



Quarterly Stakeholder Call

For Quarter ending 30 September, 2014

Agenda

10 min **President's Overview**
Fadi Chehadé

10 min **Policy Update**
David Olive

15 min **Management Update**
Akram Atallah

10 min **Q1 Financials**
Xavier Calvez

30 min **Q&A**
All



President's Overview

Fadi Chehadé, President and CEO ICANN

Overview

- First Quarterly Stakeholder Call
- Goal: Provide a predictable window into ICANN's activities and financial health
- Objective: Factual, detail-based reporting for period of 1 July to 30 September 2014

Operational Performance

Q1 ACHIEVEMENTS

- Strategic Plan completed over 17 months via 3 public comment periods
- Hired Chief Technology Officer
- ICANN grew from 290 in 25 countries to 306 staff members in 28 countries
- Adopted Strategic Plan as framework for five-year planning and one-year operating plan
- Revenues slightly higher than expected; expenses slightly lower
- Increased technical strength
- Stabilized staff growth

More information on Quarterly Report page

<https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/quarterly-reports-2014-11-13-en>

Contractual Compliance

Q1 ACHIEVEMENTS

SECOND YEAR AUDIT:

- 317 Registrars audited last year
- 98% in compliance by end of audit

- Created new position and appointed Chief Contract Compliance Officer with focus on working with others to help safeguard registrants and global Internet community
- Launched 3rd year of Contractual Compliance Audit Program
- Completing the first round of the New Registry Agreement on 14 TLDs

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.icann.org/resources/pages/compliance-2012-02-25-en>

IANA Stewardship Transition & Accountability

KEY FACTS

- Names community proposal led by 100+ people from 41 countries
- Numbers community proposal undertaken by 5 Regional Internet Registries
- Protocol parameters led by Internet Engineering Task Force
- Global community is on track on both transition of stewardship from USG and strengthening of ICANN accountability
- This is top priority project; but our number one mission is security, stability and resiliency of Internet Domain Name System
- US Secretary of Commerce Penny Pritzker at ICANN 51 reaffirmed support for the transition and multistakeholder governance

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.icann.org/stewardship-accountability>

Internet Governance

KEY FACTS

- Internet Governance Forum 2014, Istanbul, September 2014
 - International Telecommunications Union Plenipotentiary 2014, Busan, October–November 2014
 - NETmundial Initiative launch, November 2014
- ICANN is committed to maintain its limited remit within the global distributed Internet governance ecosystem as coordinator of technical Internet identifiers, Internet Protocol Parameters, address space and the Domain Name System
 - ICANN will continue its successful coordination with the technical multistakeholder community on these issues in the global fora
 - NETmundial Initiative is one way ICANN will work with other global players to strengthen the current distributed global ecosystem and evolve it as necessary to fill any identified gaps

MORE INFORMATION
www.netmundial.org

Community

Q1 ACHIEVEMENTS

- 13 public comment periods
- 39 advice statements
- 37 Board and New gTLD Program Committee resolutions
- 2 Security & Stability Advisory Committee Reports
- 1 new Country-code Names Supporting Organization member for 152 total
- 5 new Governmental Advisory Committee members for 146 total members and 31 observers

- Diverse volunteer community from around the world.
- Policy is made by:
 - PROTOCOL PARAMETERS**
Internet Engineering Task Force
 - NUMBERS**
Regional Internet Registries/Number Resource Organization/Address Supporting Organization
 - NAMES**
Country Code Names Supporting Organization,
Generic Names Supporting Organization

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.icann.org/policy>



Policy Development Update

David Olive, VP Policy Development Support

Coordinating Policy Development

ICANN SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS

- Generic Names Supporting Organization (GNSO)
- Country Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO)
- Address Supporting Organization (ASO)

ICANN ADVISORY COMMITTEES

- At-Large Advisory Committee (ALAC)
- Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC)
- Security & Stability Advisory Committee (SSAC)
- Root Server System Advisory Committees (RSSAC)

OTHER INTERNET POLICY / TECH ORGS.

- Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF)
- Regional Internet Registries

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.icann.org/policy>

Generic Names Supporting Organization (GNSO)

Q1 HIGHLIGHTS

7 Council Resolutions passed

11 Policy Development Processes underway

61 Sessions held at ICANN 51

- **New areas of work in Q1**

- Discussion group on new gTLD subsequent procedures
- Work on IANA Stewardship Transition Proposal

- **Completed work in Q1**

- Inter-Registrar Transfer Policy Part D recommendations adopted
- Uniformity of Reporting Final Issue Report resolved and closed

