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Category	Max Points
1. Right of Access	6
2. Scope	30
3. Requesting Procedures	30
4. Exceptions and Refusals	30
5. Appeals	30
6. Sanctions and Protections	8
7. Promotional Measures	16
Total	150

Number of Laws per 10-point Score Ranges

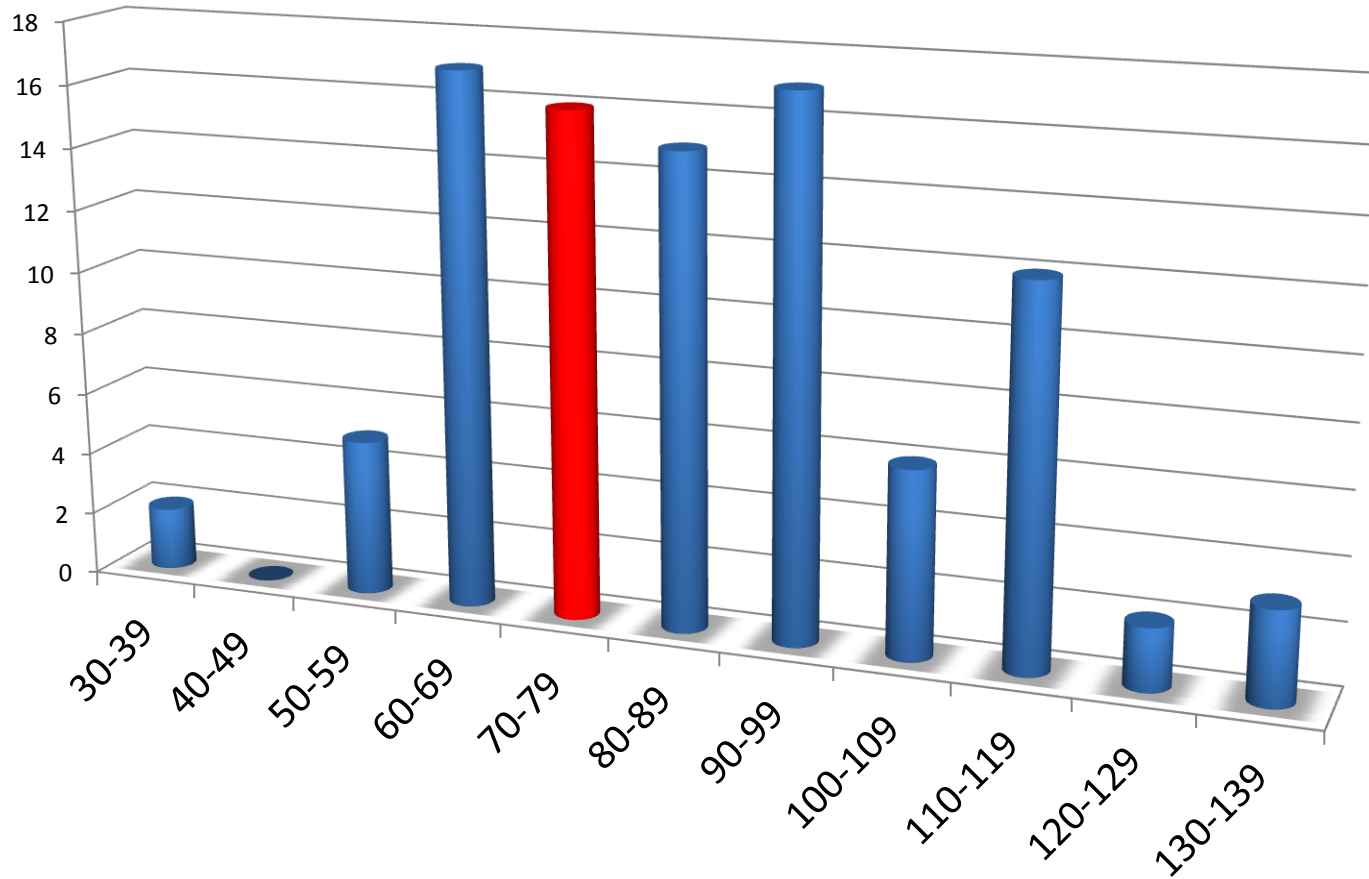
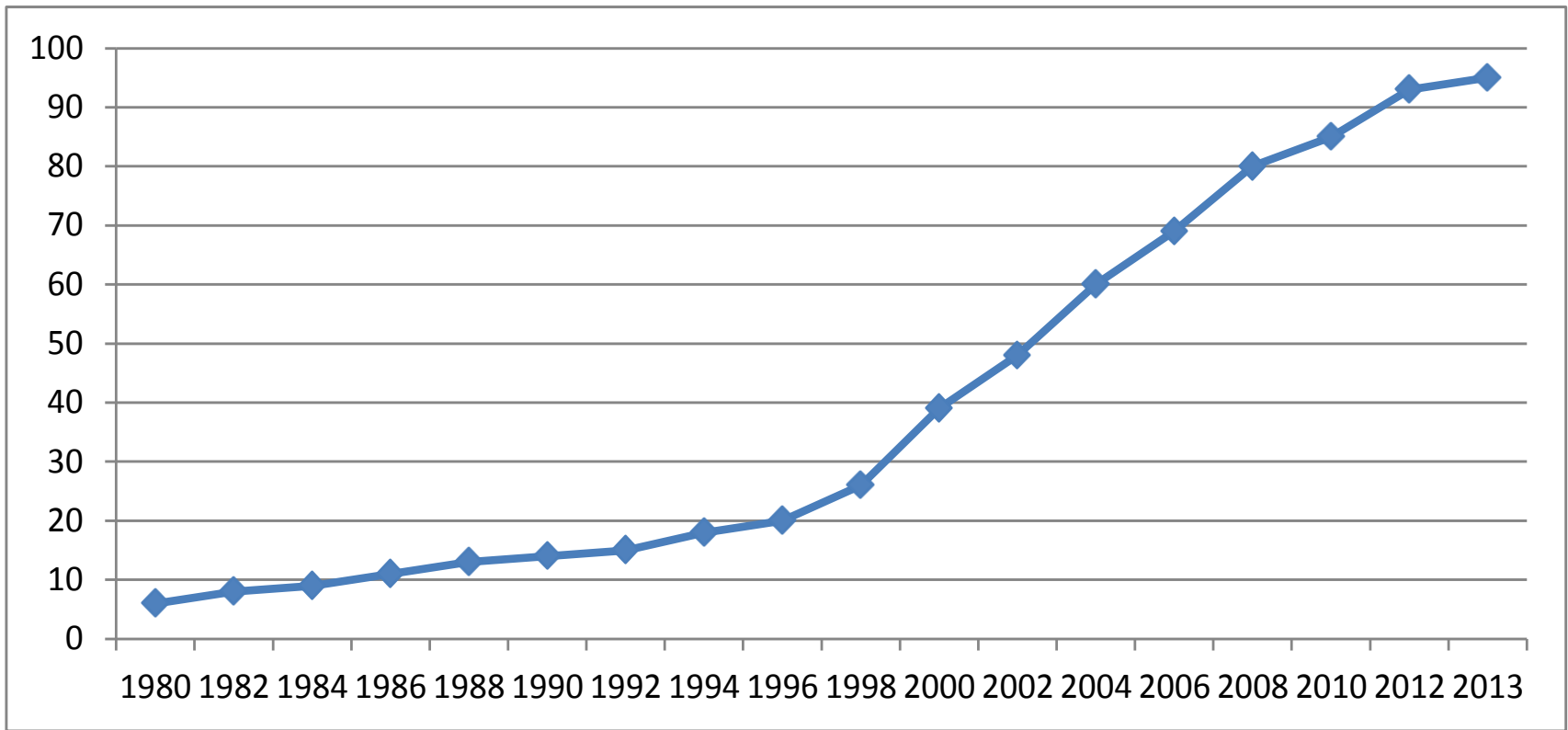


