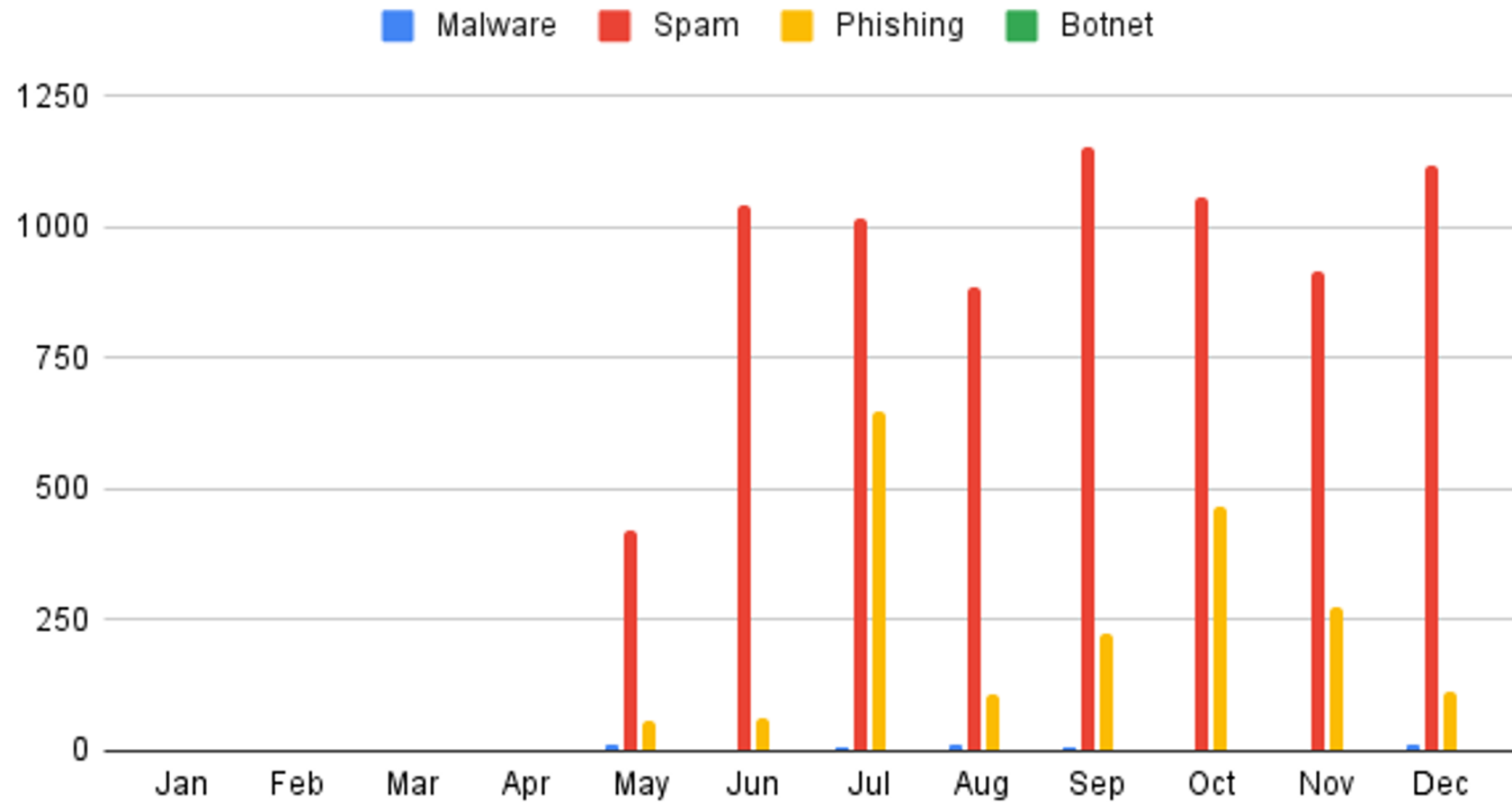
Abusive Domains Mitigated Over 2022



# Anti-Abuse Highlight



Threat Reports by Type Over 12 Months - 2022





# General Security Trend - 2023

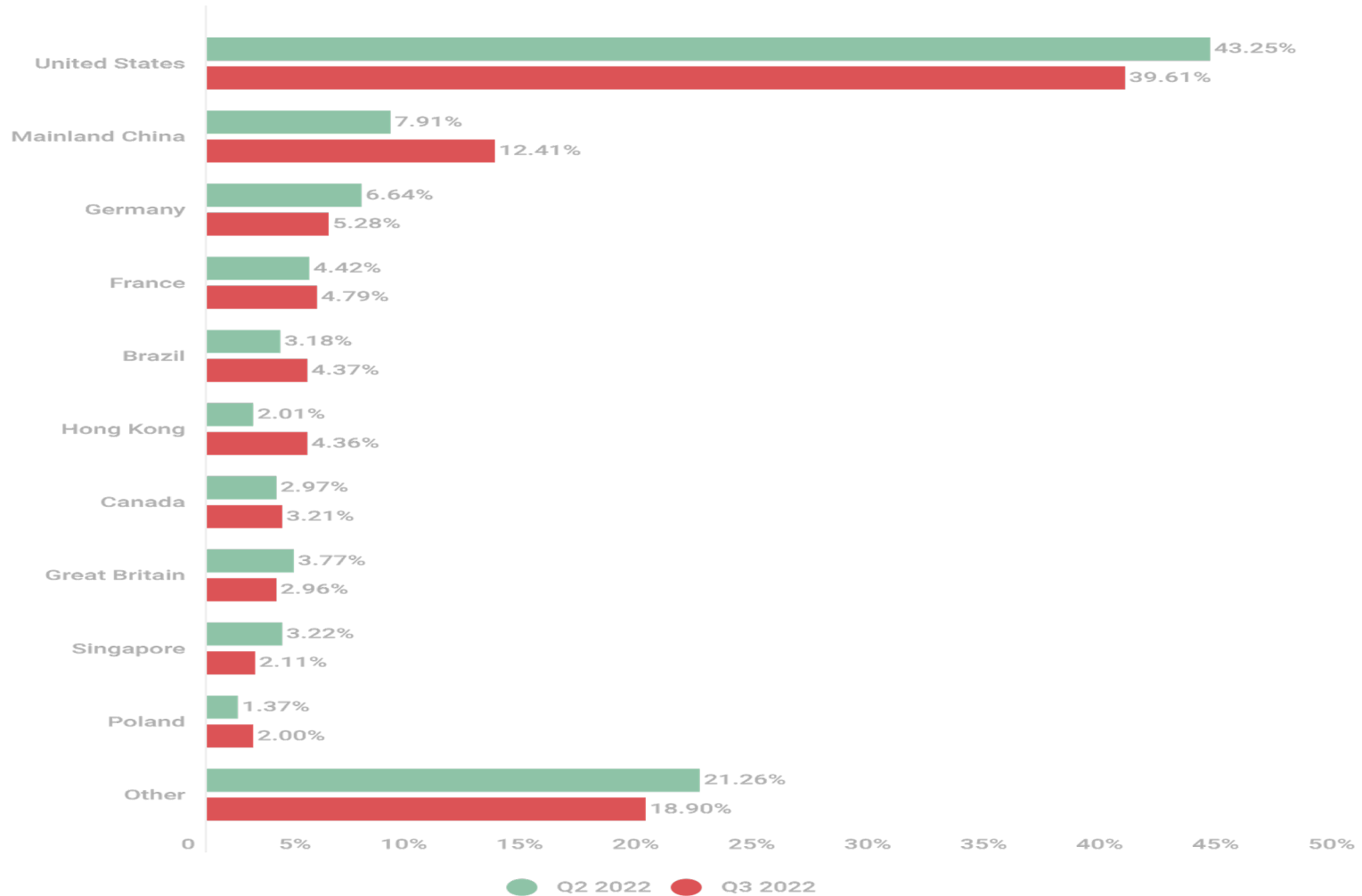
- Domain abuse will continue in 2023.
  - Industry (ie. APWG quarterly report) noticed significant increase of phishing in 2022, and expect the trend will continue
  - Botnet command and control domains decreases in mid 2022 but only after several quarters of increases
- Expect upcoming attacks with assistance from AI, Machine-learning, and Automation, with tools such as ChatGPT and others
- Supply chain attack will continue, especially authentication applications
  - One-Time passcodes via SMS & Email
- The security management challenges of workforces remain distributed
- Geopolitical / nation-state activity will continue
  - Driven by conflicts and potential conflicts







