**El Salvador**

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| **Programme Title:** | Urban and Productive Integrated Sustainable Settlements in El Salvador |
| **Programme number & MDTF ref:** | MDGF-2066-D-SLV Private Sector (67262) |
| **Window:** | Development & Private Sector |
| **Approved Budget by NSC (US$):** | 5.2 million |
| **Participating Organizations:** | UNDP, UNIDO, UNHABITAT |
| **First Tranche transferred on:** | 10-Dec-2009 |

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| **ACTIVITIES Reported:** |
| **Main Organizational activities:** |
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| The following operating structures became operational: Management Committee, Technical Committee, Program Coordination, Coordinating Agencies, administrative staff for the program, setting up the office within the national government counterpart (Department of Housing and Urban Development), the targeted municipalities and communities were defined. For agility in recruitment a Roster of Experts for the Program was formed, and all procedures were established so that 50% of the budget is signed by the national counterpart. The program has had a high process of appropriation by the public, private and social institutions. |
| **Main Substantive Activities:** |
| The Programme was aligned to public policies and national and local programs, base lines were determined, activities with communities initiated, the strategy for productive and sustainable urban settlements was defined, reaching a performance close to 80% of the resources . The interagency work has been a strength. |
| **Problems and lessons learned:** |
| The program team was established in the third quarter of the year, which is why the implementation began later than expected. Some of the partners changed for a portion of the resources as part of the program’s alignment to financial policies of the National Central Bank. The result of this decision has been a success for the national incidence in the housing finance system. |
| **The programme reports relevant linkage to the UNDAF:** Yes |
| **The programme has communications strategy in place:** In 2010 a joint strategy of the three MDG-F programs in El Salvador was proposed, but its implementation started in 2011. |

CHARTS& FIGURES[[1]](#footnote-2)

As of 31 December 2010



1. The financial information presented in this brief is from Participating Organizations’ Headquarters and may differ from the information provided at the field level. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)