

What is INHOPE and what do we do?

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Who are we and what do we do?

- ✓ **Umbrella and membership** organisation for 51 Internet Hotlines in 47 countries
- ✓ **Global network** of hotlines dedicated to **removing Child Sexual Abuse Material (CSAM)** from the Internet
- ✓ **Unique global database** enables fast and efficient Notice & Takedown of URLs
- ✓ Network covers **93% of reported CSAM** hosting worldwide (2014)
- ✓ Global centre for **Training** and **Best Practice**
- ✓ Source of global **statistics** on CSAM hosting



Faster, better, stronger together

- *INHOPE helps **create, enable and strengthen** hotline relationships with industry => Take CSAM down ASAP after a report is received from the public*
- *Saves police time by **collaborating** across continents with LEAs => Concentrate efforts in investigating confirmed cases of CSAM and **rescue victims without delay***
- *Prevent revictimisation*



What we do in a nutshell

HOW ONE SINGLE REPORT TO A HOTLINE MAKES A WORLD OF DIFFERENCE



Digital citizen



Hotline



Law enforcement



Content Service Provider



Removal of CSAM

We also produce stats, infographics...



Number of URLs

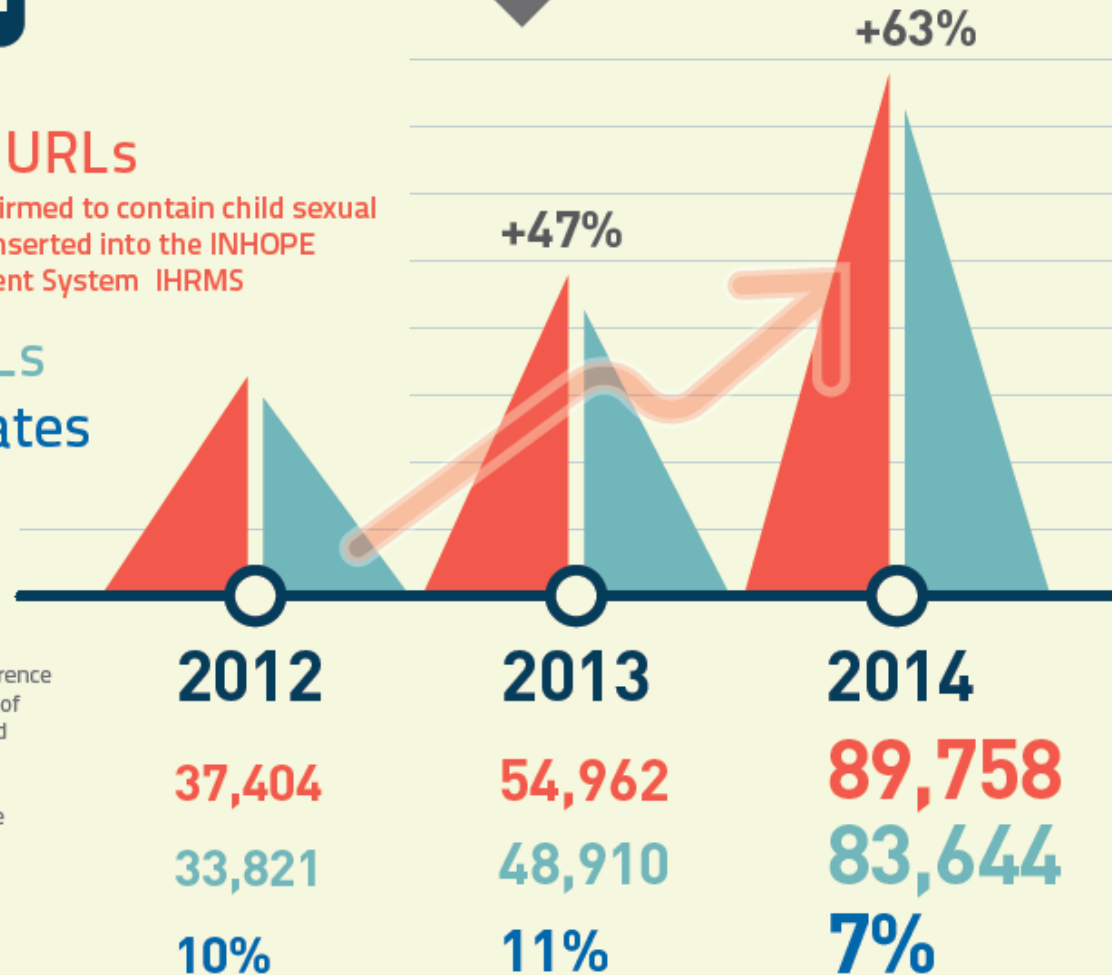
number of URLs confirmed to contain child sexual abuse material and inserted into the INHOPE Reporting Management System IHRMS

