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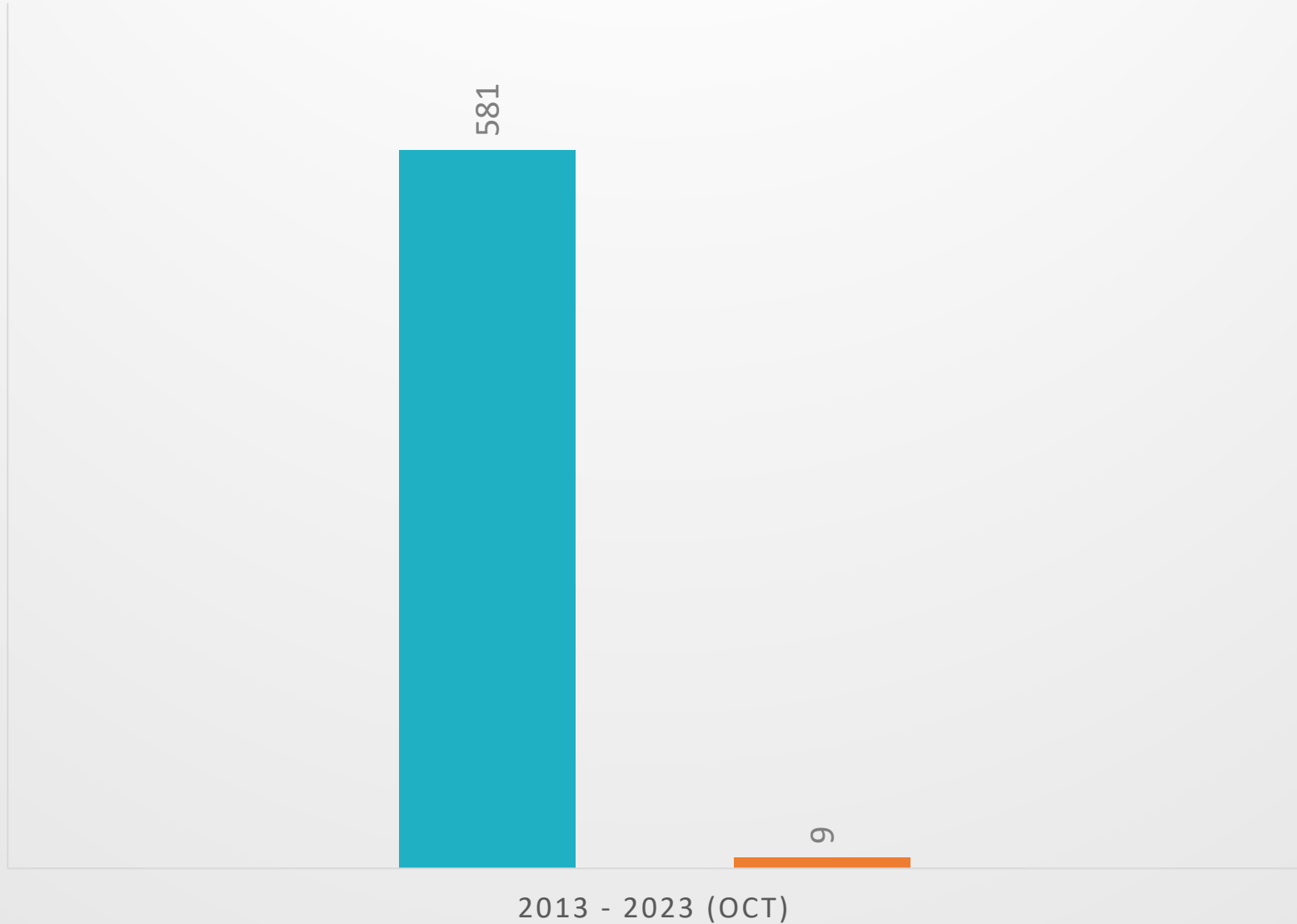
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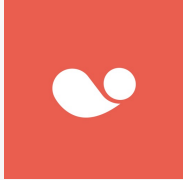
# 1 Training & Trade Testing

