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East West Index 2021 BACK TO "NORMAL"?

**How the pandemic affected the unbalanced
regional representation at film festivals**

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Number of festivals in the survey:	14
Western Europe:	8
Eastern Europe:	6

Total number of films at all 14 festivals:	2019 / 2 701
	2020 / 2 106

Decrease:	-22 %
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TOTAL NUMBER OF FILMS AT ALL 14 FESTIVALS DIVIDED WEST / EAST

2019 >	Western Europe (8 festivals)	1 486 films
	Eastern Europe (6 festivals)	1 215 films

2020 >	Western Europe (8 festivals)	1 114 films
	Eastern Europe (6 festivals)	992 films

Western Europe (8 festivals)	-25 % decrease / -372 films
Eastern Europe (6 festivals)	-18 % decrease / -223 films

2020 versus 2019

Number of festivals with less films in programme:	11
Number of festivals with more films in programme:	3

FESTIVALS WITH HIGHEST DECREASE OF FILMS SELECTED IN THE PROGRAMME:

Dokufest	-145 films	-52 %	(279/134)
Dok Leipzig	-123 films	-45 %	(274/151)
IDFA	-91 films	-31 %	(296/205)
Doclisboa	-79 films	-27 %	(290/211)
Docs Against Gravity	-77 films	-41 %	(187/110)
Krakow Film Festival	-63 films	-26 %	(239/176)
CPH:DOX	-31 films	-14 %	(192/223)
Visions du Réel	-27 films	-17 %	(161/134)

FESTIVALS WITH HIGHEST INCREASE OF FILMS SELECTED IN THE PROGRAMME:

Ji.hlava IDFF	+40 films	+14 %	(286/326)
Beldocs	+15 films	+13 %	(120/135)
ZagrebDox	+7 films	+7 %	(104/111)

REGIONAL REPRESENTATION – 2019 VERSUS 2020 (PERCENTAGE OF FILMS IN THE FESTIVAL PROGRAMMES)

FESTIVALS OF WESTERN EUROPE

Western Europe	56 % – 58 %
Eastern Europe	10 % – 11 %
North America	11 % – 8 %
South America	10 % – 8 %
Asia	8 % – 9 %
Africa	5 % – 6 %

FESTIVALS OF EASTERN EUROPE

Western Europe	36 % – 38 %
Eastern Europe	39 % – 39 %
North America	12 % – 10 %
South America	3 % – 2 %
Asia	5 % – 9 %
Africa	4 % – 2 %

REGIONAL REPRESENTATION – 2019 VERSUS 2020 NUMBER OF FILMS (APPROXIMATELY)

FESTIVALS OF WESTERN EUROPE

Western Europe	832 films – 647 films
Eastern Europe	149 films – 123 films
North America	163 films – 89 films
South America	149 films – 89 films
Asia	119 films – 100 films
Africa	74 films – 67 films

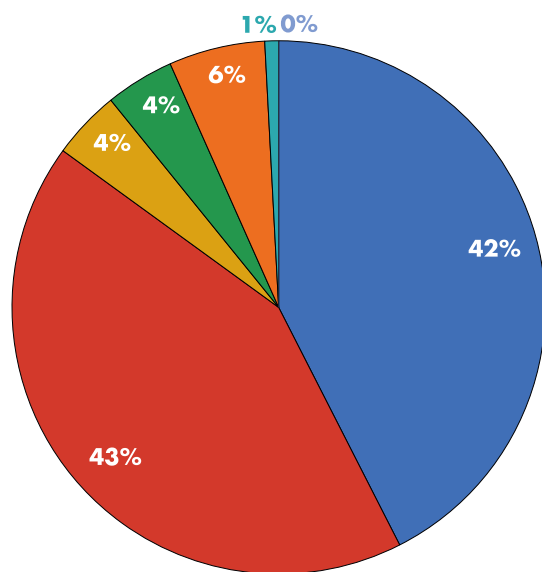
FESTIVALS OF EASTERN EUROPE

Western Europe	437 films – 377 films
Eastern Europe	474 films – 387 films
North America	146 films – 99 films
South America	36 films – 20 films
Asia	61 films – 89 films
Africa	49 films – 20 films

Beldocs

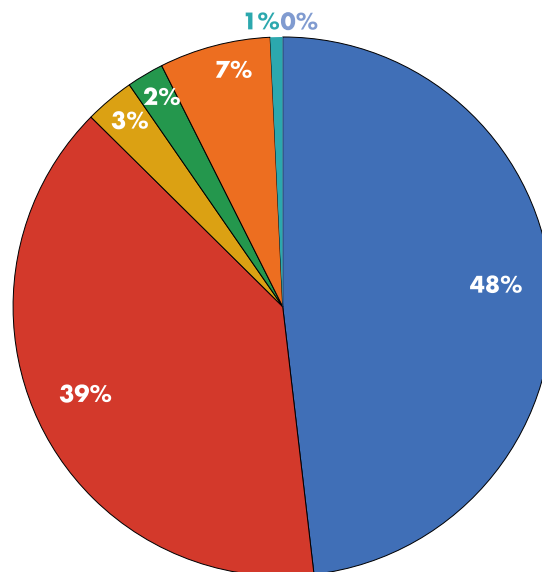
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**2019
120**



