

How to use online WASH funding data sources for advocacy purposes

1. Humanitarian: [Financial Tracking System \(FTS\)](#)

2. Development: [AidData](#)

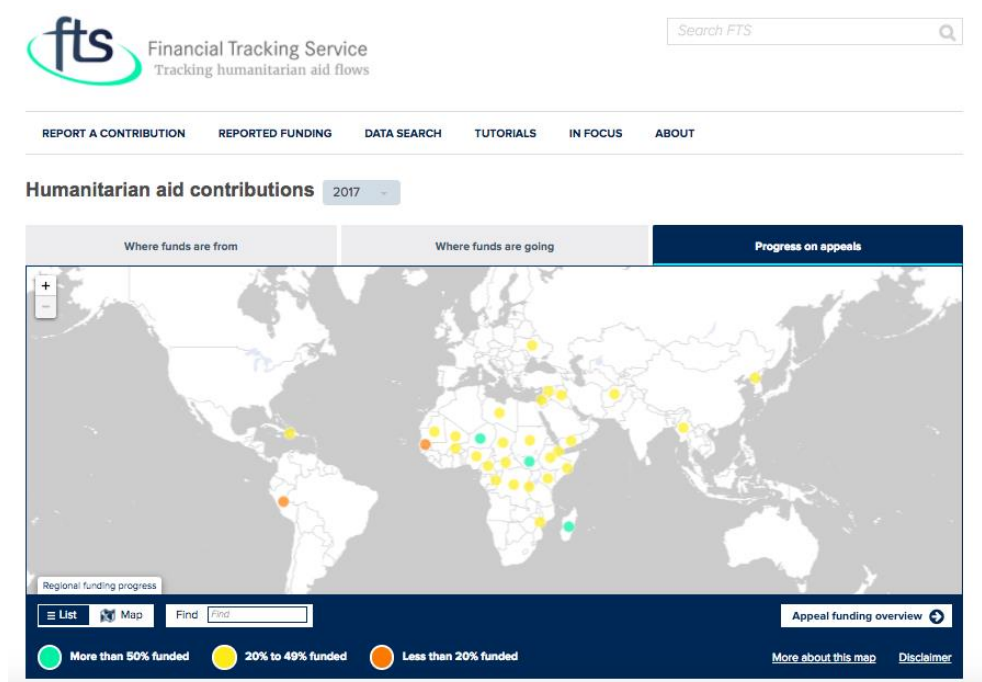
1. Financial Tracking System (FTS)

1.1 Things to know about FTS:

- Managed by UN Office for Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA)
- Since 1992, it has collected reports on humanitarian funding flows submitted by Government donors, UN-administered funds, UN agencies, NGOs and other humanitarian actors and partners, including the private sector.
- FTS supports the transparency and accountability of the humanitarian system and facilitates resource mobilisation
- It gives daily decision-making at both national and global levels across all humanitarian emergencies and actors, focusing on contributions as well as the allocation and use of funds.
- Internationally strongly recognised.

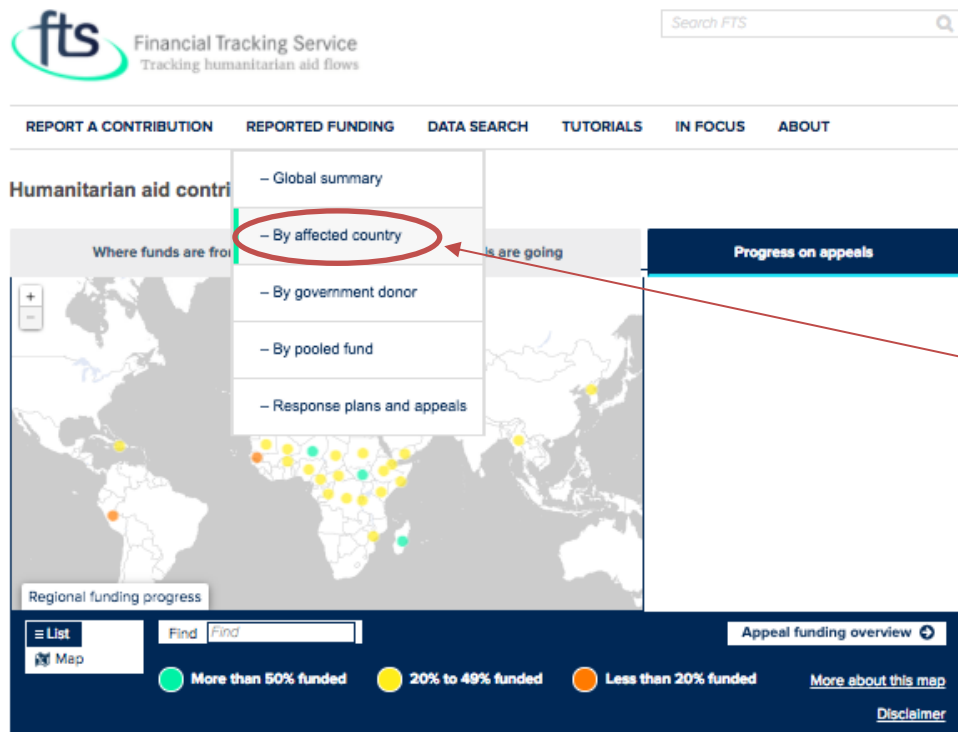
1.2 How and for what it could be possibly used:

- WHAT:
 - FTS could be used to give an overview of the humanitarian funding of the country as well as the trends.
 - It could clarify the gaps in funding and give insights into donor behaviour.
- HOW:
 - To use it for evidence-based humanitarian advocacy work.
 - To use it during donor conversations to demonstrate funding gaps.



Potential user steps:

By affected country -> Afghanistan -> Funding by Source/Sector -> Download Data



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Tracking humanitarian aid flows

Search FTS

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Humanitarian aid contributions

- Global summary
- **By affected country**
- By government donor
- By pooled fund
- Response plans and appeals

Where funds are from: [Map]

Where funds are going: [Map]

Progress on appeals

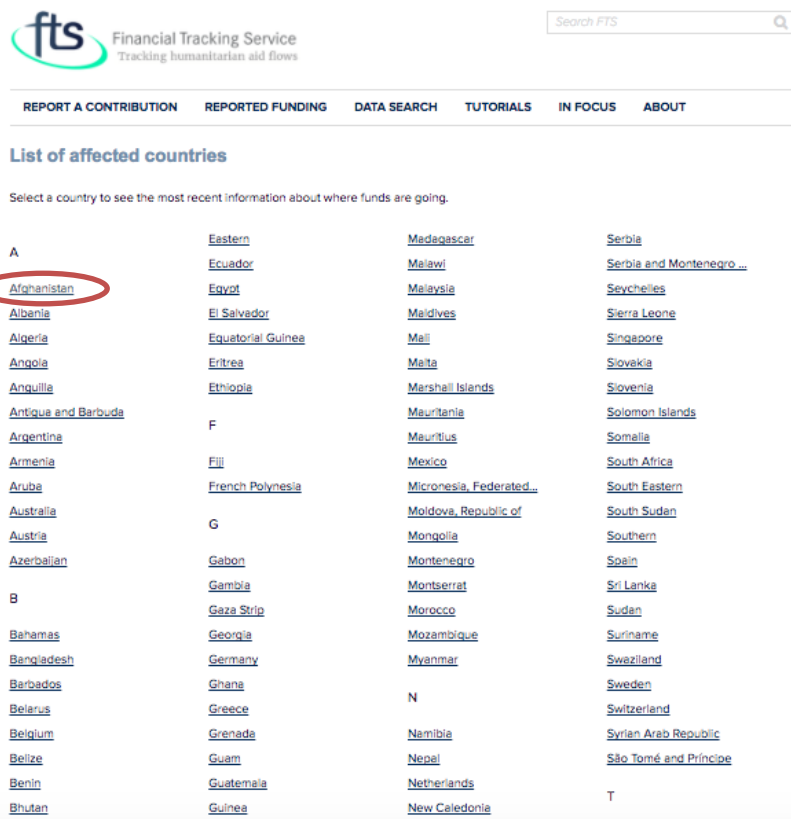
Regional funding progress

List Map Find Find

Appeal funding overview

More than 50% funded 20% to 49% funded Less than 20% funded More about this map Disclaimer

1. Click on "By affected country"



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List of affected countries

Select a country to see the most recent information about where funds are going.

