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**Specific Claims
Presentation for the
National Claims Research
Directors Meeting
May 18, 2023**



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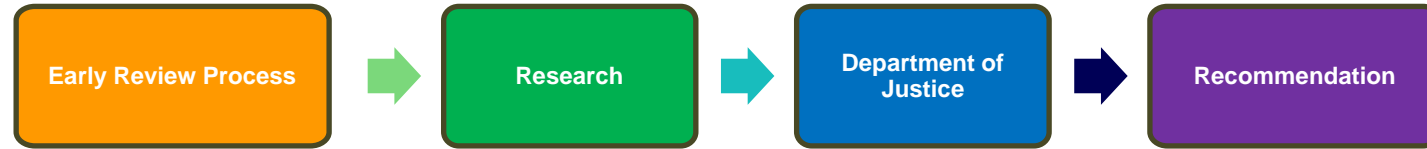


Purpose

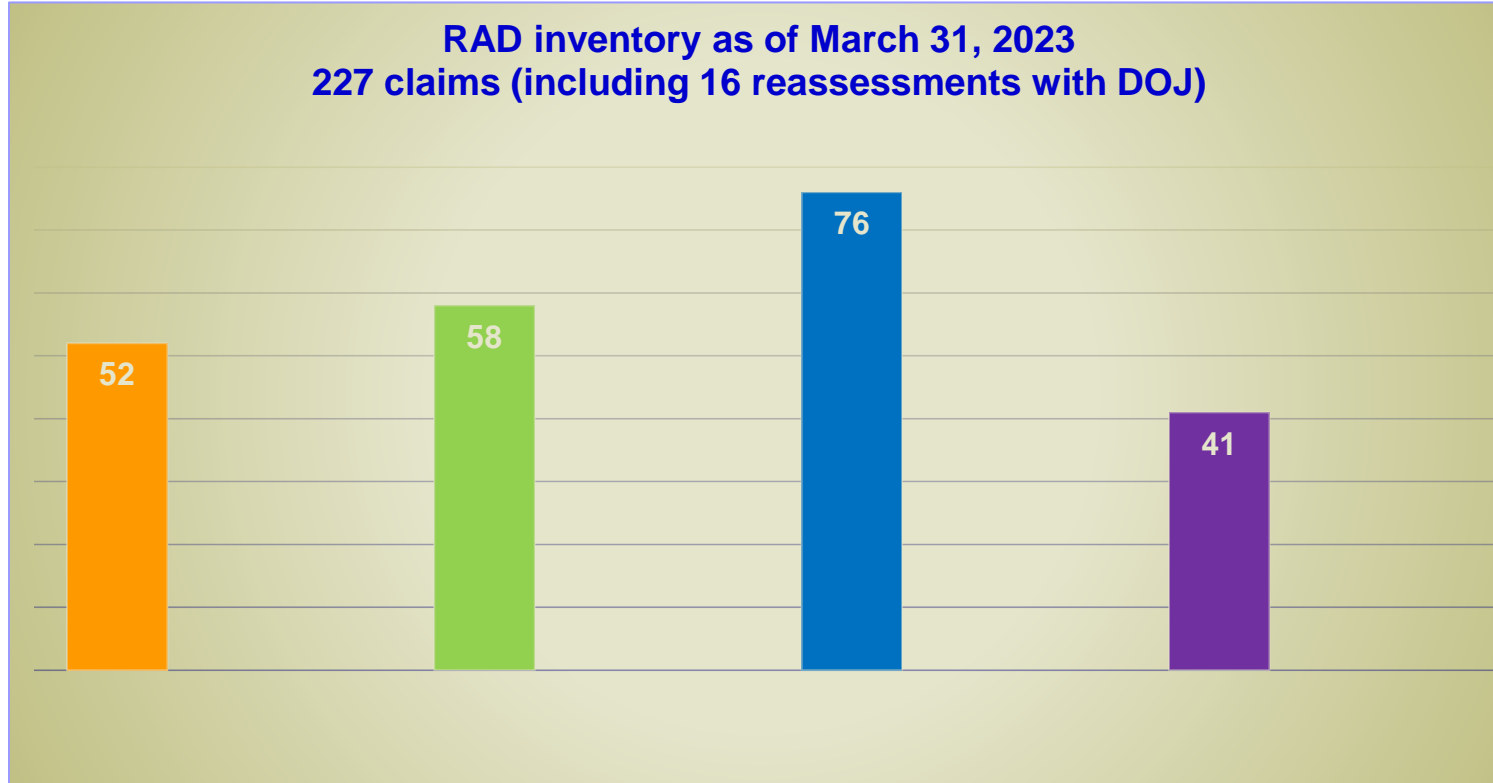
- Provide overview of the inventory of claims at the review stage.
- Provide information on data points collected by location, type and step of the review process.
- Provide information on trends in the inventory of specific claims and opportunities for increased collaboration.