Physical

**2020
135**



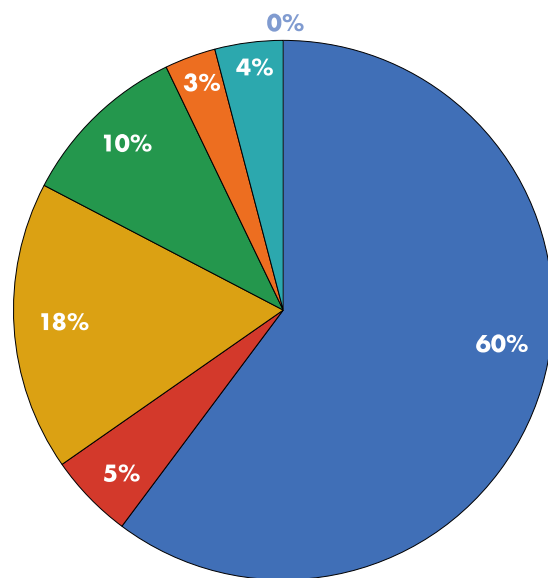
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Cinéma du Réel

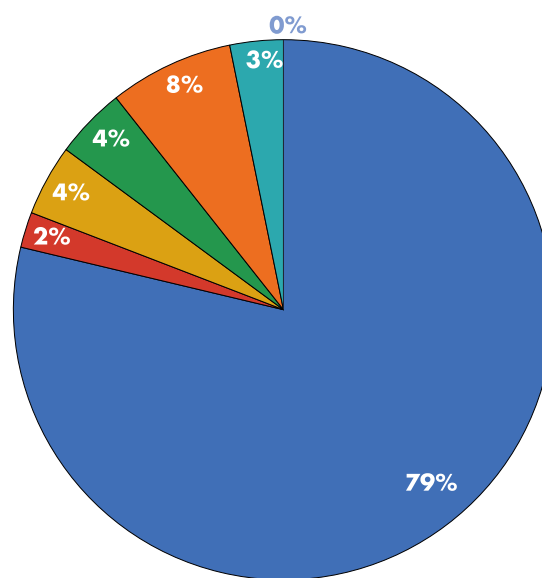
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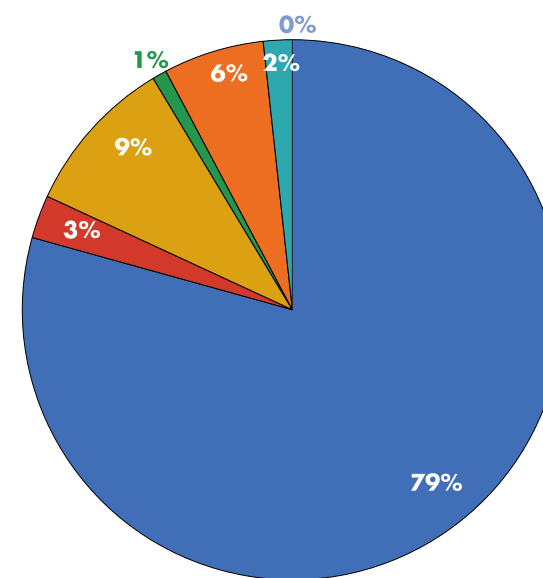
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2020
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Digital

