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Spanish Agency for
International Development
Cooperation



Achieving sustainable human development, eradicating poverty, promoting active peacebuilding, and fostering the full exercise of global citizens' rights, are the shared goals by all actors of the Spanish Cooperation , including the Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation (AECID), under the aegis of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Cooperation, which manages and coordinates the Spanish Government's budget earmarked for development cooperation.

The AECID is firmly committed to improve the quality and the effectiveness of aid

Geographical priorities



Group A - Wide-ranging partnerships

Least Developed Countries, Low Income Countries or Lower Middle Income Countries, where there are opportunities to establish a long-term partnership framework which will enable large amounts of ODA to be channelled and a wide range of instruments to be used.



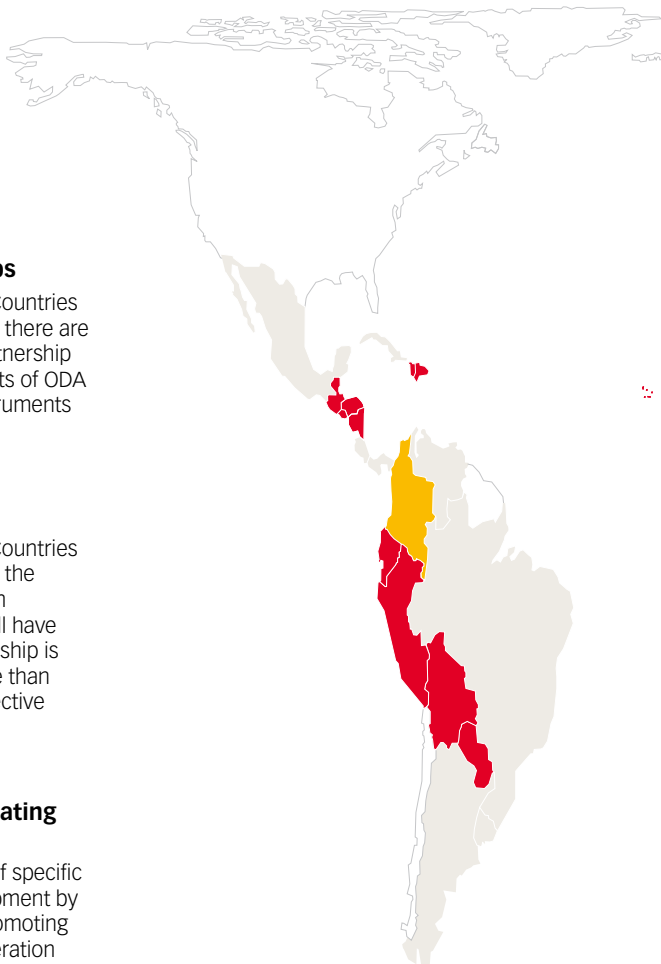
Group B - Focused partnerships:

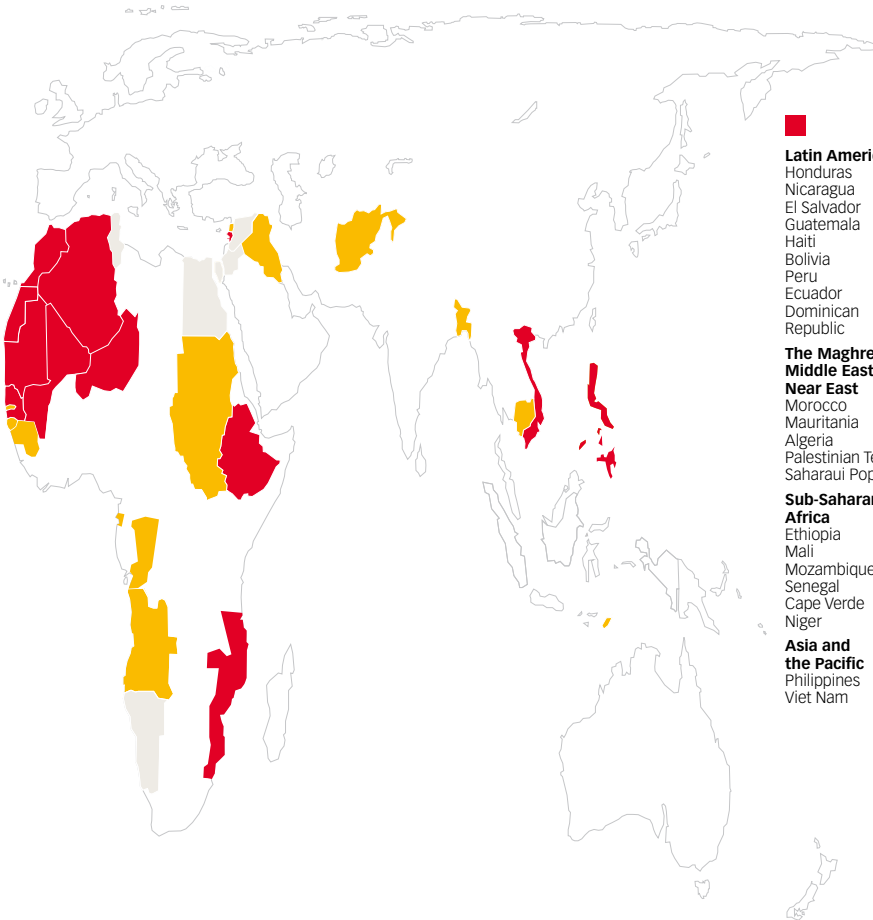
Least Developed Countries, Low Income Countries or Lower Middle Income Countries, where the cooperation programme does not allow an A-type partnership. Those partnerships will have greater development impact if the partnership is focused on a single key sector, or on more than one, but with a single approach and a selective use of instruments.



