

Digital Skills and Jobs Platform

The Digital Skills and Jobs Platform is an initiative launched by the European Commission in December 2016, which brings together Member States, companies, social partners, non-profit organizations and education providers, that take action to tackle the digital skills gap in Europe.

The DSI supports the creation of an EU platform constituting a single point of access to activities for digital skills and enabling collaboration and interoperability among National Coalitions'/network of actors' infrastructures (e.g. website or portals). This facilitates a deeper understanding of digital skills needs in the EU.

All organizations that take actions to boost digital skills in Europe can become members of the Coalition by endorsing the objectives and principles of the Coalition as laid out in the members' Charter. They can also pledge to take action to carry out initiatives to tackle the digital skills gap. Actions range from training unemployed people and giving MOOCs for teachers to giving coding classes for children and innovative training for ICT specialists.

The CEF Telecom Programme financially supports the design and delivery of University Masters programmes in digital domains, notably Artificial Intelligence (AI). Their online modules will be disseminated in various EU languages via the Digital Skills and Jobs Core Service Platform, training more people to develop the necessary digital skills for the deployment of AI throughout the economy. Therefore, the masters will contribute to a wider outreach of the platform.

The Core Service Platform is used to access relevant information and resources and network together National Coalitions/network of actors and other relevant stakeholders across the EU. The Core Service Platform is an infrastructure aimed at sharing resources, services and practices between National Coalitions. These services highlight good practices and financing opportunities, gather information about digital skills intelligence and careers. They help students and job seekers to find training/traineeship opportunities, support enterprises in addressing skills needs, train employees, facilitate scale-up of innovative training solutions, strengthen cooperation between the National Coalitions/networks of actors, and enable learning across sectors and borders. Particular attention is paid to reskilling and upskilling of the labour force at all levels, in the area of basic and advanced user digital skills and ICT specialist skills.

Generic Services support the interconnection of National Coalitions' infrastructures, which allows them to share their activities and contents.

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Highlights



Generic Services Projects

€8.87 million in **25** Member States + United Kingdom
26 Generic Services Projects have been awarded to the European Digital Skills and Jobs Coalitions (**22**) and the Specialised Master Programmes (**4**).



Use

Since its launch in 2016, the Digital Skills and Jobs Coalition has gathered more than **5200 members** by Q3 2022.



Deployment

The Coalition has already provided more than **10 million trainings** since its launch in 2016. Also, National Coalitions are present in **25 Member States**.

More info on the Generic Services:

[HaDEA](#)

Indicators

As the CEF funding of the Core Service platform came to an end in Q3 2022, this is the cut off date for the last monitoring activities linked to this work strand. The monitoring of the Generic Services projects present the state of play by Q4 2022. 26 Generic Services projects are still under implementation and are foreseen to be completed by 2024.

Uptake

11

National Coalitions connected to the CSP

134

Best practices shared by National Coalitions/networks

164

Trainings provided by the Digital Skills Community

9

Webinars organised by the National and regional Coalitions/network of partnerships