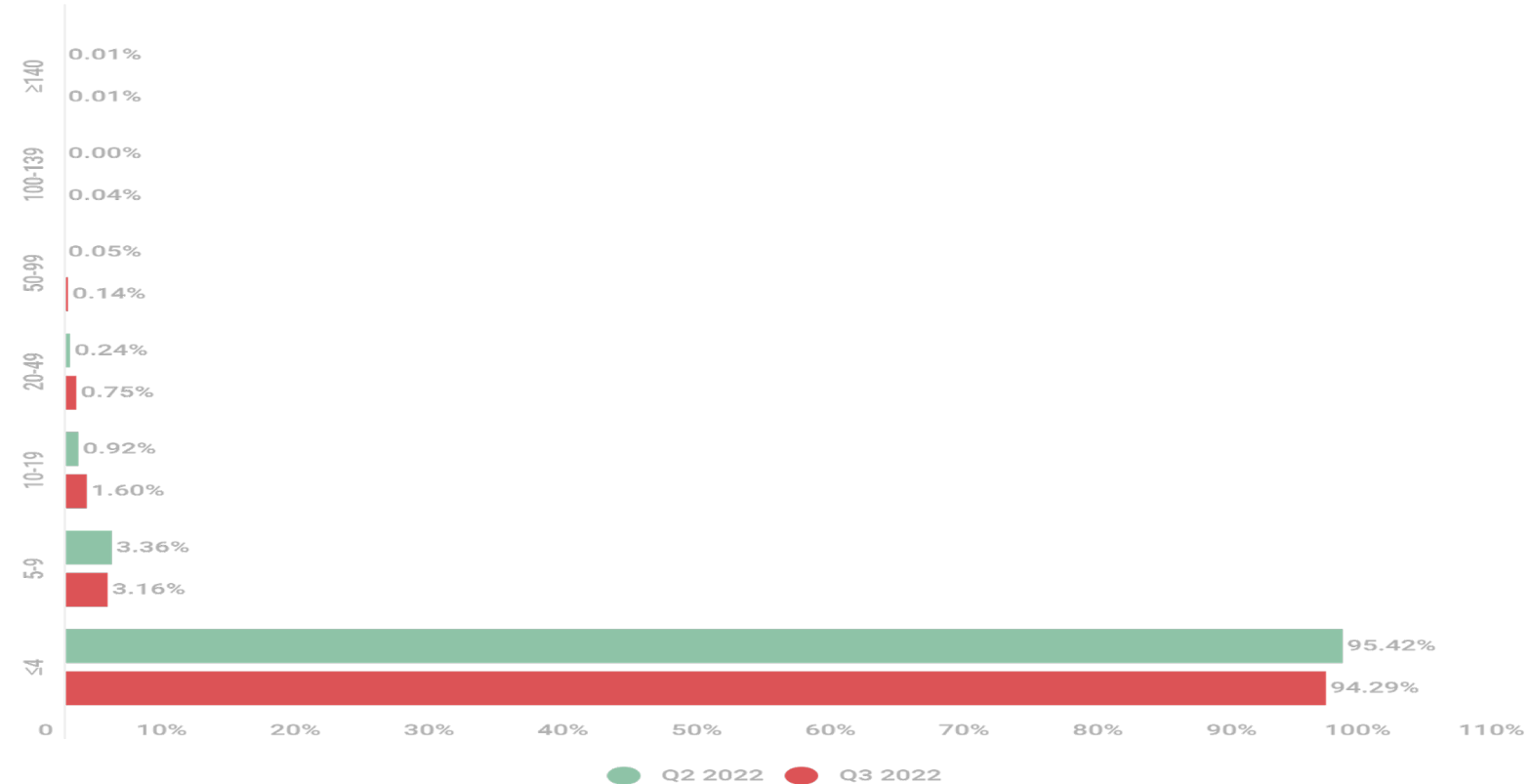
# DDoS Attacks by Country



# DDoS Attack Duration

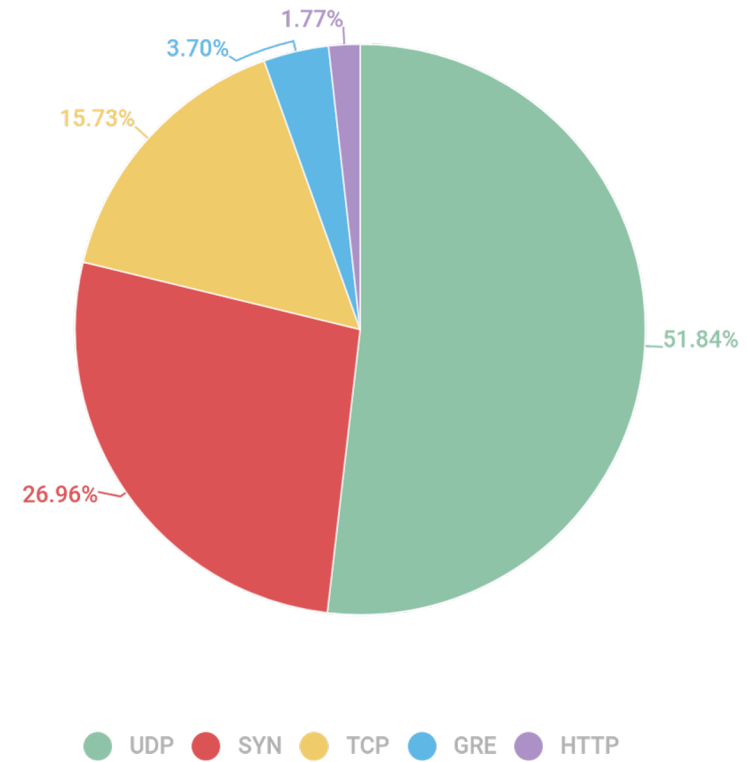
Source: securelist.com (Green: Q2, Red Q3)

Attacks with 20+ hours increase by 19%. The longest attack recorded in Q3 lasted 451 hours.



# MultiVector DDoS Attack

Source: securlist.com



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# Plan For 2023

- Registry Lock (March 1, 2023)
  - Allows registrars to provide registrants a very valuable tool to protect their domains from hijacking
- Universal Acceptance (UA) Day (March 28, 2023)
  - To promote more languages under .asia , adding 24 new languages
  - Arabic, Belarusian, Bosnian, Bulgarian, Croatian, Danish, Finnish, French, German, Hungarian, Icelandic, Italian, Latvian, Lithuanian, Macedonian, Montenegrin, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Serbian, Spanish, Swedish, Turkish, Ukrainian



## .asia Registry Upgrade - Q3 2023

- ▶ Upgrade registry infrastructure to Cloud Based Infrastructure
  - Ability to scale flexibly
  - Ability to innovate quickly
  - Minimized downtime for the registry
  - Autonomous programmability
  - Self-healing capabilities
- ▶ New Registry Platform with added features and functionality
  - Premium and Reserved Name Management
  - Domain Name Compliance Management
  - Registry Lock management
