### **PBF November 2025 Project Progress Report**

PROJECT OVERVIEW
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Have all fund recipients for this project contributed to the report?	*
Yes	
○ No	
Did PBF Secretariat or RCO focal point review the report?	*
You should normally ensure that the PBF Secretariat or the PBF focal point have an opportunity to review.	
Yes	
○ No	
Not Applicable	

#### » Project Information and Geographical Scope

Is this a cross-border project?	*
Yes No	

Please select the geographical region in which the project is implemented					
$\bigcirc$	Asia and the Pacific	Central & Sou	uthern Africa	East Africa	
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	Gambia	Ghana		Guinea	
	Guinea-Bissau	Liberia		Mali	
	Mauritania	Niger	Č	Nigeria	
	Senegal	Sierra Leone		Togo	
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Proj	ect Title			*	
$\bigcirc$	00130107: Creating safe and emp peace in Guinea-Bissau	powering public space	s with women to mitiga	ate climate-security risks and sustain	
$\bigcirc$	00129698: Enhancing the human	rights protection syst	em in Guinea-Bissau		
$\bigcirc$	00129743: Inclusive Peaceful Lan	d Management in OIO	), CACHEU and BIOMBO	) regions	
$\bigcirc$	00119912: Political Stabilization a	and Reform through Co	onfidence Building and	Inclusive Dialogue	
	00119443: Secretariat Project: Support to project coordination and monitoring of the United Nations Peacebuilding Fund (PBF) Projects in Guinea-Bissau				
$\bigcirc$	00119444: Strengthening the justice and security sector response to drug trafficking and transnational organized crime to reduce insecurity in Guinea-Bissau				
$\bigcirc$	00134097: Prevention of Natural Regions	Resources Conflicts re	elated to Pastoralism ar	nd Transhumance in Bafata and Gabu	
$\bigcirc$	00140008: Strengthening social cohesion through promoting inclusive and effective public health sector governance, management, and administration				
$\bigcirc$	00140108: Inclusive policies and institutions for a peaceful society: strengthening the social fabric and fostering youth meaningful participation in decision-making in Guinea Bissau				
	00140581: Peaceful Natural Reso	urces Management in	the Koliba-Corubal Bas	sin	
$\bigcirc$	00141181: Strengthening social cohesion in Guinea-Bissau by aligning and integrating religious schools with the national education system				
$\bigcirc$	Other, Specify				
* Write the 8 digit MPTFO number and Project Title exactly as it appears in the Project Document  EXAMPLE: 00118938: Community-based prevention of violence and social cohesion using innovation for young people in displaced and host communities					

Please select the geographical region(s) in which the project is implemented				
If the project you are looking for does not appear in the following question, please make sure that you have selected the correct regions. A limited number of cross border projects span multiple geographic regions. For example, a cross border project between Niger and Chad spans both West Africa and Central & Southern Africa				
Asia and the Pacific Central & Southern Africa East Africa				
Europe and Central Asia Global Latin America and the Caribean				
Middle East and North Africa  West Africa				
Please select the title of the project for which you are submitting the report				
* Write the 8 digit MPTFO numbers and Project Title exactly as it appears in the Project Document  EXAMPLE: 00129699/700: Supporting Cross-Border Cooperation for Increased Community Resilience and Social Cohesion in The Gambia and Senegal				
Please select the countries where this project is being implemented *				
Other, Please specify				
Project Start Date (Date of first transfer) 2020-01-15				
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Project End Date				
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If so, around which month do you expect to submit the request?			
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April	May	June	
July	August	September	
October	November	December	
Is the current project end date	within 6 months?		*
Yes	within o months.		
No			
Is funding disbursed either into a national or regional trust fund?			
Yes			
No No			
If yes, please select which			*
National Trust Fund			
Regional Trust Fund			

#### Recipients

s the convening agency a UN agency or a non UN entity?			
UN entity			
Non-UN Entity			
Please select the convening agency recipient			
UNDP: United Nations Development Programme OIOM: International Organization for Migration			
UNICEF: United Nations Children's Fund			
OHCHR: Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights			
UNWOMEN: United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women			
UNHCR: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees UNFPA: United Nations Population Fund			
FAO: Food and Agriculture Organization WFP: World Food Programme			
UNHABITAT: United Nations Human Settlements Programme			
UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization			
UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme ILO: International Labour Organization			
WHO: World Health Organization PAHO/WHO			
UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime			
UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services			
UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization ITC: International Trade Centre			
UNDPO Other, Specify			
Other, Please specify			
Are there other recipients for this project?			
No other recipients			
Yes, other UN recipients only			
Yes, other non-UN recipients only			
Yes, both UN and non-UN recipients			

