

Getting more out of the National Statistical System – Better coordination:

PCBS Experience-Palestine

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NSDS 2014-2018 - Objectives

Overall objective:

To develop an integrated, sustainable and effective national statistical system.

Strategic objectives:

- Improve the use of statistics in decision making
- Set-up better partnerships with users and producers of the NSS
- Enhance quality for statistics
- Increase and better use administrative records for statistics



Achievements on 2009-2013 strategic

objectiv	e	
NSDS Goal	Planned	Accomplished
Supporting and strengthening the	51	35
national statistical system		
Dissemination and increased use of	46	41
statistical data		
Improving the use of centralized	23	21
administrative records		
Developing sectoral statistics	28	24
Developing national, regional and	8	8
international relations		
Developing technical and administrative	9	9
aspects		
Total	165	138



Contribution of NSDS to effective use of statistics

- Met the needs of data users –website development, research center, metadata system and statistical calendar
- Provide data for decision maker on Palestinians in Diaspora
- 82% of government institutions use the data in planning and policy making
- 19% of private sector uses statistical data in planning



Main challenges

- A number of line ministries are not committed to use standards and classifications
- A number of ministries have not assigned a specific body to work on official statistics
- Lack of sufficient HR to develop the administrative records



PCBS Indicators

	Total	Surveys and Censuses	Administrative data	Mixed
Number	500	300	184	76
Percentage	100	53.6	32.8	13.6



Statistical Monitoring System - Approach

MDGs experience: using Devifo for 31 indicators

Statistical Monitoring System: Building the system

- •Legal framework/reference
- National Team-Leading role for PCBS
- Technical Committees-Supervised by PCBS
- Wide Consultations
- •Develop the indicators-Strategic plans/development
- •Data Gathering: PCBS & Line ministries
- •Design the Data base: (px-web)
- •Launch: PCBS conference Sep 2013



Statistical Monitoring System

Indicators

	Total	MDGs	Economic	Social	Gover- nance	Israeli measures
Number	138	31	51	42	6	8
Percentage	100	22.5	37.0	30.4	4.3	5.8



Thank you