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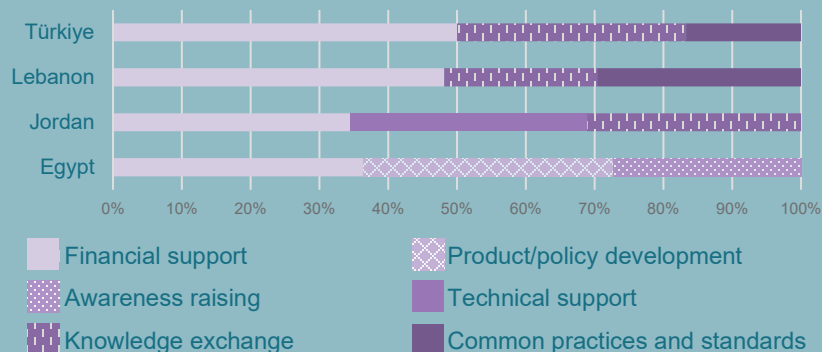
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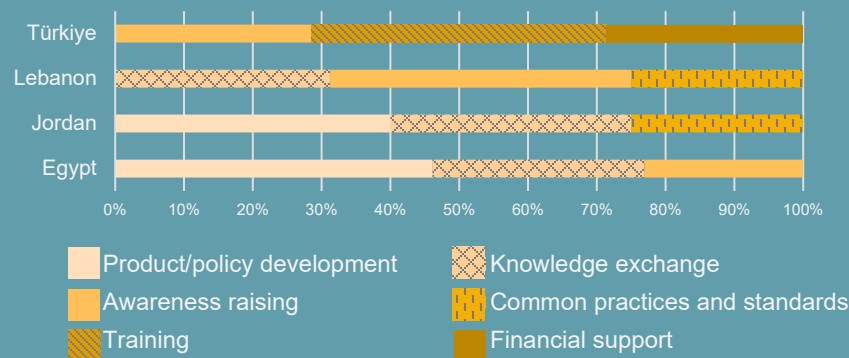


- Financial support was common across all countries. Lack of financing and access to finance emerges as an important barrier across all countries and sectors.
- Calls for financial support included:
 - access to international finance
 - funding for end users
 - financing for the implementation and use of natural refrigerants in businesses

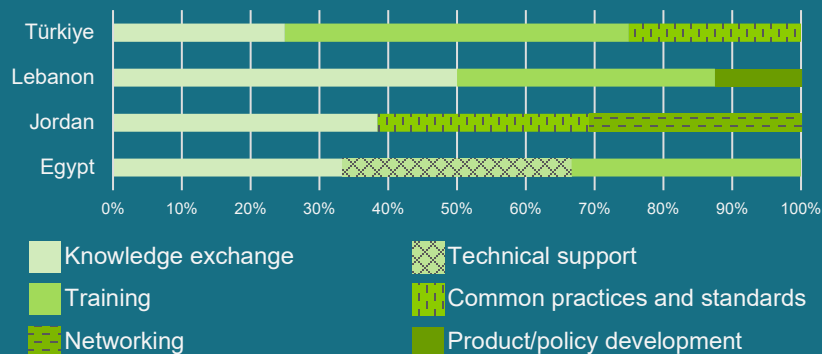


- Contribution areas differed across countries based on the respective development stage of sustainable cooling.
- Highlighted how common practices and standards within countries and across the region would ease doing business and help achieve policy targets.

I can contribute to the sustainable cooling transition through...



I can collaborate on the sustainable cooling transition by...



- Knowledge exchange was mentioned across the policy, industry, and financial sectors with many calling for international and especially regional knowledge exchange.
- This highlighted the willingness of participants to share their experiences and work together to drive forward the sustainable cooling transition.

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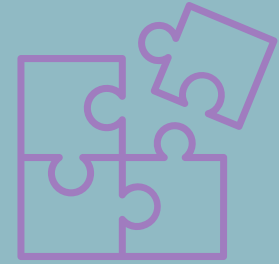
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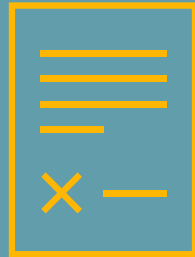
I would like to RECEIVE ... for the sustainable cooling transition.

- Financial support, specifically funding for end users, access to international finance, and financing for the implementation and use of natural refrigerants, was mentioned across countries and sectors.
- Knowledge exchange and technical support were also commonly mentioned as key enablers for stakeholders to drive forward the sustainable cooling transition.



I can CONTRIBUTE to the sustainable cooling transition through...

- Participants from across the policy, industry, and finance sectors want to contribute to the development of new products and policies as well as common practices and standards.
- Having all stakeholders engaged, in developing and implementing new product and policies increases the chance of policy success and increases ease of doing business across the entire region.



I can COLLABORATE on the sustainable cooling transition by...

- Across countries and sectors participants were interested in engaging in knowledge sharing activities, such as learning about and sharing best practices from their sector and country or participating in and learning from projects concerning sustainable cooling.
- There was a big interest in increasing cross-border regional exchange.

