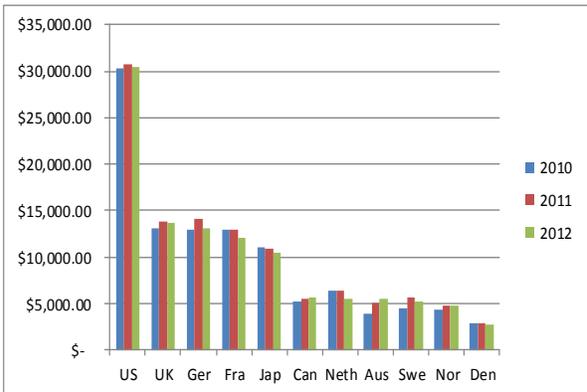




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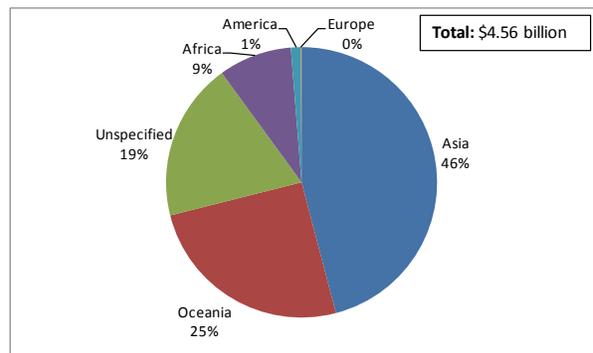
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## Total ODA Disbursements 2009-2011 (USD millions):



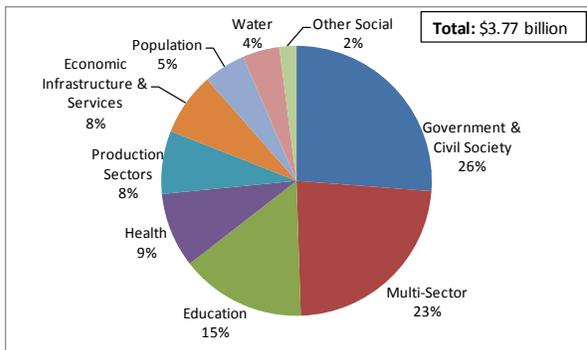
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## Australia ODA Disbursements by Region 2012 (USD Millions)



Source: OECD/DAC

## Australia ODA Commitments by Sector 2012 (USD Millions)



Source: OECD/DAC

## ORGANIZATIONAL OVERVIEW & LEADERSHIP

- The former Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) was integrated into the Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade (DFAT) in November 2013 to make diplomacy and aid delivery more closely aligned.
- Julie Bishop has been the Foreign Minister since September 2013 and Peter Varghese is the Secretary of DFAT.
- Ewen McDonald is the DFAT Deputy Secretary who covers the majority of the development portfolio, but Deputy Secretaries Gary Dunn and James Bartley also cover development. Development has also been integrated into the divisions that focus on geographic areas. McDonald was previously the Deputy Director-General of AusAID.

## POLITICAL CONTEXT AND FUNDING TRENDS

- Funding for ODA will grow each year at the rate of inflation, so the target to reach 0.5 per cent of GNI will now be delayed indefinitely.
- Australia holds the Presidency of the G20 in 2014.
- On September 7, 2013, Tony Abbott from the Coalition government was elected the new Prime Minister.

## DEVELOPMENT PRIORITIES

- The proposed aid budget released in January 2014 indicates continuing support for the Asia Pacific region, but cuts aid for Africa, the Middle East, and environmental and climate change programs.
- The new aid paradigm for Australia's foreign assistance program is to raise the living standards of vulnerable populations through economic growth, poverty reduction, improving health and education, empowering women, innovation, increasing private sector engagement, and promoting regional security.

## OTHER RELEVANT INFORMATION

- In April 2013, Australia and China signed a Development Cooperation Memorandum of Understanding to work together in the Asia-Pacific Region in areas including regional health issues, such as malaria and HIV/AIDS, and on water resource management.
- Sheri-Nouane Duncan-Jones, as USAID Foreign Service Officer, is doing a six month staff exchange at DFAT on their health team.