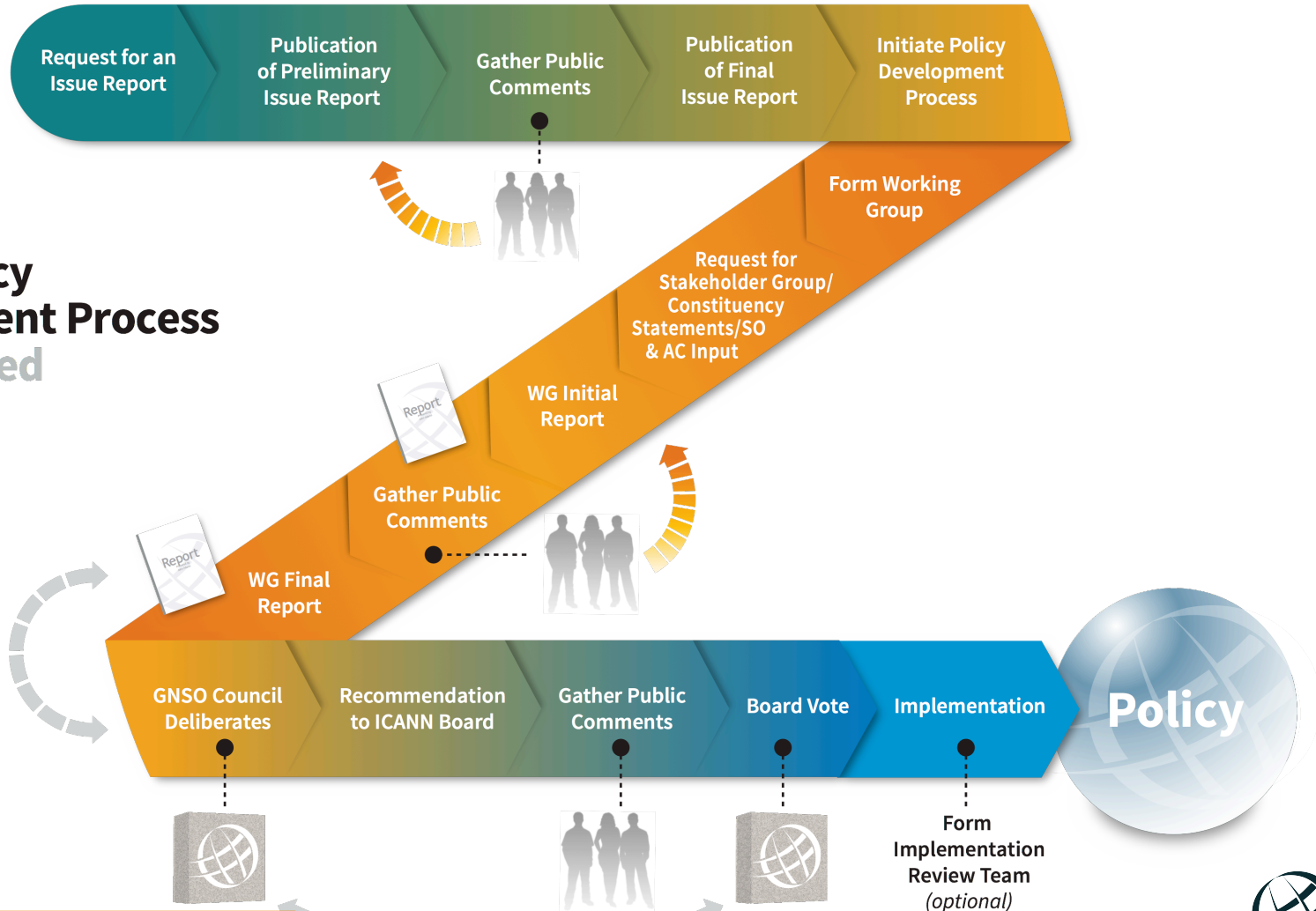
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Coordinating Policy Development

GNSO Policy Development Process *Summarized

*Some steps omitted, for brevity.



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Country Code Names Supporting Organization (ccNSO)

Q1 HIGHLIGHTS

13 COUNCIL
DECISIONS AND
RESOLUTIONS

23 COMMUNITY
SESSIONS HELD
AT ICANN 51

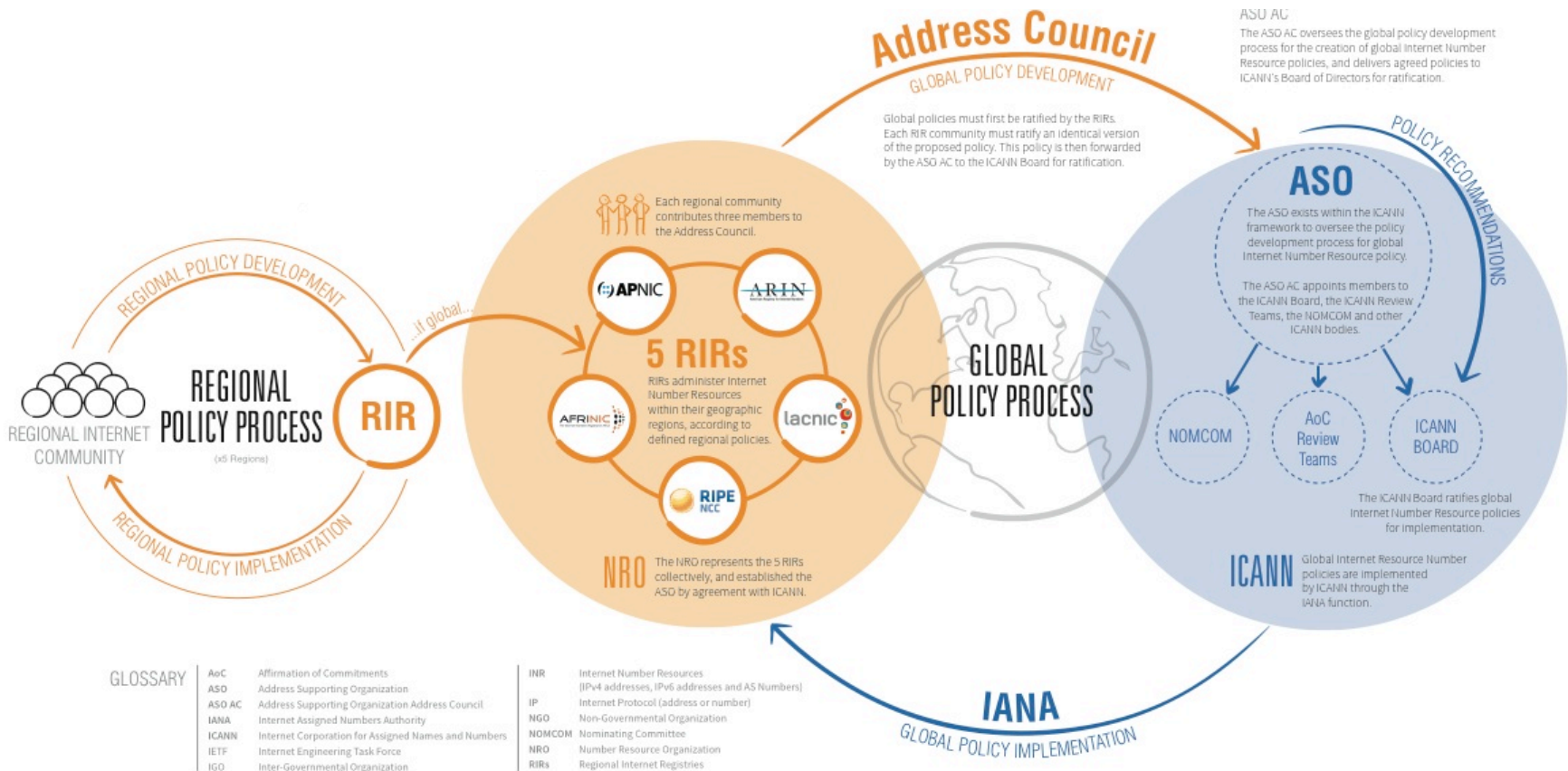
152 MEMBERS
ADDED .IN (INDIA)

