Country-Level Data for Arab States RO country
Outcome XM-DAC-41146-RAS_D_10.3

Data as of:
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OUTCOME RAS_D_10.3 XM-DAC-41146-RAS_D_10.3

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OUTCOME DETAILS

SDG alignment

Impact areas

Women, peace and security, humanitarian action and disaster risk reduction

Organizational outputs

Women's voice, leadership and agency

Policy Marker

GENDER EQUALITY

Humanitarian Scope

No

UN System Function

Advocacy, communications and social mobilization

Outcome Description

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UN Partners

UNDP

Capacity development and technical assistance

Direct support and service delivery

Integrated policy advice and thought leadership

RESOURCES

$3.91 M
Planned Budget

$3.27 M
Actual Budget



Funding Partners

Other resources (Non-Core)/ Funding Partners:

Norway $865,659

Netherlands (the) $502,847

Finland $877,599

European Commission $1,022,817

TOTAL OTHER RESOURCES (NON-CORE)
$3,268,922

OUTCOME INDICATOR AND RESULTS

PLAN PERIOD : **2022-2025**

OUTCOME RAS_D_10.3

B - Baseline M - Milestones T - Target

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Women and women's organizations lead, participate and advocate effectively in the Syrian political process from a gender and women's rights perspective	RAS_D_10.3A Number of instances where the concerns/issues/recommendations put forward by women's civil society are addressed in outcome documents or statements related to political processes or other high-level discussions on the future of Syria	2022 (Baseline)	12	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	1	3
		2023 (Milestone)	1	-
		2024 (Milestone)	1	-
		2025 (Target)	1	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3B Number of new or updated position papers and knowledge products etc. undertaken by supported women leaders	2020 (Baseline)	1	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	2 per annum	12
	2023 (Milestone)	2 per annum	-
	2024 (Milestone)	2 per annum	-
	2025 (Target)	2 per annum	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3C Percentage of stakeholders and beneficiaries indicating relevance of UN Women interventions in advancing women's rights and gender equality in the Syrian context	2021 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	40	93
	2023 (Milestone)	50	-
	2024 (Milestone)	60	-
	2025 (Target)	70	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP_D_0.5.4 Level of influence of civil society organizations working on gender equality and women's empowerment, including women's organizations, in key normative, policy and peace processes (CO, RO, HQ)	2021 (Baseline)	8	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	3
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Target)	-	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP_D_4.2 Percentage of women mediators, negotiators, and signatories in major peace processes (Desk Review)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	-
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Target)	-	-

- Common Indicator :

OUTPUT INDICATOR AND RESULTS

OUTPUT RAS_D_10.3.1

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Syrian women have increased access to the political processes and discussions on the future of Syria.	RAS_D_10.3.1A Percentage of WAB meetings that are convened in parallel to official talks.	2021 (Baseline)	30	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	35	100
		2023 (Milestone)	40	-
		2024 (Milestone)	45	-
		2025 (Target)	50	-

Planned Budget:
$3.49 M



Actual Budget and Shortfall:
$1.58 M

Shortfall: $1.91 M



Expenses:
$1.64 M



INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.1B Number of Security Council statements on Syria that reference gender equality and women's rights issues	2022 (Baseline)	3	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	72
	2023 (Milestone)	4	-
	2024 (Milestone)	5	-
	2025 (Target)	7	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.1C Percentage of WAB members reporting increased capacity to influence political process and discussions on the future of Syria	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	30	89
	2023 (Milestone)	40	-
	2024 (Milestone)	50	-
	2025 (Target)	60	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.1D Percentage of WAB members who report deepened knowledge on key issues affecting the future of Syria	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	30	97
	2023 (Milestone)	40	-
	2024 (Milestone)	50	-
	2025 (Target)	60	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.1E Percentage increase in high-level meetings conducted by the WAB	2021 (Baseline)	8.00	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	69
	2023 (Milestone)	5	-
	2024 (Milestone)	15	-
	2025 (Target)	20	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP_D_0.5.c Number of dialogues, mechanisms, platforms and/or coalitions created and sustained that enable meaningful and safe participation and engagement by gender equality advocates and civil society organizations working on gender equality and women's empowerment, especially women's organizations, in decision-making (CO, RO, HQ)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	1
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Target)	-	-

