What is IATI?

What is the International Aid Transparency Initiative?

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International Aid Transparency Initiative

IATI Members Assembly

11 September 2019
IATI VISION:

“Transparent, good quality information on development resources and results is available and used by all stakeholder groups to help achieve sustainable development outcomes.”

- agreed at IATI’s first Members’ Assembly in 2016.
How does IATI work?

IATI Standard

Development & humanitarian Organisation data

Access data
What’s in IATI data?

- Past spending
- Future budget plans
- Strategic documents
- Results
- Location
- Sector
Who publishes their spending and projects to IATI?

Over 1000 IATI publishers

- Donor governments
- Multilateral organisations
- Development Finance Institutions
- Philanthropic Foundations
- Fund managers
- International non-governmental organisations
- National non-governmental organisations
- Private sector organisations
- Academic, training and research organisations
### Who uses IATI data?

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Why use IATI data?

- Future spending plans, not just past spending
- Information beyond finances
- Many kinds of resources
- Trace funds through complex delivery chains
- Discover more organisations
- Up-to-date information
- All the data in one place
- Compare data from different organisations
Case studies

Madagascar case study
The Government of Madagascar uses IATI data to discover millions of dollars of spending on development and humanitarian projects in the country, that were previously unknown to them.

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Oxfam Novib case study
By publishing data on their spending to IATI, Oxfam Novib has strengthened their commitment to transparency, improved information for internal decision-making and showcased their development activities to the world through their online portal, Atlas.

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How is IATI run?

Members’ Assembly

Governing Board

Secretariat

Technical team

IATI Community (currently TAG)

IATI Chair

Accountable

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At the MA:

- Set and approve IATI’s strategic direction
- Approve major changes to the IATI Standard
- Change IATI governance and SOP
- Receive updates on the delivery of the budget & workplan
- Learn and share best practice from other members

Providers of development cooperation

Partner countries

Civil society organisations

Private sector organisations
Get involved in IATI

- Join IATI as a member
- Engage on IATI online forum: *Discuss*
- Sign-up to IATI’s newsletter
- Join key working groups, online webinars and learning events
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