

# 2015 Survey of programme countries on UN operational activities for

Welcome to this survey on UN development cooperation, requested by the UN General Assembly.

The aim of the survey is to give programme countries an opportunity to provide feedback with a view to improving the performance of the UN development system. The survey report will serve as an important input to the review by the UN Economic and Social Council of the continued effectiveness, efficiency and relevance of UN operational activities for development.

The survey respondents are senior government officials responsible for or closely associated with coordinating UN development cooperation at the country level. We would like to encourage you to consult with relevant colleagues in line Ministries who are responsible for cooperation with some UN agencies, such as specialized agencies. As an aid to these consultations, we have provided a copy of the questionnaire that can be printed out.

Please be sure to submit the official response online. The software allows the questionnaire to be saved and reopened at a later stage on the same computer. Only one questionnaire may be completed per country.

Unless otherwise indicated, please select only one answer for each question.

Responses and comments will be treated in strict confidence. The reporting will not contain any data or statement from which a reader can identify the source. Responses will be amalgamated by groups of countries.

If you have any questions, please contact Rebekah Chew at [chewr@un.org](mailto:chewr@un.org) and copy the QCPR team at [qcpr@un.org](mailto:qcpr@un.org).

Thank you for your cooperation!

## Country and Respondent Profile

### \*1. Please select your location:

Other (please specify):

### \*2. For how many years have you been engaged in coordinating UN activities in your country?

- Less than one year
- 1 or 2 years
- 3 or 4 years
- 5 years or more

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**\*3. From the list below, please select the UN agencies that have had operational activities in your country during the last three years. Please select all that apply.**

**Note: The term 'UN agencies' is used in the questionnaire as shorthand for UN funds, programmes and specialized agencies. United Nations operational activities for development cover activities with a longer-term development focus and those with a shorter-term humanitarian assistance focus.**

- UNDP (including UNV and UNCDF)
- UNICEF
- WFP
- UNFPA
- FAO
- UNOPS
- WHO
- UN-Women
- ILO
- IFAD
- ITC
- OHCHR
- UNAIDS
- UNCTAD
- UNEP
- UNESCO
- UN-HABITAT
- UNHCR
- UNIDO
- UNISDR
- UNODC
- UNRWA

Other (please specify):

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In the context of this survey, relevance is about matching the needs and priorities of your country with the mandates and capacities of the UN.

Some of the questions are phrased as statements. In these cases, please indicate how much you agree or disagree with the statement.

## 4. Overall, the activities of the UN and your country's development needs and priorities are:

- Very closely aligned
- Closely aligned
- Somewhat aligned
- Not aligned at all

## Topic 1 - Relevance

### 5. Please explain briefly the key contributing factors that ensured very close alignment between the activities of the UN and your country's development needs and priorities:

### 6. Please mention briefly any challenges to achieving closer alignment between the activities of the UN and your country's development needs and priorities:

### 7. Many UN agencies receive contributions from donors for specific programmes or projects in addition to their regular (core) funds. Please indicate how well aligned each type of contribution is with your country's development needs and priorities:

	Very closely aligned	Closely aligned	Somewhat aligned	Not aligned at all	Don't know
Unearmarked/ core funds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Earmarked/ non-core funds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

In regard to non-core funding, please use the comment box below to mention briefly the key factors that facilitated very close alignment or the obstacles to achieving closer alignment, as applicable.

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### **8. The efforts of the UN are focused on assisting your country in achieving the internationally-agreed development goals (IADGs), notably the Millennium Development Goals:**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

### **9. The efforts of the UN are focused on assisting your country in aligning with the international human rights instruments (IHRIs), such as the Convention on the Rights of the Child that your country has signed and/or ratified:**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Please use the comment box below to mention briefly the key factors that facilitated cooperation with the UN in regard to human rights instruments, or the obstacles to such cooperation, as applicable.

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**10. The United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF), or an alternative UN planning framework, has enabled the Government to ensure that the UN's activities are closely aligned with your national plans and strategies:**

**(The UNDAF is an instrument for joint planning of UN agencies at the country level. Other similar UN planning tools include One Plan/One Programme formats and "integrated strategic frameworks" in some countries in transition from relief to development)**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- The country has no UNDAF or similar UN framework
- Don't know

Optional comments:

**11. How relevant are the following attributes of the UN to providing support for your country's development?**

	Very relevant	Somewhat relevant	Slightly relevant	Not relevant
Is impartial	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Advocates for international norms and standards	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Is trusted by national partners	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Can obtain resources from anywhere in the world	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Can provide access to specialized knowledge in a wide range of subject areas	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
UN staff have a good understanding of the country, its culture and its needs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please mention any other attributes of the UN that you think are relevant, and provide any additional comments.

