

CHILD NUTRITION REPORT 2021

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The data tables present the latest key statistics on children's and women's nutrition for the world's countries and regions. The 2021 edition also includes detailed data on children's diets.



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Thematic data tables

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Early childhood nutrition

Countries and areas	Malnutrition among children under 5 years of age										
	Modelled estimates			Survey estimates				Modelled estimates			Survey estimates
	Stunted (%) ^a (moderate and severe)			Wasted (%) ^c				Overweight (%) ^a (moderate and severe)			Free from stunting, wasting, overweight (%)
	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 target**	Moderate and severe (Latest)	Progress to 2030 target**	Severe (Latest)	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 target**	2014–2020*	
	2012	2020		2014–2020*		2014–2020*	2012	2020		2014–2020*	
Afghanistan	45	35	Some progress	5	On track	2	5	4	On track	56	
Albania	18	10	On track	2	On track	1	22	15	Some progress	75	
Algeria	13	9	On track	3	On track	1	13	13	No progress	78	
Andorra	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Angola	32	38	Worsening	5	Assessment not possible	1	3	3	Worsening	58	
Anguilla	–	–		–		–	–	–		–	
Antigua and Barbuda	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Argentina	8	8	No progress	2	On track	<1 wx	12	13	No progress	–	
Armenia	14	9	On track	4	Off track	2	15	11	Some progress	76	
Australia	2	2	On track	<1 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	14	19	Worsening	–	
Austria	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Azerbaijan	17	16	Some progress	3 x	On track	1 x	11	9	Some progress	71 x	
Bahamas	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Bahrain	6 e	5 e	Assessment not possible	–		–	6 e	6 e	Assessment not possible	–	
Bangladesh	38	30	Some progress	10	Off track	2	2	2	On track	64	
Barbados	8	7	Some progress	7 x	Assessment not possible	2 x	11	11	No progress	76 x	
Belarus	4	4	On track	2 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	9	7	Some progress	85 x	
Belgium	3	2	On track	<1 w	On track	<1 w	4	5	Worsening	95 w	
Belize	18	13	Some progress	2	On track	1	9	8	No progress	77	
Benin	34	31	Some progress	5	Off track	1	2	2	On track	64	
Bhutan	30	22	On track	6 x	Assessment not possible	2 x	6	5	Some progress	59 x	
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	20	13	On track	2	On track	1	9	9	No progress	74	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	9	9	No progress	2 x	Assessment not possible	2 x	19	13	Some progress	75 x	
Botswana	24	23	Some progress	7 x	Assessment not possible	3 x	11	11	No progress	60 x	
Brazil	6	6	No progress	2 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	7	7	No progress	85 x	
British Virgin Islands	–	–		–		–	–	–		–	
Brunei Darussalam	17	13	On track	3 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	8	9	No progress	–	
Bulgaria	8	6	Some progress	6 w	Assessment not possible	3 w	8	6	Some progress	81 x	
Burkina Faso	34	26	Some progress	8	Off track	1	2	3	On track	70	
Burundi	57	58	No progress	5	Off track	1	2	3	Worsening	43	
Cabo Verde	12 e	10 e	Assessment not possible	–		–	– z	– z		–	
Cambodia	34	30	Some progress	10	Off track	2	2	2	On track	60	
Cameroon	33	27	Some progress	4	On track	2	7	10	Worsening	61	
Canada	– z	– z		–		–	11	12	No progress	–	
Central African Republic	41	40	No progress	5	Off track	1	3	3	On track	57	
Chad	39	35	Some progress	14	Off track	5	2	3	Worsening	52	
Chile	2	2	On track	<1	On track	–	10	10	No progress	–	
China	7	5	On track	2	On track	1 x	7	8	Worsening	82 x	
Colombia	13	11	Some progress	2	On track	<1	5	6	No progress	81	
Comoros	32	23	Some progress	11 x	Assessment not possible	4 x	11	10	Some progress	55 x	
Congo	23	18	Some progress	8	Off track	3	5	5	No progress	68	
Cook Islands	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Costa Rica	7	9	Worsening	2	On track	<1	8	8	No progress	82	
Côte d'Ivoire	29	18	On track	6	On track	1	2	3	On track	73	
Croatia	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Cuba	7	7	No progress	2	On track	1	9	10	No progress	82	
Cyprus	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–	
Czechia	2	3	On track	5 x		1 x	6	7	No progress	89 x	

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Democratic People's Republic of Korea	26	18	On track	3	On track	1	1	2	On track	–
Democratic Republic of the Congo	43	41	Some progress	6	Off track	2	5	4	No progress	52
Denmark	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Djibouti	32	34	Worsening	21 x	Assessment not possible	9 x	7	7	No progress	47 x
Dominica	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Dominican Republic	8	6	On track	2 x	On track	1 x	8	8	No progress	84 x
Ecuador	24	23	No progress	4	Off track	1	7	10	Worsening	66
Egypt	22	22	No progress	9	Off track	5	16	18	Worsening	61
El Salvador	16	11	On track	2	On track	<1	6	7	No progress	79
Equatorial Guinea	26	20	Some progress	3 x	Assessment not possible	2 x	9	9	No progress	45 x
Eritrea	50	49	No progress	15 x	Assessment not possible	4 x	2	2	On track	39 x
Estonia	1	1	On track	2	On track	<1	5	6	No progress	92
Eswatini	29	23	Some progress	2	On track	<1	11	10	No progress	66
Ethiopia	43	35	Some progress	7	Off track	1	2	3	On track	58
Fiji	9	7	Some progress	6 x		2 x	5	5	No progress	–
Finland	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
France	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Gabon	17	14	Some progress	3 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	7	7	Worsening	75 x
Gambia	22	16	Some progress	5	On track	1	2	2	On track	77
Georgia	9	6	On track	1	On track	<1	14	8	Some progress	88
Germany	1	2	On track	<1 w	On track	<1 x	4	4	No progress	–
Ghana	22	14	On track	7	Off track	1	2	3	On track	76
Greece	2	2	On track	1 wx		<1 wx	14	14	No progress	85 wx
Grenada	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Guatemala	48	43	Some progress	1	On track	<1	5	5	No progress	50
Guinea	34	29	Some progress	9	Off track	4	4	6	Worsening	60
Guinea-Bissau	30	28	Some progress	8	Off track	2	3	3	Worsening	66
Guyana	14	9	On track	6	Off track	2	6	7	No progress	79
Haiti	24	20	Some progress	4	On track	1	4	4	No progress	73
Holy See	–	–		–		–	–	–		–
Honduras	23	20	Some progress	1 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	5	6	Worsening	72 x
Hungary	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Iceland	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
India	42	31	On track	17	Off track	5	2	2	On track	47
Indonesia	34	32	Some progress	10	Off track	4	8	11	Worsening	–
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	6	6	No progress	4 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	8 e	9 e	Assessment not possible	–
Iraq	19	12	On track	3	On track	1	9	9	No progress	81
Ireland	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Israel	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Italy	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Jamaica	7	8	Worsening	3	Off track	<1	7	7	No progress	82
Japan	7	5	On track	2 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	2	2	On track	–
Jordan	8	7	Some progress	2 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	6	7	Worsening	86 x
Kazakhstan	11	7	On track	3	On track	1	11	9	Some progress	82
Kenya	28	19	Some progress	4	On track	1	5	4	No progress	68
Kiribati	16	15	Some progress	4	Assessment not possible	1	2	2	On track	80
Kuwait	5	6	Worsening	3	On track	1	8	7	No progress	–
Kyrgyzstan	16	11	On track	2	On track	1	8	6	Some progress	81
Lao People's Democratic Republic	41	30	On track	9	Off track	3	2	3	Worsening	58
Latvia	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Lebanon	13	10	Some progress	7 x		3 x	20	20	No progress	–
Lesotho	38	32	Some progress	2	On track	1	7	7	No progress	60
Liberia	36	28	Some progress	3	On track	1	3	5	Worsening	65

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	2012	2020		2014–2020*		2014–2020*	2012	2020		2014–2020*
Libya	29	44	Worsening	10	Assessment not possible	5	26	25	No progress	–
Liechtenstein	–	–		–		–	–	–		–
Lithuania	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Luxembourg	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Madagascar	48	40	Some progress	6	Off track	1	2	1	On track	54
Malawi	44	37	Some progress	1 w	On track	<1 w	6	5	Some progress	56 w
Malaysia	18	21	Worsening	10	Off track	4	6	6	No progress	–
Maldives	17	14	On track	9	Off track	2	6	5	Some progress	73
Mali	31	26	Some progress	9 w	Off track	2 w	2	2	On track	67 w
Malta	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Marshall Islands	36	32	Some progress	4	Assessment not possible	1	4	4	No progress	60
Mauritania	27	24	Some progress	11	Off track	2	2	3	On track	68
Mauritius	9 e	9 e	Assessment not possible	–		–	7 e	8 e	Assessment not possible	–
Mexico	13	12	Some progress	1	On track	<1	7	6	No progress	78
Micronesia (Federated States of)	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Monaco	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Mongolia	13	7	On track	1	On track	<1	10	10	No progress	81
Montenegro	8	8	No progress	2	On track	1	15	10	Some progress	84
Montserrat	–	–		–		–	–	–		–
Morocco	16	13	Some progress	3	On track	1	12	11	No progress	75
Mozambique	43	38	Some progress	4	Off track	2	6	6	No progress	52
Myanmar	32	25	Some progress	7 w	Off track	1 w	2	2	On track	65
Namibia	24	18	Some progress	7 x	Assessment not possible	3 x	4	5	Worsening	69 x
Nauru	20	15	On track	1 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	3	4	Worsening	–
Nepal	40	30	On track	12	Off track	3	1	2	On track	59
Netherlands	1	2	On track	1 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	4	5	Worsening	94 x
New Zealand	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Nicaragua	17	14	Some progress	2 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	7	7	No progress	74 x
Niger	48	47	No progress	10	Off track	2	1	2	On track	48
Nigeria	38	35	Some progress	6	Off track	1	3	3	On track	64
Niue	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
North Macedonia	6	4	On track	3	Off track	1	13	10	Some progress	82
Norway	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Oman	11	12	Worsening	9	Off track	3	3	5	Worsening	–
Pakistan	43	37	Some progress	7	On track	2	5	3	On track	57
Palau	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Panama	20	15	Some progress	1 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	10	11	No progress	73 x
Papua New Guinea	47	48	No progress	14 x	Assessment not possible	6 x	8	9	No progress	34 x
Paraguay	10	5	On track	1	On track	<1	10	12	Worsening	82
Peru	19	11	On track	<1	On track	<1	9	8	No progress	80
Philippines	32	29	Some progress	6	Off track	2	3	4	Worsening	60
Poland	2	2	On track	1 wx	Assessment not possible	<1 wx	6	7	Worsening	93 wx
Portugal	4	3	On track	1 w	On track	<1 w	8	9	No progress	89 w
Qatar	6 e	5 e	Assessment not possible	–		–	13 e	14 e	Assessment not possible	–
Republic of Korea	2	2	On track	1 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	8	9	Worsening	–
Republic of Moldova	7	5	On track	2 x	Assessment not possible	<1 x	6	4	On track	88 x
Romania	11	10	Some progress	4 x		1 x	9	7	Some progress	–
Russian Federation	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Rwanda	41	33	Some progress	1	On track	<1	6	5	No progress	62 w
Saint Kitts and Nevis	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–

