

Kenya Statistics Program for Results (P149718)

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Program Development Objectives

Program Development Objective (from Program Appraisal Document) To support the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics to generate better and more accessible data to inform policy-makers and contribute to strengthening its capacity.

Overall Ratings

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO	 Satisfactory 	 Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	 Satisfactory 	 Satisfactory

Implementation Status and Key Decisions

The Kenyan Statistics Program-for-Results supports the Kenya National Bureau of Statistics to generate better and more accessible data to inform policy-makers and contribute to strengthening its capacity. The Program, funded with SDR 35.6 million (approximately US\$ 50 million) by the World Bank, was approved September 10, 2015 and became effective February 10, 2016. Since the last implementation status review in December 2017, the Program disbursed approximately US\$ 4.5 million against the Disbursement-Linked-Results 1.2 (Census of Establishments was conducted and the report is produced), 4.2 (Data Quality Assessment Framework has been compiled and published for two macro-economic datasets) and 6.2 (Micro and Small Enterprise survey micro-data has been made available on-line). The Program's progress is satisfactory with a current disbursement rate of 45 percent.

Data on Financial Performance

Disbursements (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	%	Disbursed
P149718	IDA-57170	Effective	USD	50.00	50.00	0.00	22.59	27.66		45%
Key Dates	s (by loan)									
Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Da	ite Signi	ing Date	Effectiveness	Date Orig.	Closing Date	Rev. Closir	ng Date
P149718	IDA-57170	Effective	10-Sep-2015	02-0	ct-2015	10-Feb-2016	31-D	ec-2020	31-Dec-202	20

Program Action Plan



Action Description	Before Appraisal, the KNBS will apoint a Program Coordinator in the Office of the Director General to help facilitate, manage and monitor the implementation of the Program							
Responsibility	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	No 30-Apr-2015 Completed							
Comments								

Action Description	·	A focal point will be appointed in the National Treasury to help ensure adequate Program budget provisions, to serve as a liaison person for stakeholders, and to help address cross-cutting issues related to Program implementation						
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status						
Client	No		31-Mar-2016		Completed			
Comments								

Action Description	•	To strengthen M&E practices, the KNBS will design and utilize a standardized templates that will be used across Directorates for Program monitoring purposes on the results framework, the DLIs and the PAPs								
Responsibility	Recurrent	ecurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status								
Client	Yes	s Yearly Completed								
Comments										

Action Description		To provide coordination oversight for the Program the GoK shall establish, within 3 months after the effectiveness date, a Program Steering Committee (PSC) comprising PS Planning, PS National Treasury and DG KNBS that will meet semi-annually							
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	No		10-May-2016		Completed				
Comments									

Action Description	Provide adequate storage space with restricted access to procurement records to ensure records are maintained in a safe and secure environment						
Responsibility	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status						
Client	No		01-Jun-2016		In Progress		
Comments	The KNBS will move to a new building in late 2018 in which adequate storage space is already designated for restricted access to procurement records.						



Action Description	-	All E-waste will be disposed via an approved recycling facility. Awareness and sensitization training for all managerial and director level KNBS staff on E-waste management practices will be conducted.							
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	No	No 01-Jun-2016 In Progress							
Comments	All eWaste was disposed and the sensitization training was held. Pending is only the certificate for the eWaste.								

Action Description		Within 6 months following the procurement audit by PPOA (to take place during the operation's lifespan), KNBS will prepare an action plan documenting compliance with PPOA review findings							
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	No	0 30-Jun-2020 Not Yet Due							
Comments									

Action Description	Procurement planning integrated and aligned to the budgeting process								
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	Yes	Yearly In Progress							
Comments									

Action Description		Prepare Contracts Management Plan/Manual (CMP) outlining clear responsibilities, procedures and guidelines for contracts management; and integrate contract management and monitoring with FMIS							
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	No	0 01-Jun-2016 In Progress							
Comments									

Action Description	Planning and Budgeting: Align the KNBS annual budgeting process to the MTEF to ensure adequate funds for the program								
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status							
Client	Yes	Yearly In Progress							
Comments									

Action Description	Treasury Management and Funds Flow: Improve adequacy and timeliness of exchequer releases				
Responsibility	Recurrent	Frequency	Due Date	DLI#	Status