- Focus on IANA stewardship transition and ICANN accountability
- New Working Group- Internet Governance
- Interim adoption of work on how to interpret policy for delegation and re-delegation of country-code Top Level Domains (ccTLDs); awaiting Governmental Advisory Committee (GAC) input

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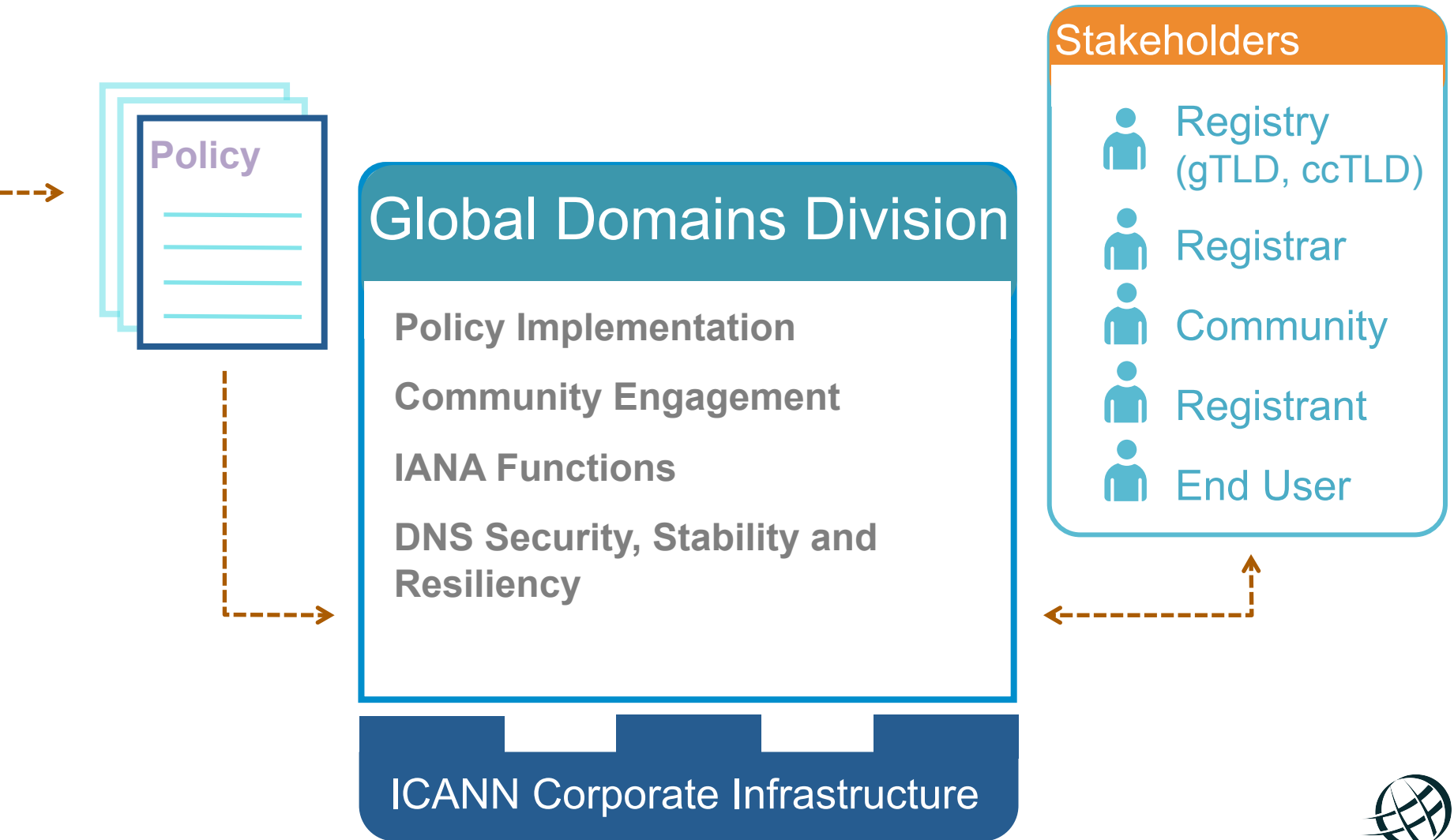
Address Supporting Organization



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Responsibilities & Stakeholders





