

Independent Country Programme Evaluation Sierra Leone

Annexes

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ANNEX 1. EVALUATION TERMS OF REFERENCE

I. Introduction

As part of its annual work plan, the Independent Evaluation Office (IEO) of the United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) will conduct an independent country programme evaluation (ICPE) in Sierra Leone in 2022. Typically conducted in the penultimate year of a country programme cycle, the ICPEs are expected to inform the elaboration of the new country programmes with evaluative evidence of UNDP's contribution to national development priorities. The purpose of an ICPE is to:

- Support the development of the next UNDP Country Programme Document (CPD)
- Strengthen accountability of UNDP to national stakeholders
- Strengthen accountability of UNDP to the Executive Board.

The ICPEs are independent evaluations carried out within the overall provisions contained in the UNDP Evaluation Policy.¹ The responsibility of IEO, which reports directly to the Executive Board, is two-fold: (i) provide the Executive Board with valid and credible information from evaluations for corporate accountability, decision-making and improvement; and (ii) enhance the independence, credibility and utility of the evaluation function and its coherence, harmonization and alignment in support of United Nations reform and national ownership.

This is the third country-level evaluation conducted by the IEO in Sierra Leone. Previously in 2013, the IEO conducted an Assessment of Development Results of UNDP's activities in Sierra Leone for the period from 2008 to 2012, and in 2018 an ICPE for the country programme period of 2015 to 2019. The current ICPE Sierra Leone will focus on UNDP Sierra Leone country office's current programme for 2020-2023, with a view to contributing to the preparation of its new programme starting in 2024. The IEO will conduct the evaluation in close collaboration with the Government of Sierra Leone, the UNDP Sierra Leone Country Office, and the UNDP Regional Bureau for Africa (RBA).

The Global COVID-19 pandemic has presented UNDP with considerable challenges in implementing its ongoing programme of work in line with the CPD. Even more so than usual, UNDP has been required to be adaptable, refocusing and restructuring its development work to meet the challenges of the pandemic and country's need to effectively prepare, respond and recover from the wider COVID-19 crisis, including its socio-economic consequences. This ICPE will also consider the level to which UNDP has been able to adapt to the crisis and support Sierra Leone's preparedness, response to the pandemic and its ability to recovery meeting the new development challenges that the pandemic has highlighted, or which may have emerged.

II. National context

Sierra Leone is one of the world's poorest countries. GDP per capita stands at USD 624.7 in 2020, slightly increased from the level before the civil war (USD 563 in 1991) and to the level at the country's independence in 1961 (USD 513.2).² After the end of the decade-long civil war, GDP grew at an average rate of 3.4 percent between 2002 and 2019,³ with a reverse period in 2014-15 due to the twin shocks of

¹ http://web.undp.org/evaluation/documents/evaluation-policy.pdf.

² World Bank data. GDP per capita (constant 2015 US\$)

³ United Nations Sierra Leone. Common Country Analysis 2020 update.

the Ebola outbreak and the fall in price of iron-ore, a main export of the country. The economy has since recovered but remained volatile. The onset of the COVID-19 pandemic led to the economy contracted by 2 percent and the GDP per capita fallen by 4 percent in 2020.⁴

Poverty is widespread in Sierra Leone. The most recent survey data reveled that in 2017, 57.9 percent of the population in Sierra Leone were multidimensionally poor, and an additional 19.6 percent vulnerable to multidimensional poverty. GNI per capita decreased about 6 percent between 1990 and 2019, despite having increased since the end of the war.⁵ The COVID-19 pandemic induced once again a dual crisis of health and economy in Sierra Leone, after the Ebola outbreak in 2014-15, and worsened the pre-existing vulnerabilities and economic hardship, such as the increase in food insecurity, inflation, and social tensions.

Sierra Leone has a young population, the majority of whom are unemployed or underemployed with low literacy level. According to the most recent census conducted in 2015, out of the 7.1 million population, 45.8 percent were under the age of 15 and 74.8 percent below the age of 35. Youth unemployment rate stood at over 70 percent in 2020.⁶

Sierra Leone is a least developed country (LDC). In 2019, its Human Development Index (HDI) score was 0.452, ranking 182 out of 189 countries, despite a 57.5 percent increase from its HDI score in 1990. Sierra Leone's HDI score remained below the average for countries in the low human development group (0.513) and that for countries in Sub-Saharan Africa (0.547). When adjusted for inequality, Sierra Leone's HDI is 0.291, a loss of 35.6 percent (higher than the 31.4 percent average loss for low HDI countries and 30.5 percent for Sub-Saharan Africa). The most recent Gini index of Sierra Leone was 35.7 in 2018.⁷

Sierra Leone has low equality in HDI achievements between women and men and belongs to Group 5 of countries with absolute deviation from gender parity of more than 10 percent. The Gender Inequality Index (GII) value was 0.644 in 2019, ranking it 155 out of 162 countries. Gender inequality was apparent in the number of parliamentary seats held by women (12.3 percent) and the percentage of reaching secondary education (20.1 percent for female and 33 percent for male). Maternal mortality and adolescent birth rate were higher than the average of low HDI countries and that of Sub-Saharan Africa. Since the outbreak of COVID-19, local media has reported a rise in sexual and gender-based violence.⁸

Sierra Leone has made considerable progress in consolidating peace and democracy since the end of the civil war in 2002. The latest elections in 2018 were the first one managed without the assistance of the UN Security Council. The success of the election's management was acknowledged by external/ international observer reports. Sierra Leone has an Ibrahim Index of African Governance (IIAG) score of 51 in 2019, ranking it 24 out of 54 countries. Sierra Leone improved its score in the IIAG dimensions of security & rule of law, foundations for economic opportunity, and human developed, but the score

⁴ World Bank data. Country overview.

⁵ HDR 2020 Sierra Leone

⁶ United Nations Sierra Leone. Common Country Analysis 2020 update.

⁷ World Bank data.

⁸ International Growth Centre, 2020. Final report: United Nations COVID-19 socio-economic response plan for Sierra Leone (ref. no. COVID-19-20144-SLE-1)

for participation, rights & inclusion has decreased.⁹ Sierra Leone's 2021 Corruption Perceptions Index score is 34, ranking it 115 out of 180 countries, at similar level of previous years.¹⁰

Sierra Leone is one of the most vulnerable countries to climate change.¹¹ Increasing temperatures leading to seawater rise and submergence of islands and coastal areas are the main climate change trend in Sierra Leone.¹² Floods and seasonal draughts are recurring hazards. For instance, the 2017 landslide caused hundreds of deaths and loss of livelihoods and infrastructure. Deforestation has been exacerbated by illegal logging, agricultural land use, mining and quarrying, urbanization, among other factors. Total area of humid primary forest in Sierra Leone decreased by 11% from 2002 to 2020.¹³

Sierra Leone's development strategy is guided by the Government's Medium-Term National Development Plan (MTNDP), entitled "Education for Development", for the period of 2020-2023. The plan centres on human capacity development and sets out four key goals for the country to become 1) a diversified, resilient and green economy; 2) a nation with educated, empowered, and healthy citizens capable of realizing their fullest potential; 3) a society that is peaceful, cohesive, secure, and just; and 4) a competitive economy with a well-developed infrastructure. The MTNDP is aligned with the 2030 Development Agenda/ the SDGs, the Africa Union Agenda 2063 and the New Deal Peacebuilding and State-building Goals. In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the government initiated a short-term Quick Action Economic Recovery Programme (QAERP) to mitigate the economic impact of the COVID-19 shock on businesses, households and to maintain macro-economic and financial stability.¹⁴

United Nations in Sierra Leone (1999 – present)

In October 1999, the United Nations Security Council established the United Nations Mission in Sierra Leone (UNMSIL) to support the implementation of the Lombé Peace Agreement, and the disbarment, demobilization and reintegration plan. UNSIL completed its mandate in December 2005. In the same year, the United Nations Integrated Office for Sierra Leone (UNISIL) was created to further support peace and economic growth in the country. This period followed the United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF) 2004-2007, shifting the focus from conflict recovery to peacebuilding.

In 2008, the UN Security Council Resolution 1829 established the United Nations Integrated Peacebuilding Office in Sierra Leone (UNIPSIL) headed by the Secretary-General's Executive Representative, who also served as the UNDP Resident Representative and the UN Resident Coordinator. The UN Joint Vision for Sierra Leone (2009-2012)¹⁵ was subsequently developed as an integrated strategic framework for the UN country team, followed by a UN Transitional Joint Vision (UNTJV)¹⁶ for the period of 2013-2014.

2015 marked the end of UNIPSIL and the return to a full United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF) for the period of 2015-2018, extended to 2019,¹⁷ followed by the subsequent United

⁹ Mo Ibrahim Foundation. <u>2020 Ibrahim Index of African Governance: Index Report.</u>

¹⁰ Transparency International. <u>Corruption Perceptions Index 2021</u>.

