

Financing for Urban Solutions

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Internal Displacement Globally



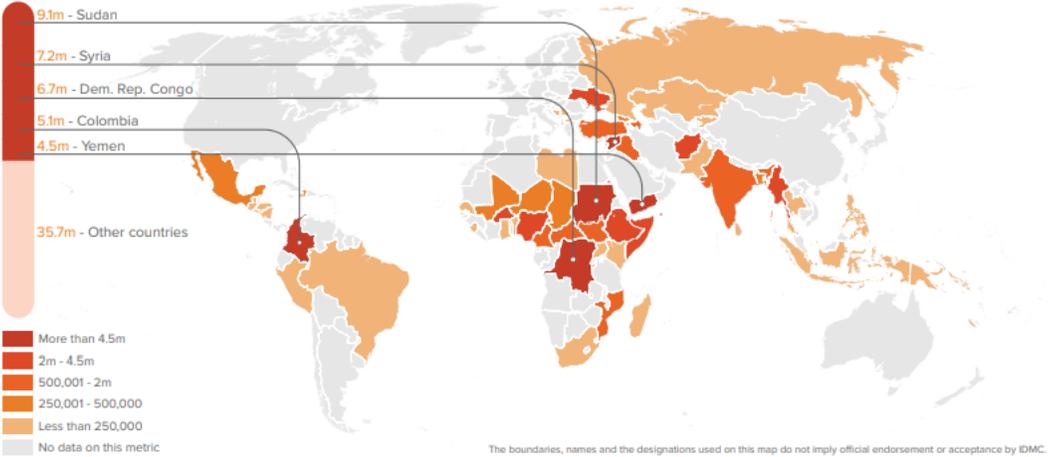
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Internal displacements by conflict and disasters at the end of 2023

75.9m 

Displaced by conflict and violence



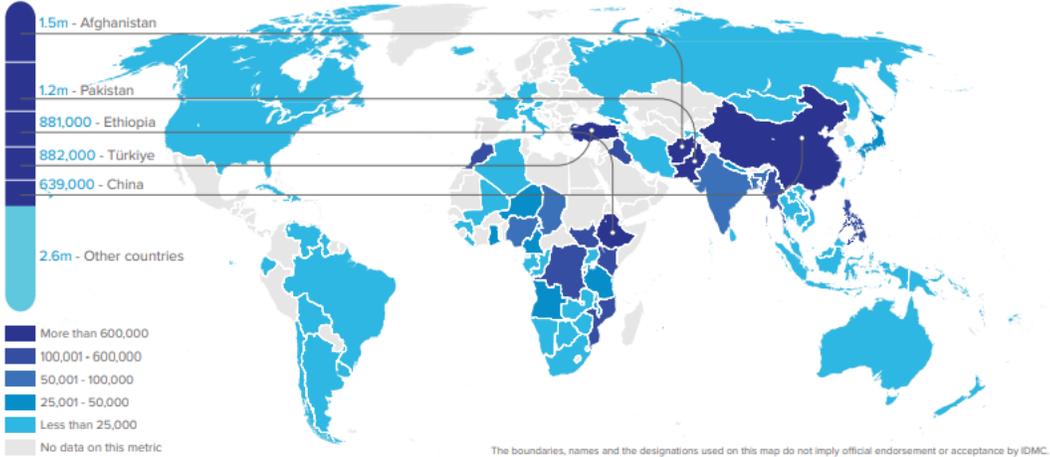
68.3 million

Internally displaced people as a result of conflict and violence in 66 countries and territories as of 31 December 2023

↑ 9%

Increase in the number of people internally displaced by conflict and violence since 2022

Displaced by disasters



7.7 million

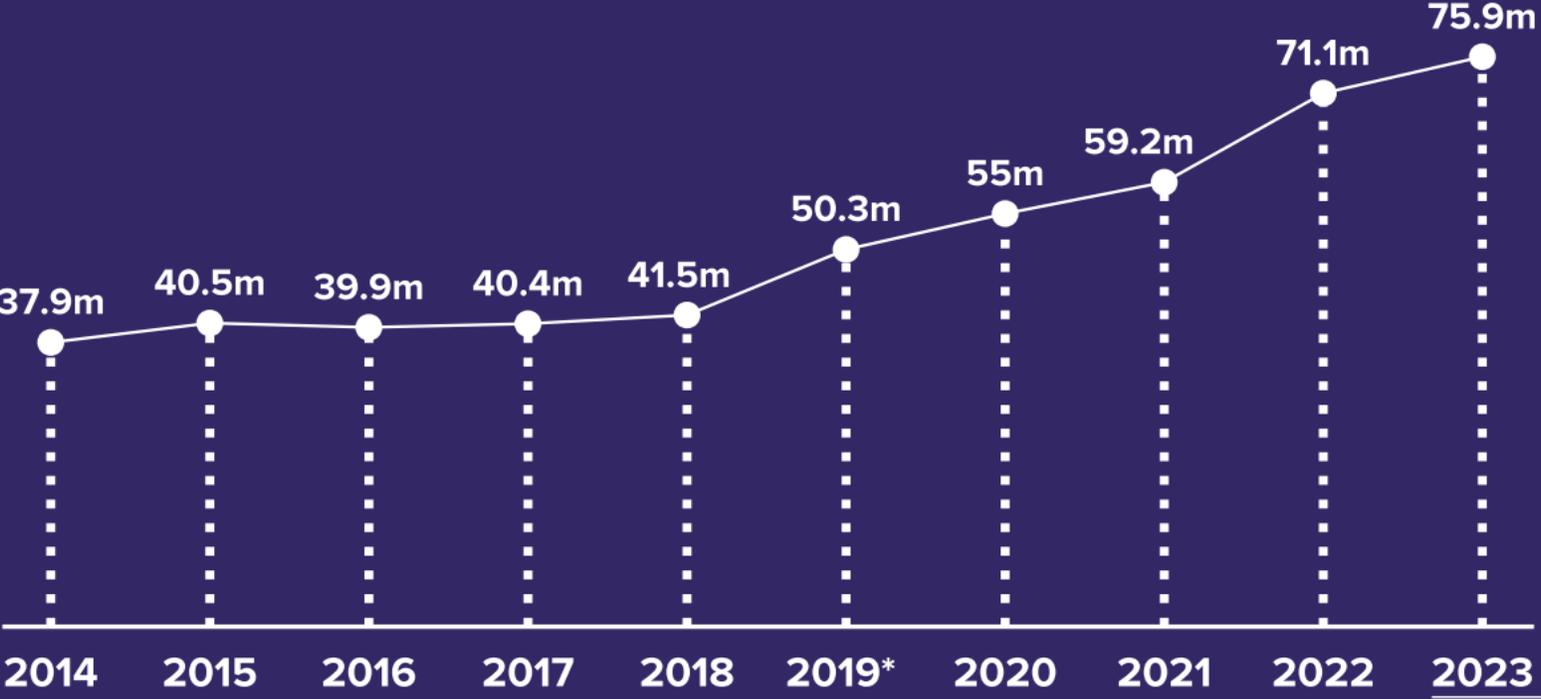
Internally displaced people as a result of disasters in 82 countries and territories as of 31 December 2023