Management Update

Akram Atallah, President, Global Domains Division

Executive Summary

- Operations report
 - Technical update
 - Business operations service tickets
 - Names & New gTLD Program
 - ICANN staff and locations
- Engagement report
 - Technical engagement and outreach
 - Spotlight on Latin America & Caribbean (LAC) region

Strengthened ICANN's Technical Capabilities

- Chief Technology Officer appointed
- 18th Root key signing ceremony
- 150+ L-Root location nodes
- Four senior new hires in ICANN's IT Department
- Name Collision Occurrence Management Framework published

Business Operations Service Tickets IANA Department Requests

270

Domain
related
requests

862

Protocol
related
requests

3

Number
related
requests

275

General
inquiries

1,410 total requests
JULY-SEPTEMBER

MORE INFORMATION

<https://www.iana.org/performance>

Business Operations Service Tickets Contractual Compliance (July - Sep 2014)

Summary of Complaint Volume by Region

N. America	104.3M	5,439	.005%
	890	410	46.1%
	242	162	66.9%

Europe	24.3M	919	.004%
	176	128	72.7%
	158	80	50.6%

Asia/A/P	25.8M	2,619	.010%
	194	149	76.8%
	69	32	46.4%

Latin America	1.1M	79	.007%
	24	23	95.8%
	5	3	60.0%

Africa	21,452	3	.014%
	8	6	75.0%
	4	0	0.0%

LEGEND	Domains Registered through Registrars in Region (as of July 2014)	# Complaints	% Complaints per Domain Volume
	# registrars per region	# registrars w/ Complaints	% registrars with complaints per region
	# registries per region	# registries w/ Complaints	% registries with complaints per region

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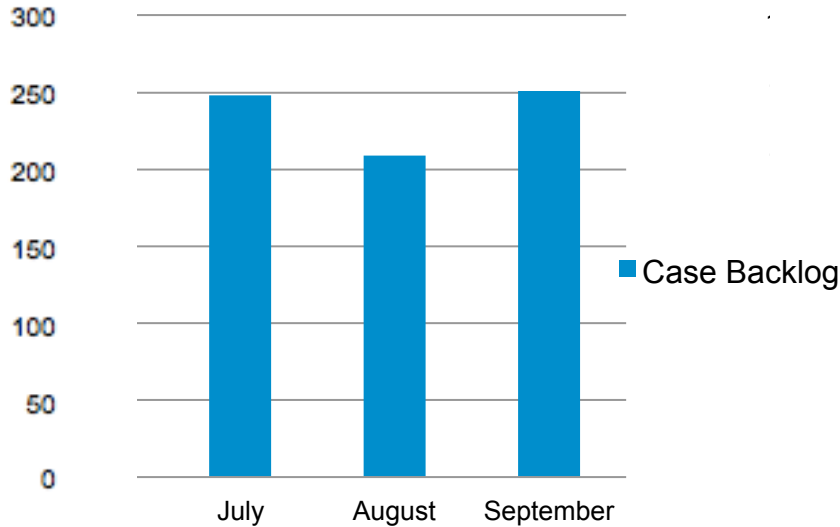
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Business Operations Service Tickets Customer Service Center