## ATTACHMENTS

- ◆ Tab 1: OECD AID AT A GLANCE
- ◆ Tab 2: ORGANIZATIONAL CHART

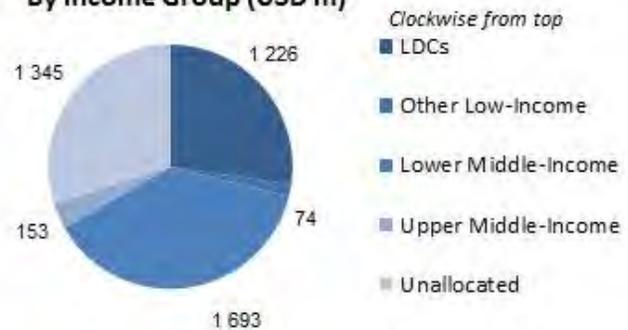
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Gross Bilateral ODA, 2011-12 average, unless otherwise shown

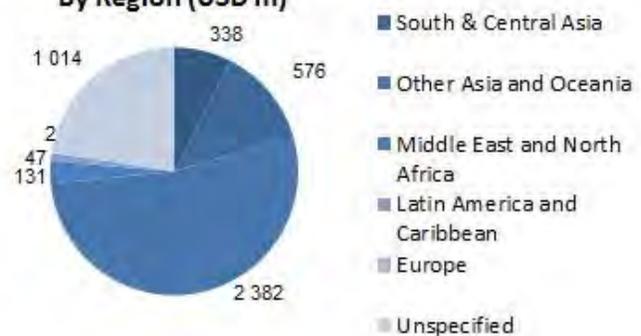
Net ODA	2011	2012	Change 2011/12
Current (USD m)	4 983	5 403	8.4%
Constant (2011 USD m)	4 983	5 399	8.4%
In Australian Dollars (million)	4 829	5 219	8.1%
ODA/GNI	0.34%	0.36%	
Bilateral share	86%	84%	

Top Ten Recipients of Gross ODA (USD million)	
1 Indonesia	527
2 Papua New Guinea	505
3 Solomon Islands	239
4 Afghanistan	193
5 Philippines	144
6 Vietnam	141
7 Timor-Leste	106
8 Bangladesh	100
9 Cambodia	86
10 Pakistan	81
Memo: Share of gross bilateral ODA	
Top 5 recipients	36%
Top 10 recipients	47%
Top 20 recipients	58%

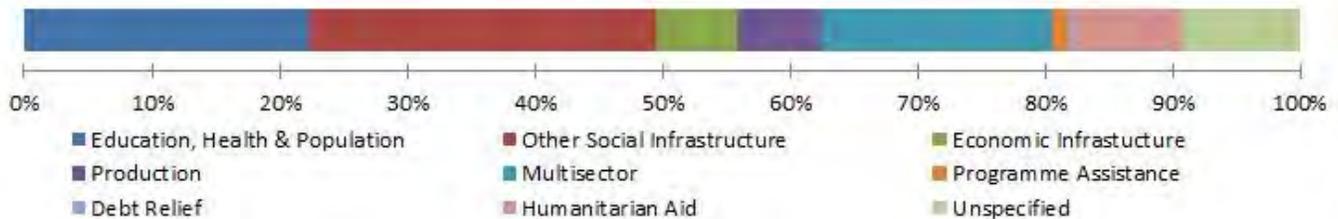
## By Income Group (USD m)