↓ -11%

Decrease in the number of people internally displaced by disasters since 2022

Evolution of the number of IDPs 2013 - 2023

The number of IDPs continues to rise



The total number of people living in internal displacement increased by 51% over the past five years, reaching a record high of 75.9 million people across 116 countries at the end of 2023

Total number of IDPs in millions
**First year disaster data is available*

OSA Support to Pilot Countries



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Developing a solutions knowledge with pilot countries

Pilot countries: target: >10 million IDPs on solutions pathways

Colombia



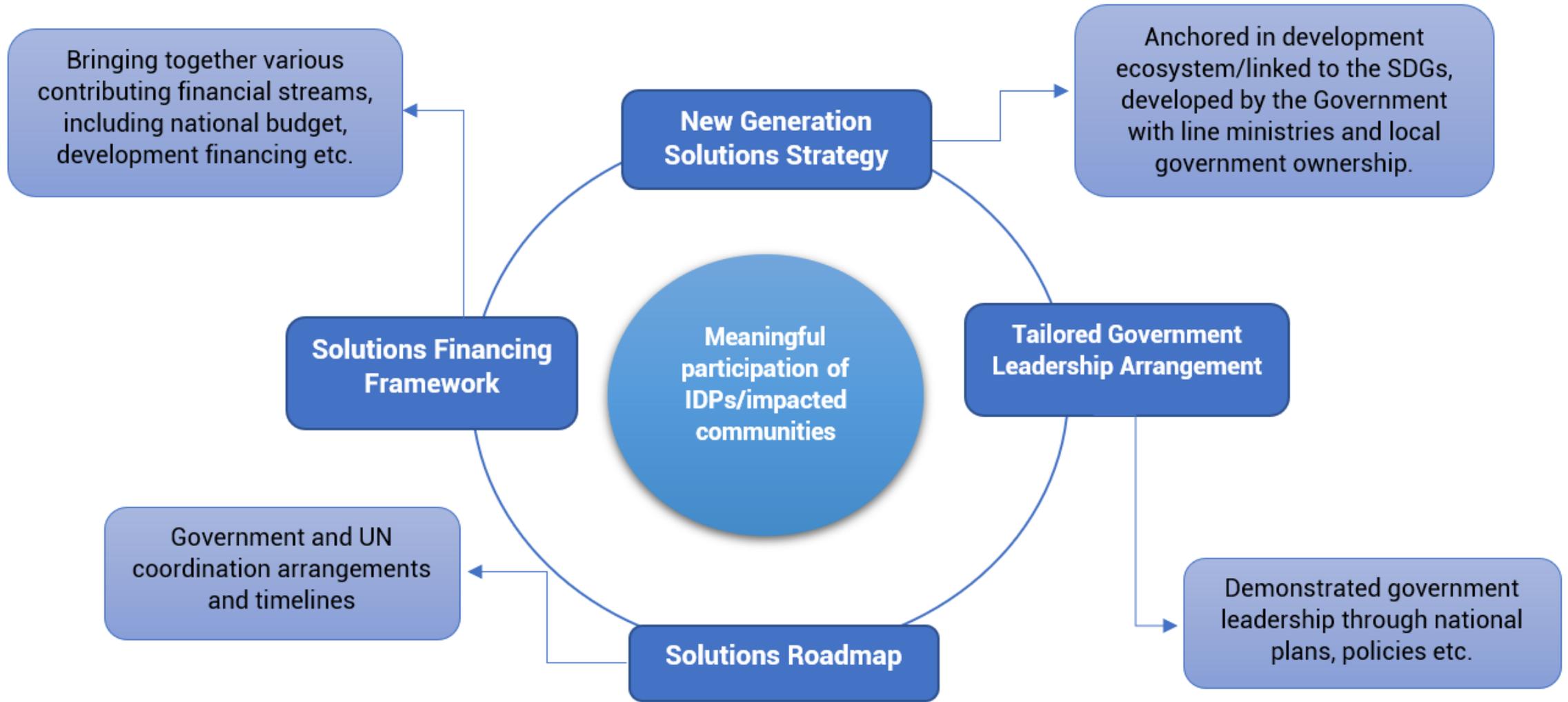
Central African Republic
Chad
Ethiopia
Libya
Mozambique
Niger
Nigeria
Somalia
South Sudan
Sudan



Afghanistan
Iraq
Vanuatu
Yemen



Solutions Pathways Building Blocks



What have we learned from costed solution plans ?

