

# NSDS STATUS OF COUNTRIES

## Progress report as of May 2020

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 March 2020. 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>.

Scope of different plans.

### Summary table of NSDS status in IDA countries, 2020

	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	67.6%	8	21.6%	2	5.4%	2	5.4%	37
ASIA-PACIFIC	15	60%	4	16.0%	3	12.0%	3	12.0%	25
EASTERN EUROPE	1	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	1
LAC	0	0.0%	2	25.0%	2	25.0%	4	50.0%	8
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>57.7%</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>19.7%</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>9.9%</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12.7%</b>	<b>71</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	12	85.7%	2	14.3%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	14
ASIA-PACIFIC	5	55.6%	0	0.0%	2	22.2%	2	22.2%	9
EASTERN EUROPE	3	100.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	0	0.0%	3
LAC	1	33.3%	0	0.0%	1	33.3%	1	33.3%	3
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>72.4%</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>6.9%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10.3%</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>10.3%</b>	<b>29</b>

Country	Existing strategy				Next NSDS	
	Status	Type of Plan	Name	Time Span	Status	Time span
<b>AFRICA</b>						
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	Not yet planned	
Burkina Faso	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">3e Schéma Directeur de la Statistique</a>	2016-20	Planned	
Burundi	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique</a>	2016-20	Not yet planned	
Cabo Verde	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Agenda Estatística Para O Desenvolvimento</a>	2017-2021		
Cameroon	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique</a>	2015-20	Not yet planned	
Central African Republic	Strategy expired		Stratégie Nationale du Développement de la Statistique	2012-15	Being designed	
Chad	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique</a>	2011-15	Planned	2017-21
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	2013-2017	Planned	2021-25
Congo (Democratic Republic of the)		NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique</a>	2012/13-17	Not yet planned	
Côte d'Ivoire	Implementation					
Djibouti	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2011-15	Being designed	2016-20
Egypt*	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy of Statistics	<a href="#">2017 - 21</a>		
Equatorial Guinea*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Estrategia Nacional de Desarrollo de la Estadística</a>	2016-20	Not yet planned	
Eritrea			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	Planned	
Gabon*	Implementation			2016-2019	Planned	
Gambia	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Strategic plan for development of statistics in The Gambia</a>	2018 - 2022		
Ghana	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Ghana statistics development plan</a>	2017-21		
Guinea	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2016-2020	Not yet planned	
Guinea-Bissau	Completed, awaiting adoption		<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique (ENDE)</a>	2018-2020	Not yet planned	
Kenya	Implementation	NDP	<a href="#">National Strategic Plan</a>	2018-22		

Country	Existing strategy				Next NSDS	
	Status	Type of Plan	Name	Time Span	Status	Time span
Lesotho	Strategy expired	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2006/07-2015/16		2016/17 - 2020/21
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		
Madagascar	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2007-17		
Malawi	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Statistical System Strategic Plan</a>	2013-2017		
Mali	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Schéma Directeur de la Statistique III</a>	2020-2024		
Mauritania*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2016-2020	Not yet planned	
Mauritius*	Implementation					
Morocco*	Implementation		<a href="#">Plan d'action à long terme de la Direction de la Statistique</a>	2018-2020	Not yet planned	
Mozambique	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Statistics System Strategic Plan</a>	2013-17		
Namibia*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2017- ?		
Niger	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2017-21		
Nigeria	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSDS	National Strategy for Development of Statistics	2017-2021		
Rwanda	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics III</a>	2019/20 - 2023/24		
Sao Tome and Principe	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Estratégia Nacional para o Desenvolvimento da Estatística</a>	2018-21		
Senegal	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie nationale de développement de la statistique</a>	2020-2024		
Seychelles	Completed, awaiting adoption	NSP	<a href="#">NBS Strategic Plan</a>	2014 - 2020	Not yet planned	
Sierra Leone	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2016 - 2020	Not yet planned	
Somalia	No Strategy					
South Africa*	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Statistics South Africa Strategic Plan</a>	2015/16-2019/20	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		
Swaziland*	Implementation	NSP	Strategic plan for central statistical office	2016-2020	Not yet planned	
Tanzania (United Republic of)	Implementation	NSP	Tanzania Statistical Master Plan	2011/12-2017/18	Being designed	2017/18 -
Togo	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Stratégie Nationale de Développement de la Statistique</a>	2009-13	Being designed	2016-17
Tunisia*	Implementation	NSP	Le Programme National de la Statistique	2016-2020		

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Uganda	Implementation				Not yet planned	
Zambia	Implementation			2020-2023		
Zimbabwe	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics II</a>	2016-20	Not yet planned	
<b>ASIA-PACIFIC</b>						
Afghanistan	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Afghanistan National Strategy for Statistics</a>	2016-20	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>	2019-2023		
Cambodia	No 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	2016-20
India*	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Strategic Plan 2011-16</a>	2011-16	Not yet planned	
Indonesia*	Strategy expired				Planned	2018-23
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	2018-23
Korea (People's Republic of)*	No Strategy				Not yet planned	
Korea (Republic of)	Implementation					
Kyrgyzstan	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Program for Improvement and Development of the State Statistics of the Kyrgyz Republic</a>	2015-2019	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>	2010-19	Planned	2019-25
Marshall Islands	No strategy				Not yet planned	
Micronesia (Federated States of)	No Strategy				Planned	2018-23
Mongolia	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics in Mongolia	2017-20	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	2018-23
Nepal	Implementation	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2018-22	Not yet planned	
Pakistan	Implementation				Not yet planned	

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Palau	No Strategy				Not yet planned	
Palestinian Authority*	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2014-18	Not yet planned	
Papua New Guinea	Implementation	NSP	Strategy for the Development of Statistics <a href="#">Vol 1</a> <a href="#">Vol 2</a>	2018-27	Not yet planned	
Philippines*	Implementation	NDP	<a href="#">Philippine Statistical Development Programme</a>	2018-23	Being designed	2018-23
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	2018-22
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	NSDS	National Strategy for the Development of Statistics	2019-2030	Not yet planned	
Thailand	Implementation	NSP	2nd Thailand Statistical Master Plan	2016 - 25	Not yet planned	
Timor-Leste	Implementation	NSP	<a href="#">Master Plan</a>	2010-19	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	2017-25
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,	NSDS	<a href="#">National Strategy for the Development of Statistics</a>	2016-20	In preparation	2021-2025
Viet Nam	Implementation	NSDS	<a href="#">Vietnam Statistical Development Strategy</a>	2011-20	Not yet planned	
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>	2016-18	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>	2016-2020	Not yet planned	
Ukraine*	Implementation					
<b>LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN</b>						
Antigua and Barbuda	Implementation				Not yet planned	

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Anguilla	No Strategy				Not yet planned	
Bahamas	No Strategy				Being designed	2018-22
Belize*	Implementation		<a href="#">National Strategy for Development of Statistics</a>		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	2018-22
Guatemala*	Strategy expired	NSDS	<a href="#">Plan Estratégico Instituto Nacional De Estadística</a>	2009-12		
Guyana	No Strategy				Being designed	2018-22
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	2018-22
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				Not yet planned	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	No Strategy				Not yet planned	
Suriname	Implementation				Not yet planned	
Trinidad and Tobago	No Strategy				Planned	2018-22

## Legend

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\* 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.