

Introduction to EU External Action 2024 Data Overview

Welcome to the EU External Action 2024 Data Overview Excel file. This document offers a comprehensive overview of the data presented in the 2024 Annual Report on the implementation of the European Union's external action instruments in 2023. The data encompasses various aspects of the EU's activities and achievements, categorised according to the respective results framework.

Please note that this file exclusively covers data from interventions funded by the Multi-Annual Financing Framework 2021-2027. Data collection was finalised in October 2023. Each table presents all Global Europe Results Framework (GERF) Level 2 or Instrument for Pre-Accession III (IPA III) Results Framework indicators, either in total figures or in totals accompanied by specific disaggregations.

This file should help analyse the EU's activities and impact during the above mentioned specified period. For a full picture, please see chapter 6 "Results annexes" of the 2024 Annual Report's Staff Working Document.

Annex 6 Data Tables

Multi-annual Financial Framework 2021-2027

2021-23 values for the Level 3 indicators of the Global Europe Results Framework

Indicator	Commitments 2021-23		Targets (2021-2027)	Payments 2021-23	
	Amount ('000 EUR) or Number of actions	Share %	EUR or %	Amount ('000 EUR)	Share %
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (a) climate change (adaptation and mitigation)	8,780,530	23.8%	30%	2,212,530	17.3%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (b) protecting biodiversity	2,494,220	6.8%	2024-2025: 7.5% 2026-2027: 10%	450,415	3.5%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (c) combating desertification	1,239,561	3.4%	No target defined	191,334	1.5%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (d) protecting the environment (Aid to Env)	10,221,523	27.7%	No target defined	2,658,517	20.8%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards digitalisation	7,305,753	19.8%	10%	1,986,727	15.5%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to strengthening investment climate	21,486,308	58.2%	No target defined	6,288,204	49.1%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (a) aid for trade	6,430,410	17.4%	No target defined	1,272,101	9.9%

Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (b) aid for trade to LDCs	1,170,648	18.2%	No target defined	115,095	9.0%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (c) trade facilitation	136,528	0.4%	No target defined	5,766	0.0%
Leverage of EU blending and guarantee operations financed by EU external assistance, measured as: (a) Investment leverage ratio	N/A	-	No target defined	-	-
Leverage of EU blending and guarantee operations financed by EU external assistance, measured as: (b) Total eligible financial institution financing leverage ratio	N/A	-	No target defined	-	-
Leverage of EU blending and guarantee operations financed by EU external assistance, measured as: (c) Private financing leverage ratio	N/A	-	No target defined	-	-
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards migration and forced displacement-related interventions	5,531,319	15.0%	Indicatively 10%	1,883,542	14.7%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards fragile states	9,430,549	25.6%	No target defined	2,542,366	19.8%
Share of EU-funded external interventions responding to situations of a new and/or emerging crisis	801,952	2.2%	No target defined	580,944	4.5%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards supporting social inclusion and human development	12,322,673	34.2%	20%	5,658,461	45.3%

Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards nutrition	2,807,027	7.6%	EUR 2.5 billion EU pledge for international cooperation with a nutrition objective consisting of EUR 1.4 billion of development cooperation funds committed and EUR 1.1 billion of humanitarian funds committed (2021- 2024)	687,873	5.4%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards education	3,038,107	12.9%	At least 10%	1,201,726	16.5%
Number and share of EU-funded external interventions promoting gender equality and women's empowerment	1,193 actions	84.6%	85% of new actions to score G1 or G2	-	-
Number and share of EU-funded external interventions promoting disability inclusion	398 actions	28.2%	No target defined	-	-
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards reducing inequalities	20,721,941	56.2%	No target defined	8,003,518	62.5%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance qualifying as ODA	36,065,071	97.7%	At least 93%	12,490,657	97.5%

2021-23 values for the Level 3 indicators of the IPA III Results Framework

Indicator	Commitments 2021-23		Targets (2021-2027)	Payments 2021-23	
	Amount ('000 EUR) or Number of actions	Share %	EUR or %	Amount ('000 EUR)	Share %
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (a) climate change (adaptation and mitigation)	1,663,950	26.1%	30%	344,980	22.9%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (b) protecting biodiversity	196,451	3.1%	2024-2025: 7.5% 2026-2027: 10%	41,668	2.8%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (d) protecting the environment (Aid to Env)	2,097,507	32.9%	No target defined	551,918	36.6%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards digitalisation	959,934	15.1%	10%	178,153	11.8%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to strengthening investment climate	3,561,034	55.9%	No target defined	974,371	64.6%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (a) aid for trade	1,401,350	22.0%	No target defined	160,941	10.7%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance contributing to: (c) trade facilitation	8,898	0.1%	No target defined	0	0.0%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards migration and forced displacement-related interventions	1,201,193	18.9%	No target defined	170,327	11.3%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards supporting social inclusion and human development	1,649,993	25.9%	20%	343,983	22.8%

Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards education	259,807	4.1%	No target defined	124,909	8.3%
Number and share of EU-funded external interventions promoting gender equality and women's empowerment	221 interventions	69.5%	85% of new actions to score G1 or G2	-	-
Number and share of EU-funded external interventions promoting disability inclusion	86 interventions	27.4%	No target defined	-	-
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance directed towards reducing inequalities	1,822,531	28.6%	No target defined	630,992	41.8%
Amount and share of EU-funded external assistance qualifying as ODA	6,165,549	96.8%	At least 93%	1,440,139	95.5%

2021-23 values for the Level 2 indicators of the Global Europe Results Framework

Indicator	Aggregated Value WITHOUT Baseline and deducted for double-counting
Areas of agricultural and pastoral ecosystems where sustainable management practices have been introduced with EU support (ha)	355.00
Areas of terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems under (a) protection with EU support (km2)	3,995.00
Areas of terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems under (b) sustainable management with EU support (km2)	13,700.00
Number of (a) countries supported by the EU to enhance access to digital government services	1.00
Number of (a) jobs supported/sustained by the EU	4,923.00
Number of countries supported by the EU to conduct elections and/or improve their electoral process	4.00
Number of countries supported by the EU to strengthen investment climate	1.00
Number of countries supported by the EU to strengthen revenue mobilisation, public financial management and/or budget transparency	20.00
Number of countries which have benefitted from EU support to strengthen their social protection systems	2.00
Number of electoral processes and democratic cycles supported, observed and followed by means of Election Observation Missions	14.00
Number of food insecure people receiving EU assistance	114,478.00
Number of government policies developed or revised with civil society organisation participation through EU support	32.00
Number of grassroots civil society organisations benefitting from (or reached by) EU support	34.00
Number of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) applying Sustainable Consumption and Production practices with EU support	2.00
Number of migrants, refugees, and internally displaced people or individuals from host communities protected or assisted with EU support	339,810.00
Number of people benefitting from EU-funded programmes to counter sexual and gender-based violence	705.00
Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that aim to reduce social and economic inequality	115,695.00
Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that specifically aim to support civilian post-conflict peace-building and/or conflict prevention	48,452,035.00

Number of people directly benefiting from legal aid interventions supported by the EU	4,688.00
Number of people who have benefited from institution or workplace based VET/skills development interventions supported by the EU: (a) all VET/skills development	2,360.00
Number of people with access to improved drinking water source and/or sanitation facility with EU support	7,297.00
Number of processes related to partner country practices on trade, investment and business, or promoting the external dimension of EU internal policies or EU interest, which have been influenced	1.00
Number of smallholders reached with EU supported interventions aimed to increase their sustainable production, access to markets and/or security of land	27,015.00
Number of state institutions and non-state actors supported on security, border management, countering violent extremism, conflict prevention, protection of civilian population and human rights	27.00
Number of students enrolled in education with EU support: (b) secondary education	323,785.00
Number of students enrolled in education with EU support: (a) primary education	959,274.00
Number of victims of human rights violations directly benefiting from assistance funded by the EU	1,221.00
Number of women of reproductive age, adolescent girls and children under 5 reached by nutrition related interventions supported by the EU	69,680.00
Renewable energy generation capacity installed (MW) with EU support	31.57

Global Europe Results Framework by Responsible Service

Please see the Excel file sheet “GERF by Responsible Service” to have this disaggregation.

Global Europe Results Framework by Region

	Africa (North of Sahara)	Africa (South of Sahara)	America (South America)	Asia (Far East Asia)	Asia (Middle East Asia)	Asia (South & Central Asia)	Europe	Multiple	Oceania	Grand Total
Indicator										
Areas of agricultural and pastoral ecosystems where sustainable management practices have been introduced with EU support (ha)		355.00								355.00
Areas of terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems under (a) protection with EU support (km2)		3,995.00								3,995.00
Areas of terrestrial and freshwater ecosystems under (b) sustainable management with EU support (km2)		13,700.00								13,700.00
Number of (a) countries supported by the EU to enhance access to digital government services		1.00								1.00
Number of (a) jobs supported/sustained by the EU		763.00	4,160.00							4,923.00
Number of countries supported by the EU to conduct elections and/or improve their electoral process	1.00	3.00								4.00
Number of countries supported by the EU		1.00								1.00

to strengthen investment climate										
Number of countries supported by the EU to strengthen revenue mobilisation, public financial management and/or budget transparency	1.00	8.00		2.00	2.00	3.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	20.00
Number of countries which have benefitted from EU support to strengthen their social protection systems		2.00								2.00
Number of electoral processes and democratic cycles supported, observed and followed by means of Election Observation Missions								14.00		14.00
Number of food insecure people receiving EU assistance		114,478.00								114,478.00
Number of government policies developed or revised with civil society organisation participation through EU support		32.00						-		32.00
Number of grassroots civil society organisations benefitting from (or reached by) EU support		34.00								34.00

