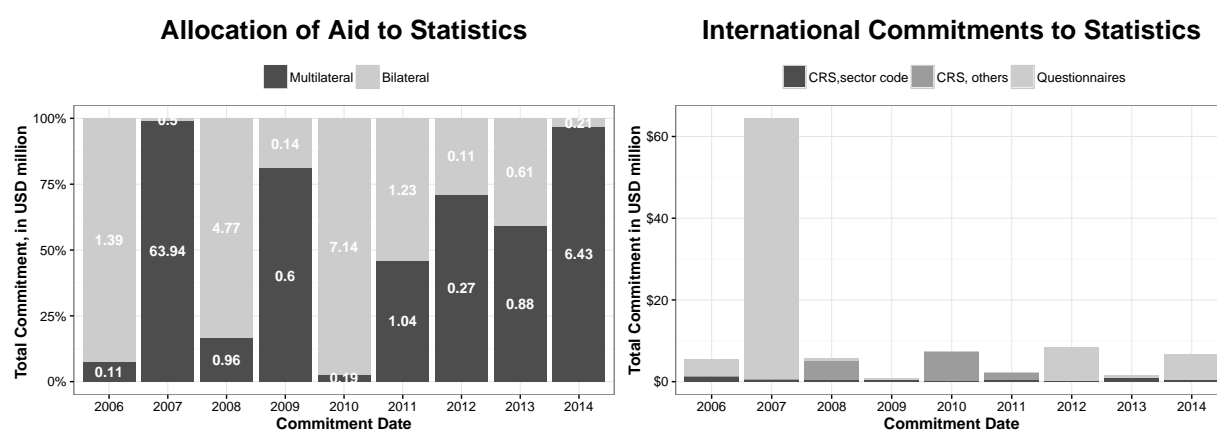


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The PRESS exercise is conducted annually to report on trends across time in support to statistics. The 2016 PRESS uses newly available data from an annual donor survey and the Creditor Reporting System (CRS) round of 2014 to update figures on aid to 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**

Multilateral<sup>1</sup>, 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-specific<sup>2</sup> aid diminished slightly between 2012 and 2014.

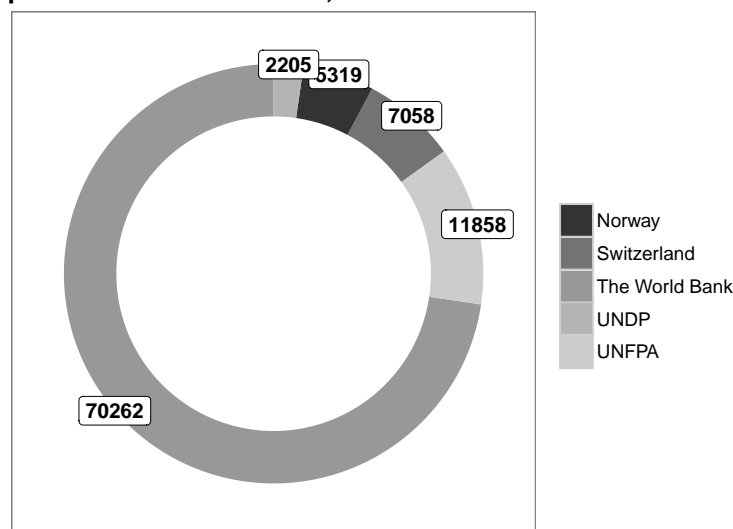
**Fig2. International Commitments to Statistics**

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

<sup>1</sup>Multilateral support in this context refers to support coming from multilateral institutions.

<sup>2</sup>Country-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
<b>Australia</b>	AVID PROGRAM - IMPLEMENTATION OF COSTING MODEL	15	Grant	2011
<b>EUROSTAT</b>	Multilateral Trade Assistance Project (MUTRAP 3)	721	Grant	2008
<b>HMN</b>	Strengthening of Health Information Systems	196	Grant	2006
<b>IMF</b>	Technical Assistance	145		2007
<b>IMF</b>	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	14		2010
<b>IMF</b>	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	20		2011
<b>IMF</b>	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	65		2012
<b>IMF</b>	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	157		2013
<b>IMF</b>	Statistics Department: Technical Assistance	75		2014
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	467	Grant	2006
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	321	Grant	2007
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	127	Grant	2008
<b>Japan</b>	STATISTICAL CAPACITY BUILDING	11	Grant	2009
<b>Japan</b>	STATISTICAL CAPACITY BUILDING	131	Grant	2009
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	222	Grant	2010
<b>Japan</b>	STATISTICAL CAPACITY BUILDING	10	Grant	2011
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	490	Grant	2011
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	16	Grant	2012