# VET AWARD FOR CHILDCARE EDUCATORS (MQF4)



Female Male



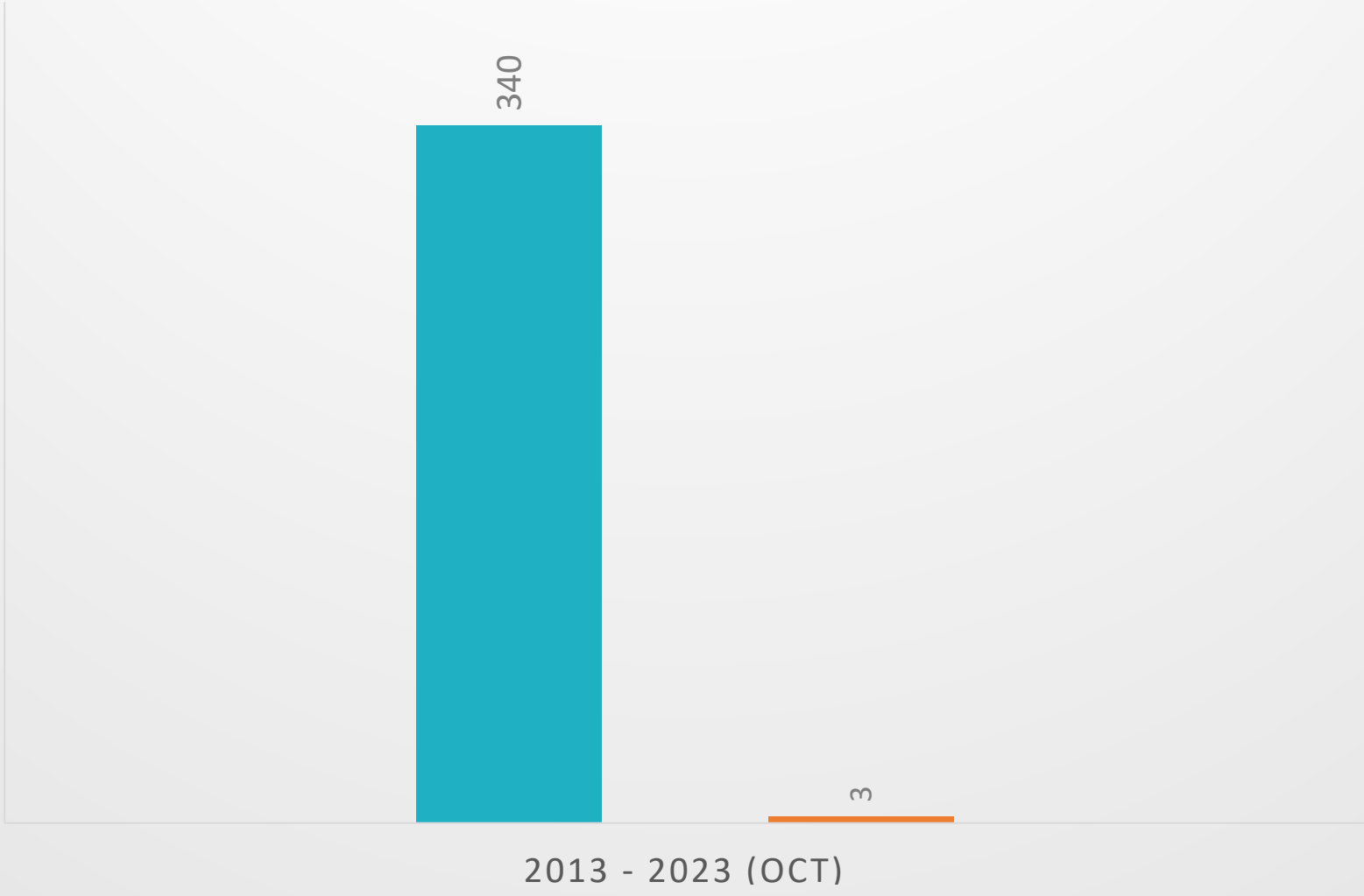


# TRADE TESTING

## CHILDCARE EDUCATOR (MQF 4)

*(VALIDATION OF INFORMAL AND NONFORMAL LEARNING)*

■ Female ■ Male



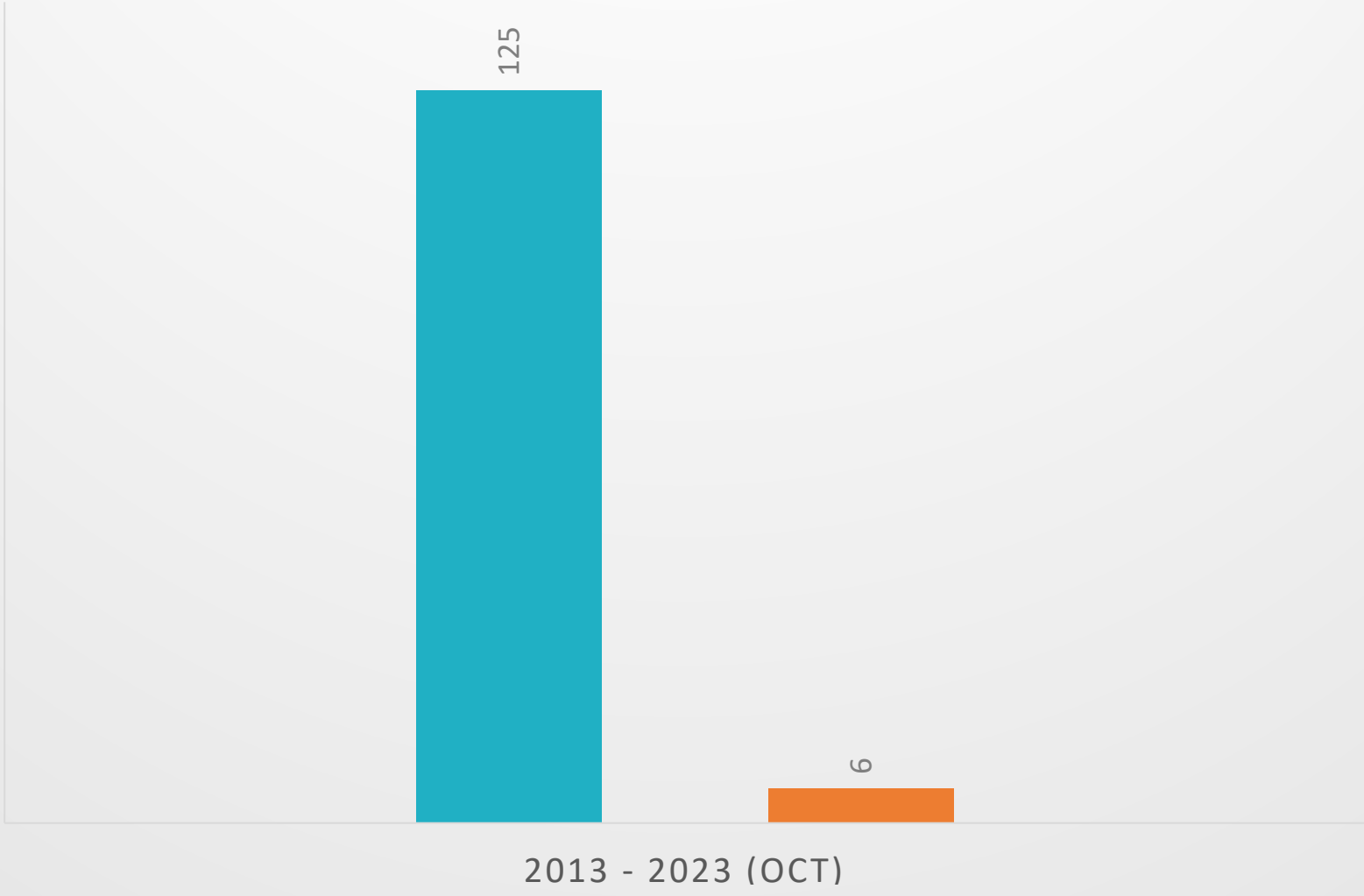


# TRADE TESTING

## CHILDCARE MANAGER (MQF 5)

*(VALIDATION OF INFORMAL AND NONFORMAL LEARNING)*

■ Female ■ Male





**freechildcare**  
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## FREE CHILDCARE SCHEME

- Active Labour Market Policy (ALMP), part of the ***MAKING WORK PAY*** Initiatives
- Activate both demand & supply-side of the Labour Market
