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NSDS STATUS OF COUNTRIES

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The following table presents the status of National Strategies for the Development of Statistics (NSDS) in International Development Association (IDA) borrower countries, Least Developed Countries, Low and Lower-Middle Income Countries, and some Upper-Middle Income Countries (in order to report on the whole of the African continent), as of February 2017. Non-IDA countries are identified in the table with an asterisk. The information is drawn from three principal sources:

- Direct information provided by countries to PARIS21;
- Websites of key development partners (in particular the World Bank's Bulletin Board on Statistical Capacity); and
- Websites of countries' national statistical offices.

The table is sorted by geographical region and provides information on existing strategy, next NSDS and PRSP (or National Development plan) time span. It should be noted that while existing strategies may not necessarily follow the NSDS guidelines, most strategies currently being designed do follow them. This table is updated annually, and is available on the PARIS21 website at <http://www.paris21.org>.

Summary table of NSDS status in IDA countries

	Currently implementing a strategy		Currently designing a strategy or awaiting adoption		Strategy expired or absent but currently planning an NSDS		Strategy expired or absent and not planning one		TOTAL
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
AFRICA	25	62.5%	8	20.0%	5	12.5%	2	5.0%	40
ASIA-PACIFIC	11	42.3%	7	26.9%	4	15.4%	4	15.4%	26
EASTERN EUROPE	2	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	2
LAC	1	11.1%	1	11.1%	4	44.4%	3	33.3%	9
TOTAL	39	50.6%	16	20.8%	13	16.9%	9	11.7%	77

*Summary table of NSDS status in Least Developed, Low and Lower-Middle Income Countries**

	Currently implementing a strategy		Currently designing a strategy or awaiting adoption		Strategy expired or absent but currently planning an NSDS		Strategy expired or absent and not planning one		TOTAL
	#	%	#	%	#	%	#	%	
AFRICA	6	42.9%	3	21.4%	1	7.1%	4	28.6%	14
ASIA-PACIFIC	3	42.9%	0	0.0%	2	28.6%	2	28.6%	7
EASTERN EUROPE	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	1	33.3%	3
LAC	2	66.7%	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3
TOTAL	12	44.4%	4	14.8%	4	14.8%	7	25.9%	27

Country	Existing strategy			Next NSDS		PRSP or Natl Dev Plan
	Status	Name	Time Span	Status	Time span	Time span
AFRICA						
Algeria*	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2008-15	Not yet planned		2009-15
Angola*	Implementation	Plano Estatístico Nacional de Medio Prazo	2015-25	Not yet planned		2003-08
Benin	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2014-16	Planned	2017-20	2011-15
Botswana*	Implementation	Botswana Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2015 - 2020	Not yet planned		2009-16
Burkina Faso	Implementation	3e Schéma Directeur de la Statistique	2016-20	Not yet planned		2011-15
Burundi	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique	2016-20	Not yet planned		2010-15
Cabo Verde	Implementation	Agenda Estatística Para O Desenvolvimento	2012-16	Planned	2017-21	2008-11
Cameroon	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique	2015-20	Not yet planned		2010-20
Central African Republic	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique	2012-15	Not yet planned		2011-15
Chad	Strategy expired	Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique	2011-15	Planned	2017-21	2013-15
Comoros	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique	2015-19	Not yet planned		2015-19
Congo	Strategy expired	Programme pluriannuel de développement statistique	2011-15	Not yet planned		2012-16
Congo (Democratic Republic of the)	Implementation	Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique	2012/13-17	Not yet planned		2011-15
Côte d'Ivoire	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2012-15	Being designed	2017-21	2012-15
Djibouti	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2011-15	Being designed	2016-20	2008-11
Egypt*	No Strategy			Being designed	2017 - 21	2007-12
Equatorial Guinea*	Implementation	Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo de la Estadística	2016-20	Not yet planned		2010-20
Eritrea	Strategy expired	Master plan for development economics statistics	2010-14	Planned		2012-17
Ethiopia	Implementation	The Ethiopian National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2015/16-2019/20	Planned		2015/16 - 2019/20
Gabon*	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2011-15	Planned		2010-25
Gambia	Strategy expired	Strategic plan for development of statistics in The Gambia	2006 - 2011	Not yet planned		
Ghana	Implementation	Ghana statistics development plan	2017-21	Not yet planned		2010-13

