

# ***10th Meeting of the Steering Committee of the Comprehensive Regional Implementation Plan for Aviation Security and Facilitation in Africa (AFI SECFAL Plan)***

## **Reports on ASTCs in ICAO ESAF & WACAF**



# Introduction

- This Presentation covers major highlights of the Statistics and Reports from the five ASTCs in ICAO ESAF & WACAF Regions:
  - *Dakar, Senegal*
  - *Douala, Cameroun*
  - *Johannesburg, South Africa*
  - *Lagos, Nigeria*
  - *Nairobi, Kenya*

# Introduction

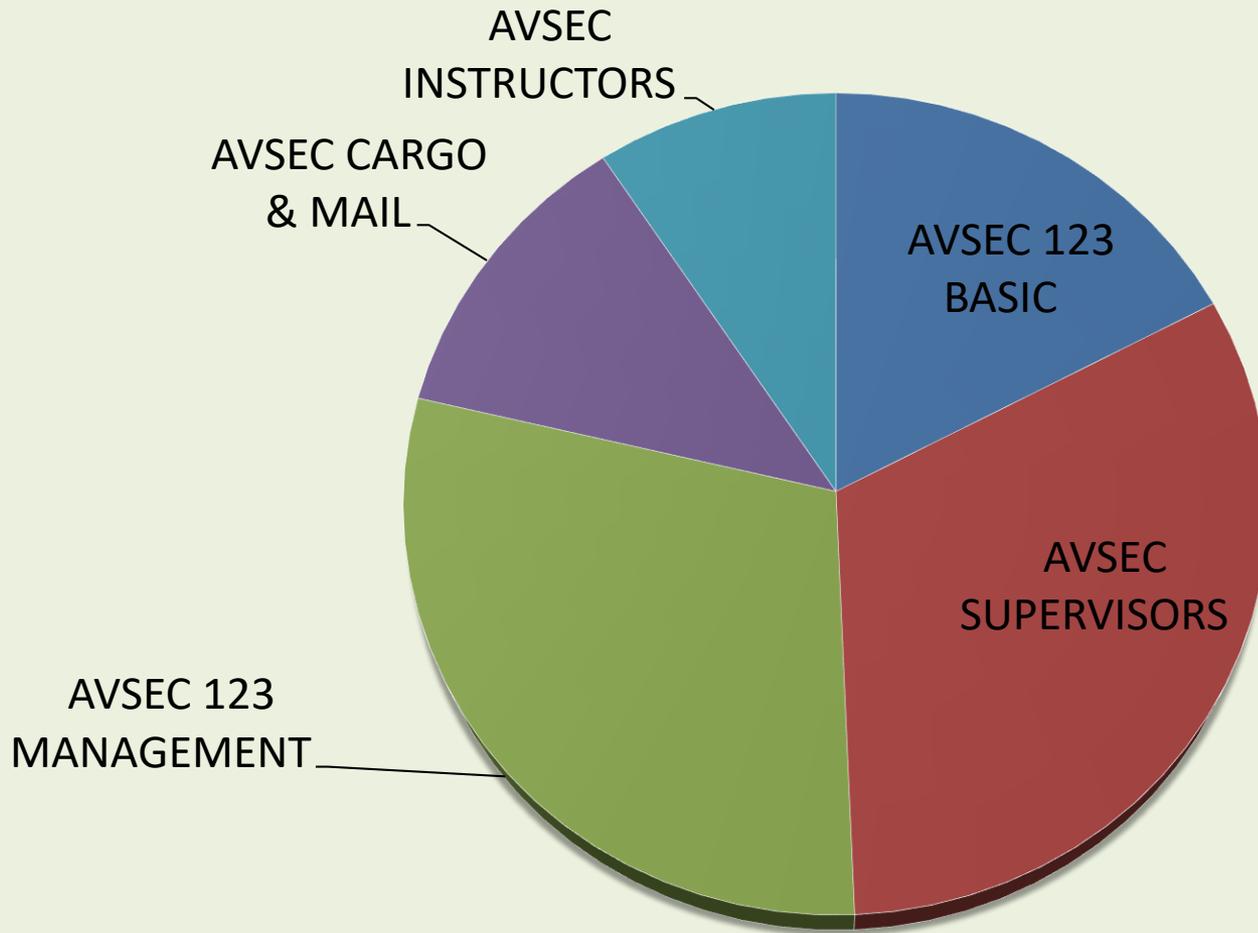
- It is imperative to emphasize that like other regions and sectors of civil aviation, covid-19 has had major impacts on our operations.
- The case of ASTC-Johannesburg is peculiar, considering the heavy impacts of the pandemic on its operations, vis-à-vis the loss of personnel and other issues. For this reason, reports and statistics for ASTC-Johannesburg are not covered in this presentation.