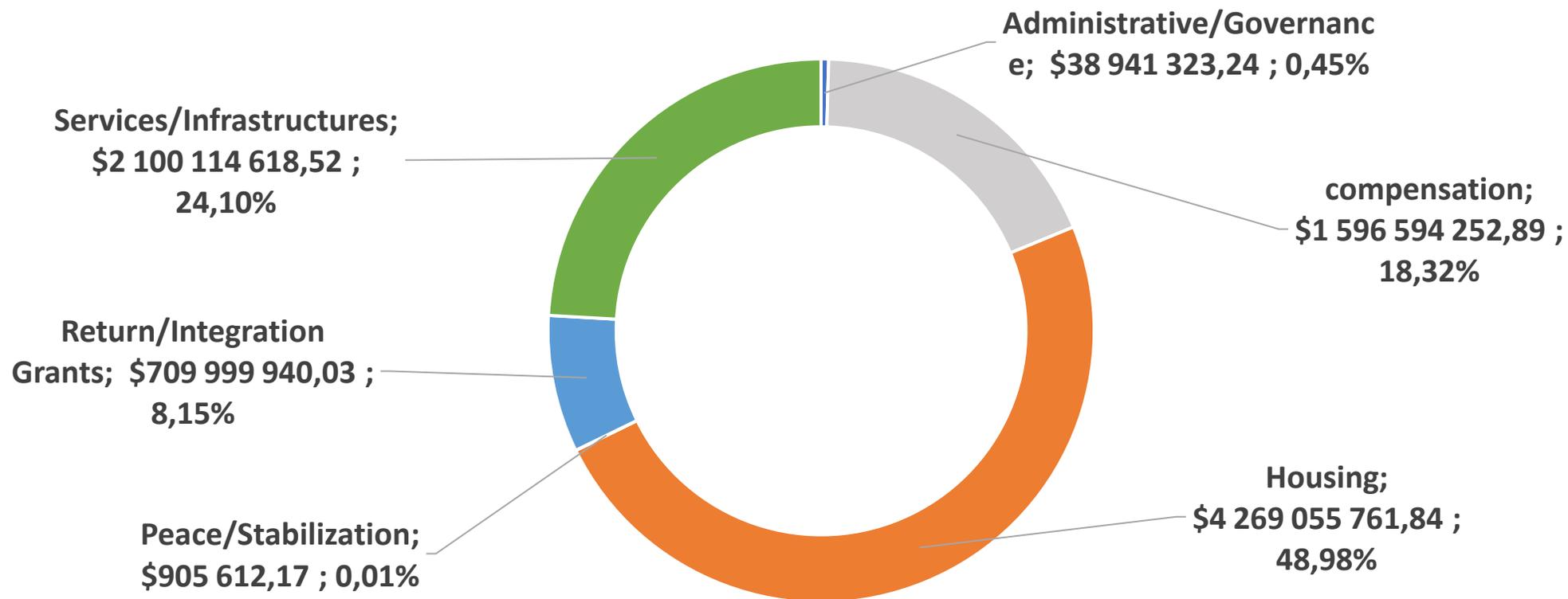


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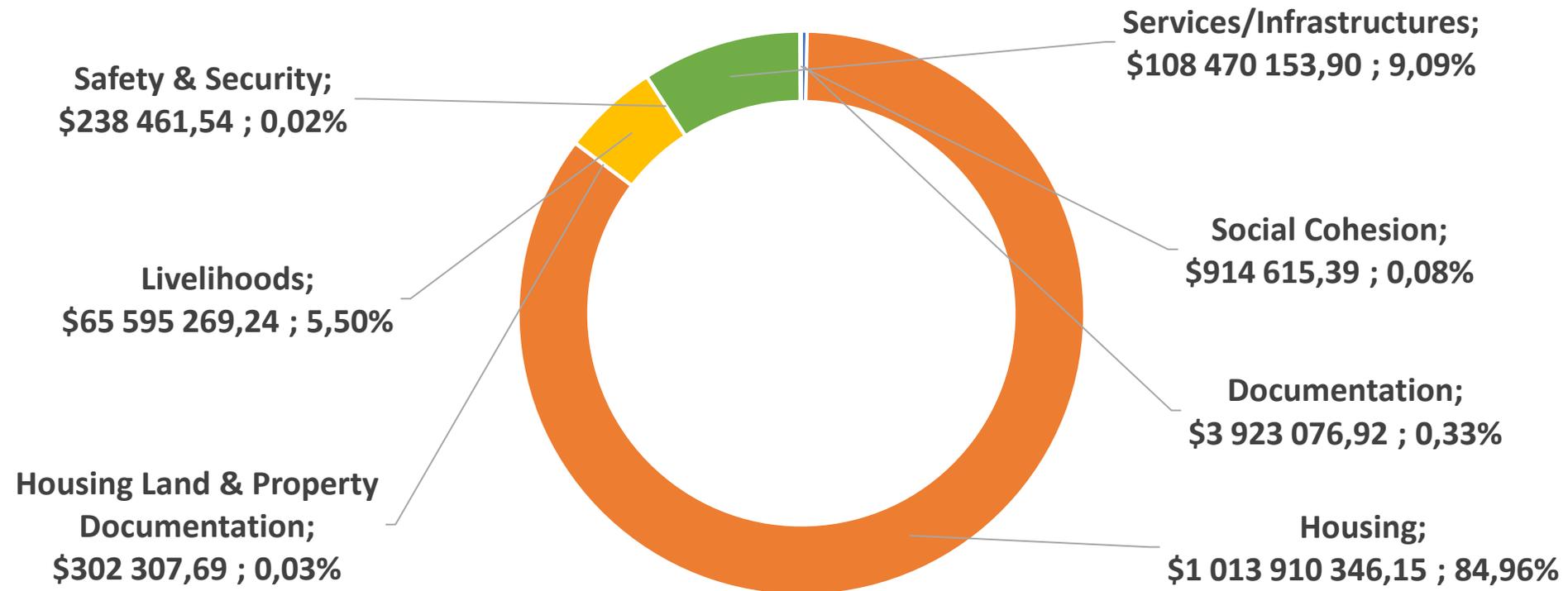
Solution Plans Analysis: Iraq (in progress)

Target IDP Population:	1,150,000
Other Target Population:	n/a
Total Cost:	US\$ 9,056,121,684
Implementation Period:	6 years