Figure 1. Chronological Development of RTI Laws



Source: [RTI Rating](#) by the [Centre for Law and Democracy](#) and [Access Info Europe](#).

Number of RTI Laws over Time and by Region

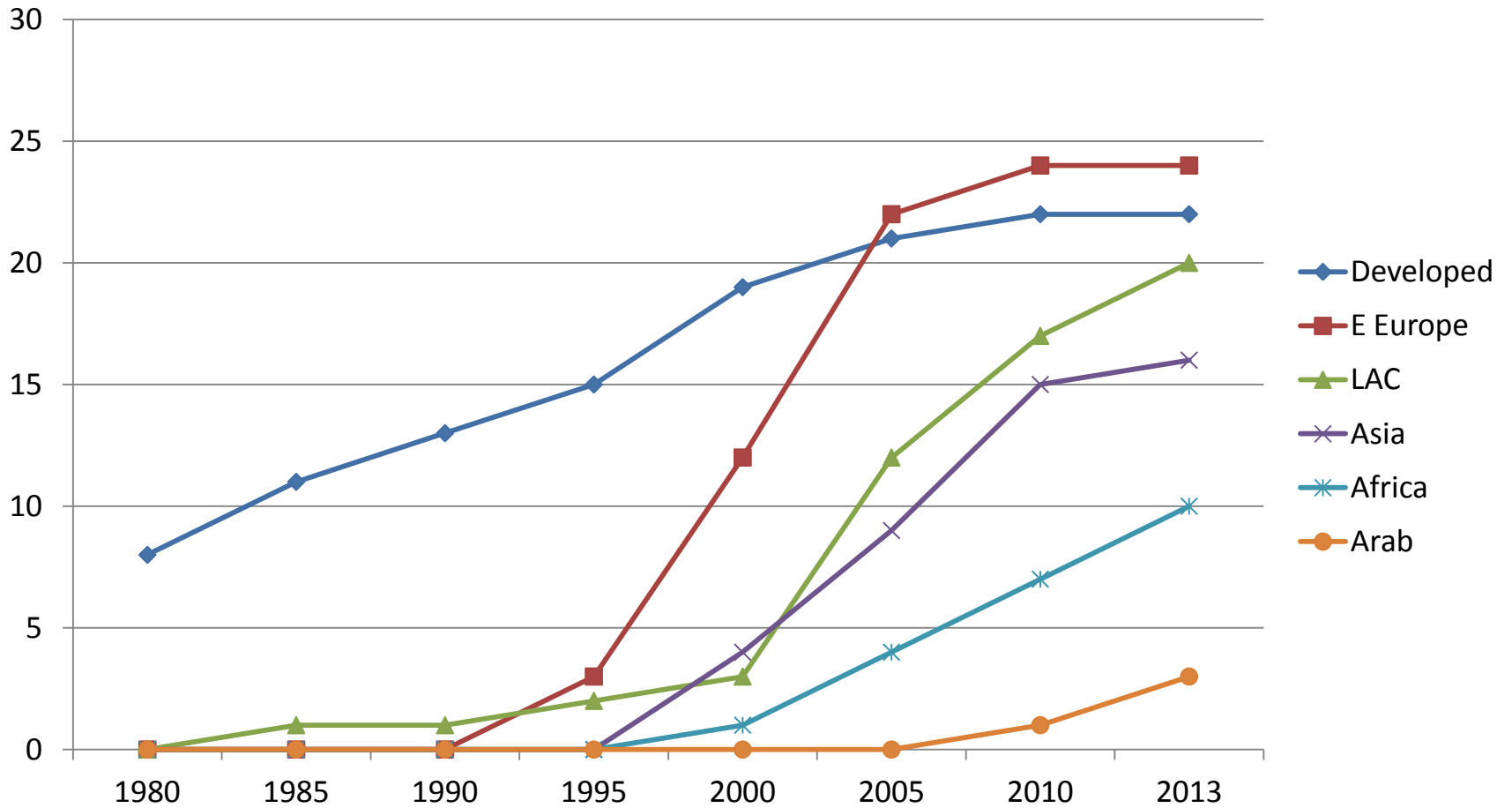
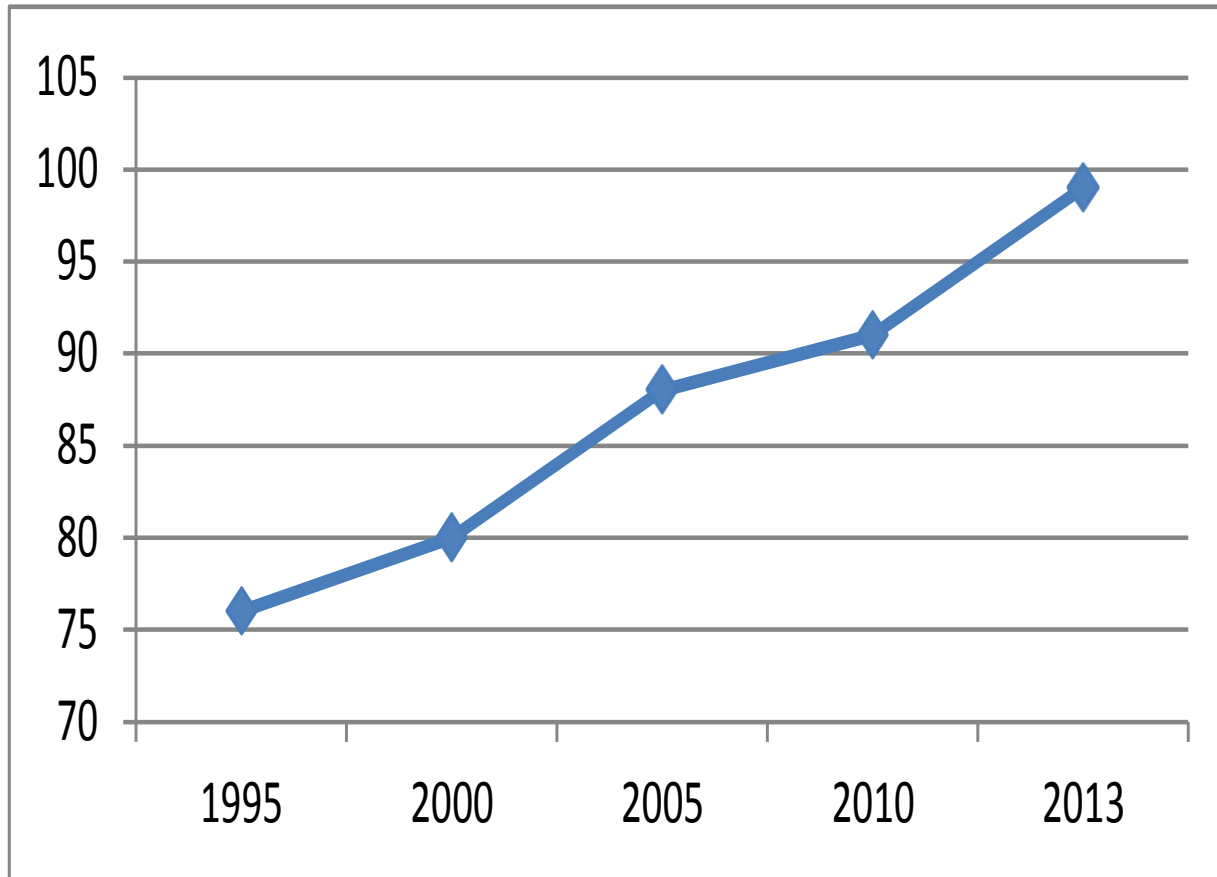


Figure 2. Average Score of RTI Laws by Year



Source: [RTI Rating](#) by the [Centre for Law and Democracy](#) and [Access Info Europe](#).

Canada's Detailed Score

Category	Max Points	Canada	Percentage
1. Right of Access	6	3	50%
2. Scope	30	13	43%
3. Requesting Procedures	30	15	50%
4. Exceptions	30	11	37%
5. Appeals	30	22	73%
6. Sanctions and Protections	8	6	75%
7. Promotional Measures	16	9	56%
Total	150	79	53%

Jurisdiction	Total Score (out of 150)
1. British Columbia	97
2. Manitoba	94
3. Newfoundland	92
4. Yukon	91
5. Prince Edward Island	90
6. Ontario	89
7. Nova Scotia	85
8. Northwest Territories	82
8. Nunavut	82
10. Quebec	81
11. Saskatchewan	80
12. Alberta	79
12. Canada (national law)	79
12. New Brunswick	79

Thank you

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