Inventory of Claims at the Review Stage by Status

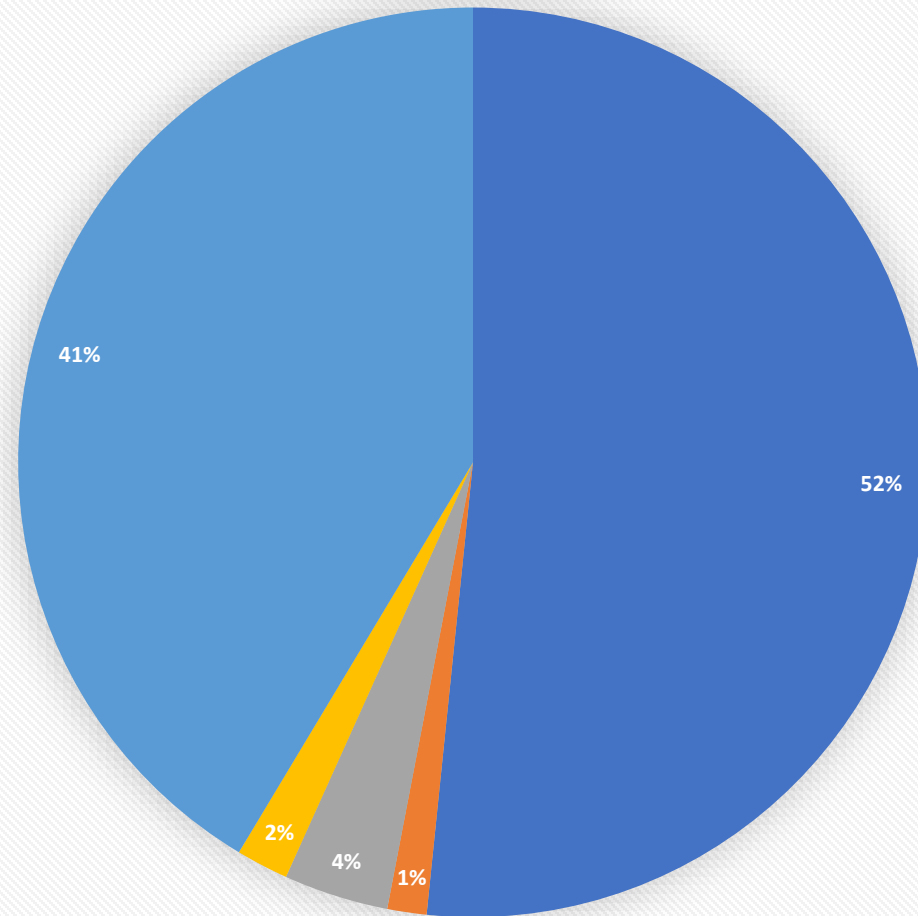


RAD inventory as of March 31, 2023
227 claims (including 16 reassessments with DOJ)