2021
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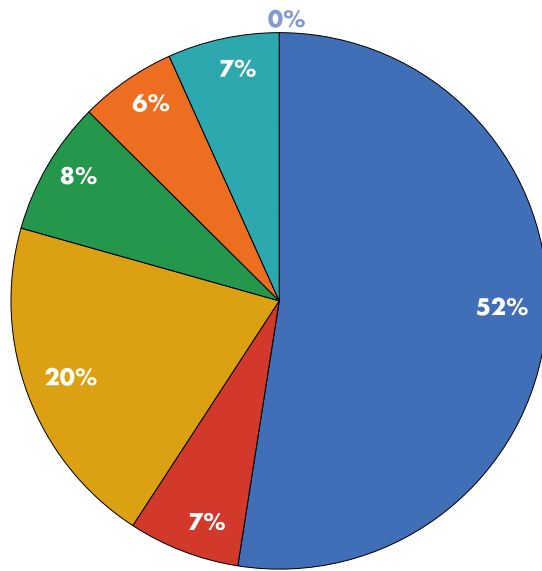
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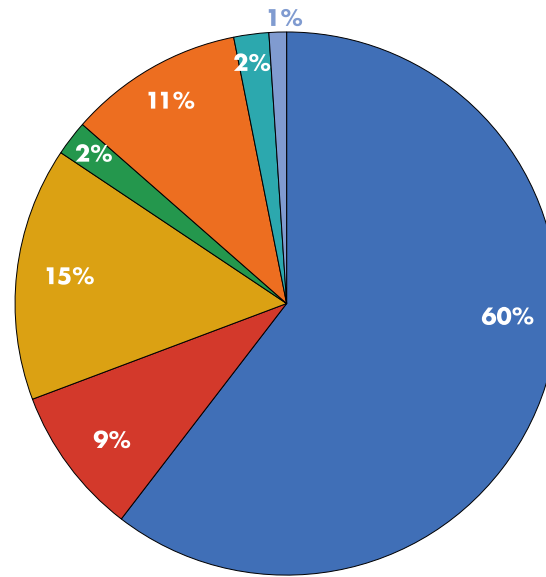
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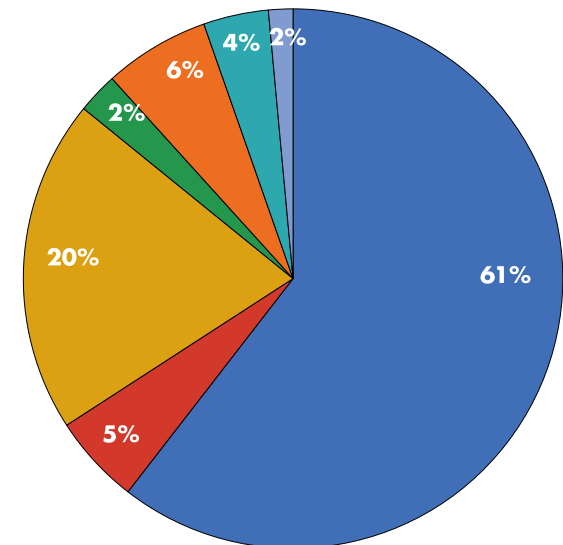
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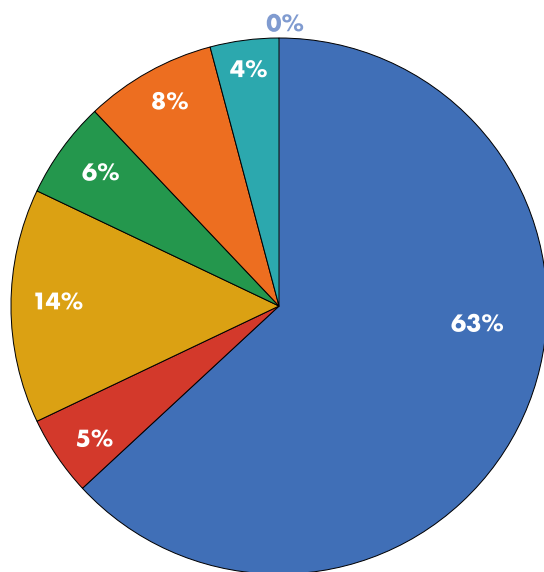
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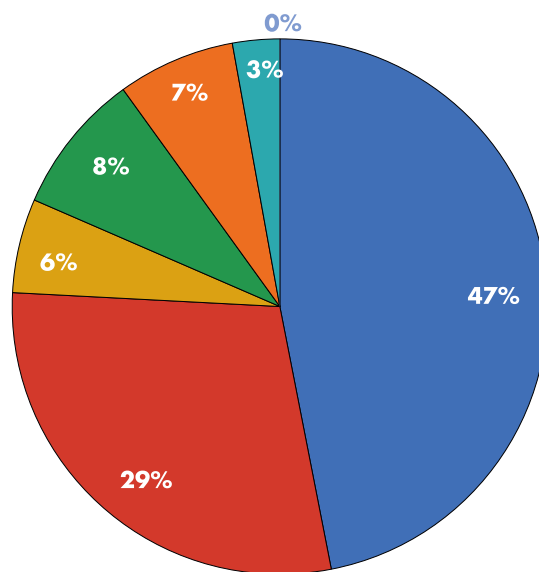
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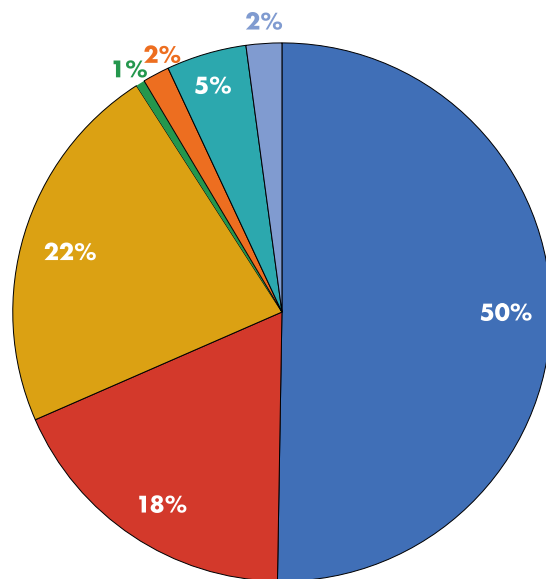
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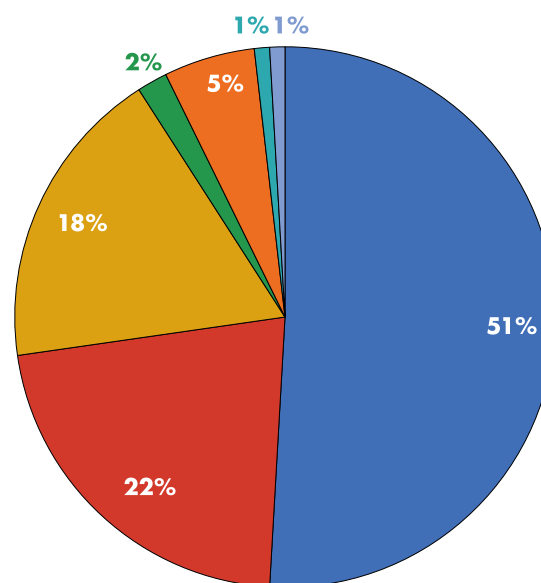
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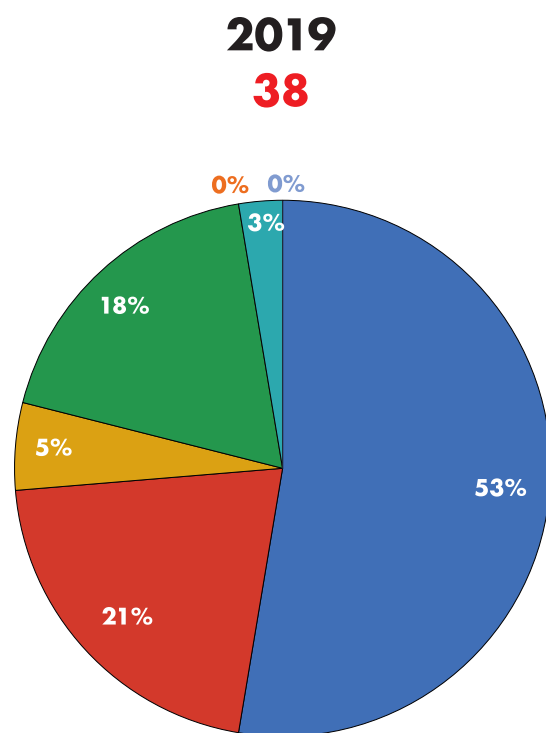