Number of Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) applying Sustainable Consumption and Production practices with EU support		2.00							2.00
Number of migrants, refugees, and internally displaced people or individuals from host communities protected or assisted with EU support		682.00		122.00	323,397.00	9,020.00		6,589.00	339,810.00
Number of people benefitting from EU-funded programmes to counter sexual and gender-based violence		46.00						659.00	705.00
Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that aim to reduce social and economic inequality		115,695.00						-	115,695.00
Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that specifically aim to support civilian post-conflict peace-building and/or conflict prevention	6,900,000.00	419,310.00	534,674.00	13,467.00	523,023.00		61,561.00	40,000,000.00	48,452,035.00
Number of people directly benefiting from legal aid		4,688.00							4,688.00

interventions supported by the EU			
Number of people who have benefited from institution or workplace based VET/skills development interventions supported by the EU:			
(a) all VET/skills development	160.00	2,200.00	2,360.00
Number of people with access to improved drinking water source and/or sanitation facility with EU support	646.00	6,651.00	7,297.00
Number of processes related to partner country practices on trade, investment and business, or promoting the external dimension of EU internal policies or EU interest, which have been influenced		1.00	1.00
Number of smallholders reached with EU supported interventions aimed to increase their sustainable production, access to markets and/or security of land	27,015.00		27,015.00

Number of state institutions and non-state actors supported on security, border management, countering violent extremism, conflict prevention, protection of civilian population and human rights	16.00	11.00								27.00
Number of students enrolled in education with EU support: (b) secondary education		78,074.00				397.00		245,314.00		323,785.00
Number of students enrolled in education with EU support: (a) primary education		427,288.00				284.00		531,702.00		959,274.00
Number of victims of human rights violations directly benefiting from assistance funded by the EU			1,221.00							1,221.00
Number of women of reproductive age, adolescent girls and children under 5 reached by nutrition related interventions supported by the EU		69,680.00								69,680.00
Renewable energy generation capacity installed (MW) with EU support		31.57								31.57
Grand Total	6,900,018.00	1,276,700.57	540,055.00	13,592.00	846,422.00	15,674.00	65,102.00	43,784,591.00	1.00	53,442,155.57

Instrument for Pre-Accession III Results Framework Totals

Indicator	Sum of Value WITHOUT Baseline and deducted for double-counting
(Number of) Jointly developed solutions	6.00
Number of initiatives led by civil society and supported by the EU	4.00
Number of public policies developed and/or revised with internal and external consultations with EU support	2.00
Number of public policies to strengthen revenue mobilisation, public financial management and/or budget transparency a) developed with EU support	1.00
Number of public policies promoting digitalisation b) under implementation with EU support	1.00
Number of costed sectoral strategies regularly monitored whose implementation is supported by the EU	1.00
Number of EU funded interventions reporting improvement of state institutions' capacities in (a) law enforcement with EU support	1.00
Number of EU funded interventions reporting improvement of state institutions' capacities in (b) judiciary with EU support	1.00
Number of EU-funded interventions aimed at improving the situation of Roma (in particular on discrimination, education, housing, employment, health and civil registration and inclusion in the green and digital transition)	3.00
Number of grassroots civil society organisations benefitting from (or reached by) EU support	95.00
Number of laws that have passed public consultation and regulatory impact assessment (RIA)	2.00
Number of legal/administrative acts/measures (incl. at Constitutional level) (a) developed and/or revised with EU support, with the objective of increasing independence and impartiality, and/or accountability, and/or professionalism and/or competence, and/or efficiency of the national justice system	1.00
Number of migrants, refugees, and internally displaced people or individuals from host communities protected or assisted with EU support	60,393.00
Number of migration management or forced displacement strategies or policies (b) under implementation with EU support	2.00
Number of organisations/institutions with increased capacities	28.00

Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that aim to reduce social and economic inequality	246,720.00
Number of people reached with EU-funded awareness raising campaigns (disaggregated by sex and age)	949,162.00
Number of people who benefit from access to digitalised public and private services thanks to EU support	3,500.00
Number of recommendations provided in the context of the case-based peer reviews on organised crime and corruption fully implemented	1.00
Number of relevant public policies A) developed/revised with EU support	2.00
Number of studies supported (technical, economic, and environmental, gender)	1.00

