



## Niger Adaptive Safety Net Project 2 (P166602)

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### Key Dates

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Bank Approval Date: 03-Jan-2019

Effectiveness Date: 20-Jun-2019

Planned Mid Term Review Date: 30-Oct-2024

Actual Mid-Term Review Date:

Original Closing Date: 30-Jun-2024

Revised Closing Date: 30-Jun-2026

### Project Development Objectives

Project Development Objective (from Project Appraisal Document)

The PDO is to improve the capacity of the Niger adaptive safety nets system to respond to shocks and to provide access for poor and vulnerable people to safety nets and accompanying measures.

Has the Project Development Objective been changed since Board Approval of the Project Objective?

No

### Components Table

Name
Strengthening the Adaptive and Scalable Safety Net System:(Cost \$10.00 M)
Cash Transfers and Accompanying Measures:(Cost \$162.00 M)
Cash for Work for Resilience:(Cost \$18.00 M)
Project Management:(Cost \$20.00 M)

### Overall Ratings

Name	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Progress towards achievement of PDO	<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfactory	<input type="checkbox"/> Satisfactory
Overall Implementation Progress (IP)	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderately Satisfactory	<input type="checkbox"/> Moderately Satisfactory
Overall Risk Rating	<input type="checkbox"/> Substantial	<input type="checkbox"/> Substantial

### Implementation Status and Key Decisions

The Adaptive Safety Nets Project 2 (ASP2) continues to be on track to achieving its objectives, albeit facing implementation and security challenges.

Despite these challenges, important progress has been made towards development objective to improve capacity of the safety net system for shock response and poverty reduction. This includes progress in the design and establishment of a legal framework for the Unified Social Registry, revision of a grievance redress mechanism and introduction of the green line, progress towards the introduction of the digital payments for cash transfers and modernization of the payment system, finalization of the management information system and strengthening of the legal framework for adaptive social protection.

In addition, the satellite-based drought response pilot program is extending monthly support to 15,400 drought-affected beneficiary households in four communes (Tchaké, Tagazar, Dan Tchandou and Imanan).



**Cash transfer for resilience:** The first cycle of monthly cash transfers over 24 months for 27,781 beneficiary households has been completed in April 2022. A new cycle for 60,000 new beneficiary households, initially scheduled to start in May 2022, is now expected to start in November 2022.

**Accompanying measures:** Human capital building activities are ongoing in the beneficiary communities through general assemblies, group discussions and home visits. Eight modules have been delivered to the beneficiaries of the first cycle, namely i) child malnutrition, ii) early stimulation of children's language, iii) playing with children, iv) preventive care, v) curative care, vi) civil registration of births, vii) preparation, enrolment, and retention of children in school, and viii) pregnancy management, childbirth and birth spacing. The provision of productive inclusion measures to beneficiaries of the first cycle has experienced some delays and it has been rescheduled to start in parallel with productive inclusion measures for the second cohort of cash transfers for resilience.

**Cash for work:** The implementation of CFW activities is advancing, although slower than planned. Overall, 11,186 people benefit from in CFW interventions (5,950 men and 5,236 women) and the project created 495,000 days of work out of a target of 792,000 days

## Risks

### Systematic Operations Risk-rating Tool

Risk Category	Rating at Approval	Previous Rating	Current Rating
Political and Governance	High	High	High
Macroeconomic	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial
Sector Strategies and Policies	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Technical Design of Project or Program	Moderate	Low	Low
Institutional Capacity for Implementation and Sustainability	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial
Fiduciary	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial
Environment and Social	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Stakeholders	Moderate	Moderate	Moderate
Other	High	Moderate	Moderate
Overall	Substantial	Substantial	Substantial

## Results

### PDO Indicators by Objectives / Outcomes

Improve capacity of the safety net system for shock response and poverty reduction

► Capacity of the adaptive SN system to coordinate programs and to respond to shocks (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	1.00	2.00	2.00	3.00



Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Capacity of the adaptive SN system to coordinate programs and to respond to shocks			
<input type="checkbox"/> Capacity of implementing ASP programs (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	5.00	5.00	5.00	6.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Effectiveness of national SP systems to address CA and DRM (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	3.00	4.00	4.00	6.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Number of people included in the Unified Social Registry (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	24,000.00	27,000.00	800,000.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Increased effectiveness: time to deliver support from trigger event (Months, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	3.00	3.00	3.00	2.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiaries receiving transfers via mobile accounts (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	30,000.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Increase consumption and improve food security (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Increase consumption and improve food security. This indicator will be measured through an impact evaluation.			
<input type="checkbox"/> beneficiaries of cash transfer (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	27,781.00	27,781.00	120,000.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Percentage of cash transfer beneficiaries targeted in RMR priority areas (Percentage, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target