- ▶ New Registry Admin Portal with new design





# Upgraded portal for DotAsia and .asia registrars

Domains

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Price Categories

Registrar

Users

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Manage Registry Locks

Registry Lock Search

Create Registry LockBulk Actions

Domain Name

domain1.tld

Registrar

Select Registrar

TLD

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Status

Locked

Search

1 Results1

Domain ID	Domain Name	Status	Registrar	Creation Date (UTC)	Relock Date (UTC)	Action
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# DotAsia Highlights 2021 & Strategic Plan 2022

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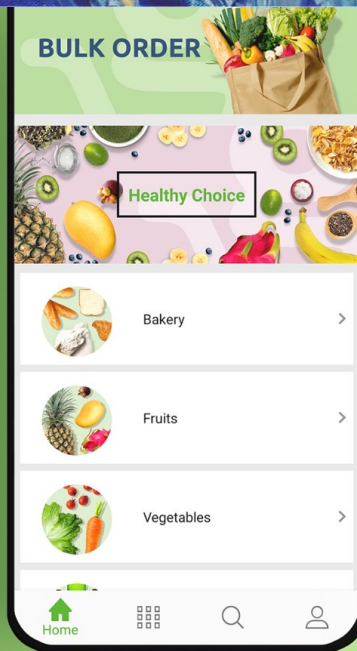
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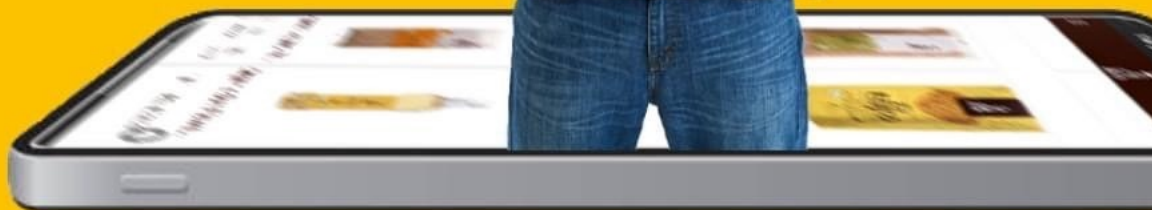
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## 2007-2010: .Asia Launch

Sunrise, Landrush, Auctions  
Pioneer Domains

2010: Community Contributions

2011: Year of Exploration

2012: Year of Investments

2013: Year of Consolidation

2014: Year of Development

2015: Rebalancing

2016: Startup

2017: Launch

2018 & 2019: Growth

2020: Reprioritization

2021: Engage & Advance

2022:

# Asia Pacific Collaboration & Solidarity

Expand Member Engagement, Foster Collaborations between  
Members & Enhance Asia Pacific Solidarity



