



FIGHTING POVERTY AND INEQUALITIES THROUGH ENHANCED ODA FOR SOCIAL PROTECTION

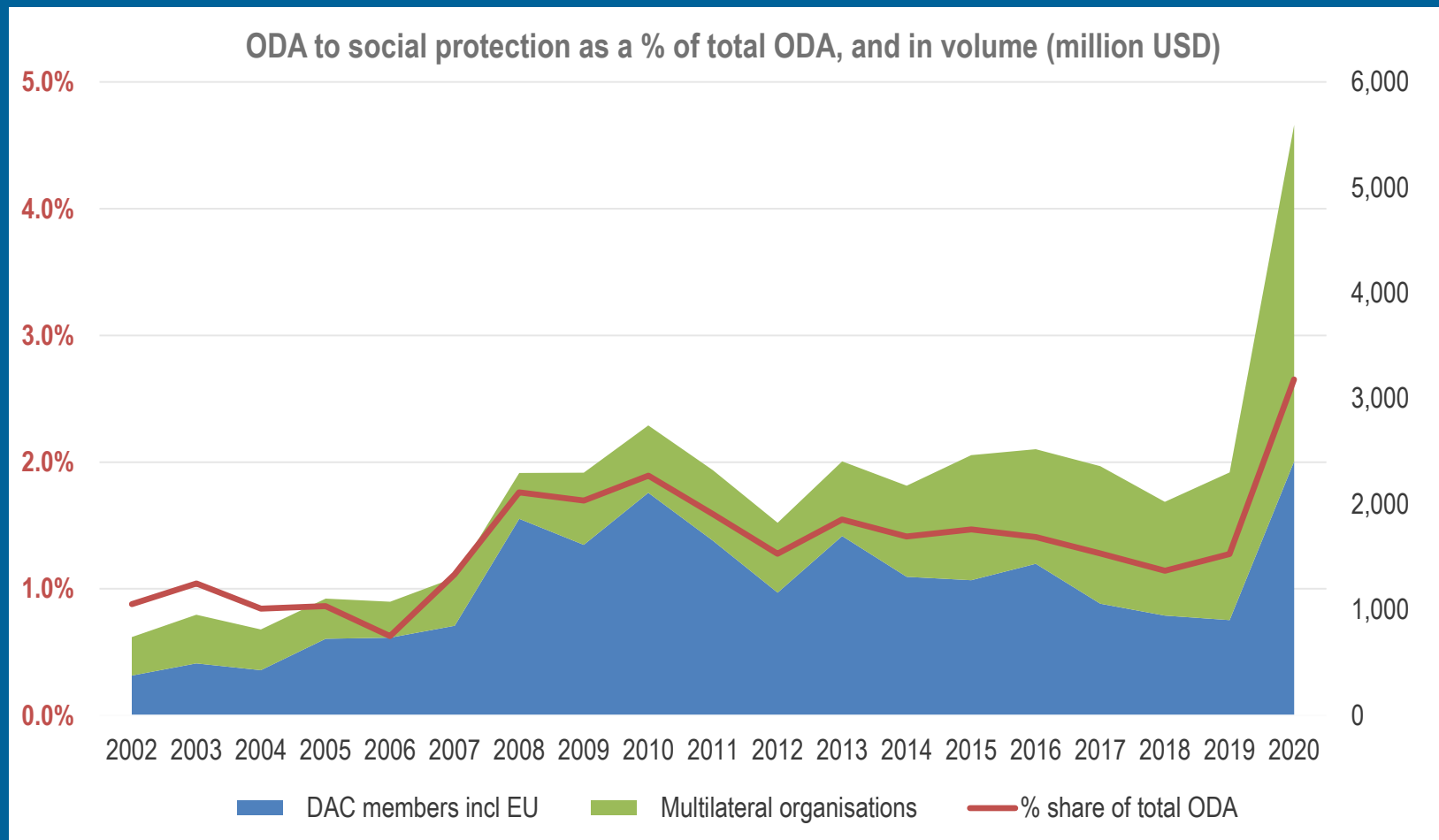
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LATEST DATA ON ODA TO SOCIAL PROTECTION