Unique URLs % of duplicates

> URL: Uniform resource locator is a reference to a resource that specifies the location of the resource on a computer network and a mechanism for retrieving it.

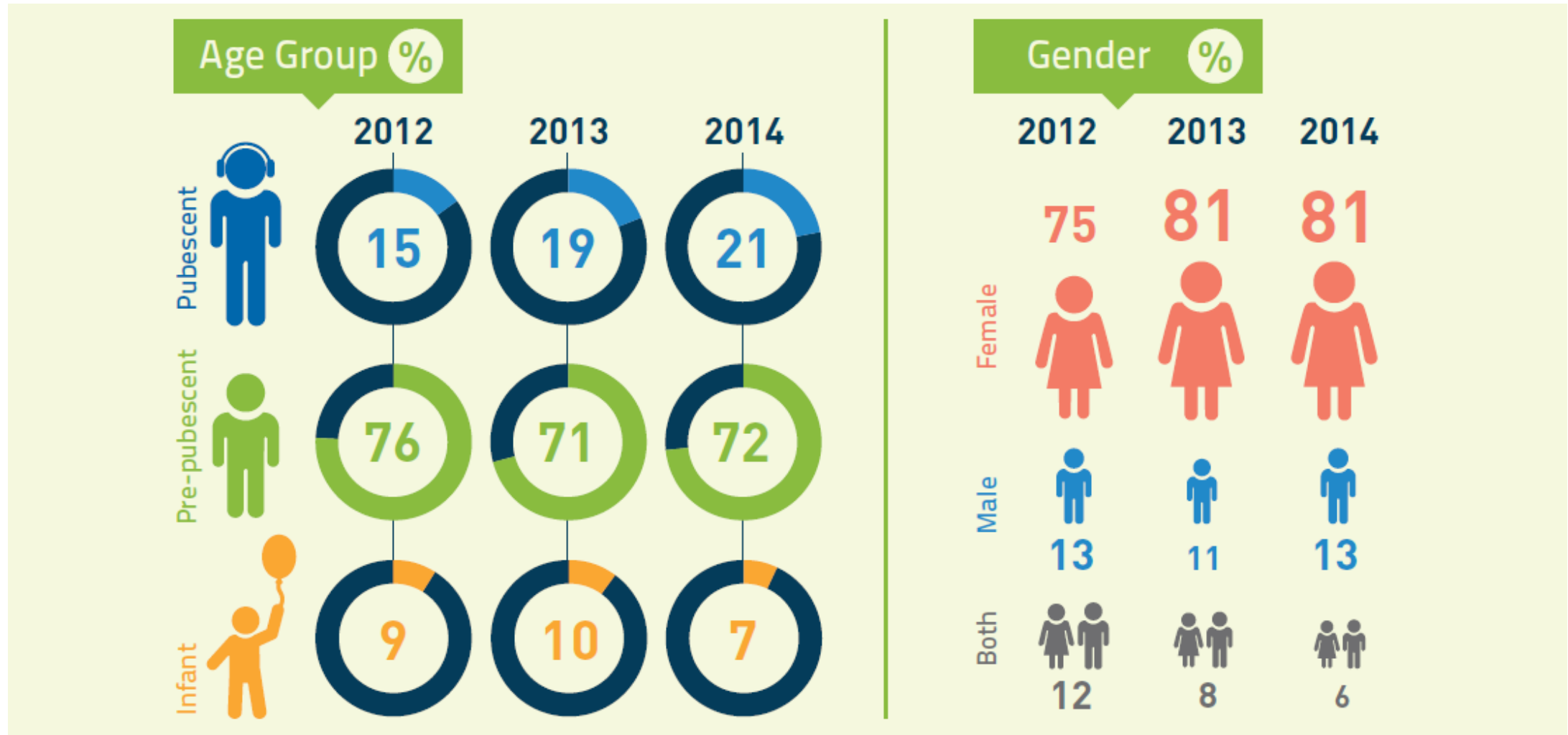
> Duplicate: URL is marked as a duplicate if the same URL is reported again within 5 working days.

