



# 10 years SIDN and 20 years .nl

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# 1986-1996 .nl



- o .nl delegation to Piet Beertema
- o first domain name cwi.nl in april 1986
- o .nl (one of) the first ccTLD ?
- o increase importance of domain names
- o from 0 to 10.000 domainnames
- o from 0 to 150 registrants



# 1996: creation of SIDN



- by the sector, 3 founding partners
- Board
- not-for-profit
- indirect registration model
- council of registrars
- no government involvement
- operations subcontracted



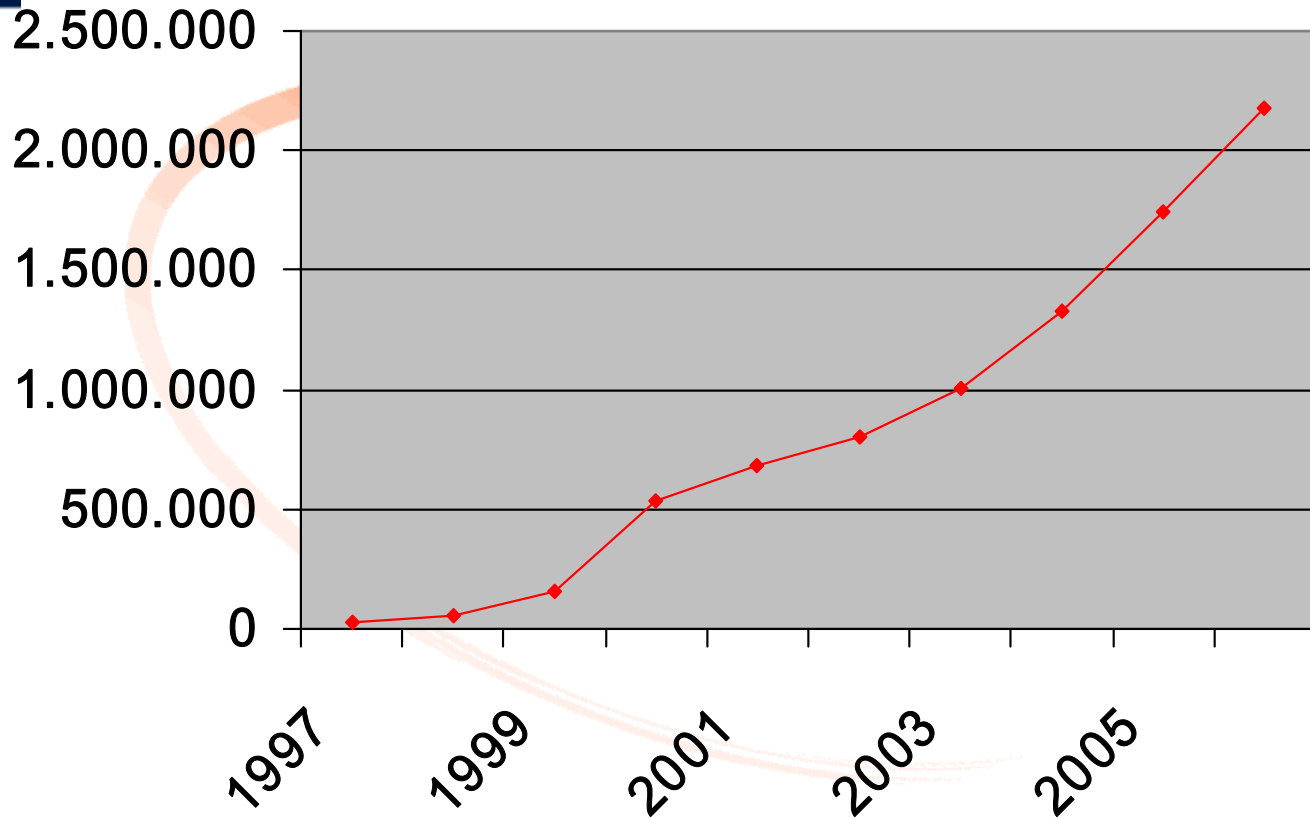
# 1996-2006: growth



- o naming policy development
- o in-sourced ops in 2003
- o 2005: corporate restructuring
- o the company grows to 45 employees in 2006