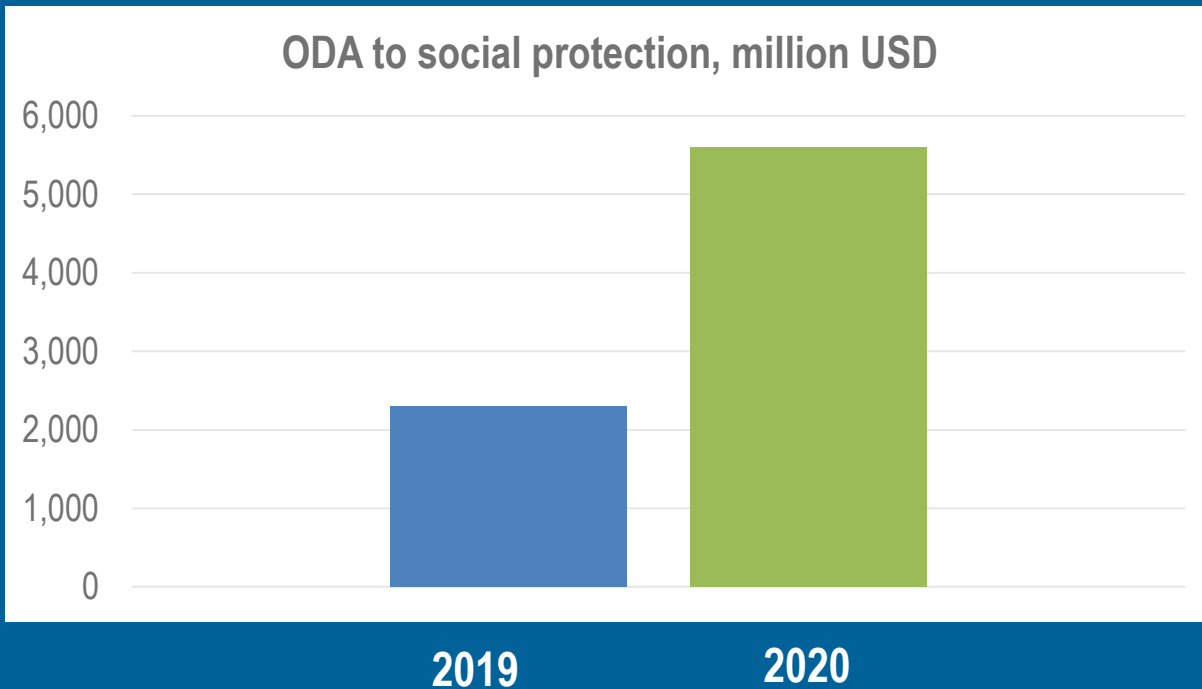
ODA in support to social protection – trends



Note: gross disbursements at 2020 constant prices, million USD, including ODA from DAC members and multilateral outflows.
CRS purpose code for social protection: 16010
Source: OECD CRS



ODA in support to social protection – overall



ODA to SP more than doubled between 2019-2020

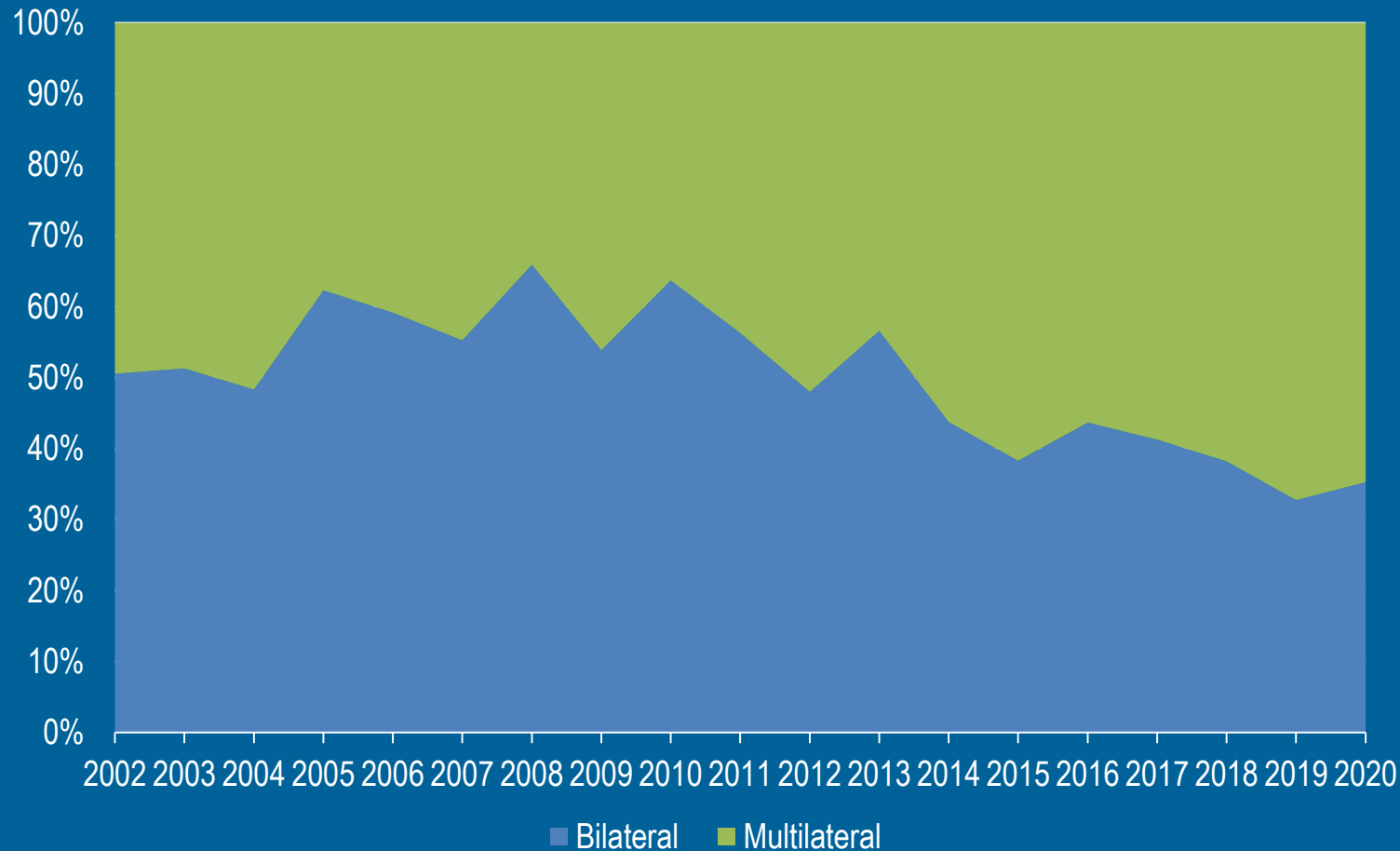
- 2020: USD 5.6 billion (2.7% of total ODA) – all-time high
- 2019: USD 2.3 billion (1.3% of total ODA)

