

ANNEX IV-D: DIRECT EXPENDITURES BY COUNTRY, SPECIAL STATUS CATEGORY AND REGION, 2018–2020 (USD thousand)

	2018		2019		2020		
	<i>USD thousand</i>	%	<i>USD thousand</i>	%	<i>USD thousand</i>	%	
DEVELOPMENT AND RELIEF:	-	5 627 901	100.0	6 827 512	100.0	7 104 822	100.0
BY SPECIAL STATUS CATEGORY²							
Least developed countries	3 506 234	62.3	4 485 894	65.7	4 702 103	66.2	
Low-income, food-deficit countries	4 220 347	75.0	5 173 252	75.8	5 582 737	78.6	
BY REGION/COUNTRY GROUP							
Asia and the Pacific	452 895	8.0	477 807	7.0	550 162	7.7	
Middle East and Northern Africa	2 285 928	40.6	3 025 771	44.3	2 487 326	35.0	
Western Africa	709 225	12.6	717 269	10.5	966 697	13.6	
Southern Africa	448 431	8.0	647 020	9.5	760 067	10.7	
Eastern Africa	1 623 692	28.9	1 779 177	26.1	2 023 202	28.5	
Latin America and the Caribbean	107 977	1.9	180 468	2.6	317 368	4.5	

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DEVELOPMENT:	278 132	100.0	237 321	100.0	229 843	100.0
BY SPECIAL STATUS CATEGORY³						
Least developed countries	146 498	52.7	104 740	44.1	93 687	40.8
Low-income, food-deficit countries	181 953	65.4	122 755	51.7	118 808	51.7
BY REGION/COUNTRY GROUP						
Asia and the Pacific	68 857	24.8	66 616	28.1	63 685	27.7
Middle East and Northern Africa	38 013	13.7	41 302	17.4	34 561	15.0
Western Africa	31 578	11.4	30 980	13.1	26 172	11.4
Southern Africa	40 265	14.5	27 463	11.6	38 031	16.5
Eastern Africa	51 367	18.5	27 491	11.6	24 850	10.8
Latin America and the Caribbean	48 053	17.3	43 469	18.3	42 544	18.5

1. Includes operational expenditures related to active operations (CSPs) excluding direct support costs.

2. Exclusive of programme support and administrative costs.

3. Actual classifications for each year.