

PRESS 2016 - COUNTRY FACTSHEETS

Papua New Guinea

The PRESS exercise is conducted annually to report on trends across time in support to statistics. The 2016 PRESS uses newly available data from an annual donor survey and the Creditor Reporting System (CRS) round of 2014 to update figures on aid to statistics for 2006 to 2013 (previously reported in the 2015 PRESS) and report new figures for commitments in 2014. The new 2014 figures are expected to be adjusted upwards to the levels of previous years 2011-2013 as additional projects for 2014 will be reported later this year. All findings should therefore be interpreted with this caveat in mind.

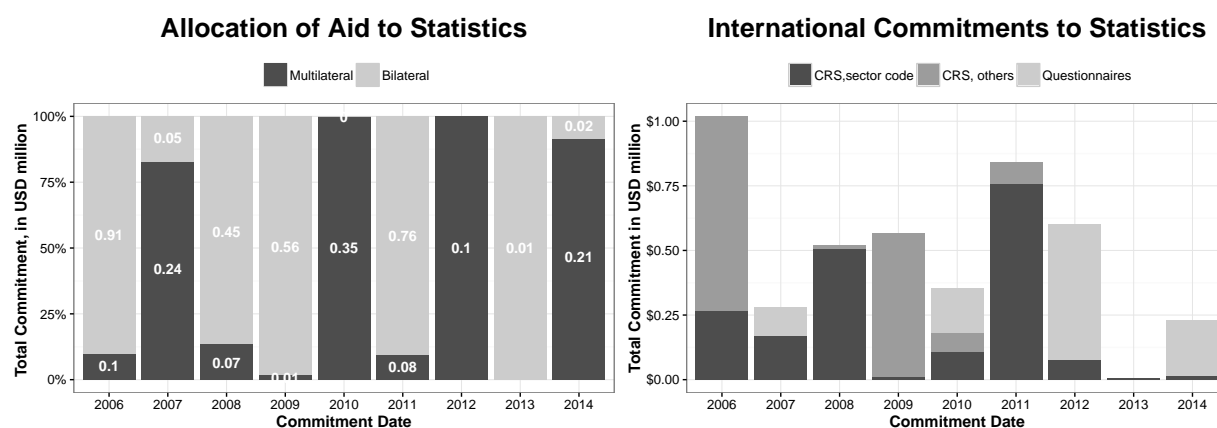


Fig1. Allocation of Aid to Statistics

Multilateral¹, country-specific assistance remains globally the most popular means through which donors channel support to countries. Considering all recipients reported in the PRESS, support from multilateral bodies accounted for less than 50% of total aid to statistics in 2009-2010 but increased to approximately 70% in 2011 and 2012, respectively. However, the shares of country-specific² aid diminished slightly between 2012 and 2014.

Fig2. International Commitments to Statistics

Support to statistics remains globally low. Considering all recipients reported in the PRESS, total 2014 commitments to statistical development of about USD 470 million show a 20% decrease from previous years 2011 and 2013. The decrease in commitments in 2014 led to a drop in the share of ODA dedicated to statistics from 0.31% in 2012 and 2013 to 0.25% in 2014. This should, however, not be interpreted as a general trend because commitments often span multiple years and fluctuations in annual figures are therefore common

¹Multilateral support in this context refers to support coming from multilateral institutions.

²Country-specific assistance refers to projects for which there is a single country recipient.