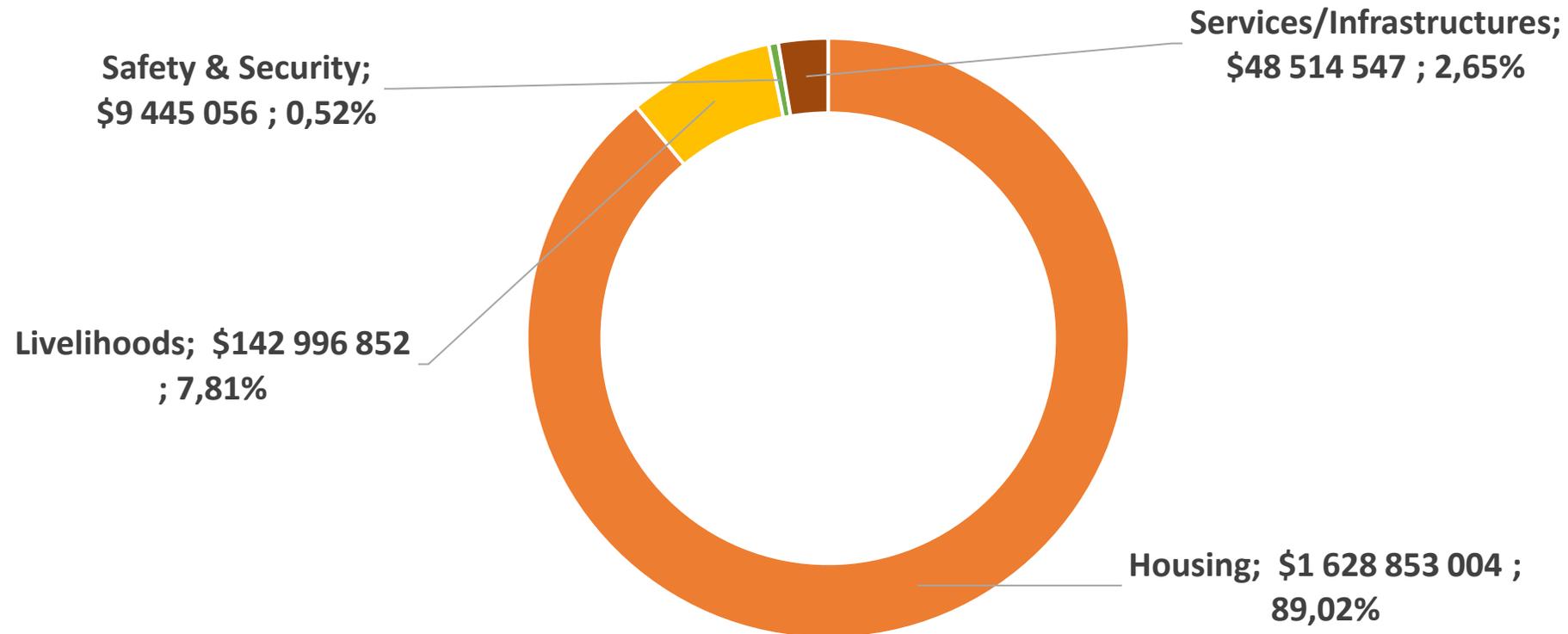
Solution Plans Analysis: Adamawa – Nigeria (in progress)

Target IDP Population:	218,118 IDPs + 858,420 returnees
Other Target Population:	n/a
Total Cost:	US\$ 1,193,786,384
Implementation Period:	5 years



Solution Plans Analysis: Borno – Nigeria (in progress)

Target IDP Population:	1,817,799 IDPs
Other Target Population:	n/a
Total Cost:	US\$ 1,829,809,458
Implementation Period:	5 years

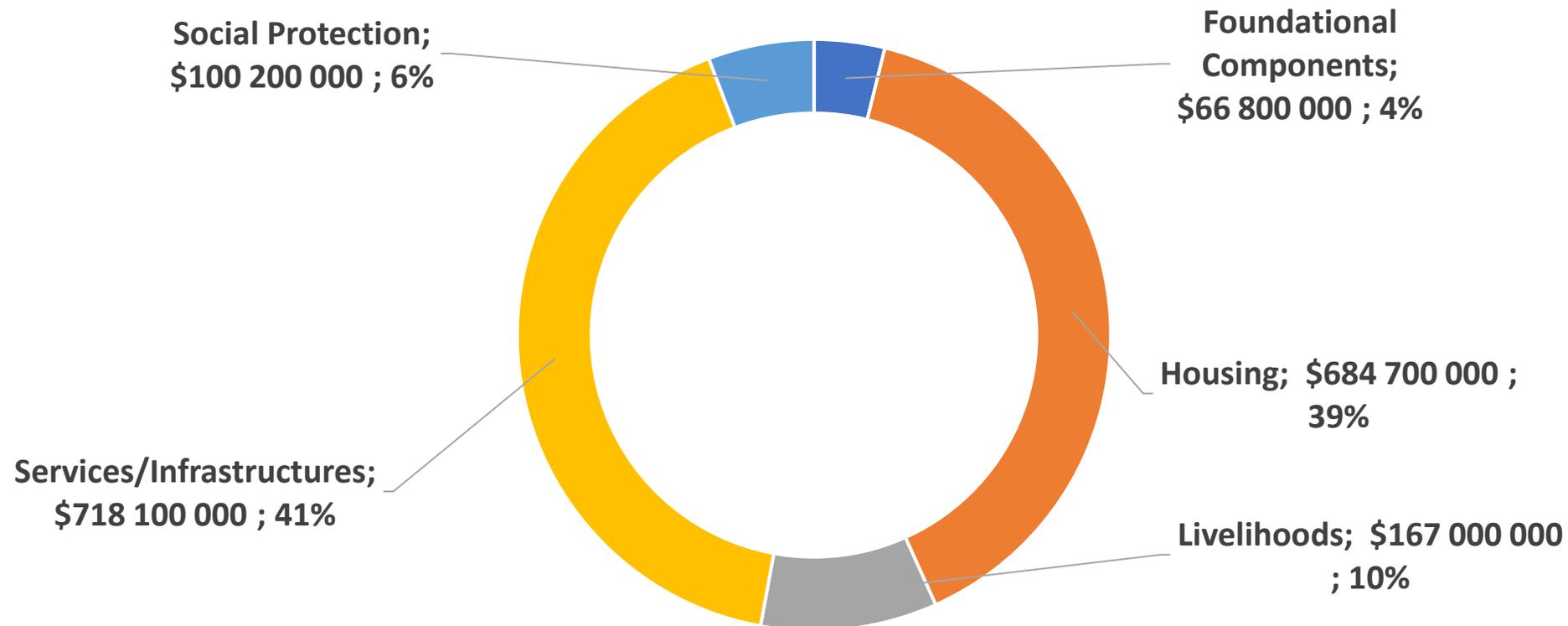


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Solution Plans Analysis: Somalia (in progress)

Target IDP Population:	1,030,000
Other Target Population:	n/a
Total Cost (approx.):	US\$ 1,800,000,000
Implementation Period:	5 years



How does this compare to humanitarian funding?