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Saint Lucia	3	3	On track	4 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	6	7	No progress	88 x
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Samoa	6	7	Worsening	3	On track	1	7	7	No progress	87
San Marino	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Sao Tome and Principe	18	12	On track	4	Off track	1	3	4	Worsening	81
Saudi Arabia	5	4	On track	12 x		5 x	6	8	Worsening	–
Senegal	20	17	Some progress	8	Off track	1	1	2	On track	75
Serbia	6	5	Some progress	3	On track	1	15	11	Some progress	83
Seychelles	8	7	Some progress	4 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	10	10	No progress	–
Sierra Leone	35	27	Some progress	5	Off track	1	3	5	Worsening	64
Singapore	3	3	On track	4 x		1 x	4	5	Worsening	–
Slovakia	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Slovenia	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Solomon Islands	32	29	Some progress	8	Assessment not possible	4	3	4	Worsening	60
Somalia	31	27	Some progress	14 x	Assessment not possible	4 x	3	3	On track	63 x
South Africa	24	23	No progress	3 w	On track	2 w	13	13	No progress	67 w
South Sudan	32	31	Some progress	23 x	Assessment not possible	10 x	6	6	No progress	49 x
Spain	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Sri Lanka	17	16	Some progress	15	Off track	3	1	1	On track	69
State of Palestine	10	8	Some progress	1	On track	1	8	9	No progress	83
Sudan	36	34	Some progress	16	Off track	4	2	3	On track	51
Suriname	9	8	Some progress	6	Off track	1	4	4	No progress	83
Sweden	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Switzerland	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Syrian Arab Republic	28	30	Worsening	12 x	Assessment not possible	5 x	19	18	No progress	55 x
Tajikistan	27	15	On track	6	Off track	2	6	3	On track	76
Thailand	14	12	Some progress	8	Off track	3	9	9	No progress	73
Timor-Leste	53	49	Some progress	10 x	On track	2 x	3	3	On track	43 x
Togo	27	24	Some progress	6	Off track	1	2	2	On track	71
Tokelau	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
Tonga	7	3	On track	1	On track	<1	13	13	No progress	86
Trinidad and Tobago	9	9	No progress	6 x	Assessment not possible	2 x	10	11	Worsening	77 x
Tunisia	9	9	Some progress	2	On track	1	11	17	Worsening	76
Turkey	– z	– z		2	On track	1	– z	– z		85
Turkmenistan	13	8	On track	4	Off track	1	5	4	On track	86
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–		–		–	–	–		–
Tuvalu	10	10	No progress	3 x	Assessment not possible	1 x	6	6	No progress	–
Uganda	34	28	Some progress	3	On track	1	4	4	No progress	66
Ukraine	19	16	Some progress	8 x		4 x	26	17	Some progress	55 x
United Arab Emirates	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
United Kingdom	– z	– z		–		–	– z	– z		–
United Republic of Tanzania	38	32	Some progress	4	Off track	<1	5	5	Worsening	60
United States	3	3	On track	<1	On track	<1	9	9	No progress	–
Uruguay	9	6	On track	1	On track	<1	10	10	No progress	81
Uzbekistan	14	10	On track	2	On track	<1	9	5	On track	84
Vanuatu	27	29	Worsening	5 x	On track	1 x	5	5	No progress	64 x
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	13	11	Some progress	4 x	Assessment not possible	–	6	7	No progress	–
Viet Nam	26	22	Some progress	6	Off track	1	4	6	Worsening	70 x
Yemen	47	37	Some progress	16 x	Off track	5 x	3	3	On track	43 x
Zambia	41	32	Some progress	4	On track	2	6	6	No progress	59
Zimbabwe	31	23	On track	3	On track	<1	5	4	On track	73

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	2012	2020		2014–2020*		2014–2020*	2012	2020		2014–2020*
SUMMARY										
East Asia and Pacific	16	14		4		1	7	8		–
Europe and Central Asia	7	6		–		–	10	8		–
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	11	8		2 ^q		1 ^q	12 ^q	9		83
Western Europe	3	3		–		–	7	7		–
Latin America and Caribbean	13	11		1		<1	7	7		76
Middle East and North Africa	18	16		6		3	11	12		71
North America	3	3		<1 ^d		<1 ^d	9	9		–
South Asia	41	32		15		5	3	2		51
sub-Saharan Africa	37	32		6		1	4	4		61
Eastern and Southern Africa	37	32		5		1	5	5		59
West and Central Africa	36	32		7		2	3	3		62
World	26	22		7		2	6	6		59

DEFINITIONS OF INDICATORS

Stunting: Moderate and severe: Percentage of children aged 0–59 months who are below minus two standard deviations from median height-for-age of the WHO Child Growth Standards.

Wasting: Moderate and severe: Percentage of children aged 0–59 months who are below minus two standard deviations from median weight-for-height of the WHO Child Growth Standards.

Wasting: Severe: Percentage of children aged 0–59 months who are below minus three standard deviations from median weight-for-height of the WHO Child Growth Standards.

Overweight: Moderate and severe: Percentage of children aged 0–59 months who are above two standard deviations from median weight-for-height of the WHO Child Growth Standards (includes severe overweight).

Free from stunting, wasting, overweight: Percentage of children under 5 years of age who are neither overweight, nor stunted, nor wasted

MAIN DATA SOURCES

Stunting, overweight – Modelled estimates from UNICEF-WHO-World Bank. Last update: May 2021

Wasting and severe wasting – DHS, MICS, and other national household surveys. Last update: May 2021

Free from stunting, wasting, overweight – DHS, MICS, and other national household surveys. Last update: May 2021

LEGEND FOR FOOTNOTES IN THE TABLE

– Data not available.

c Global and regional averages for wasting (*moderate and severe*) and wasting (*severe*) are estimated using statistical modelling data from the UNICEF/WHO/World Bank Group Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates, May 2021 Edition. For more information see <data.unicef.org/malnutrition>.

d For wasting and severe wasting estimates, the Northern America regional average is based only on United States data.

e The most recent country data point (*e.g., from household surveys*) used to generate the modelled stunting and overweight estimates is from before the year 2000; interpret with caution.

g The collection of household survey data on child height and weight was limited in 2020 due to the physical distancing measures required to prevent the spread of COVID-19. Only four national surveys included in the database were carried out (*at least partially*) in 2020. The Joint Child Malnutrition Estimates are therefore based almost entirely on data collected before

2020 and do not take into account the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.

q Regional estimates for East Asia and the Pacific exclude China; regional estimates for Latin America and the Caribbean exclude Brazil; and regional estimates for Eastern Europe and Central Asia exclude the Russian Federation.

w Reduced age range.

x Data refer to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading. Such data are not included in the calculation of regional and global averages. Estimates from data years prior to 2000 are not displayed.

z Country modelled estimates not presented but have been used for regional and global aggregates. For more details please consult <https://data.unicef.org/topic/nutrition/child-nutrition/>.

***** Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

****** Progress to 2030 targets are shown for all six World Health Assembly Global Nutrition

Targets for stunting, wasting, overweight, low birthweight, exclusive breastfeeding and anaemia. Progress was assessed using the 2030 targets proposed as an extension of the 2025 global nutrition targets. For further information, see: World Health Organization and United Nations Children’s Fund. ‘WHO/UNICEF discussion paper: The extension of the 2025 maternal, infant and young child nutrition targets to 2030’, WHO and UNICEF, Geneva and New York, 2017, <https://www.who.int/nutrition/global-target-2025/discussion-paper-extension-targets-2030.pdf>.

The baseline values for stunting, overweight, low birthweight and anaemia are from modelled estimates from the year 2012. For exclusive breastfeeding, the most recent country data point between 2005 and 2012 is displayed.

