SANOG Update

SANOG-38

Introduction

- SANOG was started to **bring together operators for educational as well as co-operation.**

- SANOG provides a **regional forum to discuss operational issues and technologies** of interest to data operators in the South Asian Region.

- The main objective is **educational**, but at the same time **gives vendors a chance to talk to engineers about newer technology and products** on the sidelines.

- **Engineers get to talk to each other about experiences**, benefit the entire community.

- This **non commercial people networking** is in line with established practices like NANOG in North America, RIPE Meetings in Europe and APRICOT in Asia- Pacific.

Brief format

- South Asian Network Operators' Group

- Two Event per year (January and July)

- Moves around South Asia
  - Yet to visit Maldives and Afghanistan

- Standard Program:
  - 2/3days Conference and Tutorial
  - 5days Workshop.

- This year SANOG-38:
  - 4days Workshop
  - 1day Conference.

Program Committee: SANOG-38

Committee Chairs

- Dr. Philip Smith
- Simon Sohel Baroi
- Thilina Pathirana

Committee Members

- Ram Krishna Pariyar, npNOG
- GZ Kabir, BDCOM
- David Phelan, APNIC
- Tashi Phuntsho
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- Vijay Ahire, Sevenstar Pvt Ltd
- Md. Abdul Awal, APNIC
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Fellowship Committee: SANOG-38

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- Rajnesh Singh, ISOC

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- Aftab Siddiqui, ISOC

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- Jichen Thinley, Bhutan Telcom

- Gaurab Raj Upadhaya, AMAZON.

START

- SANOG 1: 23-28 January, 2003, Kathmandu, Nepal (hosted with CAN IT Conference)

- SANOG 2: 20-27 July, 2003 Colombo, Sri Lanka (hosted with Netsa)

- SANOG 3: 15-22 January, 2004, Bangalore, India

- SANOG 4: 23-30 July, 2004, Kathmandu, Nepal

- SANOG 5: 06-13 February, 2005, Dhaka, Bangladesh

- SANOG 6: 16-24 July, 2005, Thimphu, Bhutan

- SANOG 7: 16-24 Januray, 2006, Mumbai, India

- SANOG 8: 27 July - 4 August 2006, Karachi, Pakistan

Initial SANOG Workshop --

- **SANOG-2** : Routing Workshop- Dr. Philip Smith

- **SANOG-3** :
  - **Track 1:** Cisco BGP Multihoming Workshops
    Instructors: Philip Smith, Srinath Beldona, Cisco Systems
    O'Reilly books worth USD **70** was provided by NSRC.

    Track 2: APNIC DNS/ DNSSEC Workshops
    Instructors: Bill Manning, EP.net and Champika Wijayatunga, Arth
    Paulite, Sunny Chendi, APNIC
    "DNS Books worth USD **50** was provided.

Total Events:

38

- -2 events co-hosted with APRICOT.

- - 2 events online due to Covid-19 Pandemic

Total Host Countries:

6

Total Fellowship awarded to:

441

*2events hosted with APRICOT.

Total number of workshop tracks conducted:

95

*2events hosted with APRICOT and SANOG-1 did not have workshop, only conference and tutorials.
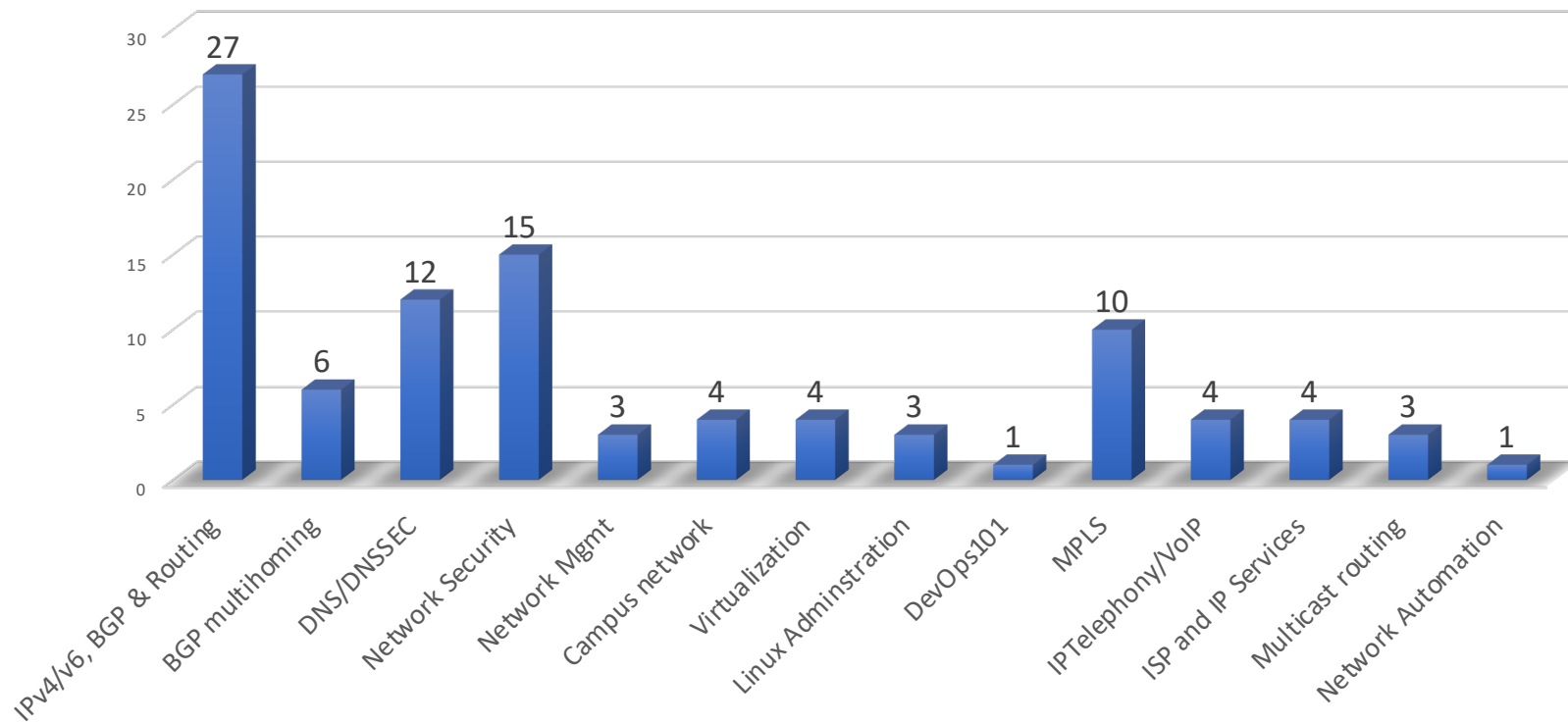
Total workshop participants:

2850

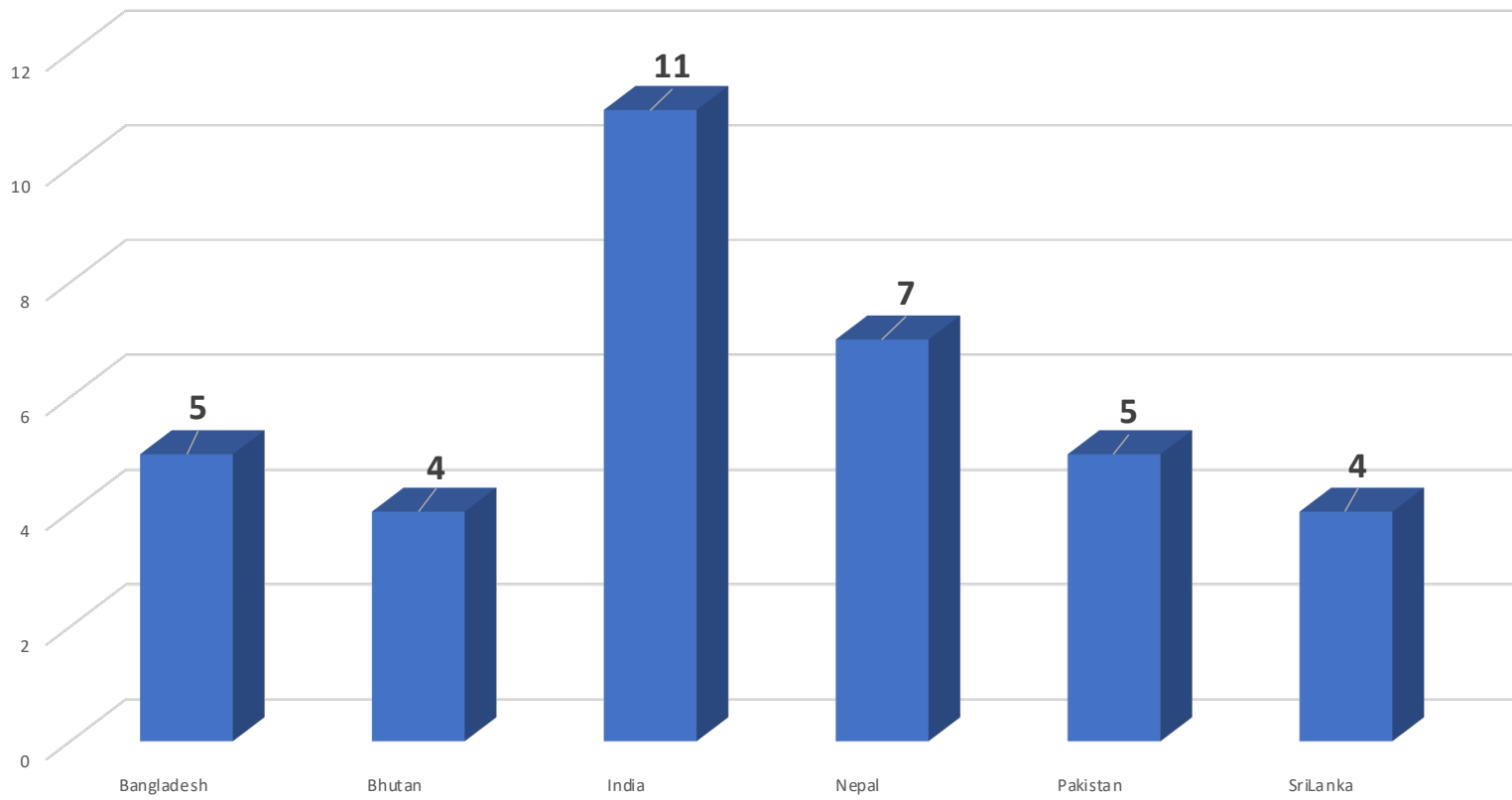30 participants per workshop with 95 workshops.

Major Workshop track topics:

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Workshops in SANOGs

- *Out of 38, 2 SANOG events were co hosted with APRICOT and 2 SANOGs were online due to Covid-19.*
- *Total 95 workshops in 38events . With average 30trainees per workshop total beneficiary 2850.*

Number of Times SANOG hosted – country wise

Upcoming Events

- SANOG 39:: To Be Decided...

Future Plans

- Stronger relations with national NOGs.

- Stronger co-operation with Other regional NOGs and International Community stakeholder.

- Assist for greater regional instructor exposure.

- Build stronger community around Network operators.

- Stronger communication and relationship with fellows.

Thank you!

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