## Implementation Status & Results

**Mongolia**

**MONSTAT: Strengthening the National Statistical System of Mongolia (P113160)**

### Key Dates

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### Project Development Objectives

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Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The main objective of the project is to improve efficiency and effectiveness of the national statistical system of Mongolia to enable it to provide relevant, timely and reliable data for evidence-based policy making in support of Government’s MDG-based National Development Strategy (NDS).

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

- **Yes**
- **No**

### Component(s)

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<th>Component Cost</th>
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<td>Improving policy, regulatory, and institutional framework and the organizational</td>
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<td>structure of the statistical system</td>
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<td>Strengthening the statistical infrastructure</td>
<td>0.80</td>
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<td>Upgrading statistical operations (improving individual subject matter programs</td>
<td>0.62</td>
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<td>and methodologies as well as the existing data output</td>
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<td>IT Infrastructure and Equipment</td>
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### Overall Ratings

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<th>Previous Rating</th>
<th>Current Rating</th>
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<td>Progress towards achievement of PDO</td>
<td>Satisfactory</td>
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<td>Overall Implementation Progress (IP)</td>
<td>Satisfactory</td>
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<td>Overall Risk Rating</td>
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### Implementation Status Overview
Overall project implementation is satisfactory. The major outcomes of the project in the four major components include:

- Establishment and training of permanent enumerators/researchers team to support more effective implementation of the SES and LFSs;
- Drafting National Strategies for Development of Statistics (NSDS) 2011 – 2015 and approval of it by the parliament in December, 2011 The NSDS defined goals, policies on and actions for the development of the national statistical system of Mongolia, its management, coordination and financing, and expected outcomes;
- Following the approval of the NSDS, the MNSO prepared the 1st draft of the Action Plan to implement the NSDS 2011 – 2015 submitted it for consideration and approval of the MNSO Council.
- Amendments to the Law on Statistics were passed by parliament in December, 2011 to conduct the agricultural census every 10 years and the inter-censal survey every 5 years; and to conduct the household social and economic survey on a quarterly basis while merging two major surveys: LSMS and HIES.
- Organization of various level capacity building trainings, workshops, seminars and foreign study visits both for the regional local staff and officials of the MNSO.
- Upgraded printing workshop with a purchase of a new printing machine through Turkish International Cooperation Agency.
- Through technical assistance help of the MONSTAT project, annual GDP at constant price by expenditure approach was estimated since 2005 and disseminated. In addition, the first time ever seasonally adjusted quarterly GDP at current and constant prices by production approach was estimated and disseminated.
- IT Plan for the MNSO was prepared at the technical assistance under the Twinning Arrangement of the project.

Two complimenting Trust Funds: SCB TF (93575) and Korea TF (94696) have been fully disbursed and completed their implementation.

### Locations

No Location data has been entered

### Results

#### Project Development Objective Indicators

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<th>Unit of Measure</th>
<th>Baseline</th>
<th>Current</th>
<th>End Target</th>
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<td>User satisfaction</td>
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<td>14-Mar-2012</td>
<td>31-Dec-2014</td>
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<td>Comments</td>
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<td>User satisfaction survey has been conducted on October 1-15, 2010. The report was discussed in the Council of Chairman of NSO. It is posted on the website and translated into English. Based on the user satisfaction survey, conducted in 2010, 35.6% are completely satisfied or satisfied. Next survey will be done in June, 2012</td>
<td>Rate of user satisfaction increased at least 60% by the end of project.</td>
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<td>Access to data</td>
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### Data coverage, accuracy and reliability

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<td>14-Mar-2012</td>
<td>NSO is working to improve GDT website contents, functionality and user friendliness. Translation of the materials to be posted on the Website is an ongoing process. NSO has developed EzStat application for apple store and approved opening of data of Population and Housing Census and Establishment census to 200 users/policy makers. Through MONSTAT, data entry and creation of database of Population and Housing Census 2010 was completed. Additionally, geographical mapping system has been developed and data are available with some classifications. The 2010 Census data and related information is disseminated through <a href="http://www.toollogo2010.mn">www.toollogo2010.mn</a> website and UNSTAT website.</td>
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<td>31-Dec-2014</td>
<td>Internationally accepted statistical techniques in collection, compilation, and authenticity verification are applied and regular validations are carried out for data sources and statistical products. Twinning contract has been signed and work on this area has already started. Team of the Department of Data</td>
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Processing and Technology drafted the 1st stage of draft implementation plan for 2012 and identified priority issues for implementation (consultancy on data standardization and metadata management system; study visits on MDMS and training on Java programming and Oracle DBMS).

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<td>Statistic: Statistical Infrastructure</td>
<td>NSO managers and officials participated in various international conferences and study tours. NSO set up team of permanent enumerators to work on the SES and LFS and trained.</td>
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<td>Registers are compiled and being maintained. Internationally accepted classifications, standards and methodologies are adapted and used in data production. Standard questionnaire for surveys developed and applied.</td>
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<td>Comments: MNSO has developed EzStat application for apple store and approved opening of data of Population and Housing Census and Establishment census. With the aim of improving quality of business registers, register has been carried out for 4000 establishments and the change was reflected in the database. As a result of the census, the business register was improved. Result of the census was submitted to the Government and approved. The business register database was linked to the geographic mapping system. The National Standard Classifications based on common classifications followed in the frames of SNA was 31-Dec-2014</td>
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Physical infrastructure

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<td>Capacity for physical operations is adequate and well maintained. At least 75% of staff at each unit at NSO headquarters have workstations with direct access to databases for analysis and tabulation, and 60% of field staff have workstations.</td>
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Data on Financial Performance (as of 16-Feb-2012)

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Disbursement Graph
Key Decisions Regarding Implementation

Restructuring History
There has been no restructuring to date.

Related Projects
P122953-MONSTAT: Strengthening the National Statistical System of Mongolia