

## **CONSOLIDATED ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT** of the Administrative Agent

## JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda

for the period 1 January to 31 December 2021

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## JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda

# Financial Report prepared by the Administrative Agent

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## DEFINITIONS

#### Allocation

Amount approved by the Steering Committee for a project/programme.

### **Approved Project/Programme**

A project/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 Fund 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 cannot be 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 passthrough MPTFs.

## **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 a partner in a Fund, as represented by signing a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with the MPTF Office for a particular Fund.

## **Project 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.

### **Project Financial Closure**

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

## **Project Operational Closure**

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

## **Project Start Date**

Project/ Joint programme start date as per the programmatic document.

## **Total Approved Budget**

This represents the cumulative amount of 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 **JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda** 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 terms of Reference (TOR), 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, as well as regular financial statements, for transmission to stakeholders.

This consolidated financial report covers the period 1 January to 31 December 2021 and provides financial updates on projects of the **JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda**, as posted on the MPTF Office GATEWAY

(https://beta.mptf.undp.org/fund/jkz10).



## **2021 FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE**

This chapter presents financial data and analysis of the **JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda** using the passthrough 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/jkz10.

This Multi-Partner Trust Fund operationally closed on **30 November 2017** and is in the process of being financially closed. Subsequent to Operational Closure, Participating Organization finalise all expenses, financially close their portion of each project/programme and report final expenses along with a final refund (if any) to the MPTFO. Once all Participating Organization have completed financial closure, any remaining balance will be finalized in line with the MOU and the MPTF will be financially closed.

### **1. SOURCES AND USES OF FUNDS**

As of 31 December **2021**, **1** contributor deposited US\$ **6,452,969** and US\$ **6,943** was earned in interest.

The cumulative source of funds was US\$ 6,459,912.

Of this amount, US\$ **6,387,467** has been net funded to **6** Participating Organizations, of which US\$ **6,387,467** has been reported as expenditure. The Administrative Agent fee has been charged at the approved rate of 1% on deposits and amounts to US\$ **64,530**. Table 1 provides an overview of the overall sources, uses, and balance of the JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda as of 31 December 2021.

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

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	Annual 2020	Annual 2021	Cumulative
Sources of Funds			
Contributions from donors	-		6,452,969
Sub-total Contributions	-		6,452,969
Fund Earned Interest and Investment Income	-		6,081
Interest Income received from Participating Organizations	-		862
Total: Sources of Funds	-		6,459,912
Use of Funds			
Transfers to Participating Organizations	-		6,388,325
Refunds received from Participating Organizations	-		(858)
Net Funded Amount	-		6,387,467
Administrative Agent Fees	-		64,530
Bank Charges	-		199
Total: Uses of Funds	-		6,452,195
Change in Fund cash balance with Administrative Agent	-		7,717
Closing Fund balance (31 December)			7,717
Net Funded Amount (Includes Direct Cost)	-		6,387,467
Participating Organizations Expenditure (Includes Direct Cost)	-		6,387,467



## 2. PARTNER CONTRIBUTIONS

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

The **JP Kazakhstan Kyzylorda** was financed by **1** contributor, 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 fund 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
Government of Kazakhstan	6,452,969	6,452,969	0	6,452,969
Grand Total	6,452,969	6,452,969	0	6,452,969



## 3. 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/jkz10.

## 3.1 EXPENDITURE REPORTED BY PARTICIPATING ORGANIZATION

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

As shown in table below, the cumulative net funded amount is US\$ **6,387,467** and cumulative expenditures reported by the Participating Organizations amount to US\$ **6,387,467**. This equates to an overall Fund expenditure delivery rate of **100** percent.

## Table 3.1. Net Funded Amount and Reported Expenditures by Participating Organization, as of 31December 2021 (in US Dollars)

Participating Organization	Approved Amount	Net Funded Amount		Expenditure		Delivery Rate %
			Prior Years as of 31-Dec-2020	Current Year Jan-Dec-2021	Cumulative	
UNDP	2,969,906	2,969,906	2,969,906		2,969,906	100.00
UNESCO	200,960	200,385	200,385		200,385	100.00
UNFPA	161,690	161,406	161,406		161,406	100.00
UNICEF	2,385,890	2,385,890	2,385,890		2,385,890	100.00
UNWOMEN	92,390	92,390	92,390		92,390	100.00
WHO	577,490	577,490	577,490		577,490	100.00
Grand Total	6,388,325	6,387,467	6,387,467		6,387,467	100.00



## 3.2. 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 3.2. 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	476,535	-	476,535	7.98
Supplies, commodities and materials	82,518	-	82,518	1.38
Equipment, vehicles, furniture and depreciation	170,133	-	170,133	2.85
Contractual Services Expenses	2,356,424	-	2,356,424	39.47
Travel	629,984	-	629,984	10.55
Transfers and Grants	1,623,077	-	1,623,077	27.19
General Operating	630,966	-	630,966	10.57
Programme Costs Total	5,969,636	-	5,969,636	100.00
<sup>1</sup> Indirect Support Costs Total	417,831	-	417,831	7.00
Grand Total	6,387,467	-	6,387,467	

**1 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%.



## 4. 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\$ was deducted in AA-fees. Cumulatively, as of 31 December 2021, US\$ 64,530 has been charged in AA-fees.
- Indirect Costs of Participating Organizations: Participating Organizations may charge 7% indirect costs. In the current reporting period US\$ was deducted in indirect costs by Participating Organizations. Cumulatively, indirect costs amount to US\$ 417,831 as of 31 December 2021.

## 5. 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 (<u>https://mptf.undp.org</u>). 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**











