Country reports on UNOPS contributions for the Goals

1. UNOPS contributes to the Sustainable Development Goals in many countries. Nine\(^1\) outcome-based country reports accompany the Executive Director report on 2023 implementation of the restated UNOPS strategic plan, 2022-2025. The reports illustrate UNOPS contributions to accelerating countries’ achievement of 15 Sustainable Development Goals.

2. The country reports draw on the reporting produced for the United Nations Development System, including UN-INFO, and span various geographical and operational contexts in five regions, including where linkages across humanitarian, development and peace efforts are essential.

   a. The report [UNOPS contributions in Costa Rica](#) outlines the role of UNOPS in implementing the UN Development Assistance Framework, 2018-2022, and the UN Cooperation Framework, 2023-2027. UNOPS contributed to outcomes like expanding the capacity of the public administration at national and local levels, emphasizing results-based management with a gender and human rights focus, as well as expanding technical capacity for sustainable infrastructure development and data-driven decision-making. UNOPS contributes to Goals 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 11 and 13.

   b. The report [UNOPS contributions in Honduras](#) highlights the role of UNOPS in implementing the UN Cooperation Framework, 2022-2026, focusing on key outcomes such as promoting gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls at both local and national levels, and ensuring that all segments of the Honduran population, particularly the marginalized, can fully exercise their rights, leading to increased equality. UNOPS contributes to Goals 3, 5 and 16.

   c. The report [UNOPS contributions in Iraq](#) reflects the role of UNOPS in implementing the UN Cooperation Framework, 2020-2024. It focuses on outcomes such as equitable and sustainable access to quality social services for the most vulnerable populations. UNOPS contributes to Goals 1, 2, 3, 5 and 6.

   d. The report [UNOPS contributions in Mozambique](#) highlights the role of UNOPS in implementing the UN Cooperation Framework, 2020-2026, reducing food insecurity, alleviating poverty and improving the income of small-scale food producers. UNOPS contributes to Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, and 16.

   e. The report [UNOPS contributions in North Macedonia](#) outlines the role of UNOPS in implementing the UN Cooperation Framework, 2021-2025, focusing on three main outcomes: inclusive prosperity,

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\(^1\) In the Executive Director report on 2023 implementation of the restated UNOPS strategic plan, 2022-2025, UNOPS refers to presenting eight country reports. However, in the end, nine such reports were completed in a timely manner, all of which are included here.
universal access to quality social services, and good governance. UNOPS contributes to eleven Goals, including 1, 3, 9 and 16.

f. The report **UNOPS contributions in Pakistan** highlights UNOPS role in the implementation of the UN Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF), 2018-2022 and the UN Cooperation Framework, 2023-2027. Under the UNDAF, UNOPS contributed to outcomes like improved access to livelihoods, health services, disaster resilience, education, gender equality, and governance. Transitioning to the UN Cooperation Framework, UNOPS supported outcomes related to basic social services and climate change resilience. These efforts contribute to Goals 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 16.

g. The report **UNOPS contributions in Papua New Guinea** reflects the role of UNOPS in implementing the United Nations Development Assistance Framework, 2018-2023. UNOPS focused on quality services and social protection for marginalized and vulnerable people, contributing to Goals 3, 6, 7 and 13.

h. The report **UNOPS contributions in Sierra Leone** outlines the UNOPS role in the implementation of the UN Cooperation Framework, 2020-2023, focusing on key outcomes related to agriculture, gender equity, education and healthcare. The report emphasizes UNOPS’ alignment with Sierra Leone’s renewable energy investment plans and long-term development strategies. UNOPS supported initiatives aligning with Goals 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 7 and 16.

i. The report **UNOPS contributions in Ukraine** highlights UNOPS role in addressing urgent humanitarian needs and facilitating early recovery efforts in Ukraine amid ongoing conflict. The establishment of the Transitional Framework in September 2022 guided UN assistance in this crisis context. Aligned with the Humanitarian Response Plan for 2023, the TF focuses on saving lives, supporting government recovery efforts, and mitigating social and economic impacts. UNOPS played a vital role in advancing all three TF priorities. UNOPS' efforts contributed to emergency response and early recovery, indirectly supporting progress towards Goals 1, 3, 5, 9, 10, 11 and 16.
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