

Strategy implementation: a donor's perspective on what could work

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Successful implementation will depend on NSDSs. Firstly, on how effectively countries integrate agricultural statistics into their national strategies. And secondly, on how effectively donors harmonise and align our support to these strategies. Our experience suggests that having a strong national partnership in place (from across government and donors) and having a lead donor to encourage coordinated support are both key to success. These are elements we are currently piloting with the World Bank and Netherlands in the Statistics for Results Facility (SRF). The paper will look at how the SRF approach could apply in the context of the agricultural statistics strategy.