Development Results

The WBG continues to make major strides in how it monitors and reports results. The results below were selected from Chapter 1 on Trust Fund Achievements to highlight the diversity and impact of the WBG trust fund portfolio. The results represented below have been achieved during the FY13–FY17 timeframe.18

### CLIMATE CHANGE

- **20 countries** vulnerable to climate-related hazards provided with much-needed technical assistance to integrate climate resilience measures in their development policies and strategies.
- **70 cities** globally used diagnostic tool to conduct energy efficiency assessments that informed energy-related investments.
- **180,000 tons** of carbon dioxide equivalent captured, generating additional income for 30,000 smallholder farmers.
- **8 million people** facing chronic food insecurity received cash and food transfers in 300 districts in Ethiopia.
- **750 megawatt** solar park in India, one of the biggest solar sites in the world, brought to the market.

### FRAGILITY, CONFLICT, AND VIOLENCE

- **2 million beneficiaries**, including 250,000 Syrian refugees, served through upgraded basic infrastructure such as roads, sidewalks, and water drainage systems in Jordan.
- **400,000 beneficiaries** reached in Ebola-affected Guinea, Liberia, and Sierra Leone, through back-to-school programs, social protection jobs programs, psychosocial support, and health system improvements.
- **2 million people** provided with access to improved water sources in the West Bank and Gaza.
- **2 billion IDA sub-window** for refugees and host communities established with inputs from this trust fund.
- **15.9 million beneficiaries**, nearly 50 percent of whom are women, participated in local democratically elected institutions through the National Solidarity Program to determine their own development priorities.

### GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

- **23 million textbooks** delivered, over 205,000 teachers trained, and 3,000 classrooms built.
- **363,000 farmers**, including 75,000 women, adopted agriculture productivity-enhancing technologies in Ethiopia.
- **$1.3 billion** leveraged in IBRD/IDA financing for 10 countries to improve reproductive, maternal, newborn child, and adolescent health and nutrition in FY17.
- **55 impact evaluations** on gender supported, that are informing the design and implementation of IBRD/IDA projects worth $73 million since FY15.
- **$15 million IDA project** is addressing gender-based violence in Honduras, incorporating lessons from Uganda.

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18 To the extent possible, the results featured in this report were achieved in the FY13–FY17 time frame. In a few cases, the results are reported cumulatively since inception of the trust fund and may extend beyond this five-year time frame.

19 K represents thousand.

20 M represents million.

21 B represents billion.

22 This trust fund is a FIF with the World Bank working as an IA.
GOVERNANCE AND INSTITUTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

$290 million in savings raised through the new automatic enrollment pension scheme in Turkey, benefiting 3 million people
Financial Sector Reform and Strengthening Initiative

23% INCREASE
23 percent increase in water user fee collection rates in Benin through social accountability mechanisms to ensure regular water supply and maintenance
Global Partnership for Social Accountability

13% GROSS DOMESTIC PRODUCT
13 percent of gross domestic product (GDP) in tax revenue reached in Pakistan through tax reform initiatives, increasing from 11 percent of GDP
Trust Fund for Accelerating Growth and Reforms

$1.8 billion for 23 World Bank projects for ECA countries through grants for project preparation and operational training
Europe and Central Asia Region Capacity Development

137 GRANTS
137 grants awarded to enable knowledge exchange among WBG client countries to strengthen public institutions
South-South Experience Exchange Facility

JOBS AND ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION

1M BENEFICIARIES
One million beneficiaries, 60 percent of whom are women, directly benefitted from livelihood opportunities
Japan Social Development Fund

9 FREE TRADE ZONES
9 free trade zones approved and $203 million in investments generated for the apparel industry in Haiti
Facility for Investment Climate Advisory Services

$560M PROJECTS
$560 million IBRD projects for Lebanon and Tunisia designed using knowledge and analytics to generate innovative approaches to job creation in fragile contexts
Jobs Umbrella

$159M IN SAVINGS
$159 million in savings generated through innovative food safety laws in Ukraine
SECO Financial Support for Advisory Services in Europe and Central Asia

$300M PROJECT
$300 million IDA project on youth employment and social support built on the national registry of poor and vulnerable households in 10 states in Nigeria
Rapid Social Response

INNOVATIONS THROUGH INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY

140 COUNTRIES
140 countries covered through the Global Findex database with information on how ICT helps unbanked adults access financial services
Global Financial Inclusion Indicators

REAL-TIME DATA THROUGH MOBILE PHONES
Real-time data collected directly from the poor used mobile technology to complement traditional surveys in South Sudan, leading to timely policy action, more effective programs, and empowerment of the poor
High Frequency South Sudan Survey

DIGITAL IDENTIFICATION FOR ACCESS
Digital identification technology used to help the poor to access basic services and ensure their financial inclusion, mobility, and identity as one in seven individuals globally are unable to prove their identity
Identification for Development

SATELLITE IMAGERY FOR DAMAGE AND NEEDS ASSESSMENTS
Satellite imagery analysis used in fragile conflict-affected contexts like Iraq to carry out remote damage and needs assessments due to security challenges
State and Peacebuilding Fund

CENTRALIZED INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SYSTEM INCREASES REVENUES
Centralized Information Technology system helped increase government revenues for copper exports, which account for 77 percent of Zambia’s total exports
Zambia Public Financial Management Reform Program