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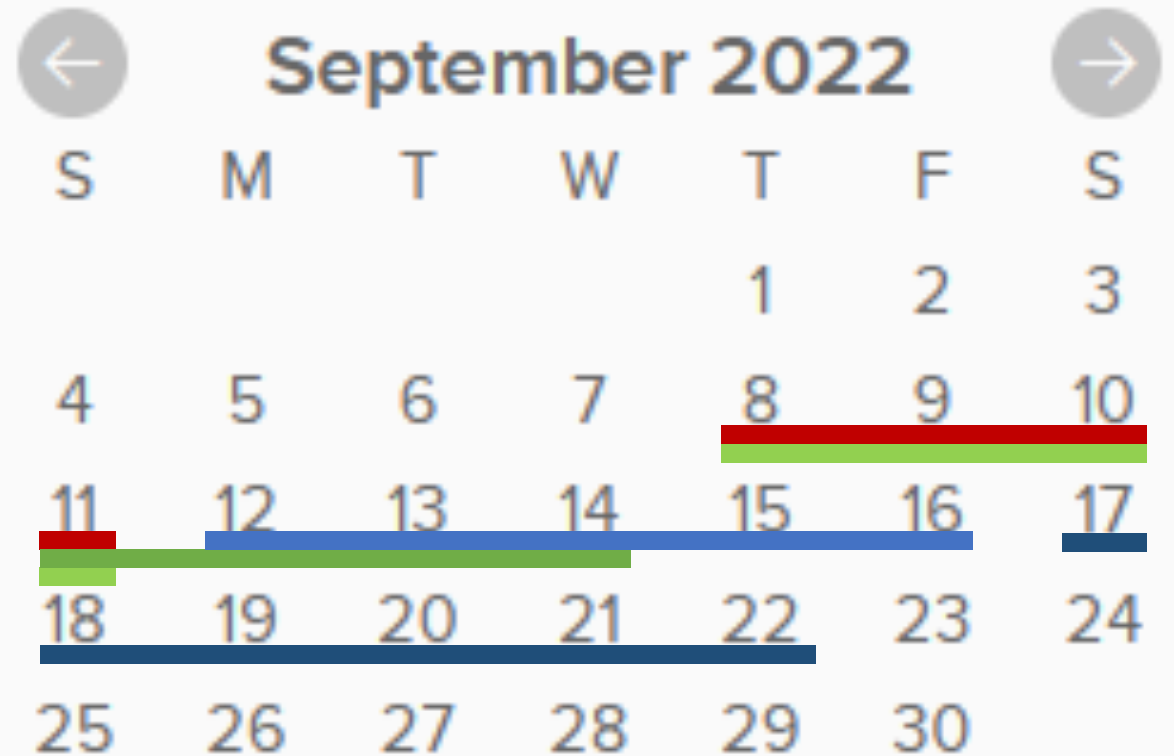
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# APRIGF 2022

## Hybrid – Singapore

**Overarching Theme:** People at the Centre:  
Envisioning a community-led Internet that is  
inclusive, sustainable and trusted

**Date:** 12-14 September 2022

**Location:** Virtual X Singapore

**Co-hosts:** APrIGF MSG, APNIC

Numbers of  
on-site  
participants

594

- Numbers of  
proposals  
submitted:

81 (+76%)

Numbers of  
online  
participants

317

- Number of  
sessions  
selected:

25 (+39%)

Numbers of  
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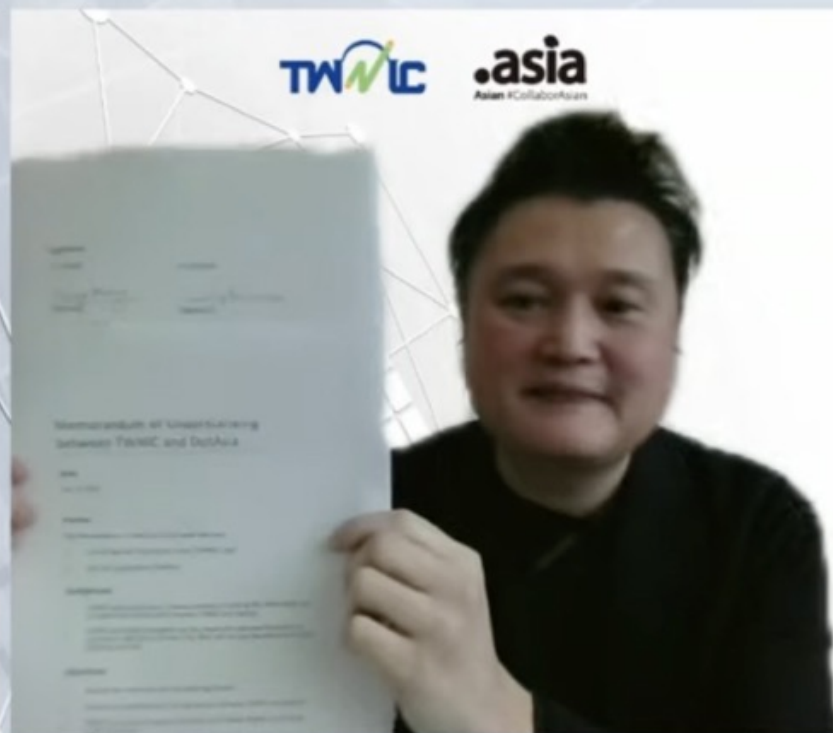
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# Member Engagement

- AF CERT, IX and IDN Training
- AM ISIF, IoT and local Internet development
- BT Tibetan Script in IDN & Other IG activities
- CN IDN / UA activities through Jiankang Yao
- IN .IN/.ASIA joint promos & DNS Abuse
- ID Javanese IDN & Youth IG activities
- IR Youth IG activities & Social Media (WIP)
- JP Youth IG activities, IGF2023 & APriGF
- KR APIGA & APriGF
- HK APAC DNS Forum
- NZ DNS Abuse & Social Media
- PW .KiDS and emerging technologies
- SG DNS Abuse
- TH IDN / UA and DNS Abuse
- KH .KH, Khmer IDN and IG activities
- MN .KiDS and IG activities
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- VN APriGF & EII (non-member)
- UZ Youth IG activities & Social Media
- APCERT – DNS Abuse & cybersec contest
- APNIC – EcoInternet Initiative & APriGF
- APNOG – Youth IG @APRICOT
- APNG – Youth IG & Fellows.asia
- APRALO – IDN/UA, DNS Abuse, Youth outreach
- ISOC APAC – EcoInternet & APriGF
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- **Interest for engagement later:** NU & APTLD
- **Have not responded for engagement:** KZ / TJ







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### Plenary 1: High Level Opening Plenary

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### Plenary 5: TWIGF

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Moderator



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## Regional Internet Registries (RIRs)

RIRs Manage, distribute, and register Internet number resources (IPv4 and IPv6 address space and Autonomous System (AS) Numbers within their respective regions.