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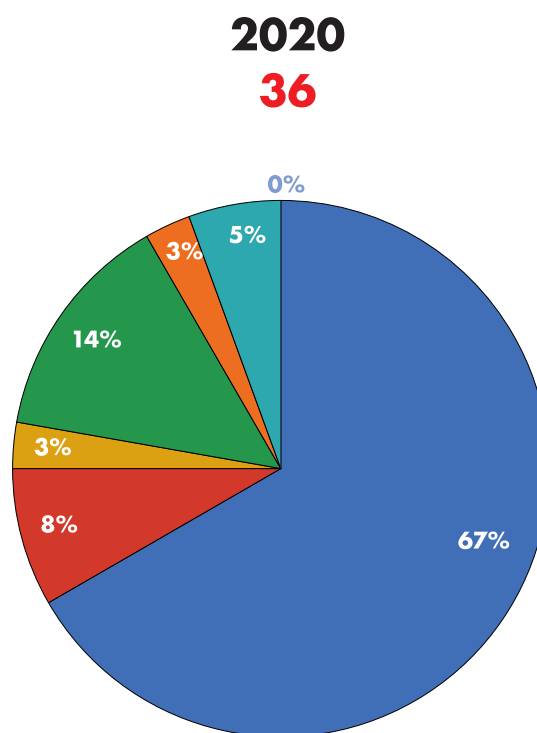
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DocsBarcelona

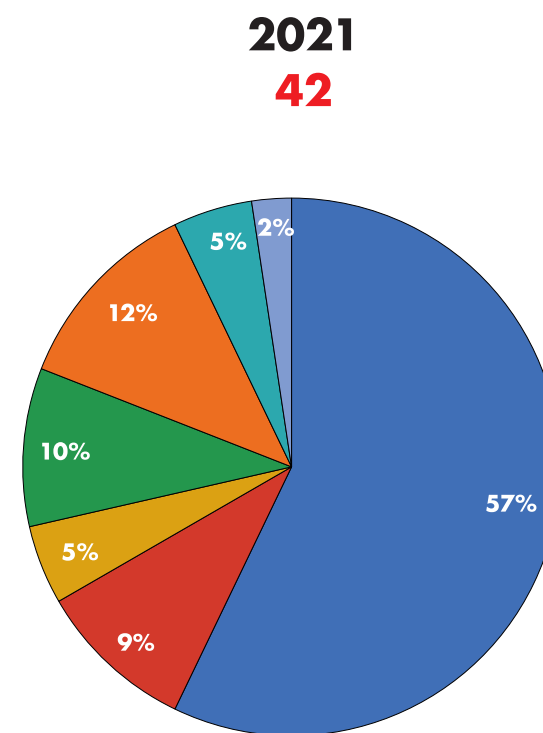
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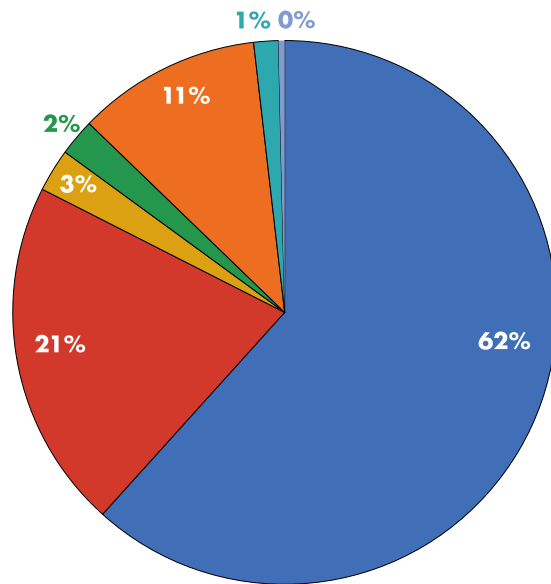
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DOK Leipzig