OUTPUT RAS_D_10.3.2

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Syrian women's civil society organizations at the local level have increased capacity, access to financial and technical resources and ability to influence stakeholders operating on all tracks of the political process as well as key decision-makers in their communities.	RAS_D_10.3.2B % of civil society beneficiaries reporting increased knowledge on topics related to political processes, gender equality and women's rights	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	50	72
		2023 (Milestone)	60	-
		2024 (Milestone)	70	-
		2025 (Target)	80	-

Planned Budget:
$1.65 M



Actual Budget and Shortfall:
$1.08 M

Shortfall: $571.07 K



Expenses:
$399.34 K



INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.2C Percentage of civil society beneficiaries reporting increased access to stakeholders involved in political processes	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	20	93
	2023 (Milestone)	30	-
	2024 (Milestone)	40	-
	2025 (Target)	50	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.2D Percentage of organizations supported reporting increased organizational capacity	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	20	74
	2023 (Milestone)	40	-
	2024 (Milestone)	60	-
	2025 (Target)	80	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP_D_0.5.d Number of civil society organizations working on gender equality and women's empowerment, especially women's organizations, that have strengthened capacity to exercise their leadership role towards the achievement of gender equality and women's empowerment (CO, RO, HQ)	2021 (Baseline)	8	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	2	47
	2023 (Milestone)	2	-
	2024 (Milestone)	2	-
	2025 (Target)	2	-

OUTPUT RAS_D_10.3.3

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
Local, national and international stakeholders have access to high quality knowledge products that improve understanding and inform programme design on gender equality, women's rights, political participation, and socio-economic issues in the context of Syria	RAS_D_10.3.3B Level of use of analytical products by stakeholders	2021 (Baseline)	NA	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	Occassionally/sometimes use	NA
		2023 (Milestone)	Occassionally/sometimes use	-
		2024 (Milestone)	Frequently use	-
		2025 (Target)	Frequently use	-

Planned Budget:
$1.29 M



Actual Budget and Shortfall:
$385.23 K

Shortfall: $904.80 K

Expenses:
$262.41 K

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.3C Number of stakeholders that receive UNW analytical products	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	500	2910
	2023 (Milestone)	1000	-
	2024 (Milestone)	1500	-
	2025 (Target)	2000	-

	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
	SP_D_0.6.c Number of gender statistics and sex-disaggregated data collection initiatives, including in emerging areas conducted or analyzed (CO)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	-	0
		2023 (Milestone)	-	-
		2024 (Milestone)	-	-
		2025 (Target)	-	-

OUTPUT RAS_D_10.3.4

OUTCOME STATEMENT	INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
International stakeholders working on the political participation of women in Syria improve coordination and information-sharing on programming and policy interventions on gender equality and women's rights. Planned Budget: **$530.27 K**	RAS_D_10.3.4B Number of responsive meetings convened to leverage policy windows	2021 (Baseline)	2	N/A
		2022 (Milestone)	2	9
		2023 (Milestone)	6	-
		2024 (Milestone)	6	-
		2025 (Target)	6	-

Actual Budget and Shortfall:
$226.27 K

Shortfall: $304.00 K

Expenses:
$86.50 K

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.4C Percentage of stakeholder respondents that report higher level of understanding of gender equality dimensions of the Syrian conflict	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	40	94
	2023 (Milestone)	50	-
	2024 (Milestone)	50	-
	2025 (Target)	75	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
RAS_D_10.3.4D Percentage of Syrian women civil society actors that report increased information sharing and coordination with other relevant groups and individuals	2022 (Baseline)	0	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	30	78
	2023 (Milestone)	40	-
	2024 (Milestone)	50	-
	2025 (Target)	60	-

INDICATOR STATEMENT	YEAR	BMTS	REPORTED RESULT
SP_D_0.7.a Number of thematic interagency mechanisms/teams that effectively address gender mainstreaming in priority areas (CO, RO, HQ)	(Baseline)	-	N/A
	2022 (Milestone)	-	0
	2023 (Milestone)	-	-
	2024 (Milestone)	-	-
	2025 (Target)	-	-