- Create opportunity costs to **increase employment** (*from passive to positive welfare thru' Tapering of Social Benefits, In-Work benefits, training & wage subsidies*)
- Promote **female employment** (*Address barriers & activate flexibility measures thru' Childcare Support - Free Childcare Scheme / Breakfast Club / Klabb 3-16 / Skola Sajf*)





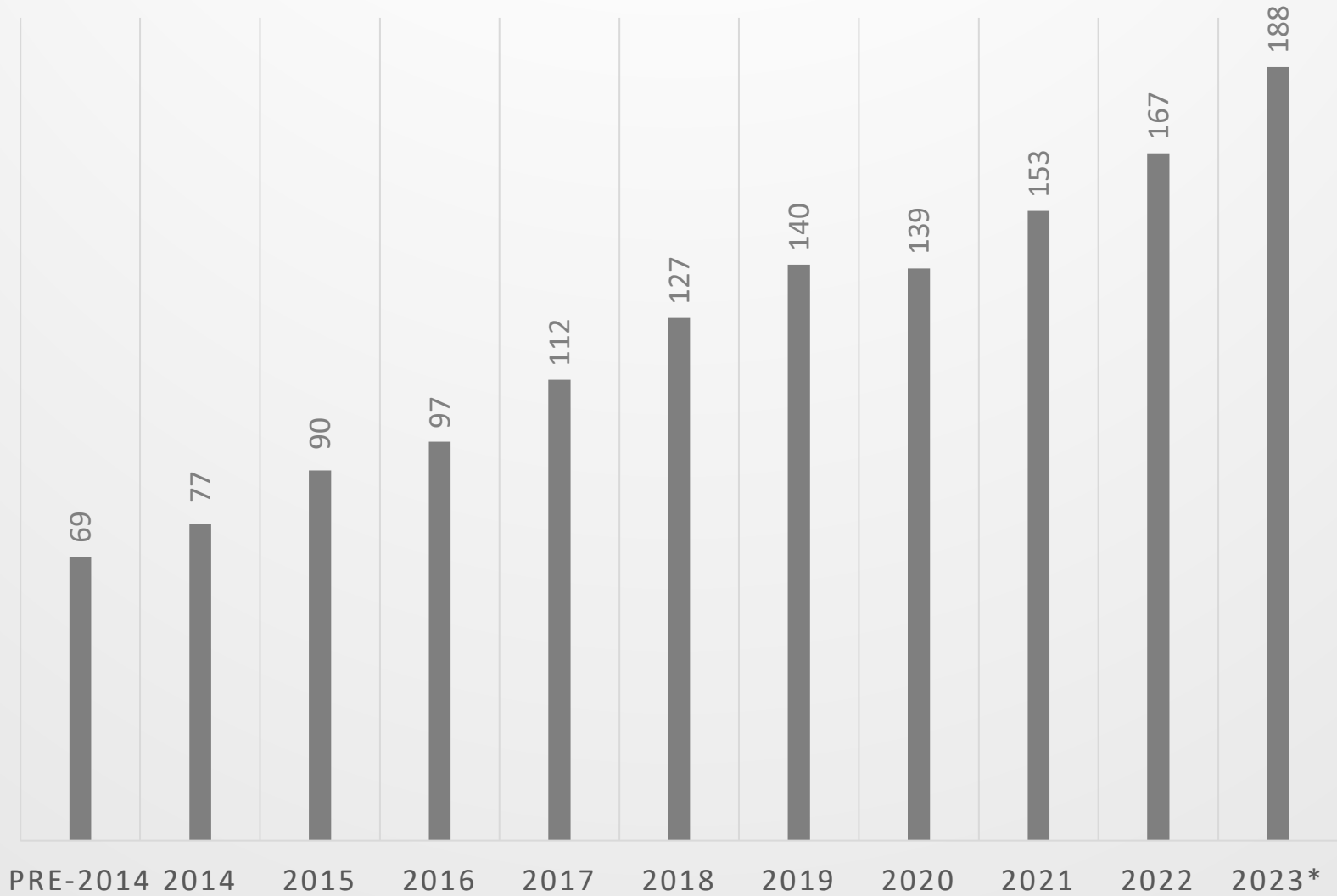
# OVERVIEW

- Launched in April 2014.
- Parent/s who are in employment or education
- Parents/s suffering from a terminal illness / severe medical situation
- Entitlement is based on the working hours of Parent 1  
(100hrs) + 10% (10) + 20hrs = 130 hours
- 25% Yearly Absence Entitlement



