

# CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT of the Administrative Agent

## **Maritime Governance Yemen**

for the period 1 January to 31 December 2021

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#### **DEFINITIONS**

#### Allocation

Amount approved by the Steering Committee for the Joint Programme.

#### **Approved Project/Programme**

A joint programme including budget, etc., that is approved by the Steering Committee for fund allocation purposes.

#### **Contributor Commitment**

Amount(s) committed by a contributor to a Joint Programme in a signed Standard Administrative Arrangement with the UNDP Multi-Partner Trust Fund Office (MPTF Office), in its capacity as the Administrative Agent. A commitment may be paid or pending payment.

#### **Contributor Deposit**

Cash deposit received by the MPTF Office for the Fund from a contributor in accordance with a signed Standard Administrative Arrangement.

#### **Delivery Rate**

The percentage of funds that have been utilized, calculated by comparing expenditures reported by a Participating Organization against the 'net funded amount'. This does not include expense commitments by Participating Organization.

#### **Indirect Support Costs**

A general cost that is not directly related to any particular programme or activity of the Participating Organizations. UNSDG policy establishes a fixed indirect cost rate of 7% of programmable costs for inter-agency pass-through Joint Programmes.

#### **Net Funded Amount**

Amount transferred to a Participating Organization less any refunds transferred back to the MPTF Office by a Participating Organization.

#### **Participating Organization**

A UN Organization or other inter-governmental Organization that is partner in a Fund, as represented by signing a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the MPTF Office for a particular Fund.

#### Joint Programme Expenditure

The sum of expenses and/or expenditure reported by all Participating Organizations for a Fund irrespective of which basis of accounting each Participating Organization follows for donor reporting.

#### **Joint Programme Financial Closure**

A joint programme is considered financially closed when all financial obligations of an operationally completed joint programme have been settled, and no further financial charges may be incurred.

#### **Joint Programme Operational Closure**

A joint programme is considered operationally closed when all programmatic activities for which Participating Organization(s) received funding have been completed.

#### Joint Programme Start Date

Joint programme start date as per the programmatic document.

#### **Total Approved Budget**

Represents the amount of cumulative allocations approved by the Steering Committee.

#### **US Dollar Amount**

The financial data in the report is recorded in US Dollars



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#### INTRODUCTION

This Consolidated Annual Financial Report of the **Maritime Governance Yemen** is prepared by the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) Multi-Partner Trust Fund Office (MPTF Office) in fulfillment of its obligations as Administrative Agent, as per the Joint Programme Document, the Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed between the UNDP MPTF Office and the Participating Organizations, and the Standard Administrative Arrangement (SAA) signed with contributors.

The MPTF Office, as Administrative Agent, is responsible for concluding an MOU with Participating Organizations and SAAs with contributors. It receives, administers and.

manages contributions, and disburses these funds to the Participating Organizations. The Administrative Agent prepares and submits annual consolidated financial reports and financial statements, for transmission to stakeholders.

This consolidated financial report covers the period 1 January to 31 December 2021 and provides financial data in the implementation of the **Maritime Governance Yemen**. It is posted on the MPTF Office GATEWAY (https://beta.mptf.undp.org/fund/jye20).



#### **2021 FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**

This chapter presents financial data and analysis of the **Maritime Governance Yemen** using the pass-through funding modality as of 31 December **2021**. Financial information for this Fund is also available on the MPTF Office GATEWAY, at the following address:

https://beta.mptf.undp.org/fund/jye20.

#### 1. SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS

As of 31 December **2021**, **2** contributors deposited US\$ **3,541,824** and US\$ **18,677** was earned in interest.

The cumulative source of funds was US\$ 3,560,501.

Of this amount, US\$ **2,760,159** has been net funded to **2** Participating Organizations, of which US\$ **1,794,913** has been reported as expenditure. The Administrative Agent fee has been charged at the approved rate of 1% on deposits and amounts to US\$ **2,526**. Table 1 provides an overview of the overall sources, uses, and balance of the **Maritime Governance Yemen** as of 31 December 2021.