Please select other UN recipients
Select all that apply
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UNHABITAT: United Nations Human Settlements Programme
UNESCO: United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNEP: United Nations Environment Programme ILO: International Labour Organization
WHO: World Health Organization PAHO/WHO
UNCDF: United Nations Capital Development Fund UNODC: United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime
UNOPS: United Nations Office for Project Services
UNIDO: United Nations Industrial Development Organization ITC: International Trade Centre
UN Department of Peace Operations Other, Specify
Other, Please specify

Plea	se select other non-UN recipie	ents
	ACTED	Action Aid UK AAITG (ActionAid the Gambia)
	AEDE	African Centre for the Constructive Resolution of Disputes (ACCORD)
	Agence de Coopération et de Rech	nerche pour le Développement (ACORD)
	American Friends Service Commit	tee (AFSC) Avocats Sans Frontières
	Avocats Sans Frontières Belgium	Avocats sans frontières Canada Ayuda en Accion
	BIRN - Balkan Investigative Report	ing Network BIOM -Youth Ecological Movemen
	CARE International UK	Centre d'étude et de coopération internationale (CECI) - BF
	Christian Aid Ireland	COIPRODEN Concern Worldwide
	Conexion Guatemala	COOPI - Cooperazione Internazionale CORD Burundi
	CORDAID	Corporacion Sisma Mujer CRS - Catholic Relief Services
	DanChurchAid	Danish Refugee Council EQUITAS
	Fund for Congolese Women	Fundacion Estudios Superior (FESU) Fundación Mi Sangre (FMS)
	Fundación Nacional para el Desar	rollo de Honduras (FUNADEH) Fundación para la Libertad de Prensa (FLIP)
	Geneva Centre for Security Sector	Governance (DCAF) HELVETAS Swiss Intercooperation
	Humanity & Inclusion (HI)	ICTJ (International Center for Transitional Justice)
	Instituto Holandes para Democrac	cia Multipartidaria (NIMD) Integrity Watch
	International Alert	International Rescue Committee Interpeace
	Kvinna till Kvinna Foundation	Life and Peace Institute (LPI)
	MDG-EISA - Institut Electoral pour	une Démocratie Durable en Afrique (EISA), bureau de Madagascar
	Mercy Corps	MLAL - ProgettoMondo MSIS-TATAO
	NIMD (Netherlands Institute for N	lultiparty Democracy) Nonviolent Peaceforce
	Norwegian Refugee Council (NRC)	Nile Sustainable Development Organization - NSDO
	OCNH-Organisation des Citoyens	pour une Nouvelle Haïti OIKOS
	ONG Adkoul - ONG Adkoul	ONG AZHAR OXFAM
	Peace Direct	Plan International PNG UN Country Fund
	Red de Instituciones por los Derec	chos de la Niñez ROI - Roza Otunbayeva Initiati
	Saferworld	Sampan'Asa Momba ny Fampandrosoana (SAF/FJKM)
	Save the Children	Search for Common Ground (SFCG)
	SIHA (Strategic Initiative for Wome	en in the Horn of Africa) SismaMujer
	SOS Sahel Sudan	Stichting Impunity Watch Tearfund
	The Carter Center, Inc.	Trocaire War Child
	War Childhood Museum (WCM)	World Vision International World Vision Myanmar
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#### **Implementing Partners**

To how many implementing partners has the project transferred money **since the project's start**?

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To how many implementing partners has the project transferred money **during this calendar** 

#### period?

(for June reports: January-June;

for November reports: January-December (anticipated);

for final reports: full project duration)

1

Please list all of the project's implementing partners and the amounts (in USD) transferred to each, both since the project's start, and specifically during this calendar period
Please select the type of organisation which best describes the type of implementing partner
National youth CSO
National women's CSO
Other National CSO
Subnational youth CSO
Subnational women's CSO
Other subnational CSO
Regional CSO
Regional Organisation
International NGO
Governmental entity
National women's and youth CSO
Subnational women's and youth CSO
Other
Other, Please specify
What is the name of the Implementing Partner  Voz di Paz
*What is the planned total amount (in USD) for the <b>overall duration of the project</b> to be disbursed to this implementing partner?  Please use a dot (.) as decimal separator, instead of a comma (,)  151124
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Briefly describe the main activities carried out by the Implementing Partner during this calendar period  Please limit your response to 1500 characters  Mapping of local conflicts in the country	7

### **Financial Reporting**

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### **Project Markers**

Please select the Gender Marker Associated with this project	*
Score 1 for projects that contribute in some way to gender equality, but not significantly (less than 30% of the total budget for GEWE)	
Score 2 for projects that have gender equality as a significant objective and allocate between 30 and 79% of the total project budget to GEWE	
Score 3 for projects that have gender equality as a principal objective and allocate at least 80% of the total project budget to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment (GEWE)	
Please select the Risk Marker Associated with this project	*
Risk marker 0 = low risk to achieving outcomes	
Risk marker 1 = medium risk to achieving outcomes	
Risk marker 2 = high risk to achieving outcomes	
Please select the PBF Focus Area associated with this project	*
(1.1) Security Sector Reform	
(1.2) Rule of Law	
(1.3) Demobilisation, Disarmament and Reintegration	
(1.4) Political Dialogue	
(2.1) National reconciliation	
(2.2) Democratic Governance	
(2.3) Conflict prevention/management	
(3.1) Employment	
(3.2) Equitable access to social services	
(4.1) Strengthening of essential national state capacity	
(4.2) Extension of state authority/Local Administration	
(4.3) Governance of peacebuilding resources (including PBF Secretariats)	
s the project part of one or more PBF priority windows?  Select all that apply	*
Gender promotion initiative	
Youth promotion initiative	
Transition from UN or regional peacekeeping or special political missions	
Cross-border or regional project	
None	