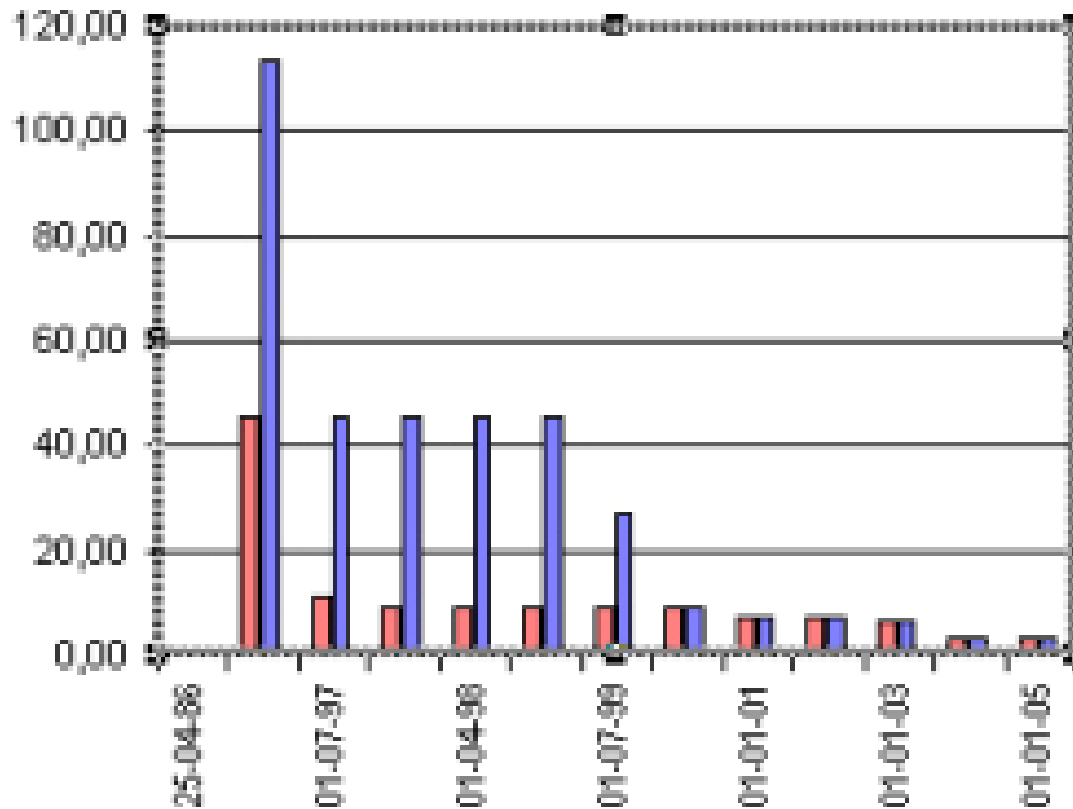


# Domain names



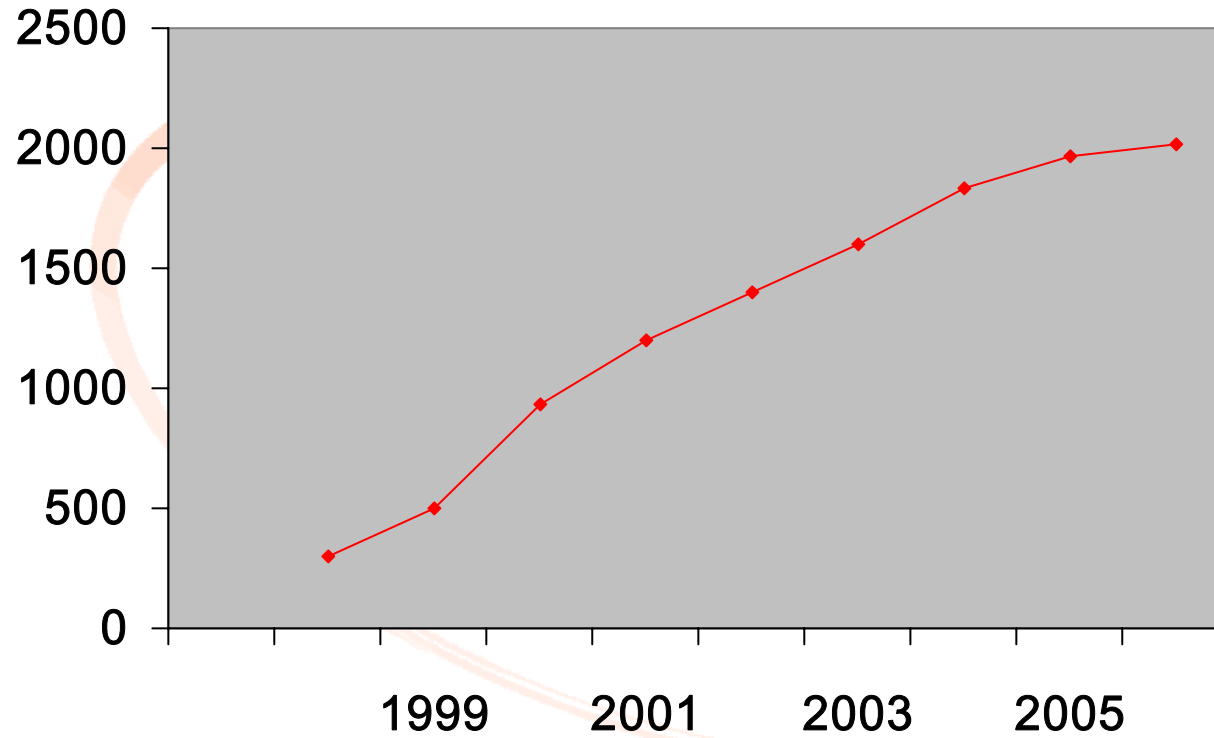