# CHILDCARE CENTRES

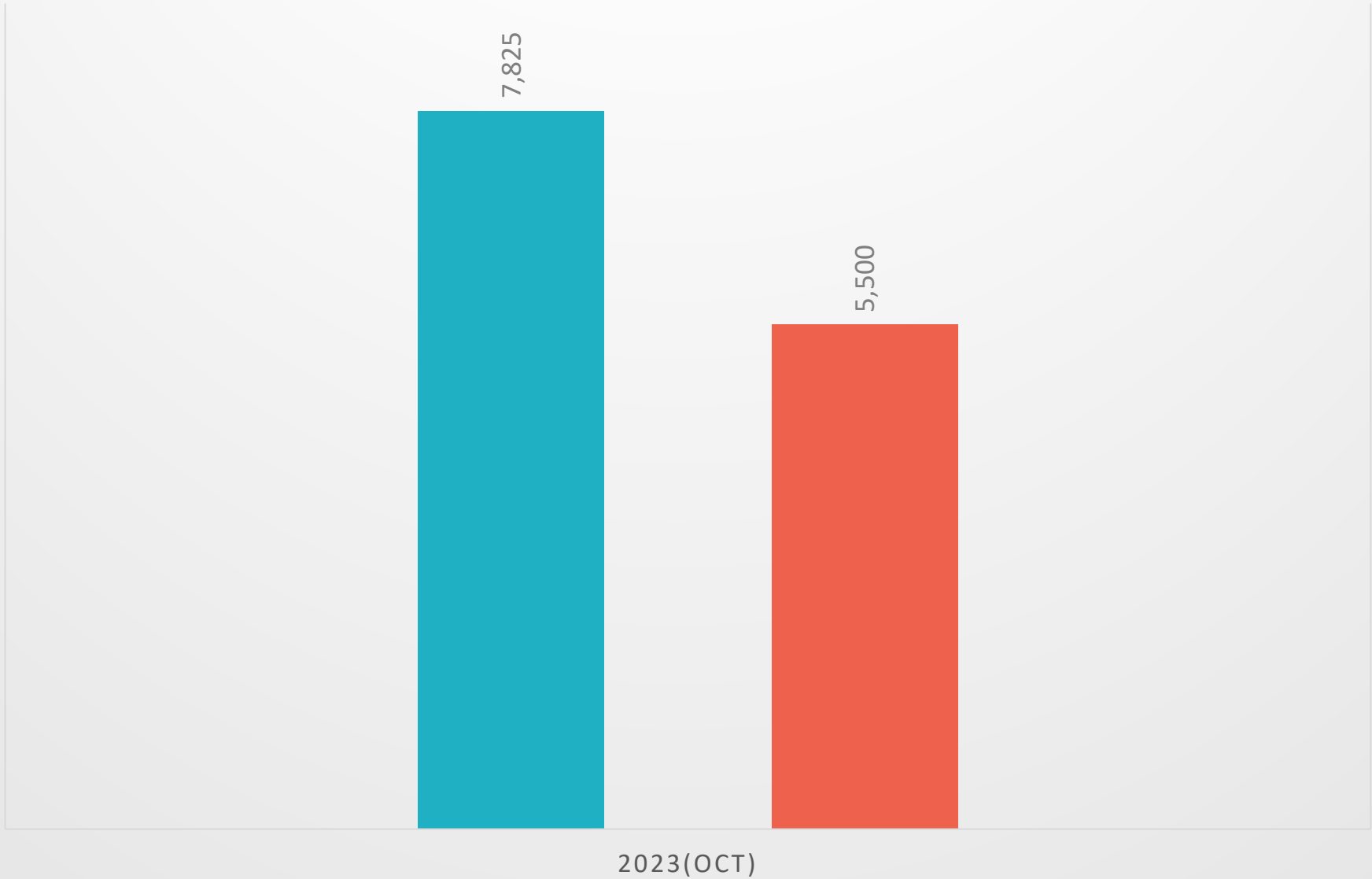
■ Childcare Centres



# CHILDCARE CENTRES CAPACITY VS. CHILDREN (MONTHLY AVG.)