Table 1. Financial Overview, as of 31 December 2021 (in US Dollars)

		Annual 2020	Annual 2021	Cumulative
Sources of Funds				
Contributions from donors		3,289,200	252,624	3,541,824
	<b>Sub-total Contributions</b>	3,289,200	252,624	3,541,824
Fund Earned Interest and Investme	ent Income	16,630	2,047	18,677
	Total: Sources of Funds	3,305,830	254,671	3,560,501
Use of Funds				
Transfers to Participating Organiza	tions	2,760,159	0	2,760,159
	Net Funded Amount	2,760,159	0	2,760,159
Administrative Agent Fees		0	2,526	2,526
Bank Charges		33	14	47
Other Expenditures		32,892	0	32,892
	Total: Uses of Funds	2,793,084	2,540	2,795,624
Change in Fund cash balance wi	th Administrative Agent	512,746	252,131	764,877
Opening Fund balance (1 January)		-	512,746	
Closing Fund balance (31 Decem	ber)	512,746	764,877	764,877
Net Funded Amount (Includes Direct	ct Cost)	2,760,159	0	2,760,159
Participating Organizations Expend	liture (Includes Direct Cost)	461,886	1,333,026	1,794,913
Balance of Funds with Participat	ing Organizations	2,298,273	(1,333,026)	965,246



#### 2. PARTNER CONTRIBUTIONS

Table 2 provides information on cumulative contributions received from all contributors to this Joint Programme as of 31 December **2021**.

The **Maritime Governance Yemen** is currently being financed by **2** contributors, as listed in the table below

The table includes financial commitments made by the contributors through signed Standard Administrative Agreements with an anticipated deposit date as per the schedule of payments by 31 December **2021** and deposits received by the same date. It does not include commitments that were made to the Joint Programme beyond **2021**.

Table 2. Contributions, as of 31 December 2021 (in US Dollars)

Contributors	Total Commitments	Prior Years as of 31-Dec- 2020 Deposits	Current Year Jan-Dec-2021 Deposits	Total Deposits
European Union	3,289,200	3,289,200	0	3,289,200
Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office	252,624	0	252,624	252,624
Grand Total	3,541,824	3,289,200	252,624	3,541,824



#### 3. INTEREST EARNED

Interest income is earned in two ways: 1) on the balance of funds held by the Administrative Agent (Fund earned interest), and 2) on the balance of funds held by the Participating Organizations (Agency earned interest) where their Financial Regulations and Rules allow return of interest to the AA.

As of 31 December **2021**, Fund earned interest amounts to US\$ **18,677**.

Interest received from Participating Organizations amounts to US\$ nil, bringing the cumulative interest received to US\$ 18,677. Details are provided in the table below.

Table 3. Sources of Interest and Investment Income, as of 31 December 2021 (in US Dollars)

Interest Earned	Prior Years as of 31-Dec-2020	Current Year Jan-Dec-2021	Total
Administrative Agent			
Fund Earned Interest and Investment Income	16,630	2,047	18,677
Total: Fund Earned Interest	16,630	2,047	18,677
Participating Organization			
Total: Agency earned interest			
Grand Total	16,630	2,047	18,677



#### 4. TRANSFER OF FUNDS

Allocations to Participating Organizations are approved by the Steering Committee and disbursed by the Administrative Agent. As of 31 December 2021, the AA has transferred US\$ 2,760,159 to 2 Participating Organizations (see list below).

Table 4 provides additional information on the refunds received by the MPTF Office, and the net funded amount for each of the Participating Organizations.

Table 4. Transfer, Refund, and Net Funded Amount by Participating Organization (in US Dollars)

		Prior Years of 31-Dec-202	20		Current Year Jan-Dec-2021			Total	
Participating Organization	Transfers	Refunds	Net Funded	Transfers	Refunds	Net Funded	Transfers	Refunds	Net Funded
UNDP	1,768,815	0	1,768,815				1,768,815	0	1,768,815
UNODC	991,344	0	991,344				991,344	0	991,344
<b>Grand Total</b>	2,760,159	0	2,760,159				2,760,159	0	2,760,159



# 5. EXPENDITURE AND FINANCIAL DELIVERY RATES

All final expenditures reported are submitted as certified financial information by the Headquarters of the Participating Organizations. These were consolidated by the MPTF Office.

Joint programme/ project expenditures are incurred and monitored by each Participating Organization, and are reported to the Administrative Agent as per the agreed upon categories for inter-agency harmonized reporting. The expenditures are reported via the MPTF Office's online expenditure reporting tool. The 2021 expenditure data has been posted on the MPTF Office GATEWAY at https://beta.mptf.undp.org/fund/jye20.

# 5.1 EXPENDITURE REPORTED BY PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATION

In **2021**, US\$ was net funded to Participating Organizations, and US\$ **1,333,026** was reported in expenditure.