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Funded Humanitarian Assistance for Target IDPs (2019 – 2023)*

Year	2019	2020	2021	2022**	2023**
Estimate of Target IDPs share in funding	US\$ 4,8 billion	US\$ 3,8 billion	US\$ 4,1 billion	US\$ 6 billion	US\$ 4,7 billion
Target IDPs	25 million	24,5 million	30 million	47 million	47 million
Total Target Population	94 million	142 million	153 million	190 million	215 million
Target IDPs share of Total Target Population	27%	17%	20%	25%	22%

* OCHA estimates based on the target IDPs share of the total target population as a percentage applied to the total funding received.

** include flash appeals



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How can countries pay for the solution plans?

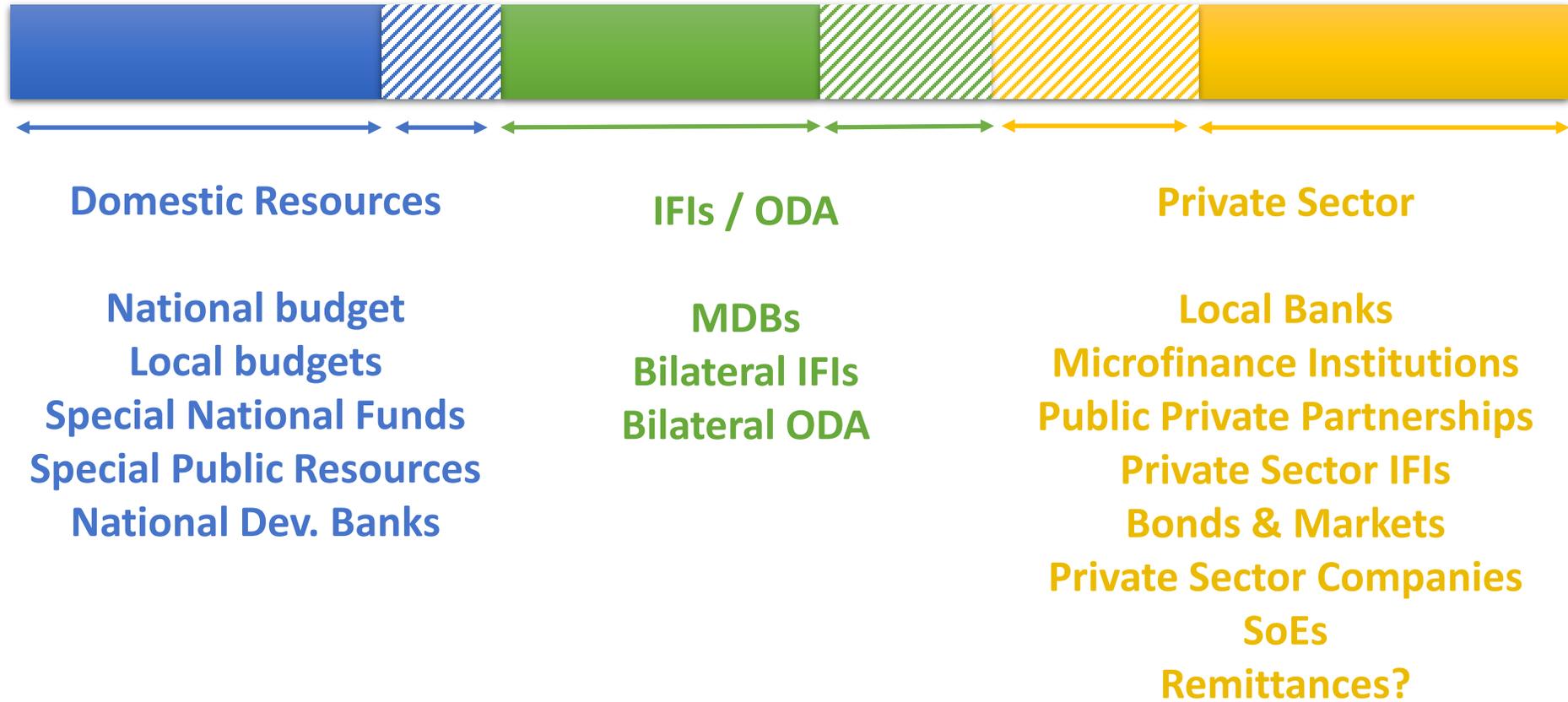


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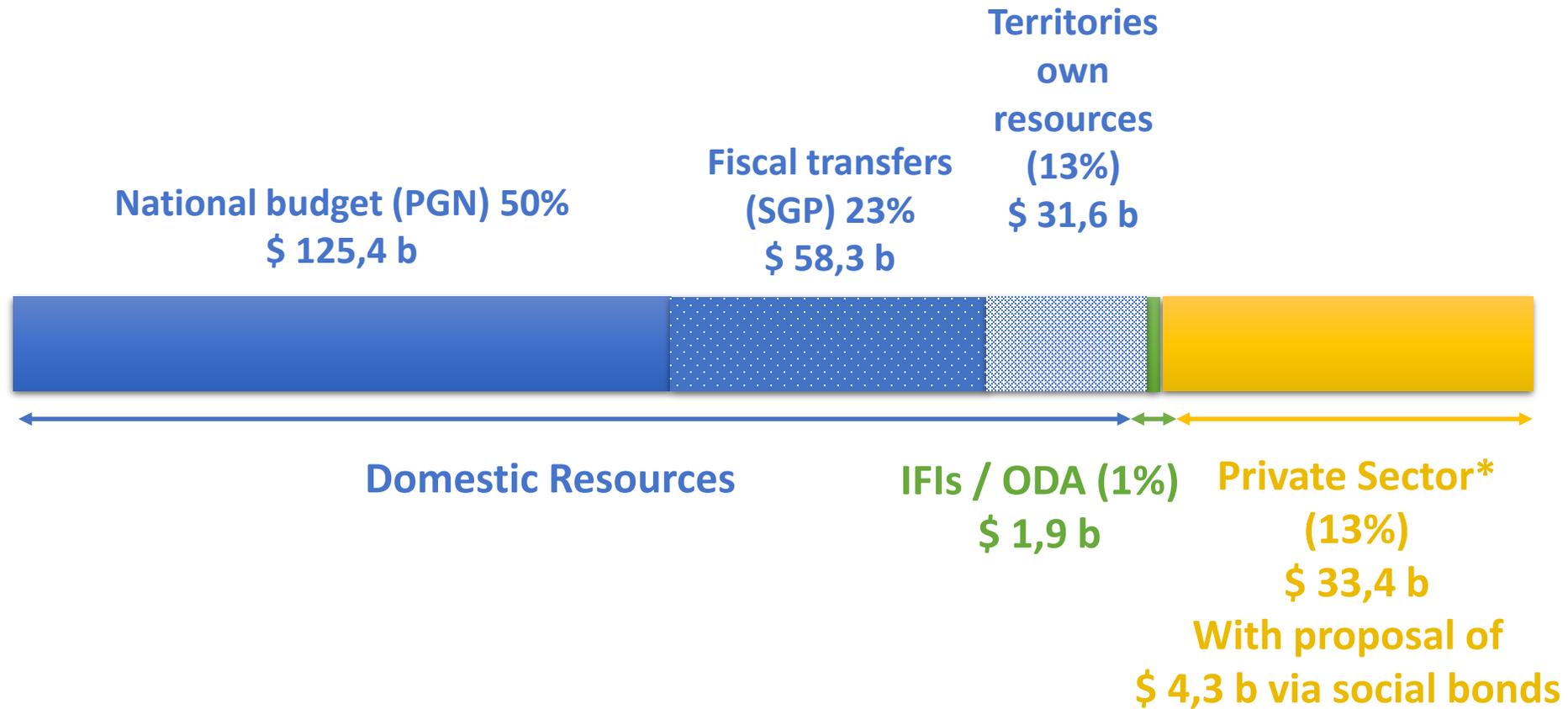
Potential Sources of Finance for Solution Plans

The proportion of each source will vary depending on the country



Potential Sources of Finance for Solution Plans: Ex. Colombia

Colombia plans to finance its NDP
2022-2026 as follows



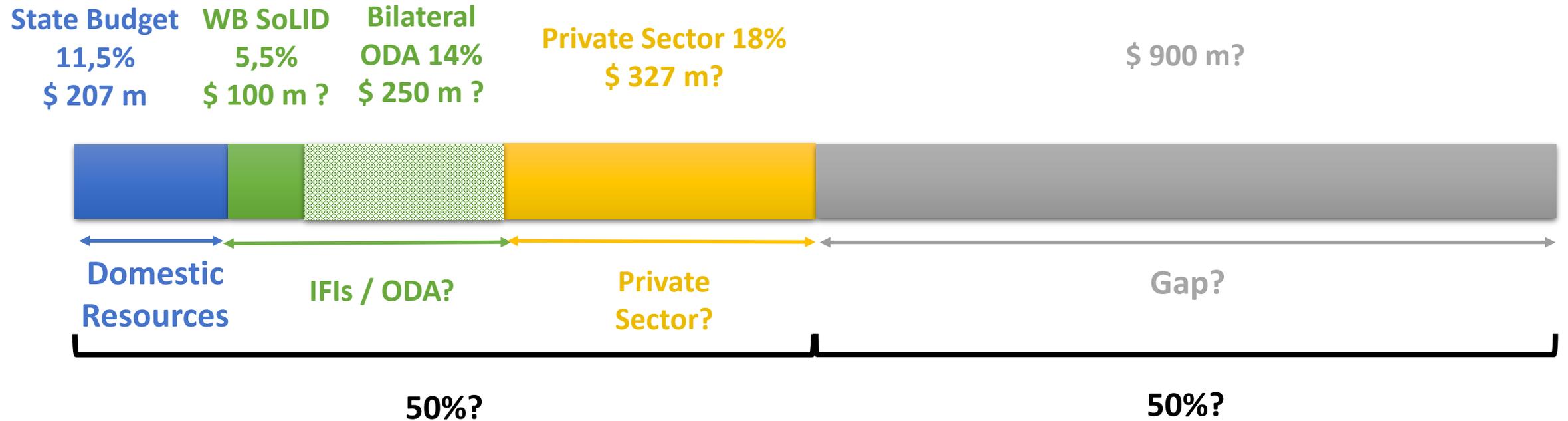
* Includes publicly owned companies acting as a private company (SoEs) and royalties from oil companies (SGR)
Source: Ministry of Finance, 2023



Potential Sources of Finance for Solution Plans: Ex. Borno State (Nigeria)