#### **Steering Committee and Government engagement**

Does the project have an active steering committee/ project board?	4
Yes	
○ No	

If yes, please indicate how many times the Project Steering Committee has met over the last 6 months?

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The Portfolio Joint Steering Committee (JSC)met on 11 March 2025 to review the 2024 portfolio results and discuss key challenges affecting implementation. Co-chaired by the Minister of Foreign Affairs, International Cooperation and Communities, Mr. Carlos Pinto Pereira, the Minister of Economy, Planning and Regional Integration, Mr. Soares Sambú, and the UN Resident Coordinator, Ms. Geneviève Boutin, the meeting provided a high-level platform to showcase major achievements, reflect on lessons learned, and reinforce coordination with relevant government institutions. Discussions also focused on strengthening the governance structure of the portfolio through the revision of the Steering Committee's Terms of Reference and the establishment of a unified Joint Technical Committee (JTC) under the UNSDCF and PBF frameworks.

The inaugural meeting of the JTC, held on 18-19 September 2025, represented a key milestone in institutionalizing coordination and strategic alignment between the Government of Guinea-Bissau, the UN system, and development partners. The meeting validated the JTC's Terms of Reference, confirming its role as the technical arm of the Joint Steering Committee, and expanded its composition to include line ministries, civil society organizations, and the private sector. This step strengthened inclusivity, continuity, and national ownership, laying the foundation for evidence-based coordination and monitoring across both the UNSDCF and PBF portfolio.

Please provide a brief description of any engagement that the project has had with the government over the last 6 months. Please indicate what level of government the project has been engaging with. Please limit your response to 3000 characters

PBF portfolio has maintained regular engagement with the Government of Guinea-Bissau. Coordination has been ensured primarily through the ISC and the ITC, co-chaired by the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and the Ministry of Economy and Planning, in close collaboration with the UN Resident Coordinator's Office. These mechanisms have served as key platforms for policy dialogue, alignment of peacebuilding priorities, and joint monitoring of PBFfunded initiatives. The JSC convened on 11 March 2025 which served as a high-level platform to review 2024 portfolio results, address implementation challenges, and endorse key measures to strengthen coordination, including the revision of the JSC's ToR and the establishment of a unified JTC under the UNSDCF-PBF coordination framework. At the technical and operational level, the inaugural meeting of the JTC, held on 18-19 September 2025, represented a major step toward institutionalizing joint coordination mechanisms between the Government, the UN, and development partners. The meeting validated the JTC's ToR, confirmed its role as the technical arm of the JSC, and expanded its composition to include line ministries, civil society, and private sector representatives thereby strengthening inclusivity, continuity, and national ownership. Discussions within the JTC's session facilitated evidence-based coordination across governance, gender equality, and social sectors, while reaffirming the commitment to inclusive and disability-sensitive national planning and reinforcing coherence with national development and peacebuilding objectives. The Government also demonstrated active engagement during a Joint Field Mission conducted from 23 June to 3 July 2025, jointly led by the MOFA and Ministry of Economy, alongside the PBF Secretariat. The mission provided an opportunity to jointly assess progress on the ground, identify operational bottlenecks, and formulate context-specific recommendations to enhance delivery and sustainability. Further engagement occurred during the PBF Secretariat's Mid-Year Technical Workshop on 16 July 2025, where representatives from multiple government institutions, including the Ministries of Health, Women, Agriculture, and the National Institute for Women and Children actively participated. Their technical contributions enriched discussions on results, lessons learned, and next steps, thereby reinforcing the Government's leadership in steering peacebuilding and development outcomes under the PBF Portfolio and UNSDCF frameworks. The PBF had high-level interactions with the Government during the visit of its Director, Mr. Brian J. Williams, from 5 to 10 October 2025. During this mission, the PBF Director met with the Prime Minister, the Minister of Foreign Affairs, the Minister of Environment, the Governor of Bafata region, and religious leaders. These bilaterais meetings, together with the high-level policy dialogues organized during the mission, further strengthened the PBF's positioning as a strategic partner of the Government of Guinea-Bissau in advancing national peacebuilding priorities.