Provider	Projects	Amount	Type	Date
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	33	Grant	2013
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	23	Grant	2013
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	12	Grant	2014
<b>Japan</b>	TC AGGREGATED ACTIVITIES	20	Grant	2014
<b>Korea</b>	STRATEGY TO STRENGTHENING THE STATISTICAL CAPACITY OF VIETNAM	73	Grant	2012
<b>Korea</b>	DISPATCH OF VOLUNTEERS	80	Grant	2013
<b>Korea</b>	STRATEGY TO STRENGTHENING THE STATISTICAL CAPACITY OF VIETNAM	462	Grant	2013
<b>Korea</b>	DISPATCH OF VOLUNTEERS_SENIOR_GENERAL STATISTICS OFFICE OF VIETNAM MPI	88	Grant	2014
<b>Korea</b>	DISPATCH OF VOLUNTEERS_SENIOR_GENERAL STATISTICS OFFICE OF VIETNAM, MINI	88	Grant	2014
<b>Norway</b>	BUSINESS REGISTRATION REFORM	651	Grant	2006
<b>Norway</b>	PUBLIC SECTOR FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT	13	Grant	2007
<b>Norway</b>	GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION	20	Grant	2007
<b>Norway</b>	BUSINESS REGISTRATION REFORM	4030	Grant	2008
<b>Norway</b>	BUSINESS REGISTRATION REFORM PHASE II	605	Grant	2008
<b>Sweden</b>	PDC C GSO SCB	707	Grant	2011
<b>Switzerland</b>	BUSINESS REGISTRATION PROJECT	6916	Grant	2010
<b>Switzerland</b>	GREEN CREDIT TRUST FUND - IDENTIFICATION	142	Grant	2007
<b>The World Bank</b>	Vietnam: Statistical Strategy Development	311	Grant	2009
<b>The World Bank</b>	The Informal Sector and Informal Employment: Statistical Measurement, Economic Implications and Public Policies	43	Grant	2010
<b>The World Bank</b>	Improvement of the Dissemination of Vietnam's National Statistics	308	Grant	2013
<b>The World Bank</b>	Tax administration modernization project	63600	Loan/credit	2007
<b>The World Bank</b>	Social Assistance Systems Strengthening Project	6000	Loan/credit	2014
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVE	276	Grant	2009
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEV	104	Grant	2010
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO POVERTY REDUCTION	304	Grant	2011
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO POVERTY REDUCTION	219	Grant	2011
<b>UNDP</b>	SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	435	Grant	2011
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO POVERTY REDUCTION	48	Grant	2012
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO IMPL OF VSIDS 2011-2	51	Grant	2012
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO IMPL OF VSIDS 2011-2	414	Grant	2013
<b>UNDP</b>	SUPPORT TO IMPL OF VSIDS 2011-2	353	Grant	2014
<b>UNFPA</b>	Strengthen the capacity of the General Statistics Office in providing and utilizing data on population, reproductive health and gender	3900	Grant	2006

Provider	Projects	Amount	Type	Date
<b>UNFPA</b>	Support for the implementation of the Viet Nam Statistical Development Strategy in the period 2011-2020 and utilization of population information in development planning and programming	4500	Grant	2012
<b>UNFPA</b>	: Support for the implementation of the Viet Nam Statistical Development Strategy in the period 2011-2020 and utilization of population information in development planning and programming.	3458	Grant	2012
<b>UNICEF</b>	MONITORING AND REPORTING SYSTEMS ON CHILDREN/WOMEN	58	Grant	2006
<b>UNICEF</b>	MICS SURVEYS	17	Grant	2006
<b>UNICEF</b>	DEVINFO DBASE DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE	13	Grant	2006
<b>UNICEF</b>	KNOWLEDGE MGT. NETWORKS AND SYSTEMS (PARTNERS)	11	Grant	2006
<b>UNICEF</b>	KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT NETWORKS (UNICEF)	26	Grant	2007
<b>UNICEF</b>	MICS SURVEYS	34	Grant	2007
<b>UNICEF</b>	CP DATA COLLECTION AND ANALYSIS	15	Grant	2007
<b>UNICEF</b>	MONITORING AND REPORTING SYSTEMS ON CHILDREN/WOMEN	76	Grant	2007
<b>UNICEF</b>	MONITORING AND REPORTING SYSTEMS ON CHILDREN/WOMEN	179	Grant	2008
<b>UNICEF</b>	KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT NETWORKS (UNICEF)	27	Grant	2008
<b>UNICEF</b>	SITAN	22	Grant	2008
<b>UNICEF</b>	DEVINFO DBASE DEVELOPMENT AND MAINTENANCE	29	Grant	2010
<b>UNICEF</b>	BIRTH REGISTRATION	14	Grant	2011
<b>UNICEF</b>	SITUATION ASSESSMENT AND ANALYSIS (SITAN) AND MDG MONITORING	42	Grant	2011
<b>UNICEF</b>	1.3 CAPACITY OF ELECTED OFFICIALS	54	Grant	2012
<b>UNICEF</b>	1.3 CAPACITY OF ELECTED OFFICIALS	43	Grant	2012
<b>USA</b>	PUBLIC SECTOR FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT	272	Grant	2006

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