¹¹ The Notre Dame Adaptation Index 2019 ranked Sierra Leone the 16th most vulnerable to climate change out of 182 countries.

¹² United Nations Sierra Leone. Common Country Analysis 2020 update.

¹³ <u>Global Forest Watch</u> data.

¹⁴ Government of Sierra Leone, 2020. <u>COVID-19 Quick Action Economic Response Programme (QAERP)</u>

¹⁵ <u>UN Joint Vision for Sierra Leone (2009-2012)</u>

¹⁶ <u>UN Transitional Joint Vision for Sierra Leone (2013-2014)</u>

¹⁷ <u>United Nations Development Assistance Framework (UNDAF 2015-2018)</u>

Nations Sustainable Development Cooperation Framework (UNSCDCF) 2020-2023. The UN Country Team consists of 21 agencies, programmes and funds.¹⁸

III. UNDP Programme in Sierra Leone

UNDP has been working in Sierra Leone since 1965 and signed a Standard Basic Assistance Agreement¹⁹ with the Government of Sierra Leone in 1977 to govern UNDP support. Since the end of the civil war in 2002, UNDP had a high profile and played a central role in Sierra Leone's transition from post-conflict to development phase, being a dependable and responsive long-term partner supporting the recovery of crucial sectors in the aftermath of the civil war.²⁰

The UNDP Country Programme Documents (CPD) for 2013-2014 and 2015-2018 (extended to 2019), linked respectively to the UNTJV and UNDAF of the same periods and closely aligned with Sierra Leone's Agenda for Prosperity 2013 to 2018. Both country programmes focused on improving democratic governance and promoting sustainable and inclusive growth. Moreover, UNDP provided support to Sierra Leone's response and recovery from the 2014 Ebola outbreak. The UNDP Accelerator Lab in Sierra Leone was established in September 2019 to promote local innovation and local solutions to development challenges.

The 2018 ICPE conducted by the IEO covering the 2015-2018/9 programme cycle concluded that UNDP made important contributions in the areas of elections and access to justice and implemented a wide range of activities for local governance at subnational level. UNDP programming was broad but lacked depth and strategic focus. Resource-based management and usage of TRAC funds needed to be strengthened, and country programme implementation was further impacted by contextual factors, including the Ebola outbreak and the economic crisis due to drop in the price of iron-ore both in 2014/15, the floods and landslides in 2017 and the general elections in 2018. The Country Office (CO) has since completed the committed key actions in response to the ICPE recommendations, which included streamlining programme portfolios, developing ToC and strategic notes for its programme and clusters, strengthening M&E system and capacity, providing support to the Ministry of Planning and Economic Development, the result framework of the MTNDP and SDG localization, and developing projects on gender justice and the rule of law. The action for establishing Development Partners Groups for the justice sector support and for democratic institution strengthening was cancelled.

The audit conducted by the Office of Audit and Investigations (OAI) of UNDP for the country programme for the period of 2015-2019, issued 4 key recommendations, including 2 of high priority for strengthening programme monitoring and improving procurement control, respectively. ²¹ UNDP Sierra Leone is expecting a management audit again in early 2022.

For the current UNDP 2020-2023 country programme cycle, the preparation of the CPD was guided by the UNSDCF for the same period and lessons from previous cooperation. The country programme puts increased emphasis on downstream interventions through an area-based approach in selected districts based on their multidimensional poverty level, strategic significance, and job creation potential. The programme also aims to increase its focus on women, youth, and persons with disabilities.

¹⁸ United Nations Sierra Leone, 2021. Joint Financing and Resource Mobilization Strategy

¹⁹ Standard Basic Assistance Agreement

²⁰ Assessment of Development Result (ADR) conducted by the IEO assessed UNDP programme in Sierra Leone for the period of 2008 – 2012

 $^{^{\}rm 21}$ OAI, December 2020. Audit of UNDP Country Office in Sierra Leone, Report No. 2052

The UNSDCF supports interventions under four outcome areas:

- Outcome Area 1: Sustainable agriculture, food and nutrition security and climate resilience
- Outcome Area 2: Transformational governance
- Outcome Area 3: Access to basic services
- Outcome Area 4: Protection and Empowerment of the Most Vulnerable

The UNDP country programme supports three out of four UNSDCF outcomes (Outcome 1, 2 and 4; see Table 1), organized under two clusters (see paragraphs below).

- Inclusive democratic governance (Outcome 2): UNDP supports strengthening of democratic institutions and oversight bodies. It supports the Government for effective governance and anticorruption, as well as for local governance and servicer delivery. UNDP continues to promote access to justice, including gender justice and human rights, and further assists the country in peacebuilding and social coherence.
- Sustainability and inclusive local economic development (Outcome 1 and 4): UNDP promotes the
 nexus between environmental vulnerability reduction, disaster resilience building and poverty
 eradication. It supports the Government and communities in building climate resilience and
 improving disasters risk management. UNDP programme facilitates local economic development
 and promotes youth employability and employment.

The table below indicates UNDP resources for each UNSDCF/UNDP outcome and UNDP CPD outputs.

Relevant	CPD Outputs	Indicative	Expenditure
UNSDCF/CPD		resources	2020-2021
outcomes		(million US\$)	(million US\$)
Outcome 1: By 2023,	Output 1.1: Relevant ministries/departments/agencies	41	8.7
Sierra Leone	have strengthened capacities to enforce inclusive		
benefits from a	regulations and gender-responsive policies on		
more productive,	conservation of protected areas in coastal and urban		
commercialized and	planning and development		
sustainable			
agriculture,	Output 1.2: Capacity of ministries/departments/		
improved food and	agencies in natural resources management at national		
nutrition security,	and local levels strengthened to ensure sustainable		
and increased	use of environmental resources including livelihoods		
resilience to climate			
change and other	Output 1.3: Preparedness systems in place at		
shocks	community level to mitigate the impact of natural and		
	manmade disasters		
Outcome 2: By 2023,	Output 2.1: Capacities of targeted oversight and	43	7.5
people in Sierra	accountability institutions (Parliament, HRC, NEC, ACC		
Leone benefit from	and IPCB) strengthened to perform their mandates		
more gender- and			
youth-responsive	Output 2.2: Rule of law institutions (Judiciary, SLP,		
institutions that are	IPCB, HRC, MOJ) are strengthened to uphold human		
innovative,	rights, access to justice and security		
accountable, and			
transparent at all			

Table 1. UNSDCF/UNDP Outcomes and Indicative Resources

	with local actors (youth, women, community people) to address development challenges		
	Output 4.5: Grassroots innovative solutions identified		
	sustainable livelihood options		
economic and social opportunities	Output 4.4: Public and private sectors institutions have improved capacities to create decent jobs and		
protection services,			
increased social	drinkable rainwater		
empowered and benefit from	districts are enabled to harvest safe, clean and		
with disabilities are	Output 4.3: Vulnerable communities in targeted		
and persons living	energy for domestic consumption		
(especially girls),	Output 4.2: Households in target areas with access to		
and children			
youth, adolescents	development and job creation		
particularly women,	access to basic and financial services for business		
Outcome 4: By 2023, the most vulnerable,	Output 4.1: Vulnerable groups (poor women, youth and persons with disabilities) are enabled to gain	17.4	4.4
disability	Output 4.1. Vulnerable groups (approximate voith	17.4	Λ Λ
persons with			
children, girls, and			
protection of	manage resources		
coexistence, and	improved to deliver on devolved functions and		
equity, peaceful	Output 2.4: Capacities of targeted local councils		
human rights and the rule of law,	and participation for social cohesion		
advance respect for	frameworks strengthened for peace, citizen's voice		
levels and can better	Output 2.3: Gender-responsive institutional		

Sources: UNSDCF, CPD and UNDP Atlas programme expenditure data as of mid-January 2022.

*Includes \$0.83 million in expenses unlinked to a specific outcome (i.e. management and operational costs, UN management project costs, etc.).

IV. Scope of the evaluation

The ICPE Sierra Leone will examine UNDP's 2020-2023 country programme, as formally approved by the Executive Board. Guided by the CPD Results and Resources Framework, the evaluation will assess UNDP's performance in contributing to the three programme outcomes. The ICPE will consider changes made to the country programme during the period under review, including UNDP's COVID-19 response and recovery support.

The evaluation will cover UNDP's development programme in its entirety, regardless of its funding sources, e.g. UNDP's regular, core resources, donors, and government. Both projects that are active and/or have completed during the period under review will be covered. Special attention will be paid to the role and responsibilities of other UN agencies contributing to the areas where UNDP has been supporting under the UNSDCF 2020-2023.