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### 12. Is there a joint Government or national/UN Steering Committee (or similar body) on the UNDAF (or equivalent instrument)?

- Yes
- No

Optional comments:

## Topic 1 - Relevance

### 13. The government's participation in the Steering Committee has allowed the Government to exercise leadership over the UN programmes

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

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**14. The tables below list the UN system and five other categories of development partners in the left-hand column, and various types of support that they may be able to provide to your country in the remaining columns.**

**Please select up to two partners that you consider to be the preferred provider of each type of support. In case your country is not interested in a particular type of support, or has no preference among the partners, please leave the column blank.**

	Peace, security and humanitarian assistance	Global challenges requiring common action (e.g. climate change, water, migration)	Supporting south-south and triangular cooperation	Supporting regional or sub-regional cooperation	Mobilizing external resources for development	Policy advice on national strategies and plans to align with the IADGs and IHRIs	Sectoral programming advice and technical assistance	Institutional capacity development	Facilitating participation of civil society & national NGOs in national development processes	Providing equipment and services
UN system (Funds, Programmes and Specialized Agencies)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The Bretton Woods Institutions (World Bank, IMF etc.)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other multilateral and regional institutions not part of the UN	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
OECD/DAC partners (Traditional bilateral donors)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Southern partners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thematic or alliance-based partners (eg The Global Fund)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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**15. The UN is effective in ensuring adequate attention and resources are given to the development needs of the poorest and most vulnerable segments of society.**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

**16. All things considered, please indicate how the relevance of the UN to your country's development needs has changed in the past three years:**

- Much more relevant
- Somewhat more relevant
- Somewhat less relevant
- Much less relevant
- Don't know

Optional comments:

**17. Please suggest any measures that would make the UN more relevant in your country:**



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## 18. Please select the five most important areas requiring UN assistance to your country in the next four years, from the following list:

- Agriculture and rural development
- Decentralization
- Disaster risk reduction
- Economic growth and employment
- Education
- Environment and natural resources (including climate change, water and environmental sanitation)
- Food security and nutrition
- Gender equality
- Governance and public administration
- Health
- Human rights and equity
- Humanitarian assistance
- Industry, trade and investment
- Knowledge and technology transfer
- Peace-building and early-recovery
- Poverty reduction
- Social Protection
- Sustainable development policies (Policies that integrate economic, social and environmental dimensions)

Other (please specify)/ optional comments:

## Topic 2 – Effectiveness

Effectiveness is the degree to which a programme or project actually achieves the intended results or outcomes. Effectiveness is often measured in terms of the development of national capacities and the contribution of the UN to poverty eradication, economic growth and sustainable development.

## 19. The UN has contributed significantly to development in your country:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

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**20. From the following list please select the areas where the UN contribution has been especially significant:**

**Please select all that apply.**

- Agriculture and rural development
- Decentralization
- Disaster risk reduction
- Economic growth and employment
- Education
- Environment and natural resources (including climate change, water and environmental sanitation)
- Food security and nutrition
- Gender equality
- Governance and public administration
- Health
- Human rights and equity
- Humanitarian assistance
- Industry, trade and investment
- Knowledge and technology transfer
- Peace-building and early-recovery
- Poverty reduction
- Social Protection
- Sustainable development policies (Policies that integrate economic, social and environmental dimensions)

Other (please specify)/ optional comments:

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**21. The UNDAF or another UN common planning framework has helped the UN to achieve better results than if each UN agency had planned its support to your country separately:**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- The country has no UNDAF or similar UN framework
- Don't know

Optional comments:

**22. All things considered, the UN has been effective in developing national capacities:**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

## Topic 2 - Effectiveness

**23. Please mention briefly the key contributing factors that have enabled the UN to be effective in developing national capacities:**

**24. Please mention briefly any measures you would recommend the UN to take to be more effective in developing national capacities:**

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## 25. Please indicate how much you agree or disagree that the UN has used following the approaches as much as possible:

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
National experts in the design of programmes and projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National institutions in the design of programmes and projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National institutions in the implementation of programmes and projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National procurement systems	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National financial systems	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National monitoring and reporting systems	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National statistical systems	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
National evaluation capacities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Optional comments:

## 26. The UN has contributed to the strengthening of national evaluation capacities:

- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

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## 27. To become more effective in your country, how important is it for the UN to take each of the following measures?

