



United Nations Inter-Agency Cluster on Trade and Productive Capacity

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Information as of September 2014

The members of the Cluster include UNCTAD, UNIDO, FAO, ITC, WTO, UNDP, UNEP, ILO, UNCITRAL, UNECA, UNECE, UNECLAC, UNESCAP, UNESCWA, and UNOPS. The Cluster is a unique UN-wide effort to coordinate the trade-related development contributions of different entities to the global agendas of Aid for Trade, the Millennium Development Goals and the upcoming Sustainable Development Goals and post-2015 development agenda. The Cluster has greatly contributed to system-wide coherence by providing coordinated technical assistance at the national and regional levels in the area of international trade and productive capacity.

This compilation refers to coordinated operations or joint programmes designed and implemented by the Cluster at the national and regional levels.

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Beneficiaries	UNDAF Current Cycle (Ongoing)	New UNDAF Cycle Starting	Status and Available Funding Mechanisms (**)	United Nations Inter-Agency Cluster involvement
ASIA				
Afghanistan Enhanced Integrated Framework (EIF) Country		2015		Formulation of the UNDAF 2015-2019 Cluster intervention being defined
Bhutan EIF Country		2014	Resource mobilization ongoing	Formulation of the UNDAF 2014-2018 Cluster intervention being defined
Lao PDR EIF Country	2012-2015		Switzerland (Seco)	UNDAF 2012-2015 Outcome 1. Output 1.2: National institutional and policy-making capacity in the areas of sustainable tourism, clean production and export promotion Cluster intervention (financed by Switzerland-Seco): UNIDO, UNCTAD, ITC, ILO, UNOPS
Myanmar EIF Country	2012-2015		Resource mobilization ongoing	United Nations Strategic Framework for Myanmar 2012-2015 Theme: Integration of Myanmar into the international trading system Cluster intervention: UN ESCAP, UNDP, UNCTAD, UNIDO, ITC
Nepal EIF Country	2013-2017		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF Component III. Creating an enabling environment for enhanced international cooperation UNDAF Outcome 8.1: Institutions comply with the international policy regulatory framework Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNCITRAL, UNIDO, UNEP, FAO, ITC

* Based on the information compiled by UNCTAD

(**) The column indicates the Delivering as One funding mechanisms available at the country level, e.g. the "Multi-Donors Trust Funds" (MDTFs) and related "Specific Partner Contributions" (SPCs) such as the standard "UN to UN Contribution Agreements" led by the United Nations Development Group (UNDG)

The Cluster can access these funds when submitting joint programmes. Funds already allocated to the Cluster are highlighted in bold with the mention "accessed"

For UNDP administered funds and Joint Programmes, see MDTFs Multi-Partner Trust Fund Office Gateway: <http://mptf.undp.org>

Pakistan	2013-2017		One UN Fund (MDTF)	UNDAF 2013-2017 Area 2: Inclusive economic growth through the development of sustainable livelihoods Cluster intervention: FAO, ILO, UNCTAD, UNDP, UNEP, UNIDO, UNOPS
Viet Nam	2006-2014		MDG-F (MDTF) accessed for four consecutive years	United Nations Inter-Agency Joint Programme: Green production and trade to increase income and employment opportunities for the rural poor (Joint Programme financed by the MDG Achievement Fund) Cluster intervention: ITC, UNIDO, UNCTAD, FAO, ILO
LATIN AMERICA AND CARIBBEAN				
Ecuador	2011-2015			UNDAF Result 2: Production, employment, economic system and food self-sufficiency Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNCTAD, UNIDO, ILO
El Salvador	2012-2015		UNDG UN to UN Contribution Agreement accessed (SPC)	Joint Programme: Fostering the development of El Salvador through simplification of procedures Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNCTAD
Panama			UNDG UN to UN Contribution Agreement accessed (SPC)	UNDAF 2007-2012 Result 1.2: Improved distribution of incomes (Joint Programme financed by the MDG-F) Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNCTAD, UNIDO, FAO Funding 2007-2012: MDG-Fund accessed for four consecutive years under the cycle 2007-2012 UNDAF 2012-2015 Joint Programme: Support to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry of Panama Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNCTAD
Uruguay	2011-2015		One UN Fund (MDTF)	UNDAF Result 1: Sustainable development through integration into the international trading system, diversified production and increased investment Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNDP, UNIDO, ITC, FAO, UNEP
ARAB STATES				
State of Palestine			Resource mobilization ongoing	Concept Note: Developing Trade and Productive Capacity Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNIDO, FAO, UNDP, ILO, ITC
Egypt	2013-2017		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF 2013-2017, Outcome 1. Cluster intervention: ILO, UNDP, UNCTAD, UNIDO, FAO
Iraq	2011-2014		Sweden (SIDA)	UNDAF 2011-2014 Outcome 2.1: Improved access to equal job and income opportunities Cluster intervention: UNIDO, FAO, ILO, UNDP, UNCTAD, ESCWA, UNOPS