# 2019 ESAF & WACAF-ASTCs' REPORT

COURSES	NAIROBI	DOUALA	*DAKAR	LAGOS
<b>A. ICAO SPONSORED AVSEC TRAINING</b>				
AVSEC 123 BASIC	13	0	0	522
AVSEC SUPERVISORS	24	0	0	0
AVSEC 123 MANAGEMENT	22	0	0	0
AVSEC CARGO & MAIL	9	0	0	16
AVSEC INSTRUCTORS	7	0	0	0
AVSEC INSPECTORS	0	0	0	0
CRISIS MANAGEMENT	0	0	0	0
RISK MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP	0	0	0	17
<b>B. NON-ICAO SPONSORED (DEVELOPED)</b>				
AVSEC SCREENER'S COURSE	0	0	0	120
<b>C. SPECIAL COURSES</b>				
EXPLOSIVE TRACE DETECTOR (ETD) Operational Search & X-Ray - LAGOS				20
Cargo Security Operator & Supervisor Course- LAGOS				20
Quality Assurance - LAGOS				30

*\*Dakar – Combined 2018 – 2020 Statistics*

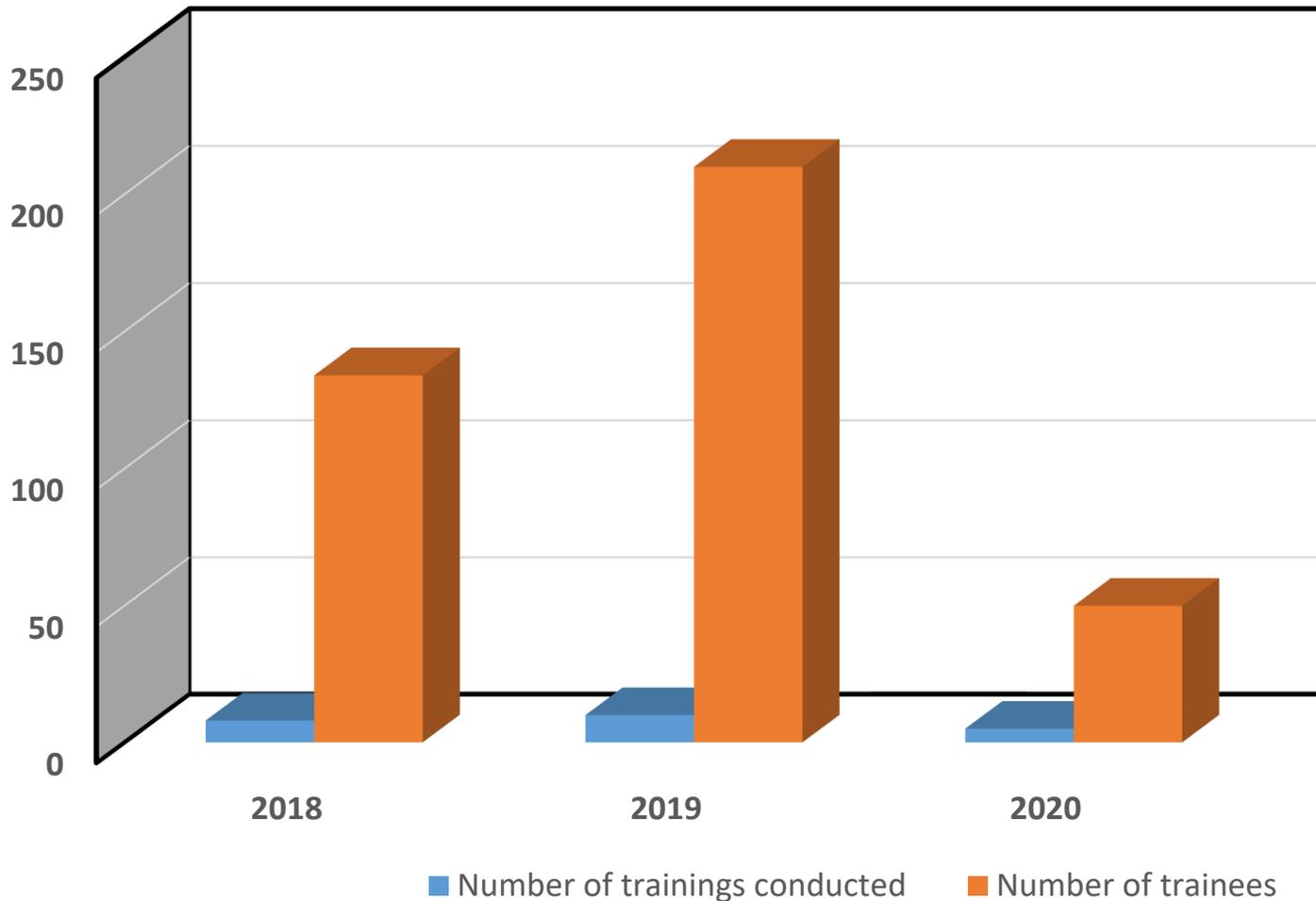
# Nairobi Summary: 2019



• 5 Courses in 2019

• AVSEC Supervisors recorded Highest number of Participants

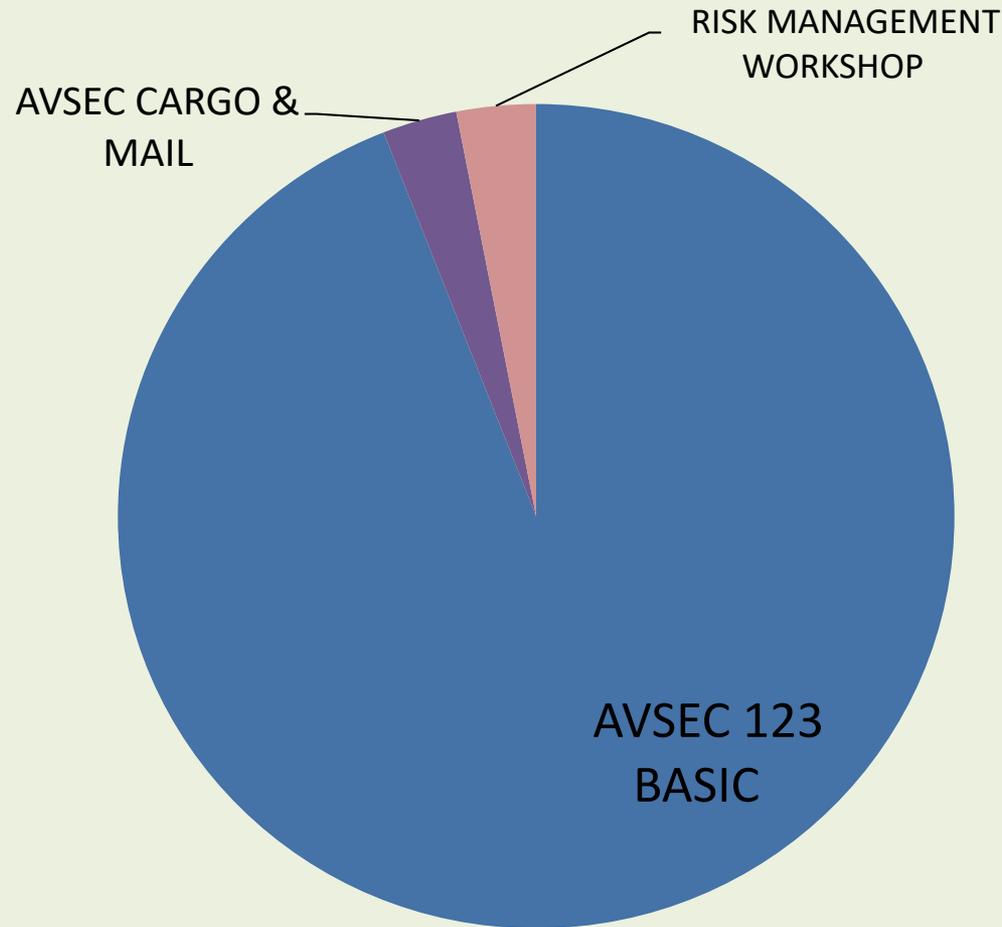
# Dakar Summary: 2018 - 2020



• *Consolidated statistics for 3 years: 2018-2020.*

• *Trained a total of **394** Participants within the period under review*

# Lagos Summary: 2019



•Ran 3 main Courses in 2019

•The AVSEC 123/Basic Course was to prepare 522 new entrants as AVSEC Personnel

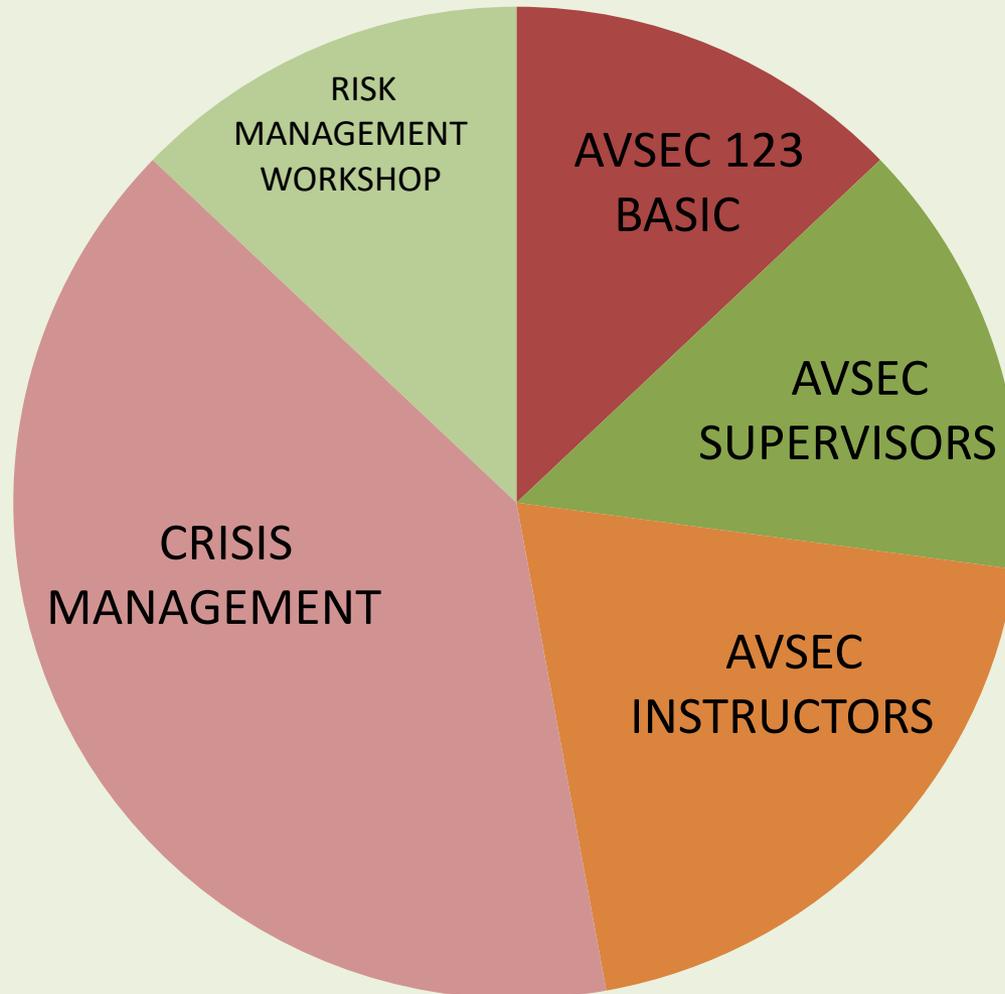
# 2020 ESAF & WACAF-ASTCs' REPORT (Post Covid Lockdown)