URLs



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Victims profiles



Who do we work with? INHOPE Partnerships

Law Enforcement

INTERPOL
EUROPOL
Virtual Global Taskforce
Global Alliance

European Union

European Commission
European Financial Coalition
CEO Coalition
ICT Coalition
Council of Europe

International

ITU-Child Online Protection
UNICEF
UNSRSG Violence against Children
ICANN

Industry

GSMA-Mobile Alliance
Telefonica
EuroISPA
Microsoft
Google
Facebook
Twitter

NGOs

ECPAT International
International Centre for Missing and Exploited Children
Missing Children Europe
Child Helpline International

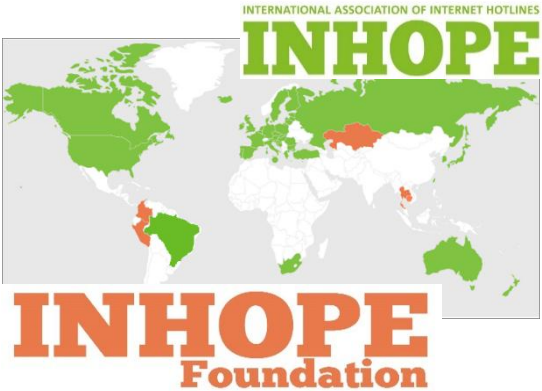
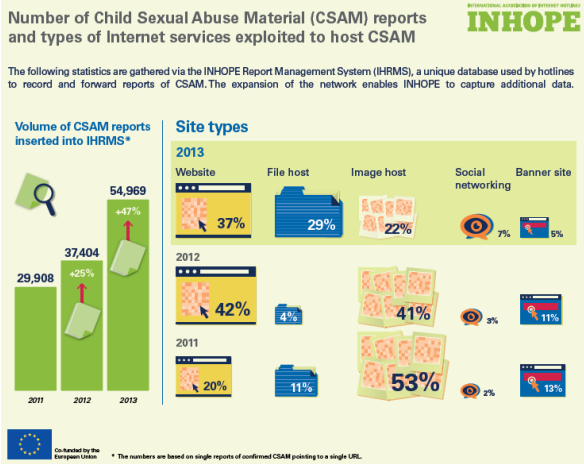
Forward to the Future

Technology

Data

Global Network

Training



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Challenges ahead

- **Effective and coordinated multi-stakeholder approach**
 - All sectors of the internet industry (**but not just the big players**)
 - hotlines and law enforcement
 - child advocates, awareness-raising, civil society
 - national governments, regional authorities
 - Academia
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- **Capacity building**
- **Development and sharing of best practices and knowledge => Research!**
- **Political engagement and willingness**
- **Coordination and effective** monitoring of efforts
- Best practices, BUT also **flexibility** and **adaptation** to different regional, local realities
- **Child-centered approach!** => In the best interest of the child
- **Evidence-based** policies, programmes, initiatives
- **Reality check: We also need resources**

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GRNZVVNi>

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