V. Methodology

The evaluation will be conducted in accordance with the United Nations Evaluation Group (UNEG) Norms & Standards.²² It will address the following four main evaluation questions:²³

- 1. What did the UNDP country programme intend to achieve during the period under review?
- 2. To what extent has the programme achieved (or is likely to achieve) its intended objectives?
- 3. To what extent has UNDP been able to adapt to the COVID-19 pandemic and support Sierra Leone's preparedness, response, and recovery process?
- 4. What factors contributed to or hindered UNDP's performance and eventually, to the sustainability of results?

Evaluation question 1 will be addressed by using a theory of change (ToC) approach. The ToC, either available at the country office or reconstructed in consultation with the programme units for the purpose of the evaluation, will be used to understand the underlying programme intent and logic, including the assumptions being made for desired changes and expected causal linkages. UNDP's specific areas of contribution under each of the UNSDCF outcomes will be defined, and any changes to the programme design and implementation strategy from the initial CPD will be identified.

Evaluation question 2 will address the overall effectiveness of UNDP's country programme. It includes an assessment on the degree to which UNDP-specific interventions - CPD outputs - have progressed or have been achieved, as well as the level of UNDP's contribution to the CPD outcomes as envisaged by the initial ToC. In this process, results that are both positive and negative, direct and indirect, as well as unintended results will be identified.

Evaluation question 3 will examine UNDPs support to COVID-19 preparedness, response, and recovery in Sierra Leone, including several sub-questions: i) degree to which UNDP's COVID support has been relevant to the needs of Sierra Leone; ii) how well UNDP's support and response has aligned with government plans and support from other UN agencies, donors, and NGOs/CSOs; iii) how well UNDP has supported the country to develop responses that reduced loss of life and protected longer-term social and economic development; iv) degree to which UNDP funding decisions were informed by evidence, needs analysis, risk analysis and dialogue with partners and supported efficient use of resources; and v) whether the support has contributed to the development of social, economic and health systems in Sierra Leone that are equitable, resilient and sustainable.

Evaluation question 4 will examine various factors that have influenced – positively or negatively – UNDP's programmatic performance, and eventually, sustainability of results. Country-specific issues (e.g. change management), managerial practices (e.g. utilization of resources for results), programmatic design and decisions (e.g. integration of gender equality and women's and girls' empowerment, use of partnerships, South-South and triangular cooperation, delivery modality) will be examined. The evaluation will also assess the extent to which the Accelerator Lab Sierra Leone has been driving new and innovative approaches to UNDP's work in the country and if any innovation has been taken in other vulnerable countries in similar circumstances.

²² http://www.uneval.org/document/detail/1914

²³ The ICPEs have adopted a streamlined methodology, which differs from the previous ADRs that were structured according to the four standard OECD DAC criteria. More detailed sub-questions will be developed during the desk review phase of the evaluation.

Stakeholder involvement: During the evaluation, relevant stakeholders will be engaged to ensure the transparency of the exercise, collect necessary documentation and evidence, and enhance the national ownership of evaluation results. A stakeholder analysis will be conducted during the preparatory phase to identify relevant UNDP partners, including those that may have not worked directly with UNDP but play a key role in the outcomes to which UNDP contributes. The analysis will help identify key informants for interviews during the data collection phase.

Gender-responsive approach: The evaluation will employ a gender-responsive evaluation approach during its preparatory and implementation phases. During document desk reviews and the analysis of programme theory and delivery, the evaluation will examine the level of gender mainstreaming across all UNDP programmes and operations, in line with UNDP's gender strategy. Gender disaggregated data will be collected, where available, and assessed against UNDP's programme outcomes. The evaluation will assess the extent to which UNDP's programmatic efforts were designed to contribute to gender equality and women's empowerment (e.g. using Gender Marker and programme expenditures), and in fact have contributed to promoting gender equality and women and girls' empowerment by using the gender results effectiveness scale (GRES). The GRES classifies gender results into five categories: gender negative, gender blind, gender targeted, gender responsive, and gender transformative.

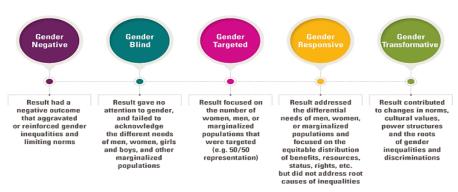


Figure 1: IEO's Gender Results Effectiveness Scale

ICPE rating system: Based on the rating system piloted in 2021 and its lessons learned, the IEO has consolidated its rating system to be applied for all the ICPEs in 2022. The ratings will assess the performance of the UNDP country programme, using the five internationally agreed evaluation criteria: relevance, coherence, effectiveness, efficiency, and sustainability, with a set of parameters for each of the criteria.

VI. Data collection and analysis

Evaluability assessment: An assessment was conducted to examine the availability of documentation and information, identify potential data constraints, and determine the data collection methods.

Availability of past assessments: The UNDP Evaluation Resource Centre (ERC) includes 3 completed project evaluations of moderate quality between 2020 and the present.²⁴ An additional 2 portfolio evaluations, 1 project evaluation and 1 UNSDCF evaluation are planned for 2022 and 2023.

Source: Adapted from the Evaluation of UNDP Contribution to Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment, IEO, UNDP, 2015

²⁴ 2 evaluation reports were quality assessed by the IEO and were rated as four as 'moderately satisfactory (rating of '4'). UNDP Evaluation Resource Centre.

- **Programme and project information**: The collection of programme and project documentation (including project annual reports and other internal reports) is ongoing. The completeness and quality of project level documentation will be examined during desk review.
- **CPD results and resources framework indicator results:** The CPD lists 12 indicators for the 3 outcomes, and 28 indicators to measure the 12 outputs, with baseline and targets. To the extent possible, the ICPE will seek to use these indicators to better understand the intention of the UNDP programme and to measure or assess progress towards the outcomes. The data sources of the indicators are mostly national statistics and reports of various ministries, and the evaluation's ability to measure progress against these indicators will therefore depend on national statistics, where up-to-date data may not be available for all indicators.
- Intervention maturity: UNDP projects are at different stages of implementation. In cases where
 the projects/initiatives are still in their initial stages, it may not be possible to determine the
 projects' contribution to the CPD/UNSDCF outcomes. The evaluation will document observable
 progress and seek to assess the possibility of potential contribution given the programme design
 and measures already put in place.
- Data collection constraints: COVID-19 restrictions may affect internal mobility for site visits and internet connectivity in Sierra Leone is subject to geographical location and weather condition. Therefore, access to national stakeholders for data collection particularly those in remote areas and community level beneficiaries, including the marginalized group may encounter challenges. The evaluation will explore the use of expanded outreach measures such as surveys, identification of locally based data collectors and consultants, and use of telephone and WhatsApp in case Internet and/or video-conferencing facility is not available.

Data collection methods: A design matrix will be prepared to elaborate on data collection and analysis plans. At the time of this writing, the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic are still felt globally. Given the travel restrictions, the evaluation is expected to take predominantly a remote, virtual approach. Data and information required for the evaluation are collected through primary and secondary sources:

- Desk reviews: The IEO will conduct extended reviews of documentation, including those available from the government, the UN, private institutions, donors, and academia, on national context and areas of UNDP programme interventions. Also included are country programme framework and office strategies (e.g. resource mobilization, gender, communication), programme-/ projectrelated documents and progress reports, theories of change, annual work plans, Results Oriented Annual Reports (ROAR), COVID Mini-ROARs, past evaluation/ audit reports, and UNCT/ UNSDCF related documents. The IEO and the country office will identify a list of background documents, uploaded in the ICPE SharePoint portal.
- Stakeholder interviews: Interviews via face-to-face/Zoom/telephone will be conducted with relevant stakeholders, including government partners; donors; UN agencies; other development partners such as IFIs; UNDP staff at country, regional and HQ levels; private sector; civil society organizations; and beneficiary groups. Focus groups may be organized, where possible.
- Advance questionnaire: An advance questionnaire will be administered to the country office during the preparatory phase as an additional self-reporting input.
- Stakeholder survey: The IEO is piloting a standardized survey for the ICPEs, aiming to collect data on UNDP's programme performance from predefined stakeholder groups, including government partners, implementing agencies, donors, UNDP staff, and UN staff. The survey will be administered via an online questionnaire.
- Site visits: As mobility will be limited, physical visits to field project sites are expected to be minimal, if any. A brief mission may be organized should travel become advisable.

Projects for in-depth review: A sample of projects may be selected for in-depth reviews based on a purposive sampling. The criteria for selection include programme coverage, ensuring a balanced representation of issues addressed under each outcome; project maturity; budget, implementation modality and geographical areas. Both 'flagship' projects of significant visibility and scope as well as those that have experienced challenges will be included.

Validation: Data and information collected from different sources and through various means will be triangulated to strengthen the validity of findings and conclusions.

Midterm briefing: At the end of the data collection phase, the IEO will deliver a briefing to the country office on emerging issues and preliminary findings. The meeting will also serve as an opportunity to identify areas requiring further analysis and any missing information and evidence before the full synthesis and drafting phase.

