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# **AfriNIC**

# **Activity Update**

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# Status of progress

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- AfriNIC has continuously grown during the past 5 years of its operation in terms of activities, budget and also membership. Few factors have been behind that:
  - *the community and its continuous support*
  - *the team at work*
  - *the Board*
  - *And our peer RIRs*

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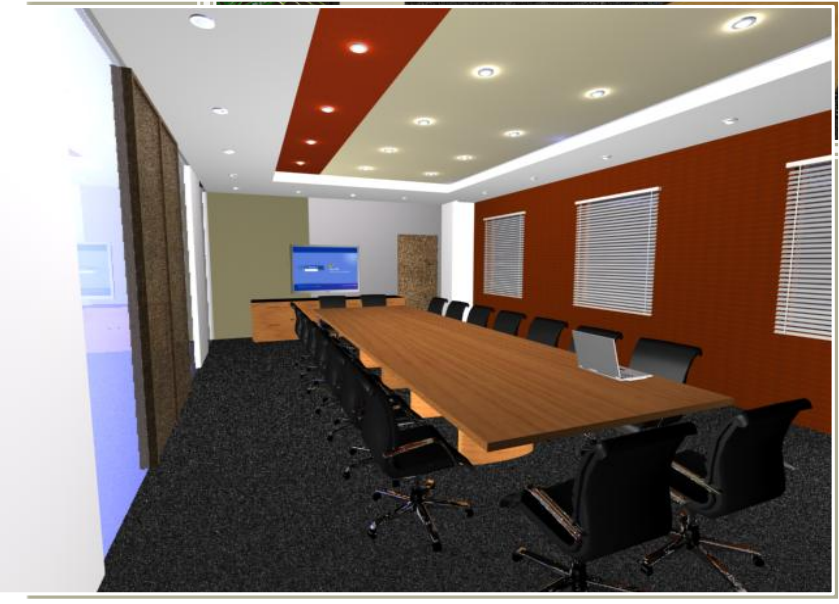
# AfriNIC

## AT A GLANCE

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- **16** Employees (13.9 FTE)
- Serving more than **600 active** Members
- **2.1 M USD** Operating Budget for 2010
- **12** Public Policy Meetings held so far
- Trained more than **1,000** people on IPv6 and INR Management.
- Visited **38** countries for awareness and training
- **19** policies discussed and adopted so far
- **3** Policies currently under discussion

# Moved to New Office in June 2010



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# What are we busy at?

## ENGINEERING & INFRASTRUCTURE

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- Ongoing Projects
  - Optimisation of Infrastructure (renewing servers, moving services to virtualised environment, moving server to new hosting location, centralisation of NOC in Mauritius)
  - B/RPKI deployment: Implemented our test bed and actively testing the infrastructure. Integration to the member portal is ongoing first successful test presented few days ago,.
  - MyAfriNIC improvement and addition of few new feature such as automated billing and payment process, e-voting system, R/BPKI user Interface.
  - WHOIS, DNSSEC and Anycast DNS are other projects being looked at by the the TOA.

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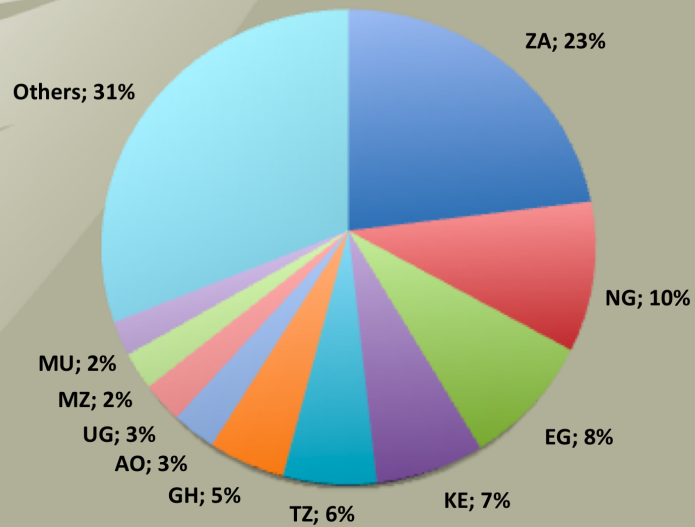
## MEMBER SERVICES