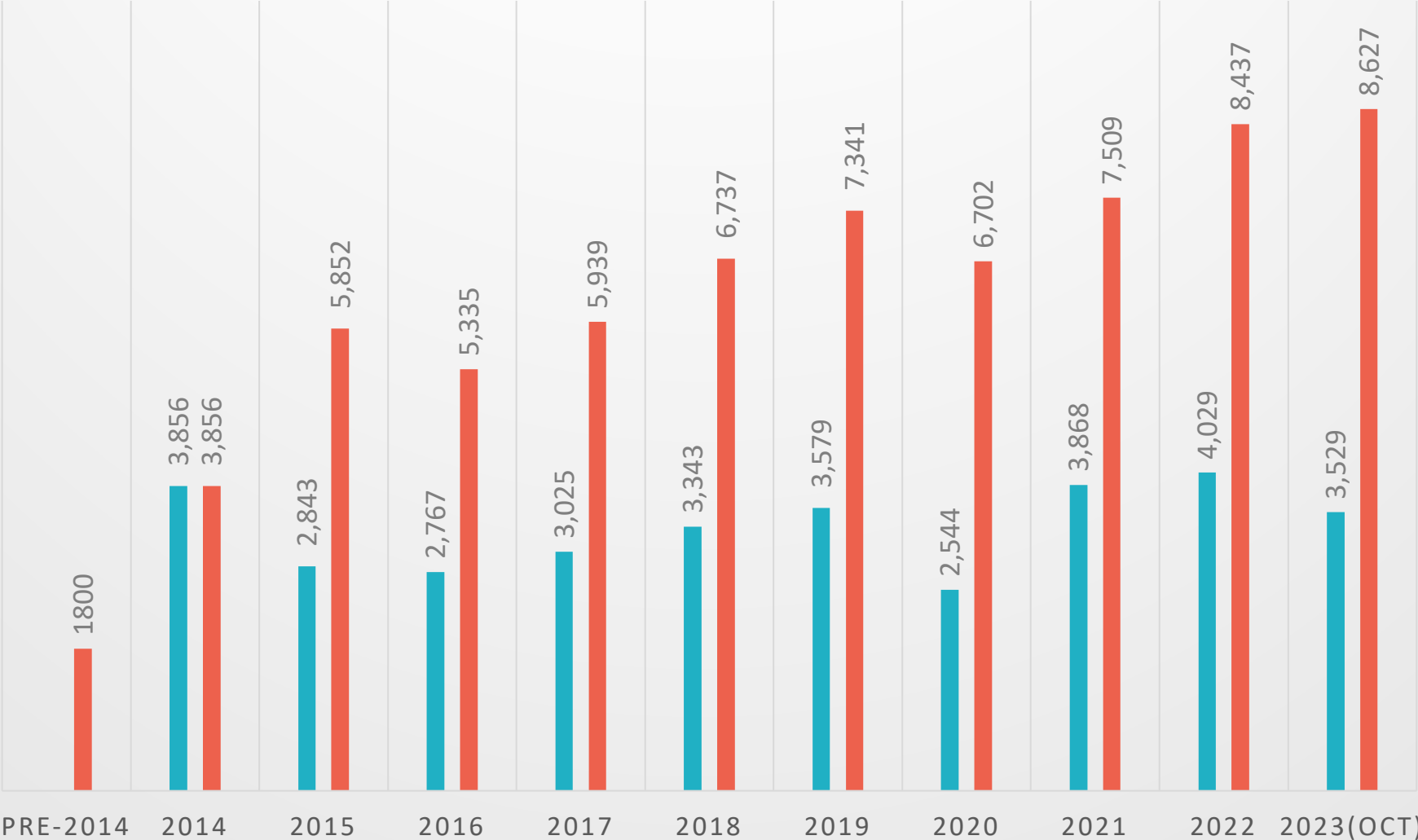
■ CCC REGISTERED CAPACITY    ■ CHILDREN IN ATTENDANCE (MONTHLY AVG)