Country	Existing strategy			Next NSDS		PRSP or Natl Dev Plan
	Status	Name	Time Span	Status	Time span	Time span
Guinea	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2009-13	Planned	2017-20	2013-15
Guinea-Bissau	Completed, awaiting adoption	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique (ENDE)	2015-17	Planned	2018-22	2011-15
Kenya	Implementation	KNBS Strategic Plan	2013-17	Being designed	2014-	2013-17
Lesotho	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2006/07-2015/16	Being designed	2016/17 - 2020/21	2012/13-2016-17
Liberia	Strategy expired	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2009-13	Being designed	2015-	2008-11
Libya*	No Strategy			Being designed	2016 -	No Strategy
Madagascar	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2007-17	Planned		2007-12
Malawi	Implementation	National Statistical System Strategic Plan	2013-17	Not yet planned		2011-16
Mali	Implementation	Schéma Directeur de la Statistique II	2015-19	Not yet planned		2013-14
Mauritania*	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2011-15	Being designed		2011-15
Mauritius*	Strategy expired	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2007-12	Not yet planned		No Strategy
Morocco*	Strategy expired	Plan d'action à long terme de la Direction de la Statistique	2002-12	Not yet planned		2005-25
Mozambique	Implementation	Plano Estratégico do Sistema Estatístico	2013-17	Not yet planned	2018-22	2011-14
Namibia*	Implementation	Namibia Statistics Agency Strategic Plan	2012/13-2016/17	Not yet planned		2012/13-2016/17
Niger	Implementation	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2014-18	Being designed	2017-21	2012-15
Nigeria	Strategy expired	National Strategy for Development of Statistics	2010-14	Planned	2016-	2010-13
Rwanda	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics II	20014/15 - 2018/19	Not yet planned		2013-18
Sao Tome and Principe	Implementation	Estratégia Nacional para o Desenvolvimento da Estatística	2009-18	Not yet planned		2012-16
Senegal	Completed, awaiting adoption	Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique	2014-19	Not yet planned		2013-17
Seychelles	Implementation	NBS Strategic Plan	2014 - 2020	Not yet planned		2013-17
Sierra Leone	Completed, awaiting adoption	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2016 - 2020	Not yet planned		2008-12
Somalia	No Strategy			Planned	2016/17 -	No Strategy
South Africa*	Implementation	Statistics South Africa Strategic Plan	2015/16-2019/20	Not yet planned		2011-30
South Sudan	Implementation	Master Plan for Statistics Development in Southern Sudan	2013-17	Not yet planned		2011-13
Sudan	Implementation	National Strategy for Development of Statistics	2012-16	Not yet planned		I-PRSP 2012-

Country	Existing strategy			Next NSDS		PRSP or Natl Dev Plan
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Swaziland*	Strategy expired	Strategic plan for central statistical office	2011-15	Not yet planned		2007-15
Tanzania (United Republic of)	Implementation	Tanzania Statistical Master Plan	2009/10-2016/17	Planned	2017/18 -	2010/11 = 2014/15
Togo	Strategy expired	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2009-13	Being designed	2016-17	2009-11
Tunisia*	Strategy expired	Le Programme National de la Statistique	2010-14	Being designed	2017-21	2012-16
Uganda	Implementation	Plan for National Statistical Development	2013-18	Not yet planned		2010/11-2014/15
Zambia	Implementation	Zambia NSDS	2014-2018	Not yet planned		2011-15
Zimbabwe	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics II	2016-20	Not yet planned		2011-15
ASIA-PACIFIC						
Afghanistan	Implementation	Afghanistan National Strategy for Statistics	2010-15	Being designed	2016-20	2008-13
Bangladesh	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2013-23	Not yet planned		2011-15
Bhutan	Implementation	National Statistics Development Strategy	2015-2018	Not yet planned		2008-13
Cambodia	Strategy expired	Statistical Master Plan for Cambodia	2006-15	Being designed	2017-2021	2014-18
Cook Islands	Implementation	Strategy for Development of Statistics	2015-2025			2016-2020
Fiji	No Strategy			Being designed	2016-20	2007-11
India*	Implementation	Strategic Plan	2011-16	Not yet planned		2012-17
Indonesia*	Strategy expired	BPS Strategic Plan	2010-14	Planned	2017-2021	2010-14
Iraq*	Strategy expired	Statistical Master plan	2010-14	Not yet planned		2010-14
Kiribati	Strategy expired	Statistics Corporate plan	2010-15	Not yet planned		2012-15
Korea (People's Republic of)*	No Strategy			Not yet planned		2011-21
Kyrgyzstan	Implementation	Program for Improvement and Development of the State Statistics of the Kyrgyz Republic	2015-2019	Not yet planned		2013-17
Lao People's Democratic Republic	Implementation	Strategy for the Development of the National Statistical System	2010-20	Planned	2016-2025	2016-20
Maldives	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2010-19	Not yet planned		2006-10
Marshall Islands	Strategy expired	Forward Work Plan	2009-13	Not yet planned		2015-17
Micronesia (Federated States of)	No Strategy			Planned	2017-2021	2004-23
Mongolia	Completed, awaiting adoption	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics in Mongolia	2016-2020	Not yet planned		2007-15

