



LOCALIZATION

CATALYZING AND SUPPORTING LOCAL CHANGE



Measuring Local Leadership in USAID Programs



Measuring and Motivating Progress: Agency Targets

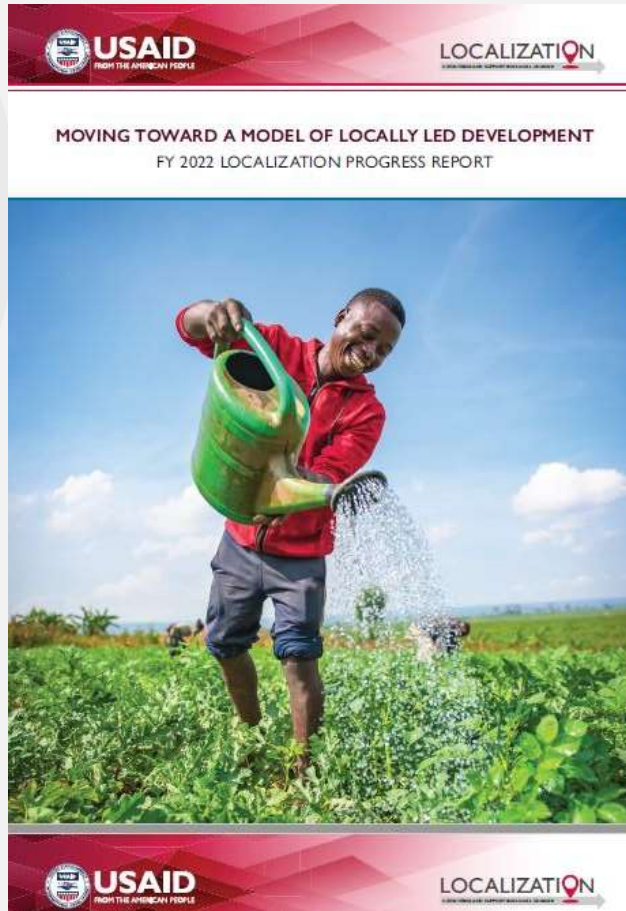


Target 1: USAID will provide at least a quarter of all our program funds directly to local partners by the end of 2025.



Target 2: USAID will take steps to ensure that by 2030, fifty percent of our programming will place local communities in the lead to co-design a project, set priorities, drive implementation, and/or define and measure results.

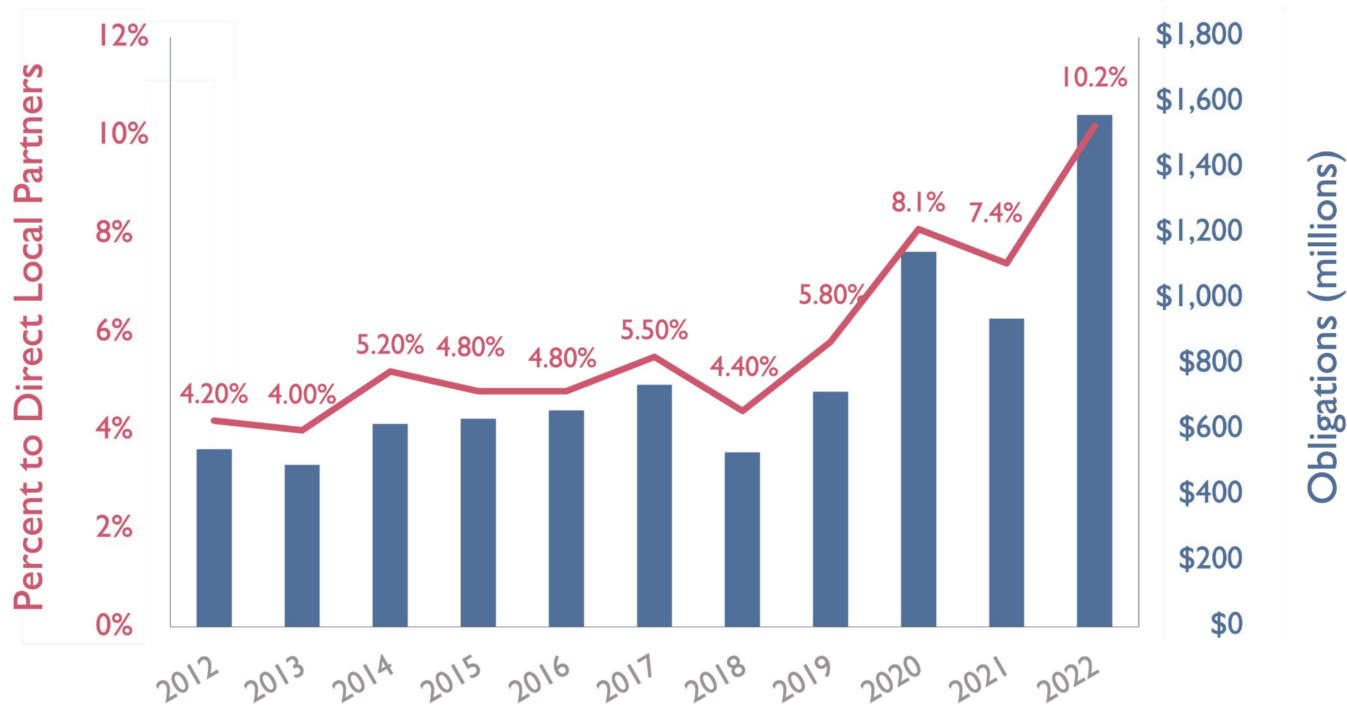
FY 2022 LOCALIZATION PROGRESS REPORT



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In FY 2022, USAID recorded the highest level and percent of Direct Local Funding in at least a decade



The Goal

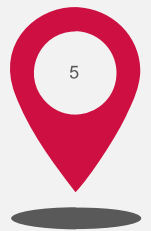
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will place local communities in the lead to co-design an activity, set priorities, drive implementation, or define and measure results.



The Indicator

Percentage of USAID-funded activities that include “good practices” to elevate local leadership



300+

organizations
participating from

48+


countries

and

22

USAID Missions



 Countries with consulted organizations

 USAID Missions

Good Practices for Local Leadership



Working Directly
with Local Partners

- Direct Prime Award to a local partner.



Creating Effective
Local Partnerships

- Award is co-designed with local partner(s).
- Award to a local partner that is descriptive of desired outcomes but not prescriptive of activities.
- Efforts to achieve full cost recovery are part of the pre-award process and reflected in award.



Recognizing,
Leveraging,
Strengthening Local
Capacity

- Demand-driven capacity strengthening approaches are used.
- Support to work directly with USAID is provided.
- Locally led monitoring indicator(s) are included in Activity MEL Plan
- Non-local recipients demonstrate good faith efforts to maximize subawards to local orgs
- Transition award process is included in award
- Local evaluation expertise is included in a core evaluation team.



Engaging
Communities
Directly

- Activity co-created with local communities using participatory systems analysis.
- Listening tour informed the activity design.
- Accountability and Feedback Plan included in MEL Plan
- Participatory MEL approaches used engage local communities to contribute to program MEL