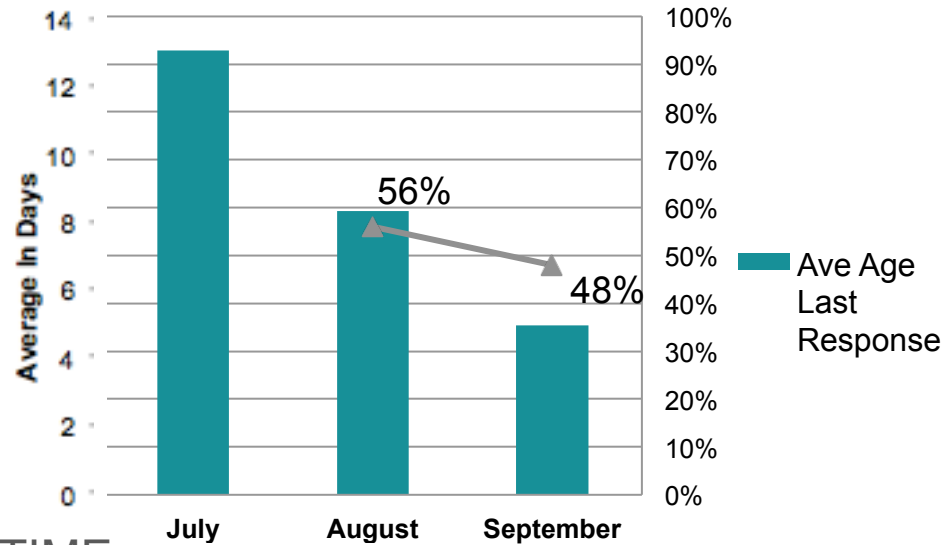
CASE BACKLOG

MONTH END VOLUME TRENDING



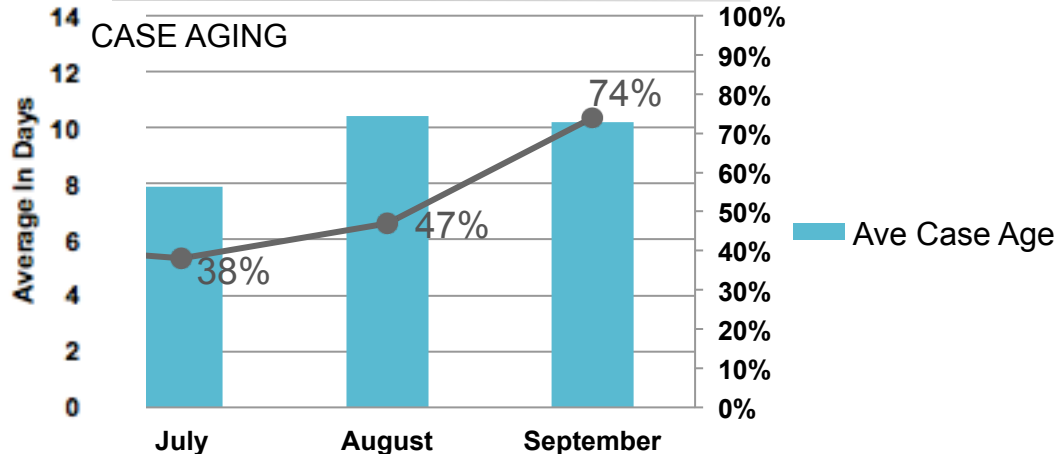
LAST RESPONSE

COMMUNICATION & UPDATES



RESOLUTION TIME

CASE AGING



Names (New gTLD Program)

- Completion of current round of New gTLD Program extended to 2017
- FY15 Q1 Program statistics
 - 63 top level domains delegated (**total: 430 delegated**)
 - 73 Registry Agreements signed (**total: 600 agreements signed**)
- 31 contention sets resolved
 - Auction proceeds are segregated from ICANN's budget
 - Community will be consulted as to how these funds should be used

MORE INFORMATION

<http://newgtlds.icann.org/en/>

Names (continued)



Internationalized Domain Names

- Chinese script root zone Label Generation Rules panel seated
- Two proposed internationalized country code top-level domains – one for the Republic of Iraq and one for Republic of Belarus – passed string evaluation



Key Reports Published

- New gTLD Program Reviews and Assessments Draft Work Plan
- Implementing Rights Protection Mechanisms in Name Collision Mitigation Framework
- Universal Acceptance Draft Work Plan

Technical Engagement & Outreach



REGISTRY ROADSHOW

REGISTRAR OUTREACH

DOMAIN NAME SYSTEM SECURITY EXTENSIONS TRAINING

TLDCON

ASIA-PACIFIC NETWORK INFORMATION CENTRE 38

Engagement: Latin America & Caribbean (LAC)

- Key events:
 - i-Roadshows: Guadalajara, Mexico & São Paulo, Brazil
 - Technical Workshop for TLD community- São Paulo
 - CaribNOG8 / Latin American and Caribbean Network Information Centre (LACNIC)- Curaçao
- Communications plan
- First new gTLDs for the region signed at ICANN 51
 - .LAT | .BAR | .REST
- Signed cooperation agreements with
 - Inter-American Telecommunication Commission (CITEL)
 - Caribbean Telecommunications Union

GUADALAJARA ●

CURAÇAO ●

SAÕ PAULO ●
(Two events)

306 ICANN Staff in 28 Countries

JULY 2014 → SEPT. 2014

N. AMERICA; LATIN AMERICA & CARIBBEAN

233 staff → 242 staff

3%
growth

EUROPE; MIDDLE EAST & AFRICA

41 staff → 44 staff

7%
growth

ASIA PACIFIC & OCEANIA

17 staff → 20 staff

17%
growth

Development and Public Responsibility Dept.

Education

- University outreach
- ICANN Learn- current stats:
 - 50 courses | 1,000 users / month | 10,000 lessons viewed / month

Localization and Language Services

- Focus group on translation for ICANN.org

Supporting the Next Generation

- 357 Fellowship Program applications for ICANN 51
- 12 participated in NextGen@ICANN Program at ICANN 51

Participation in Global Internet Cooperation & Development

- NETmundial Initiative
- Participation with International Organizations & sponsorship matters



