



TOOL Data Mapping Template

SDG target:

10.C By 2030, reduce to less than 3 per cent the transaction costs of migrant remittances and eliminate remittance corridors with costs higher than 5 per cent.

Suggested data areas:

- Remittances, for example, transfer costs, volumes remitted
- Impact of remittances, for example, proportion for consumption/investment

Institution (Department if relevant)	Data collected or received Disaggregation.	How and how often collected/ received? (monthly, quarterly, annually)	Stored how? (Paper, Excel, Other)	Shared with whom? (Institution/ Department)	Shared how and when? (Paper, Excel, other)	Reported where, in what format, how often?
World Bank	Transfer fees to and from the country, for USD200 and USD500	Mystery shopping exercise (researchers pose as customers to contact diverse service providers) ⁴⁰	Database	Public	Shared online quarterly (see reported)	Online: http://remittanceprices.worldbank.org/en
Central Bank	Total volume of remittances sent in and out of the country, by destination country	Automated from commercial banks, monthly	Database	Ministry of Economics	Monthly, Excel	Public reports online, quarterly
	Information on household remittance use, including proportion spent on consumption and investment	Specialized household surveys, ad hoc	Isolated Excel records of survey results	-	-	Studies are shared online as reports; ad hoc
Statistical Agency	Whether households received remittances in last 12 months (Yes/No)	Household survey, annual	Database of integrated household survey results	-	-	Raw data and qualitative reports on household survey including this online, annual

Any other relevant data collected in this area:

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What are key challenges or barriers to successfully collecting data in this area?

It is difficult to capture data systematically on usage of remittances and on non-formal remittances flows.

How could data collection be improved in this area?

More data collection on the usage of remittances, either through regular specialized surveys or adding a question in the annual household survey.

