

01. United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)

TOTAL

93.3%

SECTION A
COMMITMENT TO
AID TRANSPARENCY:
8.78/10

SECTION B
PUBLICATION
ORGANISATION LEVEL:
24.98/25

SECTION C
PUBLICATION
ACTIVITY LEVEL:
59.50/65

Overview

Operating in over 170 countries, the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) is one of the world's largest multilateral development agencies and was among the first publishers to the IATI Registry in 2011. Since 2013, UNDP co-hosts the IATI Secretariat as part of a consortium with Sweden, UNOPS, Ghana and Development Initiatives.

Achievements and progress

- UNDP is the only organisation to score over 90% on the Index which it has now topped for two consecutive years improving on its 2014 score.
- UNDP publishes all indicators to the IATI Registry and achieves high scores for the majority of them.
- UNDP is the best performer at the organisation level on financial indicators and among the top five performers on organisation planning and all five subcategories of indicators at the activity level.

Challenges and room for improvement

- There is some room for improvement for a number of activity-level indicators such as budget identifier, activity level budgets, evaluations and tenders.

Recommendations

- UNDP should update its Information Disclosure Policy to reflect best practices on independent appeals processes.
- UNDP should work to improve on evaluations and activity-level budgets in particular.
- It should share best practice and help other UN agencies to publish in the IATI Standard. It should design a strategy for internal and external use of its data, in particular at country level.

Have they met the Busan commitment on aid transparency?

yes partly no

Donor Profile

2016 Index:
VERY GOOD 93.3%

2014 Index:
VERY GOOD 90.6%

2013 Index:
VERY GOOD 83.4%

First published to IATI:
NOVEMBER 2011

Frequency of publication	Monthly
Indicators published to IATI	36/36
Activity budgets	IATI
Total budget	3 years – IATI
Disaggregated budgets	3 years – IATI

This table highlights the organisation's performance in providing timely, comprehensive and forward-looking aid data in a comparable and open format.

- Frequency of publication is measured by the IATI Dashboard.
- Comprehensiveness is measured against the indicators used in the Index at the organisation and activity levels and their publication in the open and comparable IATI Standard.
- Forward-looking budgets for the organisation and its development activities are measured by indicators 9, 10 and 33.