COURSES	NAIROBI	DOUALA	DAKAR	LAGOS
<b>A. ICAO SPONSORED AVSEC TRAINING</b>				
<i>AVSEC 123 BASIC</i>	9	0	0	0
<i>AVSEC SUPERVISORS</i>	10	12	0	0
<i>AVSEC 123 MANAGEMENT</i>	0	230	0	0
<i>AVSEC CARGO &amp; MAIL</i>	0	59	0	0
<i>AVSEC INSTRUCTORS</i>	14	19	0	22
VIRTUAL INSTRUCTORS COURSE	0	0	0	48
<i>AVSEC INSPECTORS</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>CRISIS MANAGEMENT</i>	28	0	0	0
<i>RISK MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP</i>	9	0	0	0
<b>B. NON-ICAO SPONSORED (DEVELOPED)</b>				
<i>AVSEC SCREENER'S COURSE</i>	129	120	0	66
<b>C. SPECIAL COURSES</b>	<b>NIL DUE COVID-19</b>			

- *Despite the challenges of Covid-19, ASTCs in ESAF & WACAF were able resume operations towards the end of 2020.*
- *Lagos commenced Virtual Instructor's Course in December 2020.*

# Nairobi Summary: 2020

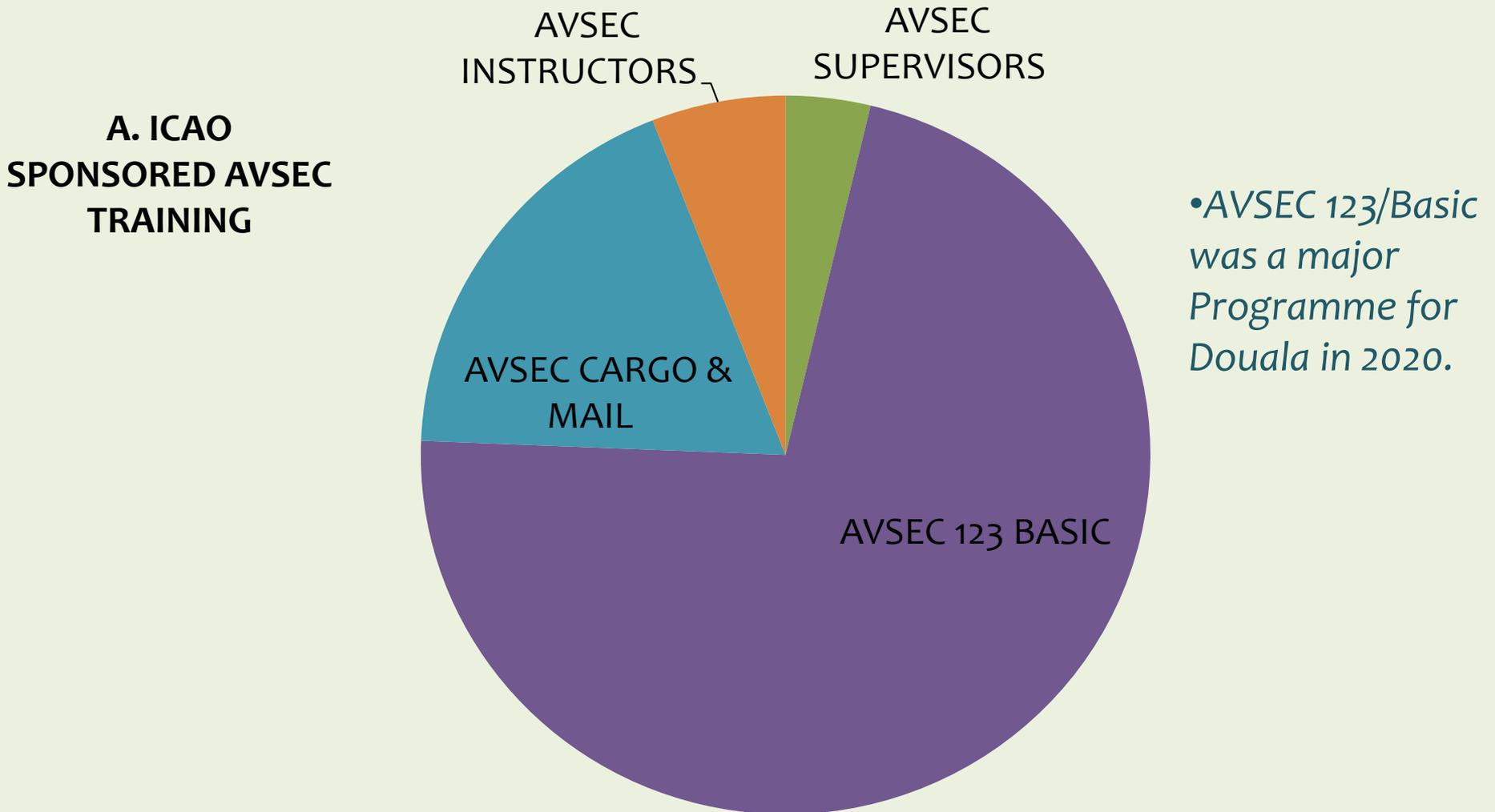
## A. ICAO SPONSORED AVSEC TRAINING



•5 important courses ran in spite of Lockdown between April & August 2020.

