### Linguistic integration of adult migrants Policy and practice

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#### **ORGANISATION OF THE 2013 SURVEY**

### 1. Organisation of the 2013 survey

- 2007 2009 <u>2013</u>
- Online survey
- Four sections:
  - Legislation and its impact
  - Language requirements (courses and tests)
    - Before entering the host country (A)
    - For residence (B)
    - For citizenship (C)

### 1. Organisation of the 2013 survey

- Indicators included in the 2013 survey
  - Language tests prior to entry
  - Optional/compulsory integration programme
  - Optional/compulsory official language classes
  - Use of CEFR proficiency levels to define requirements
  - Cost to migrants
  - Sanctions for non-attendance or low attendance at language courses
  - Quality of courses
  - Optional/compulsory knowledge-of-society course
  - Optional/compulsory testing of language proficiency and knowledge of host society
  - Cost to candidates
  - Sanctions if test not taken or failed
  - Course curriculum
  - Is the effectiveness of programs measured?

#### 2. Countries responding to the survey

 Number of countries responding to the 2007, 2009 and 2013 survey



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 Administrative background of officials who completed the 2013 survey



#### **ANALYSIS OF THE 2013 DATA**

### 3. Legislation and impact

 Number of countries participating in the 2013 survey, that reported language requirements for entry, residence, citizenship



### 4. Language requirements for residence

 Number of countries participating in the 2013 survey that reported language requirements for residence



### 4. Language requirements for residence

 Language requirements for residence and providing language courses (obligatory and optional attendance)



# 5. Language requirements for citizenship

• Number of participating countries with language requirements for citizenship



# 5. Language requirements for citizenship

 Number of participating countries with language requirements for residence and/or citizenship



#### DEVELOPMENTS BETWEEN 2009 – 2013 (27 COUNTRIES)

# 6. Legislation regarding language requirements for adult migrants



### 6. Language requirements and official language courses



### DEVELOPMENTS BETWEEN 2007 AND 2013 (20 COUNTRIES)

### Language requirements for adult migrants



#### Language requirements for residence or citizenship



# Official language courses (reported in 2007, 2009 and 2013)

	2007	2009	2013
Residence permit	Only general information: 8	8	9
Citizenship		4	9

#### Thank you!

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