# CHILDREN

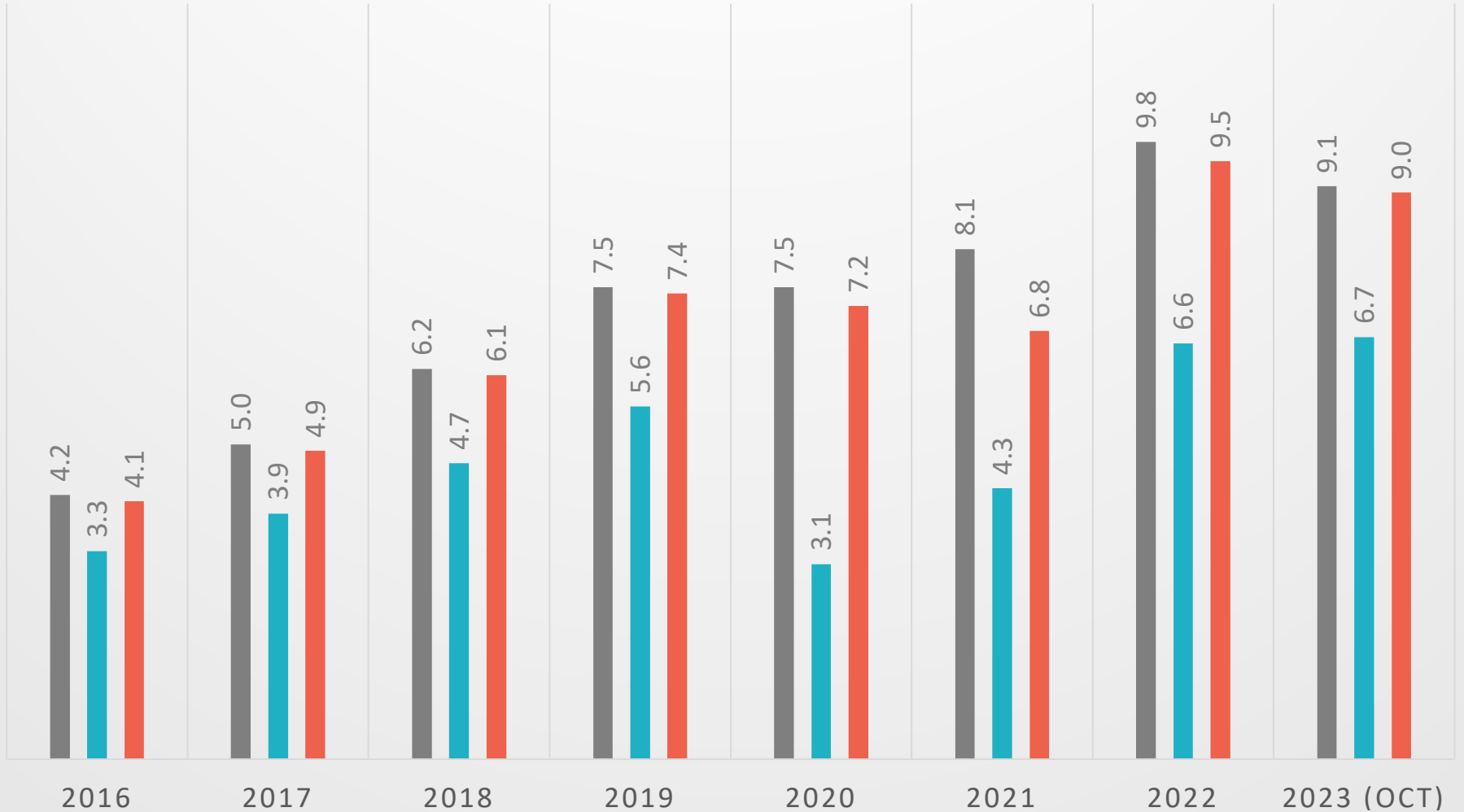
■ New Children ■ Total





# USAGE (HOURS/MILLIONS)

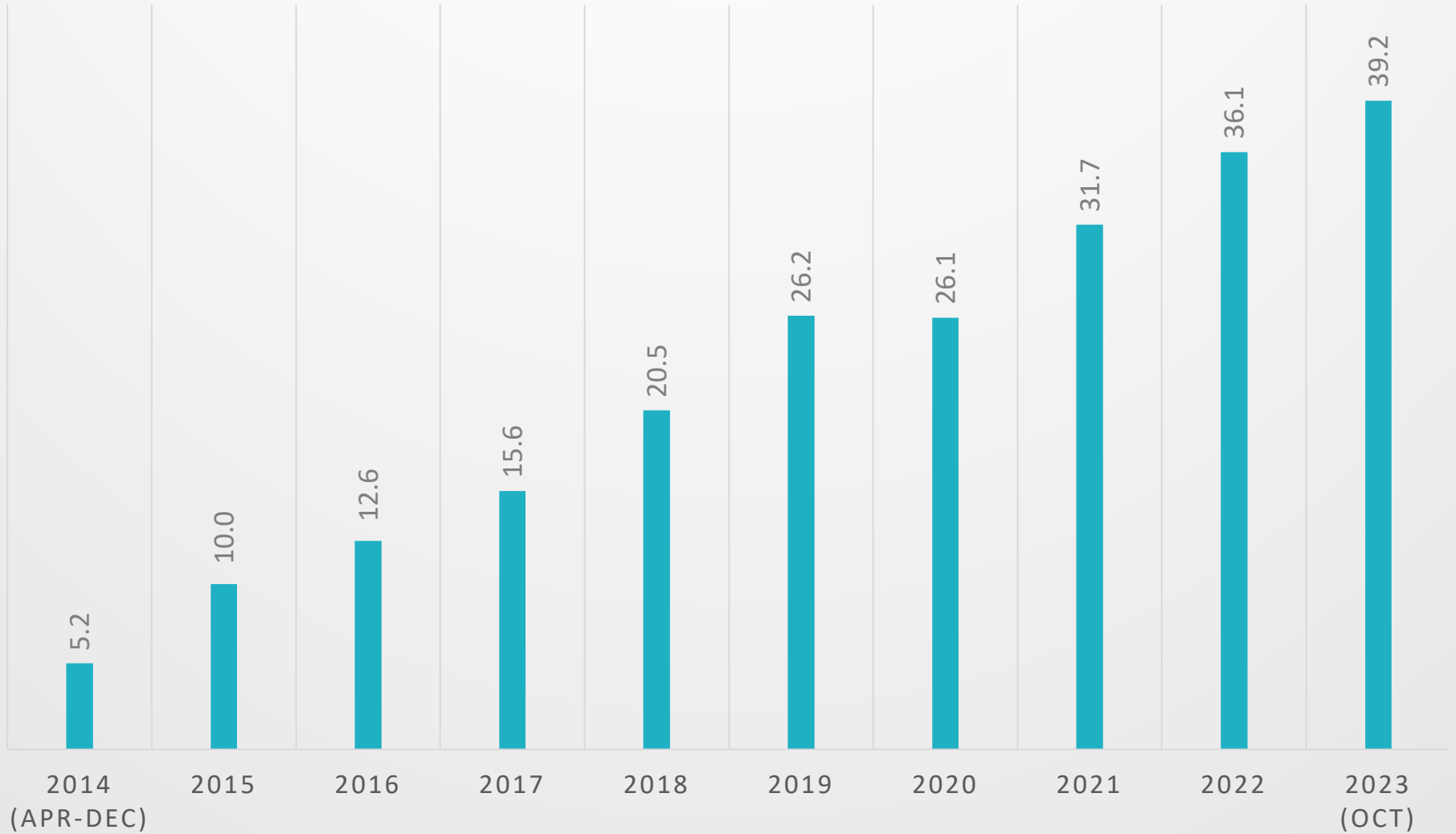
■ Booked Hours   ■ Attended Hours   ■ Hours Paid





