



**ANALYSIS OF THE PASS RATES OF
GB v NON-GB CANDIDATES AND
IN THE EUROPEAN QUALIFYING
EXAMS (EQE)**

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EQE pass rates for GB and Non-GB candidates

From our annual analysis of the EPO's **Statistics on the results of the EQE** <http://www.epo.org/learning-events/eqe/statistics.html> that the pass rates for GB candidates have consistently been higher than those for non-GB candidates.

The graphs on the next slides show the position for EQE 2016 and trends over the last four years.

Figure 1: EQE 2016 Pass Rates by Paper

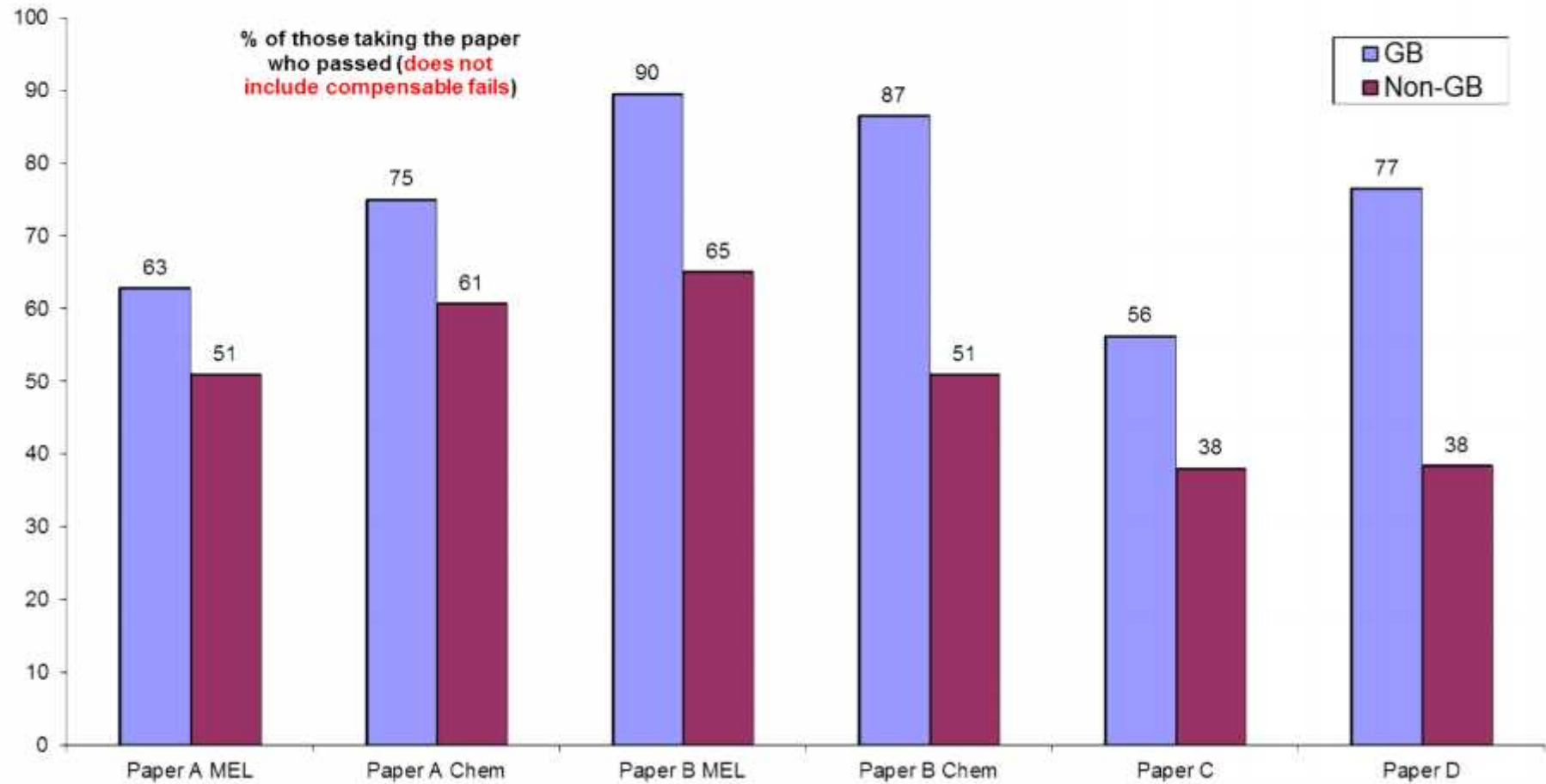


Figure 2: Pass rates for GB candidates 2013-16

[% of those taking the exam
who passed (does not
include compensable fails)]

