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**Scale of assessments for apportionment of
the regular budget expenses for the
biennium 2022–2023**

Scale of assessments for the fiscal period 2022–2023

Note by the Secretariat

The present document proposes a scale of assessments for the fiscal period 2022–2023, based on the latest available United Nations scale adopted in resolution 73/271 by the United Nations General Assembly, adjusted to the membership of UNIDO.

I. Scale of assessments

1. The Programme and Budget Committee is required under Article 10.4 of the Constitution to prepare the draft scale of assessments for regular budget expenditures, for submission to the Board. In accordance with Article 15.1 of the Constitution of UNIDO “regular budget expenditures shall be borne by the Members, as apportioned in accordance with a scale of assessment established by the Conference by a two-thirds majority of the Members present and voting, upon the recommendation of the Board adopted by a two-thirds majority of the Members present and voting, on the basis of a draft prepared by the Programme and Budget Committee.” Furthermore, Article 15.2 states that “The scale of assessments shall be based to the extent possible on the scale most recently employed by the United Nations.”
2. The latest available United Nations scale is the scale of assessments adopted on 22 December 2018, in General Assembly resolution 73/271, for a three-year period 2019–2021, which establishes:
 - (a) A minimum assessment rate of 0.001 per cent;
 - (b) A maximum assessment rate for the least developed countries (LDCs) of 0.01 per cent; and
 - (c) A maximum assessment rate of 22 per cent.
3. The application of these assessment rates, adjusted to the membership of UNIDO, results in a total assessment of 60.815 per cent (column 1 of the annex),

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owing to differences in membership between the United Nations and UNIDO. To produce a scale of assessment that covers 100 per cent of the regular budget expenditures of UNIDO, it is necessary to apply a mathematical coefficient to the United Nations rates for UNIDO Member States. The coefficient is not applied to the rates of United Nations Member States paying the minimum assessment of 0.001 per cent, and it ensures that the rate of LDCs does not exceed 0.01 per cent. The coefficient calculation is shown below.

Calculation of coefficient for the year 2022–2023
(Percentage)

| | <i>United Nations rate of assessment 2019–2021</i> | <i>UNIDO rate of assessment 2022–2023</i> |
|--|--|---|
| Total (170 Member States) | 60.815 | 100.000 |
| UNIDO Member States paying the minimum assessment (0.001 per cent × 27 States) | -0.027 | -0.027 |
| LDCs (0.01 per cent × 14 States) | -0.140 | -0.140 |
| Total for calculation of coefficient | 60.648 | 99.833 |
| Coefficient for 2022–2023: 99.833/60.648 | | 1.64610539506661 |

4. The calculation of the new scale of assessment did not result in any country being assessed above 22 per cent and, therefore, this conditionality has not been applied in arriving at the coefficient for 2022–2023.

5. Column 2 of the annex to the present note shows the resulting UNIDO scale of assessment for the fiscal period 2022–2023 by applying the coefficient mentioned above. Column 3 shows assessment rates for 2020 and 2021, included for comparison purposes only.

New Member States

6. In accordance with financial regulation 5.6, new members shall be assessed for the year in which they become members at rates to be determined by the Conference. Adjustments to the scale to include any State that may become a member between now and the closure of the nineteenth session of the General Conference in accordance with Articles 3, 24 and 25 of the Constitution will be communicated to the Conference.

II. Action required of the Committee

7. The Committee may wish to propose to the Industrial Development Board the adoption of the following draft decision:

“The Industrial Development Board:

(a) Takes note of document IDB.49/6-PBC.37/6;

(b) Recommends to the General Conference the establishment of a scale of assessments for the fiscal period 2022–2023 based on the United Nations General Assembly resolution 73/271, adjusted to the membership of UNIDO on the understanding that new members shall be assessed for the year in which they become members on the basis of the United Nations scale of assessments, as applicable to UNIDO;

(c) Urges Member States to pay their assessed contributions for the 2022–2023 biennium in accordance with financial regulation 5.5 (b), which states that contributions and advances shall be due and payable in full within thirty days of the receipt of the communication of the Director General, or as of the first day of the calendar year to which it relates, whichever is later;

(d) Calls on Member States and former Member States that are in arrears to fulfil their constitutional obligations by paying their outstanding assessed contributions in full and without conditions as soon as possible, or to take advantage of payment plans to settle their arrears, in accordance with previous decisions by the policymaking organs of UNIDO.”

