



MM: Telecommunications Sector Reform (P145534)

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Implementing Agencies: Ministry of Transport and Communications, Ministry of Planning and Finance

Key Dates

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Bank Approval Date: 06-Feb-2014

Effectiveness Date: 27-May-2014

Planned Mid Term Review Date: 24-Apr-2017

Actual Mid-Term Review Date: 24-Apr-2017

Original Closing Date: 31-Dec-2019

Revised Closing Date: 31-Dec-2020

Project Development Objectives

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The development objectives of the project are to: (a) improve the enabling environment for the telecommunications sector and extend coverage in selected remote pilot locations; and (b) establish priority eGovernment technological foundations and institutional capacity for Government to embark on its public sector reform program.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

No

Components

Name

Creating an enabling environment for connectivity:(Cost \$18.00 M)
Extending connectivity to rural areas:(Cost \$3.65 M)
Enabling eGovernment Foundations:(Cost \$7.79 M)
Project Implementation Support:(Cost \$2.06 M)

Overall Ratings

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO	● Moderately Satisfactory	● Moderately Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	● Moderately Satisfactory	● Moderately Satisfactory
Overall Risk Rating	● Substantial	● Substantial

Implementation Status and Key Decisions

This is an interim ISR. Next implementation support mission is planned in mid-September. Task Team will file another ISR after the mission. This ISR is based on the implementation support mission in June 2019.

Overall: the project implementation has been progressing. The key achievement made in the last six months are following:

MPT Corporatization Law was approved by the Parliament. Post privatization activities will launch shortly.

MCRC Bill. After several amendments of the draft law. Another public consultation was proposed and held by PTD/MOTC. Next steps will be discussed during the September mission.



Spectrum Monitoring Stations. Direct contracting of additional spectrum monitoring stations at four cross-border locations was completed and civil work is underway.

Rural Pilot. Bid evaluation completed. Draft contract awarding to (Ann township and Minbya township in Rakhine State was submitted to the Bank's NO.

Post launch activities of Myanmar National Portal is on-going.

Legal Advisory of Cyber Legal and Policy Framework is ongoing.

Risks

Systematic Operations Risk-rating Tool

Risk Category	Rating at Approval	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Political and Governance	--	● Substantial	● Substantial
Macroeconomic	--	● Moderate	● Moderate
Sector Strategies and Policies	--	● Moderate	● Moderate



Technical Design of Project or Program	--	● Moderate	● Moderate
Institutional Capacity for Implementation and Sustainability	--	● Substantial	● Substantial
Fiduciary	--	● Substantial	● Substantial
Environment and Social	--	● Substantial	● Substantial
Stakeholders	--	● Moderate	● Moderate
Other	--	● Substantial	● Substantial
Overall	--	● Substantial	● Substantial

Results

PDO Indicators by Objectives / Outcomes

improve enabling environment for the telem sector and extend coverage in selected remote locations				
▶ Direct project beneficiaries (Text, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	12 million	12 million	10 million
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
▲ Female beneficiaries (Percentage, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	20.00	20.00	50.00
▶ Myanmar Communications Regulatory Commission Established as an Independent Institution (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
▶ Access to Telephone Services (fixed mainlines plus cellular phones per 100 people) (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	10.00	108.00	108.00	70.00
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
▶ Percentage of Spectrum Assignments Made within 30 days of Application (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	10.00	50.00	50.00	70.00



Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
►Access to Internet Services (number of subscribers per 100 people) (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	2.00	91.00	91.00	25.00
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020

establish priority eGovernment technological foundations and institutional capacity for the Govt				
►Myanmar National Portal Operational (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	02-Dec-2013	01-May-2017	01-May-2017	31-Dec-2018

Overall Comments

Results indicators will be updated after the next upcoming mission in September.