Service Availability

99%

Average uptime of the IT services accessible through the CSP

Financial Monitoring

€ 3,892,090

CEF Core Service Platform funding

€ 8,866,316

CEF funding through Generic Services Projects

CEF Building Blocks reused by Digital Skills and Jobs Platform

Digital Skills and Jobs Platform is reusing eID and eTranslation

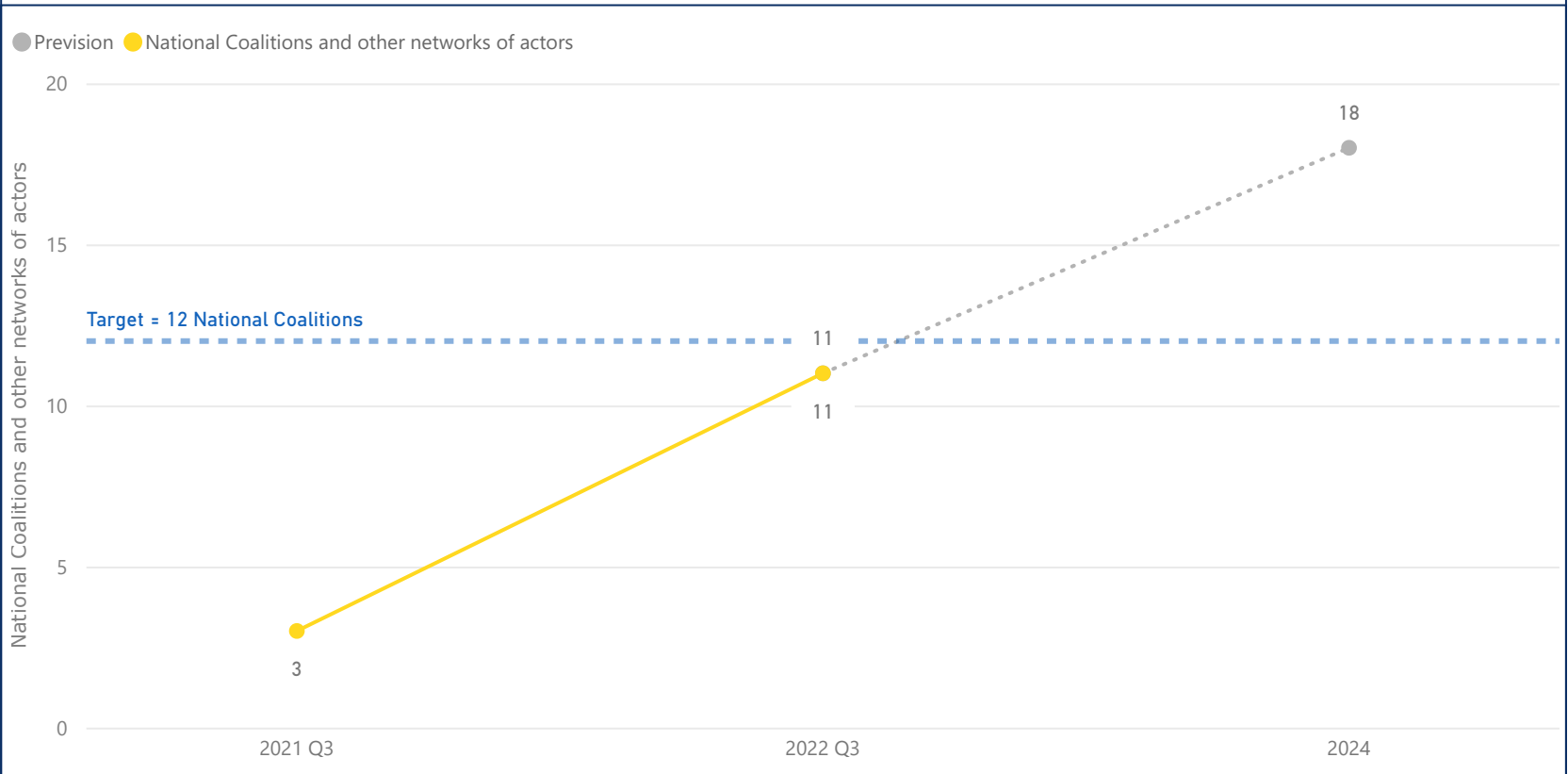
Indicators


Digital Skills and Jobs Platform > Uptake > Deployment of the Digital Skills platform

This indicator measures the **number of National Coalitions and other networks of actors connected to the Core Service Platform (CSP), financed as Generic Services projects**, at the time of yearly data collection. The baseline for this number is the first data collection in Q3 2021 (3 national coalitions or other networks). Although the projects reported below are still ongoing, the respective connections have been validated and confirmed by the Core Service Platform.

Target

12 National Coalitions connected to the CSP, financed as Generic Services Projects, by Q3 2022.



 7 additional connections are expected to be achieved through Generic Services Projects by 2024.