Value	0.00	40.00	40.00	40.00
<input type="checkbox"/> beneficiaries of human capital accompanying measures (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	27,781.00	27,781.00	100,000.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiaries of shock response programs (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	250,000.00	388,166.00	403,874.00	430,000.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiaries and stakeholder's satisfaction surveys (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.00
<b>► Change behavior, improving early childhood parenting practices (Yes/No, Custom)</b>				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Households adopting behavior accompanying change under the project intervention			
<input type="checkbox"/> Beneficiaries of ECD accompanying measures changing at least 5 behaviours (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	50,000.00
<b>► Increased economic diversification productivity and earnings (Yes/No, Custom)</b>				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Increased economic diversification productivity and earnings			
<input type="checkbox"/> beneficiaries of Productive Inclusion package (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	60,000.00



► Smooth consumption and build community assets (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Smooth consumption and build community assets			
□ Beneficiaries of Cash for Work (Number, Custom Supplement)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	16,850.00	17,050.00	66,000.00

### Intermediate Results Indicators by Components

Develop a M&E system at DN level and set up an information management system within the DN				
► Implement tool to monitoring safety nets interventions by DN (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Implement tool to monitoring safety nets interventions by DN			
► The DN produces triggers for shock response (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	The DN produces triggers for shock response			
► Impact evaluation generating lessons (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	No	No	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Impact evaluation generating lessons			



► The MIS is functional (Yes/No, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	No	Yes	Yes	Yes
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	The MIS is functional			

Implement cash transfers and accompanying measures				
► Number of beneficiaries registered for cash transfers (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	29,000.00	27,781.00	27,781.00	100,000.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Number of beneficiaries registered for cash transfers			
► Percentage of beneficiaries receiving cash transfers (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	23.15	23.15	100.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Percentage of beneficiaries receiving cash transfers			
► Percentage of beneficiaires participating in the accompanying measures (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	25.25	25.25	100.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Percentage of beneficiaires participating in the accompanying measures			
► Percentage of beneficiaries participating in productive Inclusion (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	100.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Percentage of beneficiaries participating in productive Inclusion			



► Percentage of beneficiaries participating in the emergency cash transfer (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	89.02	92.52	100.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Percentage of beneficiaries participating in the emergency cash transfer			
► Percentage of women who participate in GERME training (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Women who participate in GERME training			
► Women with children who undergo malnutrition and child development screening (Percentage, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	80.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
Comments:	Women with children who undergo malnutrition and child development screening			
► Number of beneficiaries of cash transfer for resilience (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	27,781.00	27,781.00	110,000.00
Date	29-Jan-2021	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
► Medium-term COVID-19 response beneficiaries (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	0.00	0.00	30,000.00
Date	29-Jan-2021	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026
► Number of beneficiaries of shock-response program (Number, Custom)				
	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target



Value	250,000.00	388,600.00	403,874.00	430,000.00
Date	29-Jan-2021	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026

Implement Cash for work

► Number of days of work (Number (Thousand), Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	939,160.00	1,050,040.00	3,960,000.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026

Comments: Number of days of work

► Number of microprojects (Number, Custom)

	Baseline	Actual (Previous)	Actual (Current)	End Target
Value	0.00	145.00	155.00	200.00
Date	17-Sep-2018	22-Feb-2022	01-Sep-2022	30-Jun-2026

Comments: Number of microprojects

Performance-Based Conditions

Data on Financial Performance

Disbursements (by loan)

Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Currency	Original	Revised	Cancelled	Disbursed	Undisbursed	% Disbursed
P166602	IDA-68450	Effective	USD	50.00	50.00	0.00	2.81	38.41	6.8%
P166602	IDA-D4200	Effective	USD	80.00	80.00	0.00	71.82	10.23	88%
P166602	IDA-D7820	Effective	USD	50.00	50.00	0.00	6.34	39.43	14%
P166602	TF-B5059	Effective	USD	30.00	30.00	0.00	1.16	28.84	3.9%

Key Dates (by loan)