A	Eastern	Madagascarc	Serbia
Albania	Ecuador	Malawi	Serbia and Montenegro ...
Algeria	Egypt	Malaysia	Seychelles
Angola	El Salvador	Maldives	Sierra Leone
Anguilla	Equatorial Guinea	Mali	Singapore
Antigua and Barbuda	Eritrea	Malta	Slovakia
Argentina	Ethiopia	Marshall Islands	Slovenia
Armenia	F	Mauritania	Solomon Islands
Aruba	Fiji	Mauritius	Somalia
Australia	French Polynesia	Mexico	South Africa
Austria	G	Micronesia, Federated...	South Eastern
Azerbaijan	Gabon	Moldova, Republic of	South Sudan
Bahamas	Gambia	Mongolia	Southern
Bangladesh	Ghana	Montenegro	Spain
Barbados	Greece	Montserrat	Sri Lanka
Belarus	Grenada	Morocco	Sudan
Belgium	Guam	Mozambique	Suriname
Belize	Guatemala	Myanmar	Swaziland
Benin	Guinea	N	Sweden
Bhutan		Namibia	Switzerland
		Nepal	Syrian Arab Republic
		Netherlands	São Tomé and Príncipe
		New Caledonia	T

2. Click on "Afghanistan".

All countries

Afghanistan 2017



Summary Data

Year 2017

Highlights as at 7 September 2017

Total reported funding: US\$238m
 Funding as a % of global total: 1.7%
 Funding through appeals/response plans: US\$179.5m (75.4%)
 Funding through pooled funds: US\$30.5m (12.8%)
 Number of emergencies: 1
 Number of appeals/response plans: 1
[Take me to all funding](#)

Response plans/appeals

	Funded (US\$m)	Required (US\$m)	% coverage
Afghanistan 2017	179.5	550.2	32.6%

To view funding which is not part of the plan/appeal go here

Trends in reported funding



Related appeals

- Afghanistan 2001
- Afghanistan 2002 (ITAP for the Afghan People)
- Afghanistan TAPA 2003
- Afghanistan UN-Government Drought Appeal 2004
- Afghanistan Drought Joint Appeal 2006
- Afghanistan Joint Appeal 2008: Humanitarian Consequences of Rise in Food Prices (February - June 2008)
- Afghanistan Joint Emergency Appeal 2008: High Food Price and Drought Crisis (July 2008 - June 2009)
- Afghanistan Humanitarian Action Plan 2009
- Afghanistan Humanitarian Action Plan 2010
- Afghanistan 2011
- Afghanistan 2012
- Afghanistan 2013
- Afghanistan 2014

! Be aware that the data is updated every day.

! You can change the year by clicking on the arrow pointing down.

“Summary” shows a clear overview of the annual funding in forms of graphs, “Data” is more focused on displaying numbers.

Afghanistan 2017



Summary Data

Year 2017

View by Individual flows

Related appeal

- Afghanistan 2017

Totals

Total incoming funding: US\$238,029,906
 Outgoing funding: US\$0
 Incoming minus outgoing funding: US\$238,029,906
 Total pledges: US\$0

Displaying 1 - 50 of 163



Filter by boundary

- Incoming (131)
- Internal (32)

Filter by plan

- Funding not towards a plan (26)
- Afghanistan 2017 (137)

Filter by emergency

- None (163)

