Development Partner Profile

Spain

Summary

This development partner profile showcases different dimensions of performance and the distribution of development finance of Spain. The information below was compiled from two sources: AidData’s 2014 Reform Efforts Survey and 2004-2013 Core Database. The 2014 Reform Efforts Survey asked public, private, and civil society leaders in 126 low- and middle-income countries questions about the most pressing problems they face, their top policy priorities, and how aid agencies can partner with them most effectively. Leaders evaluated the degree to which Spain’s influenced the policy agenda (n=344), provided useful advice (n=200), and how helpful this development partner was in implementation (n=99). The 2004-2013 Core Database represents the most comprehensive dataset tracking international development finance.

Where does Spain's Development Finance go?

Top Partner Countries
(in millions USD by % of development finance)

1. Guatemala (4%, 1132.4)
2. Morocco (3%, 1055.9)
3. Nicaragua (3%, 937.6)
4. Peru (3%, 862.6)
5. Tunisia (2%, 749.8)
6. Iraq (2%, 748.5)
7. Colombia (2%, 672.5)
8. Bolivia (2%, 648.6)
9. Honduras (2%, 632.2)
10. El Salvador (2%, 610.5)

Source: AidData’s 2004-2013 Core Database

In which countries is Spain performing the best?

Influences the policy agenda (0-5)

Mauritania
Haiti
Honduras
Cape Verde
Philippines
El Salvador
Paraguay
Guatemala
Ecuador
Dominican Republic

Provides useful advice* (1-5)

Mauritania
Haiti
Honduras
Cape Verde
Philippines
El Salvador
Paraguay
Guatemala
Ecuador
Dominican Republic

Helpful in implementation (0-5)

El Salvador
Paraguay
Peru
Philippines
Mauritania
Guatemala
Haiti
Mozambique
Dominican Republic
Morocco

* The usefulness of advice scale ranged from 1 to 5.

Source: AidData’s 2014 Reform Efforts Survey, Q14, Q21, Q25
How do in-country stakeholders perceive Spain's performance?

- **Influences the policy agenda**: Spain's score of 2.0 is equal to the average country.
- **Provides useful advice**: Spain's score of 2.8 is compared to the average development partner.
- **Helpful in implementation**: Spain's score of 2.9 is compared to the average development partner.

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Spain's Useful Advice, Amount of Development Finance, and Influence by Policy Area

- **Policy Domain**
  - Economic policy
  - Social and environmental policy
  - Governance policy
- **Agenda-setting influence**
  - 0= no influence at all
  - 5= maximum influence

Source: AidData's 2004-2013 Core Database and 2014 Reform Efforts Survey, Q14, Q21

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