Financials

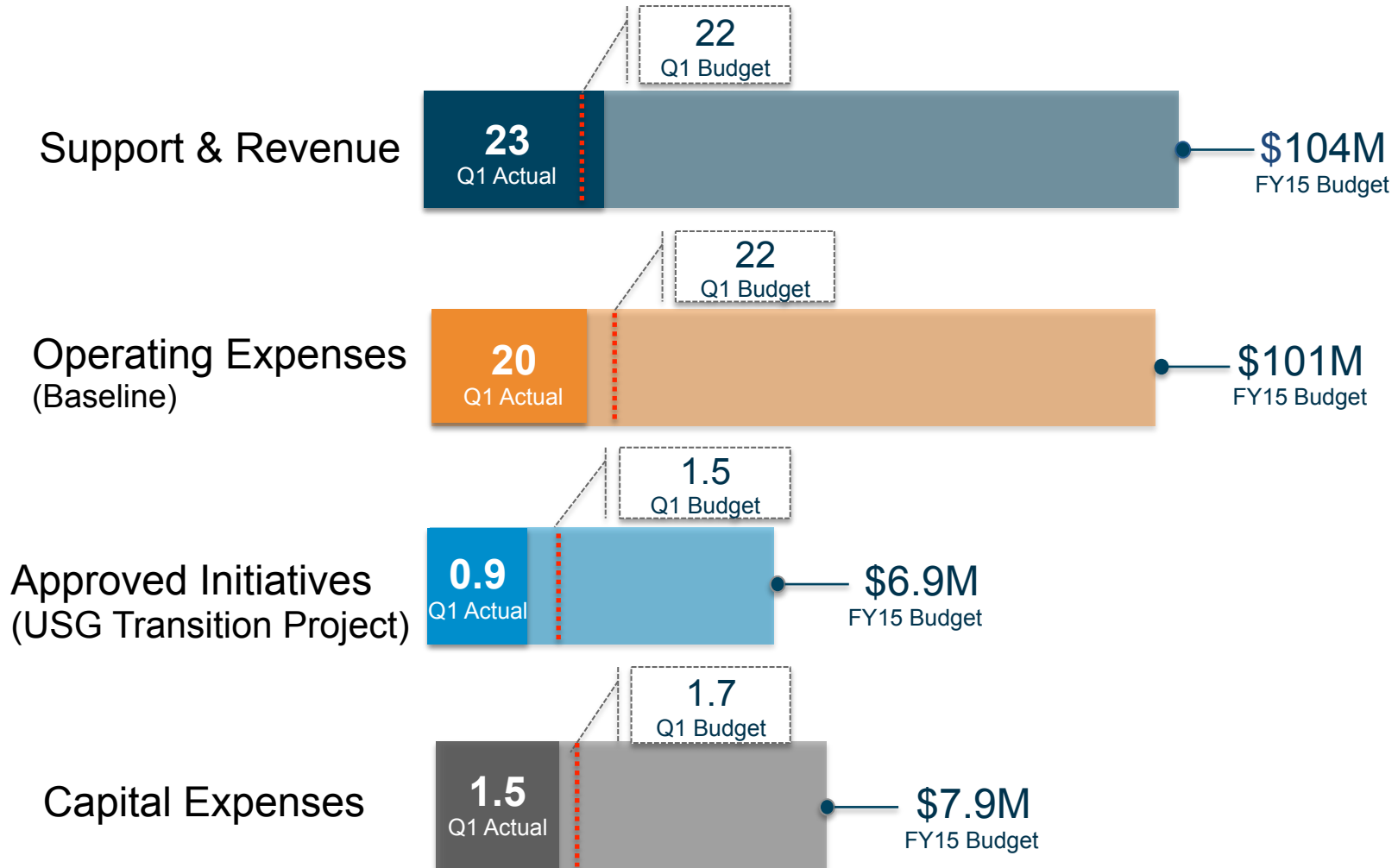
Xavier Calvez, CFO

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FY15 Q1 Progress vs. Budget – ICANN Ops

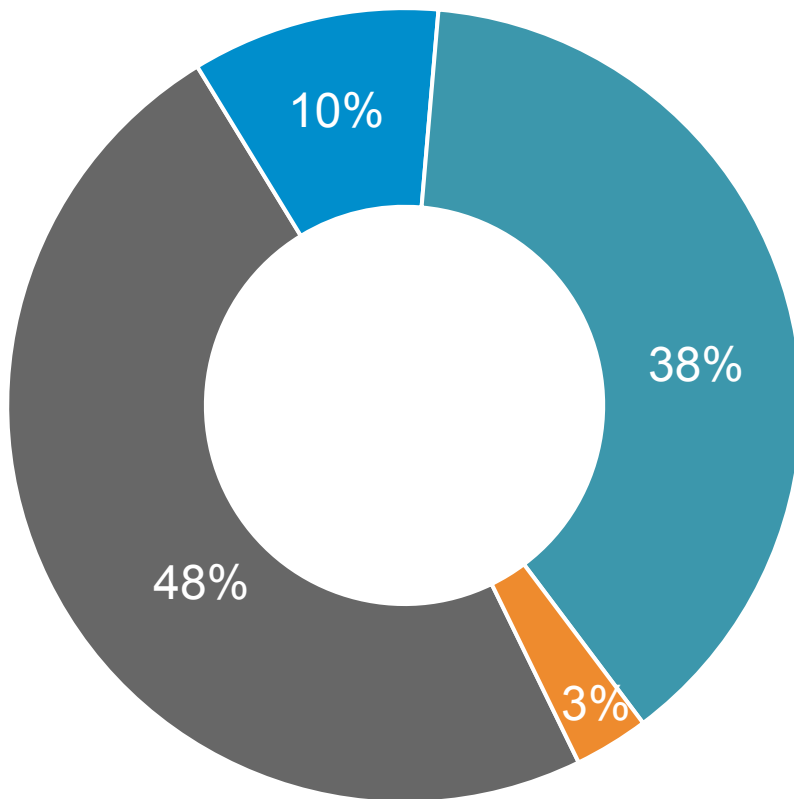
Revenue and expenses on target for Q1.



In millions, USD - unaudited

FY15 Q1 Support & Revenue – ICANN Ops

Revenue overall on target. Monitoring slower new TLD delegations for impacting on fixed fees



	Actual	Budget	Better (+) / Worse (-)
Registry Transaction Fees	11.3	10.7	+5%
Registry Fixed Fees	2.3	2.5	-7%
Registrar Fees	8.9	8.8	+1%
Other	0.8	0.4	+119%
Total	23.4	22.4	+4%