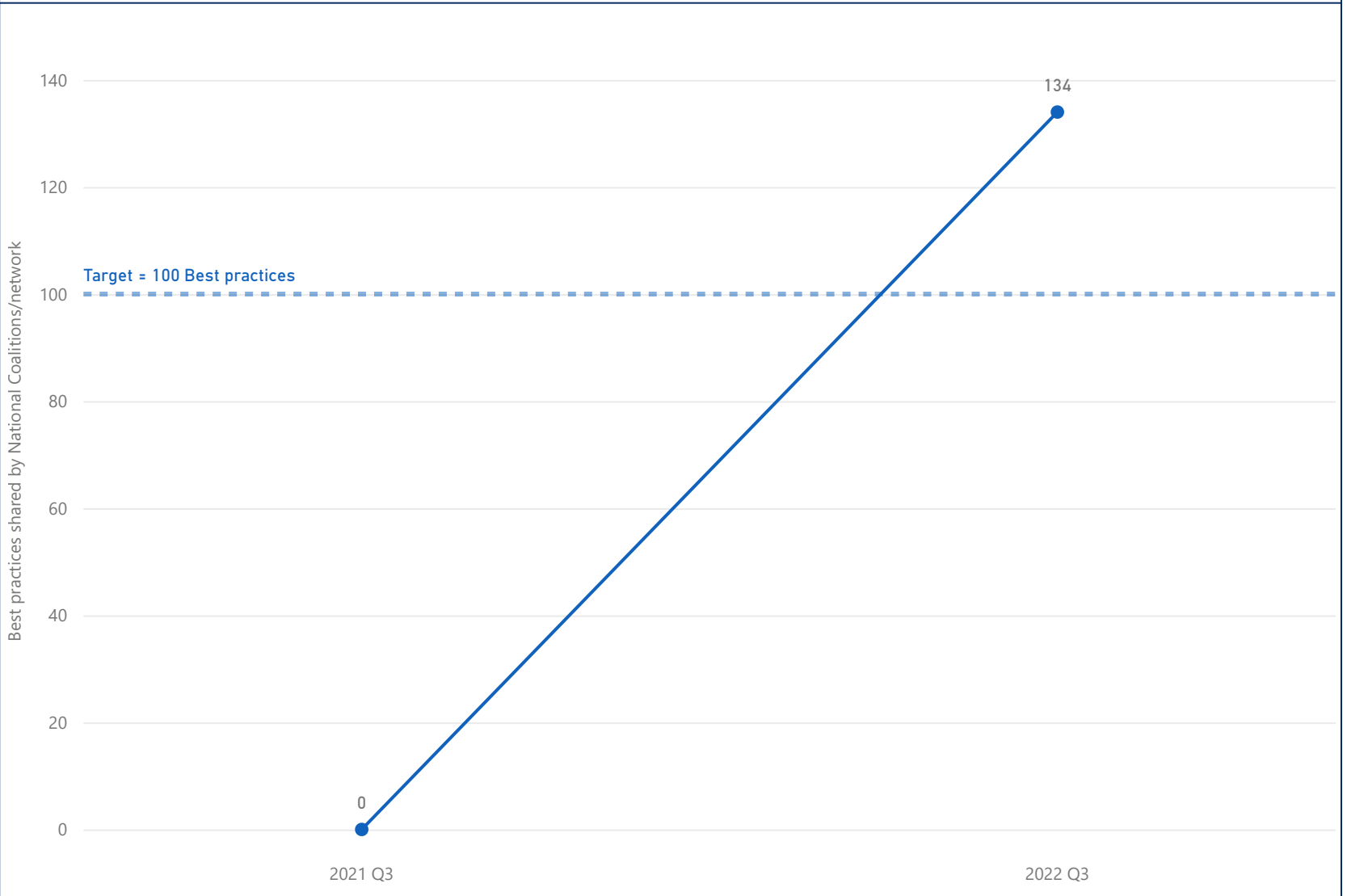


Digital Skills and Jobs Platform > Uptake > Contribution of National Coalitions/network of actors to skills enhancement

This indicator measures the **number of best practices shared by National Coalitions/networks** of actors on the platform. The baseline for this number is the first data collection in Q3 2021 (0 best practices)

Target

100 best practices shared by National Coalitions/network of actors, by Q3 2022.



