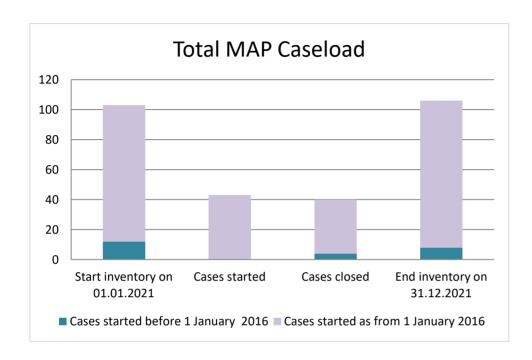
## Japan



Cases started before 1 January 2016	2021 Start inventory	Cases started	Cases closed	2021 End inventory
Transfer pricing cases	12	0	4	8
Other cases	0	0	0	0

Cases started as from 1 January 2016	2021 Start inventory	Cases started	Cases closed	2021 End inventory
Transfer pricing cases	78	33	29	82
Other cases	13	10	7	16

## Average time needed to close MAP cases

Cases started before 1 January 2016	Average time
Transfer pricing cases	82.86
Other cases	n.a.

Note: the average time taken to close MAP cases that started before 1 January 2016 was computed by applying the following rules:

- (i) start date: the date when the MAP request was received; and
- (ii) end date: either the date of the closing letter sent to the taxpayer or the date of final closure of the case if no agreement was reached.

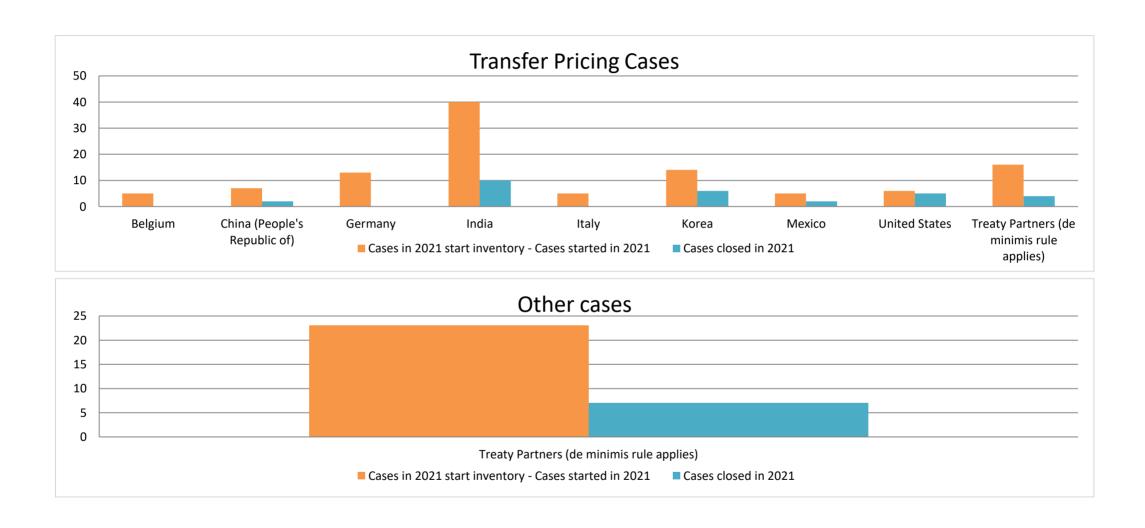
Cases started as from 1 January 2016	Start to End	Receipt to Start	Start to Milestone 1	Milestone 1 to End
Transfer pricing cases	22.58	0.93	11.00	12.28
Other cases	26.79	1.11	11.19	19.27

Note: the average times to close MAP cases that started as from 1 January 2016 were computed according to the MAP statistics reporting framework available at http://www.oecd.org/tax/dispute/mutual-agreement-procedure-statistics-reporting-framework.pdf

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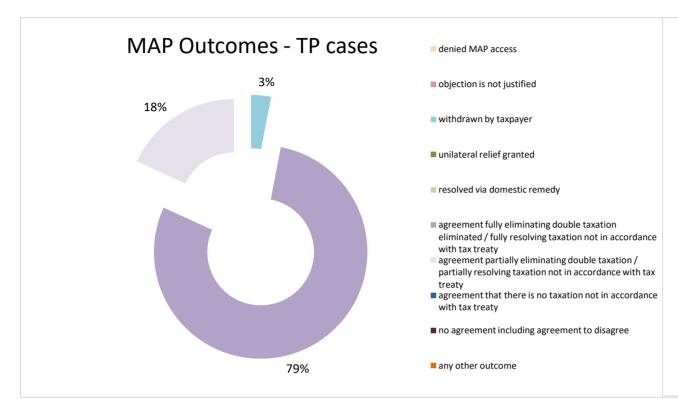
## Overview of MAP partners (only for cases started as from 1 January 2016)

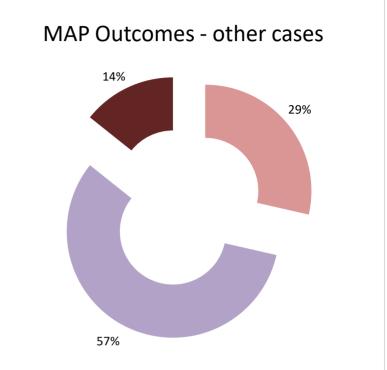
Note: the MAP cases started before 1 January 2016 and closed in 2021 are not shown in these graphs



The label "Treaty Partners (de minimis rule applies)" applies to treaty partners with which the number of cases in start inventory plus the number of cases started is less than 5. The relevant MAP statistics are aggregated under this category.