Group C - Partnerships for consolidating development achievements:

Countries that enable the establishment of specific partnership strategies to promote development by strengthening inclusive public policies, promoting south-south cooperation, triangular cooperation and the provision of global public goods.





Latin America

- Honduras
- Nicaragua
- El Salvador
- Guatemala
- Haiti
- Bolivia
- Peru
- Ecuador
- Dominican Republic

The Maghreb, Middle East and Near East

- Morocco
- Mauritania
- Algeria
- Palestinian Territories
- Saharawi Population

Sub-Saharan Africa

- Ethiopia
- Mali
- Mozambique
- Senegal
- Cape Verde
- Niger

Asia and the Pacific

- Philippines
- Viet Nam



Latin America

- Colombia

Middle East

- Iraq
- Libano

Sub-Saharan Africa

- Equatorial Guinea
- Sudan
- Guinea-Bissau
- Gambia
- Angola
- Democratic Republic of the Congo
- Guinea-Conakry

Asia and the Pacific

- Timor-Leste
- Afghanistan
- Cambodia
- Bangladesh



Latin America

- Costa Rica
- Brazil
- Mexico
- Venezuela
- Panama
- Argentina
- Uruguay
- Cuba

The Maghreb, Middle East and Near East

- Syria
- Tunisia
- Egypt
- Jordan

Sub-Saharan Africa

- Namibia



Grain selection. Coffee Programme. Nicaragua. AECID/VA. Diaz-Parra

AECID around the world

AECID's international network currently includes 42 Technical Cooperation Offices that manage, coordinate and monitor the Agency's development interventions in the field; 19 Cultural Centres, in charge of cultural cooperation and programming; and four Training Centres, where courses and seminars are given.

Cooperation instruments

The AECID uses different development assistance channels:

- Cooperation programmes and projects
- Direct Budget Supports and Pool Funds
- Technical assistance to institutions from partner countries, programme assistance and micro-credits
- Contributions to multilateral programmes and organisations, as well as to global funds.
- Grants to NGOs and other development actors
- Humanitarian action
- Awareness-raising and education for development programmes

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Fighting against poverty means improving the rights, capacities and opportunities of the most vulnerable people in economic, social, and cultural terms, by guaranteeing the protection of their human rights so that they may lead decent lives.

AECID goals

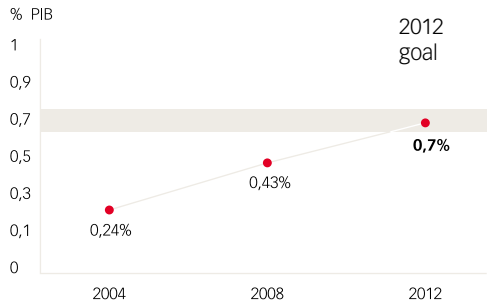
- Contribute to **poverty reduction** in developing countries.
- Promote **sustainable human development**, strengthening the capacities of partner countries.
- Contribute to peace, freedom, and human security, promoting **respect for human rights** and the development of democratic systems.
- Promote **social cohesion** by fostering and promoting public policies related to good governance in developing countries.
- Contribute to achieving the **Millennium Development Goals** approved at the United Nations Millennium Summit in 2000.
- Strengthen **gender equality**, through sectoral and cross-cutting actions incorporated into cooperation programmes and projects, and by promoting equality policies.
- Contribute to improving **environmental quality** through sectoral and cross-cutting actions incorporated into cooperation programmes and projects, and by promoting environmental policies.
- Strengthen **humanitarian action**, encompassing both prevention and assistance in emergency and reconstruction situations.
- **Improve development awareness and education**, both in Spain and in its partner countries.
- Promote the role of culture and knowledge in development, with a special focus on fostering **respect for cultural diversity**.

Spanish cooperation priorities

The 2009-2012 Master Plan establishes the following priorities horizontal and Cross-cutting

- **Social Inclusion and Fight against Poverty**
- **Promoting Human Rights and Democratic Governance**
- **Gender in Development**
- **Environmental Sustainability**
- **Respect for Cultural Diversity**

Increase in Official Development Assistance



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Sectors for intervention of spanish cooperation and goals for 2012

Democratic governance

Promote the quality of democracy and respect for fundamental rights, with real and effective citizenship's participation

Rural development and fight against hunger

Contribute to making reality the human right to food, and improve the living and food security conditions of the rural and urban populations

Education

Contribute to achieving the right to universal primary education, by strengthening public education systems

Health

Contribute effectively to improving general health, especially in those populations suffering situations of extreme poverty and vulnerability

Water and sanitation

Promote the human right to water, and improving and expanding coverage of, and access to, safe drinking water and basic sanitation

Economic growth for poverty reduction

Support and promote inclusive, equitable, sustainable economic growth that respects the environment, based on the generation of economic, business, and associative networks in partner countries

Environmental sustainability, fight against climate change, and protection of the habitat

Contribute to sustainable management of natural resources

Science, technology and innovation

Favour processes of generation, ownership and utilization of scientific and technological know-how to improve living conditions, economic growth, and social equality

Culture and development

Promote opportunities and capacities for individuals and communities as key elements of sustainable human development

Gender in development

Contribute to achieving the full exercise of human rights for women

Migration and development

Promote the positive reciprocal impact of migration and development, through promoting co-development and supporting the creation and implementation of appropriate and consistent migration policies in countries of origin, transit, and destination

Peacebuilding

Contribute to the development of peace, justice, equality, and security in conflict and post-conflict situations, including institutional strengthening, transitional justice, and empowering civil society



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