VII. Management arrangements

Independent Evaluation Office: The IEO will conduct the ICPE in consultation with the UNDP country office and the RBA. The IEO will meet all costs directly related to the conduct of the ICPE. It will establish an evaluation team, ensuring gender balance. The IEO Lead Evaluator will lead the ICPE and coordinate the work of the evaluation team, comprising the following members:

- Lead Evaluator (LE): IEO staff member with the overall responsibility for leading the exercise and managing the work of all team members, including the development of evaluation terms of reference (TOR), selection of the evaluation team members, and provision of methodological guidance. The LE will be responsible for the analysis' synthesis process, preparation of the draft and final evaluation reports, and coordinating the final stakeholder debriefing with the country office, RBAP, and national stakeholders.
- <u>Research Associate (RA)</u>: The IEO RA will provide background research, including portfolio and financial analysis. He/she contributes to the preparation of draft/final report, report annexes, and supports any tasks as required by the evaluation team.
- <u>National research institution/consultants</u>: The IEO will explore partnering with a locally- (or regionally-) based research institution, think tank or academia, to augment its data collection and analysis capacity in the country during COVID-related restrictions. Alternatively, individual consultants (national and international) will be recruited to support the analysis of the thematic areas.

UNDP Country Office in Sierra Leone: The country office will support the evaluation team through liaising with national stakeholders; ensure that all necessary information regarding UNDP's programmes, projects and activities in the country is available to the evaluation team; and provide factual verifications of the draft report on a timely basis. The country office will provide the evaluation team in-kind organizational support (e.g. arranging meetings and interviews with project staff and stakeholders). To ensure the confidentiality of the views expressed, country office staff will not participate in interviews and meetings with stakeholders. The country office will jointly organize the final stakeholder meeting via videoconference with the IEO, ensuring participation of key government counterparts, where findings and results of the evaluation will be presented. The country office will prepare a management response to evaluation recommendations and support the dissemination and use of the final evaluation report in the country.

Regional Bureau for Africa (RBA): RBA will support the evaluation through information sharing, facilitation of communication between the IEO and the country office, and participation in the final stakeholder debriefing. The Bureau will support and oversee the preparation of the management response by the country office and its implementation of relevant actions.

VIII. Evaluation Process

The evaluation will be conducted in the following five key phases:

- **Phase 1: Preparatory work.** The IEO prepares the evaluation terms of reference (define the scope, methodology and process), a list of projects, and an evaluation matrix; and launches document gathering with support of the country office. External consultants will be recruited to augment the work of portfolio analysis.
- Phase 2: Desk analysis. The evaluation team conducts desk reviews of reference material and preliminary analysis of the programme strategy and portfolio. The team will engage with country office staff through meetings, an advance questionnaire administered to fill data gaps in documentation and seek clarification if any. Specific data collection instruments will be developed, e.g. interview protocols, based on the stakeholder and portfolio analyses.
- Phase 3: Data collection. The evaluation team will engage in virtual and remote data collection, such as interviews using Zoom and other online communication tools, or telephone. At the end of the data collection phase, the evaluation team may hold a preliminary presentation on emerging findings to the country office, identifying areas requiring further analysis and any information and evidence gaps that may exist.
- Phase 4: Analysis, report writing, quality review and debrief. Following the individual outcome analyses, the LE undertakes a synthesis process to prepare the ICPE report. The initial draft is subject to both internal and external reviews. Once the draft is quality cleared, the first official draft is shared with the country office and the RBA for comments and factual corrections. The second draft, which considers their feedback, will then be shared with national stakeholders for further comments. The UNDP country office prepares a management response to the ICPE under the overall oversight of the Regional Bureau. The report is then be presented at a final debriefing where evaluation results are presented to key national stakeholders and UNDP's ways forward are discussed. Considering the final set of comments collected at the stakeholder debriefing, the evaluation report will be finalized by incorporating the management response.
- Phase 5: Publication and dissemination. The ICPE report will be written in English. It will follow the standard IEO publication guidelines. The evaluation report will be made available to the UNDP Executive Board in time for its approval of a new CPD. It will be widely distributed by the IEO within UNDP as well as to the evaluation units of other international organisations, evaluation societies/networks and research institutions in the region. The country office will ensure the dissemination of the report to all relevant stakeholders in the country. The report and the management response will be published on the UNDP IEO website as well as the Evaluation Resource Centre (ERC).²⁵ RBA will be responsible for monitoring and oversight of follow-up action implementation in the ERC.

IX. Timeframe for the ICPE Process

²⁵ UNDP IEO website: <u>http://web.undp.org/evaluation/</u>; UNDP Evaluation Resource Centre: <u>https://erc.undp.org/</u>.

The tentative schedule of the evaluation activities is summarized as below.²⁶

Activity	Responsible party	Proposed timeframe
Phase 1: Preparatory work	· · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
TOR completed and approved by IEO Deputy	LE	February 2022
Director		
Selection of consultant* team members	LE	March 2022
Compilation of documents and stakeholder contacts	LE/CO	March 2022
(and initial notification by CO)		
Phase 2: Desk analysis		
Preliminary desk review of reference material	Evaluation team	April 2022
Advance questionnaires	LE/ CO	April 2022
Phase 3: Data collection		
Interviews with stakeholders	LE/ Consultants*	May - June 2022
Virtual preliminary briefing to CO/RBA	LE/ CO/RBA	July 2022
Phase 4: Analysis, report writing, quality review		
and debrief		
Portfolio analysis completed	Consultants*/LE	July 2022
Synthesis and report writing	LE	August - Sept 2022
Zero draft for internal IEO clearance	LE	October 2022
First draft for CO/RBA comments	LE /CO/RBA	November 2022
Second draft shared with the government and other	LE/ CO	December 2022
national stakeholders for comments		
Draft management response	CO/RBA	December 2022
Final stakeholder debriefing via videoconference	IEO/CO/RBA	December 2022
Phase 5: Publication and dissemination		
Editing and formatting	IEO	January – February202
Final report and evaluation brief	IEO	January – February202
Dissemination of the final report	IEO	March 2023

*consultants and/or national institution

²⁶ The timeframe, indicative of process and deadlines, does not imply full-time engagement of evaluation team during the period.

ANNEX 2. EVALUATION MATRIX

Evaluation Questions	Sub-questions and their linkages to rating criteria matrix	Data/Info to be collected	Data collection methods and tools (e.g.)	Data analysis (e.g.)
EQ1. What did the UNDP country programme intend to achieve during the period under review?	 1.1 To what extent is the UNDP country programme relevant to the national development challenges, objectives, and SDG priorities? (Relevance 1A) 1.2 To what extent has the UNDP country programme addressed the needs of vulnerable and marginalized groups and promoted LNOB principles, HR and GESI? (Relevance 1C) 1.3 How have the key principles of the Strategic Plan been applied to the country programme design²⁷? (Relevance 1B) 1.4 To what extent and how has the programme design and implementation changed from the initial CPD? To what extent and how do these changes affect the relevance of the CPD? (Relevance 1C) 1.5 To what extent does the UNDP country programme have a sound theory of change based on reasonable assumptions? To what extent is the portfolio composition appropriately 	 UNDAF & CPD Indicative Country Office Results and Resources Framework (from CPD) Current Country Office Results and resources framework (if different from the one included in the CPD) Explanation for revisions (if any) to country office results and resources framework, and of approval of these changes through the monitoring and programme board or Executive Board. Data to validate CO explanation of changes in context since CPD approval (if any significant changes have occurred). UNDP's interventions strategy, e.g. theory of change (if available, or reconstructed) that maps an expected pathway of change, logic and assumptions, including plans detailing required financial resources and capacity for programme implementation (and evidence of their provision) UNDP risk analysis matrix UNCT reports and workplans 	 Desk/literature review of relevant documents (including problem analysis conducted by the CO) Advance questionnaire to the CO Semi-structured interviews/focus groups with relevant stakeholders Field studies/visits or survey to beneficiaries (as possible) Other as appropriate 	 Map a theory of change to identify the logic, sequence of events and assumptions behind the proposed programme, including hypothesis of unintended consequences. Problem analysis of underlying development challenges Mapping of key development actors Mapping of UNDP programmatic partnerships Stakeholder analysis SMART analysis of CPD indicators Triangulate data collected from various sources and means (e.g. cross check interview data with desk review to validate or refute TOC).
	supporting the theory of change and			