Instrument for Pre-Accession III Results Framework by Responsible Service

Indicator	DELEG AL	DELEG BA	DELEG ME	DELEG MK	DELEG RS	DELEG XK	NEAR/A/02	NEAR/D/01	NEAR/D/05	Grand Total
(Number of) Jointly developed solutions									6.00	6.00
Number of initiatives led by civil society and supported by the EU									4.00	4.00
Number of public policies developed and/or revised with internal and external consultations with EU support				1.00		1.00				2.00
Number of public policies to strengthen revenue mobilisation, public financial management and/or budget transparency a) developed with EU support							1.00			1.00
Number of public policies promoting digitalisation b) under implementation with EU support					1.00					1.00
Number of costed sectoral strategies regularly monitored whose implementation is supported by the EU	1.00									1.00
Number of EU funded interventions reporting improvement of state institutions' capacities in (a) law enforcement with EU support						1.00				1.00
Number of EU funded interventions reporting improvement of state institutions' capacities in								1.00		1.00

(b) judiciary with EU support				
Number of EU-funded interventions aimed at improving the situation of Roma (in particular on discrimination, education, housing, employment, health and civil registration and inclusion in the green and digital transition)			3.00	3.00
Number of grassroots civil society organisations benefitting from (or reached by) EU support		- 41.00	54.00	95.00
Number of laws that have passed public consultation and regulatory impact assessment (RIA)	1.00	1.00		2.00
Number of legal/administrative acts/measures (incl. at Constitutional level) (a) developed and/or revised with EU support, with the objective of increasing independence and impartiality, and/or accountability, and/or professionalism and/or competence, and/or efficiency of the national justice system			1.00	1.00
Number of migrants, refugees, and internally displaced people or individuals from host communities protected or assisted with EU support	36,038.00	24,355.00		60,393.00

Number of migration management or forced displacement strategies or policies (b) under implementation with EU support	2.00			2.00
Number of organisations/institutions with increased capacities		28.00		28.00
Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that aim to reduce social and economic inequality		246,720.00		246,720.00
Number of people reached with EU-funded awareness raising campaigns (disaggregated by sex and age)	-		949,162.00	949,162.00
Number of people who benefit from access to digitalised public and private services thanks to EU support	3,500.00			3,500.00
Number of recommendations provided in the context of the case-based peer reviews on organised crime and corruption fully implemented		1.00		1.00
Number of relevant public policies A) developed/revised with EU support		1.00	1.00	2.00
Number of studies supported (technical, economic, and environmental, gender)		1.00		1.00

Instrument for Pre-Accession III Results Framework by Region

Indicator	Western Balkans Region	Grand Total
(Number of) Jointly developed solutions	6.00	6.00
Number of initiatives led by civil society and supported by the EU	4.00	4.00
Number of public policies developed and/or revised with internal and external consultations with EU support	2.00	2.00
Number of public policies to strengthen revenue mobilisation, public financial management and/or budget transparency a) developed with EU support	1.00	1.00
Number of public policies promoting digitalisation b) under implementation with EU support	1.00	1.00
Number of costed sectoral strategies regularly monitored whose implementation is supported by the EU	1.00	1.00
Number of EU funded interventions reporting improvement of state institutions' capacities in (a) law enforcement with EU support	1.00	1.00
Number of EU funded interventions reporting improvement of state institutions' capacities in (b) judiciary with EU support	1.00	1.00
Number of EU-funded interventions aimed at improving the situation of Roma (in particular on discrimination, education, housing, employment, health and civil registration and inclusion in the green and digital transition)	3.00	3.00
Number of grassroots civil society organisations benefitting from (or reached by) EU support	95.00	95.00
Number of laws that have passed public consultation and regulatory impact assessment (RIA)	2.00	2.00
Number of legal/administrative acts/measures (incl. at Constitutional level) (a) developed and/or revised with EU support, with the objective of increasing independence and impartiality, and/or accountability, and/or professionalism and/or competence, and/or efficiency of the national justice system	1.00	1.00
Number of migrants, refugees, and internally displaced people or individuals from host communities protected or assisted with EU support	60,393.00	60,393.00

Number of migration management or forced displacement strategies or policies (b) under implementation with EU support	2.00	2.00
Number of organisations/institutions with increased capacities	28.00	28.00
Number of people directly benefiting from EU supported interventions that aim to reduce social and economic inequality	246,720.00	246,720.00
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Number of relevant public policies A) developed/revised with EU support	2.00	2.00
Number of studies supported (technical, economic, and environmental, gender)	1.00	1.00