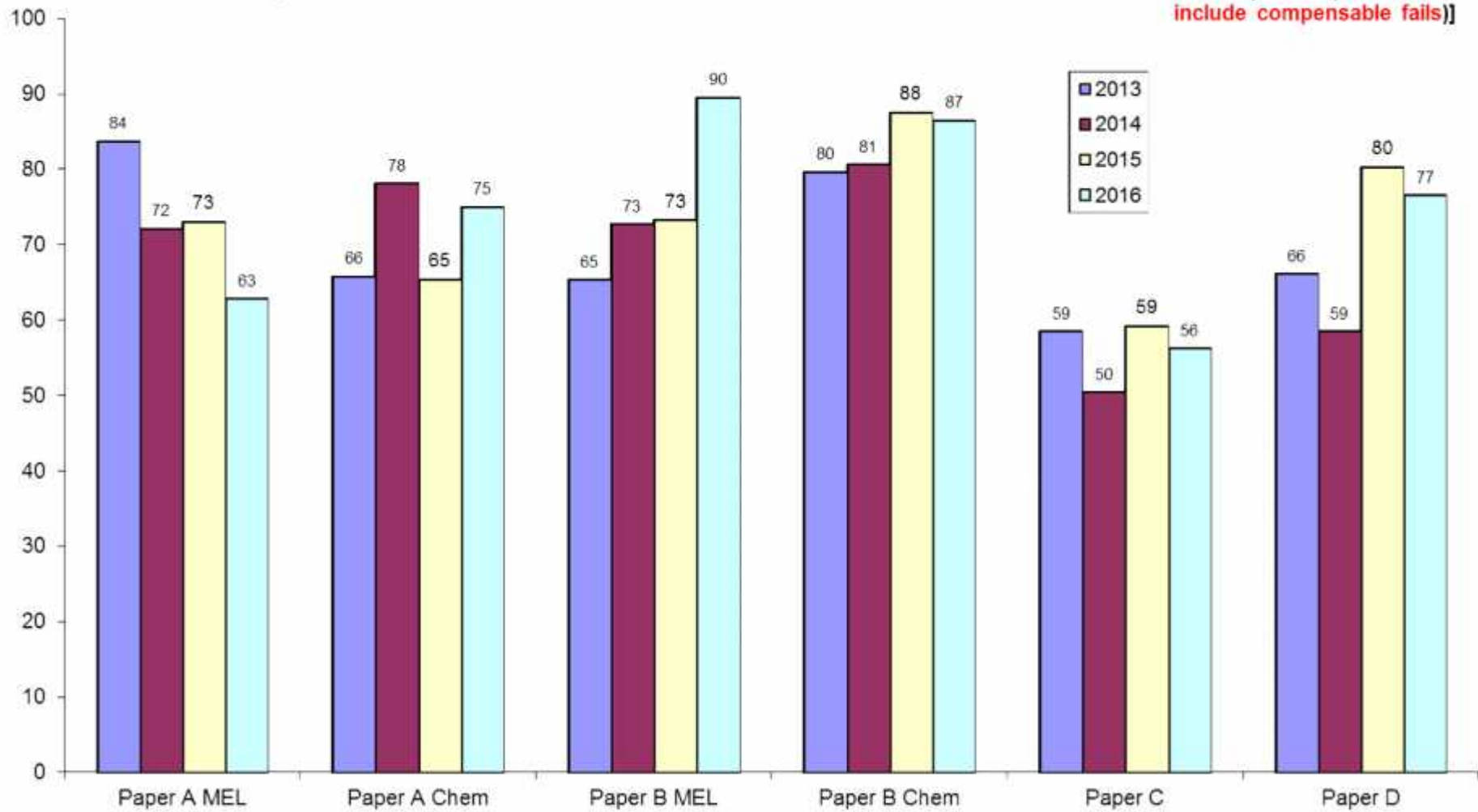


Figure 3: % pass rates in EQE 2016 by candidates from the 5 main countries (this chart does include 'compensable fails')