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			Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets ^{**}									2020	2020
			2014–2020*	2005–2012*	2014–2020*									2014–2020*	
Afghanistan	63	54	–	58	On track	34	61	74	49	22	15	30	59	0 f	–
Albania	57	72	37	37	No progress	23	89	43	45	52	27	68	26	–	–
Algeria	33	40	25	29	No progress	21	88	37	46	39	19	53	26	–	–
Andorra	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Angola	48	85	–	37	Assessment not possible	8	79	67	31	29	12	61	36	– f	–
Anguilla	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Argentina	57	–	32	–	Assessment not possible	36 x	97 x	39 x	64 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Armenia	41	83	34	44	Some progress	8	90	29	62	36	22	52	22	–	–
Australia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	20	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Austria	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Azerbaijan	20 x	52 x	11	12 x	Assessment not possible	23 x	77 x	26 x	–	35 x	–	66 x	38 x	–	–
Bahamas	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bahrain	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bangladesh	47	74	64	63	On track	18	75	90	65	34	27	60	45	97 f	–
Barbados	40 x	48 x	20	–	Assessment not possible	61 x	90 x	41 x	58 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Belarus	24	41	19	22	No progress	14	96	17	93	70	57	93	3	–	–
Belgium	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Belize	68	79	15	33	On track	38	79	47	64 x	58	–	73	30	–	–
Benin	54	79	32	41	Some progress	5	56	69	44	26	15	52	54	7 f	–
Bhutan	77	91 x	49	53	Some progress	7	93	77	63 x	16	–	25	61	–	17,872
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	63 y	67	64	56	No progress	30	83	61	–	70	–	86	16	31 f	126,748
Bosnia and Herzegovina	42 x	74 x	18	–	Assessment not possible	23 x	76 x	12 x	71 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Botswana	53	–	20	30	Assessment not possible	15	73	15	–	–	–	–	–	– f	–
Brazil	43 x	–	39	–	Assessment not possible	–	94 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	3,630
British Virgin Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Brunei Darussalam	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Bulgaria	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Burkina Faso	59	63 x	38	58	On track	2	61	92	65	36	27	29	26	97 f	186,310
Burundi	92	93	69	72	On track	2	80	89	39	18	10	25	9	92 f	372,890
Cabo Verde	73 x	–	60	–	Assessment not possible	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cambodia	63	70	73	65	Worsening	9	82	58	72	40	30	82	35	– f	–
Cameroon	48	62	20	39	Some progress	9	76	43	44	20	10	55	32	14 f	268,380
Canada	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Central African Republic	49	87	33	36	Some progress	4	77	73	26	27 x	9 x	38 x	22 x	– f	–
Chad	16	14	3	16	Some progress	5	71	73	34	23	11	46	48	0 f	–
Chile	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
China	29 x	–	28	21 x	Worsening	–	83 x	–	63 x	37 x	25 x	70 x	29 x	–	1,730,000
Colombia	69	61 x	43	37	Worsening	33	90	42	60	69	42	81	15	–	–
Comoros	34 x	54 x	11	–	Assessment not possible	30 x	80 x	65 x	28 x	22 x	5 x	60 x	52 x	23 f	–
Congo	25	67	20	33	On track	19	84	32	29	14	4	48	51	– f	–
Cook Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Costa Rica	53	65	33	25	Worsening	31	99	46	76 x	76	–	81	10	–	–

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Côte d'Ivoire	37	53	12	23	Some progress	8	65	63	48	23	14	62	44	89 f	–
Croatia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Cuba	64	92	49	41	Worsening	24	94	25	76	58	54	83	22	–	21,699
Cyprus	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Czechia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	43	–	69	71	On track	–	78	–	–	47	–	–	–	93 f	488,502
Democratic Republic of the Congo	47	89	36	54	On track	6	82	70	34	15	8	47	28	60 f	261,971
Denmark	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Djibouti	52 x	–	12	–	Assessment not possible	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	– f	8,206
Dominica	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Dominican Republic	38	37	8	5	Worsening	62	81	20	77	51	42	69	35	–	–
Ecuador	72	–	–	–	–	–	63	53	48	53	29	72	27	–	–
Egypt	27	37	53	40	Worsening	16	75	50	56	35	23	53	45	–	–
El Salvador	42	71	31	47	On track	30	90	67	87	73	64	68	16	–	–
Equatorial Guinea	–	–	7	–	Assessment not possible	25 x	–	31 x	39 x	–	–	–	–	5 f	–
Eritrea	93 xy	–	69	–	Assessment not possible	–	44 x	86 x	–	–	–	–	–	– faa	–
Estonia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Eswatini	48	79	44	64	On track	9	90	28	81	48	37	69	21	– f	–
Ethiopia	72	84	52	59	Some progress	10	69	81	55	13	11	24	69	66 f	–
Fiji	57 xy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Finland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
France	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Gabon	32 x	51 x	5	–	Assessment not possible	57 x	82 x	23 x	–	18 x	–	57 x	52 x	– f	–
Gambia	35	78	33	54	Some progress	8	76	74	51	23	15	52	57	33 f	–
Georgia	33	52	55	20	Worsening	24	90	25	65	53	28	61	9	–	–
Germany	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Ghana	52	83	46	43	Worsening	18	79	66	41	26	13	52	43	31 f	80,734
Greece	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Grenada	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Guatemala	63	62	50	53	Some progress	19	80	72	82	59	52	67	27	–	–
Guinea	43	59	20	33	Some progress	9	52	78	22	14	4	32	63	97 f	280,014
Guinea-Bissau	46	85	38	59	On track	3	64	75	35	8	3	35	69	0 f	–
Guyana	49	72	31	21	Worsening	48	81	46	61	52	36	65	17	–	–
Haiti	47	78	39	40	No progress	22	91	52	39	19	11	36	55	18 f	2,573
Holy See	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Honduras	64 x	54 x	31	–	Assessment not possible	38 x	86 x	59 x	85 x	61 x	55 x	76 x	36 x	–	–
Hungary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iceland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
India	57	75	46	58	On track	15	53	80	39	16	8	15	55	54 f	–
Indonesia	58	52	41	51	Some progress	20	86	67	71	54	40	71	18	–	90,000
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	69 x	–	53	–	Assessment not possible	–	76 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iraq	32	43	19	26	Some progress	26	85	35	74	45	34	65	25	–	–
Ireland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Israel	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Italy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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Jamaica	65 x	73 x	24	–	Assessment not possible	45 x	64 x	38 x	37 x	–	–	–	–	–	
Japan	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Jordan	67	53	23	25	No progress	36	83	26	52	35	20	60	41	–	
Kazakhstan	83	83	32	38	Some progress	15	66	41	73	49	37	71	21	–	
Kenya	62	83	32	61	On track	16	80	75	50	36	22	33	29	82 f	
Kiribati	46	68	66	64	Worsening	10	90	61	74	9	8	58	51	– f	
Kuwait	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Kyrgyzstan	81	87	56	46	Worsening	14	91	47	75	60	43	77	14	–	
Lao People's Democratic Republic	50	73	40	44	Some progress	9	87	43	69	36	26	79	36	54 f	
Latvia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Lebanon	41 xy	–	–	–	–	–	–	14 x	–	–	–	–	–	15,386	
Lesotho	56	83	53	59	Some progress	10	91	34	68	17	10	39	35	– f	
Liberia	66	88	28	55	No progress	8	45	68	22	9	3	50	56	– f	
Libya	29	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Liechtenstein	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Lithuania	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Madagascar	45	66	42	51	No progress	4	89	77	79	25	21	47	26	26 f	
Malawi	76	95	71	59	Worsening	2	85	84	29	23	8	38	23	19 f	
Malaysia	–	–	–	40	Assessment not possible	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Maldives	66	84	45	63	On track	16	97	73	68	71	50	72	15	–	
Mali	59	73	20	40	Some progress	4	59	79	29	22	8	47	44	59 f	
Malta	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Marshall Islands	61	–	27	43	Assessment not possible	27	64	36	50	34	15	65	46	–	
Mauritania	68	68	27	40	Some progress	28	74	70	37	28	14	47	51	0 f	
Mauritius	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Mexico	45	64	14	27	Some progress	26	89	35	79	59	48	68	18	–	
Micronesia (Federated States of)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Monaco	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Mongolia	70	74	66	58	Worsening	24	88	64	66	45	28	88	45	29,875	
Montenegro	24	45	19	20	No progress	17	87	25	76	66	48	78	11	–	
Montserrat	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Morocco	43	32 x	28	35	Some progress	35 x	84 x	35 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Mozambique	69 x	92 x	40	41 x	Some progress	6 x	95 x	75 x	41 x	28 x	13 x	45 x	36 x	59 f	
Myanmar	67	78	24	51	On track	8	75	78	57	21	16	59	56	– f	
Namibia	71 x	85 x	22	48 x	Assessment not possible	13 x	80 x	47 x	38 x	25 x	12 x	64 x	52 x	– f	
Nauru	76 xy	–	67	–	Assessment not possible	–	–	67 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Nepal	42	81	70	62	Worsening	10	86	91	69	40	30	40	38	85 f	
Netherlands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
New Zealand	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
Nicaragua	54 x	76 x	32	–	Assessment not possible	39 x	89 x	52 x	–	–	–	–	–	61,192	
Niger	60	50 x	23	22	Some progress	6	80	74	71	17	15	17	43	– faa	
Nigeria	42	50	15	29	Some progress	13	74	61	41	23	10	41	53	0 f	
Niue	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	

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North Macedonia	10	29	23	28	No progress	23	96	30	80	54	43	63	13	–	–
Norway	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oman	82	–	–	23	Worsening	–	95	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pakistan	20	23	37	48	On track	29	65	63	61	15	13	38	61	0 f	1,218,836
Palau	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Panama	55 y	66 x	–	21 x	Assessment not possible	41 x	83	41 x	60 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Papua New Guinea	55	79	56	60	Assessment not possible	5	79	79	44	32	18	41	13	34 f	21,765
Paraguay	50	68	24	30	Some progress	29	87	33	71	52	38	74	16	–	–
Peru	51	57	67	65	Worsening	21	94	68	–	84	–	92	6	–	405,517
Philippines	57	71	33	55	On track	23 x	89 x	60	–	54 x	–	75 x	22 x	29 f	655,234
Poland	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Portugal	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Qatar	34 x	57 x	29	–	Assessment not possible	46 x	74 x	47 x	40 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Republic of Korea	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Republic of Moldova	61 x	72 x	36	–	Assessment not possible	13 x	75 x	27 x	46 x	70 x	–	76 x	10 x	–	–
Romania	58 x	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Russian Federation	25 x	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rwanda	76	94	84	81	On track	4	82	90	47	30	18	17	22	– faa	–
Saint Kitts and Nevis	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saint Lucia	50 x	68 x	3	–	Assessment not possible	65 x	– xp	29 x	43 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Samoa	81 y	–	51	70	On track	–	74	73	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
San Marino	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sao Tome and Principe	36	86	50	63	On track	5	80	46	58	32	22	67	32	33 f	–
Saudi Arabia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Senegal	32	43	39	41	Some progress	8	64	72	37	19	9	46	52	37 f	–
Serbia	8	35	13	24	Some progress	8	96	16	95	86	74	91	2	–	–
Seychelles	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sierra Leone	75	87	31	54	On track	11	69	65	32	25	9	53	52	32 f	–
Singapore	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Slovakia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Slovenia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Solomon Islands	79	–	74	76	On track	–	–	71	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Somalia	60	–	5	34	Some progress	66 x	41	45	–	–	–	–	–	28 f	194,788
South Africa	67	71	–	32	Assessment not possible	17	83	34	43	40	19	61	37	39 f	–
South Sudan	50 x	–	45	–	Assessment not possible	16 x	42 x	62 x	10 x	–	–	–	–	0 f	–
Spain	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Sri Lanka	90 y	–	76	81	On track	8	94	90	–	78	–	77	11	–	–
State of Palestine	41	59	29	39	Some progress	30	90	29	71	45	31	65	28	–	–
Sudan	69	67	41	55	On track	11	61	73	41	24	14	39	67	0 f	206,236
Suriname	52	50	3	9	Some progress	40	81	23	52	28	16	45	29	–	–
Sweden	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Switzerland	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Syrian Arab Republic	36	–	43	29	Worsening	23 x	75	45 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	462,256
Tajikistan	62	83 x	33	36	Some progress	17	63	57	36	23	8	38	58	99 f	–