	Very Important	Somewhat Important	Slightly Important	Not Important at all
Improve the design of programmes and projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improve stakeholders' participation in programme/project design, implementation, monitoring and evaluation	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Make better use of results-based approaches	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improve the sustainability of UN-supported projects	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Do more things together as a team	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Improve the monitoring and evaluation of UN-supported programmes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Focus on areas where the UN has a clear comparative advantage	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Make better use of the expertise of non-resident UN agencies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Become more engaged in issue-based approaches, including sector-wide approaches (SWAPs)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Optional comments:

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### **28. The United Nations collaborates as much as possible with civil society and national non-governmental organisations.**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

### **29. Is your country interested in all or some of the elements of Delivering as One (DaO)?**

**(Delivering as One is a UN initiative that began in 2007 whereby in a programme country the UN system would have One Leader, One Programme, One Budgetary Framework, Operating as One, and Communicating as One)**

- Yes
- No
- I am not familiar with the elements of DaO

Optional comments:

## **Topic 2 - Effectiveness**

### **30. How satisfied are you with the information about DaO provided by the UN Resident Coordinator and other UN officials?**

- Very satisfied
- Somewhat satisfied
- Somewhat dissatisfied
- Very dissatisfied
- Don't know

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### 31. Has the introduction of DaO made it easier for your Government to deal with the UN system in your country?

- Much easier
- Somewhat easier
- Somewhat less easy
- Much less easy
- Too early to say

Optional comments:

### 32. To what extent do you agree that there is now less duplication and overlap among UN agencies as a result of DaO?

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

### 33. Please mention briefly any constraints encountered by your country in implementing Delivering as One:



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### 34. Does your Government receive a report from the UN Resident Coordinator on the results being achieved by the UN system in your country?

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know

Optional comments:

## Topic 2 - Effectiveness

### 35. To what extent do you agree with the following statements:

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
We receive reports on UN results regularly enough to meet our needs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The information in the reports is up-to-date	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sufficient financial data is included	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The results of the whole UN system are included	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reporting is structured around the outcomes of the UNDAF (or equivalent programme framework)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reporting is linked to national development results	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please provide any additional comments, including any comments you would like to make on the reporting from individual UN agencies.

### 36. Does your Government have a national results-based management (RBM) system?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

## Topic 2 - Effectiveness

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**37. To what extent has the UN country team studied with your Government how results achieved by UN development assistance in your country are defined, measured and reported on, with a view to ensuring compatibility between the national and UN RBM systems?**

- To a great extent
- To some extent
- Not at all

Optional comments:

**38. Has your Government requested support from the UN country team in strengthening national RBM systems?**

- Yes
- No

Optional comments:

**39. Please suggest any additional actions the UN could take collectively to make itself more effective in your country:**

### Topic 3 –Efficiency

Efficiency is about how economically inputs (funds, expertise, time, etc.) are converted into results. It is essentially about using funds wisely and achieving value-for-money.

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### 40. All things considered, the UN uses funds carefully and avoids waste:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments: (Please mention briefly any good practices or challenges in this context.)

### 41. There is a clear division of labour (that is, no duplication or overlaps) among the activities of UN agencies in the country:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

## Topic 3 - Efficiency

### 42. Please mention briefly the key contributing factors that have facilitated a clear division of labour among the activities of UN agencies in the country:

### 43. Please mention briefly any challenges to ensuring a clear division of labour among the activities of UN agencies in the country:

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## 44. As far as you know, to what extent do UN agencies in your country compete with each other for donor funding?

- To a large extent
- To a moderate extent
- To a small extent
- Not at all

## Topic 3 - Efficiency

## 45. Please explain briefly any key contributing factors that helped to prevent or minimise any competition among UN agencies in your country:

## 46. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree with each of the following statements:

	Strongly agree	Somewhat agree	Somewhat disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
Competition among UN agencies is healthy and the Government welcomes it	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Competition among UN agencies increases overall UN funding for the country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Competition among UN agencies creates confusion for the Government	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Competition among UN agencies increases the workload on Government officials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Competition among UN agencies diverts the agencies' attention from the main tasks of providing support to the country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Optional comments: (Please explain briefly any key contributing factors that helped to foster collaboration and/or coordination among UN agencies in your country.)

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### 47. Comparing the UN system with other development partners, how do you find the workload in complying with their procedures?

- It is much less work to deal with the UN
- It is somewhat less work to deal with the UN
- It is somewhat more work to deal with the UN
- It is much more work to deal with the UN

Optional comments:

### Topic 3 - Efficiency

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## 48. To reduce the workload on national partners, how important is it for the UN to take the following measures?