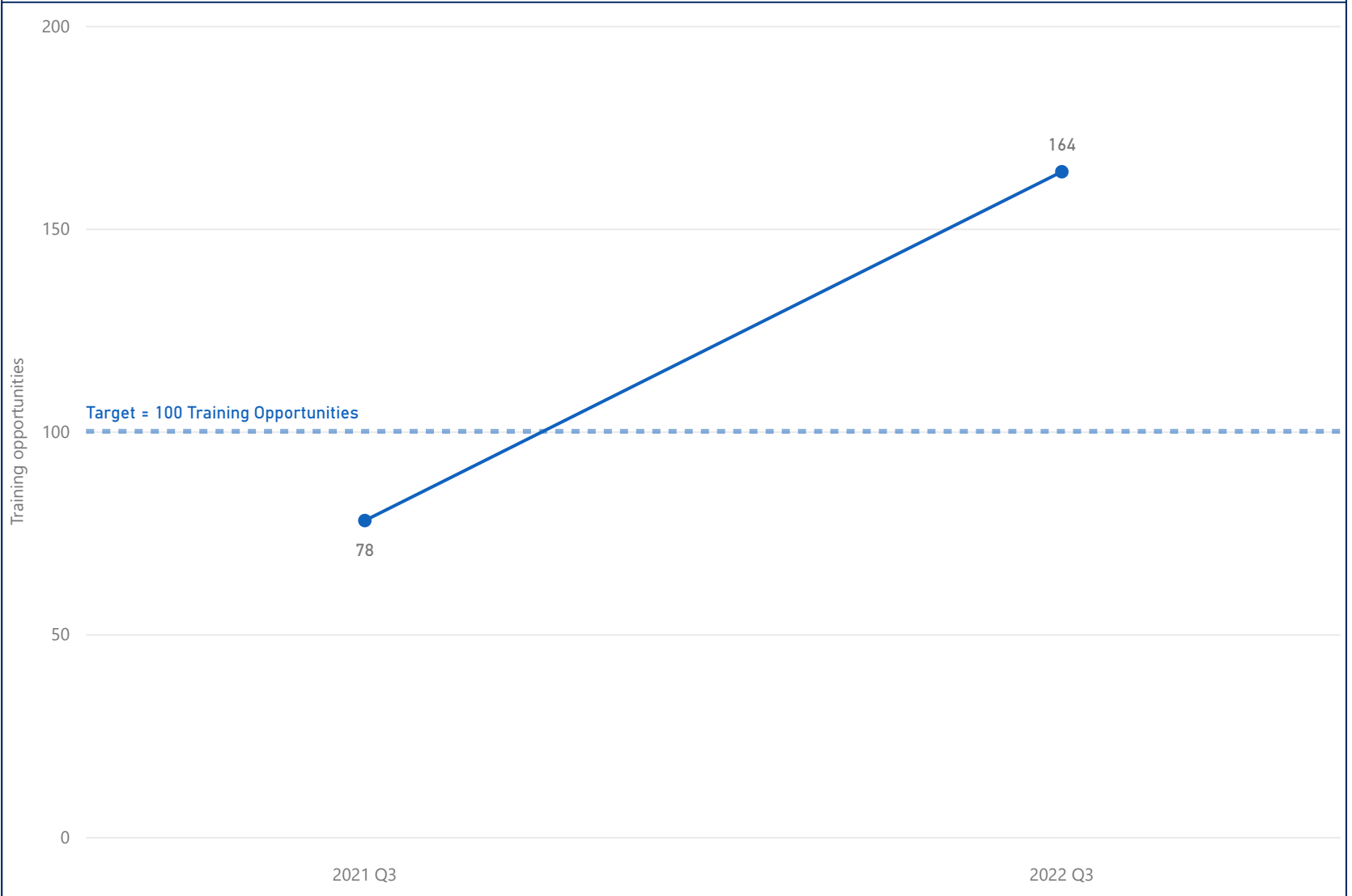


Digital Skills and Jobs Platform > Uptake > Contribution of National Coalitions to skills adoption

This indicator measures the **number of training opportunities** provided by the EU digital skills community and the National Coalitions posted on the Platform. The baseline for this number is the first data collection in Q3 2021 (78 training opportunities).

Target

100 training opportunities shared by the EU digital skills community and the National Coalitions/network of actors, by Q3 2022.