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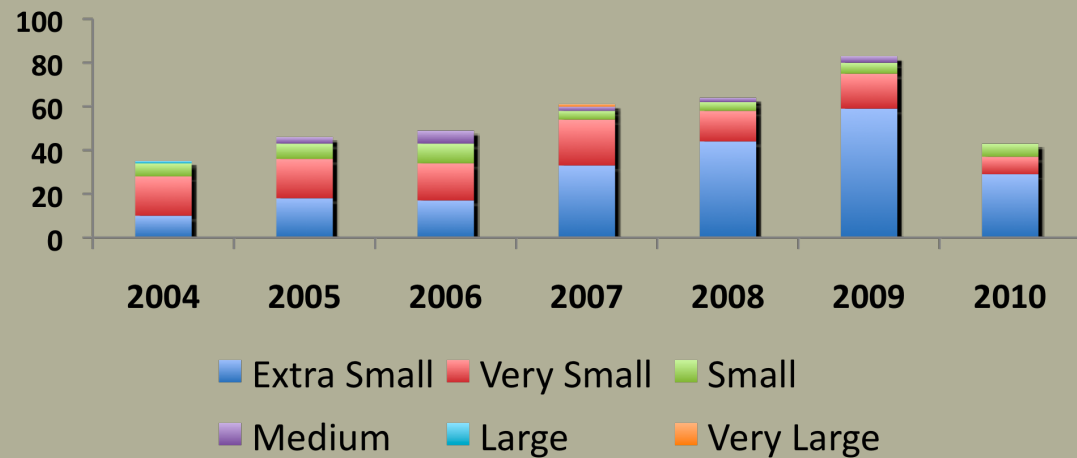
- **New dedicated Membership service:**
  - Enhance automation for further efficiency
  - Creation of dedicated front line support/liaison
  - Facilitate payment and Administrative process.
  - consolidate all members related services into a single point.
- **Implementation of new RSA**
  - New Category of Membership-Only for individuals and organisations.
  - Clarify few points from the old RSA
  - Add an appeal procedure
  - Clarify AfriNIC's role as RIR

# Membership figures AT A GLANCE

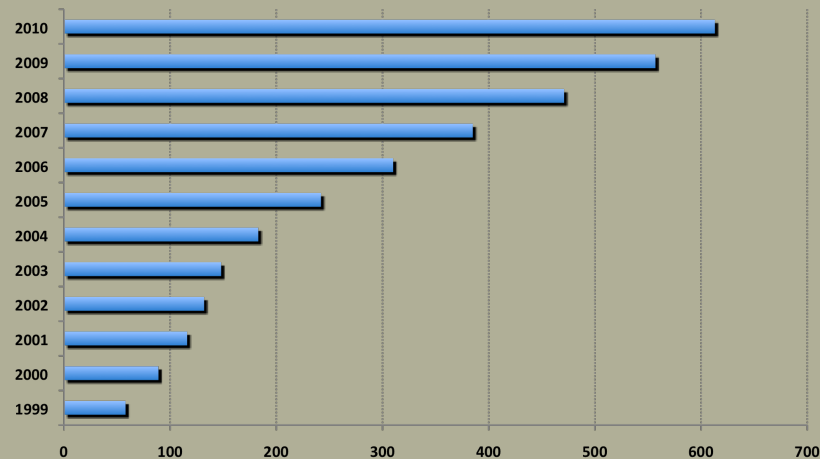
Membership Distribution



Distribution of LIR Members by Size  
(or Billing Category)



Membership Growth ('99 to '10)



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# What are we busy at?

## **AWARENESS AND COOPERATION**

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- **Trainings:** 6 trainings (ZA, MU, RW, SL, GM, LR)
- **Regional Involvement with Governments:**
  - GWG meeting planed during AfrINIC-13
  - Second LEA workshop to take place During AfrINIC-13
  - Incubating few new interest group such AfCERT (two training sessions will take place in November)
- **NRO:** AfrINIC has continued to support and contribute to the NRO.
  - EC, ECG, CCG, & RS Ad Hoc.



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# Human resources Challenge

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- One biggest challenge we are facing today is to be able to hire skilled and dedicated staff. We have few positions still unfilled (some for few months now). So if you are interested in spending some time in a beautiful Island and support what we are doing, please contact [hr@afrinic.net](mailto:hr@afrinic.net) . Internationally opened positions are:

*Communications Area Manager, Technical Writer/Editor, Marketing Officer, System Engineers (2), Software Engineer, Web Developer. IPV6 Program manager.*



# Upcoming Event

You are cordially  
invites to our  
upcoming AfrINIC-13  
Meeting

Johannesburg, South Africa  
20-26 November 2010