ARAB STATES: REGIONAL INITIATIVE				
Regional Initiative for the members of the League of Arab States	2013-2015		ITFC (IsDB) Fund Raising ongoing	Aid for Trade initiative for Arab States The initiative aims at providing a platform for targeted trade reforms, strengthen employment and competitiveness, trade promotion and regional trade integration building on the experience and ongoing activities in the region and at country level of the five collaborating agencies Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNDP, UNIDO, ILO, ITC
EUROPE AND CIS				
Albania	2012-2016		One UN Fund (MDTF) One UN Fund accessed	UNDAF 2012-2016. Economy and Environment. Outcome 2.1 Government, trade organizations and the private sector support inclusive and sustainable economic growth through enhanced regulatory frameworks, trade facilitation and investment promotion Cluster intervention: FAO, ITC, UNCTAD, UNECE, UNDP, UNIDO
Armenia		2016		Formulation of the UNDAF 2016-2020 Cluster participation in the 2014 UNDAF Strategic Prioritization Retreat
Azerbaijan	2011-2015		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF Outcome 1: Economic Development Outcome 1.1: National policies and institutions are strengthened to increase private sector competitiveness Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNECE, UNIDO, UNCTAD, ITC, FAO
Belarus	2011-2015		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF Outcome 1: Sustainability of the social and economic development is supported Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNIDO, UNDP, UNECE, ITC Additional cooperation: IFC-World Bank
Georgia	2011-2015		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF thematic area 1: Poverty Reduction Outcome 1: Inclusive development and poverty alleviation promoted through international, national and local economic policies, including in the area of trade and investment Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNECE, UNDP, UNIDO, ITC, FAO
Kazakhstan		2016		Formulation of the new UNDAF starting 2016 Cluster participation in the 2014 UNDAF Strategic Prioritization Retreat

Serbia	2011-2015		Resource mobilization ongoing	<p>UNDAF 2011-2015 titled United Nations Country Partnership Strategy Implementation Plan 2011-2015</p> <p>Outcome 2.3: Internationally competitive economic actors work in a favourable business environment</p> <p>Outcome 3.4: National and regional institutional framework for regional trade integration</p> <p>Cluster intervention: UNECE, UNIDO, UNCTAD, FAO, UNCITRAL</p>
Moldova	2013-2017		Resource mobilization ongoing	<p>UNDAF 2013-2017 titled UN Moldova Partnership Framework</p> <p>Outcome 2.1 Economic opportunities and regional development</p> <p>Cluster intervention: UNECE, UNCTAD, UNCITRAL, UNDP, UNIDO, FAO, ILO, ITC</p>
Ukraine	2012-2016		Resource mobilization ongoing	<p>UNDAF 2012-2016 titled Ukraine-United Nations Partnership Framework</p> <p>Thematic Area 1 on Sustainable Economic growth and poverty reduction, Outcome 1</p> <p>Cluster intervention: UNECE, UNCTAD, UNDP, UNIDO, UNEP, FAO, ILO</p> <p>Additional cooperation: IFC-World Bank</p>
Uzbekistan	2010-2015	2016	Resource mobilization ongoing	<p>Preparation of the new UNDAF starting 2016</p> <p>Cluster participation in the UNDAF Strategic Prioritization Retreat</p>
EUROPE-CIS: REGIONAL INITIATIVES				
Joint initiatives under the SPECA Programme			Resource mobilization ongoing	<p>Joint initiatives developed in the context of the United Nations Special Programme for the Economies of Central Asia (SPECA) led by UNECE and UN ESCAP</p> <p>An example of joint initiative is the “Aid for Trade Project Concept Note” on customs data exchange and harmonization developed by UNECE and UNCTAD</p>
AFRICA				
Angola		2015	Resource mobilization being formulated	<p>Formulation of the UNDAF 2015-2019</p> <p>Cluster intervention being defined</p>
Cape Verde EIF Country	2012-2016		One UN Fund (MDTF)	<p>UNDAF 2008-2012 One UN Programme. Theme: Governance</p> <p>Sub-Programme 1 (SP1): Integration of Cape Verde into the world economy</p> <p>Funding 2008-2011: One UN Fund accessed for three consecutive years under the cycle 2008-2012</p> <p>UNDAF 2012-2016 Axe 1: Inclusive Growth and Poverty Reduction</p> <p>Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, FAO, ITC, UNIDO, UNDP</p>