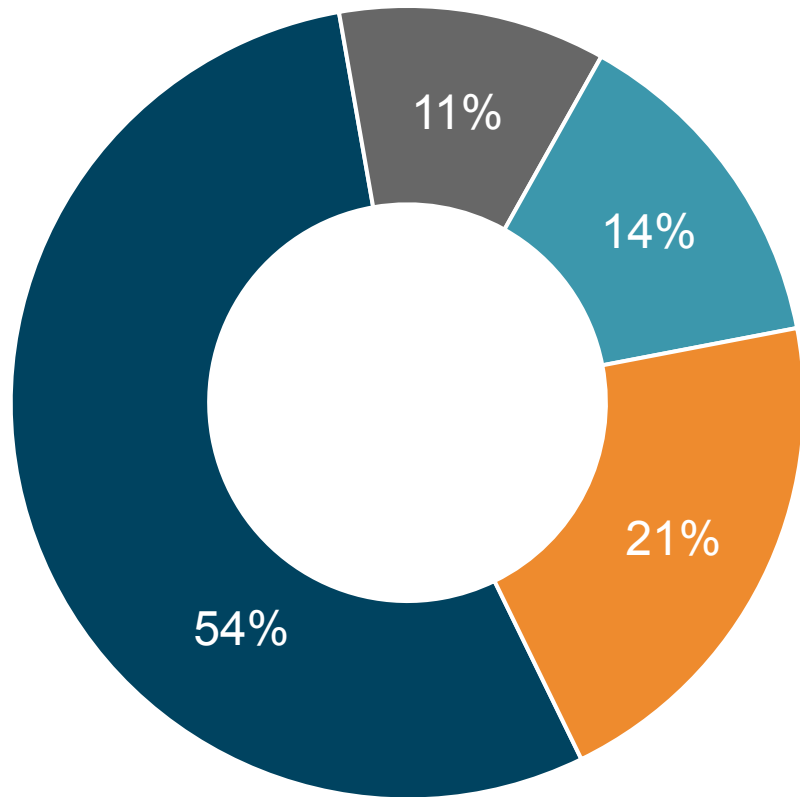
\$2.6M of Registry and Registrar revenue (included above) in Q1 by 414 new TLDs delegated at the end of Q1 (inception to date).

Total Ops Support & Revenue: \$23.4M

In millions, USD - unaudited

FY15 Q1 Operating Expenses – ICANN Ops

Careful management of expenses and favorable differences of project vs plan



	Actual	Budget	Better (+) / Worse (-)
Personnel	11.6	11.9	+3%
Travel & Meetings	2.2	2.2	-1%
Prof. Svcs.	2.9	3.8	+23%
Admin.	4.4	4.7	+7%
Total	21.1	22.6	+7%

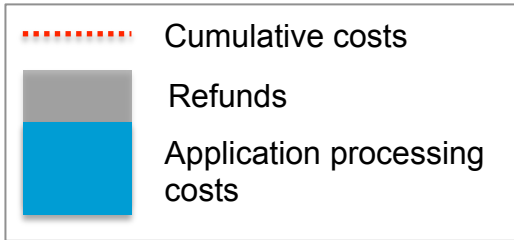
Total Operating Expenses: \$21.1M

In millions, USD - unaudited

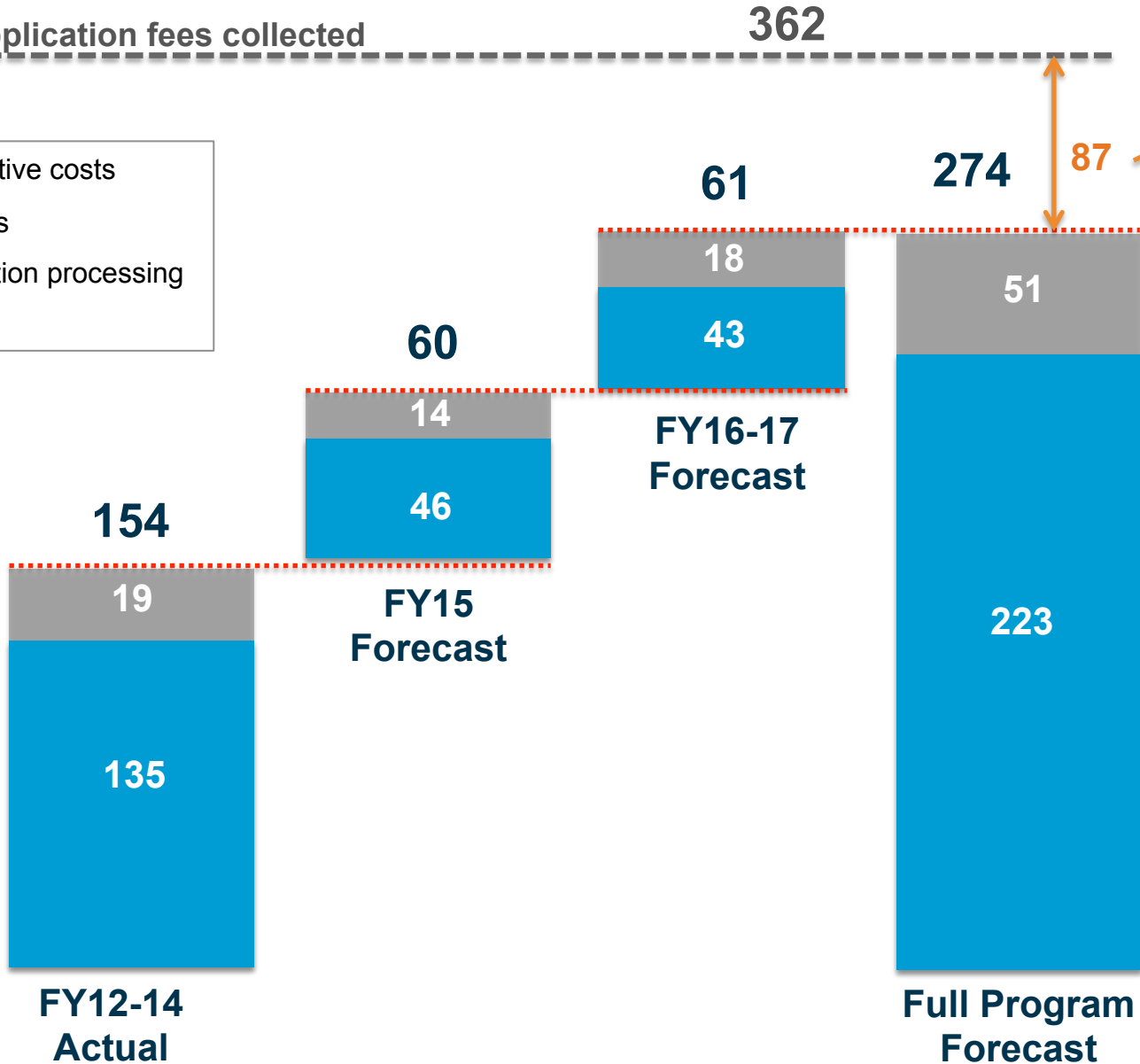
New gTLD Program – Multi-year Forecast

Application fees collected

362



Remaining funds for unexpected expenses (including risks)



