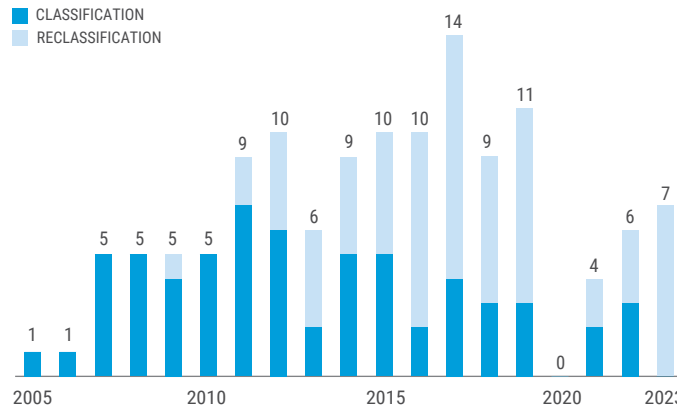


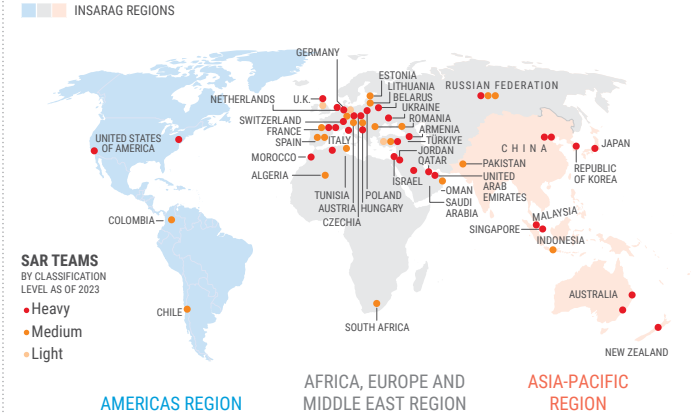
The primary intention of the INSARAG External Classification (IEC) system is to provide better understanding of the individual abilities of USAR teams making themselves available for international assistance.

Having teams classified according to a standard will enable disaster affected countries to prioritise acceptance of international response support from USAR Teams who can add proven value to their national capacity. The IEC is an independent, verifiable, voluntary process that has received unanimous acceptance through the INSARAG.

IEC CLASSIFICATIONS AND RECLASSIFICATIONS by year



IEC: OVERVIEW by country



IEC CLASSIFICATIONS AND RECLASSIFICATIONS by year and level (2020 had no classifications due to COVID)

2005: 1 CLASSIFICATION



2006: 1 CLASSIFICATION



2007: 5 CLASSIFICATIONS



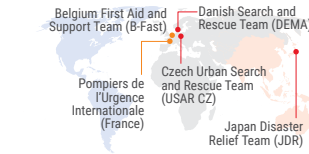
2008: 5 CLASSIFICATIONS



2009: 5 CLASSIFICATIONS



2010: 5 CLASSIFICATIONS



2011: 9 CLASSIFICATIONS



2012: 10 CLASSIFICATIONS



2013: 6 CLASSIFICATIONS



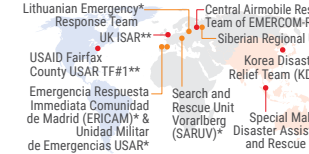
2014: 9 CLASSIFICATIONS



2015: 10 CLASSIFICATIONS



2016: 10 CLASSIFICATIONS



2017: 14 CLASSIFICATIONS



2018: 9 CLASSIFICATIONS



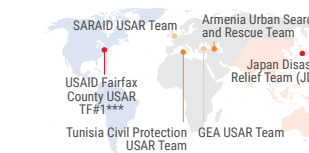
2019: 11 CLASSIFICATIONS



2021: 4 CLASSIFICATIONS



2022: 6 CLASSIFICATIONS



2023: 7 CLASSIFICATIONS



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