#### PART I: OVERALL PROJECT PROGRESS

#### NOTES FOR COMPLETING THE REPORT:

- Avoid acronyms and UN jargon, use general /common language.
- Report on what has been achieved in the reporting period, not what the project aims to do.
- Be as concrete as possible. Avoid theoretical, vague or conceptual discourse.
- Ensure the analysis and project progress assessment is gender and age sensitive.

Please rate the implemen	ntation status of the following preli	ninary/preparatory activities	
Contracting of partners			*
Not Started	Initiated	Partially Completed	
Completed	Not Applicable		

Staff	Recruitment  Not Started	Initiated	* Partially Completed
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Colle	ection of baselines		*
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Iden	tification of beneficiaries		*
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Is th	e project on track for the time	ely completion of ou	tputs as indicated in the workplan?
	Yes		
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#### Project progress summary

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

"The PBF Secretariat in Guinea-Bissau has acted as a key liaison between the UN system, national authorities, civil society, and other partners, facilitating coordination, quality assurance, and communication, while also addressing significant contextual, operational and capacity-related challenges. It has played a pivotal role in favoring the development, implementation, monitoring, and oversight of peacebuilding projects, and in providing strategic guidance to the PBF portfolio. The Secretariat has played a key role in maintaining the relevance, coherence and effectiveness of the portfolio, with some variability through time where strategic leadership was more limited. Despite continued challenges, portfolio management has significantly been heightened through more recent practices of portfolio-level experience-sharing being (re-) instated", PBF portfolio independent evaluation 2025. Throughout the reporting period, the PBF strengthened portfolio coherence and alignment with national priorities and UN strategic frameworks. The JSC, co-chaired by the Government and the UN RC, reviewed 2024 PBF portfolio performance, addressed systemic implementation bottlenecks, and endorsed governance reforms, including the unification of technical coordination under the UNSDCF/PBF framework. The inaugural JTC meeting expanded inclusive participation to civil society and private sector actors, while the mid-year technical review convened government entities, implementing partners, and community representatives to assess progress, share lessons, and adjust implementation strategies. Regular UNCT updates reinforced coherence across UN programming, enabling joint monitoring of implementation risks and synergies with broader peacebuilding and governance priorities. The Director's mission (5-11 October 2025) strengthened political and operational collaboration while validating tangible results on the ground. Consultative dialogues on peacebuilding, rule of law, and climate-security challenges reinforced national consensus on prevention priorities and informed the forthcoming update of the Conflict Analysis and peacebuilding results framework development. Field visits in Bafatá demonstrated operational progress at Centros de Acesso à Justiça, advancement in constructing the Regional Directorate of the Judicial Police in Bafatá, and strengthened community mediation platforms addressing transhumance-related tensions, genderbased violence, and resource-related disputes. The mission underscored strong local ownership, enhanced participation of women and youth, and increased regional institutional capacity, prompting commitments from national and UN partners to scale effective models and accelerate cross-border and inter-institutional collaboration. The PBF Secretariat provided continuous technical support, strengthening coordination, monitoring, and communication across projects, thereby improving implementation performance. Two new projects were approved: Strengthening Social Cohesion by Aligning and Integrating Religious Schools with the National Education System and National Anti-Corruption Strategy: Building a Culture of Transparency and Integrity. Both were developed through participatory consultations with government, civil society, and communities, ensuring alignment with national priorities. In response to evolving political and social dynamics, the Secretariat facilitated the review and adjustment of ongoing interventions, resulting in revisions and no-cost extensions for five joint projects, safeguarding continuity, enhancing delivery capacity, and maintaining relevance. The Secretariat actively promoted youth leadership in peacebuilding through the Youth Leadership dialogue with UNCT during International Day of Peace. The event convened 54 participants, including 28 youth representing diverse backgrounds and youth with disabilities, to identify structural barriers to participation and develop actionable recommendations on vocational training, entrepreneurship, and institutionalized youth engagement. The Roundtable yielded concrete commitments: integration of youth priorities into the next UNSDCF, inclusion in the National Youth Policy, and sustained youth advocacy. These engagements strengthened trust between youth, Government, and UN actors, positioning young people as essential partners in sustaining peace and social transformation. A feature article on resolving transhumance conflicts highlighted tangible contributions to conflict prevention, while capacity-building workshops improved partners' communication skills and results-focused reporting. Strategic oversight was reinforced through the Joint Field Monitoring Mission (23 June - 3 July 2025), covering five regions. The mission assessed project delivery, engaged communities, and identified operational constraints, generating actionable recommendations to strengthen Government leadership, coordination, and sustainability. Key results included improved justice and security institutions, operational Centros de Acesso à Justiça, and more effective community dialogue platforms mitigating natural resources and transhumance-related tensions. Findings informed technical reviews, project adjustments, and evidence-based decision-making. Concise results briefs supported knowledge uptake, while systematic quality assurance ensured mid-year and annual reports documented progress, challenges, and results in line with PBF guidance. The independent evaluation of the 2019-2025 PBF portfolio, completed in October 2025, confirmed the Fund's catalytic contribution to institutional resilience, policy coherence, and community-level peace dividends. It highlighted strengthened governance mechanisms, citizen engagement

platforms, and enhanced conflict-prevention capacities. Independent evaluations of two projects were completed, providing credible evidence to strengthen accountability, inform strategic decision-making, and enhance learning. The PBF portfolio advanced inclusive governance, justice, and social cohesion, reinforced national coordination structures, and fostered partnerships with development actors. Lessons learned continue to inform capacity building, national ownership, and cross-project complementarity, ensuring peacebuilding gains are consolidated and scaled to support long-term institutional resilience in Guinea-Bissau.