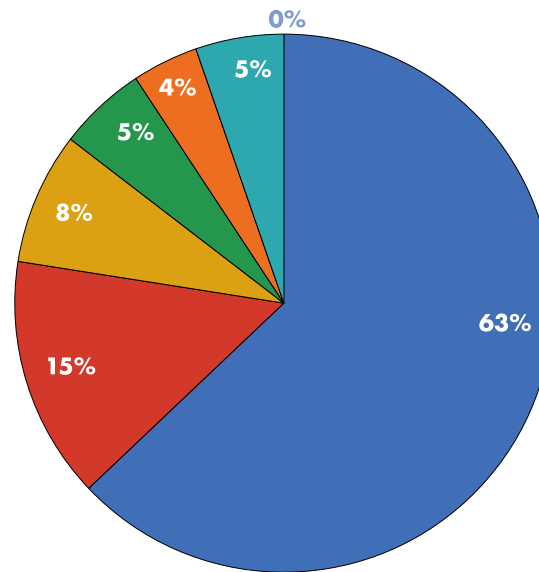
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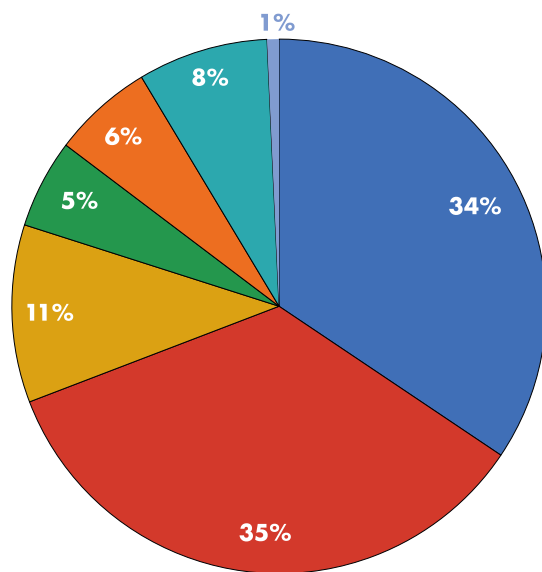
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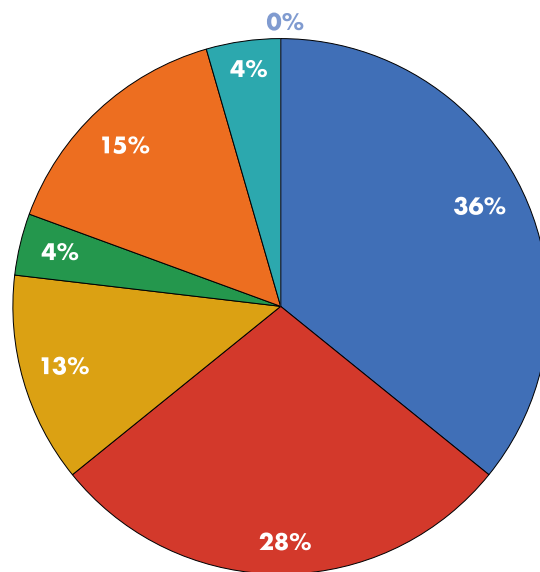
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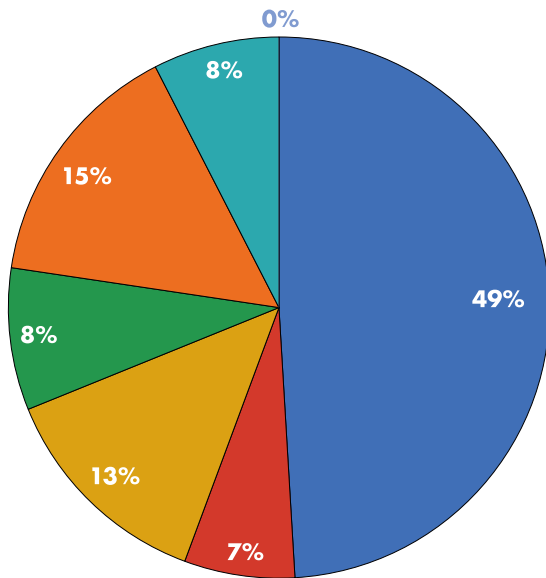
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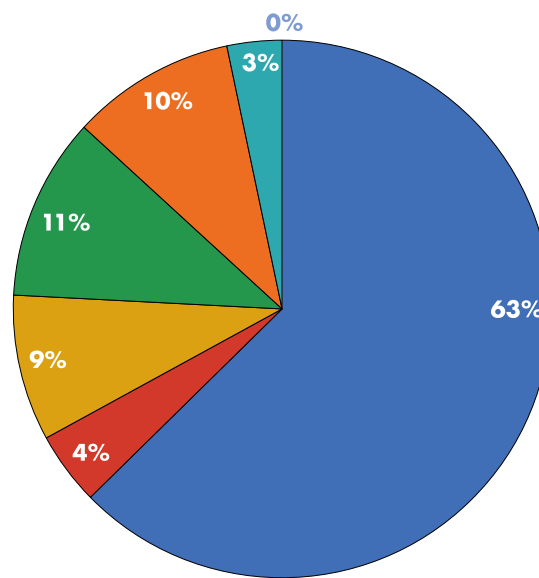