# INVESTMENT

■ €MILLIONS/YEAR

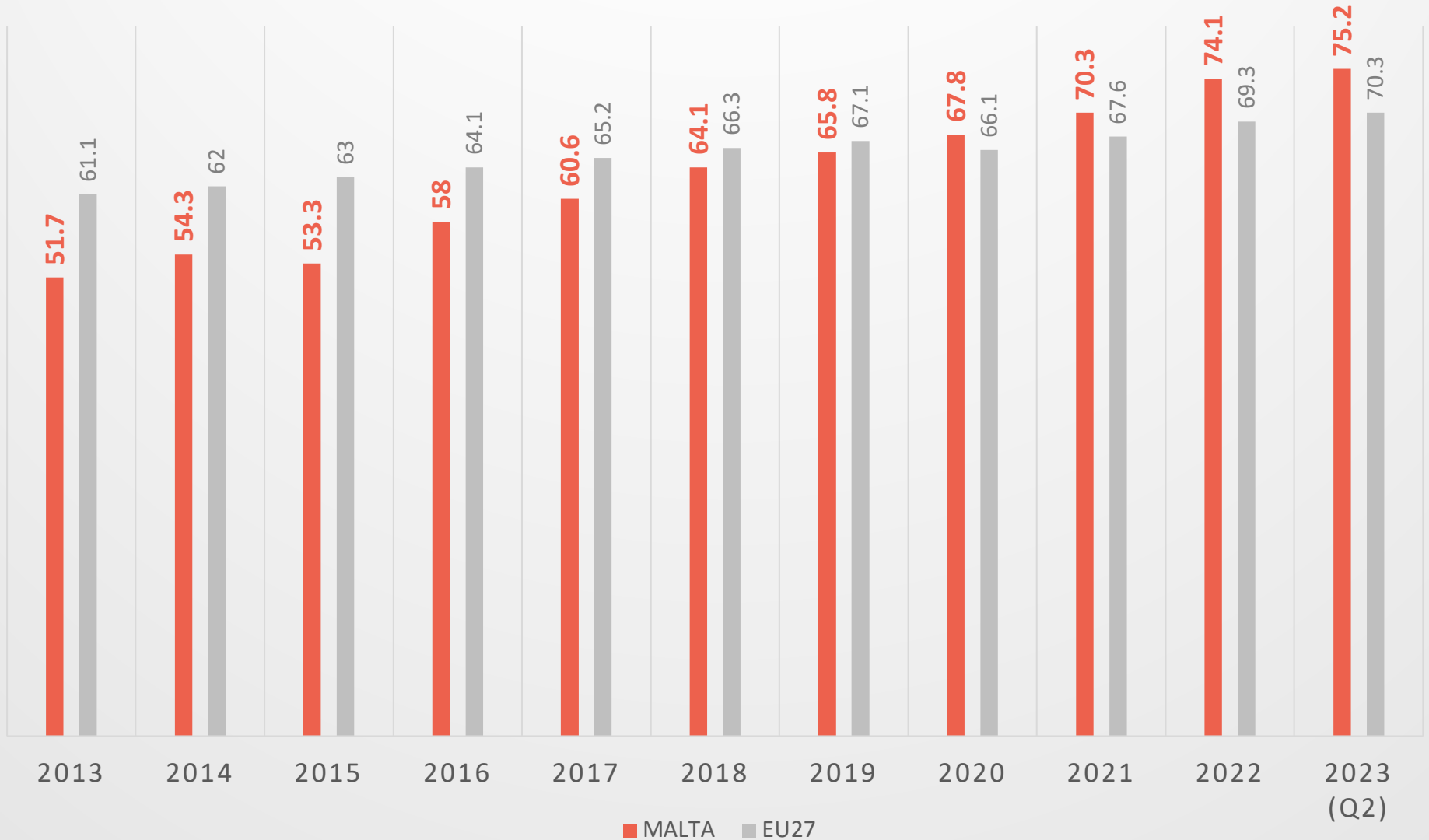


# 3 Labour Market Data

# FEMALE EMPLOYMENT RATE (20-64 YEARS)



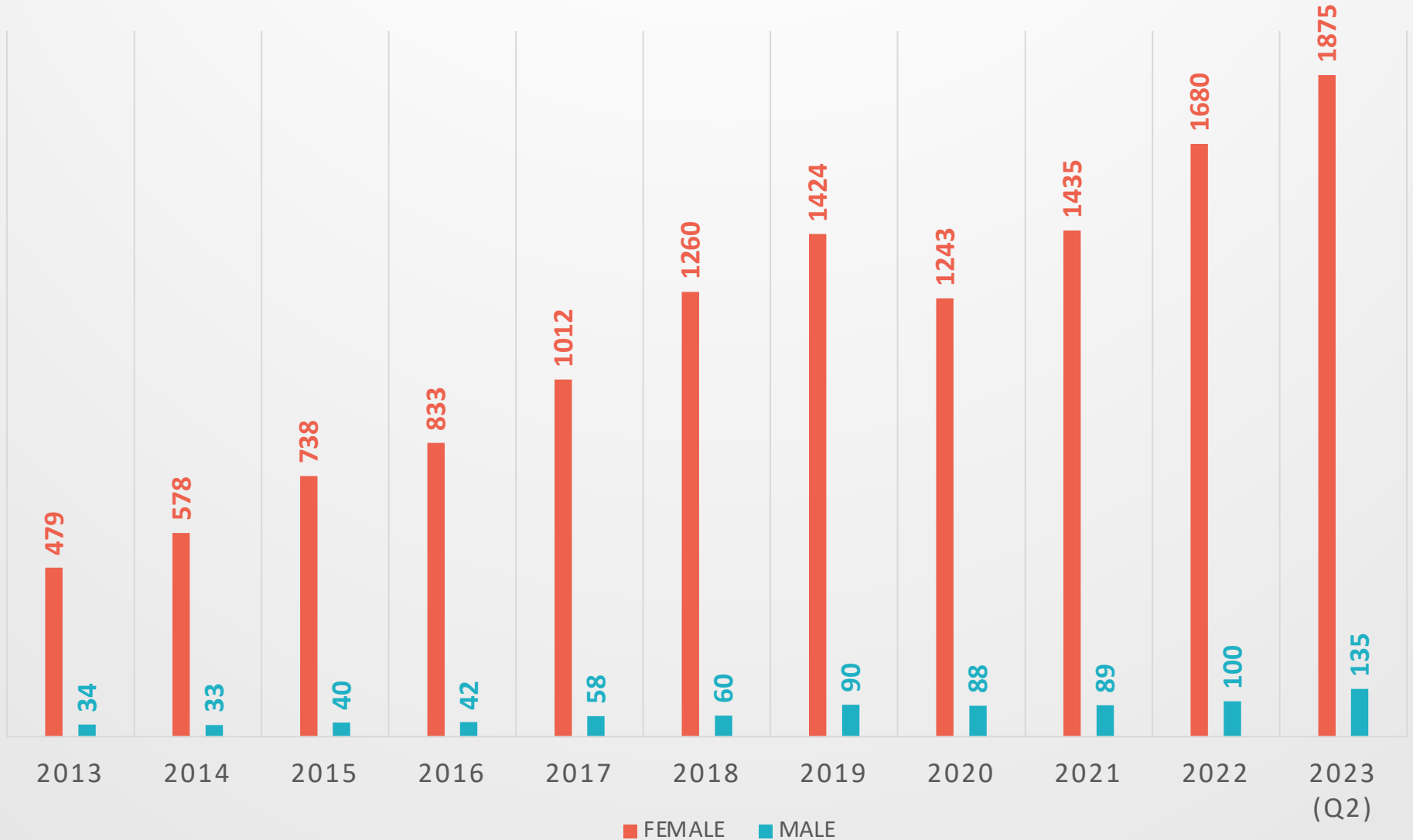