## By Region (USD m)

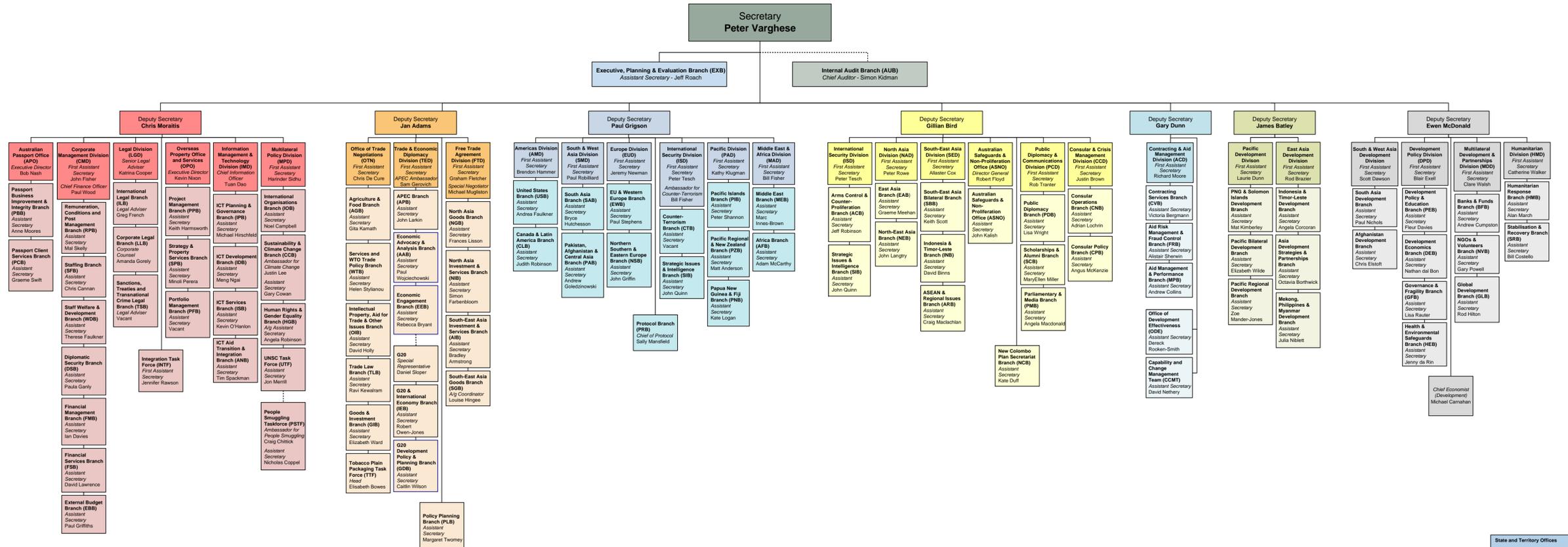


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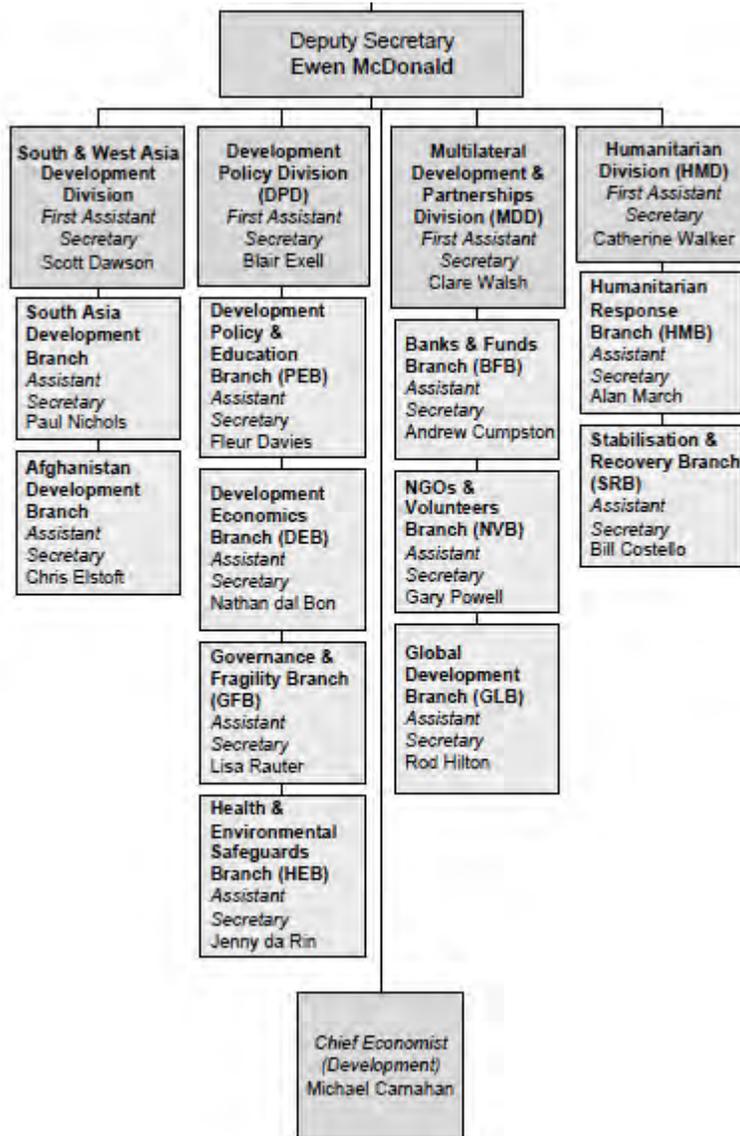
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Interim Organisational Structure  
February 2014



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Hobart	Ashia Planchon
Melbourne	John Richardson
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**Contracting & Aid  
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