Indicate any additional analysis on how Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment and/or Youth Inclusion and Responsiveness has been ensured by the project to date

Please limit your response to 3000 characters

The PBF portfolio in Guinea-Bissau has been strategically designed to be gender responsive. Of the seven (7) active projects, one has been classified as Gender Marker 1, five as Gender Marker 2, and one as Gender Marker 3, reflecting a strong commitment to the integration of gender considerations in both project designs and implementation. Financially, nearly USD 10 million out of a total active portfolio budget of USD 23.2 million is earmarked to advance gender equality and women's empowerment. This substantial allocation highlights a deliberate effort to address gender disparities and promote women's leadership and participation in peacebuilding processes. Despite these efforts, the tangible outcomes achieved thus far remain below expectations, primarily due to deeply entrenched sociocultural barriers. Persistent gender norms and traditional practices continue to constrain progress, limiting the effective participation and empowerment of women and girls. Addressing these challenges requires sustained community engagement, reinforced advocacy efforts, and the implementation of targeted strategies aimed at transforming mindsets and fostering more inclusive opportunities for women. During the design phase of the two newly approved and signed projects - Strengthening Social Cohesion in Guinea-Bissau by Aligning and Integrating Religious Schools with the National Education System and National Anti-Corruption Strategy: Building an Effective Culture of Transparency and Integrity in Guinea-Bissau - the PBF Secretariat provided technical assistance and ensured that the gender component was duly integrated into both initiatives. As a result, each project has a Gender Marker score of 2, with 35.44% and 31.90% of the total budgets, respectively, allocated to activities aimed at promoting gender equality and women's empowerment. Youth inclusion and responsiveness have been strengthened by promoting meaningful engagement of young people as active partners in peacebuilding and governance processes. Through the Youth Leadership Roundtable with the RC and the UNCT representatives, organized with PBF secretariat leadership in the celebration of International Day of Peace, 54 participants, including 28 youth from diverse constituencies such as youth with disabilities, youth-led organizations, and young professionals contributed to national dialogue on peace, equality, and social transformation. The analysis emerging from this engagement highlights enhanced youth ownership and influence in decision-making, evidenced by the formulation of concrete recommendations on education, employment, health, and inclusive governance. Institutional responsiveness was demonstrated through the UN Country Team's commitment to integrate youth priorities into the forthcoming UNSDCF 2027+ and the completion of a youth partners mapping exercise, while government counterparts pledged to reflect these priorities in the National Youth Policy. Youth networks have committed to mobilize and take up sustain advocacy and follow-up actions, reinforcing accountability mechanisms and positioning youth as central actors in advancing inclusive and sustainable peace in Guinea-Bissau.

Is the project 1+ year in implementation?	7
Yes	
○ No	
FOR PROJECTS 1+ YEAR IN IMPLEMENTATION ONLY:	

Is the project demonstrating outcome-level peacebuilding results?	*
Outcome-level peacebuilding results entail results achieved at the societal or structural level, including changed attitudes, behaviours institutions.	or
Yes	
○ No	

If yes, please provide concrete examples of such peacebuilding results

Please limit your response to 6000 characters

In 2025, the Peacebuilding Fund (PBF) portfolio in Guinea-Bissau generated concrete progress at institutional and societal levels, gradually consolidating its catalytic role in strengthening national ownership, inclusive governance, and coordinated peacebuilding action. The portfolio contributed directly to Outcome 1, by reinforcing the development, implementation, monitoring, and strategic oversight of peacebuilding initiatives, and to Outcome 2, by enhancing the capacity of implementing agencies to deliver, monitor, evaluate, and communicate results effectively.

At the structural and institutional level, the operationalization of the Joint Technical Committee (JTC) under the unified UNSDCF and PBF framework marked a major advancement in peacebuilding governance. Endorsed during its inaugural session in September 2025, the JTC institutionalized collaboration between the Government, the United Nations, civil society, and the private sector at technical level. This inclusive coordination structure strengthened evidence-based decision-making, transparency, and inter-institutional coherence, enabling more strategic and aligned national responses to peacebuilding priorities. Complementarily, the Joint Steering Committee (JSC) meeting of March 2025 revised its Terms of Reference, formalizing shared Government and UN accountability and oversight mechanisms. These initiatives have reinforced a results-oriented culture and positioned national institutions at the centre of the peacebuilding architecture in the country.