As shown in table below, the cumulative net funded amount is US\$ **2,760,159** and cumulative expenditures reported by the Participating Organizations amount to US\$ **1,794,913**. This equates to an overall Fund expenditure delivery rate of **65.03** percent.

Table 5.1. Net Funded Amount and Reported Expenditures by Participating Organization, as of 31 December 2021 (in US Dollars)

Participating Organization	Approved Amount	Net Funded Amount	Expenditure		Expenditure		Delivery Rate %
			Prior Years as of 31-Dec-2020	Current Year Jan-Dec-2021	Cumulative		
UNDP	8,358,243	1,768,815	161,878	667,107	828,985	46.87	
UNODC	4,235,952	991,344	300,008	665,919	965,928	97.44	
Grand Total	12,594,195	2,760,159	461,886	1,333,026	1,794,913	65.03	

#### 5.2. Expenditures Reported by Category

Project expenditures are incurred and monitored by each Participating Organization and are reported as per the agreed categories for inter-agency harmonized reporting. In 2006 the UN Development Group (UNSDG) established six categories against which UN entities must report inter-agency project expenditures. Effective 1 January 2012, the UN Chief Executive Board (CEB) modified these categories as a result of IPSAS adoption to comprise eight categories. All expenditure incurred prior to 1 January 2012 have been reported in the old categories; post 1 January 2012 all expenditure are reported in the new eight categories. See table below.

Table 5.2. Expenditure by UNSDG Budget Category, as of 31 December 2021 (in US Dollars)

Category		Expenditures		Percentage of Total Programme Cost
	Prior Years as of 31-Dec-2020	Current Year Jan-Dec-2021	Total	
Staff & Personnel Cost	204,706	534,165	738,871	44.05
Supplies, commodities and materials	-	21,788	21,788	1.30
Equipment, vehicles, furniture and depreciation	-	123,897	123,897	7.39
Contractual Services Expenses	149,270	254,272	403,542	24.06
Travel	4,721	79,977	84,698	5.05
General Operating	72,973	231,720	304,693	18.16
Programme Costs Total	431,670	1,245,818	1,677,488	100.00
<sup>1</sup> Indirect Support Costs Total	30,217	87,208	117,425	7.00
Grand Total	461,886	1,333,026	1,794,913	

<sup>1</sup> Indirect Support Costs charged by Participating Organization, based on their financial regulations, can be deducted upfront or at a later stage during implementation. The percentage may therefore appear to exceed the 7% agreed-upon for on-going projects. Once projects are financially closed, this number is not to exceed 7%.



#### 6. COST RECOVERY

Cost recovery policies for the Fund are guided by the applicable provisions of the Terms of Reference, the MOU concluded between the Administrative Agent and Participating Organizations, and the SAAs concluded between the Administrative Agent and Contributors, based on rates approved by UNDG.

The policies in place, as of 31 December 2021, were as follows:

- The Administrative Agent (AA) fee: 1% is charged at the time of contributor deposit and covers services provided on that contribution for the entire duration of the Fund. In the reporting period US\$ 2,526 was deducted in AA-fees.
   Cumulatively, as of 31 December 2021, US\$ 2,526 has been charged in AA-fees.
- Indirect Costs of Participating
   Organizations: Participating
   Organizations may charge 7% indirect
   costs. In the current reporting period US\$
   87,208 was deducted in indirect costs by
   Participating Organizations. Cumulatively,
   indirect costs amount to US\$ 117,425 as
   of 31 December 2021.

# 7. ACCOUNTABILITY AND TRANSPARENCY

In order to effectively provide fund administration services and facilitate monitoring and reporting to the UN system and its partners, the MPTF Office has developed a public website, the MPTF Office Gateway (<a href="https://mptf.undp.org">https://mptf.undp.org</a>). Refreshed in real time every two hours from an internal enterprise resource planning system, the MPTF Office Gateway has become a standard setter for providing transparent and accountable trust fund administration services.

The Gateway provides financial information including: contributor commitments and deposits. approved programme budgets, transfers to and expenditures reported by Participating Organizations, interest income and other expenses. In addition, the Gateway provides an overview of the MPTF Office portfolio and extensive information on individual Funds, including their purpose, governance structure and key documents. By providing easy access to the growing number of narrative and financial reports, as well as related project documents, the Gateway collects and preserves important institutional knowledge and facilitates knowledge sharing and management among UN Organizations and their development partners, thereby contributing to UN coherence and development effectiveness.



#### **Contributors**





### **UN Participating Organizations**



