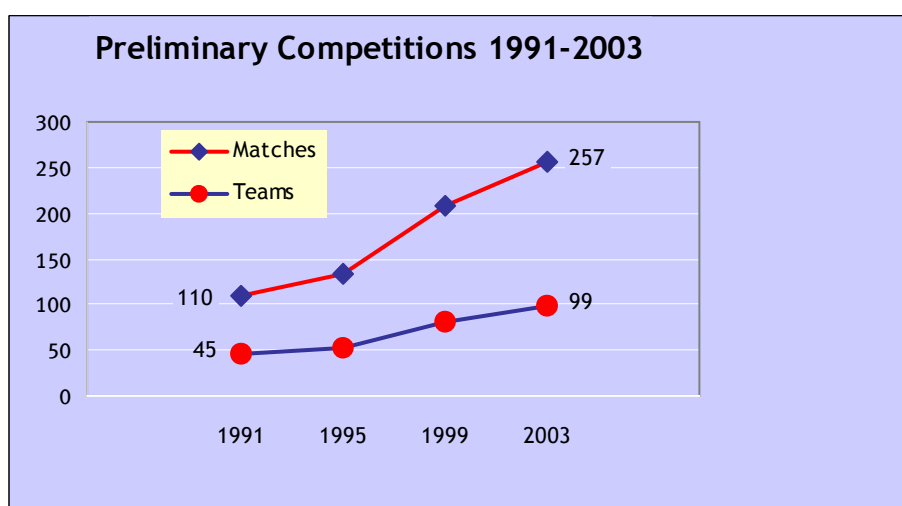


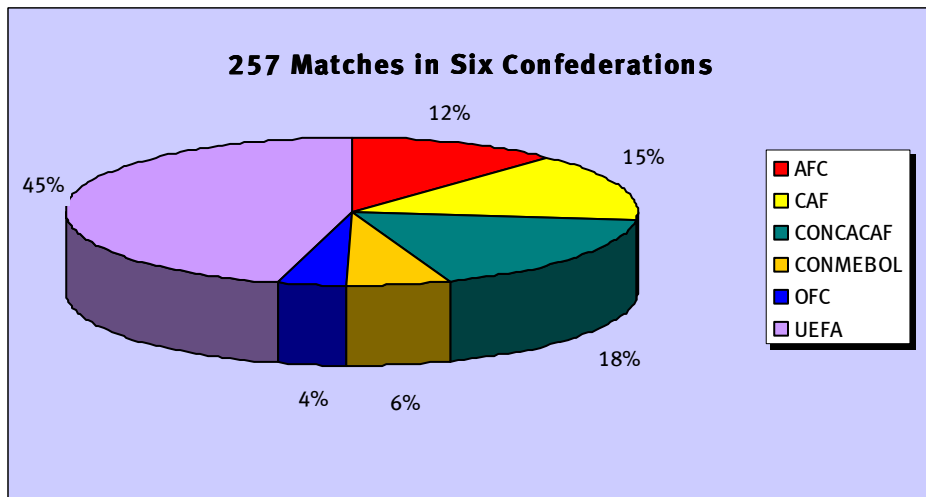
FIFA Women's World Cup Preliminary Competitions 1991-2003



Year	Matches	Teams
1991	110	45
1995	134	52
1999	209	81
2003	257	99

FIFA Women's World Cup Preliminary Competition 2003		
	Matches	Teams
AFC	31	14
CAF	38	19
CONCACAF	45	17
CONMEBOL	15	10
OFC	10	5
UEFA	118	34
Total	257	99

Footnote: In total 104 entries. 5 withdraws: Botswana, Guinea-Bissau, Swaziland, Fiji & Vanuatu. Fiji and Vanuatu withdrew before the groups were drawn up. Botswana, Guinea-Bissau and Swaziland withdrew before playing their first match. Qualified: China PR (automatic qualification). 15 teams qualified via preliminary competition. The number of teams participating for the first time in the preliminary competition is 18.



257 matches in six confederations

AFC	31
CAF	38
CONCACAF	45
CONMEBOL	15
OFC	10
UEFA	118

Altogether 1142 goals

46'-90'	608
01'-45'	534
neutral ground	347
visitors	303
home team	492
TOTAL	1142