²⁷ For example, in the **Strategic Plan 2018-2021**, the key issues include: (1) 'Working in partnership': i) Within UN System; and ii)Outside UNS (South-South; civil society; private sector; and IFIs); (2) 'Helping to achieve the 2030 Agenda'; (3) '6 Signature Solutions': i) Keeping people out of poverty; ii) Strengthen effective, accountable, inclusive governance; iii) enhance prevention and recovery for resilient society; iv) promote nature-based solutions for sustainable plant; v) close the energy gap; and vi) strengthen gender equality; (4) 'Improved business models (Performance; and Innovation)

	maximizing interlinkage for combined impact? (Relevant 1C and Coherence 2A) 1.6 To what extent does the UNDP country programme seek and benefit from synergy and partnerships with UNCT and other development actors (donors, IFIs, multilateral and bilateral agencies, I/NGOs, CSOs, private sector, etc.)? (Relevance 1B and Coherence 2B) 1.7 To what extent does the UNDP country programme optimize UNDP's comparative advantage and strategic positioning in the country? (Relevance 1C and Coherence 2B) 1.8 What contextual changes are likely to occur in the next five years that would require UNDP to adjust its next country programme priorities and approach?	 National data (e.g. SDG, human development data, ODA, national budget, etc. Literature on development and development cooperation in Sierra Leone 		
EQ2. To what extent has the programme achieved (or is likely to achieve) its intended objectives?	 2.1 To what extent did UNDP achieve its specific objectives (CP outputs) as defined in the CPD and other strategies (if different)? (Effectiveness 4A) 2.2 To what extent and how did the achieved results contribute to (or are likely to contribute to) any outcomes in Sierra Leone? (Effectiveness 4A, all Coherence and Sustainability) 2.3 Which groups are / are not benefiting from UNDP's support? To what extent did the UNDP country 	 CO self-assessment of performance Project documents, annual workplans, annual progress reports, audits and evaluations covering the agreed ICPE project list. Monitoring data, including performance against outcome and output indicators, and associated baselines and targets, and evidence of attribution of related changes to UNDP interventions Expenditure by gender marker and results in GEWE areas. ROARs and country programme reports covering CPD period to date 	 Desk/literature review of relevant documents Assessment of ROARs, GRES as well as indicators status to assess progress and trends Project QA data extraction Advance questionnaire to the CO Semi-structured interviews/focus groups with 	 Contribution analysis against TOC assumptions and hypothesis of unintended consequences Counterfactual analysis to check whether results could have been delivered without UNDP Analysis of evaluations and audits Stratification of results information by beneficiary type, including by m/f, disability, socio-economic status, age as far as possible. Thematic

helped developed the capacities and financial resourcing required to sustain results?	 Programme level audits and evaluations, if available. UNDP country programme's social and environmental standards Perspectives of country office staff and key stakeholders, including their observation of results and unintended consequences UNCT documentation Relevant national data and reports Other, as required 	relevant stakeholders - Field studies/visits or survey to beneficiaries (as possible) - Other as appropriate	 assessment to deepen results and fill gaps. Summary of outcome indicator and status Analysis of corporate surveys Trend analysis of ROARs & GRES Triangulate data collected from internal and external, primary and secondary information.
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^{28 28} In Leave no one behind categories (UNDP Corporate Planning System): People living in peri-urban areas; People living in rural areas; People living in slums; People living in urban areas; Internally displaced persons; Migrants; Persons directly affected by natural disasters; Persons negatively affected by armed conflict or violence; Refugees; People living in multi-dimensional poverty; People living under the national poverty line; Unemployed persons; Key populations for HIV, tuberculosis and malaria; Minorities (e.g. race, ethnicity, linguistic, religion, etc.); Persons with disabilities (PwD); Sexual and gender orientation; Women; Youth.

EQ3. What	3.1 What design, implementation, and	Secondary and primary information in	- Project QA data	- Completion of a template of
factors	contextual factors have contributed to	the following areas, from internal and	extraction	'factors' with analysis of
contributed to or hindered	or hindered CPD Sierra Leone's results (output and outcome)? (All	external sources ³⁰ :	- Advance	'strength of influence (extent the factors affect
UNDP's	Effectiveness, Efficiency and Coherence)	- Programme design information	questionnaire to the CO	UNDP's ability to achieve its
performance	2.2.W/bet design implementation and	(especially alignment with national	- Semi-structured	objectives)'
and may influence the	3.2 What design, implementation, and contextual factors have influenced the	priorities; mix of up/downstream interventions; short/long term, use of	interviews/focus	- Contribution analysis
sustainability	way that women (and other groups of	evidence, ToC and workplans)	groups with	against TOC assumptions
of results?	interest) experience and benefit from UNDP's support? (Relevance 1C, Effectiveness 4B and 4C)	 Partnerships - lists, agreements, results-data, and post-project reviews 	relevant stakeholders - focus on	and unintended consequences - Counterfactual analysis to
	3.4. To what extent has the UNDP country programme been implemented	 Innovation, knowledge management, use of lessons learned and South- South and Triangular Cooperation 	validating or refuting lines of inquiry -	check whether results could have been delivered without UNDP
	efficiently, and what effect have these factors had on results? (including timeliness, Human resources	 Sustainability (incl. exit strategies, national ownership, piloting and scaling-up) 	collecting perceptions and observations on the "why" and	 Thematic analysis of evaluations and audits
	management, financial resources management, M&E)	- Design, reports and audits on Social &	the "why" and factors that	 Thematic analysis of corporate surveys
	(Efficiency 3A and 3B) 3.5. What design, implementation, and	Environment Standards' (incl. human rights, GEWE, environment sustainability, targeting and coverage)	influence or impede effectiveness;	 Trend analysis of ROARs & GRES
	contextual factors have influenced the scale up achievement in the CPD? ²⁹ (All Sustainability, Relevance, Coherence and Efficiency)	 Use of financial, human and other resources Implementation and oversight (incl. NIM/DIM, portfolio management, risk 	 Field studies/visits or survey to beneficiaries (as possible) 	 Cross-check interview data with desk review to validate or refute lines of inquiry – highlighting data on the "why" and factors that
	3.6. What design, implementation, and contextual factors have influenced the sustainability of results? (All Sustainability, Relevance, Coherence)	 management, flexibility, M&E) Other important factors relevant to UNDP Sierra Leone country programme 	 Spot check status of implementation of recommendations from previous ADR/ICPE 	 influence or impede effectiveness; (check for unintended outcomes) Triangulate data from desk review and interviews with survey to close gaps and findings

 ²⁹ See the UNDP Guidance Note on Scaling-Up Development Programmes (2013)
 ³⁰ See the factor assessment sheet for the 'working definition' of the factor typology.

contributed to the development of - Triangulate data from desk
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Sierra Leone, and for them to be equitable, resilient and sustainable?		survey to close gaps and findings
(All Effectiveness and Sustainability, and Relevance 1C)		

ANNEX 3. PEOPLE CONSULTED

Government (10 female, 40 male)

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Ngolo Katta, Commissioner, National Youth Commission.

Olayinka Laggah, Court Administrator, Judiciary Of Sierra Leone.

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ANNEX 5. LIST OF PROJECTS

CPD OUTCOME	PROJECT TITLE	PROJECT ID	OUTPUT DESCRIPTION	OUTPUT ID	CPD OUTPUT	OUTPUT START YEAR	OUTPUT END YEAR	IMPLEMENTATION MODALITY	GENDER MARKER
	OUTCOME 1: By 2023, Sierra Leone benefits from a more productive, commercialized and sustainable agriculture, improved food and nutrition security, and increased resilience to climate change and other shocks.								
Outcome			UNDP ROL COVID-19		Output				
1	RULE OF LAW PROGRAMME	90095	Intervention	121031	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1
Outcome			Coastal Risks		Output				
1	Coastal Risks Management	102451	Management	104509	1.1	2017	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			SDI COVID-19		Output				
1	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	RESPONSE	121032	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1
Outcome					Output				
1	RBA/RP Borderlands	119678	Quick Impact Initiatives	128480	1.3	2021	2021	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Local Economic Revitalization for Local				Output				
1	Communities	126320	COVID-19 RESPONSE	121059	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1
Outcome			Promoting Disaster Risk		Output				
1	Promoting Disaster Risk Resilience	126337	Resilience	120429	1.3	2020	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Strengthening natural resource		Strengthening Natural		Output				
1	management	126338	Resource	120430	1.2	2020	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Strengthening natural resource				Output				
1	management	126338	COVID-19 Response	120995	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1
Outcome	Harnessing the Blue Economy Potential		Harnessing the Blue		Output				
1	in Coastal Communities	126339	Economy Po	120431	1.1	2020	2023	DIM	GEN1
Outcome	Rapid Response Facility to respond to		COVID-19 RESILIENT		Output				
1	COVID-19	127112	HEALTH SYS	121024	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1
Outcome	Rapid Response Facility to respond to		COVID-19 SOCIO		Output				
1	COVID-19	127112	ECONOMIC IMPACT	121557	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1
Outcome			RBA-COVID19-		Output				
1	RBA-COVID19-Response	127114	Response	121030	1.3	2020	2021	DIM	GEN1