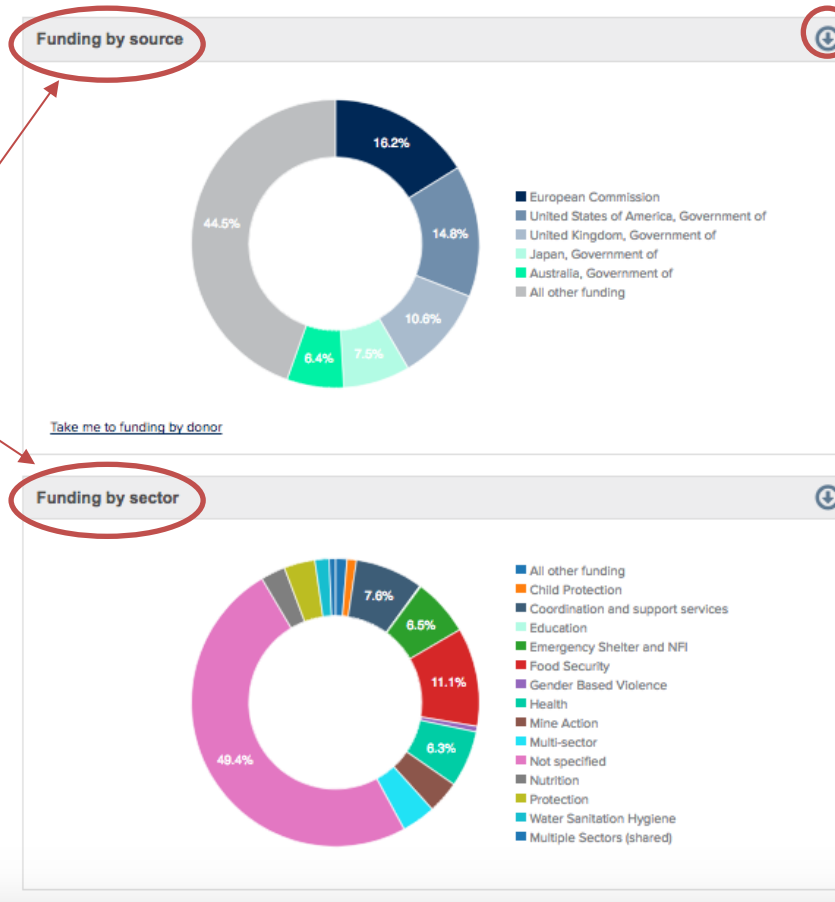
Filter by donor

- None (3)

Flow ID	Donor	Recipient	Description	Sector	Amount (US\$)	Funding status	Boundary
149198	United States of America, Government of	International Committee of the Red Cross	Humanitarian Assistance (STATE/PRM)		\$10,250,000	Commitment	Incoming
151739	Sweden, Government of	Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs	Afghanistan - OCHA Office (OCT 5458)	Coordination and support services	\$391,193	Paid Contribution	Incoming

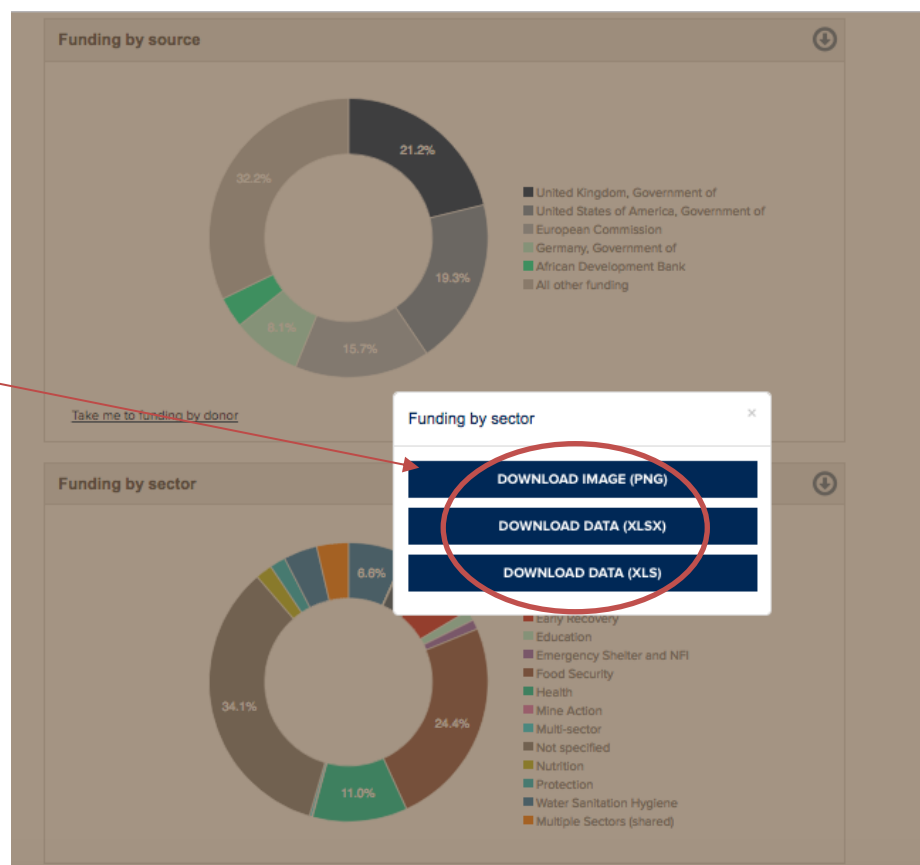
! Be aware that you can change the “view by” by clicking on the arrow pointing down. Besides Individual flows, there are also the options: donor, donor type, recipient, recipient type, sector.

