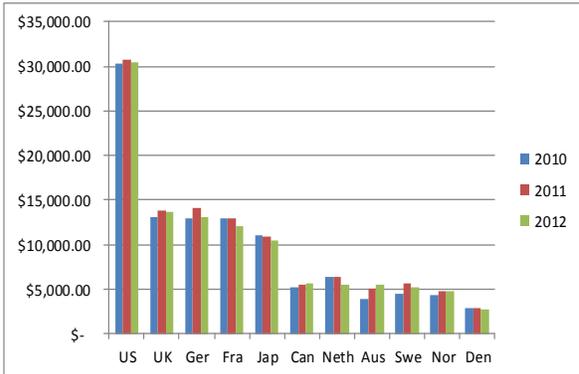




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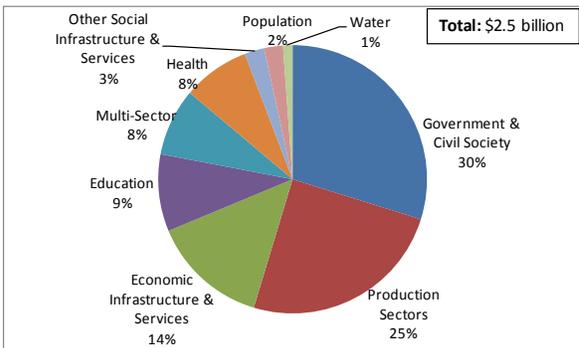
DONOR SNAPSHOT: NORWAY

Total ODA Disbursements 2010-2012 (USD millions):



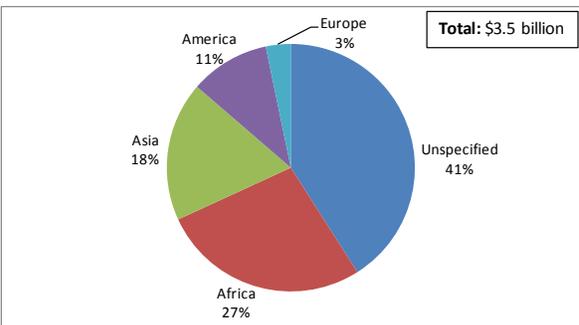
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Norway ODA Commitments by Sector 2012 (USD Millions)



Source: OECD/DAC

Norway ODA Disbursements by Region 2012 (USD Millions)



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ORGANIZATIONAL OVERVIEW & LEADERSHIP

- ◆ Norwegian Official Development Assistance (ODA) is implemented by the Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation (Norad), a directorate under the Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs (MFA).
- ◆ Minister of Foreign Affairs Børge Brende (pictured above) manages international development since the position of Minister for International Development (previously held by Heikki Holmås) was abolished. Mr. Brende was appointed in October 2013.
- ◆ In 2012, Norway provided \$4.8bn in ODA. 74% was implemented bilaterally (\$3.6bn) and 26% was implemented multilaterally (\$1.2bn).



POLITICAL CONTEXT AND FUNDING TRENDS

- ◆ Norway contributes 0.93 percent of its gross national income (GNI) to ODA, making it one of only five countries that meets the UN target of 0.7 percent.
- ◆ Under the 2013 coalition agreement, Norway will remain committed to contributing 1% of GNI to development.
- ◆ On March 19, Prime Minister Ema Solberg announced Norway's Sovereign Wealth Fund —Norway's \$850 billion pot from oil revenue—will be increasingly invested in renewable energy.

SECTORAL PRIORITIES

- ◆ Education is now Norway's first development priority, and the MFA signaled it will increase the budget from \$250m to \$300m in 2014.
- ◆ Norway has historically focused on sharing its experience in financial management of natural resources. "Oil for Development," launched in 2005, is its flagship resource management program.
- ◆ Norway's "Energy Plus" program, launched 2011, aims to increase access to energy while decreasing greenhouse gas emissions. This multilateral effort is also supported by UK, Denmark and France, as well as UN agencies, development banks, and CSOs.
- ◆ Norway has a strong partnership with USAID on maternal and child health, co-leading Saving Mothers Giving Life and supports the Saving Lives at Birth Grand Challenge.