OUTCOME 2: By 2023, people in Sierra Leone benefit from more gender- and youth-responsive institutions that are innovative, accountable, and transparent at all levels and can better advance respect for human rights and the rule of law, equity, peaceful coexistence, and protection of children, girls, and persons with disability

disability									
Outcome	NHDR 2018 & National Strategic Policy		NHDR 2018 & National		Output				
2	Advisory Service	96024	Strategic	100043	2.1	2011	2021	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			SUPPORT TO		Output				
2	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	PARLIAMENT	110059	2.1	2018	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome					Output				
2	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	Local Governance	115236	2.4	2019	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome					Output				
2	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	SUPPORT TO INCR-SL	116490	2.1	2019	2022	DIM	GEN1
Outcome			YOUTH PARTICIPATION		Output				
2	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	IN DECISIO	124148	2.3	2020	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			STRENGTHENING		Output				
2	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	HUMSEC IN KONO	125906	2.4	2021	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			Support to Elections		Output				
2	STRENGTHEN DEMOCRATIC INST	110819	2023	126358	2.1	2021	2024	DIM	GEN1
Outcome			Legal Identity for All-		Output				
2	Legal Identity for All	115752	Global	113213	2.1	2018	2021	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Rule of Law, Sustaining Peace and		Strengthening the Rule		Output				
2	Social Cohesion	118458	of Law,	115280	2.2	2019	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Rule of Law, Sustaining Peace and		Support to Human		Output				
2	Social Cohesion	118458	Rights in SL	126481	2.2	2021	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Rule of Law, Sustaining Peace and		Emp'mt and inclusion		Output				
2	Social Cohesion	118458	of youth	126487	2.3	2021	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Rule of Law, Sustaining Peace and		Strengthening Capacit		Output				
2	Social Cohesion	118458	of HRC	128430	2.2	2021	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			Promoting Peace and		Output				
2	Promoting Peace & Social Coh	120752	Social Coh	116812	2.3	2019	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			Mitigating Localized		Output				
2	Promoting Peace & Social Coh	120752	Resource-	117906	2.3	2019	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Supt to Effective Aid Coord. &		Effective Aid Coord &						
2	implementation of SDG	134401	SDG Impl	125995	-	2021	2023	DIM	GEN2

OUTCOME 3: By 2023, the most vulnerable, particularly women, youth, adolescents and children (especially girls), and persons living with disabilities are empowered and benefit from increased social protection services, economic and social opportunities

Outcome	Strengthening Domestic Resources		Strengthening		Output				
3	Mobilisation for SDGs F	117397	Domestic Resourc	114191	3.4	2020	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome			Accelerator Lab - Sierra		Output				
3	Accelerator Lab Sierra Leone	120466	Leone	116655	3.5	2019	2022	DIM	GEN1
Outcome	Accelerating Youth Innovation and		Accelerating Youth		Output				
3	Entrepreneurship in SL	126416	Innovation	120497	3.1	2020	2021	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Youth at Risk as Resources for Peace &		Youth at Risk as		Output				
3	Cohesion	129623	Resources for	123234	3.1	2020	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Local Economic Revitalization for Local		Local Economic,		Output				
3	Communities	126320	Revitalization	120416	3.4	2020	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Local Economic Revitalization for Local		Stabilize affected		Output				
3	Communities	126320	communities	125389	3.1	2021	2022	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Local Economic Revitalization for Local		Youth Empowerment -		Output				
3	Communities	126320	Employment	126004	3.5	2021	2023	DIM	GEN2
Outcome	Local Economic Revitalization for Local		Advancing Disability		Output				
3	Communities	126320	Inclusion	129720	3.1	2021	2022	DIM	GEN2

ANNEX 6. SUMMARY OF CPD INDICATORS AND STATUS AS REPORTED BY COUNTRY OFFICE

			2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Outcome 1 By 2023, Sierra Leone benef and nutrition security, and increased re	-			stainable a	agriculture,	improved	food
1.1 Percentage increase in forest cover	1.1.1 National	Milestone		42.98	44	44	48
	aggregate	Actual	0	42.98	35.12		
1.2 Area (hectares) of wetlands	1.2.1 National	Milestone		0	200	350	50
restored	aggregate	Actual	0	0	302		
1.3 Area (hectares) of degraded land	1.3.1 National	Milestone		100	400	700	100
restored/reclaimed/rehabilitated	aggregate	Actual	0	12	314		
1.4 Proportion of people practising	1.4.1 National	Milestone		10	20	30	4
disaster preparedness and response	aggregate	Actual	0	0	20		
systems, disaggregated by sex	1.4.2 Male	Milestone		5	10	15	2
		Actual	0	0	12		
	1.4.3 Female	Milestone		5	10	15	2
		Actual	0	0	8		
accountable, and transparent at all leve coexistence, and protection of children 2.1 Proportion of women and persons		•	uman rights	and the r	ule of law, 0	equity, pea	ceful 3
with disabilities in elected positions in:	Parliament_Women	Actual	12.4	12.4	12.33		
(1) Parliament; (2) Local Councils; (3)	2.1.10	Milestone		0	0	0	
Chairpersons; (4) Paramount	Councillors_PWDs	Actual		0	0		
Chieftaincy; (5) Councillors	2.1.2 Local	Milestone		18	18	18	5
	Councils_Women	Actual	18	18	17.62		
	2.1.3			28.5	28.5		
	2.1.3	Milestone		20.5	20.5	28.5	5
	2.1.3 Chairpersons_Women	Actual	28.5	28.5	13.6	28.5	5
			28.5			28.5 6.6	5

	2.1.5	Milestone		8	8	8	30
	Councillors_Women	Actual	8	8	17.7		
	2.1.6	Milestone		0	0	0	1
	Parliament_PWDs	Actual	0	0	0		
	2.1.7 Local	Milestone		0	0	0	1
	councils_PWDs	Actual	0	0	0		
	2.1.8	Milestone		0	0	0	1
	Chairpersons_PWDs	Actual	0	0	0		
	2.1.9 Paramount	Milestone		0	0	0	1
	Chieftaincy_PWDs	Actual	0	0	0		
2.2 Mo Ibrahim Index score for Sierra	2.2.1 National	Milestone		51.9	52.9	53.9	55
Leone	aggregate	Actual	N/a	51	51		
2.3 Proportion of the population who	2.3.1 Court_National	Milestone		44.5	48	51.5	55
are satisfied with: (a) courts; (b) police;	aggregate	Actual		41	0		
(c) prison service, disaggregated by sex	2.3.2 Court_Male	Milestone					27
		Actual			0		
	2.3.3 Court_Female	Milestone					28
		Actual			0		
	2.3.4 Police_National	Milestone		41.5	46	50.5	55
	aggregate	Actual	37	37	0		
	2.3.5 Police_Male	Milestone					27
		Actual			0		
	2.3.6 Police_Female	Milestone					28
		Actual			0		
	2.3.7 Prison_National	Milestone		56	59	62	65
	aggregate	Actual	53	53	0		
	2.3.8 Prison_Male	Milestone					45
		Actual			0		
	2.3.9 Prison_Female	Milestone					20
		Actual			0		
2.4 Proportion of community people	2.4.1 National	Milestone		20	25	30	35
satisfied with service delivery by local	aggregate	Actual	0	0	0		
councils, disaggregated by sex	2.4.2 Male	Milestone		10	12.5	15	17.5
		Actual	0	0	0		
	2.4.3 Female	Milestone		10	12.5	15	17.5

		Actual	0	0	0					
Outcome 3 By 2023, the most vulnerable, particularly women, youth, adolescents and children (especially girls), and persons living with disabilities are empowered and benefit from increased social protection services, economic and social opportunities										
3.1 % of population using renewable	3.1.1 National	Milestone		20	28	36	44			
energy sources	aggregate	Actual		15						
3.2 Employment rate disaggregated by	3.2.1 National	Milestone		64	66	68	70			
sex	aggregate	Actual	62.2	62.2						
	3.2.2 Male			44	42	41	40			
	3.2.3 Female			20	24	27	30			
3.3 Gender Inequality Index	3.3.1 National	Milestone		0.645	0.62	0.595	0.57			
	aggregate	Actual		0.645						
3.4 Proportion of unemployed who are actively seeking work that lacked the	3.4.1 National aggregate	Milestone		45	38	31	25			
capital to start a business, disaggregated by vulnerable group, sex, age		Actual	50	50						

			2019	2020	2021	2022	2023		
Output 1.1: Relevant ministries/departmen conservation of protected areas in coastal a	ts/agencies have strengthened capacities to e nd urban planning and development	enforce inclusive reg	ulations ar	nd gende	r-respon	sive poli	cies on		
1.1.1 # of newly endorsed policies by	1.1.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		0	1	2	2		
cabinet on coastal communities and protected areas that are gender-responsive		Actual	0	0	7				
1.1.2 # of ministries/departments/agencies	1.1.2.1 National aggregate	Milestone		2	2	3	4		
with strengthened capacities to enforce regulations and policies on coastal communities and protected areas		Actual	2	5	4				
1.1.3 # of ministries/departments/agencies	1.1.3.1 National aggregate	Milestone		0	1	1	1		
with technical and operational capacities to implement urban planning		Actual	0	0	1				
Output 1.2: Capacity of ministries/departments/agencies in natural resources management at national and local levels strengthened to ensure sustainable use of environmental resources including livelihoods									
	1.2.1.1 Area of land and marine habitat	Milestone		100	300	700	1000		
	under protection	Actual	40	150	302				