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ODA in support to social protection – bilateral vs. multilateral support



In 2020:

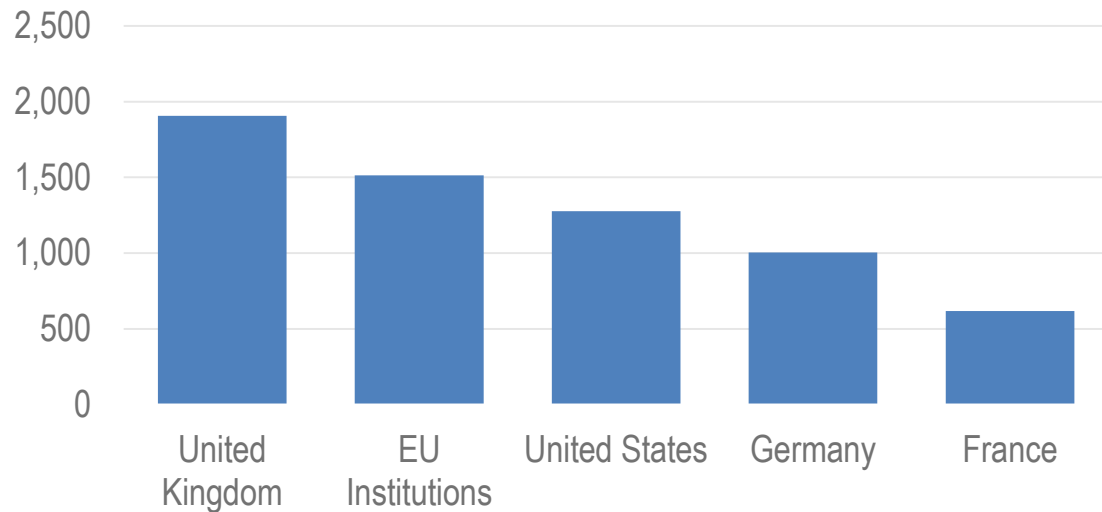
- 65% of ODA in support to SP provided through multilateral organisations (USD 3.6bn)
 - ~ 2/3 from World Bank's IDA
- 35% of ODA in support to SP provided bilaterally (USD 2bn)
 - 9 DAC members have doubled or even tripled their contributions to social protection between 2019 and 2020, with the largest increases Germany, France and Sweden.