# Prices





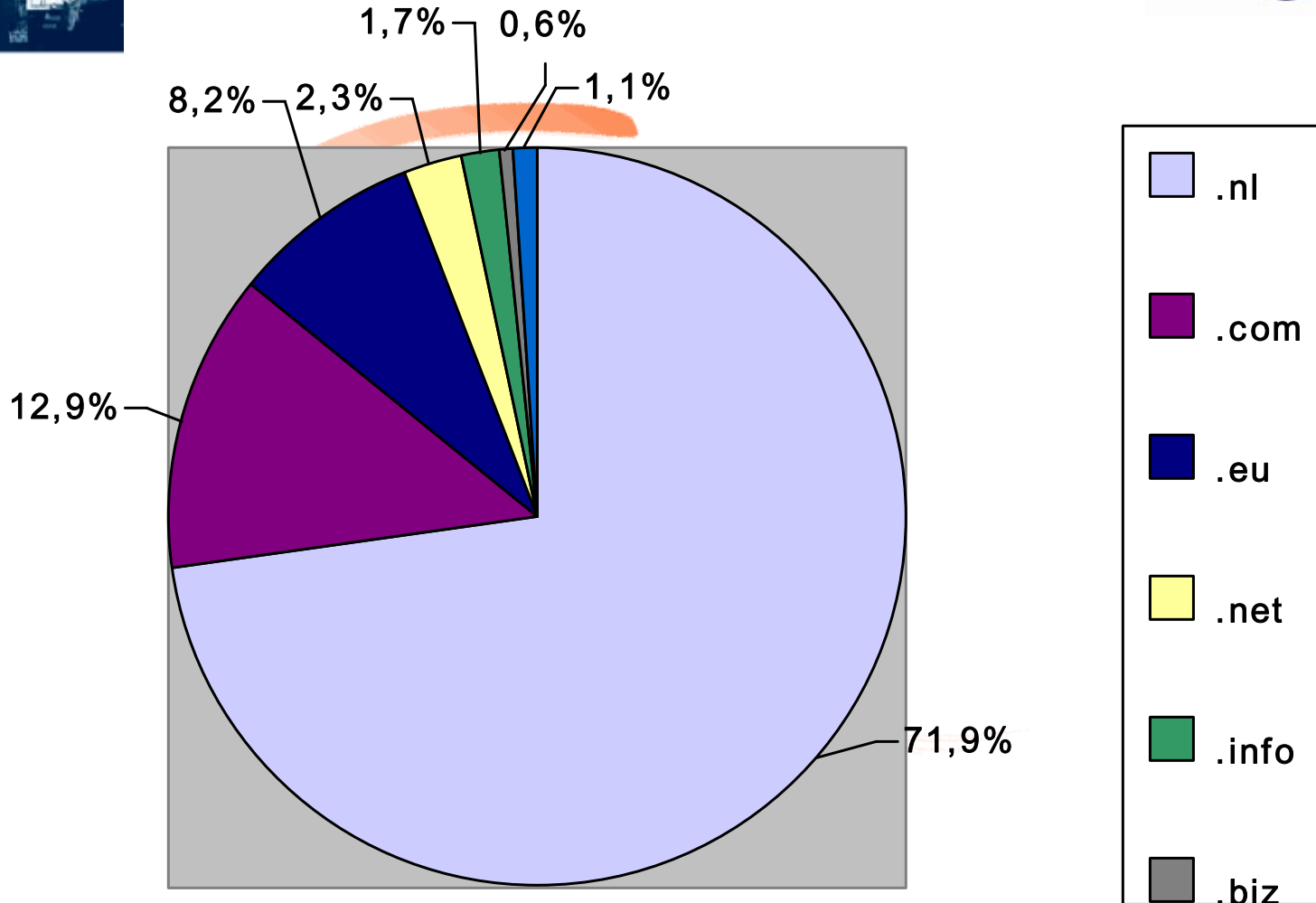
# Registrars