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Internet Governance Ecosystem & Internet Infrastructure

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## IP Address

An Internet Protocol Address (IP Address) is a unique address that identifies a device on the internet or a local network and IP stands for "Internet Protocol," which is the set of rules governing the format of data sent via the internet or local network.

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## Autonomous system (AS)

An AS is a group of IP networks operated by one or more network operator(s) that has a single and clearly defined external routing policy. Exterior routing protocols are used to exchange routing information between Autonomous Systems.

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## Internet Identifier

Internet Identifier is an electronic mail address (e-mail) or username which is used for direct communication between users on the Internet making the communication not accessible to the public.

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## Border Gateway Protocol (BGP)

BGP is the protocol underlying the global routing system of the internet which manages how packets get routed between autonomous systems (AS) from network to network through the exchange of routing and reachability information among edge routers.

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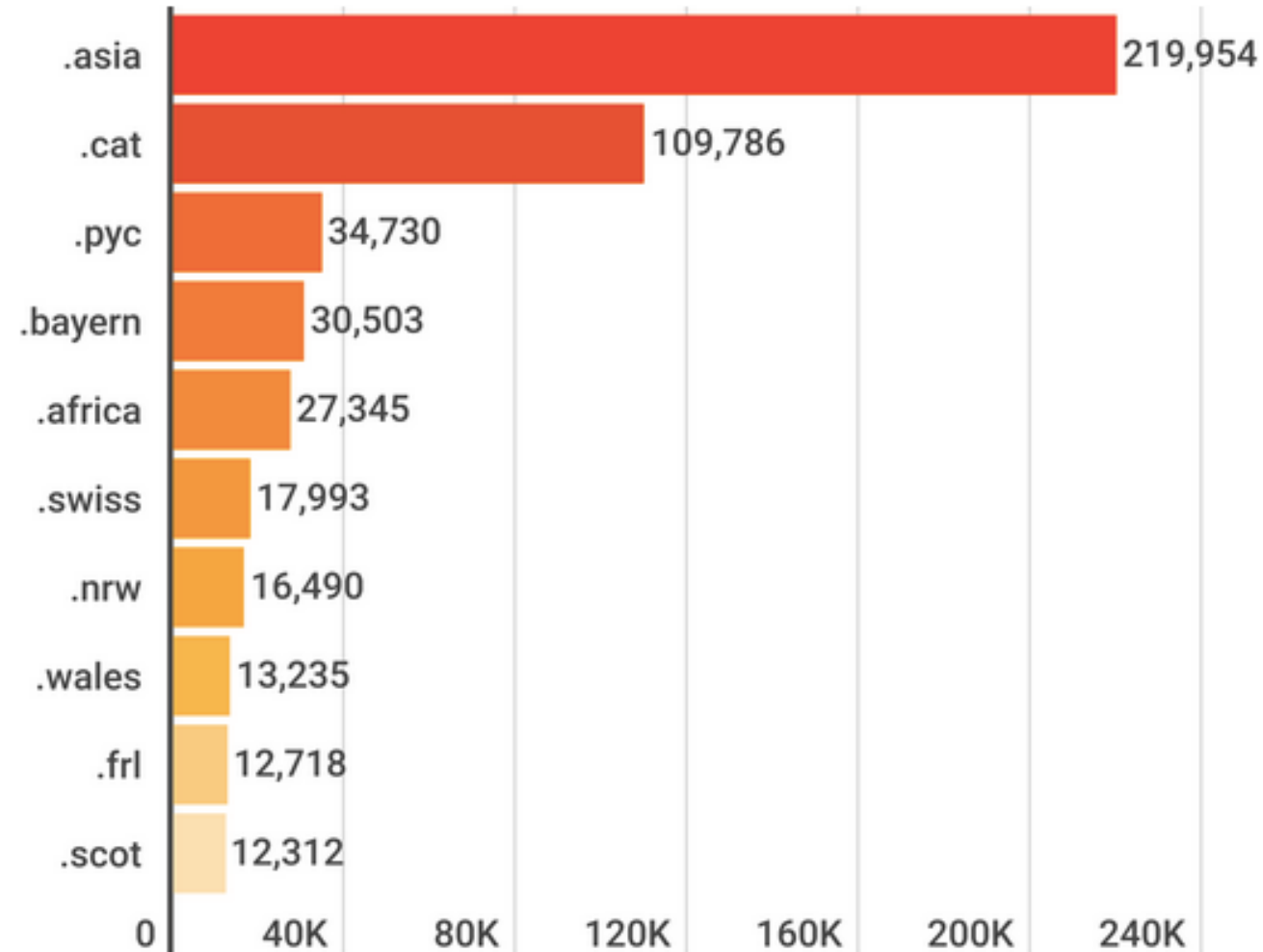
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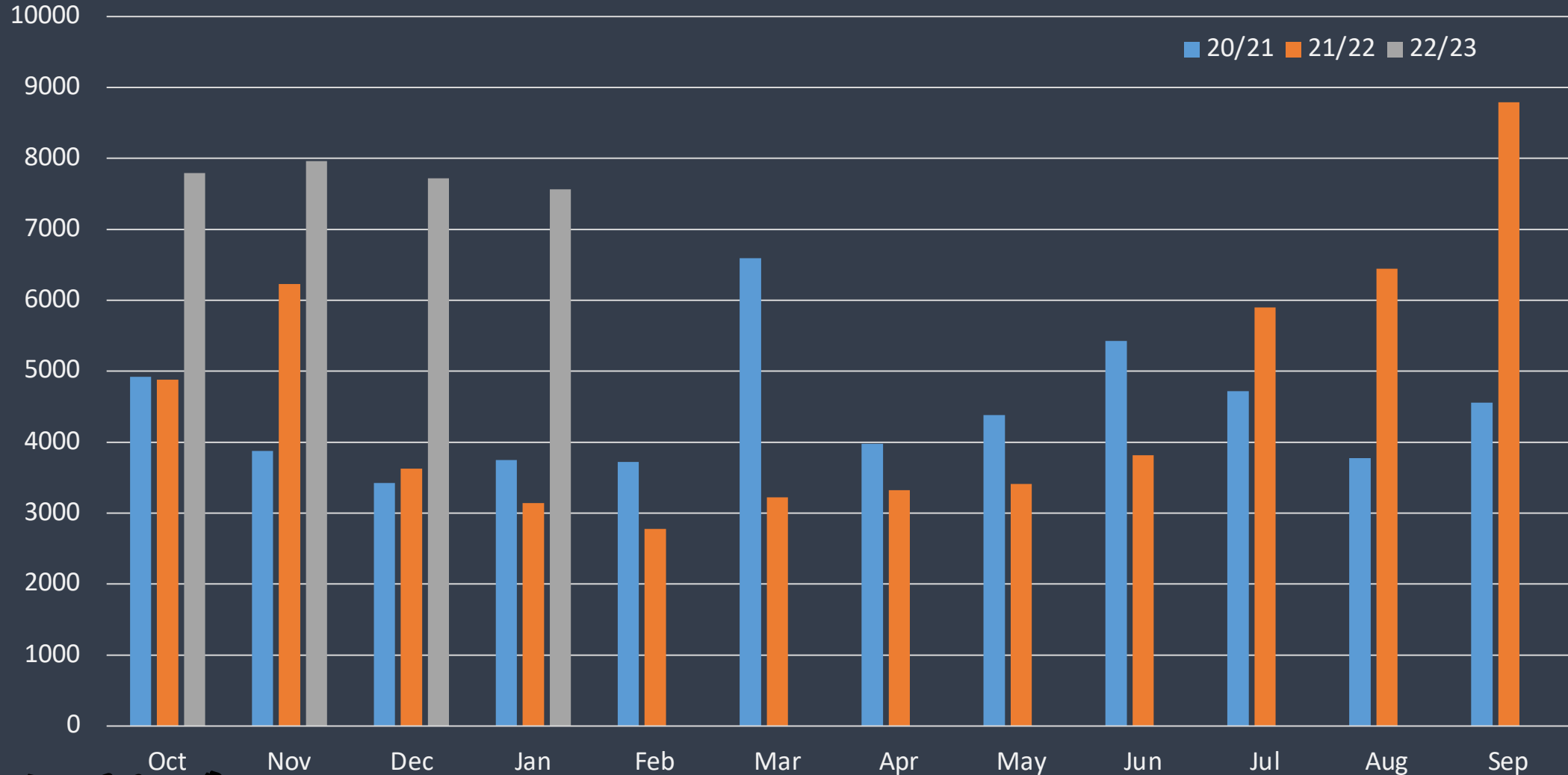
### The most successful geoTLDs