Claims Under Review by Province

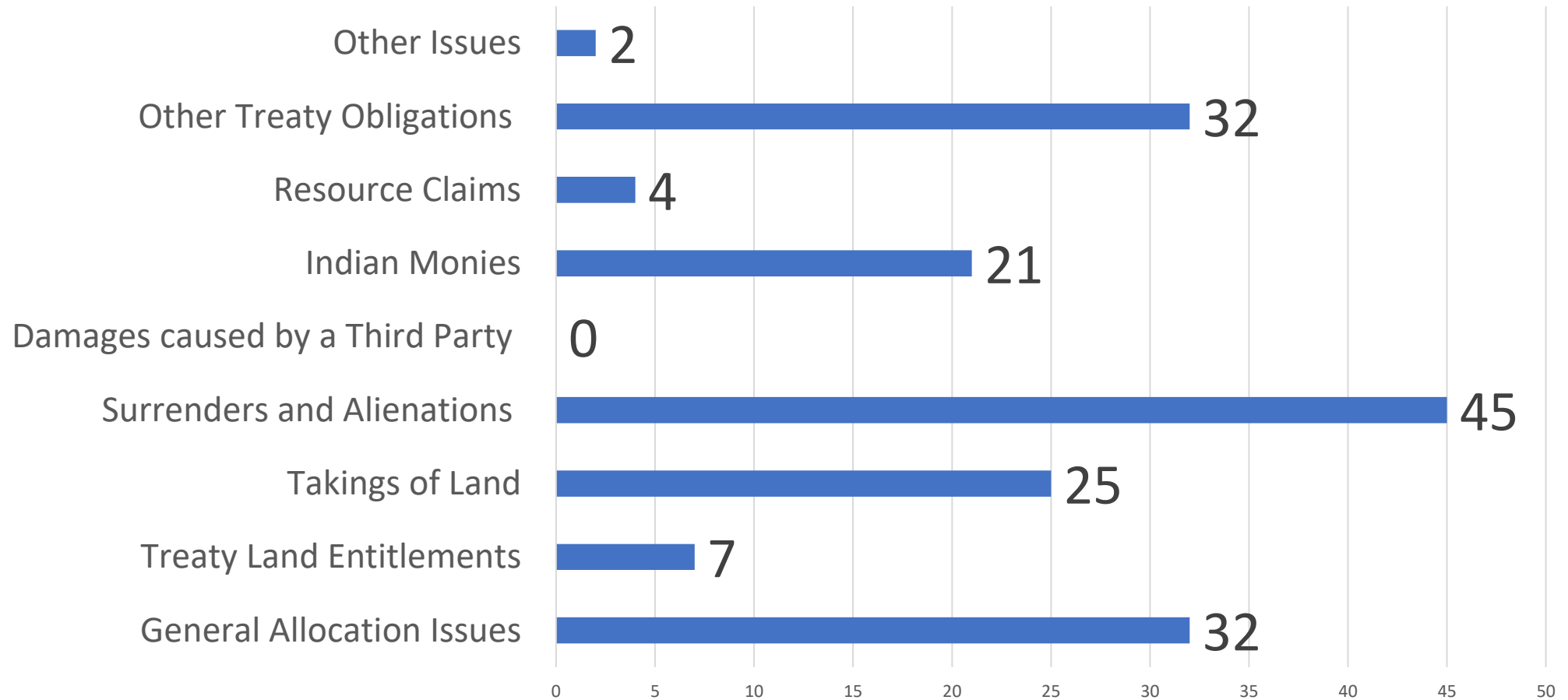
Percentage of Claims in Assessment by Region as of March 31, 2023



■ British Columbia ■ Territories ■ Ontario ■ Quebec ■ Prairies

Claims Under Review by Typology

Claims Under Review by typology as of March 31, 2023
(does not include claims at the ERP stage for which no typology has been assigned)



Volume and Trends for Claims at the Review Stage for 2022-23

- **Received:** 77 claims.
- **Filed:** 64 claims filed with the Minister.
- **Reviewed:** 58 claims, resulting in 55 offers to negotiate, with 3 claims not receiving offers to negotiate.
- **Reassessment:** 16 requests.
- The average time for processing claims through the review process is 2.6 years for claims filed in 2017, 18 and 19.
- The volume of claims past the legislated timeline for review has been reduced from 60 in 2019-2020 to 1 as of April 2022.

Opportunities for Collaboration during the Review Stage

- At the ERP stage: to clarify scope of allegations or inquire about missing documents.
- At the research stage: to discuss gaps in research that would prevent the review.
- At the start of the legal assessment: a meeting can be organized between counsels to present the claim.
- SCB shares historical documents and index found during the review.
- Meetings with FNs to discuss claims where SCB is not proposing a negotiation.
- Reconsideration of a claim where no offer to negotiate was made when there is a change in case law or new evidence uncovered.
- SCB is always open to consider further evidence and legal arguments.
- Bundling of claims when it is more efficient.

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