

# NSDS STATUS OF COUNTRIES

## Progress report as of March 2021

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 January 2021. 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	28	70.0%	5	12.5%	1	2.5%	6	15.0%	40
ASIA-PACIFIC	17	68.0%	1	4.0%	4	16.0%	3	12.0%	25
EASTERN EUROPE	1	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1
LAC	0	0.0%	1	12.5%	5	62.5%	2	25.0%	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>0.0%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9.5%</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>13.5%</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>14.9%</b>	<b>74</b>

### 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	7	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	7
ASIA-PACIFIC	6	67%	0	0%	2	22%	1	11%	9
EASTERN EUROPE	4	100%	0	0%	0	0%	0	0%	4
LAC	0	0%	0	0%	1	25%	3	75%	4
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>13%</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>24</b>

AFRICA					Next Plan
Country	Status	Type	Name of the Plan	Range	
Algeria*	Implementation		Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2017-19	Not yet planned
Angola*	Implementation		<a href="#">Plano Estatístico Nacional de Medio Prazo</a>	2015-25	
Benin	Implementation	NSDS -3	Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique	2018-22	
Botswana*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Botswana Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2015 – 2020 (current one extended)	Planned
Burkina Faso	Designing/Adopting	NSDS	4e Schéma Directeur de la Statistique	2021-2025	Planned
Burundi	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique</a>	2016-21	Planned
Cabo Verde	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Agenda Estatística Para O Desenvolvimento</a>	2017-2021	
Cameroon	Implementing	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique</a>	2021-2025	
Central African Republic	Designing/Adopting		Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique	2020-	
Chad	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique</a>	2011-15	Planned
Comoros	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique</a>	2015-19	Not yet planned
Congo	Strategy expired		Programme pluriannuel de développement statistique	2011-15	Planned
Congo (Democratic Republic of the)	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique</a>	2012/13-17	Planned
Côte d'Ivoire	Implementation				
Djibouti	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2011-15	Being designed
Egypt*	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy of Statistics	2017 - 21	Being designed
Equatorial Guinea*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo de la Estadística</a>	2021-2024	Being designed
Eritrea	Strategy expired		Master plan for development economics statistics	2010-14	Planned
Ethiopia	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">The Ethiopian National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2015/16-2019/20	Being designed
Gabon*	Implementation			2016-2019	Planned
Gambia	Implementation	NSDS	Strategic plan for development of statistics in The Gambia	2018 - 2022	
Ghana	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Ghana statistics development plan</a>	2017-21	Planned
Guinea	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2016-2020	Not yet planned
Guinea-Bissau	Implementation		<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique (ENDE)</a>	2018-2020	Planned
Kenya	Implementation	NDP	<a href="#">National Strategic Plan</a>	2018-22	
Lesotho	Designing/Adopting	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2021/22-2025/26	Being designed
Liberia	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2018-22	
Libya*	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2018-2022	Being revised
Madagascar	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2007-17	Planned
Malawi	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Statistical System Strategic Plan</a>	2019-2023	
Mali	Implementation	NSP 3	Schéma Directeur de la Statistique	2019/20-2022/23	
Mauritania	Designing/Adopting	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2016-2020	Being designed
Mauritius*	Designing/Adopting	NSDS			
Morocco*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Plan d'action à long terme de la Direction de la Statistique</a>		Not yet planned

Mozambique	Implementation	NSDS	National Statistics System Strategic Plan	2020-2024	
Namibia*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2017/18-2021/22	
Niger	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2017-21	
Nigeria	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for Development of Statistics	2017-2021	
Rwanda	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics 3</a>	2019/2020-2023/2024	
Sao Tome and Principe	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Estratégia Nacional para o Desenvolvimento da Estatística</a>	2018-21	Planned
Senegal	Implementation	SNDS 3	<a href="#">Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique</a>	2019-2023	
Seychelles*	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSP	<a href="#">NBS Strategic Plan</a>		Not yet planned
Sierra Leone	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2016-2020	Planned
Somalia	No Strategy				
South Africa*	Implementation	NSP	Statistics South Africa Strategic Plan	2020/21-2024/25	Not yet planned
South Sudan	Implementation	NSP	Master Plan for Statistics Development in Southern Sudan	2014-2020	Not yet planned
Sudan	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for Development of Statistics	2017-2021	Planned
Eswatini*	Implementation	NSP	Strategic plan for central statistical office	2016-2020	
Tanzania (United Republic of)	Implementation	NSP	Tanzania Statistical Master Plan	2011/12-2017/18	Being designed
Togo	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2020-2024	
Tunisia*	Implementation	NSP	Le Programme National de la Statistique	2016-2020	
Uganda	Implementation		Plan for National Statistical Development	2020/21-2024/25	
Zambia	Implementation	NSDS2	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2021-2025	
Zimbabwe	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics II</a>	2016-2020	Being designed
<b>ASIA-PACIFIC</b>					
Afghanistan	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Afghanistan National Strategy for Statistics</a>		Not yet planned
Bangladesh	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2013-23	Not yet planned
Bhutan	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Statistics Development Strategy</a>	2018-2023	
Cambodia*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Cambodia National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2018-21	Not yet planned
Cook Islands*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Strategy for Development of Statistics</a>	2015-25	Not yet planned
Fiji	No Strategy				Being designed
India*	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Strategic Plan 2011-16</a>	2011-16	Not yet planned
Indonesia*	Strategy expired				Planned
Iraq*	Strategy expired	NSP	Statistical Master plan	2010-14	Not yet planned
Jordan*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for Development of Statistics</a>	2018-22	Not yet planned
Kiribati	No Strategy				Planned
Korea (Democratic People's Republic of)*	Implementation				Not yet planned
Kyrgyzstan	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Program for Improvement and Development of the State Statistics of the Kyrgyz Republic</a>		Not yet planned
Lao People's Democratic Republic	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Strategy for the Development of the National Statistical System</a>	2016-25/30	Not yet planned

