

WIPO IT Program Overview & Strategic Direction

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Overview of Presentation

- Overview of IT's Program & Budget
- The IT Structure
- WIPO's IT Profile
- Challenges
- Threats
- Priorities



Overview of 2004 - 2005

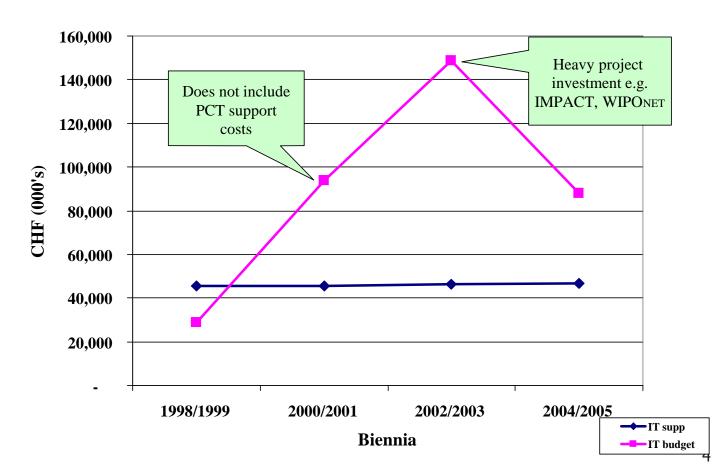
Document WO/PBC/7/2 - Revised Proposal for Program and Budget 2004 - 2005

Highlights of Program 13 - Information Technologies

- 41.7 % decrease in funding from 2002 2003 to CHF 87.9 million
- Move to a operational phase of all major IT projects
- 2-4 years of consolidation and building upon what has been delivered
- No major new IT initiatives



IT BUDGET

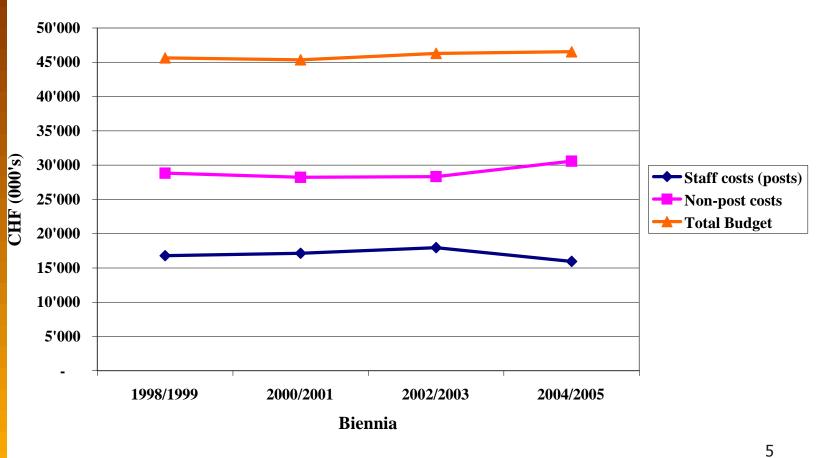


IT Operations Budget v Total IT Budget



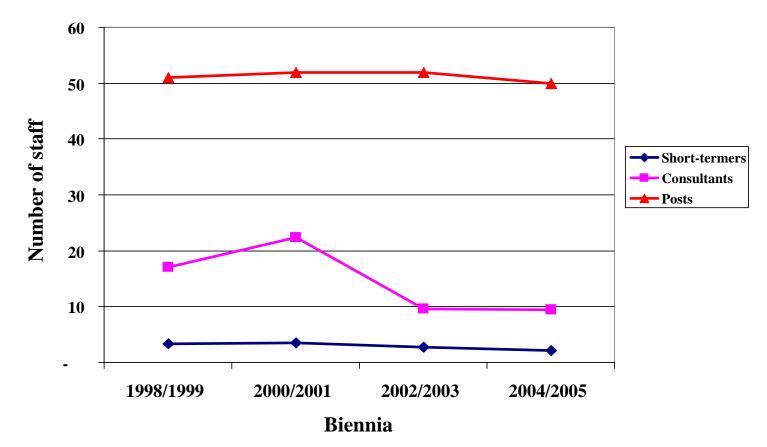
IT BUDGET: IT Services







IT BUDGET: Support Staffing Levels Evolution of IT Support Staffing Levels





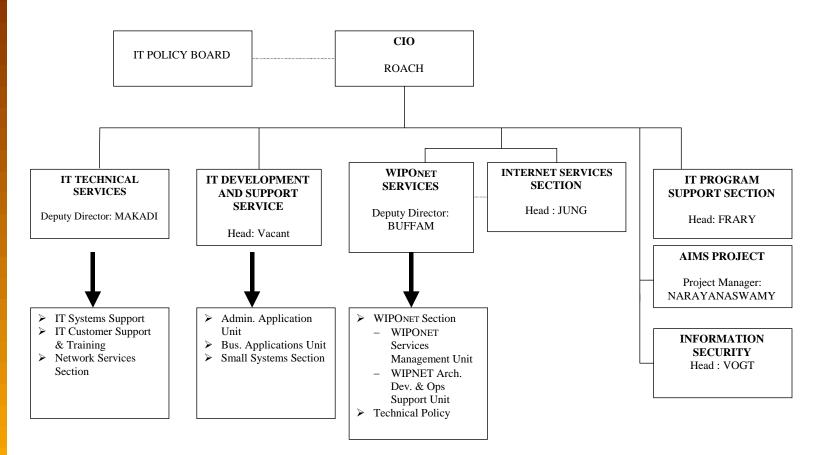
IT BUDGET: Support Service Levels

Support Item	98/99 (a)	00/01	02/03	04/05 (b)	%age increase (bet. b&a)
Servers	33	-	143	150	355%
PCs	1,000	1,200	1,850	2,035	104%
Laptops	20	50	200	200	900%
Office Moves	500	800	1,500	2,000	300%
Buildings	5	9	11	9	80%
Interventions	6,273	7,995	11,378	12,516	100%

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WIPO's IT Structure





WIPO's IT Profile



- Relatively new infrastructure, stable production systems
- Has global reach Member States WIPONET
- Resources Financial and Human
 Competent staff- good reputation



- Still quite diverse H/W S/W architectures
- Needs diverse skill sets
- Important budget considerations v's business needs
- Not responding to all business sectors
- Lack of standard policies (being addressed)



Challenges

- Stabilize and reinforce WIPO's IT investments
- Stay pro-active with decreasing resources
- Market WIPO's IT capabilities
- Stay pro-active in critical business areas
- Develop and focus on longer term strategic goals vs. the short term influences







- Lower investment opportunities and no amortization plan for infrastructure
- Keeping skills up to date limited training budget
- No room for error no reserve funds for IT
- Loss of political support for *IT Services*
- Lack of responsiveness may lead to lack of support and eventually criticism



The Key to the Future



- Change
- Simplify
- Listen
- Focus
- Market
- Respond



- IT needs to adapt to the new realities
- IT Architectures become cost effective
 - to all the customers and management
- on our core business and value added services
- IT as a business solution and not a cost center
- within the allocated resource levels







- Determine what is mission critical
- Be prepared to close down systems and/or services
- Tighter control over new developments
- Introduce and *enforce* 'best practice' policies



Thank you