

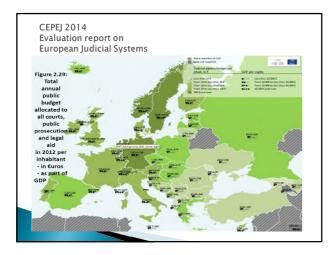
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- + 45 Member States and 1 observer State (Israël)
- > 2012 data from the States concerned
- More than 3 million entries in the database
- 5th report (previous reports 2006, 2008, 2010 and 2012) •

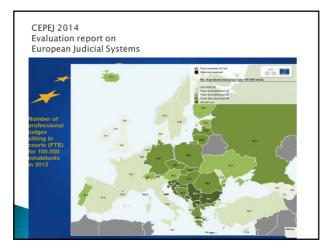
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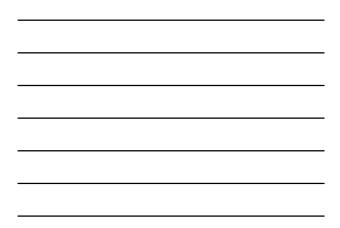
- Financing of the judicial systems
- Access to justice Rights and public confidence for court users
- The courts Alternative dispute resolution
- Judges
- Non-judge staff Court efficiency Prosecutors
- Status and career of judges and prosecutors

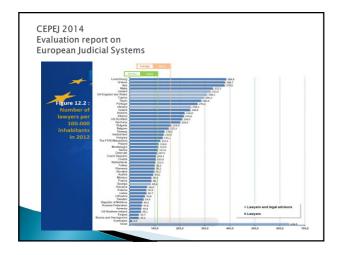
- Lawyers Notaries Judicial experts Court interpreters
- Execution of court decisions



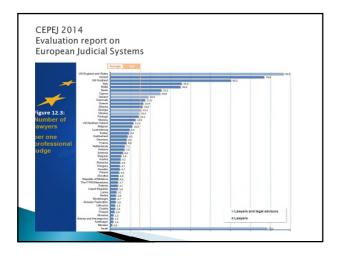




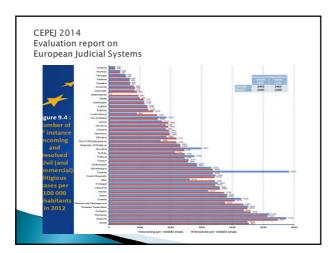














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- Report can be downloaded from the CEPEJ website
- www.coe.int/CEPEJ

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Study and Analysis of judicial Time Use Research Network



SATURN Strategy

- 1. Data collection
- 2. Improving the situation
- 3. Implementation of guidelines

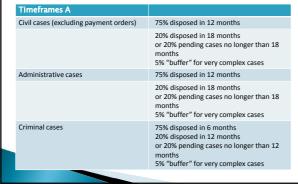
1. Data Collection

- European Judicial Systems
- Study on Council of Europe Member States Appeal and Supreme Courts's Lengths of Proceedings - Velicogna Report
- Length of court proceedings in the member states of the Council of Europe based on the case-law of the European Court of Human Rights" - CEPEJ Studies No. 3, 2006, updated in 2012

2. Improving the situation

- SATURN Guidelines for judicial time management
- Towards European Timeframes for Judical Proceedings

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Towards European Timeframes for Judical Proceedings

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3. Implemetation of Guidelines

Implementation guide - CEPEJ-SATURN(2011)9

Step 1 – Evaluation of the existing implementation of the SATURN Guidelines in the courts' practices Step 2 - Implementation of the SATURN priorities Step 3 - Reporting

SATURN Guidelines - Comments and implementation examples CEPEJ-SATURN(2013)4

- SATURN Priorities 15 guidelines
 Other 48 SATURN guidelines
 Sources: "Reports on the CEPEJ guidelines for judicial time management"; the "Compendium of 'best practices' for judicial time management", the "Time management of justice systems: A Northern Europe Study"; the "Timeliness report 2010-2011" of the European Network of Councils for the Judiciary and the "CEPEJ European Judicial Systems Report"