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Thailand	34	74	12	14	No progress	23	92	19	86	69	61	90	14	–	–
Timor-Leste	47	78	51	65	Some progress	12	73	49	56	40	25	50	34	65 f	45,204
Togo	48	85	62	64	On track	4	76	80	61	19	13	61	48	91 f	–
Tokelau	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tonga	38	75	52	40	Worsening	28	91	35	49	53	27	76	10	–	–
Trinidad and Tobago	46 x	59 x	21	–	Assessment not possible	54 x	56 x	34 x	61 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tunisia	32	55	8	14	Some progress	40	97	30	85	63	54	77	20	–	–
Turkey	71	60 x	42	41	No progress	–	85	53	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Turkmenistan	68	96	11	56	Worsening	9	91	45	97	69	64	67	12	– f	–
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Tuvalu	15 xy	–	35	–	Assessment not possible	–	–	53 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Uganda	66	72	62	65	On track	11	81	67	41	26	15	41	44	– f	–
Ukraine	66 x	81 x	20	–	Assessment not possible	25 x	75 x	31 x	55 x	–	–	–	–	–	–
United Arab Emirates	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
United Kingdom	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
United Republic of Tanzania	54	85	49	58	On track	7	87	72	39	21	9	36	29	1 f	–
United States	–	–	26	26	Some progress	–	–	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Uruguay	61	78 x	–	58	Assessment not possible	25	92	45	–	70	–	74	6	–	–
Uzbekistan	86	–	24	49	Assessment not possible	7	57	63	24	23	6	44	42	–	383,585
Vanuatu	85 xy	–	39	73 x	On track	36 x	72 x	58 x	–	–	–	–	–	–	1,763
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Viet Nam	26	25	17	24	Some progress	37	91	43	91	59	55	90	14	–	8,400
Yemen	53 x	30 x	–	10 x	Assessment not possible	42 x	69 x	63 x	57 x	21 x	15 x	35 x	66 x	6 f	883,391
Zambia	75	91	60	70	Worsening	3	94	63	41	23	12	54	29	98 f	–
Zimbabwe	59	87	31	42	Some progress	4	90	50	68	17	11	40	28	29 f	188,237
SUMMARY															
East Asia and Pacific	38 v	57 q	31	31 v		21 q	84 v	58 q	67 v	42 v	30 v	72 v	27 v	39	3,115,214
Europe and Central Asia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	383,585
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	70	–	31	41		–	76	50	–	–	–	–	–	–	383,585
Western Europe	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Latin America and Caribbean	54	63 q	34	37		28	87	45	71 q	62	44 q	73	20	–	889,685
Middle East and North Africa	34	41	39	33		21	81	42	59	39	26	57	35	–	1,361,033
North America	–	–	26	26		–	–	12	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
South Asia	50	65	47	57		18	58	78	45	19	11	24	54	47	1,974,300
sub-Saharan Africa	54	71	35	45		10	75	68	44	22	12	41	44	35	4,073,255
Eastern and Southern Africa	64	81	48	55		9	77	70	47	24	14	38	43	42	2,306,586
West and Central Africa	46	63	24	37		10	73	66	41	21	11	44	45	29	1,766,669
World	48 v	65	37	44 v		16	73 v	65	52 v	29 v	18 v	45 v	41 v	41	11,797,072

DEFINITIONS OF THE INDICATORS

Early initiation of breastfeeding:

Percentage of children born in the last 24 months who were put to the breast within one hour of birth.

Exclusively breastfed for the first two days after birth:

Percentage of children born in the last 24 months who were fed exclusively with breast milk for the first two days after birth. Note that estimates currently available and presented here cover the first three days after birth rather than the first two days.

Exclusive breastfeeding (<6 months):

Percentage of infants 0–5 months of age who were fed exclusively with breast milk during the previous day.

Mixed milk feeding (<6 months):

Percentage of infants 0–5 months of age who were fed formula and/or animal milk in addition to breast milk during the previous day.

Continued breastfeeding (12–23 months):

Percentage of children 12–23 months of age who were fed breast milk during the previous day.

Introduction of solid, semi-solid or soft foods (6–8 months):

Percentage of infants 6–8 months of age who consumed solid, semisolid or soft foods during the previous day.

Minimum dietary diversity (6–23 months):

Percentage of children 6–23 months of age who consumed foods and beverages from at least five out of eight defined food groups during the previous day.

Minimum meal frequency (6–23 months):

Percentage of children 6–23 months of age who consumed solid, semi-solid or soft foods (but also including milk feeds for non-breastfed children) at least the minimum number of times during the previous day.

Minimum acceptable diet (6–23 months):

Percentage of children 6–23 months of age who consumed a minimum acceptable diet during the previous day.

Egg and /or flesh food consumption (6–23 months):

Percentage of children 6–23 months of age who consumed egg and/or flesh food during the previous day.

Zero vegetable or fruit consumption (6–23 months):

Percentage of children 6–23 months of age who did not consume any vegetables or fruits during the previous day.

Vitamin A supplementation, full coverage:

The estimated percentage of children aged 6–59 months reached with two doses of vitamin A supplements approximately 4–6 months apart in a given calendar year.

MAIN DATA SOURCES

Infant and young child feeding (0–23 months)– DHS, MICS and other national household surveys. Last update: September 2021

Vitamin A supplementation – UNICEF. Last Update: September 2021

Number of children received micronutrient powders – Nutridash Programme Coverage Estimates 2020

LEGEND FOR FOOTNOTES IN THE TABLE

– Data not available.

a Full coverage with vitamin A supplements is reported as the lower percentage of two annual coverage points (i.e., lower point between semester one (January–June) and semester two (July–December) of 2019. Data are only presented for vitamin A supplementation priority countries; thus aggregates are only based on and representative of these priority countries.

aa Identifies countries that have not given permission for estimates to be shared externally, as such, results from these countries are not presented in the individual country lines in this table, but are included in the global and regional estimates.

f Identifies countries that are designated 'priority'. Priority countries for national vitamin A supplementation programmes are identified as those having high under-five mortality rates (over 40 per 1,000 live births), and/or evidence of vitamin A deficiency among this age group, and/or a history of vitamin A supplementation programmes.

p Based on small denominators (typically 25–49 unweighted cases). No data based on fewer than 25 unweighted cases are displayed.

q Regional estimates for East Asia and the Pacific exclude China; regional estimates for Latin America and the Caribbean exclude Brazil; and regional estimates for Eastern Europe and Central Asia exclude the Russian Federation.

v Aggregated estimates for East Asia and Pacific and the World include estimates for China from the year 2013, which is outside of the year range 2014–2020.

x Data refer to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading. Such data are not included in the calculation of regional and global averages. Estimates from data years prior to 2000 are not displayed.

y Data differ from the standard definition; if they fall within the noted reference period, such data are included in the calculation of regional and global averages.

***** Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

****** Progress to 2030 targets are shown for all six World Health Assembly Global Nutrition Targets for stunting, wasting, overweight, low birthweight, exclusive breastfeeding and anaemia. Progress was assessed using the

2030 targets proposed as an extension of the 2025 global nutrition targets. For further information, see: World Health Organization and United Nations Children's Fund. 'WHO/ UNICEF discussion paper: The extension of the 2025 maternal, infant and young child nutrition targets to 2030', WHO and UNICEF, Geneva and New York, 2017, <<https://www.who.int/nutrition/global-target-2025/discussion-paper-extension-targets-2030.pdf>>.

The baseline values for stunting, overweight, low birthweight and anaemia are from modelled estimates from the year 2012. For exclusive breastfeeding, the most recent country data point between 2005 and 2012 is displayed. The latest estimates for stunting, overweight, low birthweight and anaemia refer to the most recent modelled estimates available. For exclusive breastfeeding, the most recent country data point between 2013 and 2020 is displayed.

