

MDG Profile Data Entry Quick Reference Guide

How to Access DAD Somaliland

To access the *DAD Somaliland* application, use the following link:

<http://dad.synsys.com/dadsomaliland>.

Overview

The *Development Assistance System for Somaliland (DAD Somaliland)* is an automated information management system which is designed to improve efficiency and coordination of donor activities in Somaliland. It is also a powerful tool for tracking and analyzing aid flows. The system serves as the main database and data collection and reporting system as it ensures effective access to the aid data.

The main objective of *DAD Somaliland* is to serve as a reliable and credible source of information on external aid offered to Somaliland to support the Government in effectively managing development assistance and promoting the accountable and transparent use of resources.

In the current design, *DAD Somaliland* is composed of the following applications:

- **Projects**
- **MDG Profile**

The Millennium Development Goals (MDGs) are eight international development goals that all United Nations member states and at least 23 international organizations have agreed to achieve by the year 2015. They include eradicating extreme poverty, reducing child mortality rates, fighting disease epidemics such as AIDS, and developing a global partnership for development. There are eight goals with 21 targets and a series of measurable indicators for each target. The aim of the *MDG Profile* application is to track and manage the progress of these targets and indicators.

DAD Somaliland provides a web-based user interface and requires a web browser pre-installed.

To ensure more flexibility and a more user-friendly environment, *DAD Somaliland* has been implemented as a bi-lingual system allowing the users to view the data presented in the system in two languages: English and Somali.

How to View MDG Profile Details

The *Details* section has been designed to view the MDG target and indicator information, such as the target status, challenges to be addressed, indicator status, direction trend, etc.

You can access the *Details* section by clicking one of the following:

- In the *List* module: Click the corresponding target or indicator to view its details.

Note: Depending on the list presentation settings, additional expanding of the list items may be required to reach the corresponding target or indicator.


- In the *Chart* module: Click the chart for the details to be displayed (e.g., click a relevant bar to see what it consists of). In the *Details* section, click the target/indicator to view its details.

- In the *Report* module: Create a report indicating 'Target' or 'Indicator' as a value for the report row and click the **Submit** button. In the report generated, click the target/indicator name.

Depending on whether target or indicator is selected, the respective *Details* form will open displaying information previously provided for the selected item.

In the *Details* section of the *DAD Somaliland* application, you can:

- Browse among the profiles listed under the same parent item by using the corresponding **Previous** or **Next** buttons in the top of the *Details* window.

- Print profile details by clicking the  (**Print**) button found in the top toolbar.

- View and edit target and indicator information by clicking the respective button in the *Details* window top toolbar.

Note: You need to be granted with the appropriate permissions to be able to perform any of these actions.