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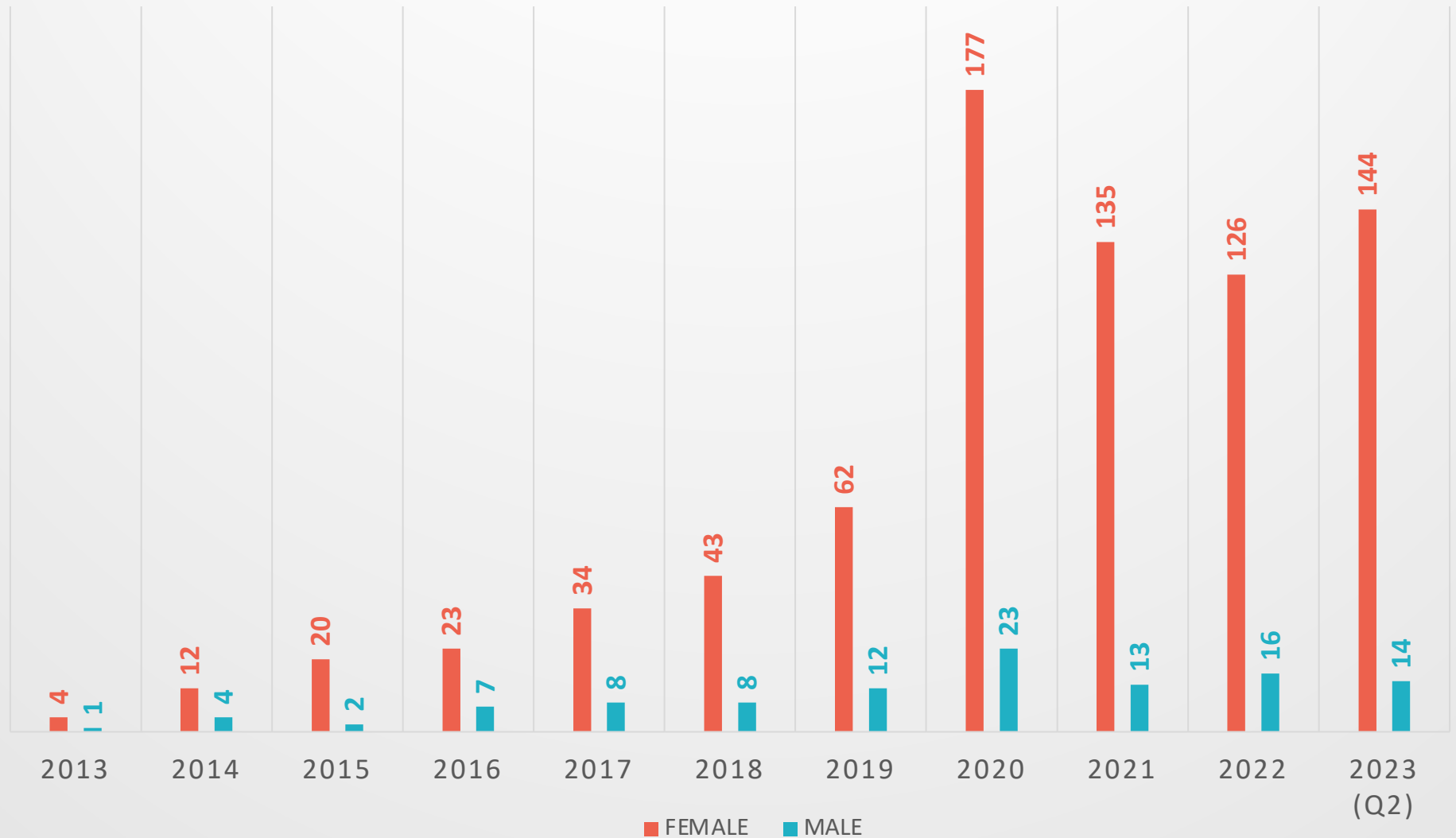


# CHILDCARE EDUCATORS





# CHILDCARE MANAGERS





THANK YOU!