Comoros EIF Country	2008-2014	2015	MDTF	UNDAF Outcome 1.2: Trade and Investment promotion agencies are strengthened Cluster intervention: UNIDO, UNCTAD, UNDP
Lesotho EIF Country	2013-2017		MDTF	UNDAF Outcome 3: By 2017, public and private institutions promote increased investments, manufacturing, trade and financial services and create decent employment in an inclusive and sustainable manner Cluster intervention: ILO, ITC, UNCITRAL, UNCTAD, UNDP, UNECA, UNIDO
Madagascar EIF Country	2015-2019		Resource mobilization being formulated	UNDAF 2015-2019 Outcome 1: Inclusive growth for sustainable development Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, ILO, UNIDO, FAO, UNDP
Mozambique EIF Country	2012-2015		One UN Fund (MDTF) One UN Fund accessed for three consecutive years	UNDAF 2012-2015 United Nations Assistance Development Framework UNDAF Outcome 2: Vulnerable groups access new opportunities for improved income and livelihoods, with a special focus on decent employment Cluster intervention: UNDP, ILO, UNIDO, FAO, UNCTAD, ITC
Rwanda EIF Country	2013-2018		One UN Fund (MDTF) One UN Fund accessed	UNDAF 2008-2012 Result 5 Economic Growth: Institutional capacities to foster economic governance Funding 2008-2012: One UN Fund accessed for five consecutive years under the cycle 2008-2012 UNDAP titled United Nations Development Assistance Plan (UNDAP) 2013-2018 Outcome 1: Prop-poor and economic transformation enhanced UNDAP Joint Programme: Employment Promotion for Young Men and Women (EPYMW) Cluster intervention: ILO, UNDP, UNIDO, FAO, UNECA, UNCTAD, ITC UNDAP Joint Programme: Value Chain Development Flagship Programme Cluster intervention: UNECA, UNCTAD, FAO, UNIDO, ITC UNDAP Joint Programme: Green Economy Flagship Programme -Investment component Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNIDO, UNCTAD
Sao Tome and Principe EIF Country	2012-2016		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF Result 1: Good Governance Cluster intervention: UNDP, FAO, UNCTAD, ILO

Tanzania EIF Country	2011-2016		One UN Fund (MDTF) One UN Fund accessed for four consecutive years UNDG UN to UN Contribution Agreement accessed (SPC) Switzerland (Seco)	UNDAF titled United Nations Development Assistance Plan (UNDAP 2011-2016) UNDAP Cluster 1: Economic Growth and Economic Governance UNDAP Outcome 4: Relevant institutions improve national capacities to promote regional integration and international trade UNDAP Joint Programme on trade mainstreamed in key plans and strategies Cluster intervention: UNDP, ILO, UNCTAD, UNIDO, ITC UNDAP Joint Programme on greater access to international markets Cluster intervention: UNDP, UNCTAD, UNIDO, ITC UNDAP Joint Programme (financed by Switzerland-Seco) on trade sector development and value chains relating to horticultural products for responsible tourism market access Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNIDO, ILO, ITC, UNOPS
Zambia EIF Country	2011-2015		Resource mobilization ongoing	UNDAF Outcome 2: Targeted populations in rural and urban areas attain sustainable livelihoods by 2015 Joint Programme: Zambia Green Jobs Programme Cluster intervention: ILO, UNCTAD, UNEP, FAO, ITC
AFRICA: REGIONAL INITIATIVE				
Africa: Regional Initiative “Industry, Trade and Market Access (ITMA) Business Plan”			Resource mobilization ongoing	“Industry, Trade and Market Access (ITMA)” regional initiative The regional operations aim at promoting sustainable growth, wealth creation and global integration through three priority areas, namely industrial policy and institutional direction development, upgrading production and trade capacities and boosting intra-African trade Cluster intervention: UNCTAD, UNECA, UNIDO, UNDP, ILO and the WTO
Relevant Websites: United Nations Inter-Agency Cluster: http://www.unctad.org / http://www.unctad.org/en/Pages/TC/TC_United-Nations-Inter-Agency-Cluster.aspx United Nations Development Group: http://www.undg.org United Nations System Chief Executives Board for Coordination: http://www.unsceb.org				
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