# Domain name market

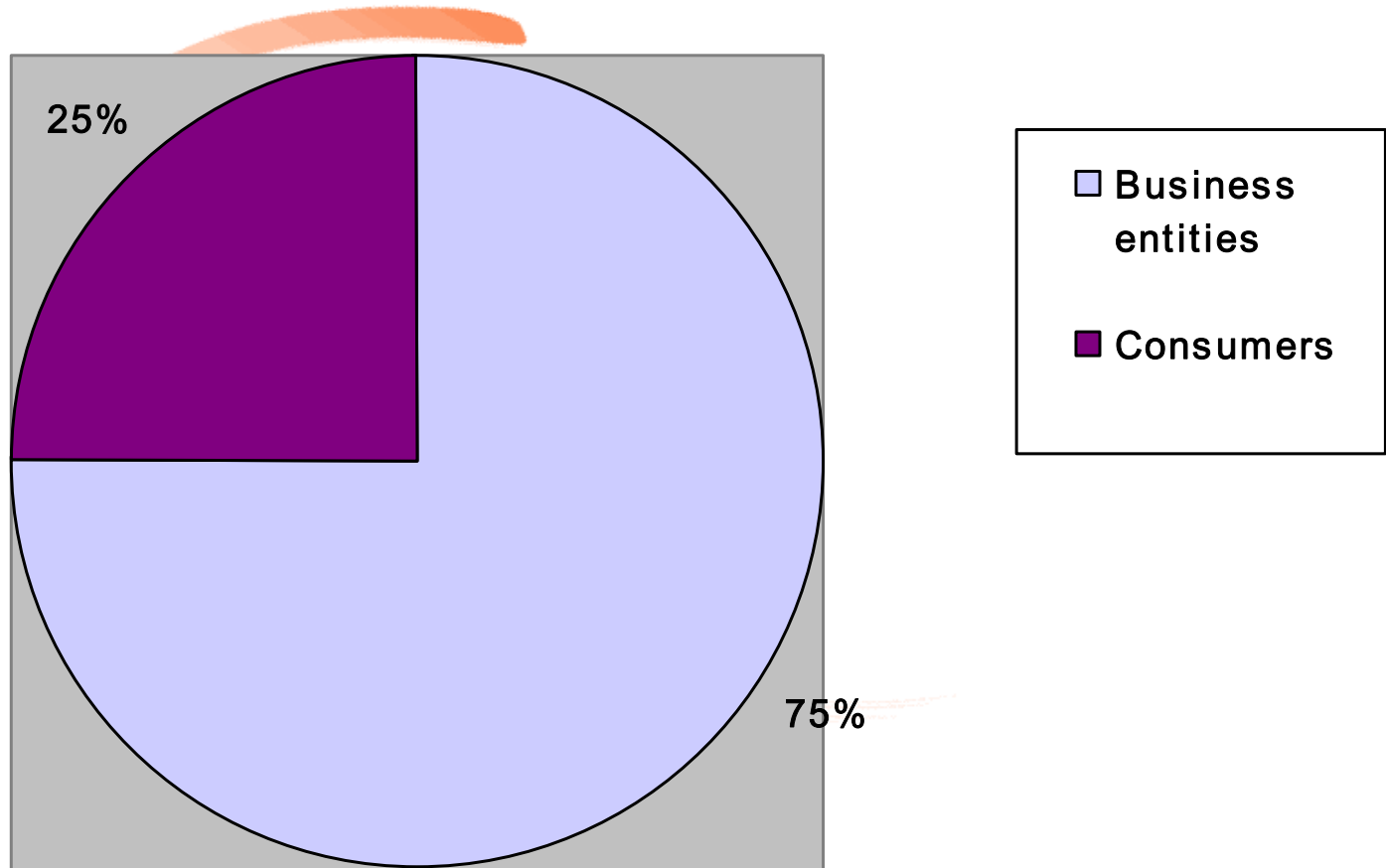
(2.6 million)