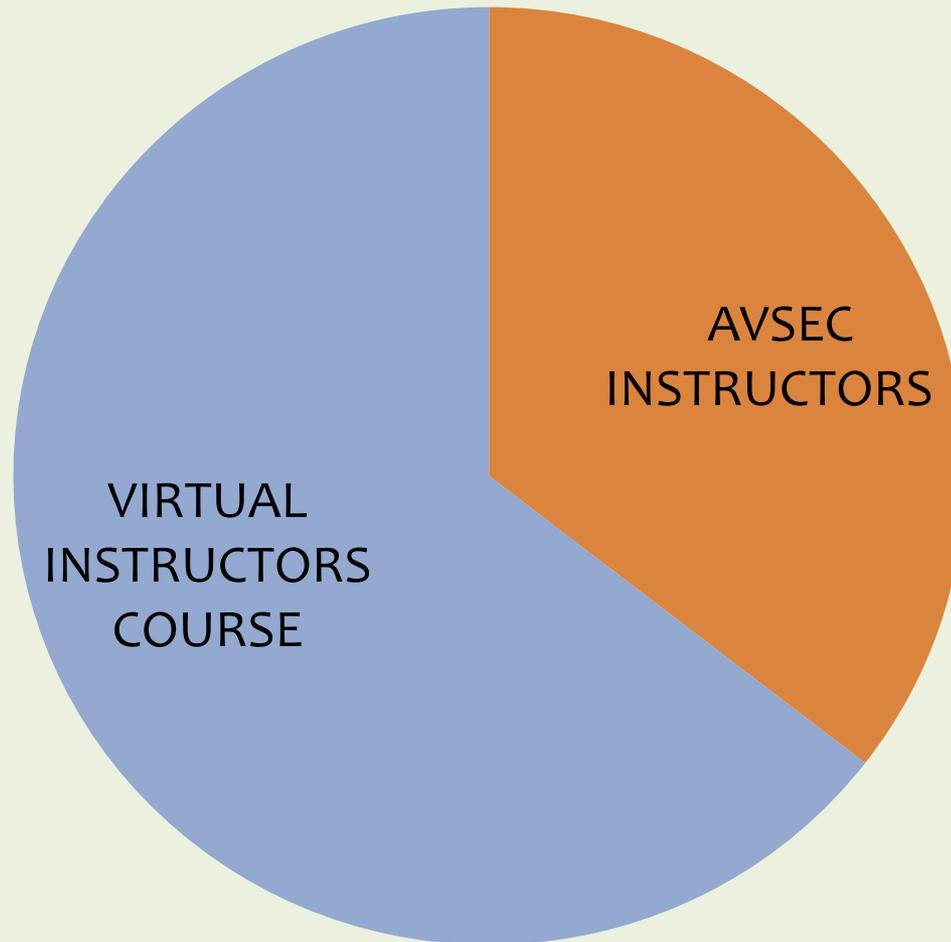
•Crisis Management had an impressive participation.