At the societal level, PBF investments delivered tangible peace dividends by addressing key conflict drivers and improving citizen-state trust. Through PBF-supported Centros de Acesso à Justiça, equitable access to justice expanded for women and survivors of gender-based violence, contributing to stronger confidence in formal institutions and rule of law. Community-based dialogue platforms, including Listening Clubs and pastoralist associations, effectively mediated transhumance-related disputes, reducing intercommunal tensions, and strengthening social cohesion in conflict-prone regions. The Joint Field Monitoring Mission (June-July 2025) confirmed improvements in institutional capacity, conflict resolution, and rule of law, while generating actionable recommendations to enhance gender responsiveness and sustainability across the portfolio.

In the health sector, the operationalization of the Linha de Saúde 24H marked an important step toward strengthening governance and responsiveness in service delivery. The initiative has already received 4,576 calls, of which 3,775 (82.5%) were valid, reflecting growing public trust in institutional mechanisms. During the official launch, the then Minister of Public Health, Mr. Pedro Tipote, pledged to integrate the hotline into the national health system, ensuring its long-term sustainability and alignment with national priorities.

Youth inclusion and civic participation advanced significantly through the Youth Leadership Roundtable, organized on the International Day of Peace. The event deepened youth engagement in peace and governance processes, leading to government and UN commitments to integrate youth priorities into the upcoming UNSDCF (2027+) and the National Youth Policy. This institutional recognition represents a clear attitudinal and policy shift toward intergenerational inclusion and participatory governance.

At the policy and strategic levels, the PBF Director's mission (October 2025) reinvigorated national commitment to conflict prevention and governance reform. Dialogues held on peacebuilding, climate-security linkages, and rule of law-built consensus around updating the Conflict Analysis and designing the Peacebuilding Strategic Results Framework (SRF), laying the groundwork for more coherent, evidence-based, and preventive strategies.

Innovative programming also influenced institutional behavior and social cohesion. The project on integrating religious schools into the National Education System has been fostering dialogue between faith-based and state institutions, contributing to reduce identity-based fragmentation and promoting inclusive education as a vehicle for peace.

Behavioral change was evident through strengthened local dialogue mechanisms and inclusive leadership practices. Women and youth increasingly assumed leadership roles in mediation and local development committees, demonstrating a gradual but steady shift toward more inclusive, accountable, and gender-responsive peacebuilding dynamics. The PBF Secretariat played a pivotal role in sustaining these gains by ensuring evidence-based coordination, monitoring, and communication. Two "Communication for Impact" workshops improved RUNO and

partner capacities to document and disseminate results, enhancing portfolio visibility and public understanding of peace dividends.

Finally, the independent evaluation of the 2019-2025 PBF portfolio, finalized in October 2025, validated the Fund's contribution to institutional resilience, policy coherence, and local peace dividends. Its recommendations are guiding the formulation of the Peacebuilding Strategic Results Framework, aimed at strengthening results-based monitoring and adaptive management.

Thus, in 2025, the PBF Secretariat project demonstrated outcome-level peacebuilding results by reinforcing institutional capacity, promoting inclusive policy dialogue, and transforming community relations. These achievements reflect Guinea-Bissau's gradual transition from fragility to resilience through nationally owned, inclusive, and sustainable peacebuilding efforts.

If yes, please provide sources or references (including links) as evidence of peacebuilding results, or submit them as additional attachments.

Evidence may be quantitative or qualitative but needs to demonstrate progress against outcome indicators in the project results framework. Sources may include project surveys (such as perception surveys), monitoring reports, government documents, or other knowledge products that have been developed by the project.

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#### PART II: PROJECT RESULTS FRAMEWORK

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Additional Outcomes  If the project has more than 8 outcomes, please enumerate the remaining outcomes here	*

#### INDICATOR BASED PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT

Using the Project Results Framework as per the approved project document or any amendments, provide an update on the achievement of all **outcome** and **output** indicators in the table below.

- Where it has not been possible to collect data on indicators, state this and provide any explanation.
- Provide gender and age disaggregated data. (500 characters max per entry)

# » Outcome 1: The effective development, implementation, monitoring, oversight of peacebuilding projects and the overall strategic direction of the PBF portfolio in Guinea-Bissau is ensured.