1.2.1 Natural resources that are managed	1.2.1.2 Area of protected land under	Milestone		100	300	700	1000
under a sustainable use, conservation, access and benefit-sharing regime	improved management	Actual	0	12			
1.2.2 # of people directly benefiting from	1.2.2.1 Total beneficiaries	Milestone		1000	1700	2350	3000
livelihood opportunities created from		Actual	450	2225	3727		
conserved and protected areas at	1.2.2.2 Male	Milestone		300	500	750	1000
community level		Actual	200	620	1153		
	1.2.2.3 Female	Milestone		700	1200	1600	2000
		Actual	250	1605	2574		
1.2.3 Extent to which disaster risk	1.2.3.1 National aggregate	Milestone		2	3	4	5
management policy developed (Scale: 1 =		Actual	2	3			
Not started, 2 = Initiated, 3 = Developed, 4							
= Finalized, 5 = Popularized)							
Output 1.3: Preparedness systems in place		of natural and manma	ade disaste	rs			-
1.3.1 # of newly established climate	1.3.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		11	13	16	19
information and early warning systems in		Actual	9	14			
place at district level							
1.3.2 # of community-based disaster	1.3.2.1 National aggregate	Milestone		5	30	70	100
preparedness and response plans designed		Actual	0	0			
and implemented at ward level							
Output 2.1: Capacities of targeted oversigh	t and accountability institutions (Parliame	nt, HRC, NEC, ACC and	IPCB) stren	gthened	to perfoi	m their	
mandates				1.	1.		
2.1.1 # of targeted oversight and	2.1.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		4	4	4	4
accountability institutions with		Actual	0	4	4		
strengthened oversight legal framework 2.1.2 # of targeted institutions with	2.1.2.1 Procedures	Milestone		35	35	35	35
administrative and procedural systems to	2.1.2.1 Flocedules	Actual	15	17	35	33	33
effectively perform oversight: (a)	2122 Administrative systems		15	25	25	25	25
procedures and (b) administrative systems	2.1.2.2 Administrative systems	Milestone				25	25
		Actual	5	5	25		
2.1.3 Extent to which civil register	2.1.3.1 National aggregate	Milestone		1	2	3	3
facilitates the extraction of voter register		Actual	1	1	1		
for efficient and credible elections (Scale: 1							
No voter extraction, 2 = Partial extraction,3 = Successful extraction)							
,			+0 000000 +				
Output 2.2: Rule of law institutions (Judicia			its, access to	-	-		
	2.2.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		4	5	5	4

2.2.1 # of targeted institutions with improved procedures and processes to deliver justice and security services		Actual	1	5	6		
2.2.2 # of cases of gender-based violence	2.2.2.1 Cases reported	Milestone		282	354	428	500
reported to authorities and # of reported		Actual	210	409	724		
cases receiving judgment in formal justice	2.2.2.2 Convictions	Milestone		104	119	134	150
system		Actual	89	108	176		
Output 2.3: Gender-responsive institutiona	I frameworks strengthened for peace, citizen's	voice and participa	ation for so	cial cohe	sion		
2.3.1 # of innovative dialogue platforms	2.3.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		157	171	185	200
developed for inclusion and participation of women and youth in sustaining peace and building social cohesion		Actual	143	175	171		
2.3.2 # of CSOs and media institutions with	2.3.2.1 CSOs	Milestone		7	8	9	10
improved capacity to promote peace at		Actual	7	5	8		
national/local levels	2.3.2.2 Media institutions	Milestone		10	10	10	10
		Actual	7	10	10		
Output 2.4: Capacities of targeted local cou	ncils improved to deliver on devolved function	s and manage reso	ources				
2.4.1 % of ministries/departments/agencies	2.4.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		10	20	30	40
with technical capacities to support local councils in the devolution processes		Actual	0	50	0		
2.4.2 # of local councils with institutional	2.4.2.1 National aggregate	Milestone		22	22	22	22
and operating capacities to deliver on devolved functions		Actual	0	22	10		
2.4.3 # of local councils that practice	2.4.3.1 National aggregate	Milestone		22	22	22	22
integrated, gender-sensitive participatory planning based on the 2030 Agenda		Actual	6	6	4		
2.4.4 # of local councils with capacity to	2.4.4.1 National aggregate	Milestone		22	22	22	22
generate, manage, and publish quality date disaggregated by sex and persons with disabilities		Actual	0	22	8		
Output 3.1: Vulnerable groups (poor wome	n, youth and persons with disabilities) are ena	bled to gain access	to basic an	d financi	ial servic	es for bu	isiness
development and job creation				-			
3.1.1 # of people accessing basic services	3.1.1.1 Total people accessing basic services	Milestone		1400	1900	2400	3000
disaggregated by target groups: (a) Men;		Actual	900	5900			
(b) Women; (c) Youth; (d) persons with	3.1.1.2 Men	Milestone		450	650	750	900
disabilities		Actual	0	1800			
	3.1.1.3 Women	Milestone		250	350	550	600

		Actual	0	1550			
	3.1.1.4 Youth	Milestone		660	820	1000	1350
		Actual	0	2460			
	3.1.1.5 PWDs	Milestone		40	80	100	150
		Actual	0	90			
3.1.2 # of small and medium-sized	3.1.2.1 Women	Milestone		600	800	1000	1125
enterprises owned by women, youths and		Actual	382	382			
persons with disabilities accessing financial	3.1.2.2 Youth	Milestone		1000	1400	1750	2070
services: (a) Women; (b) Youth; (c) persons		Actual	702	702			
with disabilities	3.1.2.3 PWDs	Milestone		90	120	150	180
		Actual	61	61			
3.1.3 # of technical, vocational education	3.1.3.1 National aggregate	Milestone		0	1	2	4
and training institutions that incorporate		Actual	0	0			
innovation and entrepreneurship skills							
training in their curricula							
Output 3.2: Households in target areas wit					1		T
3.2.1 # of households accessing clean,	3.2.1.1 Total households	Milestone		0	0	2000	5000
affordable and renewal energy,		Actual	0	0			
disaggregated by rural/urban/peri-urban	3.2.1.2 Rural households	Milestone		0	0	1000	2500
areas		Actual	0	0			
	3.2.1.3 Urban households	Milestone		0	0	300	1000
		Actual	0	0			
	3.2.1.4 Peri-urban households	Milestone		0	0	700	1500
		Actual	0	0			
Output 3.3: Vulnerable communities in tar	geted districts are enabled to harvest saf	e, clean and drinkable ra	ainwater				
3.3.1 # of functioning sustainable	3.3.1.1 National aggregate	Milestone		3	6	8	9
community reservoirs with standalone		Actual	0	6			
roof-top harvesting systems							
3.3.2 # of people benefiting from	3.3.2.1 Total people	Milestone		10000	20000	35000	50000
functioning sustainable community		Actual	0	6420			
reservoirs with standalone roof-top	3.3.2.2 Male	Milestone	N/A				
harvesting systems disaggregated by sex and persons with disabilities		Actual	0	3145			
	3.3.2.3 Female	Milestone	N/A				
		Actual	0	3250			
	3.3.2.4 PWDs	Milestone	N/A				

		Actual	0	25			
Output 3.4: Public and private sectors instit	utions have improved capacities to cre	ate decent jobs and susta	inable liveli	hood opt	ions	_	
3.4.1 # of people with access to livelihood	3.4.1.1 Total people	Milestone		3400	4300	5200	6000
options in predefined values chains,		Actual	2623	4623			
disaggregated by sex and persons with	3.4.1.2 Male	Milestone		1650	2000	2200	2400
disabilities		Actual	1442	2042			
	3.4.1.3 Female	Milestone		1700	2200	2850	3400
		Actual	1181	2581			
	3.4.1.4 PWDs	Milestone		50	100	150	200
		Actual	0	0			
3.4.2 Extent to which Maritime Policy	3.4.2.1 National aggregate	Milestone		1	2	3	3
<pre>implemented: a) 1 = Not implemented, b) 2 = Partially, c) 3 = Fully</pre>		Actual	1	1			
It 3.5: Grassroots innovative solutions ident	ified with local actors (youth, women,	community people) to add	dress develo	pment c	hallenge	S	
3.5.1 # of innovative solutions: (a)	3.5.1.1 Solutions identified	Milestone		10	20	30	40
identified; (b) piloted; (c) scaled up		Actual	0	54			
	3.5.1.2 Solutions piloted	Milestone		0	6	10	15
		Actual	0	3			
	3.5.1.3 Solutions scaled- up	Milestone		0	0	4	8
		Actual	0	2			