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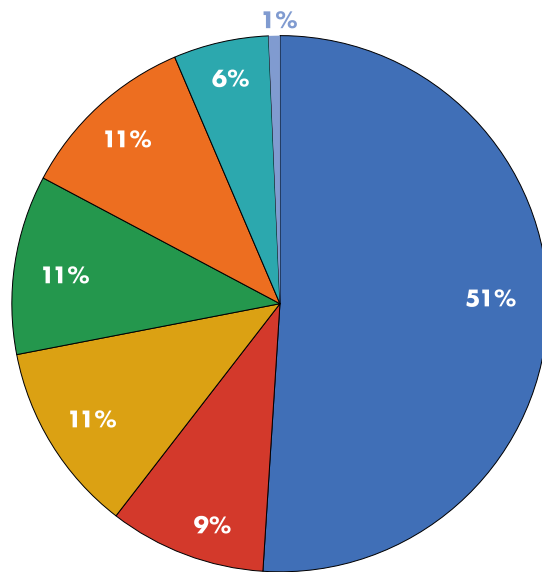
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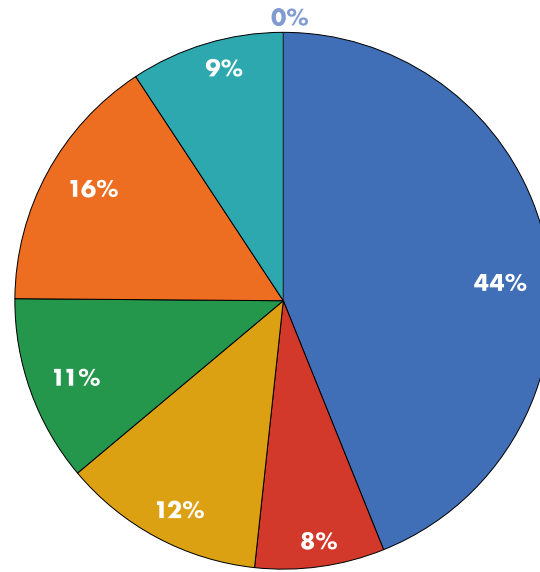
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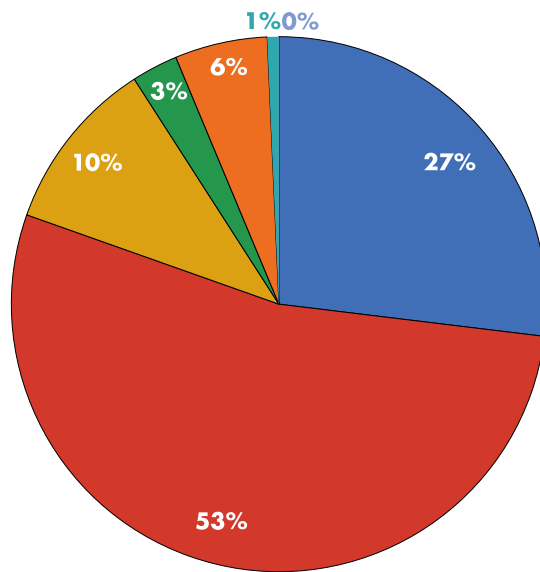
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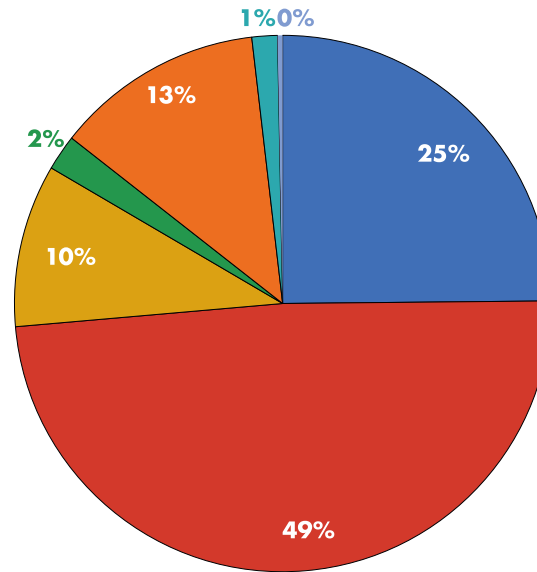
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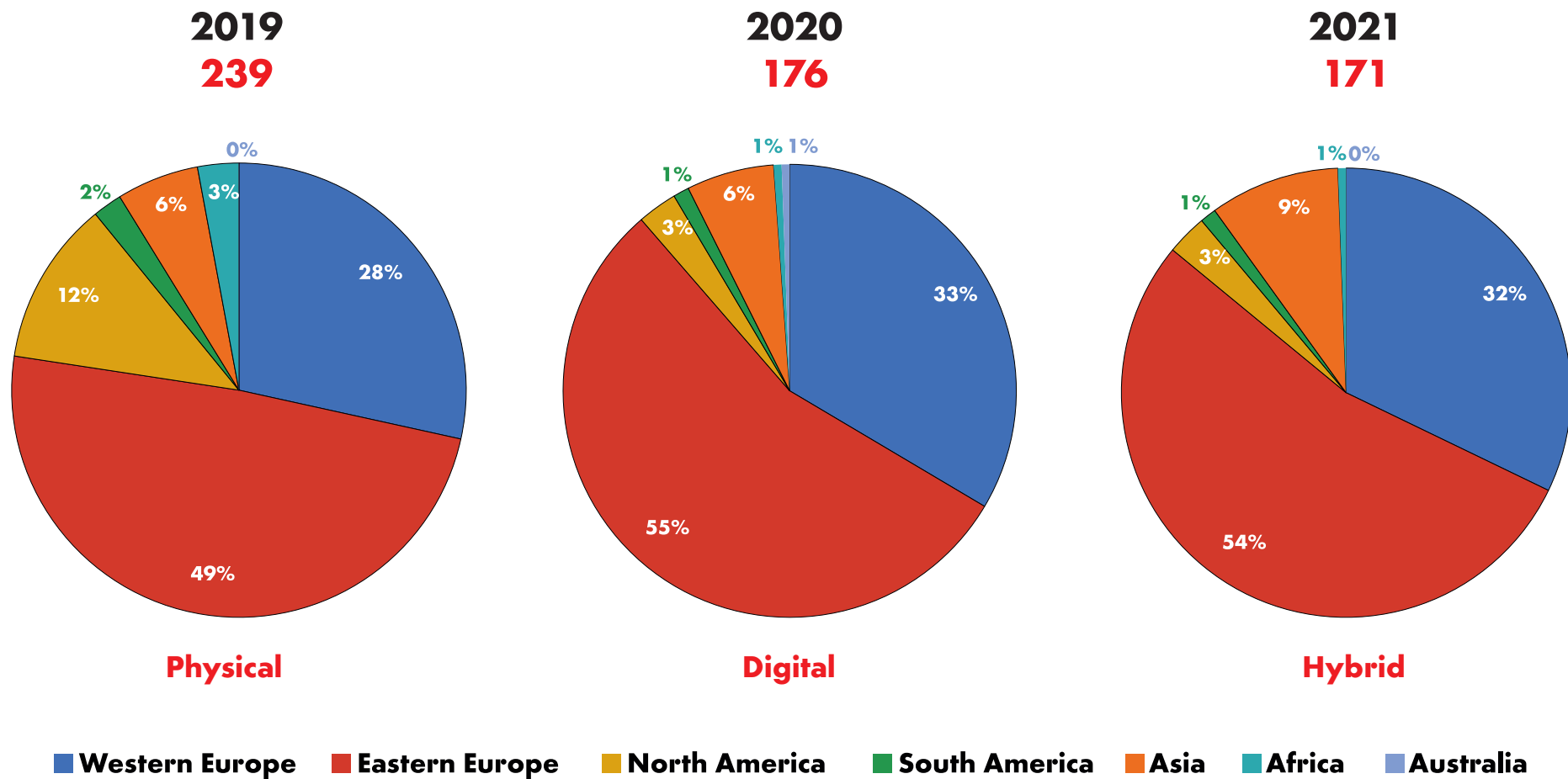