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1. 1	Enhanced collaboration of the PBF programme with other stakeholders (Government, Partners and PBF donors in the country)	0	4	4	6	
1. 2	Evaluation of PBF Secretariat by UN Leadership, RUNOS, and national stakeholders	65%	75%	74.5%	74.5%	
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For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made
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#### » Output 1.1: Reliable management structure for the PBF in Guinea-Bissau is ensured

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## » Output 1.2: Effective project implementation, communication and coordination enabled to ensure proper Oversight, Coherence and Complementarity between Projects

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1.	Quarterly	0	4	4	4	
2.	meetings held with PBF Recipient Organizations to follow upon each project implementation					
1. 2.	Quality PBF	0	7	7	7	
2	project Reports Submitted by the Deadline every June and December					
1. 2.	UN Leadership provided	0	2	4	4	The PBF Secretariat
3	quality support					provides quarterly
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#### » Output 1.3: Enable effective development of new project design

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1. 3. 1	# of ProDocs that are approved by PBSO based on the yearly approved investment plan for the country	3	3	2	2	2 new projects were finalized approved and signed
1. 3. 2	New Projects have at least 30% of funds allocated to Gender Issues or support Women's Empowerment	35.44%	35.44%			
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## » Outcome 2: The agencies implementing PBF funded projects are able to deliver on the implementation, monitoring and evaluation of effectively designed peacebuilding projects and effectively communicate the results of their interventions

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2.	Each project implementation is On Track based on an expected progress rate by the middle of the year and towards the end of the year.	30%	70%	60%	60%	
2.	Improved PBF project monitoring systems and portfolio level data.	20%	100%	43%	43%	
2. 3	# of informative analyses provided by the conflict mapping system	0	4	1	4	
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Output 2.2 Strengthen social co	mmunica	tion and	d peacel	building advocacy
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For each output, and using the, project results framework, provide an update on the progress made against all output indicators

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#### » Output 2.2: Strengthen social communication and peacebuilding advocacy

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#### » Output 2.3: Strengthen the PBF project and portfolio level monitoring and evaluation

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2. 3. 1	Guinea Bissau peacebuilding Strategic result framework (SRF) defined in consultations with all stakeholders.	0	1	0	0	The concept notes and Terms of Reference for the technical assistance were finalized, and the recruitment process for the consultancy is currently underway.
2. 3. 2	% of Projects with M&E plans developed and implemented	66%	100%	42%	57%	
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### **PART III: Cross-Cutting Issues**

Is the project planning any significant events in the next six months? (eg. national dialogues, youth congresses, film screenings, etc.) If yes, please state how many, and for each, provide the approximate date of the event and a brief description, including its key objectives, target audience and location (if known) Target **Event Objectives Events Event Description Tentat** Locati Audie (900 characters) ive on **Date** nce **Event PBF Portfolio annual** December Bissau **RUNOs &** To report on the results 1 review technical workshop 2025 **NUNOs** achieved and realign the Government, projects according to the **CSOs** and established goals. NGOs. **Event Development of the PBF** January Bissau All The SRF will serve as a road 2 Strategic Result 2026 stakeholders map for peacebuilding Framework (SRF) efforts, fostering coherence, ownership and

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Event 3	PBF joint field mission	February 2026	National	PBF supported projects, regional and local authorities and beneficiaries in general	To monitor the PBF supported interventions and provide technical, operational and strategic and recommendations
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strategic focus among all

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## **Human Impact**

This section is about the human impact of the project. Please state key stakeholders (including but not limited to: Civil Society Organziations, Beneficiaries, etc.) of the project, and for each, please briefly describe:

- i. The challenges/problem they faced prior to the project implementation
- ii. The impact of the project in their lives
- iii. Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from a representative of each stakeholder group *This is an optional question. You may leave it unanswered if not relevant*

Human Impact	Type of stakeholder	What has been the impact of the project on their lives?	Provide, where possible, a quote or testimonial from the stakeholder
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Please tick the applicable change based on above narrative.
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How we worked:  Please select up to 3.
Enhanced digitization
Innovative ways of working
Mobilized additional resources
Improved or initiated policy frameworks
✓ Strengthened capacities
Partnered with with local/grassroots Civil Society Organizations
Expanding coalitions & galvanizing political will
Strengthened partnerships with IFIs
✓ Strengthened partnerships with UN Agencies
Please explain one of the selected options
Please limit your response to 3000 characters.
The PBF Secretariat organized targeted technical support sessions to build the capacities of RUNOs and implementing partners. These efforts enhanced partners' ability to implement, monitor, and report on peacebuilding projects effectively.
Federal and Projects checking.
Please explain one of the selected options
Please limit your response to 3000 characters.  The PBF Secretariat engaged civil society actors and project teams through joint field missions and technical review
meetings, involving them in monitoring, dialogue, and strategic planning processes to ensure community-level
perspectives are incorporated for active projects.
Please explain one of the selected options
Please limit your response to 3000 characters.
The PBF Secretariat facilitated coordination among UN AFPs through quarterly review meetings, fostering information-sharing, joint planning, and alignment of interventions under the PBF portfolio and the UNSDCF.

