

Revising the International Telecommunication Regulations (ITRs) - Preparations for WCIT 2012

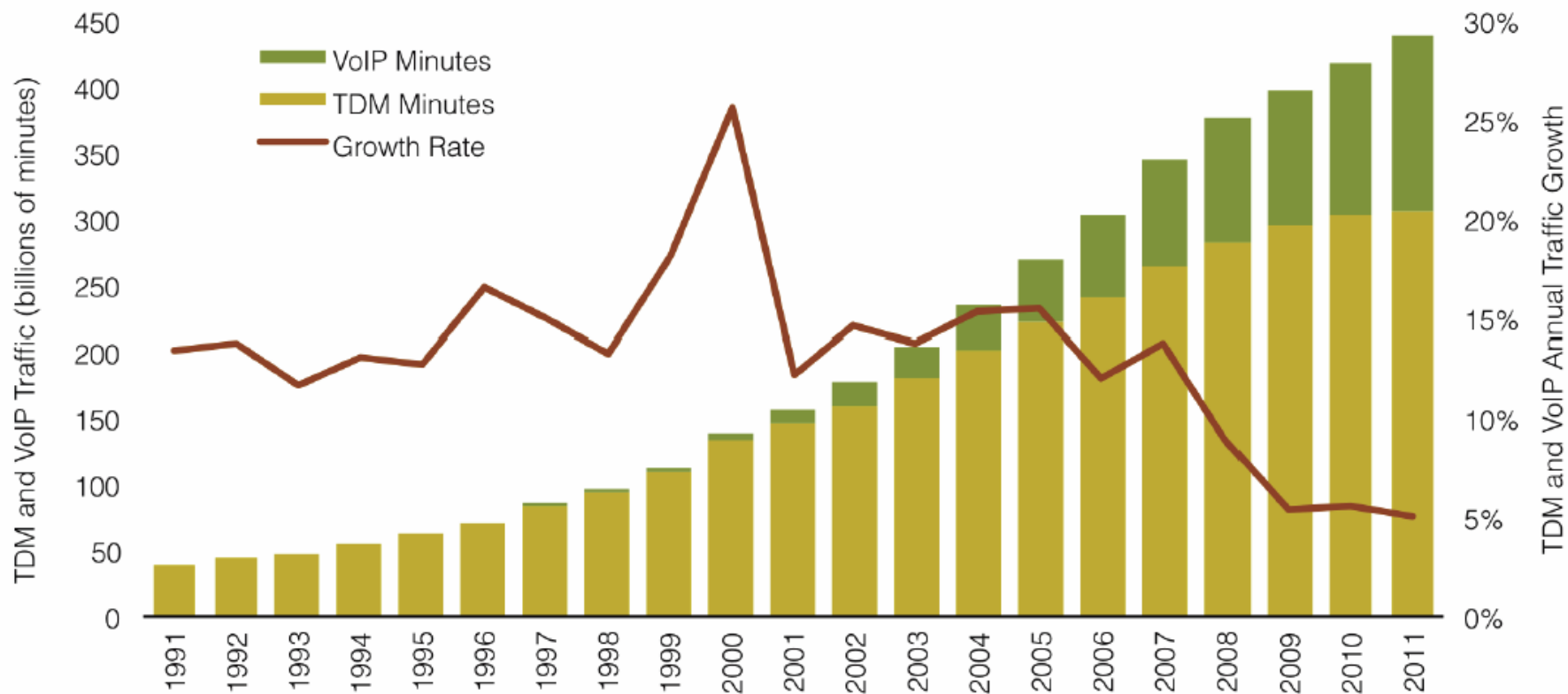
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- ✓ European Conference of Postal and Telecommunications Administrations;
- ✓ 48 Member States;
- ✓ Com-ITU is the Committee responsible for organizing the co-ordination of CEPT actions for ITU activities (except WRC);
- ✓ Since September 2011, COM-ITU had four meetings dedicated to the preparations of the WCIT-12.