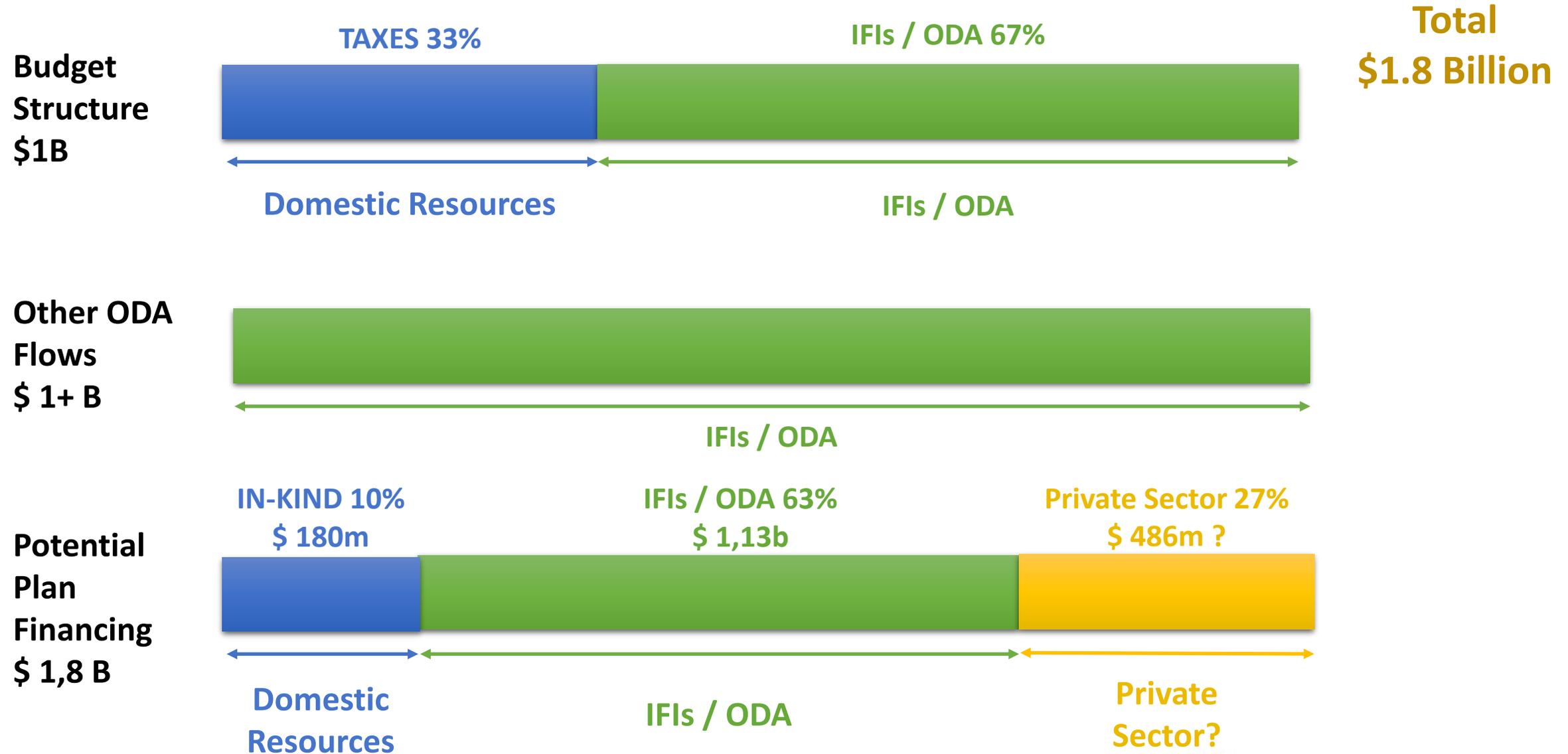
Borno State expressed willingness to support the solution plan with 15% of its budget annually over 5 years or \$ 41 m/year.

**Total
\$1.8 Billion**



Potential Sources of Finance for Solution Plans: Ex. Somalia

Somalia relies heavily on ODA for its public expenditures



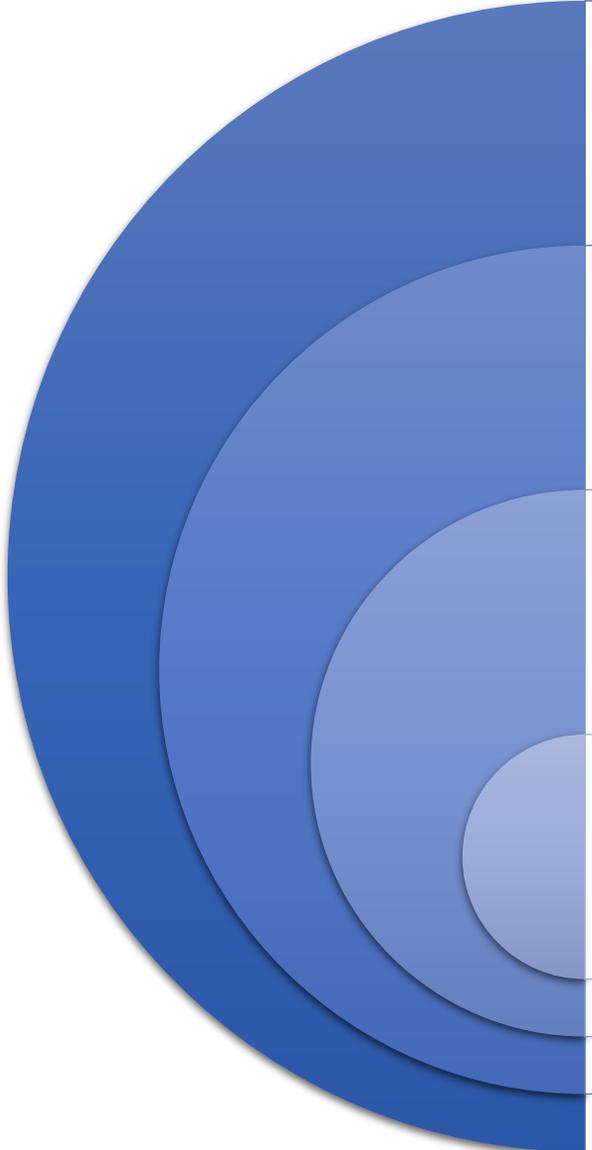
How to unlock further IFIs finance for solutions?