Let's not forget these gTLDs, which represent a region, a community, or even a continent such as .asia, the most registered geoTLD, followed by .cat, for the autonomous region of Catalonia and .pyc for the ethnic community of Russian-speaking people in Kiev Rús.



Registered geoTLDs

# .Asia New Create Units by Months





# WHY IT MUST BE DOTASIA?

**.asia**  
#RiseWithAsia

## OUR BEST REGISTRY PARTNER

~5000 **.ASIA** was registered in our system

MAT BAO is the leading registrar in Vietnam in terms of the number of **.ASIA** domain names

## THE SUITABLE ONE

**Gen Z in Asia** is extremely active

Gen Z in Asia is extremely active and excited about technological innovations.

## THE EASY TO USE DOMAIN NAMES

**.ASIA** is suitable for reaching audiences in Asia

Short, easy to remember and a generic domain name are the points that make **.ASIA** stand out to reach students.







# .ASIA CHÍNH PHỤC THỊ TRƯỜNG CHÂU Á GIÀU TIỀM NĂNG

Tìm kiếm tên miền .ASIA ở đây

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## .asia ドメイン

初年度 **90円** (税込)

2008年にアジア太平洋地域向けのsTLD（スポンサー付きトップレベルドメイン）として2006年より運用が開始されたドメインです。

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- 13:30 - 14:00** • WELCOMING DELEGATES AND GUESTS
- 14:00 - 14:05** • DECLARATION OF REASONS, INTRODUCTION OF DELEGATES
- 14:05 - 14:55** • REPORT ON THE CONTEST  
STATEMENT OF VIETNAM YOUTH UNION CENTRAL LEADER  
STATEMENT OF MATBAO CORP LEADER
- 14:55 - 15:00** • END OF PRESS CONFERENCE



### INVITATION LETTER



**MR. AJITORA**

STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT MANAGER

INVITED TO

#### CONTEST LAUNCH PRESS CONFERENCE

BUILD UP YOUTH DIGITAL PROFILES 2022

**Time:** 13:30 - 15:00 GMT+7 - May 30th 2022

**Location:** Hall 26/3 of the Central Youth Union  
62 Ba Trieu Street, Hoan Kiem, Hanoi, Vietnam

#### PRESS CONFERENCE AGENDA

- 13:30 - 14:00** • WELCOMING DELEGATES AND GUESTS
- 14:00 - 14:05** • DECLARATION OF REASONS, INTRODUCTION OF DELEGATES
- 14:05 - 14:55** • REPORT ON THE CONTEST  
STATEMENT OF VIETNAM YOUTH UNION CENTRAL LEADER  
STATEMENT OF MATBAO CORP LEADER
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Only from  
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Only **59K**



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| 21.06.22 | 10:00 - 11:00

**ĐĂNG KÝ NGAY**

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Leading the brand with domain.top

Price from:  
**50,000đ**

Discount - Save

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Check for existence

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**.xyz**

Make a difference with the next  
generation domain

Price from:  
**45,000đ**

Discount - Save

Price old: 319,000đ

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Conquer the Asian market

Price from:  
**59,000đ**

Discount - Save

Price old: 349,000đ

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**.site**

**.site**

Corporate and personal branding

Price from:  
**30,000đ**

Discount - Save

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Check for existence

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Connect the world with domain.online

Price from:  
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**\$1/1<sup>st</sup> year  
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## Open-Xchange and DotAsia partner to empower SMEs in Southeast Asia

Jun 16, 2022



*Offers domain providers innovative business models to include premium email and collaboration tools with DotAsia domains*

The partnership means that domain registrars and resellers now have access to a range of **innovative business models** and discounts to offer SMEs registering a .Asia domain access to OX Cloud – Open-Xchange’s premium email and collaboration platform, which includes **email**, **calendar**, **address book**, **tasks**, and **drive**, along with **security**.