Top Five Donors 2006–2014, in USD thousands

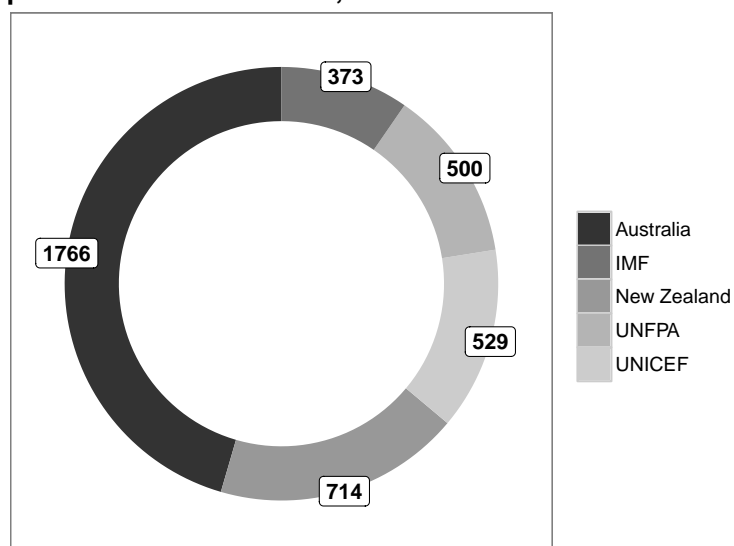


Fig3. Top 5 Donors

A large share of global support to statistics continues to come from a very small number of providers. The top five providers of development co-operation in statistics for all countries reported in the PRESS (European Commission/EUROSTAT; The World Bank; IMF; FAO; Canada) provided 72% of total commitments in 2014. While Canada is strongly engaged in country-specific aid to statistics, the United Kingdom and Norway are among the top donors for unallocated commitments. Country-Specific commitments accounted for approximately 74% (USD 350 million) in 2014.

This table displays all projects whose Financing Amount is at least 10 000 USD.

Table 1: List of Projects 2010-2014 (USD thousands)

Provider	Projects	Amount	Type	Date
Australia	PNG NATIONAL STATISTICAL DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY	547	Grant	2009
Australia	PNG CENSUS SUPPORT	240	Grant	2008
Australia	FUNDING FOR PARIS21	22	Grant	2011
Australia	SPC STATISTICS	118	Grant	2011
Australia	ABS PACIFIC PROGRAM	61	Grant	2011
Australia	HOUSEHOLD INCOME AND EXPENDITURE SURVEY	207	Grant	2008
Australia	FUNDING FOR PARIS21	22	Grant	2011
Australia	SPC STATISTICS	186	Grant	2011
Australia	ABS PACIFIC PROGRAM	52	Grant	2011

Provider	Projects	Amount	Type	Date
Australia	STRENGTHEN PACIFIC STATISTICS: SECRETARIAT OF THE PACIFIC COMMUNITY STATISTICS	180	Grant	2011
Australia	STRENGTHEN PACIFIC STATISTICS: PARIS21	21	Grant	2011
Australia	STRENGTHEN PACIFIC STATISTICS: AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS PACIFIC PROGRAM	48	Grant	2011
Australia	AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF STATISTICS PACIFIC PROGRAM	28	Grant	2011
IMF	Technical Assistance	109		2007
IMF	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	30		2010
IMF	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	20		2012
IMF	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	156		2014
IMF	Statistics Department: Training Activities (2)	58		2014
Japan	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	195	Grant	2006
Japan	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	34	Grant	2007
Japan	STATISTICAL CAPACITY BUILDING	12	Grant	2009
Korea	STATISTICAL CAPACITY BUILDING	11	Grant	2007
New Zealand	DEMOGRAPHIC HEALTH SURVEY	714	Grant	2006
The World Bank	Technical Assistance in the Data Analysis Phase to NSO, Papua New Guinea - TFSCB	140	Grant	2010
UNDP	MDG NATIONAL ADVOCACY	74	Grant	2010
UNDP	MDG NATIONAL ADVOCACY	34	Grant	2011
UNFPA	Population and Development	500	Grant	2012
UNICEF	BIRTH REGISTRATION (GENERAL)	38	Grant	2006
UNICEF	MD/MDG MONITORING	50	Grant	2006
UNICEF	CP NATIONAL AND SUB-NATIONAL PLANS AND REPORTS	12	Grant	2007
UNICEF	CP DATA COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS	20	Grant	2007
UNICEF	DEVINFO DBASE DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE	11	Grant	2007
UNICEF	SUPPORT TO DHS AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD SURVEYS	82	Grant	2007
UNICEF	BIRTH REGISTRATION FOCUSING ON THE MARGINALIZED	14	Grant	2008
UNICEF	KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT NETWORKS (UNICEF)	51	Grant	2008
UNICEF	SUPPORT TO DHS AND OTHER HOUSEHOLD SURVEYS	100	Grant	2010

Provider	Projects	Amount	Type	Date
UNICEF	SITUATION ASSESSMENT AND ANALYSIS (SITAN) AND MDG MONITORING	44	Grant	2011
UNICEF	DATA COLLECTION, ANALYSIS AND USE	36	Grant	2012
UNICEF	PROGRAMME COORDINATION	43	Grant	2012

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