& The vitamin A supplementation coverage estimates for 2020 were not finalized at the time of publication for some priority countries and may be available in the coming months. For the latest data please visit <data.unicef.org/topic/nutrition/vitamin-a-deficiency/>

Nutrition of school-age children, adolescents and women

Countries and areas	Weight at birth			Malnutrition among school-aged children (5–19 years)			Malnutrition among women					Households
	Low birthweight (%)			Unweighed at birth (%)	Thinness (%)	Overweight (%)	Underweight 18+ years (%)	Overweight 18+ years (%)	Anaemia 15–49 years (%)			Households consuming salt with iodine (%)
	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets **						Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets**	
	2012	2015		2014–2020*	2016	2016	2016	2016	2012	2019		2014–2020*
Afghanistan	– z	– z		86	17	9	16	22	38	43	Worsening	57
Albania	5	5	Some progress	3	1	25	2	53	22	25	Worsening	65
Algeria	7	7	No progress or worsening	10	6	31	4	65	33	33	No progress	89
Andorra	7	7	Some progress	14 x	1	36	2	62	11	12	Worsening	–
Angola	16	15	No progress or worsening	45	8	11	11	30	46	45	No progress	82
Anguilla	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Antigua and Barbuda	9	9	No progress or worsening	–	3	27	4	56	17	17	No progress	–
Argentina	7	7	Some progress	4	1	37	1	61	13	12	Some progress	–
Armenia	8	9	No progress or worsening	0	2	19	4	57	18	17	No progress	99
Australia	6	7	No progress or worsening	1	1	34	2	61	7	9	Worsening	–
Austria	7	7	No progress or worsening	0	2	26	3	51	12	13	Worsening	–
Azerbaijan	7	7	No progress or worsening	3 x	3	19	3	54	35	35	No progress	93 x
Bahamas	13	13	Some progress	16 x	3	36	3	69	13	15	Worsening	–
Bahrain	10	12	No progress or worsening	2	6	35	4	67	36	35	No progress	–
Bangladesh	29	28	Some progress	49	18	9	23	21	36	37	No progress	76
Barbados	– z	– z		2 x	4	28	3	64	17	17	No progress	37 x
Belarus	5	5	Some progress	0	2	23	2	61	19	21	Worsening	–
Belgium	7	7	No progress or worsening	4	1	24	2	57	11	14	Worsening	–
Belize	9	9	No progress or worsening	2	3	29	3	58	21	21	No progress	85
Benin	17	17	Some progress	40	7	11	9	33	56	55	No progress	85
Bhutan	12	12	No progress or worsening	28 x	16	10	11	27	40	39	No progress	98 xy
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	7	7	Some progress	7	1	28	2	57	29	24	Some progress	86
Bosnia and Herzegovina	3	3	No progress or worsening	2 x	2	21	3	51	24	24	No progress	–
Botswana	16	16	No progress or worsening	5 x	6	18	7	51	31	33	Worsening	83 x
Brazil	8	8	Some progress	3	3	28	4	56	18	16	Some progress	98 x
British Virgin Islands	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Brunei Darussalam	12	11	Some progress	4	6	27	6	43	15	17	Worsening	–
Bulgaria	9	10	No progress or worsening	6	2	29	2	60	23	24	Worsening	92 xy
Burkina Faso	13	13	Some progress	36 x	8	8	13	26	53	53	No progress	92 x
Burundi	15	15	No progress or worsening	20	7	10	11	26	31	39	Worsening	89
Cabo Verde	– z	– z		–	7	12	7	39	27	24	Some progress	92 bx
Cambodia	13	12	No progress or worsening	9	11	11	14	23	46	47	No progress	68
Cameroon	12	12	On track	40	6	13	6	37	41	41	No progress	91
Canada	6	6	Some progress	1 x	1	32	2	62	9	10	Worsening	–
Central African Republic	15	15	No progress or worsening	37	8	11	12	30	48	47	No progress	76
Chad	– z	– z		88	8	9	13	25	49	45	Some progress	65

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	Low birthweight (%)			Unweighed at birth (%)	Thinness (%)	Overweight (%)	Underweight 18+ years (%)	Overweight 18+ years (%)	Anaemia 15–49 years (%)			Households consuming salt with iodine (%)
	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets**						Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets**	
	2012	2015	2014–2020*	2016	2016	2016	2016	2012	2019	2014–2020*		
Chile	6	6	Some progress	4	1	35	1	63	8	9	Worsening	–
China	5	5	On track	0 x	3	29	6	32	15	16	Worsening	97 y
Colombia	10	10	Some progress	18	2	24	3	61	22	21	Some progress	–
Comoros	24	24	No progress or worsening	33 x	7	12	9	33	33	34	No progress	82 x
Congo	12	12	Some progress	10	7	11	11	34	53	49	Some progress	91
Cook Islands	4	3	No progress or worsening	–	<1	63	<1	85	26	27	Worsening	–
Costa Rica	7	7	No progress or worsening	2	2	32	2	63	12	14	Worsening	–
Côte d'Ivoire	16	15	No progress or worsening	27	6	13	8	35	52	51	No progress	80
Croatia	5	5	No progress or worsening	–	1	28	2	59	20	21	No progress	–
Cuba	5	5	Some progress	5	3	30	5	67	20	19	Some progress	90
Cyprus	– z	– z		27	1	33	2	55	12	14	Worsening	–
Czechia	8	8	Some progress	0	2	28	2	60	20	21	Worsening	–
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	– z	– z		0	5	23	8	32	32	34	Worsening	38
Democratic Republic of the Congo	11	11	No progress or worsening	27	9	10	13	28	46	42	Some progress	85
Denmark	5	5	No progress or worsening	4	1	25	3	52	12	12	Worsening	–
Djibouti	– z	– z		–	6	17	7	41	31	32	Worsening	4 x
Dominica	– z	– z		–	3	33	3	66	20	21	No progress	–
Dominican Republic	11	11	Some progress	4	3	33	3	64	28	26	Some progress	32 x
Ecuador	11	11	No progress or worsening	19	1	28	1	58	17	17	No progress	–
Egypt	– z	– z		39	3	37	1	68	31	28	Some progress	93 y
El Salvador	10	10	On track	7	2	30	2	60	10	11	Worsening	–
Equatorial Guinea	– z	– z		30	8	11	10	33	47	45	Some progress	57 x
Eritrea	– z	– z		65 x	8	11	17	25	36	37	No progress	86 x
Estonia	4	4	No progress or worsening	0	2	21	2	58	21	22	Worsening	–
Eswatini	10	10	No progress or worsening	9	4	17	5	47	30	31	No progress	90
Ethiopia	– z	– z		86	10	9	15	24	22	24	Worsening	86
Fiji	– z	– z		– x	4	34	2	68	32	32	No progress	–
Finland	4	4	On track	6	1	27	2	56	10	11	Worsening	–
France	7	7	No progress or worsening	0 x	1	30	3	57	9	11	Worsening	–
Gabon	14	14	No progress or worsening	9 x	6	16	7	43	55	52	Some progress	89 x
Gambia	17	17	On track	17	7	12	10	34	56	50	Some progress	75
Georgia	5	6	On track	0	3	20	4	58	27	28	No progress	98 x
Germany	7	7	Some progress	2 x	1	26	2	56	10	12	Worsening	–
Ghana	15	14	Some progress	40	6	11	7	38	44	35	Some progress	69
Greece	9	9	No progress or worsening	4	1	37	1	62	13	15	Worsening	–
Grenada	– z	– z		–	4	26	4	57	19	19	No progress	–
Guatemala	11	11	No progress or worsening	6	1	29	2	56	11	7	On track	88 x

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	Baseline	Latest						Progress to 2030 targets **	Baseline	Latest		Progress to 2030 targets**
	2012	2015	2014–2020*	2016	2016	2016	2016		2012	2019	2014–2020*	
Guinea	– z	– z		49	7	10	10	31	51	48	Some progress	53
Guinea-Bissau	22	21	No progress or worsening	49	7	11	9	34	50	48	Some progress	33
Guyana	16	16	Some progress	11	5	25	5	55	34	32	Some progress	43
Haiti	– z	– z		67	4	28	5	54	48	48	No progress	8
Holy See	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Honduras	11	11	No progress or worsening	17 x	2	27	3	56	17	18	Worsening	–
Hungary	9	9	On track	0	2	28	3	59	20	20	No progress	–
Iceland	4	4	No progress or worsening	8	1	28	2	53	9	10	Worsening	–
India	– z	– z		22	27	7	24	21	53	53	No progress	92 y
Indonesia	10	10	No progress or worsening	5	10	15	13	31	27	31	Worsening	92 bx
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	– z	– z		–	9	26	4	65	23	24	Worsening	94 bx
Iraq	– z	– z		28	5	32	2	63	30	29	Some progress	68
Ireland	5	6	Some progress	4	<1	31	1	58	11	12	Worsening	–
Israel	8	8	No progress or worsening	0	1	35	2	60	12	13	Worsening	–
Italy	7	7	Some progress	2	1	37	2	59	12	14	Worsening	–
Jamaica	15	15	Some progress	3	2	30	3	63	20	20	No progress	–
Japan	10	9	Some progress	5	2	14	10	25	20	19	No progress	–
Jordan	14	14	No progress or worsening	5	4	31	1	69	31	38	Worsening	88 bx
Kazakhstan	6	5	Some progress	1	2	20	4	54	27	29	Worsening	94
Kenya	12	11	No progress or worsening	34	8	11	10	31	28	29	No progress	95
Kiribati	– z	– z		7	<1	55	1	80	32	33	No progress	77
Kuwait	10	10	No progress or worsening	30	4	42	1	73	21	24	Worsening	–
Kyrgyzstan	6	6	Some progress	0	3	16	4	47	34	36	Worsening	99
Lao People's Democratic Republic	18	17	No progress or worsening	33	9	14	11	25	36	40	Worsening	94
Latvia	5	5	No progress or worsening	0	2	22	2	60	21	22	No progress	–
Lebanon	9	9	No progress or worsening	0	5	33	3	67	25	28	Worsening	95 x
Lesotho	15	15	Some progress	8	5	15	5	48	28	28	No progress	85
Liberia	– z	– z		71	7	10	8	35	44	43	No progress	91 x
Libya	– z	– z		–	6	33	2	69	29	30	Worsening	70 b
Liechtenstein	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Lithuania	5	5	No progress or worsening	7	3	21	2	61	19	20	Worsening	–
Luxembourg	7	7	Some progress	0	1	26	2	54	9	10	Worsening	–
Madagascar	17	17	Some progress	60 x	7	11	15	26	38	38	No progress	68 x
Malawi	15	14	Some progress	16	6	11	9	27	31	31	No progress	78
Malaysia	11	11	Some progress	1	7	26	7	42	30	32	Worsening	28 xy
Maldives	12	12	Some progress	11	14	17	9	32	46	52	Worsening	97 x
Mali	– z	– z		63	8	11	10	31	58	59	No progress	89