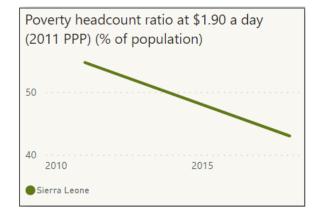
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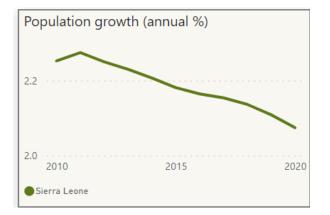
ANNEX 7. RATING MATRIX

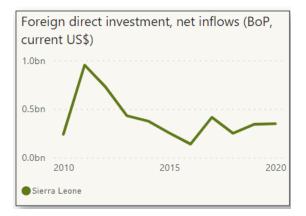
Criteria	Inclusive Democratic Governance Cluster	Sustainability and Local Economic Development Cluster	Overall rating
1. Relevance	3	3	3
1.A. Adherence to national development priorities	4	4	4
1.B. Alignment with UN/UNDP goals	3	3	3
1.C. Relevance of programme logic	3	3	3
2. Coherence	2	2	2
2.A. Internal programme coherence	2	2	2
2.B. External programme coherence	3	2	2
3. Efficiency	2	3	2
3.A. Timeliness	2	3	2
3.B. Management and operational efficiency	2	2	2
4. Effectiveness	3	3	3
4.A. Achievement/ eventual achievement of the stated outputs and outcomes	3	3	3
4.B. Programme inclusiveness (especially those at risk of being left behind)	3	3	3
4.C. Prioritizing gender equality and women's empowerment	3	3	3
4.D. Prioritization of development innovation	2	2	2
5. Sustainability	3	2	2
5.A. Sustainable capacity	3	2	2
5.B. Financing for development	3	2	3

ANNEX 8. COUNTRY AT A GLANCE

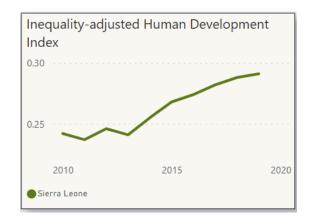
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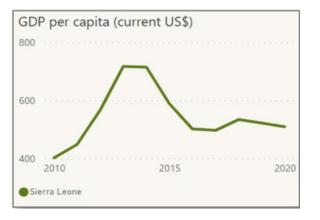




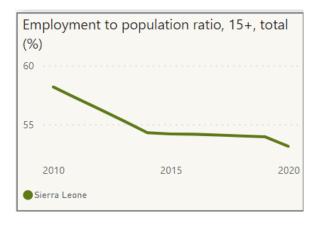
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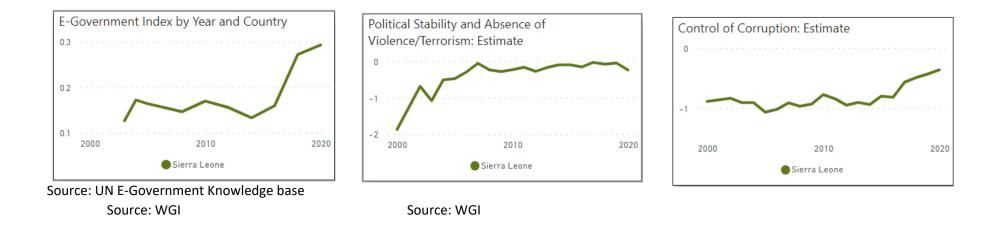
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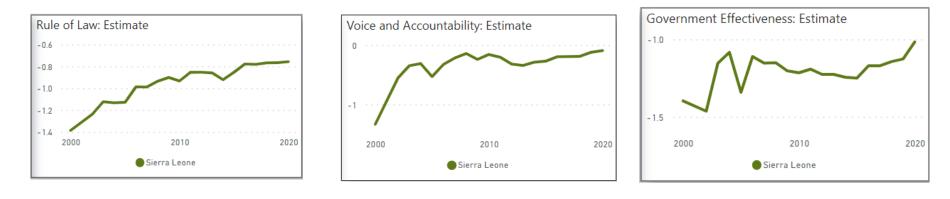


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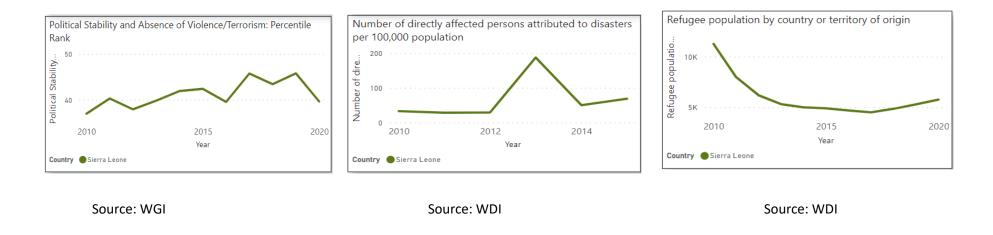


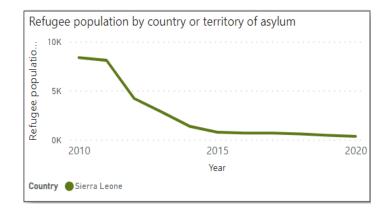
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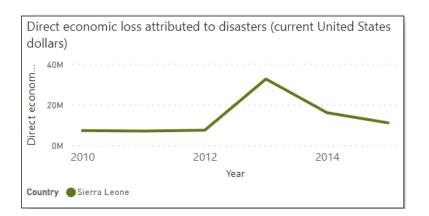
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Resilience



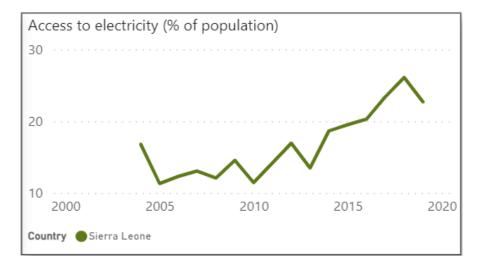


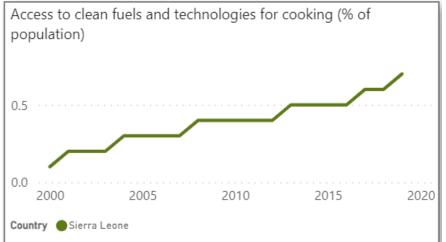


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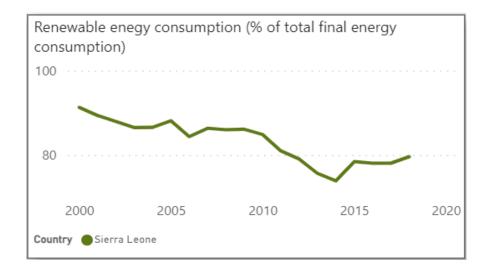
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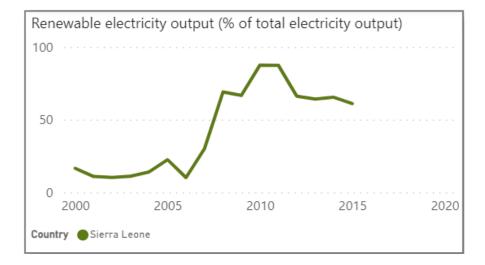
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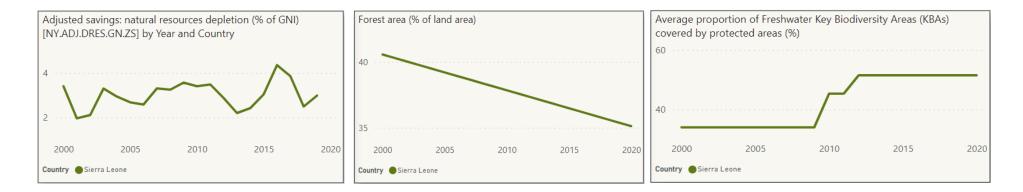




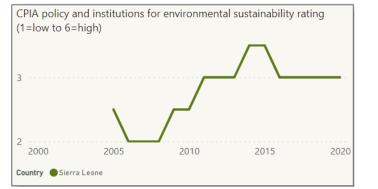
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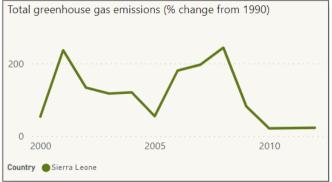






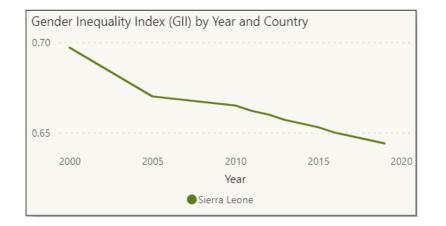
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