Example analysis:



! FTS provides data on different funding aspects, make sure to have a look at them all to evaluate which ones are best to use for your work.

3. You can download the exact numbers here.



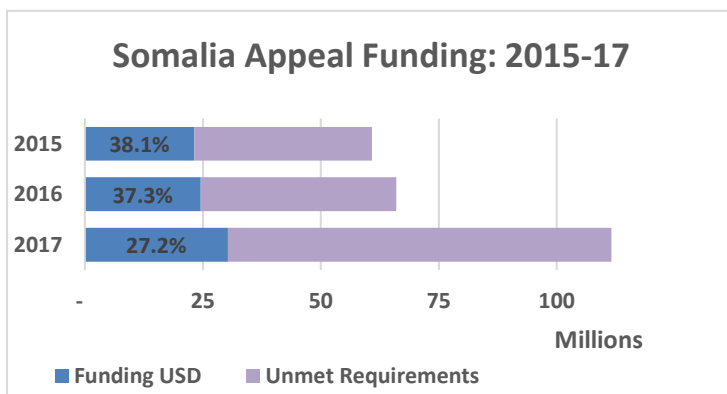
4. Download data by clicking on one of the three given options.

Sector	Funded (US\$)	%
All other funding	68743115	6,6
Camp Coordination / Management	360000	0
Child Protection	1050800	0,1
Coordination and support services	42063822	4,1
Early Recovery	58297587	5,6
Education	12688814	1,2
Emergency Shelter and NFI	11563849	1,1
Food Security	253076121	24,4
Health	114082679	11
Mine Action	906000	0,1
Multi-sector	3004000	0,3
Not specified	353691914	34,1
Nutrition	20106763	1,9
Protection	19157310	1,8
Water Sanitation Hygiene	40461081	3,9
Multiple Sectors (shared)	38101380	3,7

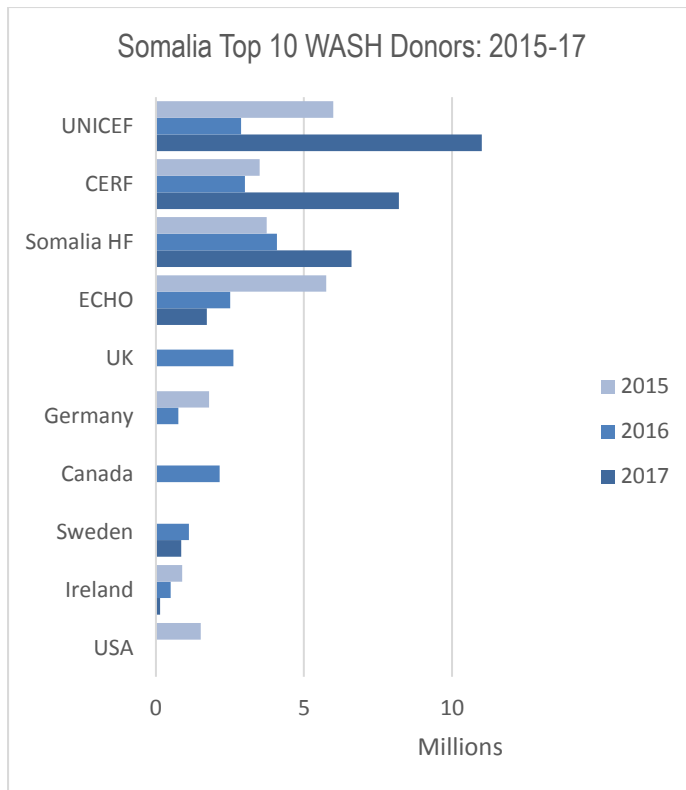
You can rearrange the data according to your needs by clicking on the arrows that are pointing down.