Maldives	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>		Being designed
Marshall Islands	No strategy				Not yet planned
Micronesia (Federated States of)	No Strategy				Planned
Mongolia	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics in Mongolia	2021-2024	Not yet planned
Myanmar	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics (Core Strategies)</a>	2018/19-2022/23	Not yet planned
Nauru*	No Strategy				Being designed
Nepal	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2018-22	Not yet planned
Pakistan	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2021-2030	Not yet planned
Palau*	No Strategy				Not yet planned
Palestinian Authority*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2018-2022	Not yet planned
Papua New Guinea	Implementation	NSP	Strategy for the Development of Statistics Vol 1 Vol 2	2018-27	Not yet planned
Philippines*	Implementation	NDP	<a href="#">Philippine Statistical Development Programme</a>	2018-23	Being designed
Samoa	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Samoa Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2011-21	Not yet planned
Solomon Islands	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2016-35	Not yet planned
Sri Lanka*	No Strategy				Planned
Syrian Arab Republic	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Strategy 2006-2010 for Statistical Capacity Building in Syria</a>	2006-10	Not yet planned
Tajikistan	Strategy expired	NSP	<a href="#">Multi-year integrated statistical program</a>	2012-16	Being designed
Thailand*	Implementation	NSP	2nd Thailand Statistical Master Plan	2016 - 25	Not yet planned
Timor-Leste	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Master Plan</a>		Not yet planned
Tokelau*	No Strategy				Not yet planned
Tonga	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Tonga Strategy for Development of Statistics</a>	2019-23	Being designed
Turkmenistan*	Strategy expired		State Program of Transition of Statistics System to the International Standards	2010-12	Not yet planned
Tuvalu	Implementation				Planned
Uzbekistan	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the development of Statistics</a>	2020-25	Not yet planned
Vanuatu	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2016-20	Being designed
Viet Nam*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Vietnam Statistical Development Strategy</a>	2011-20	Being designed
Yemen	Strategy expired	NSP	<a href="#">Statistical Master Plan</a>	2006-10	Not yet planned
<b>EASTERN EUROPE</b>					
Armenia*	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Three-year state statistical programme</a>		Being designed
Bosnia and Herzegovina*	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Strategy for development of statistics</a>	2020	Not yet planned
Georgia*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of the Official Statistics</a>	2020-23	Being designed
Kosovo	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Programme of Official Statistics</a>	2018-22	Not yet planned

Moldova (Republic of)*	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Strategy of development of National Statistical System</a>		Not yet planned
Ukraine*	Implementation				
<b>LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN</b>					
Antigua and Barbuda*	Implementation				Not yet planned
Anguilla*	No Strategy				Not yet planned
Bahamas*	No Strategy				Being designed
Belize*	Implementation		National Strategy for Development of Statistics		Planned
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)*	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Plan Estratégico Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico - PENDES</a>	2010-14	Planned
Dominica	No Strategy				Not yet planned
El Salvador*	No Strategy			2011-15	Not yet planned
Grenada	No Strategy				Planned
Guatemala*	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Plan Estratégico Instituto Nacional De Estadística</a>	2009-12	
Guyana	No Strategy				Being designed
Haiti	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2016-21	Not yet planned
Honduras	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Estrategia Nacional para el Desarrollo Estadístico de Honduras</a>	2011-15	Not yet planned
Jamaica*	Implementation	NSP	Statistical Institute of Jamaica Five-Year Strategic Plan		Being designed
Nicaragua	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico</a>	2006-10	Planned
Paraguay*	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo Estadístico - Plan Estadístico Nacional 2013-17</a>	2013-17	Not yet planned
Saint Lucia	No Strategy		NSDS 2022-2026		Planned
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	No Strategy				Not yet planned
Suriname*	Implementation				Not yet planned
Trinidad and Tobago*	No Strategy				Planned

## Legend

\* Countries not eligible for IDA borrowing based on [the list of IDA borrowers](#) as of 2021. PARIS21 expanded the coverage of this table over the years to include Lower and Upper Middle Income Countries that are not eligible to borrow from IDA.

### 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
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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.