# Douala Summary: 2020



# Lagos Summary: 2020

**A. ICAO  
SPONSORED  
AVSEC TRAINING**



*•First Virtual Class for Instructors .*

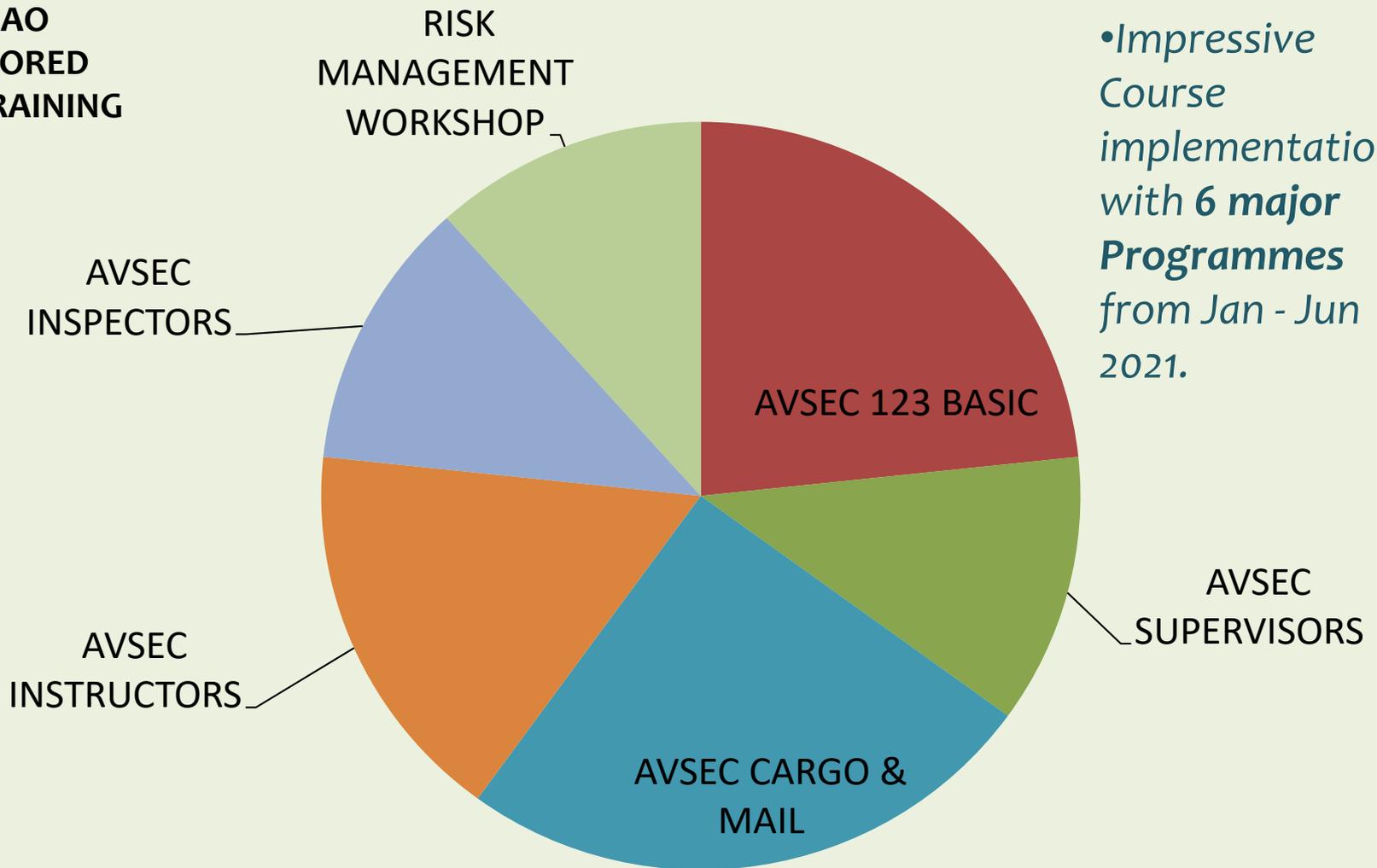
*•Currently expanding frontiers*

# 2021 ESAF & WACAF-ASTCs' REPORT

COURSES	NAIROBI	DOUALA	DAKAR	LAGOS
<b>A. ICAO SPONSORED AVSEC TRAINING</b>				
<i>AVSEC 123 BASIC</i>	14	230	0	0
<i>AVSEC SUPERVISORS</i>	7	0	0	0
<i>AVSEC 123 MANAGEMENT</i>	0	0	0	0
<i>AVSEC CARGO &amp; MAIL</i>	15	59	15	0
<i>AVSEC INSTRUCTORS</i>	10	0	0	0
<i>AVSEC INSPECTORS</i>	7	0	0	0
<i>CRISIS MANAGEMENT</i>	0	0	15	0
<i>RISK MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP</i>	7	0	0	0
<b>B. NON-ICAO SPONSORED</b>				
<i>AVSEC SCREENER'S COURSE</i>	0	0	0	77
<b>C. SPECIAL COURSES</b>				
<i>Dangerous Goods (Cat 6 &amp; Cat 12) - Doula</i>		157		
<i>Safety Inspector -Dakar</i>			7	
<i>Dangerous Goods (Cat 6) - Dakar</i>			6	

# Nairobi Summary: 2021

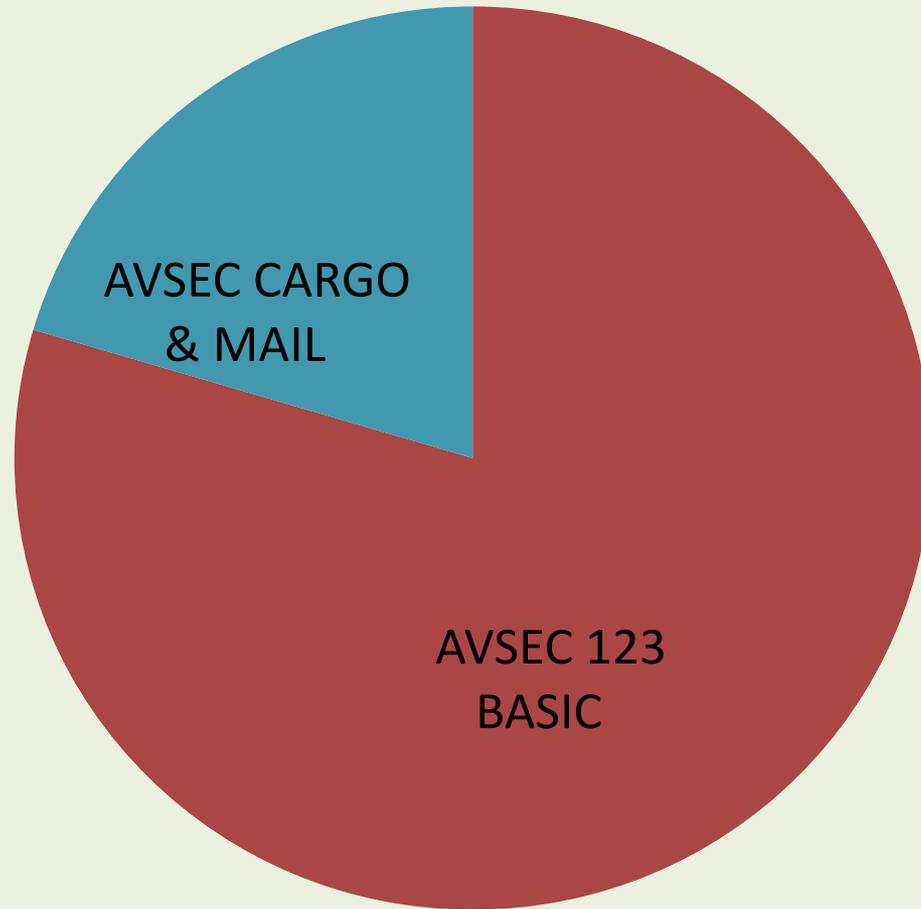
## A. ICAO SPONSORED AVSEC TRAINING



• *Impressive Course implementation with 6 major Programmes from Jan - Jun 2021.*