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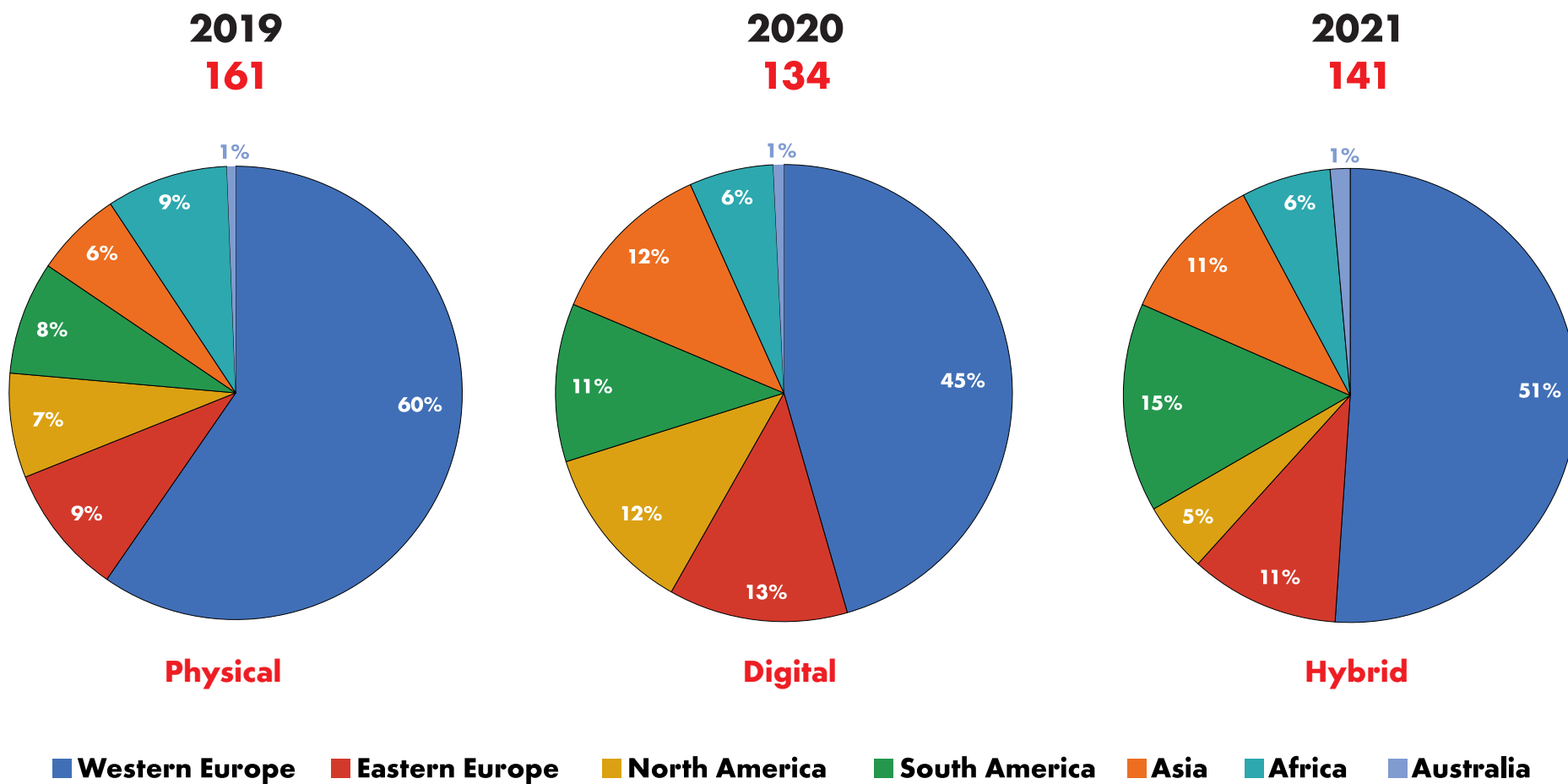
Krakow FF