GEOGRAPHIC PRIORITIES

- ◆ In 2012, Norway's top three aid recipients were Brazil (\$144m), Afghanistan (\$132m) and West Bank & Gaza (\$110m).
- ◆ In 2012, Sub-Saharan Africa accounted for 27 percent (\$956m) of ODA disbursement and Asia accounted for 18 percent (\$641m).
- ◆ In April 2013, Norway allocated \$122m over four years to a Tanzania energy fund. Norway's state-owned company Statoil also operates offshore there.

ATTACHMENTS

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

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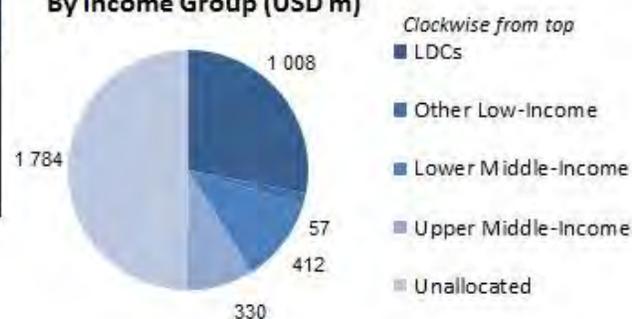
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Gross Bilateral ODA, 2011-12 average, unless otherwise shown

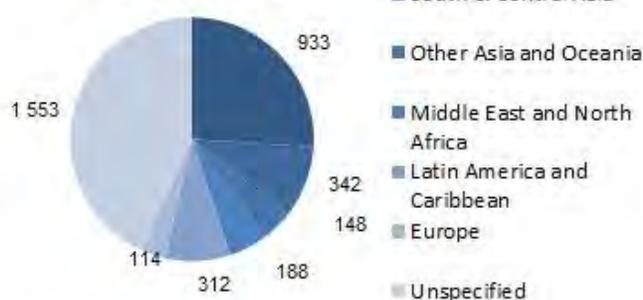
Net ODA	2011	2012	Change 2011/12
Current (USD m)	4 756	4 753	-0.1%
Constant (2011 USD m)	4 756	4 772	0.3%
In Norwegian Kroner (million)	26 653	27 638	3.7%
ODA/GNI	0.96%	0.93%	
Bilateral share	75%	74%	

Top Ten Recipients of Gross ODA (USD million)	
1 Brazil	144
2 Afghanistan	132
3 West Bank & Gaza Strip	110
4 Tanzania	105
5 Mozambique	85
6 Uganda	70
7 Malawi	68
8 South Sudan	67
9 Zambia	66
10 Somalia	60
Memo: Share of gross bilateral ODA	
Top 5 recipients	16%
Top 10 recipients	25%
Top 20 recipients	35%

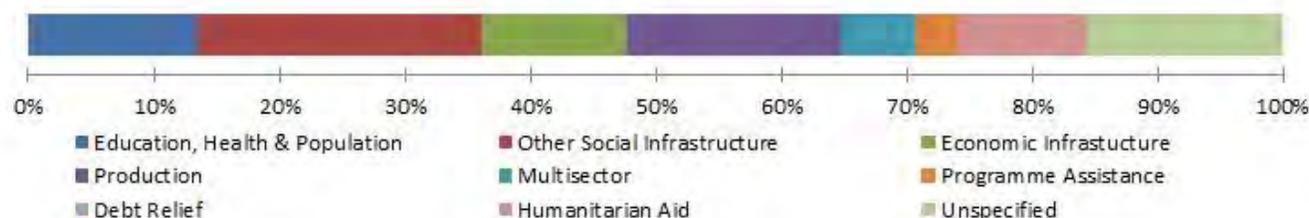
By Income Group (USD m)



By Region (USD m)



By Sector



Source: OECD - DAC ; www.oecd.org/dac/stats