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Myanmar	Completed, awaiting adoption	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (Core Strategies)		Not yet planned		2012-15
Nauru	No Strategy	-		Not yet planned		
Nepal	Completed, awaiting adoption	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2015-24	Not yet planned		2013-17
Pakistan	No Strategy			Not yet planned		Vision 2025
Palau	No Strategy			Not yet planned		
Palestinian Authority*	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2014-18	Not yet planned		2011-13
Papua New Guinea	Completed, awaiting adoption	Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2015-24	Not yet planned		2011-15
Philippines*	Implementation	Philippine Statistical Development Programme	2011-17	planned	2017-2021	2011-16
Samoa	Implementation	Samoa Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2011-21	Not yet planned		2012-16
Solomon Islands	Completed, awaiting adoption	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2016-2020	Not yet planned		2011-20
Sri Lanka	No Strategy			Planned	2017-2021	2006-16
Syrian Arab Republic*	Strategy expired	Strategy 2006-2010 for Statistical Capacity Building in Syria	2006-10	Not yet planned		2011-16
Tajikistan	Implementation	Multi-year integrated statistical program	2012-16	Planned	2017-2021	2007-15
Thailand	Strategy expired	2nd Thailand Statistical Master Plan	2016 - 2025	Not yet planned		
Timor-Leste	Implementation	Master Plan	2010-19	Not yet planned		2011-30
Tokelau	Strategy expired	Strategic Statistics Plan	2009-13	Planned		2010-15
Tonga	Strategy expired	Statistics Department Corporate Plan	2010-13	Being designed	2017- 2025	2015-25
Turkmenistan*	Strategy expired	State Program of Transition of Statistics System to the International Standards	2010-12	Not yet planned		No Strategy
Tuvalu	No Strategy			Planned		2005-15
Uzbekistan	No Strategy			Planned		2011-14
Vanuatu	Implementation	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2016-20	Not yet planned		2006-15
Viet Nam	Implementation	Vietnam Statistical Development Strategy	2011-20	Not yet planned		2011-15
Yemen	Strategy expired	Statistical Master Plan	2006-10	Not yet planned		2011-15
EASTERN EUROPE						
Armenia*	Implementation	Three-year state statistical programme	2013-15	Being designed		2008-13
Bosnia and Herzegovina*	Strategy expired	Statistical Plan of BiH for 2009-2012	2009-12	Planned		2008-13

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Georgia*	Strategy expired	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2011-14	Not yet planned		2009-12
Kosovo	Implementation	Programme of Official Statistics	2013-17	Not yet planned		2016-21
Moldova (Republic of)	Implementation	Strategy of national statistics development	2012-15	Not yet planned		2012-20
Ukraine*	Strategy expired	Strategy of state statistics development	2009-12	Planned		No Strategy
LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN						
Antigua and Barbuda	No Strategy			Not yet planned		
Anguilla	No Strategy			Not yet planned		
Bahamas	No Strategy			Planned	2017-2021	
Belize*	Strategy expired	STRATEGIC PLAN FOR NATIONAL STATISTICS	2006-11	Not yet planned		2010-30
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	Strategy expired	Plan Estratégico Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico - PENDES	2010-14	Planned		2012-15
Dominica	No Strategy			Not yet planned		2007-11
El Salvador*	Implementation	Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico	2011-15	Not yet planned		2010-14
Grenada	No Strategy			Planned	2018-2022	2014-18
Guatemala*	Strategy expired	Plan Estratégico Instituto Nacional De Estadística	2009-12	Being designed	2012-16	2008-32
Guyana	No Strategy			Planned	2017-2021	2001-10
Haiti	No Strategy			Being designed		2014-16
Honduras	Implementation	Estrategia Nacional para el Desarrollo Estadístico de Honduras	2011-15	Not yet planned		2010-22
Jamaica	No Strategy			Planned	2017-2021	Vision 2030
Nicaragua	Strategy expired	Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico	2006-10	Planned		2008-12
Paraguay*	Implementation	Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico - Plan Estadístico Nacional 2013-17	2013-17	Not yet planned		No PRSP
Saint Lucia	No Strategy			Not yet planned		No PRSP
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	No Strategy			Not yet planned		2013-25
Suriname	No Strategy			Not yet planned		
Trinidad and Tobago	No Strategy			Planned	2017-2021	2008-21

Legend

* Lower Middle Income countries, as defined by the OECD Development Assistance Committee List of Recipients of Official Development Assistance (<http://www.oecd.org/dac/stats/daclist.htm>). In order to facilitate trend analyses across all NSDS reports, the DAC list used is that of 2016. These tables also include some Upper Middle Income Countries in order to report on the whole of the African continent.

For existing NSDS

Category	Definition
No strategy	There is no strategy in place.
Completed, awaiting adoption	An NSDS document has been completed but has not yet been adopted by the government.
Implementation	An NSDS document has been adopted by the government and is being implemented.
Expired	The existing strategy has expired.

For next NSDS

Category	Definition
Not yet planned	The process to design an NSDS has not yet started.
Planned	The process to design an NSDS has been initiated (e.g., roadmap) and funding is being sought.
Being designed	An NSDS is being designed with funding secured.
Completed, awaiting adoption	An NSDS document has been completed. Once approved, it will replace the existing NSDS.

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