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Visions du Réel

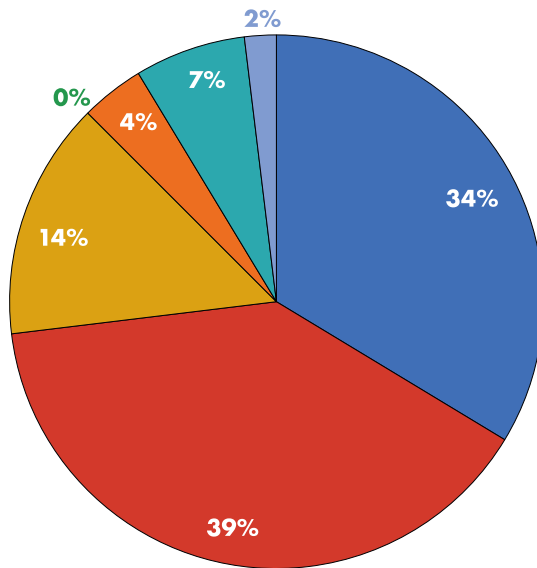
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ZagrebDox

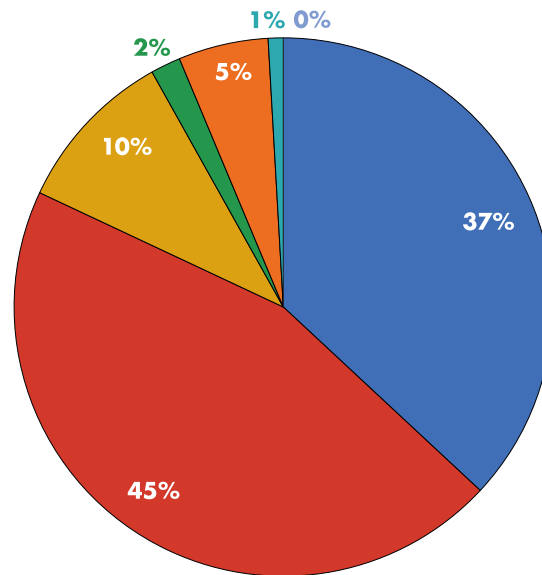
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