5. Click on "Export Data" to have the overview of the requested data.

Using FTS data, following sources could be taken out:




Possible analysis to be used for advocacy purposes:
 Somalia has seen a considerable increase in WASH requirements in 2017, notably due to the drought.
 With ever increase in funding, the requirements are decreasingly met.



Possible analysis to be used for advocacy purposes:

While the top 3 WASH donors have increased their funding in 2017, most of the other donors have decreased or ceased WASH funding. As a consequence, the WASH appeal is funded at less than 30%.



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Possible analysis to be used for advocacy purposes:

WASH continues to be an underfunded sector, receiving only 3,9% of the required funds.

- Please keep in mind that this was just one example of how to use FTS for advocacy purposes.
- For more information on FTS, please go on: <https://fts.unocha.org/content/how-fts-works> or have a look at the GWC document on “How to use online databases”.
- When going through different FTS pages, users will discover a wide range of data, viewed from different angles and key players – make sure to take time in reading through the different pages and discover the diverse data.

2. Aid Data

2.1 Things to know about AidData:

- AidData tracks \$40 trillion in funding for development. Now anyone can assess who is funding what, where and to what effect.
- AidData was formed in 2009 as a partnership between three institutions — the College of William & Mary, Development Gateway and Brigham Young University.
- AidData not only publishes a comprehensive development finance data portal, but invests in creating tools, analysis and training that makes this information useful in research, program planning and advocacy.

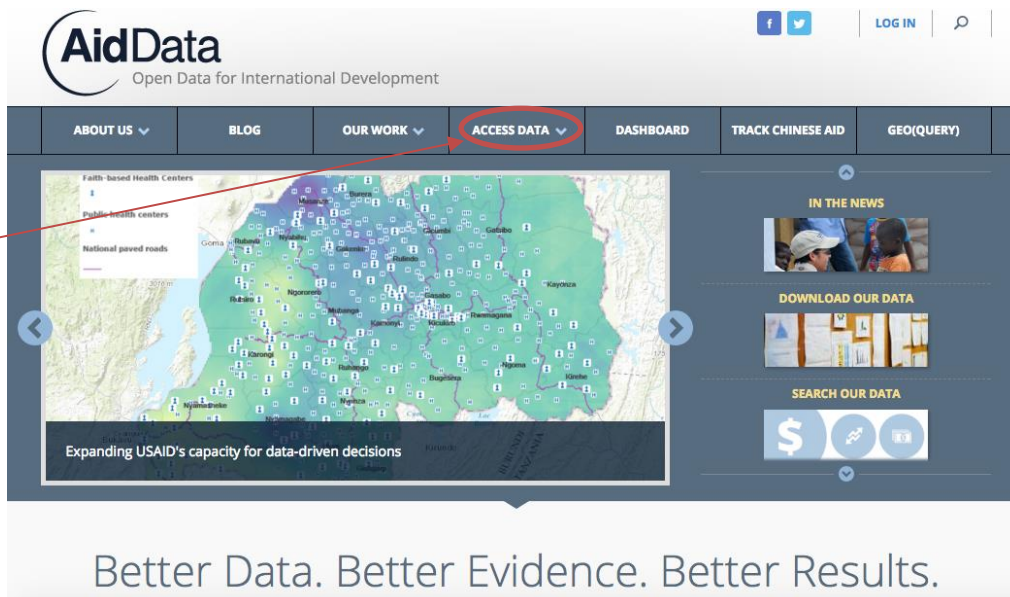
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Potential user steps:

Access data -> Donor Datasets -> Main AidData dashboard

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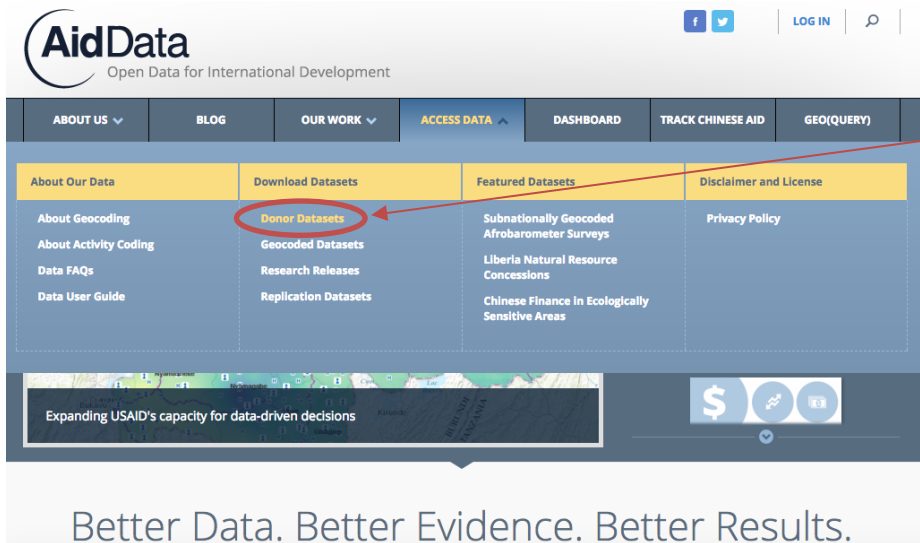
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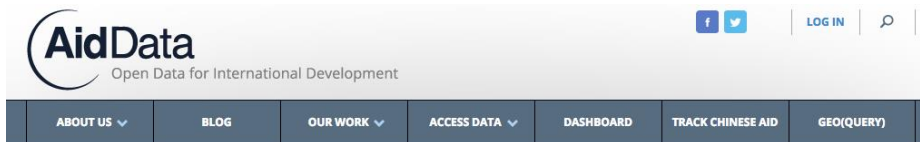
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2. Click on "Donor Datasets"



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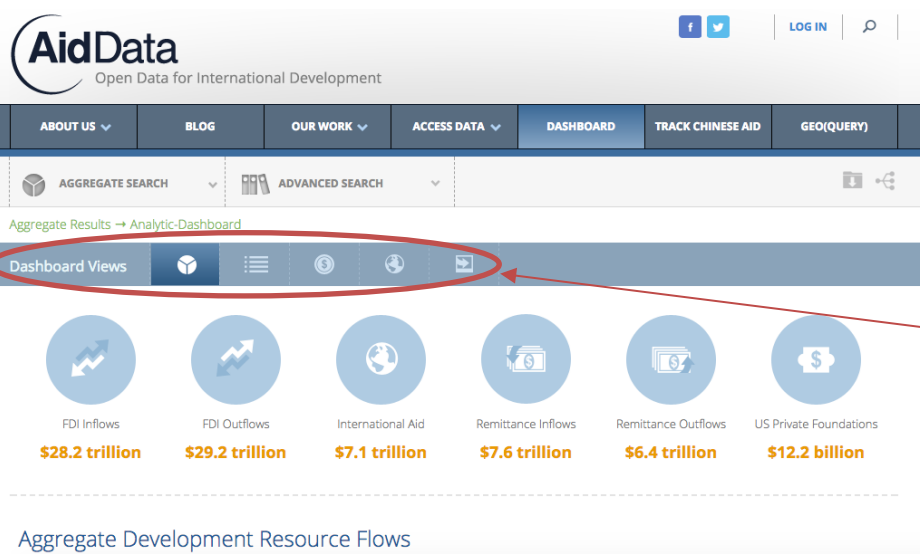
Donor Datasets

AidData works to collect datasets from development finance institutions around the world and to make them more accessible to the public. Some of these datasets are provided to AidData directly by the collecting agency; some are harvested from funder and lender websites (i.e., webscraped); and others are gathered from print publications, such as annual reports, and digitized. Where possible, these datasets are standardized and incorporated into the **main AidData dashboard**.



The datasets included here represent a combination of relatively recent data that have not yet been vetted for inclusion in the **main AidData dashboard** and those that are not suitable for inclusion due to the nature or format of the data represented. These files are, however, valuable sources of development finance information.

3. Click on "main AidData dashboard".



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AGGREGATE SEARCH | ADVANCED SEARCH

Aggregate Results → Analytic-Dashboard

Dashboard Views

\$28.2 trillion	\$29.2 trillion	\$7.1 trillion	\$7.6 trillion	\$6.4 trillion	\$12.2 billion

Aggregate Development Resource Flows

4. Use the different dashboards and options available to get the data which suits best for your advocacy work.