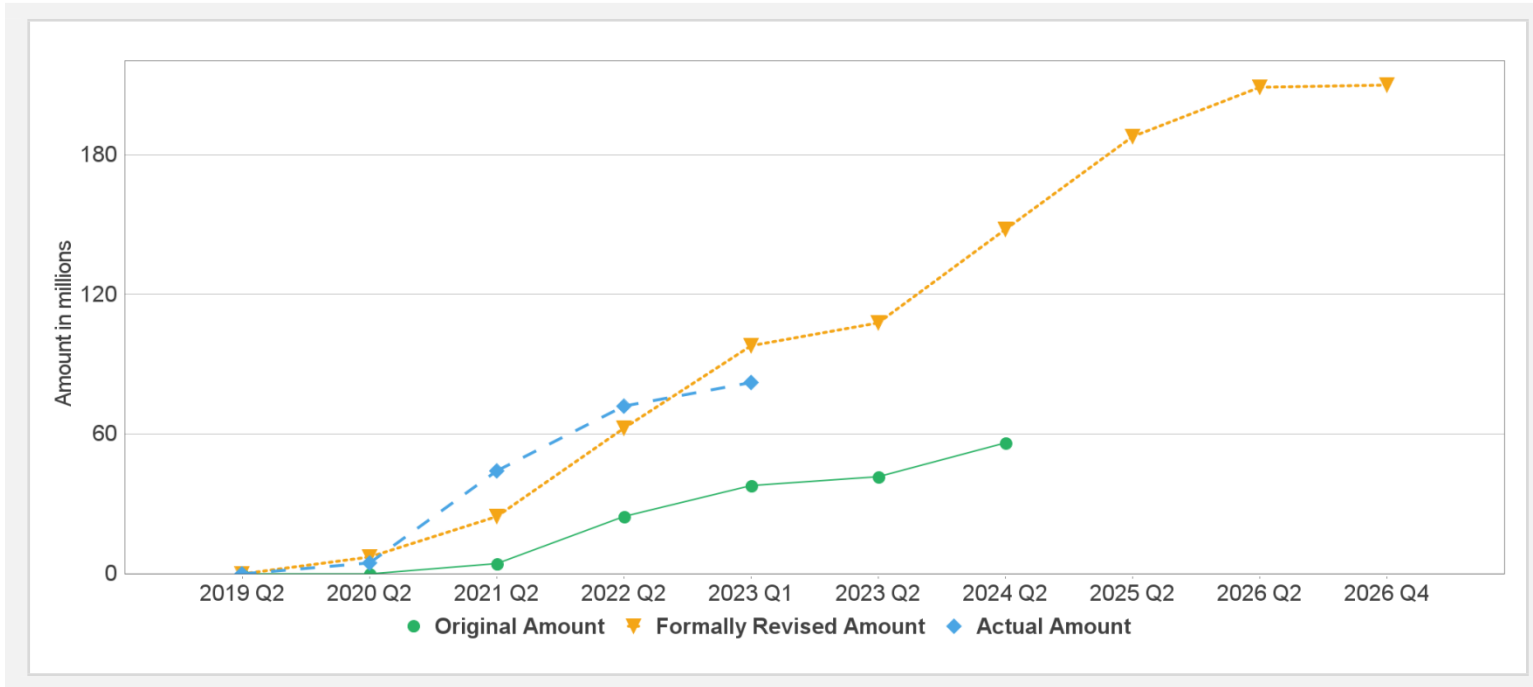
Project	Loan/Credit/TF	Status	Approval Date	Signing Date	Effectiveness Date	Orig. Closing Date	Rev. Closing Date
P166602	IDA-68450	Effective	02-Mar-2021	01-Jun-2021	28-Sep-2021	30-Jun-2026	30-Jun-2026





P166602	IDA-D4200	Effective	03-Jan-2019	22-Feb-2019	20-Jun-2019	30-Jun-2024	30-Jun-2024
P166602	IDA-D7820	Effective	02-Mar-2021	01-Jun-2021	28-Sep-2021	30-Jun-2026	30-Jun-2026
P166602	TF-B5059	Effective	02-Mar-2021	01-Jun-2021	28-Sep-2021	30-Jun-2024	30-Jun-2024

**Cumulative Disbursements**



**Restructuring History**

Level 2 Approved on 24-Jun-2020

**Related Project(s)**

P173013-Niger Adaptive Safety Net Project 2 Additional Financing