Annex

Scale of assessments for 2022–2023

(Percentage)

| <i>Member State</i> | <i>United Nations assessment rates 2019–2021^a (1)</i> | <i>UNIDO assessment rates 2022–2023^b (2)</i> | <i>UNIDO assessment rates 2020–2021 (3)</i> |
|---------------------------------------|--|---|---|
| Afghanistan | 0.007 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Albania | 0.008 | 0.013 | 0.013 |
| Algeria | 0.138 | 0.227 | 0.227 |
| Angola | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Antigua and Barbuda | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Argentina | 0.915 | 1.506 | 1.506 |
| Armenia | 0.007 | 0.012 | 0.012 |
| Austria | 0.677 | 1.114 | 1.114 |
| Azerbaijan | 0.049 | 0.081 | 0.081 |
| Bahamas | 0.018 | 0.030 | 0.030 |
| Bahrain | 0.050 | 0.082 | 0.082 |
| Bangladesh | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Barbados | 0.007 | 0.012 | 0.012 |
| Belarus | 0.049 | 0.081 | 0.081 |
| Belize | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Benin | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Bhutan | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Bolivia (Plurinational State of) | 0.016 | 0.026 | 0.026 |
| Bosnia and Herzegovina | 0.012 | 0.020 | 0.020 |
| Botswana | 0.014 | 0.023 | 0.023 |
| Brazil | 2.948 | 4.852 | 4.852 |
| Bulgaria | 0.046 | 0.076 | 0.076 |
| Burkina Faso | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Burundi | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Cabo Verde | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Cambodia | 0.006 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Cameroon | 0.013 | 0.021 | 0.021 |
| Central African Republic | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Chad | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| Chile | 0.407 | 0.670 | 0.670 |
| China | 12.005 | 19.760 | 19.760 |
| Colombia | 0.288 | 0.474 | 0.474 |
| Comoros | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Congo | 0.006 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Costa Rica | 0.062 | 0.102 | 0.102 |
| Côte d'Ivoire | 0.013 | 0.021 | 0.021 |
| Croatia | 0.077 | 0.127 | 0.127 |
| Cuba | 0.080 | 0.132 | 0.132 |
| Cyprus | 0.036 | 0.059 | 0.059 |
| Czechia | 0.311 | 0.512 | 0.512 |
| Democratic People's Republic of Korea | 0.006 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Democratic Republic of the Congo | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Djibouti | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Dominica | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |

| <i>Member State</i> | <i>United Nations assessment rates 2019–2021^a</i> (1) | <i>UNIDO assessment rates 2022–2023^b</i> (2) | <i>UNIDO assessment rates 2020–2021</i> (3) |
|----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Dominican Republic | 0.053 | 0.087 | 0.087 |
| Ecuador | 0.080 | 0.132 | 0.132 |
| Egypt | 0.186 | 0.306 | 0.306 |
| El Salvador | 0.012 | 0.020 | 0.020 |
| Equatorial Guinea | 0.016 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Eritrea | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Eswatini | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Ethiopia | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Fiji | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Finland | 0.421 | 0.693 | 0.693 |
| Gabon | 0.015 | 0.025 | 0.025 |
| Gambia | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Georgia | 0.008 | 0.013 | 0.013 |
| Germany | 6.090 | 10.024 | 10.024 |
| Ghana | 0.015 | 0.025 | 0.025 |
| Grenada | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Guatemala | 0.036 | 0.059 | 0.059 |
| Guinea | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Guinea-Bissau | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Guyana | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Haiti | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Honduras | 0.009 | 0.015 | 0.015 |
| Hungary | 0.206 | 0.339 | 0.339 |
| India | 0.834 | 1.373 | 1.373 |
| Indonesia | 0.543 | 0.894 | 0.894 |
| Iran (Islamic Republic of) | 0.398 | 0.655 | 0.655 |
| Iraq | 0.129 | 0.212 | 0.212 |
| Ireland | 0.371 | 0.611 | 0.611 |
| Israel | 0.490 | 0.807 | 0.807 |
| Italy | 3.307 | 5.443 | 5.443 |
| Jamaica | 0.008 | 0.013 | 0.013 |
| Japan | 8.564 | 14.096 | 14.096 |
| Jordan | 0.021 | 0.035 | 0.035 |
| Kazakhstan | 0.178 | 0.293 | 0.293 |
| Kenya | 0.024 | 0.040 | 0.040 |
| Kiribati | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Kuwait | 0.252 | 0.415 | 0.415 |
| Kyrgyzstan | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Lao People's Democratic Republic | 0.005 | 0.008 | 0.008 |
| Lebanon | 0.047 | 0.077 | 0.077 |
| Lesotho | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Liberia | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Libya | 0.030 | 0.049 | 0.049 |
| Luxembourg | 0.067 | 0.110 | 0.110 |
| Madagascar | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| Malawi | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Malaysia | 0.341 | 0.561 | 0.561 |
| Maldives | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| Mali | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |

| <i>Member State</i> | <i>United Nations assessment rates 2019–2021^a</i> (1) | <i>UNIDO assessment rates 2022–2023^b</i> (2) | <i>UNIDO assessment rates 2020–2021</i> (3) |
|----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| Malta | 0.017 | 0.028 | 0.028 |
| Marshall Islands | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Mauritania | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Mauritius | 0.011 | 0.018 | 0.018 |
| Mexico | 1.292 | 2.127 | 2.127 |
| Micronesia (Federated States of) | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Monaco | 0.011 | 0.018 | 0.018 |
| Mongolia | 0.005 | 0.008 | 0.008 |
| Montenegro | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| Morocco | 0.055 | 0.091 | 0.091 |
| Mozambique | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| Myanmar | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Namibia | 0.009 | 0.015 | 0.015 |
| Nepal | 0.007 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Netherlands | 1.356 | 2.232 | 2.232 |
| Nicaragua | 0.005 | 0.008 | 0.008 |
| Niger | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Nigeria | 0.250 | 0.412 | 0.412 |
| North Macedonia | 0.007 | 0.012 | 0.012 |
| Norway | 0.754 | 1.241 | 1.241 |
| Oman | 0.115 | 0.189 | 0.189 |
| Pakistan | 0.115 | 0.189 | 0.189 |
| Panama | 0.045 | 0.074 | 0.074 |
| Papua New Guinea | 0.010 | 0.016 | 0.016 |
| Paraguay | 0.016 | 0.026 | 0.026 |
| Peru | 0.152 | 0.250 | 0.250 |
| Philippines | 0.205 | 0.337 | 0.337 |
| Poland | 0.802 | 1.320 | 1.320 |
| Qatar | 0.282 | 0.464 | 0.464 |
| Republic of Korea | 2.267 | 3.731 | 3.731 |
| Republic of Moldova | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Romania | 0.198 | 0.326 | 0.326 |
| Russian Federation | 2.405 | 3.958 | 3.958 |
| Rwanda | 0.003 | 0.005 | 0.005 |
| Saint Kitts and Nevis | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Saint Lucia | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Saint Vincent and the Grenadines | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Samoa | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Sao Tome and Principe | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Saudi Arabia | 1.172 | 1.929 | 1.929 |
| Senegal | 0.007 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Serbia | 0.028 | 0.046 | 0.046 |
| Seychelles | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Sierra Leone | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Slovenia | 0.076 | 0.125 | 0.125 |
| Somalia | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| South Africa | 0.272 | 0.448 | 0.448 |
| Spain | 2.146 | 3.532 | 3.532 |
| Sri Lanka | 0.044 | 0.072 | 0.072 |

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|------------------------------------|---|--|--|
| State of Palestine | 0.008 | 0.013 | 0.013 |
| Sudan | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Suriname | 0.005 | 0.008 | 0.008 |
| Sweden | 0.906 | 1.491 | 1.491 |
| Switzerland | 1.151 | 1.895 | 1.895 |
| Syrian Arab Republic | 0.011 | 0.018 | 0.018 |
| Tajikistan | 0.004 | 0.007 | 0.007 |
| Thailand | 0.307 | 0.505 | 0.505 |
| Timor-Leste | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Togo | 0.002 | 0.003 | 0.003 |
| Tonga | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Trinidad and Tobago | 0.040 | 0.066 | 0.066 |
| Tunisia | 0.025 | 0.041 | 0.041 |
| Turkey | 1.371 | 2.256 | 2.256 |
| Turkmenistan | 0.033 | 0.054 | 0.054 |
| Tuvalu | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Uganda | 0.008 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Ukraine | 0.057 | 0.094 | 0.094 |
| United Arab Emirates | 0.616 | 1.014 | 1.014 |
| United Republic of Tanzania | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Uruguay | 0.087 | 0.143 | 0.143 |
| Uzbekistan | 0.032 | 0.053 | 0.053 |
| Vanuatu | 0.001 | 0.001 | 0.001 |
| Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) | 0.728 | 1.198 | 1.198 |
| Viet Nam | 0.077 | 0.127 | 0.127 |
| Yemen | 0.010 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Zambia | 0.009 | 0.010 | 0.010 |
| Zimbabwe | 0.005 | 0.008 | 0.008 |
| 170 Member States | 60.815 | 100.000 | 100.000 |

^a Based on General Assembly resolution 73/271.

^b The scale in column (1) multiplied by the coefficient of 1.64610539506661; the coefficient is not applied to (i) Member States with assessment rates of 0.001 per cent; and (ii) LDCs whose rate may exceed 0.01 per cent.