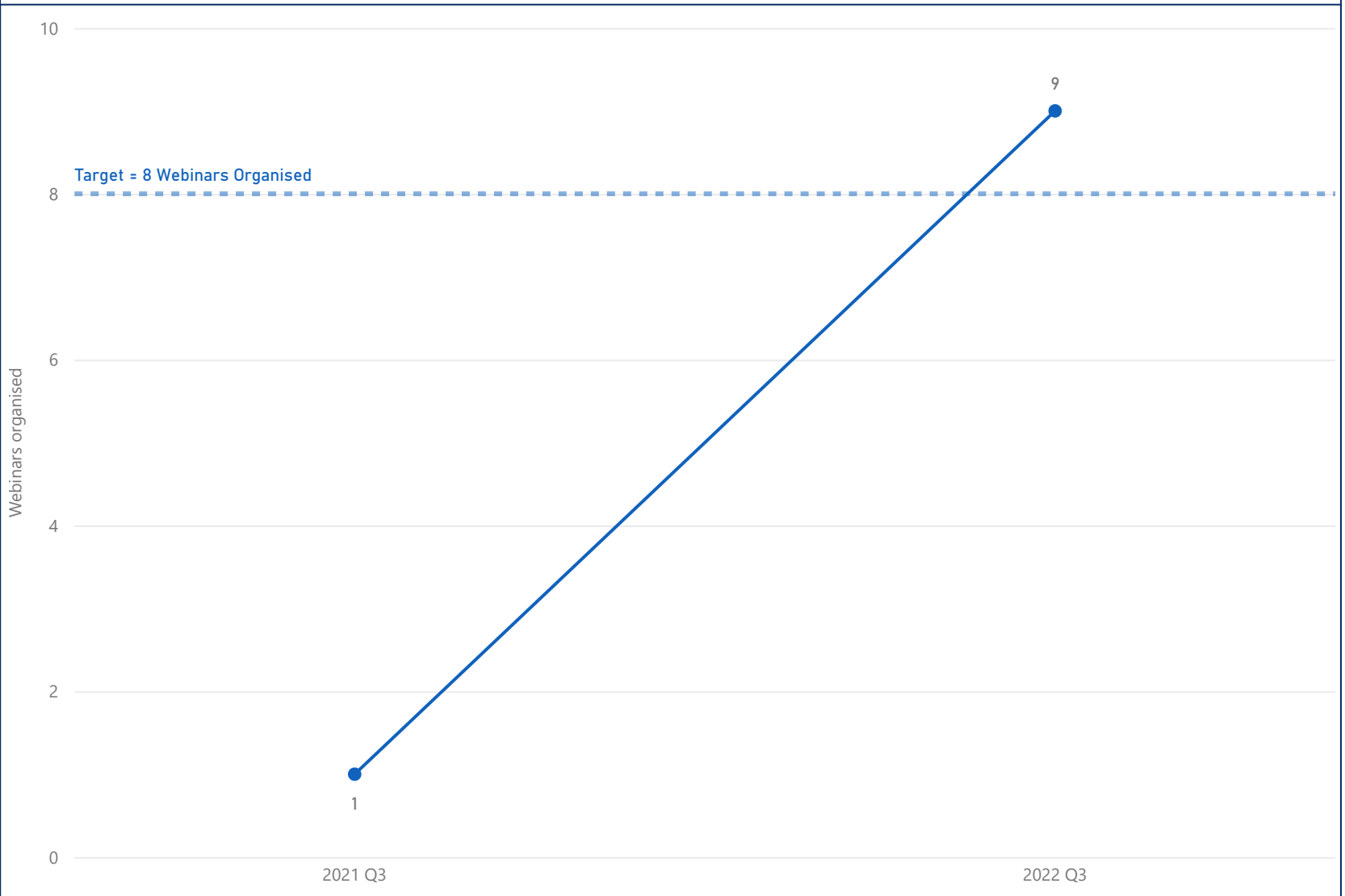


Digital Skills and Jobs Platform > Uptake > Awareness raising and promotion of Digital Skills and Jobs Platform

This indicator measures the **number of webinars** organised by the National and regional Coalitions/network of partnerships. The baseline for this number is the first data collection in Q3 2021 (1 webinar).

Target

8 webinars organised, by Q3 2022.



Digital Skills and Jobs Platform Milestones

All the **Digital Skills and Jobs Platform** milestones defined within the CEF Monitoring framework were successfully achieved. A detailed overview of the milestones can be found in the table below.

Milestone title	Start date	End date	% complete	Status
1. Initial CSP offering	01 January 2019	30 June 2022	100	Completed
2. Initial GS offering	01 January 2019	30 June 2022	100	Completed