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Cases closed by outcome	denied MAP access	objection is not justified	withdrawn by taxpayer	unilateral relief granted	resolved via domestic remedy	agreement fully eliminating double taxation eliminated / fully resolving taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	eliminating double taxation / partially resolving	taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	no agreement including agreement to disagree	any other outcome	Total
Transfer pricing cases (all)	0	0	1	0	0	26	6	0	0	0	33
Cases started before 1 January 2016	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	4
Cases started as from 1 January 2016	0	0	1	0	0	26	2	0	0	0	29
Other cases (all)	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	7
Cases started before 1 January 2016	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cases started as from 1 January 2016	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	7
All cases	0	2	1	0	0	30	6	0	1	0	40

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				numbe	er of pre-201	16 cases clos	ed during the re	porting period b	y outcome:				
category of cases	no. of pre-2016 cases in MAP inventory on 1 January 2021	denied MAP access	objection is not justified	withdrawn by taxpayer	unilateral relief granted	resolved via domestic remedy	agreement fully eliminating double taxation / fully resolving taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	agreement partially eliminating double taxation / partially resolving taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	agreement that there is no taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	no agreement including agreement to disagree	outcome	no. of pre- 2016 cases remaining in on MAP inventory on 31 December 2021	average time taken (in months) for closing pre- 2016 cases during the reporting period
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7	Column 8	Column 9	Column 10	Column 11	Column 12	Column 13	Column 14
Attribution/ Allocation	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	8	82.86
Others	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.a.
Total	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	8	82.86
Notes:													
Definition of a land counting of		The definition	on of MAP ca	ase and the co	ounting of MA	AP cases are o	consistent with ite	ms (a) and (b) of	Annex C of the	MAP Statistics	s Reporting Fr	ramework.	
Category of cas	ses	profits to a	permanent e	stablishment;	or (b) the de		profits between a	MAP cases is Massociated enterp			-		

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The average time taken to close pre-2016 cases was computed by applying the following rules:

(i) start date: the date when the MAP request was received or notification was given by the other competent authority; and

(ii) end date: the date of formal closure of the case (including agreement reached) which means the date when the latter closing letter is sent to / received from the other

					Table 1: A	Attribution / A	llocation MA	AP Cases						
						r	number of pos	st-2015 cases	s closed during the	reporting period by o	utcome:			
	Treaty Partner	no. of post- 2015 cases in MAP inventory on 1 January 2021	no. of post- 2015 cases started during the reporting period	denied MAP access	objection is not justified	withdrawn by taxpayer	unilateral relief granted	domestic remedy	agreement fully eliminating double taxation eliminated / fully resolving taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	resolving taxation not in accordance	agreement that there is no taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	agreement to	any other outcome	no. of post- 2015 cases remaining in MAP inventory on 31 December 2021
	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7	Column 8	Column 9	Column 10	Column 11	Column 12	Column 13	Column 14
Row 1	Belgium	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
	China (People's Republic of)	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
	Germany	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	13
	India	36	4	0	0	1	0	0	9	0	0	0	0	30
	Italy	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
	Korea	4	10	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	8
	Mexico	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	3
	United States	5	1	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	1
Row 2	Treaty Partners (de minimis rule applies)	7	9	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	0	12
	Total	78	33	0	0	1	0	0	26	2	0	0	0	82
	Notes:													

					Table 2: Ot	ther MAP Ca	ses						
				number of post-2015 cases closed during the reporting period by outcome									
Treaty Partner	no. of post- 2015 cases in MAP inventory on 1 January 2021	no. of post- 2015 cases started during the reporting period	denied MAP access	objection is not justified	withdrawn by taxpayer	unilateral relief granted	resolved via domestic remedy	agreement fully eliminating double taxation / fully resolving taxation not in accordance with tax treaty	resolving taxation	that there is no	agreement to	any other outcome	no. of post-201 cases remaining MAP inventory of 31 December 20
Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5	Column 6	Column 7	Column 8	Column 9	Column 10	Column 11	Column 12	Column 13	Column 14
Treaty Partners (de minimis rule applies)	13	10	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	16
Total	13	10	0	2	0	0	0	4	0	0	1	0	16

		average time taken (in months) for post-2015 cases from:								
	Treaty Partner	"Start" to "End"	Receipt of taxpayer's MAP request to "Start"	"Start" to Milestone 1	Milestone 1 to "End"					
	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5					
w 1	China (People's Republic of)	38.83	1.15	36.97	1.86					
	India	22.48	0.97	10.28	12.20					
	Korea	16.29	0.84	11.95	4.35					
	Mexico	46.22	1.15	12.00	44.38					
	United States	18.62	0.99	6.25	12.37					
w 2	Treaty Partners (de minimis rule applies)	17.24	0.70	3.85	13.41					
	Total	22.58	0.93	11.00	12.28					

		Table 2: (	Other MAP Cases		
			average time taken (in mont	hs) for post-2015 cases from:	
	Treaty Partner	"Start" to "End"	Receipt of taxpayer's MAP request to "Start"	"Start" to Milestone 1	Milestone 1 to "End"
	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4	Column 5
Row 1	Treaty Partners (de minimis rule applies)	26.79	1.11	11.19	19.27
	Total	26.79	1.11	11.19	19.27

Notes:

		Table 3: All MAP Cases									
			average time taken (in months) for	post-2015 cases from:							
		"Start" to "End"	Receipt of taxpayer's MAP request to "Start"	"Start" to Milestone 1	Milestone 1 to "End"						
		Column 1	Column 2	Column 3	Column 4						
1	Total Average Time	23.40	0.97	11.03	13.48						
	Notes:										

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