# Open-Xchange (OX) + .Asia + Partners Press Release

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# New Creates – Top Economies & Registrars

## 2021

1. China
2. U.S.
3. Viet Nam
4. Japan
5. Iceland
6. Malaysia
7. Panama
8. India
9. Singapore
10. Thailand

## 2022

1. U.S.
2. Viet Nam
3. Iceland
4. China
5. Japan
6. Indonesia
7. Malaysia
8. Thailand
9. Australia
10. Korea

## 2022

1. GoDaddy (U.S.)
2. GMO (JP)
3. NameCheap (U.S.)
4. Dynadot (U.S.)
5. Mat Bao (VN)
6. Alibaba (CN)
7. PA Viet Nam (VN)
8. Chengdu West (CN)
9. Porkbun (U.S.)
10. WebNic (ID)

While most of our registrants come from Asia, large % come through int'l based registrars:

U.S – 4

VN – 2

CN – 2

JP – 1

ID – 1

\* U.S. in particular is a big market for us





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ASIAN AMERICAN PACIFIC ISLANDER MONTH WITH FRIENDS



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Jacqueline Daly  
Dynadot

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## WHY IS **AAPI** HERITAGE MONTH IN MAY?

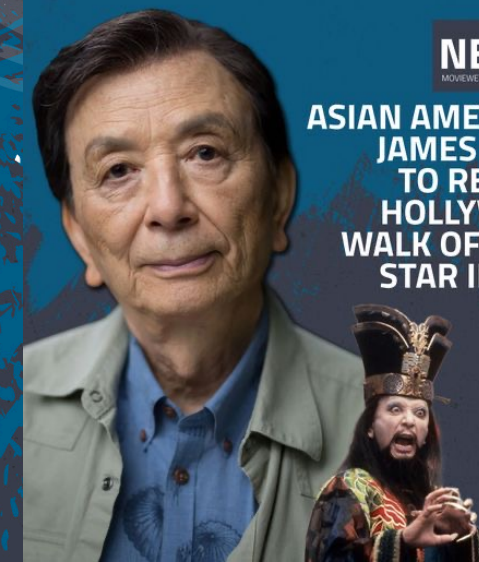
THE MONTH WAS SPECIFICALLY CHOSEN TO COMMEMORATE THE FIRST JAPANESE IMMIGRANT TO ARRIVE IN THE U.S. ON MAY 7, 1843, AS WELL AS THE COMPLETION OF THE TRANSCONTINENTAL RAILROAD ON MAY 10, 1869, NEARLY 20,000 CHINESE LABORERS WORKED IN HAZARDOUS, EVEN DEADLY, CONDITIONS FOR LOW WAGES TO CONSTRUCT IT

## WHAT IS YOUR GO TO ASIAN COMFORT FOOD?



## NEWS MOVIES

ASIAN AMERICAN  
JAMES HONG  
TO RECEIVE  
HOLLYWOOD  
WALK OF FAME  
STAR IN MAY



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BEING ASIAN AMERICAN IS PART OF MY IDENTITY AND IT'S REALLY IMPORTANT TO EMBRACE THAT BECAUSE IT'S SOMETHING SPECIAL AND FOR ME TO CONTINUE TO LEARN AND BE INVOLVED MORE IN THE CULTURE BY EXPRESSING MY HERITAGE IS HUGE.



Kellyn acosta on Japanese roots and community.



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JAPAN STUN GERMANY 2-1 IN COMEBACK VICTORY AT WORLD CUP

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SAUDI ARABIA DECLARES WED, NOV. 23 A PUBLIC HOLIDAY AFTER BEATING ARGENTINA 2-1 AT WORLD CUP

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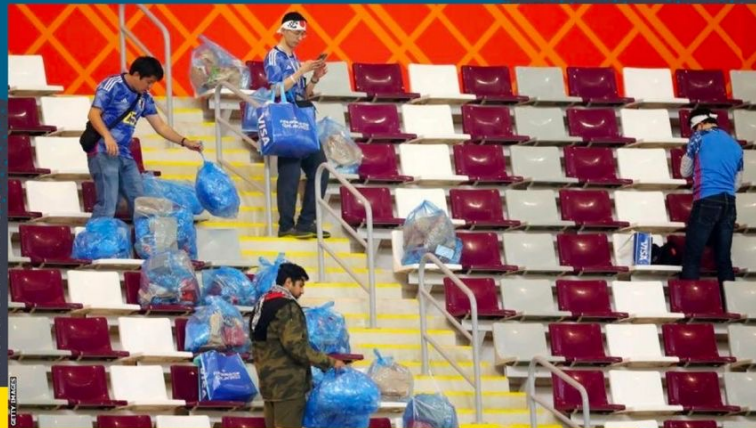


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JAPAN'S FANS THEN HELPED CLEAN UP TRASH AT KHALIFA INTERNATIONAL STADIUM AFTER THE MASSIVE UPSET WIN



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BTS MAKES HISTORY BY BECOMING THE FIRST ACT TO WIN 'POP DUO OR GROUP' FOR FOUR CONSECUTIVE TIMES



# THE YEAR OF THE RABBIT



## HAPPY CHINESE NEW YEAR

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**PHILIPPINES BAGS FIRST WORLD UNIVERSITIES  
DEBATING CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE**

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THE GOLDEN GLOBE  
AWARD FOR BEST  
SUPPORTING ACTOR.**



**MICHELLE YEOH WON  
BEST PERFORMANCE  
BY AN ACTOR IN A  
MOTION PICTURE,  
MUSICAL OR COMEDY.**

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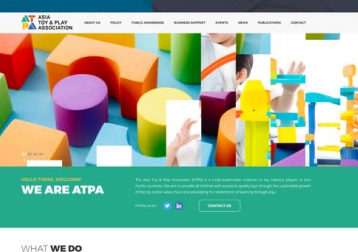
**JAPANESE PASSPORT RANKS YET AGAIN AS  
MOST MOBILE IN THE WORLD, FOLLOWED BY  
SINGAPORE AND SOUTH KOREA.**