Client	Yes	SemiAnnual		In Progress
Comments				

Action Description		The KNBS will establish a technical working group which will meet quarterly with development partner to facilitate effective coordination of TA activities			
Responsibility	Recurrent	Frequency	Due Date	DLI#	Status
Client	Yes	Quarterly			In Progress
Comments					

Action Description	For the purposes of the Program, the KNBS will enhance its OAG engagement letter to include an Information Systems audit					
Responsibility	Recurrent	Recurrent Frequency Due Date DLI# Status				
Client	No		29-Apr-2016		In Progress	
Comments						

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

Results



PDO Indicators by Objectives / Outcomes

Inform development	t strategies, policies and poverty re	eduction programs of the	Government of Kenya (T	ext, Custom)
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	Outdated poverty statistics and household survey data (2005/06) being used to infrom poverty reduction targeting and resource allocations		KIHBS 2015/16 data used to update proxy- means cash transfer targeting formulas used by the National Safety Net Program-for- Results	All three intermediate targets achieved
Date	30-Jun-2014		10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
enerate better data				
►Produce regular pov	verty monitoring data and statistics	(Text, Custom)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	Poverty statistics are outdated (2005/06) and there is insufficient capacity to monitor poverty at least once every 3 years	Progress is slightly (2 months) off-track. The Kenya Integrated Household Budget Survey KIHBS 2015/16 was conducted and reports on poverty and labor statistics have been produced but these are currently still undergoing peer review before being made publically available on-line in Q1 of FY18 (instead of by June 2017 as planned).	Updated benchmark (2015/16) poverty measures produced and disseminated; the Continuous Household Survey is under preparation.	All five intermediate targets achieved
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
►Produce better real	and external sector economic data	a (Text, Custom)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	Insufficient capacity to meet SDDS criteria in all real and external sector data categories	Progress is slightly (2 months) off-track. The first intermediate target (Foreign Investment Survey (FIS) conducted and report produced and available on-line) was been achieved, but the updating of the business register is 2 months	Business register upgraded and updated. New CPI weights were derived, but 12-months data collection of prices is expected to finish in summer 2019.	All five intermediate targets achieved



		behind schedule (due to a delay in the collection and processing of the establishment census). This will be achieved and back on track in Q1 of FY18.		
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
Generate more acc	essible data			
►Improve access t	to official survey microdata (Text, C	Custom)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	Microdata files not available on-line and not freely obtainable	Progress is on track and	Kenya Integrated Household Budget Survey (KIHBS 2015/16) microdata available on-line.	All five intermediate targets achieved
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
trengthen the cap	pacity of the KNBS			
► Improve Overall \$	Statistical Capacity Score (Percent	age, Custom)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	54.00		57.80	69.00
Date	19-Aug-2015		10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				

Intermediate Results Indicators by Results Areas

Data gaps filled and capa	city strengthened through th	e implementation of int	egrated survey progra	ms
►Implement an integrated	d program of economic surveys	s to fill National Accounts	source data gaps (Text,	Custom)
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	National Accounts source data incomplete and partly outdated	The first intermediate target was achieved (Micro and small enterprises (MSE) survey conducted, report produced and available on-line) and the second intermediate target will be achieved (with a 2	Establishment Census conducted, report produced and available on-line.	All four intermediate targets achieved



		month delay) in Q1 of FY18.		
Date	30-Jun-2015	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	28-Jun-2019
Comments				
►Improve Overall Statistical	Capacity Score (SCI) (Per	centage, Custom)		
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	54.00	56.00	57.80	69.00
Date	30-Jun-2015	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
Quality of key official statisti	cal products and process	as improved		
►Compile the IMF data Qual	ity Assessment Framewor	k (DQAF) for five macro-e	conomic datasets (Text,	Custom)
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	DQAF not compiled for any of the seven macro- economic datasets	Compilation of the first DQAF completed and compilation of the second DQAF was peer reviewed and is currently being finalized for publication.	DQAF compiled and published for 3 macro- economic datasets.	DQAF compiled and published for 5 macro- economic datasets
Date	30-Jun-2015	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
► Proportion of Special Data	Dissemination Standard (SDDS) requirements met c	or partially met (Percenta	age, Custom)
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	72.00	72.00	72.00	100.00
Date	30-Jun-2015	06-Jun-2016	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
Dissemination practices stre	ngthened and access to o	data improved		
► Develop an Advance Relea	se Calendar (ARC) and se	cale-up data coverage (Te	xt, Custom)	
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	ARC not used	Progress is on track and the intermediate target set for June 2017 was achieved.	Publish an ARC covering 6 data categories of the Special Data Dissemination Standard (SDDS).	Develop and publish an ARC covering 10 data categories of the Special Data Dissemination Standard (SDDS)



