

Aid in Support of Environment 2007-2008

Germany

Average commitments for 2007-2008, unless otherwise shown

Investment in environment is necessary for improving economic, social and political conditions in developing countries within the framework of sustainable development.

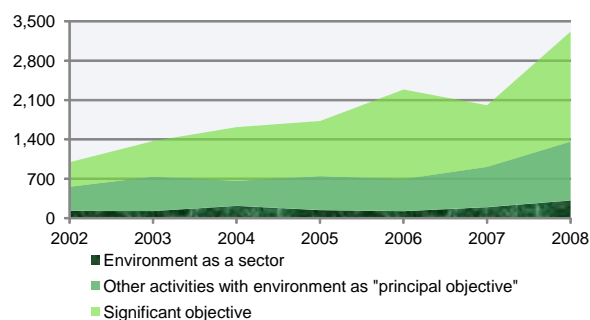
An activity can target environment as a "principal objective" or "significant objective". Principal means environment was an explicit objective of the activity and fundamental in its design. Significant means environment was an important, but secondary, objective of the activity. Not targeted means that the activity was screened for promoting environment, but was not found to have targeted it.

Not all activities have been screened against the environment marker: the coverage ratio for sector-allocable activities is **78%**.

Aid to Environment, commitments

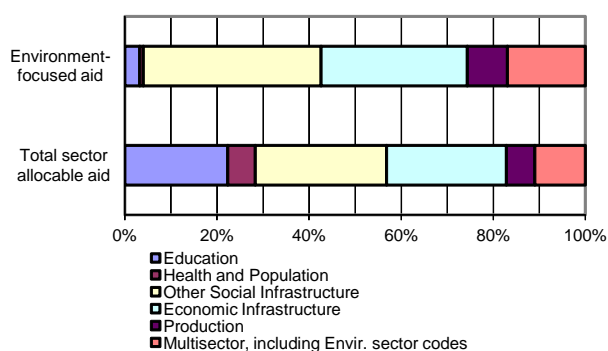
	USD million, current prices	
	2007	2008
Environment as a sector	197	338
Other activities scored "principal objective"	713	1117
"significant objective"	1097	2094
Total of environment-focused aid	2007	3549
Not targeted	2192	3437
Not screened	1778	1360
Total sector-allocable aid	5977	8346
Share of environment-focused aid (1)	48%	51%
Memo:		
Total non sector-allocable aid	3668	4261

Total environment-focused aid, 2007 USD million

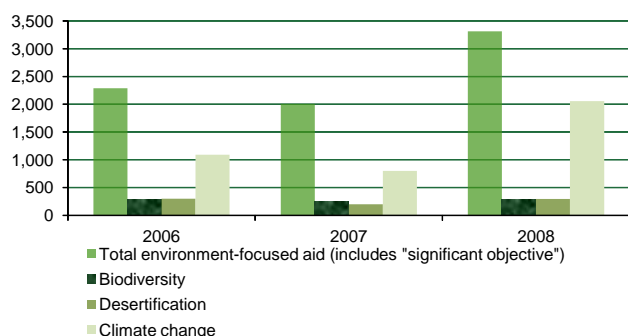


Sector breakdown

Sectoral components of environment-focused aid



Focus on Rio conventions (2), USD million



Top ten recipients

Environment focus in aid to top ten recipients

	USD million		
	Total aid	Total sector-allocable aid	Environment focused aid
Iraq	1977	14	17%
China	748	745	44%
Cameroon	644	78	38%
India	462	458	51%
Afghanistan	294	217	24%
Liberia	240	22	7%
Botswana	221	3	58%
Serbia	214	211	47%
Turkey	148	146	51%
Egypt	141	113	81%

Top ten recipients of environment-focused aid

	Environment-focused aid	
	USD Million	%
China	220	44%
India	208	51%
Serbia	96	47%
Croatia	84	94%
Egypt	82	81%
Pakistan	70	78%
Chile	66	86%
Brazil	57	67%
South Africa	53	59%
Peru	52	87%

(1): Percentage of sector allocable aid. Activities not screened against the environment marker have been excluded.

(2): Data on Rio Conventions markers (Biodiversity, Desertification, Climate Change) are extracted from the latest study on Aid targeting the Objectives of the Rio Conventions available at www.oecd.org/dac/stats/rioconventions.