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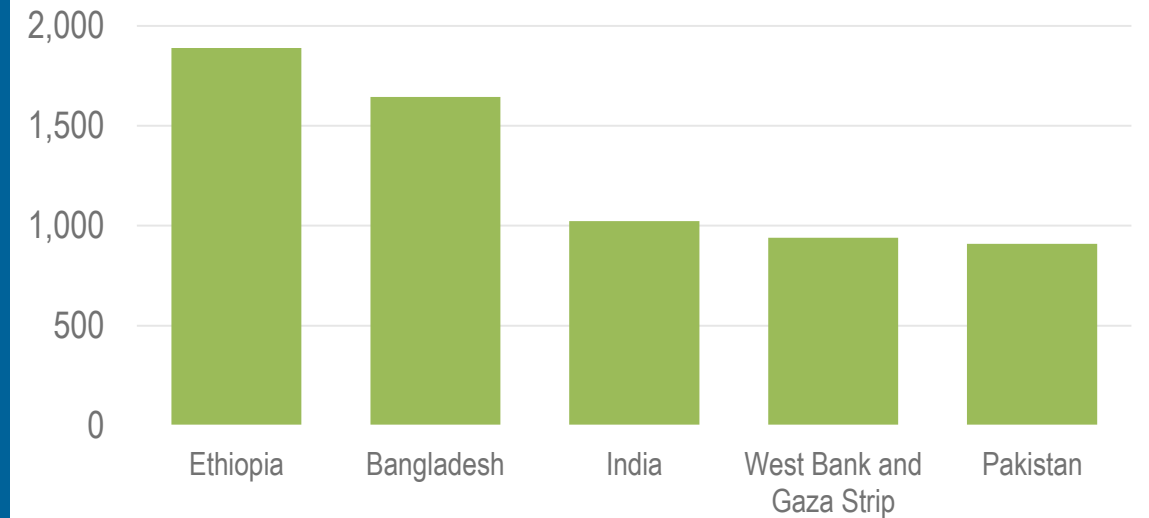


ODA in support to social protection – top providers and recipients

Top 5 DAC members, 2015-20, million USD



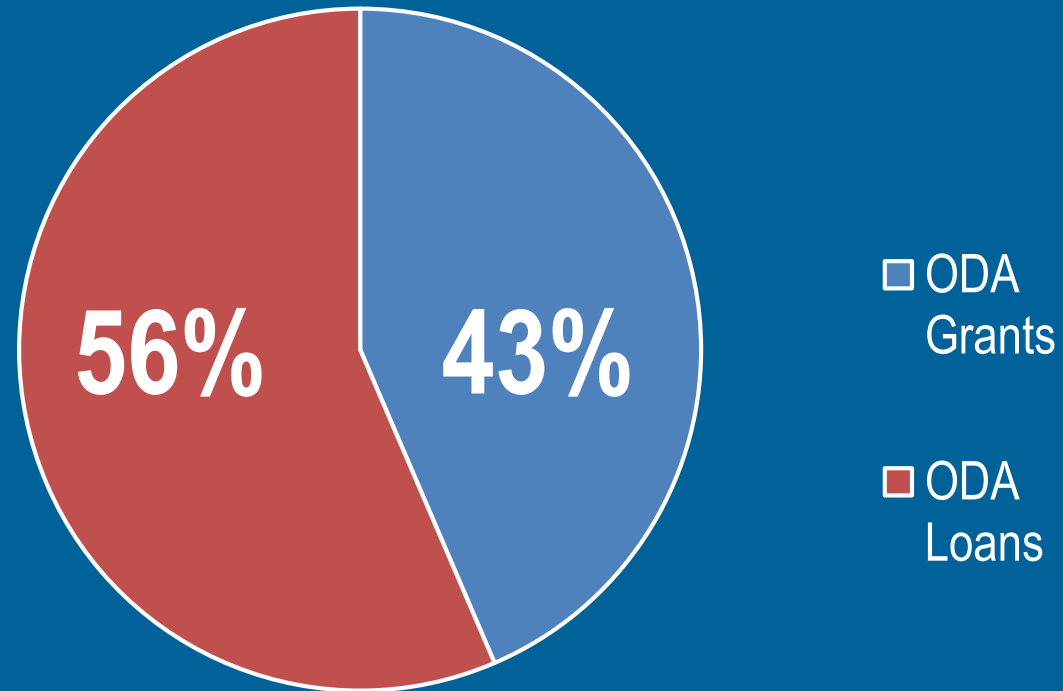
TOP 5 recipient countries, 2015-2020, million USD



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ODA in support to social protection – grants vs. loans





ODA in support to social protection – by channel



Even though ODA to SP channelled through **NGOs** increased in absolute terms to 205 million USD in 2020, its relative share nosedived from 7% in 2019 to **3% in 2020**.

The share of ODA to SP channelled through the **recipient government** decreased from 70% in 2019 to **61% in 2020**.