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OSA Development Finance: Focus on IFIs



The focus on IFIs is for Sovereign Finance & Private Sector Finance

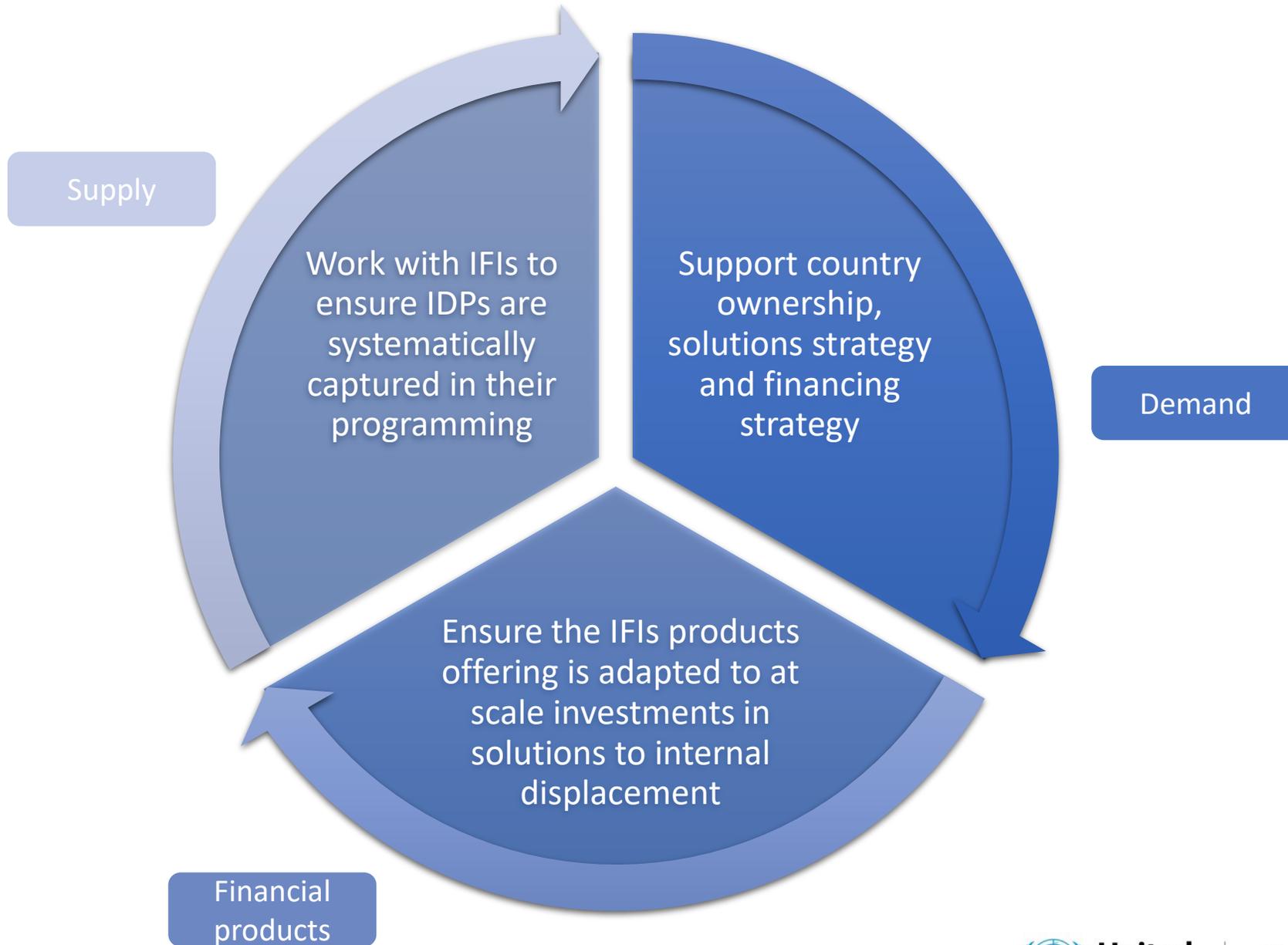
IFIs have responded very positively to our engagement across the board at local and HQ levels

IFIs do not have disaggregated data about their investments for IDPs beneficiaries

IFIs are in a position where they welcome further learning on the internal displacement issue



OSA Development Finance: Focus on MDBs/IFIs



How to work with IFIs to systematically capture IDPs in their programming?



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OSA Development Finance: Focus on IFIs

Country/IFI	AfDB	AsDB	EBRD	EIB (n/a)*	IaDB	WBG
Afghanistan	n/a	Suspended	n/a	n/a	n/a	Suspended
Burkina Faso		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	
Colombia	n/a	n/a	n/a	Active country		
Democratic Republic of Congo		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	
Ethiopia		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	
Iraq	n/a	n/a	New MC	n/a	n/a	
Mozambique		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	
Myanmar	n/a		n/a	n/a	n/a	
Nigeria		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	
Somalia		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	
South Sudan		n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Based on CEN
Sudan		n/a	n/a	Active country	n/a	Based on CEN
Syria	n/a	n/a	n/a	Suspended	n/a	Suspended
Ukraine	n/a	n/a		Active country	n/a	Under review
Yemen	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	Based on CEN
15 countries with the largest IDP population representing 83% of the global IDP population at end of 2022						
*EIB does not publish country strategy or programming documents						
n/a: not a country of operations						

- IDPs are addressed with specific programming approach
- IDPs issue is raised but there is no dedicated strategic programming approach
- IDPs issue is not substantially raised and there is no dedicated strategic programming approach



OSA Development Finance: Focus on IFIs

Corporate Strategic Posture

- Corporate strategy
- Environmental and social frameworks
- Results reporting system



Programming and Investments - Solutions

- Country partnership framework
- Project pipeline

Governments and IDPs enabled to end internal displacement

Focused Data & Analytics

- Poverty, social inclusion assessment toolkit, CCDR
- Fragility, conflict & violence and climate change



Financial Instruments

- Concessional Finance
- Co-financing frameworks
- Innovative Finance



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What do we still need to understand?



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Urban/Housing Finance – Few Key Questions to Consider?

What data we to unlock further investments for urban planning and housing?

What is the potential of private sector (local)?

How can we work further on the land issue and land value capture?

Where can technical assistance be key support to provide to countries?

How do IDPs intention (return, settlement, re-settlement) impact investment decisions?

What is the role of private sector IFIs? (risk appetite, transaction costs)

What level of subsidies do we need for housing depending on the context?

Housing vs Shelter?

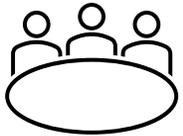
Housing or Compensation?



How can you help us?



HELP US THINK THROUGH AND ENHANCE OUR APPROACH ESPECIALLY TO DEVELOP FURTHER IDEAS OR MODELS TO FINANCE HOUSING



CONTRIBUTE TO THE COUNTRY SOLUTIONS FINANCE PLATFORM TO PROGRESS ON COSTING AND FINANCING STRATEGIES OF SOLUTION PLANS



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