STRATEGIC NOTE OUTCOME PROGRESS NOTE

SHOWING DATA OF : **2022**

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Implementation of this outcome is on track. Overall, Syrian women heightened their influence and presence in high-level fora. The Women's Advisory Board (WAB) now holds an important role as a trusted advisory body to the Special Envoy (SE) and is recognised as one of the most inclusive structures in the political process and as a source of expertise on a broad range of issues related to Syria. The Office of the Special Evoy for Syria (OSE) was more open to the inputs and expertise of the WAB as a result of the WAB’s strengthened political and constitutional advisory role. The WAB has also reported an increased demand for and openness to its expertise in broader civil society circles. UN Women contributed to these results by facilitating and strengthening linkages between the different political tracks and stakeholders , supporting the capacity building , convening and work of the WAB and Syrian civil society, and creating synergies across the Syria programme’s four pillars: 1) political process ; 2) civil society; 3) research ; and 4) coordination. • 10.3A: Number of instances where the concerns/issues/recommendations put forward by women's civil society are addressed in outcome documents or statements related to the political process or other high-level discussions on the future of Syria: In 2022, the European Union (EU) and the SE included the concerns/issues/recommendations put forward by Syrian women's civil society in three (3) instances, surpassing the target of one (1) instance in 2022. These included the press statement of the SE at the end of the 8th round; Brussels VI Conference statement of the SE; and the Brussels Conference statement of the EU HR/VP. The EU and the SE included the WAB in their statements at the high-level segment of the Brussels VI conference. This resulted from the WAB’s effective advocacy efforts in Brussels on the side lines of the Brussels IV Conference on the Future of Syria. As a result of the WAB meeting, which was held in parallel to the Brussels VI conference, the WAB engaged in extensive analysis on the status of gender equality and women’s rights in Syria as well as formulated strategic priorities and messages, which the WAB members then effectively conveyed to high-level officials. This resulted in the inclusion of these priorities in the outcome statement of the meeting and the remarks of the SE and HR/VP. High-level meetings are an effective tool to nudge the WAB towards joint positions. These meetings also increased WAB legitimacy and solidified its role as a

key interlocutor in the political process. UN Women contributed to these results by facilitating and providing operational support to convene WAB meetings, capacity building of the WAB, and strengthening linkages between the different political tracks and stakeholders . Security Council briefings have been reported under indicator 10.3.1B. • 10.3B: Number of new or updated position papers and knowledge products undetaken by supported women leaders: The OSE and its work related to the Constitutional Committee for Syria (CC) are more informed about constitutional issues. This is a result of the WAB's preparation and submission of 12 knowledge products to the OSE during 2022, surpassing the target of two position papers per annum (outcome indicator 2). In Q1, the WAB officially submitted seven (confidential) constitutional principles to the OSE in the context of the March 2022 WAB meeting in Vaud, Switzerland. The WAB submitted both constitutional principles proposed by the negotiating delegations during the sixth round (October 2021) and the seventh round of the CC (March 2022). The four October proposals were on the army, armed forces, security and intelligence, the rule of law, sovereignty, independence and territorial integrity of the Syrian Arab Republic; and terrorism and extremism. The three proposals submitted in March related to basics of governance, state symbols, and regulation and functions of public authorities. The WAB submitted four further (confidential) constitutional principles to the OSE in the context of the May-June 2022 WAB meeting in Vaud, Switzerland, held in parallel to the eighth meeting of the CC. These proposals for constitutional principles related to unilateral coercive measures from a constitutional perspective, maintaining and strengthening State institutions, supremacy of the constitution and status of international treaties, as well as transitional justice. Lastly, the WAB submitted one position paper to the OSE in Q3. This was a scenario paper which the WAB developed as a consequence of the August-September 2022 WAB meeting. UN Women contributed to these results by facilitating and providing operational support to convene WAB meetings, capacity building of the WAB, and strengthening linkages between the different political tracks and stakeholders . • 10.3C: Percentage of stakeholders and beneficiaries indicating relevance of UN Women interventions in advancing women's rights and gender equality in the Syrian context: On average, 93% of surveyed stakeholders and beneficiaries reported positive relevance of UN Women’s interventions in advancing women’s rights and gender equality in the Syrian context. This result surpasses the 2022 target of 40% by 53 percentage points. According to the annual evaluation of the WAB, 100 per cent of WAB members agreed that UN Women support was relevant to their work (an increase from 75% in agreement in 2021), surpassing the 2022 of 40 per cent. Moreover, the evaluation of the Geneva WAB meeting in November 2022 indicated that all WAB members attending the meeting (100%) believed were of the opinion that the meeting was relevant to their work. The target was further surpassed in the evaluation of the coordination meeting between UN Women’s civil society partners, in which 93 per cent of the respondents agreed that the workshop was relevant to their work to advance women’s rights and gender equality in the Syrian context.