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	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets **						Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets**	
	2012	2015		2014–2020*	2016	2016	2016	2016	2012	2019		2014–2020*
Malta	7	6	No progress or worsening	0	1	37	1	64	12	14	Worsening	–
Marshall Islands	– z	– z		10	<1	59	1	84	30	31	No progress	–
Mauritania	– z	– z		64	8	13	8	39	45	43	Some progress	25 y
Mauritius	17	17	No progress or worsening	6	7	15	7	42	19	24	Worsening	–
Mexico	8	8	On track	2	2	35	2	66	16	15	Some progress	–
Micronesia (Federated States of)	– z	– z		–	<1	51	1	75	23	25	Worsening	–
Monaco	5	5	No progress or worsening	0	–	–	–	–	11	12	Worsening	–
Mongolia	5	5	Some progress	1 x	2	18	3	54	14	15	No progress	75
Montenegro	5	5	On track	2	2	25	2	56	16	17	Worsening	–
Montserrat	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Morocco	18	17	Some progress	3	6	27	3	64	30	30	No progress	43 x
Mozambique	14	14	Some progress	49 x	4	13	10	30	49	48	No progress	42 x
Myanmar	13	12	Some progress	55	13	12	14	28	39	42	Worsening	85 y
Namibia	16	16	No progress or worsening	14 x	8	15	9	48	25	25	No progress	74 x
Nauru	– z	– z		4 x	<1	65	<1	88	30	30	No progress	–
Nepal	23	22	On track	23	16	8	17	21	36	36	No progress	94
Netherlands	6	6	On track	6	1	25	2	56	11	13	Worsening	–
New Zealand	6	6	No progress or worsening	8	<1	40	2	64	9	10	Worsening	–
Nicaragua	11	11	Some progress	8 x	2	29	2	58	13	16	Worsening	–
Niger	– z	– z		77 x	10	8	13	26	49	50	No progress	59
Nigeria	– z	– z		75	10	8	10	33	55	55	No progress	93
Niue	– z	– z		–	<1	59	1	82	26	27	Worsening	–
North Macedonia	9	9	On track	4 x	2	26	3	55	17	19	Worsening	–
Norway	5	4	No progress or worsening	3	1	27	2	56	11	12	Worsening	–
Oman	11	11	No progress or worsening	0	7	32	5	61	29	29	No progress	88
Pakistan	– z	– z		84	19	10	15	29	43	41	No progress	69 x
Palau	– z	– z		–	<1	64	1	85	27	29	Worsening	–
Panama	10	10	Some progress	9 x	2	29	3	61	22	21	Some progress	–
Papua New Guinea	– z	– z		49	1	32	3	55	33	34	No progress	60 x
Paraguay	8	8	Some progress	2	2	28	2	51	22	23	Worsening	93 x
Peru	10	9	Some progress	5	1	27	2	59	21	21	No progress	91
Philippines	20	20	No progress or worsening	16	10	13	14	27	17	12	On track	57 y
Poland	6	6	No progress or worsening	0	2	26	3	57	–	–		–
Portugal	9	9	No progress or worsening	0	1	32	2	58	12	13	Worsening	–
Qatar	8	7	No progress or worsening	2 x	5	39	2	71	27	28	Worsening	99 xy
Republic of Korea	5	6	No progress or worsening	2	1	27	6	29	14	14	No progress	–
Republic of Moldova	5	5	On track	1 x	3	18	3	53	26	26	No progress	58 x
Romania	8	8	No progress or worsening	2	3	25	2	56	22	23	No progress	–
Russian Federation	6	6	On track	0	2	21	2	61	20	21	Worsening	–

Countries and areas	Weight at birth			Malnutrition among school-aged children (5–19 years)			Malnutrition among women					Households
	Low birthweight (%)			Unweighed at birth (%)	Thinness (%)	Overweight (%)	Underweight 18+ years (%)	Overweight 18+ years (%)	Anaemia 15–49 years (%)			Households consuming salt with iodine (%)
	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets **						Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets**	
	2012	2015	2014–2020*	2016	2016	2016	2016	2012	2019	2014–2020*		
Rwanda	8	8	No progress or worsening	8	6	11	8	30	18	17	Some progress	90
Saint Kitts and Nevis	– z	– z		–	4	28	3	60	16	15	No progress	–
Saint Lucia	– z	– z		0 x	4	23	4	57	14	14	No progress	75 x
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	– z	– z		–	3	29	4	61	17	17	No progress	–
Samoa	– z	– z		24	<1	53	1	80	25	27	Worsening	96
San Marino	3	3	No progress or worsening	2	–	–	–	–	11	13	Worsening	–
Sao Tome and Principe	7	7	No progress or worsening	3	5	13	8	38	46	44	No progress	89
Saudi Arabia	– z	– z		–	8	36	2	70	26	28	Worsening	70 xy
Senegal	19	18	No progress or worsening	36	9	10	11	32	56	53	Some progress	65
Serbia	5	5	No progress or worsening	0	2	27	3	55	22	23	Worsening	–
Seychelles	11	12	No progress or worsening	0 x	6	23	5	47	24	25	Worsening	–
Sierra Leone	15	14	Some progress	41	7	11	10	32	48	48	No progress	82
Singapore	10	10	No progress or worsening	17	2	22	8	29	12	13	Worsening	–
Slovakia	8	8	No progress or worsening	2	1	23	3	53	22	24	Worsening	–
Slovenia	6	6	No progress or worsening	4 x	1	27	3	55	20	22	Worsening	–
Solomon Islands	– z	– z		14	1	23	2	57	38	38	No progress	88
Somalia	– z	– z		96 x	7	13	9	32	44	43	No progress	7 x
South Africa	14	14	No progress or worsening	12	5	25	3	64	29	31	Worsening	91
South Sudan	– z	– z		–	–	–	–	–	35	36	No progress	60 x
Spain	8	8	Some progress	4	1	34	2	61	12	13	Worsening	–
Sri Lanka	17	16	No progress or worsening	3	15	13	13	29	34	35	No progress	92
State of Palestine	8	8	No progress or worsening	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	No progress	96
Sudan	– z	– z		89	–	–	–	–	37	37	No progress	34
Suriname	15	15	On track	16	4	31	3	65	20	21	Worsening	–
Sweden	4	2	No progress or worsening	5 x	1	24	2	53	12	14	Worsening	–
Switzerland	7	6	Some progress	0	<1	22	4	50	10	11	Worsening	–
Syrian Arab Republic	– z	– z		52 x	6	28	3	62	32	33	No progress	72 y
Tajikistan	6	6	Some progress	9	4	15	5	42	31	35	Worsening	91
Thailand	11	11	No progress or worsening	1	8	22	8	38	22	24	Worsening	84
Timor–Leste	– z	– z		47	11	13	18	20	27	30	Worsening	83
Togo	16	16	No progress or worsening	30	6	10	9	32	47	46	Some progress	81
Tokelau	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Tonga	– z	– z		6 x	<1	58	<1	80	27	29	Worsening	–
Trinidad and Tobago	13	12	No progress or worsening	19 x	6	25	4	57	18	18	No progress	63 x
Tunisia	8	7	No progress or worsening	2	7	25	3	67	30	32	Worsening	–
Turkey	12	11	No progress or worsening	4	5	29	2	70	–	–		85 x
Turkmenistan	5	5	On track	1	3	18	4	50	25	27	Worsening	>99
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–
Tuvalu	– z	– z		3 x	<1	58	1	83	26	28	Worsening	–
Uganda	– z	– z		33	6	10	10	26	31	33	Worsening	91

Countries and areas	Weight at birth			Malnutrition among school-aged children (5–19 years)			Malnutrition among women					Households
	Low birthweight (%)			Unweighed at birth (%)	Thinness (%)	Overweight (%)	Underweight 18+ years (%)	Overweight 18+ years (%)	Anaemia 15–49 years (%)			Households consuming salt with iodine (%)
	Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets **						Baseline	Latest	Progress to 2030 targets**	
	2012	2015		2014–2020*	2016	2016	2016	2016	2012	2019		2014–2020*
Ukraine	5	6	No progress or worsening	3 x	2	21	2	60	14	18	Worsening	36 x
United Arab Emirates	13	13	No progress or worsening	3	5	36	2	68	24	24	No progress	–
United Kingdom	7	7	Some progress	4 x	1	31	2	63	9	11	Worsening	–
United Republic of Tanzania	11	10	No progress or worsening	36	7	12	10	31	40	39	Some progress	76
United States	8	8	No progress or worsening	2	1	42	2	66	10	12	Worsening	–
Uruguay	8	8	No progress or worsening	6 x	2	33	1	63	13	15	Worsening	–
Uzbekistan	5	5	Some progress	4	3	17	4	47	29	25	Some progress	82 x
Vanuatu	11	11	On track	13 x	2	31	2	59	24	29	Worsening	63 x
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	9	9	No progress or worsening	–	2	34	2	63	21	24	Worsening	–
Viet Nam	8	8	Some progress	6	14	10	18	21	17	21	Worsening	61 x
Yemen	– z	– z		92 x	14	20	8	46	62	62	No progress	49 x
Zambia	12	12	No progress or worsening	20	6	13	9	31	31	32	No progress	88 x
Zimbabwe	13	13	No progress or worsening	12	6	15	5	46	30	29	Some progress	84
SUMMARY												
East Asia and Pacific	8	8		5 v	6	23	8	31	18	19		92
Europe and Central Asia	7	7		2	2	26	2	59	18	19		–
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	7	7		2	3	23	2	60	24	25		–
Western Europe	7	7		3	1	30	2	58	12	13		–
Latin America and Caribbean	9	9		7	2	30	3	60	18	17		–
Middle East and North Africa	11	11		23	6	31	3	65	30	30		–
North America	8	8		2	1	41	2	65	10	12		–
South Asia	28	27		37	25	8	23	22	50	49		90
sub-Saharan Africa	14	14		51	7	10	10	33	41	41		82
Eastern and Southern Africa	14	14		47	7	11	9	34	32	33		82
West and Central Africa	15	14		54	9	10	10	32	51	50		83
World	15	15		27 v	11	18	9	40	29	30		89

DEFINITIONS OF THE INDICATORS

Low birthweight: Percentage of infants weighing less than 2,500 grams at birth.

Unweighed at birth: Percentage of births without a birthweight in the data source. Note that estimates from household surveys include live births among women aged 15–49 years in the survey reference period (e.g., last two years) for which a birthweight was not available from an official document (e.g., health card) or could not be recalled by the respondent at the time of interview and may have been recalculated to count

birthweights <250g and >5500g as missing. Estimates from administrative sources (e.g., health management information systems) were calculated using numerator data from the country administrative source and denominator data based on the number of annual births according to the United Nations Population Division World Population Prospects, 2017 edition. These estimates include unweighed births and weighed births not recorded in the system.