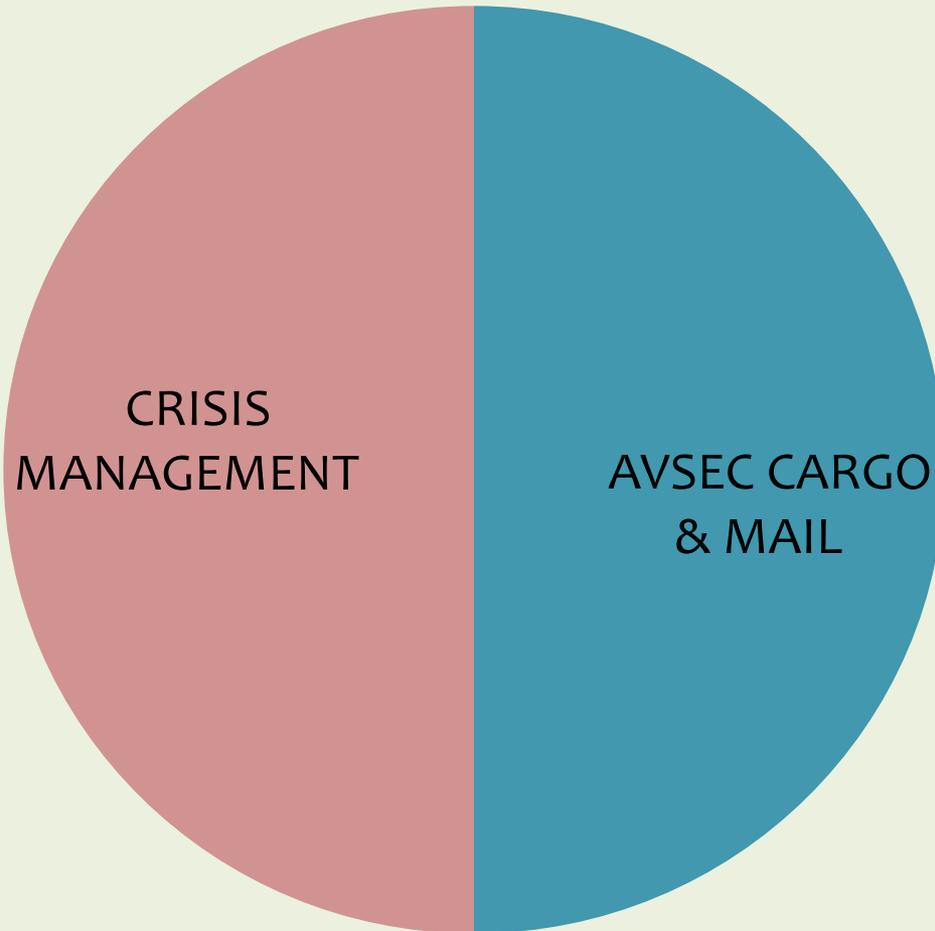
# Douala Summary: 2021

- Extensive coverage of AVSEC 123/Basic: Jan – June 2021



# Dakar Summary: 2021

A. ICAO  
SPONSORED  
AVSEC  
TRAINING



• Areas so far covered:  
*Jan – Jun*  
2021

# Dakar Summary: 2021

## Renewal of Dakar AVSEC training equipments

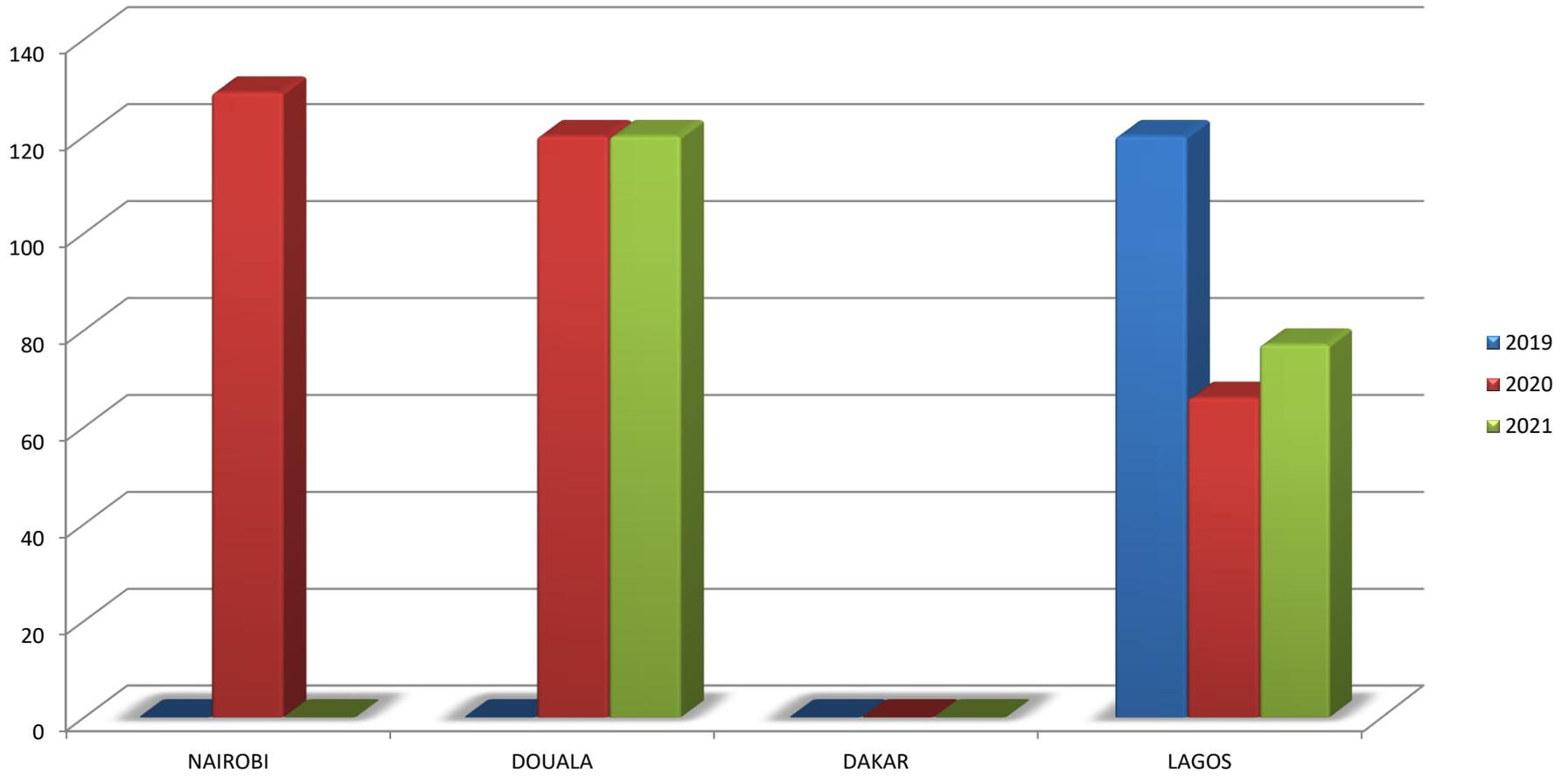
Screening Inspection Machine



Cabin Baggage X-Ray Scanner



# DEVELOPED NON-ICAO SPONSORED COURSE: AVSEC SCREENERS' COURSE



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- Commendably, all reporting ASTCs have developed and are implementing AVSEC Screeners Courses preparatory to certification of Screeners in line with National Civil Aviation Security Training Programmes of their respective Countries.
- Lagos ASTC has demonstrated consistency between 2019 – 2021 in the implementation of the AVSEC Screeners' Course.

# **NON-ICAO SPONSORED COURSE: SPECIAL COURSES**

## ***Douala ASTC***

- *Dangerous Goods (Cat 6 & Cat 12)*

## ***Dakar ASTC***

- *Dangerous Goods (Cat 6)*

## ***Lagos ASTC***

- *Explosive Trace Detector (ETD) Operational Search & X-Ray.*
- *Cargo Security Operator & Supervisor Course.*
- *Quality Assurance.*
- *AVSEC AWARENESS on Year of Security Culture (YOSC)*

## ***Nairobi ASTC***

- *AVSEC Regional Awareness*

# Upcoming Courses

## Dakar- ASTC

Date	Training Title	Expected Trainees	States
26 July – 04 August 2021	<b>AVSEC Supervisors</b>	15	MAURITANIA, SENEGAL, TCHAD
13 – 21 September 2021	<b>AVSEC National Inspector</b>	15	AFI States
04 – 12 October 2021	<b>AVSEC National Instructor</b>	15	AFI States
06 – 09 December 2021	<b>Risk Management</b>	15	AFI States
15 – 23 December 2021	<b>X-ray Imagery</b>	15	AFI States

# Upcoming Courses

## Lagos- ASTC

S/N	COURSE TITLE	MONTH	PROPOSED DATE	WORKING DAYS	LANGUAGE
1	NATIONAL INSPECTORS COURSE (Class Room)	JULY	19-27	7	English
2	AVSEC MANAGEMENT (Class Room)	SEPTEMBER	6-17	10	English
