

## SDG Goal 17

## Partnerships for the goals

### SDG Target 17.9

Enhance international support for implementing effective and targeted capacity-building in developing countries to support national plans to implement all the Sustainable Development Goals, including through North-South, South-South and triangular cooperation

### SDG Indicator 17.9.1

Dollar value of official development assistance committed to developing countries

### Time series

ODA and OOF (commitments) for capacity building and national planning (without South-South cooperations)

#### 1. General information on the time series

- Date of national metadata: February 20, 2026
- National data: <https://sdg-indicators.de/17-9-1>
- Definition: The time series shows Germany's official development assistance (ODA) and other official flows (OOF) for capacity building and national planning. It is measured in commitments of the resources to the partner country (versus disbursements of resources). ODA is defined as aid provided by official agencies that promotes and specifically targets the economic development and welfare of developing countries. For ODA flows, data on the sector of destination are recorded using 5-digit codes so called purpose codes. Codes ending on the sequential number 10 refer to policy, planning and programs and the codes 16020 and 16030 to employment and housing policy and their administrative management. The following codes are hence included in the time series: 11110, 12110, 13010, 14010, 15110, 15210, 16020, 16030, 21010, 22010, 23110, 24010, 31110, 31210, 31310, 32110, 32210, 32310, 33110, 33210, 41010.  
OOF are defined as transactions by the official sector, which do not meet the conditions for eligibility as ODA, either because they are not primarily aimed at development, or because they are not sufficiently concessional. Data on South-South cooperation is - in line with the UN metadata - not included.
- Disaggregation: Not available.

#### 2. Comparability with the UN metadata

- Date of UN metadata: December 2025
- UN metadata: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-17-09-01.pdf>
- The time series is not compliant with the UN metadata, but provides additional information. It shows Germany's official development assistance (ODA) and other official flows (OOF) for capacity building and national planning (without South-South cooperations), while the UN metadata provides gross official development assistance received from the perspective of developing countries. The indicator refers to developing countries, which do not include Germany.  
Furthermore, it does not exclude triangular cooperation. It is important to note that the UN metadata do not include neither South-South nor triangular cooperation as

outlined in the indicator. The UN metadata furthermore do not specify the necessary purpose codes.

### 3. Data description

- ODA is the resource flows to countries and territories on the OECD Development Assistance Committee (DAC) List of ODA Recipients and to multilateral development institutions that are:
  - i) Provided by official agencies, including state and local governments, or by their executive agencies; and
  - ii) Concessional (i.e. grants and soft loans) and administered with the promotion of the economic development and welfare of developing countries as the main objective.

The DAC list of countries eligible to receive ODA is updated every three years and is based on per capita income.

### 4. Access to data source

- OECD – Development Finance Data:  
<https://www.oecd.org/dac/financing-sustainable-development/development-finance-data/>

### 5. Metadata on source data

- General information on ODA as well as recent and future changes in methodology:  
<http://www.oecd.org/dac/financing-sustainable-development/development-finance-standards/What-is-ODA.pdf>
- List of the OECD DAC purpose codes and channel codes:  
<https://www.oecd.org/dac/financing-sustainable-development/development-finance-standards/dacandcrscodelists.htm>
- List of ODA recipient countries:  
<http://oe.cd/dac-list>

### 6. Timeliness and frequency

- Timeliness: t + 11 months
- Frequency: Annual

### 7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: Million EUR, Million USD, constant prices (2023)
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