In millions, USD
- unaudited

FY15 Q1 Progress vs. Budget – New gTLD Program

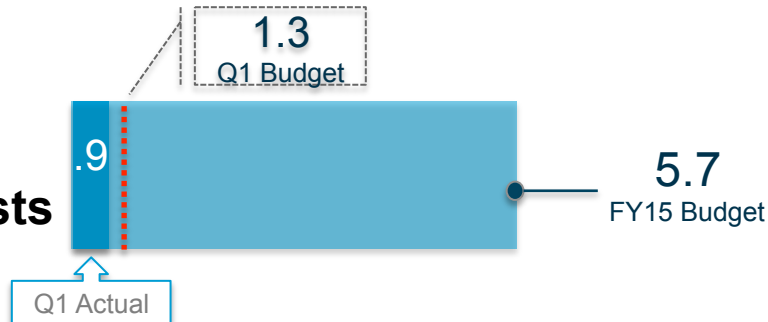
Refunds



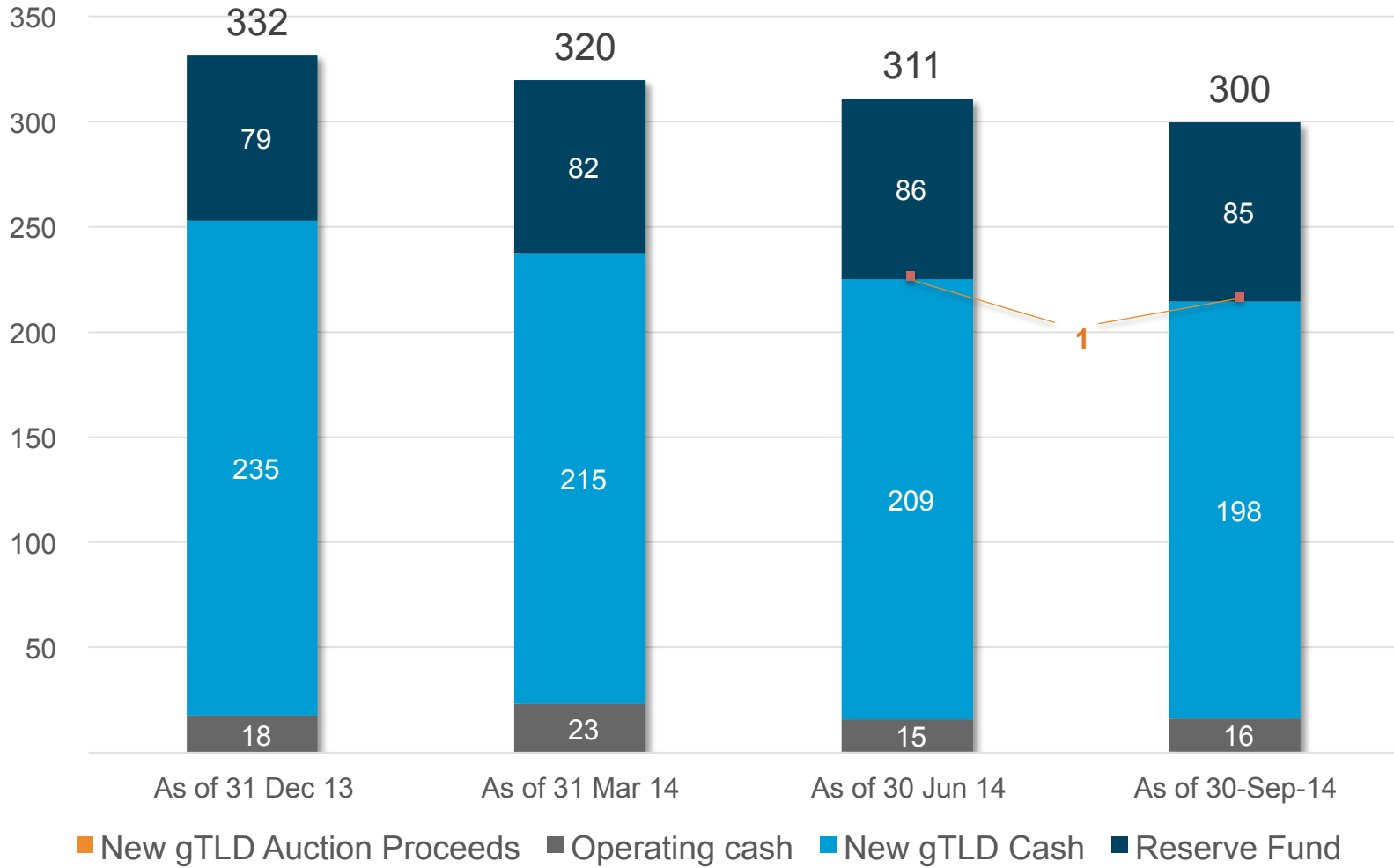
Application Processing



Repayment of Historical Dev. Costs



Funds Under Management



In millions, USD - unaudited

Questions?

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Please join us for the Q2 Stakeholder Call on:

29 January 2015

14:00 UTC