3	CRISIS MANAGEMENT COURSE (Class Room)	SEPTEMBER	20-24	5	English
4	AVSEC 123 BASIC (Class Room)	OCTOBER	4-15	10	English
5	CARGO AND MAIL SECURITY (Class Room)	NOVEMBER	15-19	5	English

# Upcoming Courses

## Nairobi- ASTC

Date	Training Title	Expected Trainees	States
16 July 2021	AVSEC Awareness	12	Kenya
19 – 028 July 2021	AVSEC Supervisors	16	Uganda Kenya
16 – 27 August 2021	AVSEC Basic 123	19	Uganda, Kenya Tanzania,
11 – 15 October 2021	AVSEC Cargo & Mail Security	12	Uganda, Tanzania, Mozambique, Kenya
6 – 10 September 2021	AVSEC Screeners	10	Kenya
25 September – 2 November 2021	AVSEC Management	8	Kenya Uganda
16 – 24 November 2021	AVSEC Instructors	11	Kenya

# Our Challenges & Responses

- Restrictions on travels due to Covid-19.
- Reduced fund allocation for trainings.
- It is important to continuously update ICAO's guidance on the virtual/online platform regarding courses to upload.
- Need for greater interaction and exchange between AFI -ASTCs to share their practices and experiences.

# Our Challenges & Responses

- ASECNA's E-Learning platform is in progress to address challenges regarding training material for virtual events
- Available Statistics from ASTCs in Lagos & Nairobi indicate a need for deliberate efforts to get more women to participate in the various Training Programmes.
- The need to bring in other ASTCs on the African Continent into this Forum should be considered.

# Conclusion

- The Africa ASTCs have continued to make giant strides in the face of Covid-19 related limitations and dwindling resources.
- Efforts are geared towards the development and implementation of more relevant courses and programmes to help the industry mitigate new and emerging security threats.
- We are confident that the Johannesburg ASTC would very soon surmount the current challenges and continue to support the Human Resource Development needs of the industry.

Thank You

For Your Attention

