

**ALGERIA**

**Joint programme for gender equality and the empowerment of women in Algeria (MDGF- 1630)**



*Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment*

<b>Total Budget:</b>	<b>USD 3,640,000</b>		
<b>Budget by Agency:</b>	UNICEF: 267,500 UNIFEM: 738,300 UNDP: 1,312,140 UNIDO: 42,800	ILO: 631,300 UNAIDS: 160,500 UNFPA: 492,200	
<b>Participating Gov. Entities:</b>	Ministères Délégué à la Famille et à la Condition Féminine		
<b>Start Date:</b>	26 February 2010	<b>Approval Date:</b>	9 January 2008
<b>Est. End Date:</b>	26 February 2013	<b>Signature Date:</b>	25 February 2009
<b>Disbursements:</b>	First Disbursement: Second Disbursement: Third Disbursement:	26 February 2010	USD 1,199,622
<b>In Brief:</b>	The aim of the programme is to support national efforts for gender equality and the empowerment of women, paying particular attention to improving access to employment for women. The joint programme has identified three inter-related strategic interventions: 1) It will support the establishment of a suitable environment for fair decision-making, strengthening the capacity to improve the availability of sex-disaggregated data and studies as well as integrating gender into sectoral programmes. 2) A practical implementation will be made in the crucial area of women's access to employment that will be improved by supporting already existing job-creation mechanisms and by developing pilot projects. 3) Public information on gender issues and women's socio-economic rights will be promoted through partnerships with media and Civil Society organizations.		

**Outcomes:**

- Policies and programmes in place that better consider gender equality and women's empowerment issues through the availability of improved gender-specific data and targeted analyses, and public and private institutions with enhanced capacity to advise decision makers and other actors on issues related to equitable decision-making.
- Improved access for women to existing job creation and entrepreneurship mechanisms.
- Civil society organizations and the media playing a more effective role in policy-related dialogue, with the capacity to put forward balanced points of view in order to mainstream the gender dimension into participatory processes



<b>Regions of Intervention:</b>	• Communes of Djelfa, Tamanrasset and Tipaza	
<b>MDGs</b>	MDG3 T3.A	
<b>Beneficiaries</b>	<b>Direct</b>	<b>Indirect</b>
• <b>No. Institutions</b>	38	0
• <b>No. Women</b>	20	0
• <b>No. Men</b>	0	0

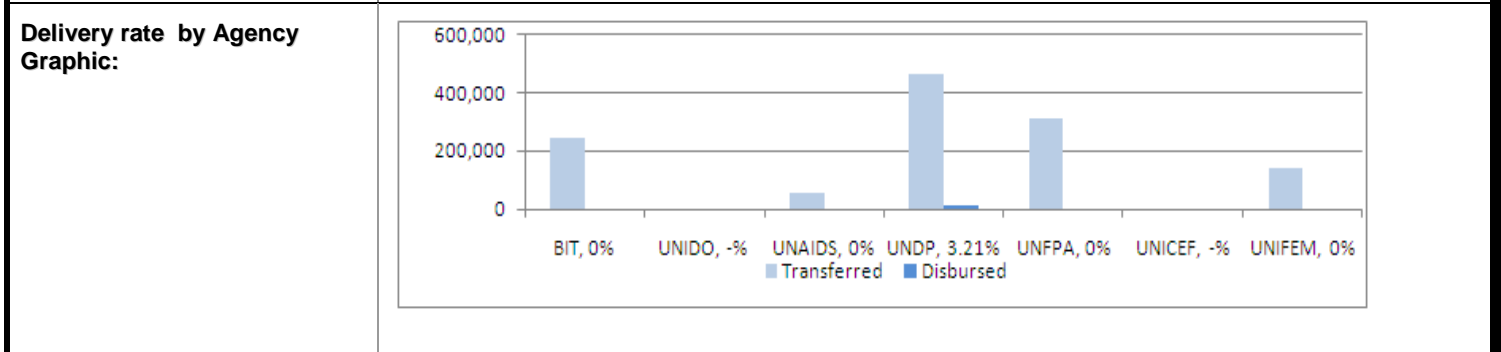
• <b>No. ethnic groups</b>	0	0
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**Status**  
The Joint programme completes six months of inception phase. Programme activities are yet to start. The inception phase has mainly consisted in defining the programme governance structures, recruitment of the joint programme coordinator, and preparations for the inception workshop.

**Estimated financial execution status as of the June 30,2010 biannual report:**

<p><b>Disbursed Budget:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0.4 % over the Total approved budget</li> <li>• 1.23 % over transferred budget</li> </ul>	<p><b>Committed Budget:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 0.4 % over the Total approved budget</li> <li>• 1.23 % over transferred budget</li> </ul>
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**Main Achievements:** N/A

Other important achievements

Does the JP incorporate gender considerations in the **activities/outputs/outcomes**? (example)

Does the JP include gender specific **indicators** in the monitoring plan?(example)

Does the JP mention gender relationships as part of the **challenges** analyzed? (specify)