31-Dec-2015

Date	30-Jun-2015	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	30-Jun-2020
Comments				
Management systems stren	gthened			
Wanagement systems stren	gineneu			
►Implement the Corruption (Text, Custom)	Risk Assessment (CRA) a	ction plan and strengthen f	inancial and record mar	nagement systems
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	CRA conducted and endorsed action plan prepared by KNBS and fully implemented	The first target was partially achieved: The CRA was conducted and the recently released EACC report on the status of implementation for compliance indicates that about 25 percent of the actions have been fully achieved, 40 percent are partially achieved, and 35 percent are not yet achieved. The second target was fully achieved: an FMIS with multi-dimensional	Design and operationalize a FMIS with multi-dimensional chart of accounts and capability to generate key reports. Establishing an ISO 15489 certified Record Management (RM) system depends on KNBS moving into new building, scheduled for late 2018.	Both of the 2 intermediate targets achieved

chart of accounts and capability to generate key reports was designed and operationalized.

10-Aug-2018

Disbursement Linked Indicators

►DLI DLI 1: Implement an integrated program of economic surveys to fill National Accounts source data gaps (Intermediate Outcome, 14.00, 50%)

28-Jun-2017

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020
Value	National Accounts source data incomplete and partl	DLR 1.1 was achieved, verified and disbursed again	DLRs 1.1 and 1.2 achieved.	
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	

Comments

Date

Comments

►DLI DLI 2: Implement an integrated program of household surveys to fill key poverty, labor and socio-economic data gaps (Outcome, 16.00, 53%)

Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020

30-Jun-2017



Value	Labor force, poverty and other key socio-economic	DLRs 2.0 and 2.1 were achieved, verified and disbu	DLRs 2.0 and 2.1 achieved. DLR 2.2 under verification.	
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	
Comments				

►DLI DLI 3: Produc	ce better real and external sector e	economic data (Outcome,	7.00, 36%)	
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020
Value	Insufficient capacity to meet SDDS criteria in all	DLR 3.0 and DLR 3.1 were achieved, verified and di	DLRs 3.0 and 3.1 achieved. DLR 3.2 under verification.	
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	
Comments				

►DLI DLI 4: Compile the IMF Data Quality Assessment Framework (DQAF) for five macro-economic datasets (Intermediate Outcome, 3.00, 33%)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020
Value	DQAF not compiled for any of the seven macro-econo	DLR 4.1 was achieved, verified and disbursed again	DLRs 4.1 and 4.2 achieved	DQAF compiled and published for 5 macro-economic datasets
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	
Comments				

►DLI DLI 5: Develop an Advance Release Calendar (ARC) and scale-up data coverage (Intermediate Outcome, 4.50, 44%)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020
Value	ARC not used and Economic Surveys not digitized an	DLR 5.0, DLR 5.1 and DLR 5.2 were achieved, verifi	DLRs 5.0, 5.1 and 5.2 achieved	Publish an ARC covering 10 data categories of the Special Data Dissemination Standard (SDDS)
Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	
Comments				

►DLI DLI 6: Improve access to official survey microdata (Outcome, 3.50, 57%)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020
Value	Microdata files not available on-line and not free	DLR 6.0 and DLR 6.1 were achieved, verified and di	DLRs 6.1 and 6.2 achieved. DLR 6.3 under verification.	KCHS 2018 microdata available on-line



Date	30-Jun-2014	28-Jun-2017	10-Aug-2018	
Comments				
	lement the Corruption Risk Asses ediate Outcome, 2.00, 0%)	ssment (CRA) action plan and	d strengthen financial a	nd records managemen
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	Year 5: 2020
Value	No CRA conducted.	DLR 7.0 was verified to be partially (25 percent)	DLR 7.1 under verification.	
	20 Dec 2015	28-Jun-2017	28-Jun-2017	
Date	30-Dec-2015	20 0411 2011		