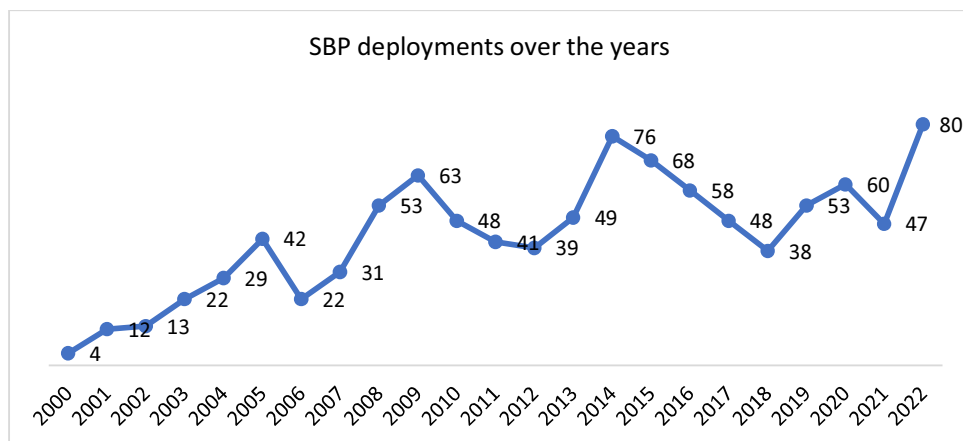


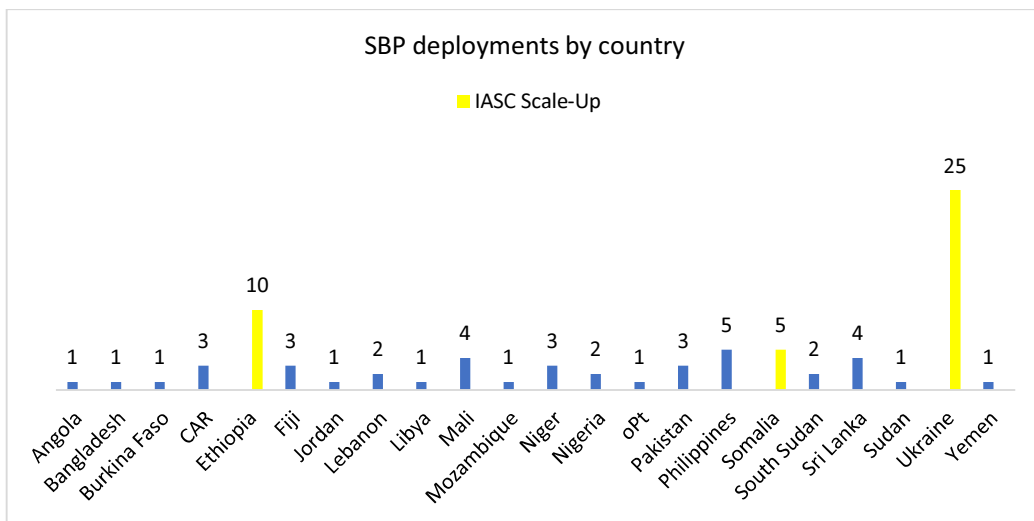
Background

The Stand-By Partnership Programme (SBPP) is a key component of OCHA's surge mechanisms, providing timely and expert emergency response capacity worldwide. OCHA's SBPP is governed by General Assembly Resolutions¹ and currently includes Memorandums of Understanding with 15 organizations².



2022 Overview - Deployments by requesting office and emergency

In 2022, **80 SBP experts** commenced deployment, to **new and escalating humanitarian emergencies** and to situations where **specific expertise** was required and not available within the organization, for an average duration of six months. While these experts deployed to **22 countries**, in fact 50% **deployed to IASC Scale-Up declared emergencies**. A total of 25 experts supported Ukraine, ten Ethiopia, and five Somalia. These 80 deployments represent **an in-kind contribution of US\$10 million** to OCHA, if an average P3 monthly salary and associated expenses are applied.

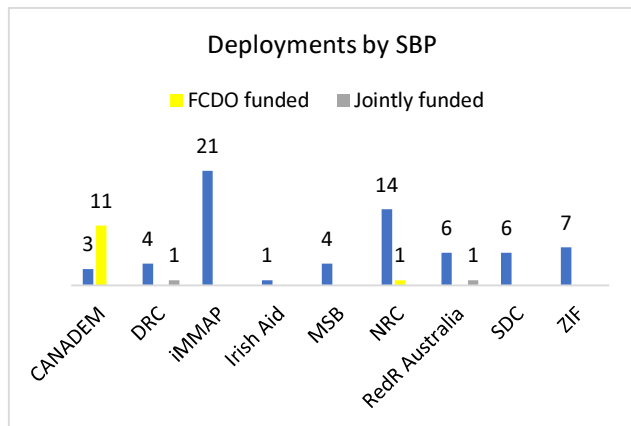


¹ General Assembly Resolutions A/RES/51/243 dated 10 October 1997 and A/RES/52/234 dated 22 September 1998 as well as Secretariat Administrative Instruction ST/AI/1999/6 dated 28 May 1999.