Thinness (school age children): Percentage of children aged 5–19

years with body mass index (BMI) < -2 standard deviations of the median according to the WHO growth reference for school-age children and adolescents.

Overweight (school-age children): Percentage of children aged 5–19 years with BMI > 1 standard deviation of the median according to the WHO growth reference for school-age children and adolescents.

Underweight (women 18+): Percentage of women 18+ years of age with a BMI less than 18.5 kg/m².

Overweight (women 18+): Percentage of women 18+ years of age with a BMI greater than or equal to 25 kg/m².

Anaemia (women 15–49 years): Percentage of women aged 15–49 years with a haemoglobin concentration less than 120 g/L for non-pregnant women and lactating women, and less than 110 g/L for pregnant women, adjusted for altitude and smoking.

Households consuming salt with iodine: Percentage of households consuming salt with any iodine (>0 ppm).

MAIN DATA SOURCES

Low birthweight: Modelled estimates from UNICEF and WHO. Last update: May 2019.

Unweighed at birth: Demographic and Health Surveys (DHS), Multiple Indicator Cluster Surveys (MICS), other national household surveys, data from routine reporting systems. Last update: June 2021.

Thinness and overweight (school age children), underweight and overweight (women 18+): NCD Risk Factor Collaboration (NCD-RisC), based on Worldwide trends in body-mass index, underweight, overweight and obesity from 1975 to 2016: a pooled analysis of 2416 population-based measurement studies in 128.9 million children, adolescents, and adults. The Lancet 2017, 390 (10113): 2627–2642. Last update: August 2019.

Anaemia (women 15–49 years): Global Health Observatory, WHO. Last update: April 2021

Iodized salt consumption: DHS, MICS, other national household surveys, and school-based surveys. Last update: August 2021

LEGEND FOR FOOTNOTES

– Data not available.

b Cannot be confirmed whether the reported value includes households without salt or not.

v Aggregated estimates for East Asia and the Pacific and the World include estimates for China from the year 2013, which is outside of the year range 2014–2020.

x Data refer to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading. Such data are not included in the calculation of regional and global averages. Estimates from data years prior to 2000 are not displayed.

y Data differ from the standard definition; if they fall within the noted reference period, such data are included in the calculation of regional and

global averages.

z Country modelled estimates not presented but has been used for regional and global aggregates. For more details please consult <<https://data.unicef.org/topic/nutrition/childnutrition/>>.

***** Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

****** Progress to 2030 targets are shown for all six World Health Assembly Global Nutrition Targets for stunting, wasting, overweight, low birthweight, exclusive breastfeeding and anaemia. Progress was assessed using the 2030 targets proposed as an extension of the 2025 global nutrition targets. For further

information, see: World Health Organization and United Nations Children’s Fund. ‘WHO/ UNICEF discussion paper: The extension of the 2025 maternal, infant and young child nutrition targets to 2030’, WHO and UNICEF, Geneva and New York, 2017, <<https://www.who.int/nutrition/global-target-2025/discussion-paper-extension-targets-2030.pdf>>.

The baseline values for stunting, overweight, low birthweight and anaemia are from modelled estimates from the year 2012. For exclusive breastfeeding, the most recent country data point between 2005 and 2012 is displayed. The latest estimates for stunting, overweight, low birthweight and anaemia refer to the most recent modelled estimates available. For exclusive breastfeeding, the most recent country data point between 2013 and 2020 is displayed.

Nutrition and care for children with wasting

Countries and areas	Treatment of wasting				Footnotes
	Total number of children 6–59 months screened for wasting	Total number of children aged 6–59 months with wasting admitted for treatment	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as recovered	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as defaulted	
	2020	2020	2020	2020	
Afghanistan	12,080,000	308,881	85	11	
Albania	–	–	–	–	
Algeria	–	–	–	–	
Andorra	–	–	–	–	
Angola	23,895	–	–	–	
Anguilla	–	–	–	–	
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–	–	–	
Argentina	–	–	–	–	
Armenia	–	–	–	–	
Australia	–	–	–	–	
Austria	–	–	–	–	
Azerbaijan	–	–	–	–	
Bahamas	–	–	–	–	
Bahrain	–	–	–	–	
Bangladesh	1,422,285	6,570	78	18	
Barbados	–	–	–	–	aa
Belarus	–	–	–	–	
Belgium	–	–	–	–	
Belize	–	–	–	–	
Benin	21,454	22,423	88	11	
Bhutan	–	–	–	–	
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	533,183	–	–	–	
Bosnia and Herzegovina	–	–	–	–	
Botswana	–	–	–	–	
Brazil	4,547	–	–	–	
British Virgin Islands	–	–	–	–	
Brunei Darussalam	–	–	–	–	
Bulgaria	–	3,000	–	–	
Burkina Faso	6,366,820	98,678	91	7	
Burundi	1,329,298	62,148	90	5	
Cabo Verde	–	–	–	–	
Cambodia	108,612	5,842	56	43	
Cameroon	339,200	85,468	91	9	
Canada	–	–	–	–	
Central African Republic	725,286	32,641	94	4	
Chad	106,569	311,509	92	5	
Chile	–	–	–	–	
China	–	–	–	–	
Colombia	1,814,000	–	–	–	
Comoros	243,869	1,702	80	17	
Congo	522,887	10,560	65	30	
Cook Islands	–	–	–	–	
Costa Rica	–	–	–	–	
Côte d'Ivoire	54,247	18,664	83	16	
Croatia	–	–	–	–	
Cuba	105,030	–	–	–	
Cyprus	–	–	–	–	
Czechia	–	–	–	–	
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	–	23,670	99	0	
Democratic Republic of the Congo	792,512	792,512	87	7	
Denmark	–	–	–	–	
Djibouti	31,561	5,600	70	30	
Dominica	–	–	–	–	
Dominican Republic	–	–	–	–	
Ecuador	–	–	–	–	
Egypt	–	–	–	–	
El Salvador	–	–	–	–	aa
Equatorial Guinea	–	–	–	–	
Eritrea	–	–	–	–	aa
Estonia	–	–	–	–	

Countries and areas	Treatment of wasting				Footnotes
	Total number of children 6–59 months screened for wasting	Total number of children aged 6–59 months with wasting admitted for treatment	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as recovered	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as defaulted	
	2020	2020	2020	2020	
Eswatini	167,792	250	85	2	
Ethiopia	5,786,624	482,295	98	2	
Fiji	–	–	–	–	
Finland	–	–	–	–	
France	–	–	–	–	
Gabon	–	–	–	–	
Gambia	19,251	2,778	92	6	
Georgia	–	–	–	–	
Germany	–	–	–	–	
Ghana	–	4,219	76	10	
Greece	–	–	–	–	
Grenada	–	–	–	–	
Guatemala	1,189,046	–	–	–	
Guinea	25,578	70,533	90	6	
Guinea-Bissau	56,782	1,370	86	8	
Guyana	–	–	–	–	
Haiti	465,388	17,943	76	24	
Holy See	–	–	–	–	
Honduras	850,700	–	–	–	
Hungary	–	–	–	–	
Iceland	–	–	–	–	
India	–	–	–	–	aa
Indonesia	6,694,115	47,545	–	–	
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	–	–	–	–	
Iraq	47,475	4,702	75	24	
Ireland	–	–	–	–	
Israel	–	–	–	–	
Italy	–	–	–	–	
Jamaica	–	–	–	–	
Japan	–	–	–	–	
Jordan	40,329	–	–	–	
Kazakhstan	–	–	–	–	
Kenya	64,799	63,443	81	14	
Kiribati	–	–	–	–	
Kuwait	–	–	–	–	
Kyrgyzstan	–	–	–	–	
Lao People's Democratic Republic	147,091	–	–	–	
Latvia	–	–	–	–	
Lebanon	1,105	540	91	8	
Lesotho	3,442	–	–	–	
Liberia	31,298	20,006	83	15	
Libya	–	–	–	–	
Liechtenstein	–	–	–	–	
Lithuania	–	–	–	–	
Luxembourg	–	–	–	–	
Madagascar	3,250,080	47,462	86	9	
Malawi	5,543,225	37,712	93	3	
Malaysia	–	–	–	–	
Maldives	–	–	–	–	
Mali	3,078,326	146,363	95	3	
Malta	–	–	–	–	
Marshall Islands	–	–	–	–	
Mauritania	771,852	27,095	90	9	
Mauritius	–	–	–	–	
Mexico	215,521	1,457	–	–	
Micronesia (Federated States of)	–	–	–	–	
Monaco	–	–	–	–	
Mongolia	30,838	209	80	20	
Montenegro	–	–	–	–	
Montserrat	–	–	–	–	

Countries and areas	Treatment of wasting				Footnotes
	Total number of children 6–59 months screened for wasting	Total number of children aged 6–59 months with wasting admitted for treatment	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as recovered	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as defaulted	
	2020	2020	2020	2020	
Morocco	4,639,513	–	–	–	
Mozambique	2,176,430	53,915	94	6	
Myanmar	–	–	–	–	aa
Namibia	–	–	–	–	aa
Nauru	–	–	–	–	
Nepal	2,539,978	6,650	87	12	
Netherlands	–	–	–	–	
New Zealand	–	–	–	–	
Nicaragua	609,597	–	–	–	
Niger	4,247,627	426,119	91	5	
Nigeria	11,283,670	397,055	91	6	
Niue	–	–	–	–	
North Macedonia	–	–	–	–	
Norway	–	–	–	–	
Oman	–	–	–	–	
Pakistan	6,245,093	254,405	88	8	
Palau	–	–	–	–	
Panama	–	–	–	–	aa
Papua New Guinea	31,174	2,704	–	–	
Paraguay	36,461	9,029	–	–	
Peru	–	–	–	–	
Philippines	9,744	10,790	87	12	
Poland	–	–	–	–	
Portugal	–	–	–	–	
Qatar	–	–	–	–	
Republic of Korea	–	–	–	–	
Republic of Moldova	–	–	–	–	
Romania	–	–	–	–	
Russian Federation	–	–	–	–	
Rwanda	–	–	–	–	aa
Saint Kitts and Nevis	–	–	–	–	
Saint Lucia	–	–	–	–	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–	–	–	
Samoa	–	–	–	–	
San Marino	–	–	–	–	
Sao Tome and Principe	87	165	86	5	
Saudi Arabia	–	–	–	–	
Senegal	1,762,998	27,094	77	20	
Serbia	–	–	–	–	
Seychelles	–	–	–	–	
Sierra Leone	2,169,914	32,069	97	2	
Singapore	–	–	–	–	
Slovakia	–	–	–	–	
Slovenia	–	–	–	–	
Solomon Islands	68,958	217	–	–	
Somalia	4,216,386	251,078	95	2	
South Africa	–	–	–	–	aa
South Sudan	6,725,057	201,055	95	3	
Spain	–	–	–	–	
Sri Lanka	–	–	–	–	aa
State of Palestine	–	–	–	–	
Sudan	5,207,963	255,010	–	–	
Suriname	–	–	–	–	
Sweden	–	–	–	–	
Switzerland	–	–	–	–	
Syrian Arab Republic	1,186,398	8,058	–	–	
Tajikistan	–	3,550	94	1	
Thailand	–	–	–	–	
Timor–Leste	94,988	2,299	87	7	