Who	are we working with	*
	Strengthened partnerships with IFIs	
<b>✓</b>	Strengthened partnerships between UN Agencies	
<b>✓</b>	Partnered with local civil society organizations	
<b>✓</b>	Partnered with local academia	
	Partnered with sub-national entities	
<b>✓</b>	Partnered with national entities	
	Partnered with local volunteers	
Pleas Colla mult CSOs com peac know deve mini	se explain e limit your response to 3000 characters boration was reinforced through the Joint Technical Committee and operational coordination efforts, where iple UN agencies worked together on implementation, reporting, and at PBF portfolio-level oversight. Local were involved in project review forums and field missions, contributing to project assessments, promoting munity engagement, and supporting and contributing on the reflections around the sustainability of ebuilding efforts. Although limited, initial efforts were made to engage local researchers and institutions in wledge production and evidence-based planning, particularly around the conflict mapping exercise and lopment of the Strategic Results Framework. Strong partnerships were built with the Government at the sterial and technical level, including Foreign Affairs, Economy and Planning, through joint missions, project ring committees, and strategic discussions.	
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# **PART IV: Monitoring, Evaluation and Compliance**

## » Monitoring

Please list key monitoring activities undertaken in the reporting period  Please limit your response to 3000 characters.  The main monitoring activity undertaken by the PBF Secretariat in this reporting period was the joint field mission,  PBF Secretariat technical mid-year and annual review workshops as well as the JST and JTC meetings.
To outcome indicators have baselines?  If only some of the outcome indicators have baselines, select 'yes'  Yes  No
*  If yes, please provide a brief description. If not, explain why not and when they will be available.  Please limit your response to 3000 characters.  1 quarterly technical review workshop organized, 1 joint field monitoring mission, 1 JST meeting and 1 JTC meeting.  And three workshops: 1 on peacebuilding priorities; 1 on ROLSI high-level dialogue; and 1 on climate, peace and security technical dialogue.
*Elaborate on what sources of evidence have been used to report on indicators (and are available upon request)  *Please limit your response to 3000 characters.  *Reporting against indicators has been done based on the data collected before, during and after activities, list of attendance of the meetings, reports of the field visits, reports of the workshops and/or meetings and social media contents.
Has the project launched outcome level data collection initiatives? e.g. perception surveys  **  **  **  **  **  **  **  **  **
Please provide a brief description  Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

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a country, and/or created the conditions to establish new processes to do so

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

## **Sustainability**

Please describe any steps that have been taken to ensure the sustainability of peacebuilding gains, including any mechanisms, platforms, networks and socio-economic initiatives supported, beyond the duration of the project

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

The Joint Steering Committee and the Joint Technical Committee, with a continued-dedicated quarterly technical and strategic reviews; joint field monitoring mission are the mechanisms in place to ensure sustainability beyond the project life cycle.

Are there any other issues concerning project implementation that you want to share, including any capacity needs of the recipient organizations?

Please limit your response to 3000 characters.

## **Monitoring and Oversight Activities**

Please describe any key event related to monitoring and oversight. Please click next if no activities have yet taken place.

Events include Steering Committee meetings, Monitoring visits, Third party monitoring, Community based monitoring, any data collection, Perception or other survey findings, evaluation reports, audit or investigations.

Monitoring and	Name of the Event	Summary	Key Findings
oversight activities			

Event 1	Joint field monitoring mission 23 June to 3 July 2025.	During this two-week mission assessed project progress, identified local needs, and captured community expectations in the regions of Tombali, Quinara, Gabu, Bafata and Bissau. The full mission report was presented during the PBF Secretariat Technical Review Workshop and shared with the Government, RUNOs and NUNOs, and PBF project teams.	The field visits made it possible to gauge significant progress on several fronts, particularly community involvement, institutional capacity building and the implementation of innovative mediation approaches and access to essential services. However, there are still challenges related to logistical operationalisation, interinstitutional coordination and the sustainability of the interventions after the end of the projects. The timely adoption of the recommendations presented will contribute significantly to achieving the strategic objectives of the projects, consolidating peace and promoting sustainable development in Guinea-Bissau.
Event 2	Joint field monitoring mission 23 June to 3 July 2025. Joint Steering Committee meeting held on 11 March 2025	During this session, the JSC endorsed a no-cost extension request for three joint PBF projects, approved a cost extension for the PBF Secretariat, and expressed support for two new PBF projects under development	
Event 3	A JSC for the newly signed project: Strengthening social cohesion in Guinea-Bissau by aligning and integrating religious schools into the national education system.	This first meeting also served to officially launch the Project.	

Event 4	The inaugural meeting of the Joint Technical Committee (JTC), held on 18-19 September 2025, represented a key milestone in institutionalizing coordination and strategic alignment between the Government of Guinea-Bissau, the UN system, and development partners.	The meeting validated the JTC's Terms of Reference, confirming its role as the technical arm of the Joint Steering Committee, and expanded its composition to include line ministries, civil society organizations, and the private sector.	This step strengthened inclusivity, continuity, and national ownership, laying the foundation for evidence-based coordination and monitoring across both the UNSDCF and PBF portfolio.
Event 5			
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Event 8			

#### **Final Steps**

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