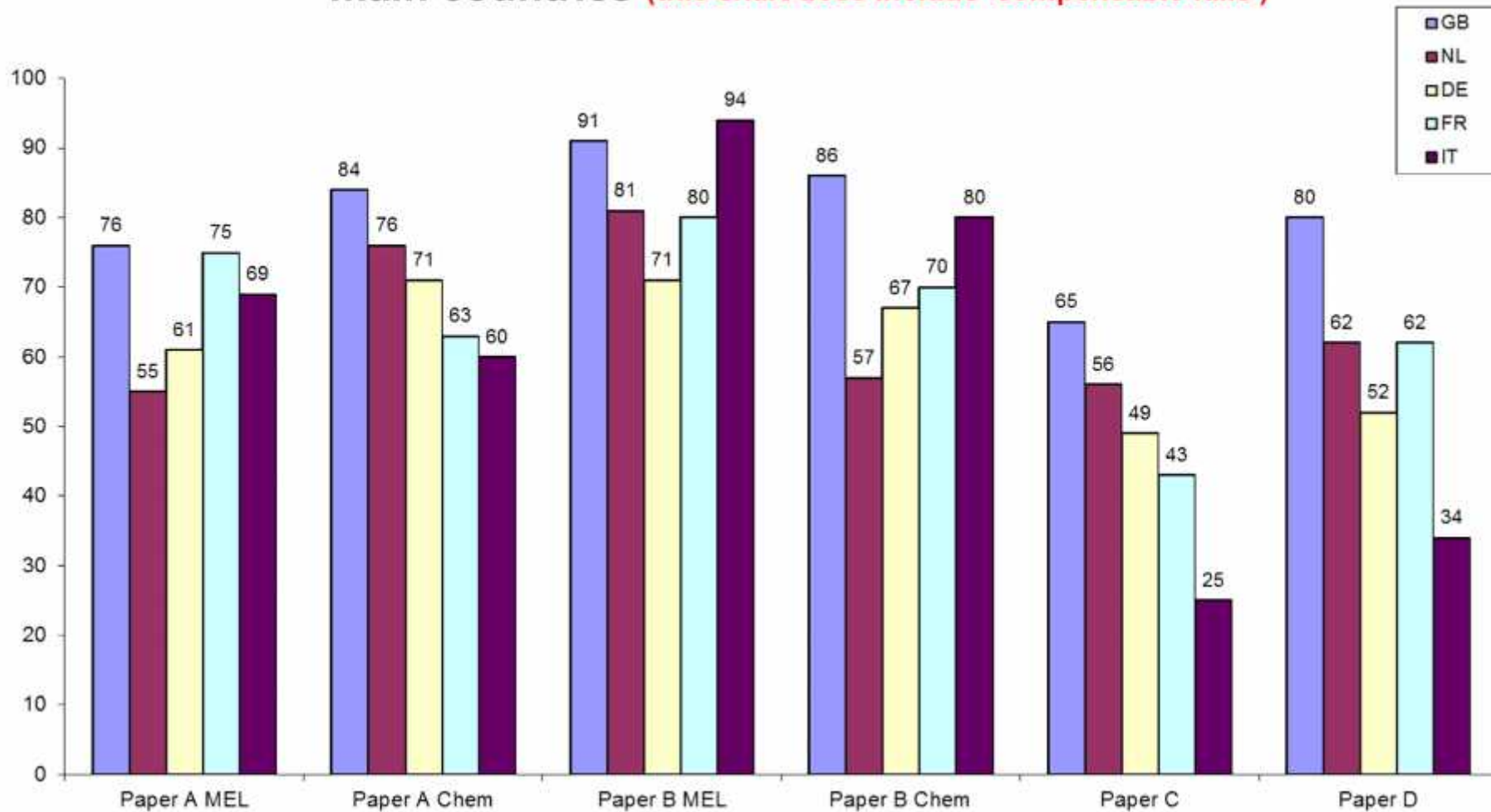


Figure 4: EQE Pre-exam, % of candidates who passed 2014-16