² CANADEM (Canada's Civilian Reserve), DEMA (Danish Emergency Management Agency), DRC (Danish Refugee Council), FCDO (UK Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office), ICRU (Icelandic Crisis Response Unit), iMMAP (Information Management and Mine Action Programs), Irish Aid (Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade), MapAction, MSB (Swedish Civil Contingencies Agency), NRC (Norwegian Refugee Council), Qatar Charity, REACH/Impact Initiatives, RedR Australia (Registered Engineers for Disaster Relief Australia), SDC/HA (Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation, Department of Humanitarian Aid and Swiss Humanitarian Aid Unit) and ZIF (Center for International Peace Operations).

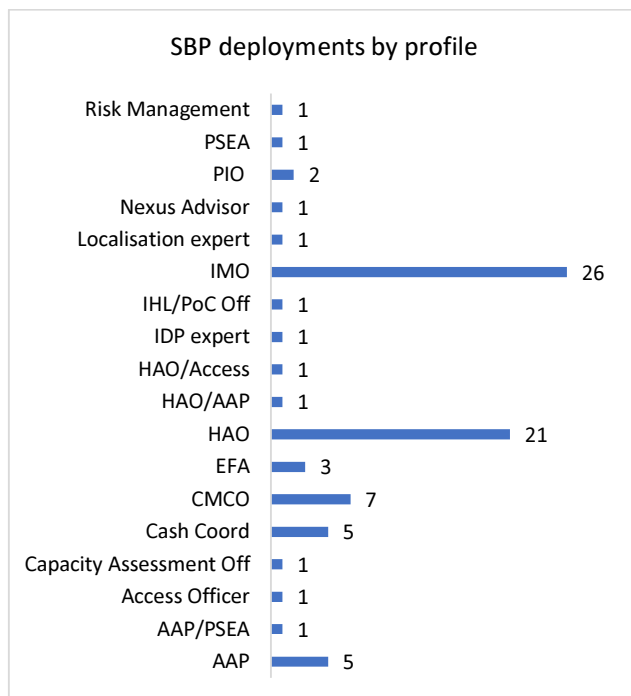
Deployments by Stand-By Partner

Experts have been provided from **nine** of the 15 SBPs: iMMAP (21), NRC (15), CANADEM (14), RedR Australia (7), ZIF (7), SDC (6), DRC (5), MSB (4), and Irish Aid (1). FCDO maintained its financial support and funded 16% of the 80 deployments.



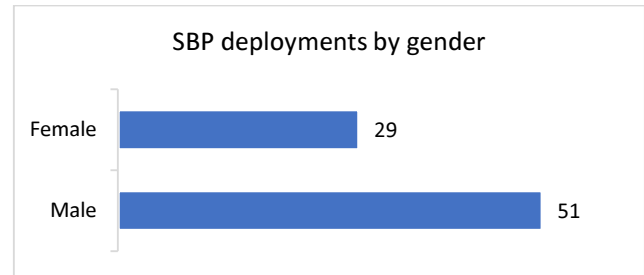
Deployments by profile

There was a sharp increase in the number of **Information Management Officers (IMO)** deployed (26) compared to previous years. They mostly deployed to Ukraine and Ethiopia. The number of **Humanitarian Affairs Officers (HAO)** was also high, with most of them deploying to Ukraine, followed by Ethiopia, Pakistan, and South Sudan. The remainder of the profiles were mainly for Civil-Military Coordination Officer (CMCO), Cash Coordination, Accountability to Affected Populations (AAP), Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse (PSEA), Environment (EFA) and Public Information.



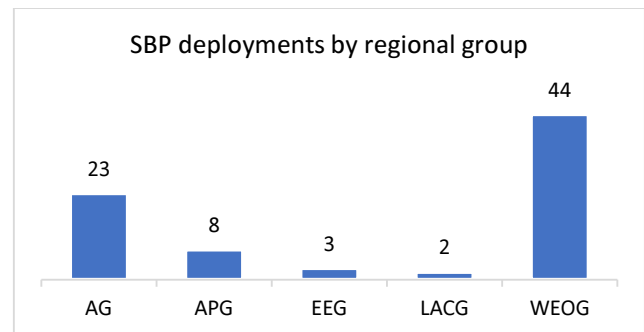
Deployments by gender

Female experts counted for close to **36%**, which is comparable to previous years.



Geographical Diversity

Based on the experts' declared nationality, deployments from the Western European and Other States Group counted for **55%**. OCHA is working with SBPs to better ensure geographic diversity and to further improve the way diversity is captured.



Ukraine - SBP Network monitoring exercise

On behalf of the SBP Network, a core group of organizations undertook a joint monitoring mission to Ukraine, Poland and Moldova in September and October 2022. The delegation to Ukraine comprised of DRC, MSB, NRC and OCHA as well as the SBP MEAL coordinator and greatly benefitted from the support provided by OCHA. The delegation met with deployees and UN focal points to (i) identify the extent to which the SBPP has enhanced the capacity of UN operations, (ii) to determine how the response mechanism could be improved and (iii) to assess if the deployees matched with the UN operations expectations. For further information please consult the SBP network website <https://www.standbypartnership.org/>

A word of thanks to our SBPs

We would like to thank our Partners and their deployees for their commitment and continued support throughout what was a record year for OCHA SBP deployments.