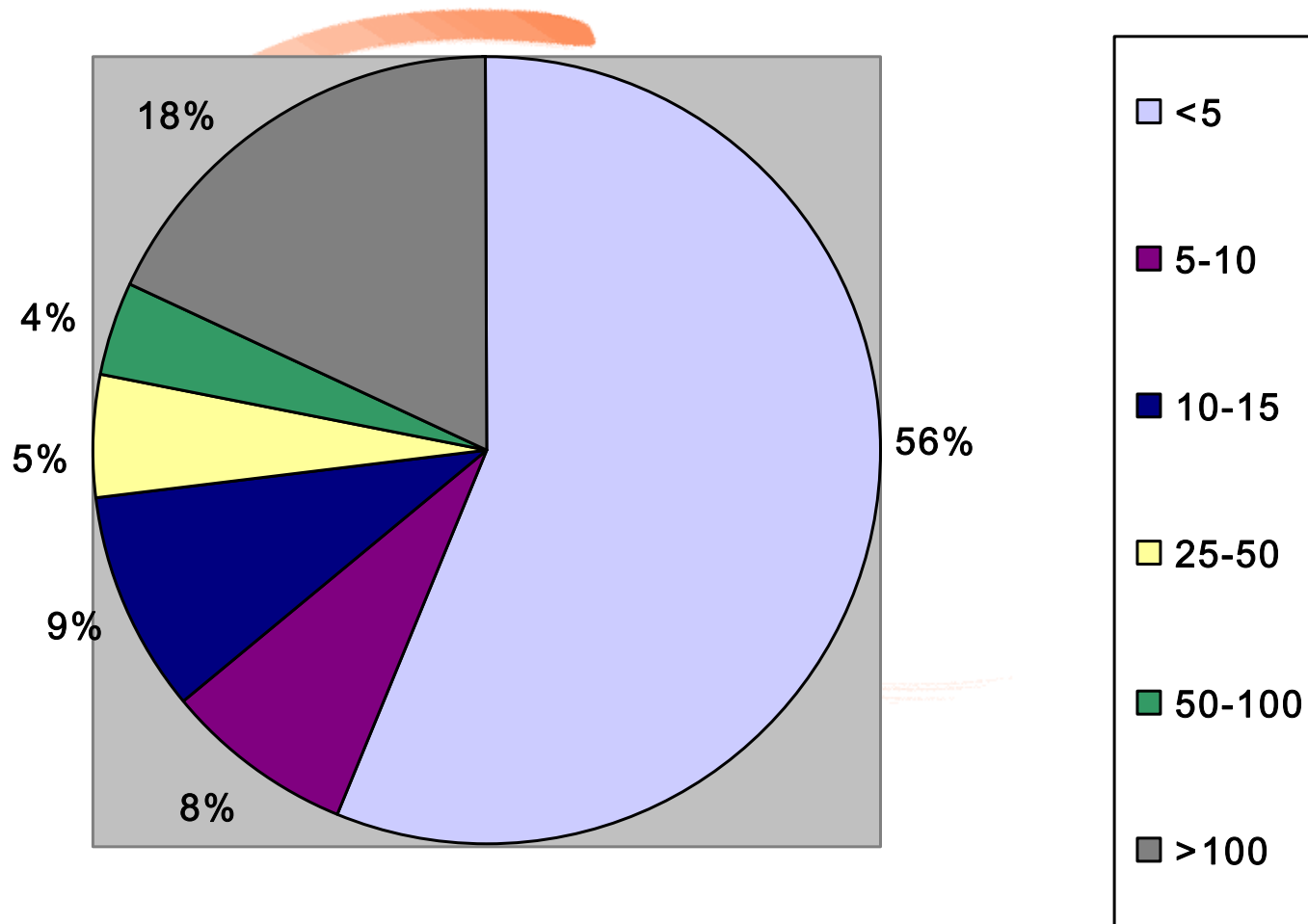


# Registrants





# Domains per registrant





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