Intermediate Results Indicators by Components

Creating an enabling environment for connectivity				
►Number of Licensed Telecommunications Operators (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	1.00	140.00	140.00	10.00
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
►Spectrum Management and Monitoring System Established (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
►Myanmar Post and Telecommunications Corporatized (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes



Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020
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Extending connectivity to rural areas

► Universal Service Strategy Adopted (Yes/No, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020

► Number of Rural Telecom Pilots Implemented (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	4.00
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020

Enabling eGovernment Foundations

► Number of Applications Available on the National Portal (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	15.00
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020

► Number of eGovernment Visioning and Capacity Building Training Conducted with (1) Senior Government Officials, and (2) line level project executives (Text, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	total 6, (1) 3 and (2) 3
Date	02-Dec-2013	06-Feb-2018	06-Feb-2018	31-Dec-2020

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Data on Financial Performance

Disbursements (by loan)

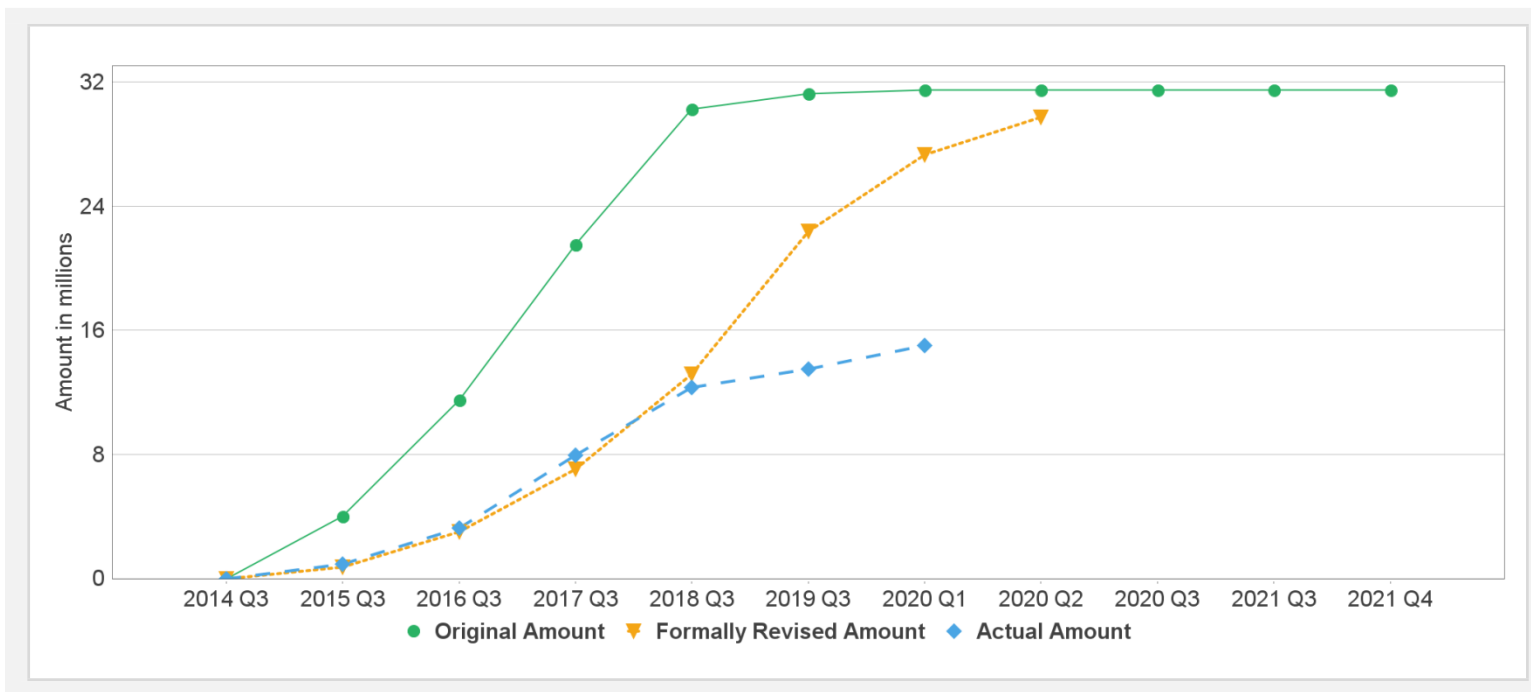


Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	% Disbursed
P145534	IDA-53530	Effective	USD	31.50	31.50	0.00	15.01	13.51	53%

Key Dates (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Orig. Closing Date	Rev. Closing Date
P145534	IDA-53530	Effective	06-Feb-2014	04-Apr-2014	27-May-2014	31-Dec-2019	31-Dec-2020

Cumulative Disbursements



Restructuring History

Level 2 Approved on 17-Jun-2018

Related Project(s)

There are no related projects.