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## **Global Europe Results Framework Indicator Methodology Note**

#### 1. Indicator code and name

# GERF 3.7: Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards migration and forced displacement-related interventions

## 2. Policy context and Rationale

Migration, mobility, and forced displacement are important global realities that interrelate in various ways to development. Migration has become an ever more pressing issue for both developing and developed countries. The NDICI-Global Europe regulation has given these issues specific priority, and the EU is under strong reporting obligations. Well-managed migration and mobility can make positive contributions to inclusive growth and sustainable development by fostering economic opportunities, enhancing social cohesion, and promoting stability in both origin and destination countries.

#### 3. Calculation of values

This indicator is included at Level 3 of the Global Europe Results Framework (GERF) and aims to report the annual amount and share of EU funded external assistance directed towards migration and forced displacement-related interventions, in terms of commitments and payments (separately). Only funds from the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI) are included.

#### **Technical definitions**

Following the OECD Development Assistance Committee's (DAC) Creditor Reporting System (CRS), which uses markers to identify activities addressing specific cross-cutting issues, the European Commission has created its own internal markers for activities that focus on issues not covered by the OECD markers.

The migration internal marker assesses whether, and to what extent, digitalisation is mainstreamed into development cooperation and international partnerships policies and actions.

There are 3 possible scores:

- Score 2 Migration, mobility and/or forced displacement is the principal objective of the intervention and is fundamental in its design and expected results. The intervention would not have been undertaken without the migration, mobility and/or forced displacement objective.
- Score 1 Migration, mobility and/or forced displacement is an important and deliberate objective, but not the principal reason for undertaking the intervention.
- Score 0 The intervention has been screened against the marker but has not been found to target migration, mobility or forced displacement in any significant way.

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## **Counting guidance**

Data is sourced from the European Commission's internal systems.

The amount and share are calculated for commitments and payments, separately, and excluding administrative costs not included elsewhere (OECD DAC CRS cooperation modality code G01), as follows:

#### 1. Calculation of amount:

The calculations below are limited to the commitments/payments corresponding to the Actions financed by the NDICI, with a commitment/payment date between 1<sup>st</sup> of January and 31<sup>st</sup> of December of the reporting year, for the scope defined below in terms of the European Commission migration marker.

- a. For the Actions with a score of 2, calculate the sum of the corresponding commitments/payments.
- b. For the Actions with a score of 1, calculate the sum of the corresponding commitments/payments, and weight this sum by 40%.
- c. Add the sums calculated in steps a and b to obtain the final amount.

#### 2. Calculation of share:

Divide the amount calculated in step 1 by the sum of commitments/payments corresponding to the Actions financed by the NDICI with a commitment/payment date between 1<sup>st</sup> of January and 31<sup>st</sup> of December of the reporting year.

## 4. Corporate reporting & targets

The data collected on this indicator is accessible through DG INTPA's Statistical Dashboard, on the sheet dedicated to GERF Level 3 indicators.

Please indicate any targets that might exist for this indicator.

Recital (51) of the NDICI-Global Europe Regulation provides that:

"The Instrument should enable the Union, in cooperation with Member States, to comprehensively respond to challenges, needs and opportunities related to migration and forced displacement in a way that is coherent with and complementarity to Union migration policy. To contribute to that end and without prejudice to unforeseen circumstances, indicatively 10% of the financial envelope for the Instrument should be dedicated particularly to actions supporting management and governance of migration and forced displacement within the objectives of the Instrument. In addition, that target should also include actions to address the root causes of irregular migration and forced displacement when they directly target specific challenges related to migration and forced displacement."

## 5. Other uses

### 6. Other issues

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