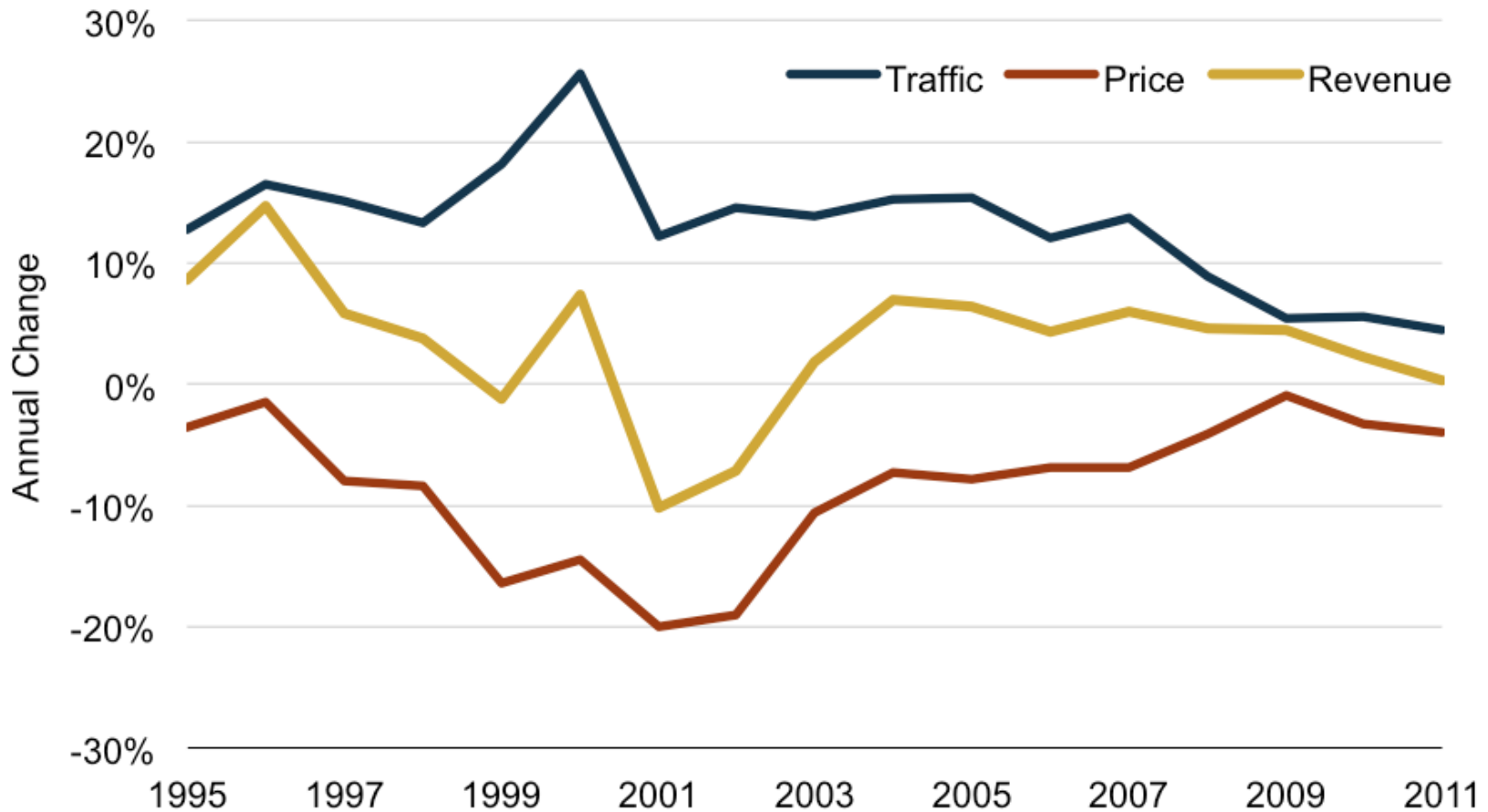
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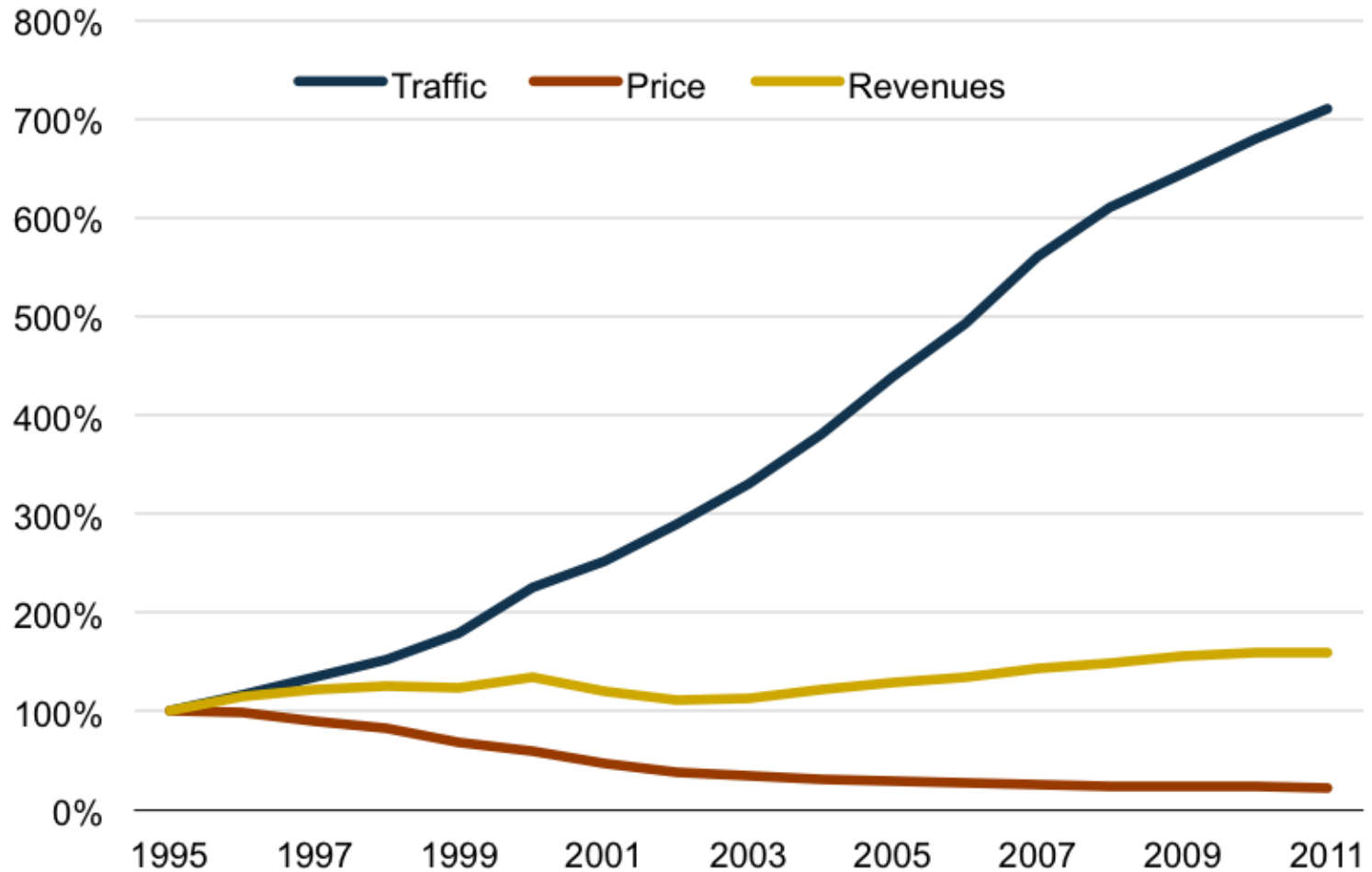
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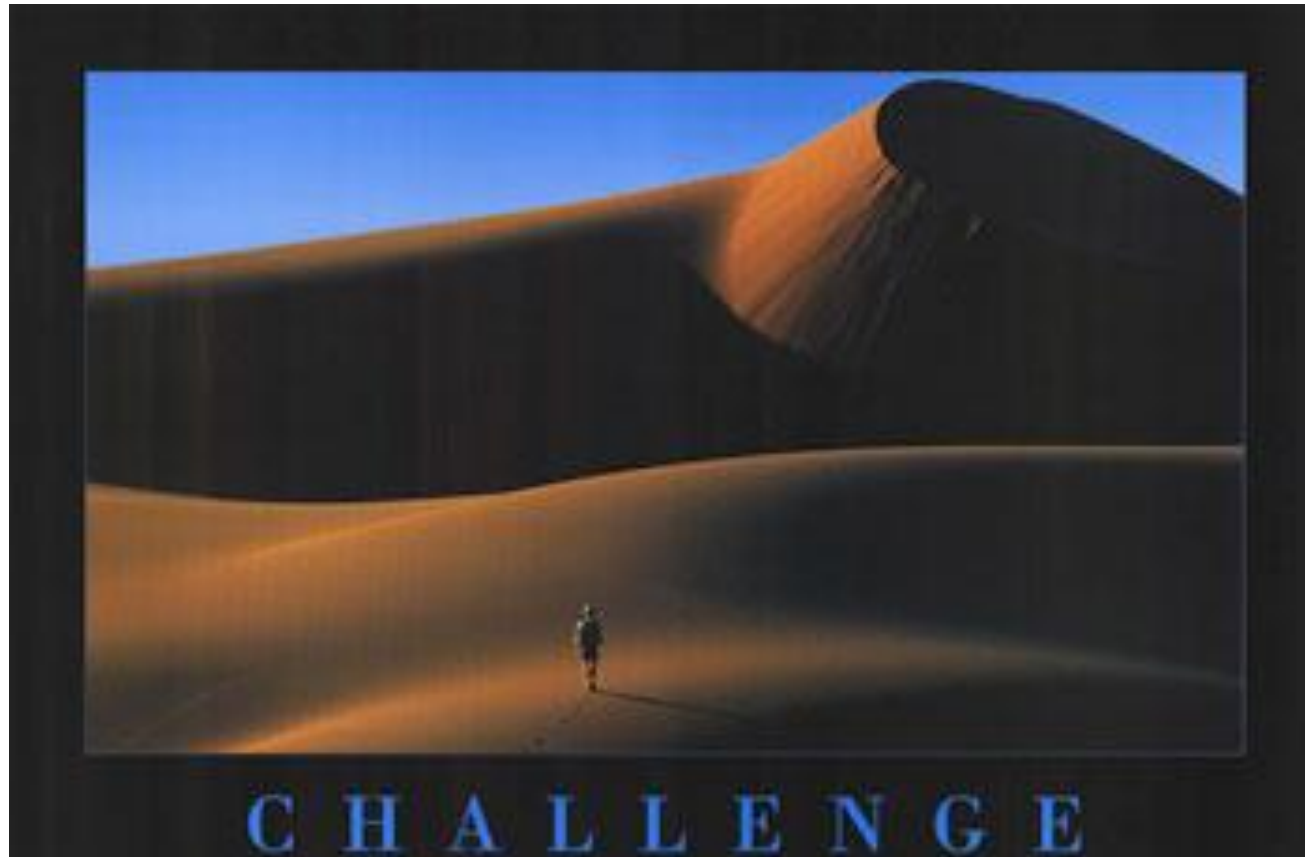


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- ✓ Some provisions in the current ITRs (Melbourne, 1988) are obsolete;
- ✓ Addressing new issues.

- ✓ International telecommunication environment has significantly evolved, from technical, regulatory and policy perspectives;
- ✓ Liberalization and privatization;
- ✓ The accounting rate system

CEPT criteria when addressing new issues



- **Criterion 1:** High level strategic and policy issues concerning international telecommunications services and facilities.
- **Criterion 2:** Consistency with the Preamble and Article 1 of the Constitution:
 - ITU-T Recommendations are non-binding.
- **Criterion 3:** Consistency with International agreements / legislation adopted by CEPT members:
 - EU legislation.

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- **Criterion 4:** Areas related to Member States' application of legal or policy principles which are within their sovereign rights:
 - Resolution 130 on the role of ITU in building confidence and security in the use of information and communication technologies.
- **Criterion 5:** Exclusion of areas not related to the Purpose and Scope of the ITRs.
 - National telecommunication services or national transport means should not be included in the ITRs.

- ✓ Tariff transparency
- ✓ International roaming
- ✓ Spam

- ✓ Use of assigned numbers
- ✓ Calling line identification
- ✓ Cybersecurity



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