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**GORDON RAMSAY NAMES LAOS AND VIETNAM  
AS WORLD'S TOP FOOD DESTINATIONS.**

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**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS  
AND HAPPY NEW YEAR**

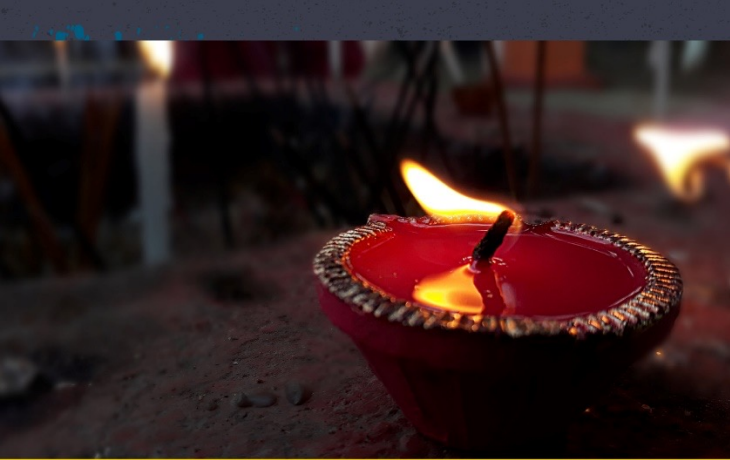
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DIWALI WILL BECOME AN OFFICIAL HOLIDAY IN NEW YORK CITY PUBLIC SCHOOLS STARTING NEXT YEAR.

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RISHI SUNAK BECOMES UK'S FIRST BRITISH ASIAN PRIME MINISTER

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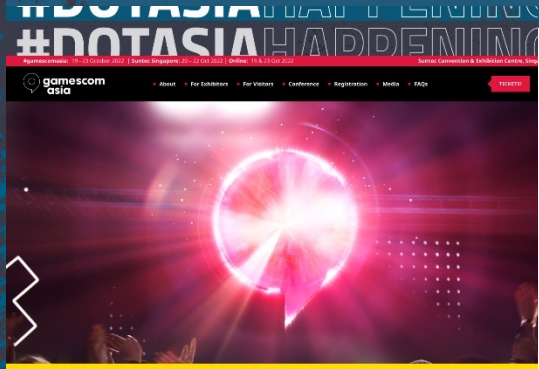
LUNAR NEW YEAR IS NOW A STATE HOLIDAY IN CALIFORNIA

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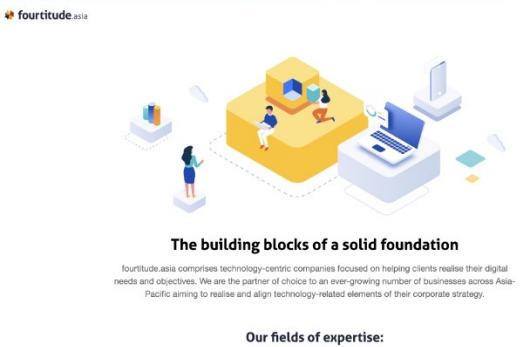
FILM STAR ANNA MAY WONG SET TO BECOME FIRST ASIAN AMERICAN ON US CURRENCY

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Domains:

2,986 (0.01%)

In Zonefile:

0 (0.00%)

Signed Zones:

0 (0.00%)

Upcoming Deletes:

2 (0.07%)

Registry:

DotKids Foundation Limited

Registry Backend:

Identity Digital Inc.

Rest. / Documents:

DR | RA

Rankings:

N/A

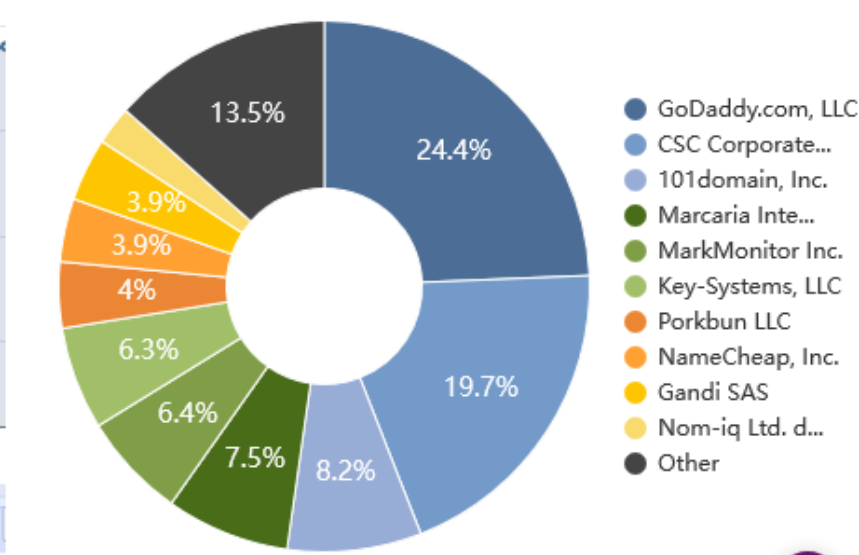
Website:

- @Dec 21, 2022: 2,498
- @Jan 25, 2023: 2,836
- @Feb 22, 2023: 2,986



Registrations of .kids

Registrar Market Shares



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# Open Discussions & Closing Remarks





# AGM (Sunday, Feb 26, 2023)

0. Administrative Welcome
1. Board Chair Opening Remarks
2. Board Election Chair Report
3. Board Report
4. Member Resolution & Discussions
  - Appointment of Auditors
  - DotAsia Memorandum & Articles of Association (M&A) update
  - CEO Position and Board Composition
5. .Asia Registry Backend Provider Report
6. Financial Report 2021-2022
7. DotAsia Highlights 2022 & Strategic Direction 2023
8. Open Discussions

1830 Joint Dinner with AP\* (Meet at Sofitel Lobby) → TCC - The Country Chef (Seascape Village)



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