	Very important	Somewhat important	Slightly important	Not important at all	Don't know
Use a single format for annual work plans	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Use a single format for progress reports	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Simplify the UNDAF and agency country programming or planning processes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Coordinate capacity-building activities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Designate a lead agency for some thematic issues to represent a common UN approach in the country	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Plan joint monitoring missions and evaluations when working in the same thematic area	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Consolidate its country presence under a single head who is accountable for all UN assistance	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Share office premises	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Share more services in areas such as procurement, human resources and information technology	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Optional comments: (Please mention briefly any other measures that the UN could take to reduce the workload on national partners, and provide any other comments on the subject.)

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### **49. The UN country team (heads of agency) has the right mix of technical capacities and leadership skills to support my country's development effectively**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

## Topic 4 - Joint Funding

### **50. UN joint funding mechanisms (multi-donor trust funds, One UN Funds) have led to greater UN coherence:**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know
- Not applicable

Optional comments:

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## 51. UN joint funding mechanisms (multi-donor trust funds, One UN Funds) have led to greater UN efficiency:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know
- Not applicable

Optional comments:

## 52. UN joint programming has led to greater UN coherence and effectiveness:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know
- Not applicable

Optional comments:

## 53. UN joint programming has led to greater UN efficiency:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know
- Not applicable

Optional comments:



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### 54. All things considered, the UN is efficient in providing its support to your country:

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- Don't know

Optional comments:

### 55. Please suggest any measures that would improve the UN's efficiency in your country:

## Topic 5 - The UN compared with other development partners

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**56. Please select up to two partners that best satisfy your Government's needs in respect of each of the performance factors (columns) in the table below:**

**If your Government sees no difference among the partners, please leave the column blank. If your Government has insufficient experience with one or other category of partner, please check that partner in the final column.**

	Aligns assistance with national needs and priorities	Responds quickly to new development needs and priorities	Achieves planned results on time	Makes decisions transparently	Willingly collaborates with other external development partners at the country level	Government has insufficient experience with this category of partner
UN system (Funds, Programmes and Specialized Agencies)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
The Bretton Woods Institutions (e.g. World Bank, IMF etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other multilateral and regional institutions not part of the UN	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
OECD/DAC partners (Traditional bilateral donors)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Southern partners	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thematic or alliance-based partners (e.g. The Global Fund)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**57. Please indicate the extent to which you agree or disagree that collaboration between the World Bank and the UN in this country has improved over the past three years:**

- Strongly agree
- Somewhat agree
- Somewhat disagree
- Strongly disagree
- I am unaware of collaboration between the World Bank and the UN
- The World Bank does not operate in this country

Optional comments:

**58. Does your country provide development cooperation to other countries (e.g., South-South cooperation or other peer-to-peer exchange platforms)?**

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know

Optional comments:

**59. Has the United Nations system undertaken any activities in your country to support South-South or triangular cooperation?**

- Yes
- No
- Don't Know

Optional comments:

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**60. Please indicate in the table below the areas in which the UN has supported South-South or triangular cooperation in your country, if applicable, and use the right-hand column to indicate the areas in which your government would like support with south-south or triangular cooperation in the future:**

	The UN has provided support in South-South or triangular cooperation in this area	The Government would like to receive UN support in south-south or triangular cooperation in this area in future
Agriculture and rural development	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Decentralization	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Disaster risk reduction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Economic growth and employment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Environment and natural resources (including climate change, water and environmental sanitation)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food security and nutrition	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Gender equality	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Governance and public administration	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Health	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Human rights and equity	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Humanitarian assistance	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Industry, trade and investment	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Knowledge and technology transfer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Peace-building and early-recovery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Poverty reduction	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Protection	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sustainable development policies (Policies that integrate economic, social and environmental dimensions)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify):	<input type="text"/>	

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**61. Please mention any other type of assistance you would welcome from the United Nations system on South-South and triangular cooperation:**

**62. Please mention briefly any challenges you have encountered in working with the United Nations system on South-South and triangular cooperation:**

**63. Is there a dedicated entity in your country responsible for South-South and triangular cooperation?**

- Yes
- No

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**64. If yes, please provide details below:**

**(Please note this information will not be published along with the results of the survey. It is strictly for UN headquarters use.)**

Name of Organisation:

Official in charge (Director-General level):

Email address:

Phone:

Fax:

Postal address:

**65. Also, please provide a rough estimate of the annual budget for south-south cooperation:**

National Currency:

USD Equivalent:

Budget Year:

I don't know:

**66. Optional comments on any aspect of the survey:**