ODA in support to social protection – reflections on the CRS data

- Analysis is based on the 5-digit purpose code for social protection (16010), but social protection measures might also be reported under other purpose codes (e.g. budget support, humanitarian assistance, basic nutrition, multisector aid)

Purpose Code	PurposeName
160	I.6. Other Social Infrastructure and Services
16000	Other social infrastructure and services
16010	Social Protection
16011	Social protection and welfare services policy, planning and administration
16012	Social security (excl pensions)
16013	General pensions
16014	Civil service pensions
16015	Social services (incl youth development and women+ children)

- 16010 does not allow to distinguish between emergency-type support and measures aiming at system-building in the long term.



OVERVIEW OF OECD WORK RELEVANT TO SOCIAL PROTECTION IN LMICS



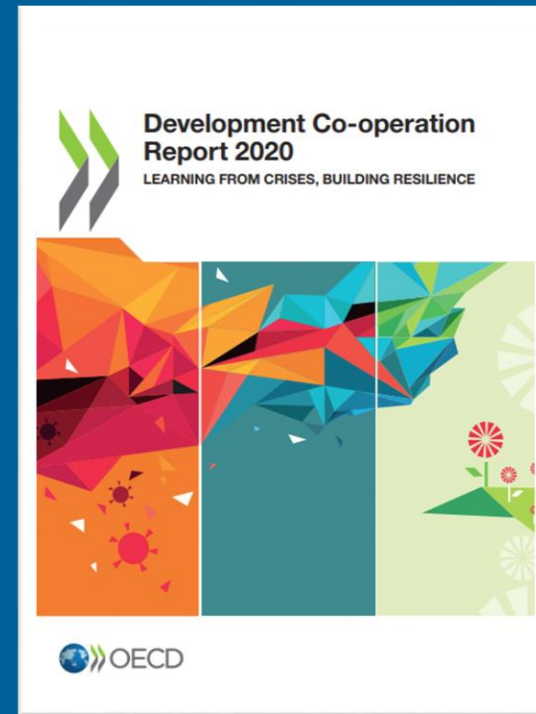
Overview of OECD work relevant to ODA and social protection

- Substantial body of work on social and welfare issues in OECD member countries.
<https://www.oecd.org/social/>
- OECD also focuses on social protection in LMICs:
 - The Development Centre – Social Cohesion Unit
<https://www.oecd.org/dev/inclusivesocietiesanddevelopment/>
 - The Development Co-operation Directorate (DCD)'s work informing the DAC
<https://www.oecd.org/dac/>



OECD Development Co-operation Directorate's work relevant to social protection (1/4)

- **Creditor Reporting System data** on development co-operation spending to SP (as presented earlier)
- **Development Co-operation Reports**, esp. 2018 (incl. a focus on SP's role in LNOB) and 2020 (incl. a focus on SP's role in resilience building)





OECD Development Co-operation Directorate's work relevant to social protection (2/4)

- **Covid-19 Global Evaluation Coalition:**
 - Thematic working group on cash transfers and social protection.
- **DCD work on climate resilience:**
 - Report on [Managing Climate Risks, Facing up to Loss and Damages](#) - how SP can help address climate-related losses and damages
 - Report [Strengthening climate resilience](#): guidance for governments and development co-operation
- **International Network on Conflict and Fragility (INCAF)**
 - Up-coming DEV/DCD policy paper on “Social protection for refugees and IDPs - A pathway for inclusion”



OECD Development Co-operation Directorate's work relevant to social protection (3/4)

- **DAC Community of Practice on Poverty and Inequalities**
 - **CoP-PI's objectives**
 - Support an increased focus by DAC members on addressing P&I.
 - Support DAC members and their partners to translate commitments on P&I into practice.
 - **2021-22 'start up phase'**
 - Focus on learning and exchanges
 - CoP: Informal DAC body
 - Chaired by the EU and Sweden
 - Dual set-up:
 - Core Group – DAC members (16)
 - Broader CoP-PI – open to partners outside the DAC (other official providers, multilaterals, partner country governments, academia, civil society, trade unions).



OECD Development Co-operation Directorate's work relevant to social protection (4/4)

Community of Practice on Poverty and Inequalities



1. Support a dynamic forum for exchange between DAC members

- Core Group meetings



2. Drive a structured process of exchange and learning with a broader community

- Annual CoP-PI meeting
- Thematic discussions
- Cross-cutting collaboration with the OECD/DCD/DAC



3. Analysis on development co-operation, poverty and inequalities

- Could provide a space to discuss social protection as a key lever to reduce poverty and inequalities



THANK YOU!