Countries and areas	Treatment of wasting				Footnotes
	Total number of children 6–59 months screened for wasting	Total number of children aged 6–59 months with wasting admitted for treatment	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as recovered	Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as defaulted	
	2020	2020	2020	2020	
Togo	6,017	6,017	81	15	
Tokelau	–	–	–	–	
Tonga	–	–	–	–	
Trinidad and Tobago	–	–	–	–	
Tunisia	–	–	–	–	
Turkey	–	–	–	–	
Turkmenistan	–	–	–	–	
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–	–	–	
Tuvalu	–	–	–	–	
Uganda	4,650,265	34,888	59	20	
Ukraine	–	–	–	–	
United Arab Emirates	–	–	–	–	
United Kingdom	–	–	–	–	
United Republic of Tanzania	256,200	6,913	73	12	
United States	–	–	–	–	
Uruguay	–	–	–	–	
Uzbekistan	–	–	–	–	
Vanuatu	4,335	–	–	–	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	–	–	–	–	aa
Viet Nam	–	–	–	–	
Yemen	4,484,923	282,900	88	10	
Zambia	493,023	12,981	78	14	
Zimbabwe	3,605,406	20,593	71	17	
SUMMARY					
East Asia and Pacific	8,457,721	125,577	88	11	
Europe and Central Asia	0	6,550	94	1	
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	0	6,550	94	1	
Western Europe	0	0			
Latin America and Caribbean	6,900,938	30,767	76	24	
Middle East and North Africa	10,399,743	296,200	87	10	
North America	0	0			
South Asia	34,520,196	828,280	81	9	
sub-Saharan Africa	78,189,232	4,114,495	91	5	
Eastern and Southern Africa	45,806,857	1,581,157	94	4	
West and Central Africa	32,382,375	2,533,338	90	6	
World	137,881,355	5,401,869	90	6	

DEFINITIONS OF INDICATORS

Number of children screened:

Total number of screenings conducted on children aged 6–59 months for detection of wasting using either mid-upper arm circumference (MUAC) or weight-for-height (WHZ) measurements at community and health facility level.

Total number of children aged 6–59 months with wasting admitted for treatment:

The total number of children aged 6–59 months with severe wasting (defined by either MUAC <115 mm or WHZ <-3) newly admitted to programmes for treatment.

Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as recovered:

Calculated by the number of children aged 6–59 months that recover from severe wasting without medical complications and meet the discharge criteria divided by the total number of children discharged.

Percentage of children aged 6–59 months admitted for treatment and discharged as defaulted:

Calculated by the total number of children aged 6–59 months with severe wasting who were discharged as defaulted divided by the total number of children aged 6–59 months discharged.

MAIN DATA SOURCE

NutriDash Programme Coverage Estimates 2020

LEGEND FOR FOOTNOTES IN TABLE

– Data not available.

aa Identifies countries that have not given permission for estimates to be shared externally, as such, results from these countries are not presented in the individual country lines in this table, but are included in the global and regional estimates.

Edition specific data tables on young children's diets



Trends and inequities in young children's diets

Countries and areas	Percentage of infants aged 6–8 months who received solid, semi-solid or soft foods during the previous day			Percentage of children aged 12–23 months who were fed breastmilk during the previous day					Percentage of children aged 6–23 months fed with a minimum meal frequency (MMF) during the previous day					Percentage of children aged 6–23 months fed foods from a minimum number of food groups (Minimum dietary diversity or MDD) during the previous day				
	Baseline	Latest	Trend category	Trends			Equity		Trends			Equity		Trends			Equity	
				All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%	All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%	All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%
	2005–2013	2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Afghanistan	–	61		–	74		80	70	–	49		51	45	–	22		18	35
Albania	77	89	no change	45	43	no change	38	37	–	45		38	49	63	52	no change	46	48
Algeria	77	88	increased	36	37	no change	36	43	40	46	increased	42	52	–	39		31	52
Andorra	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Angola	–	79		–	67		74	53	–	31		28	46	–	29		19	45
Anguilla	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Argentina	–	97 x		–	39 x		49 x	33 x	–	64 x		53 x	71 x	–	–		–	–
Armenia	75	90	no change	29	29	no change	32	24	60	62	no change	58	66	49	36	deceased	32	42
Australia	–	–		–	20		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Austria	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Azerbaijan	–	77 x		–	26 x		24 x	15 x	–	–		–	–	–	35 x		29 x	41 x
Bahamas	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Bahrain	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Bangladesh	60	75	increased	92	90	deceased	91	86	37	65	increased	61	71	24	34	increased	22	48
Barbados	–	90 x		–	41 x		– xp	– xp	–	58 x		49 x	xp	–	–		–	–
Belarus	95	96	no change	17	17	no change	26 x	19 x	68	93	increased	97	92	–	70		67	71
Belgium	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Belize	69	79	no change	46	47	no change	59	37	–	64 x		57 x	73 x	–	58		50	70
Benin	59	56	no change	68	69	no change	77	52	40	44	no change	42	47	29	26	no change	23	26
Bhutan	72	93	increased	80	77	no change	91	– p	–	63 x		60 x	66 x	–	16		5	39
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	81	83	no change	63	61	no change	74 rx	53 rx	–	–		–	–	64	70	increased	46 rx	78 rx
Bosnia and Herzegovina	–	76 x		–	12 x		16 x	10 x	–	71 x		66 x	67 x	–	–		–	–
Botswana	–	73		–	15		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Brazil	–	94 x		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
British Virgin Islands	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Brunei Darussalam	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Bulgaria	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Burkina Faso	59	61	no change	90	92	no change	93 rx	77 rx	37	65	increased	36 rx	41 rx	5	36	increased	4 rx	13 rx
Burundi	71	80	no change	89	89	no change	92	84	32	39	increased	34	58	17	18	no change	9	39
Cabo Verde	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Cambodia	87	82	no change	66	58	deceased	65	39	74	72	no change	65	81	30	40	increased	28	56
Cameroon	78	76	no change	53	43	deceased	65	12	–	44		41	52	25	20	deceased	9	28
Canada	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Central African Republic	94	77	deceased	66	73	increased	74 r	52 r	20	26	increased	15 rx	26 rx	–	27 x		14 x	45 x
Chad	64	71	no change	76	73	no change	73	64	29	34	increased	31	34	–	23		17	30
Chile	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
China	60	83 x	increased	–	–		–	–	–	63 x		53 x	70 x	–	37 x		22	51

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				2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Colombia	84	90	no change	45	42	no change	49	36	81	60	decreased	46	67	63	69	increased	48	74
Comoros	–	80 x		–	65 x		68 x	69 x	–	28 x		21 x	32 x	–	22 x		19 x	23 x
Congo	90	84	no change	43	32	decreased	54	20	–	29		19	39	19	14	deceased	13	16
Cook Islands	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Costa Rica	90	99	increased	40	46	no change	47	40	–	76 x		67 x	84 x	–	76		75	63
Côte d'Ivoire	64	65	no change	65	63	no change	76	36	39	48	increased	41	51	8	23	increased	20	35
Croatia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Cuba	85	94	no change	22	25	no change	25	35	70	76	no change	–	–	–	58		69	50
Cyprus	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Czechia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	66	78	increased	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	47		–	–
Democratic Republic of the Congo	79	82	no change	82	70	decreased	79	50	35	34	no change	34	34	17	15	no change	12	24
Denmark	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Djibouti	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Dominica	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Dominican Republic	82	81	no change	25	20	no change	27	14	74	77	no change	68	82	48	51	no change	45	61
Ecuador	74	63	no change	–	53		–	–	–	48		–	–	–	53		–	–
Egypt	69	75	no change	57	50	decreased	58	43	–	56		55	63	47	35	deceased	37	36
El Salvador	–	90		–	67		71	57	–	87		82	93	–	73		66	82
Equatorial Guinea	–	–		–	31 x		47 rx	34 rx	–	39 x		21 x	58 x	–	–		–	–
Eritrea	–	44 x		–	86 x		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Estonia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Eswatini	90	90	no change	33	28	no change	29	19	55	81	increased	76	91	42	48	no change	36	58
Ethiopia	49	69	increased	90	81	decreased	69	77	48	55	no change	36	70	4	13	increased	6	20
Fiji	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Finland	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
France	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Gabon	–	82 x		–	23 x		34 x	19 x	–	–		–	–	–	18 x		12 x	22 x
Gambia	55	76	increased	78	74	no change	76	68	57	51	no change	49	55	10	23	increased	17	27
Georgia	85	90	no change	30	25	no change	29	20	–	65		61	72	–	53		43	58
Germany	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Ghana	79	79	no change	69	66	no change	79	58	57	41	decreased	33	51	36	26	deceased	19	48
Greece	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Grenada	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Guatemala	–	80		63	72	no change	85	48	–	82		79	88	–	59		47	72
Guinea	43	52	no change	87	78	decreased	84	57	30	22	decreased	18	30	6	14	increased	7	24
Guinea-Bissau	38	64	increased	84	75	decreased	80	55	22	35	increased	32	35	–	8		5	16
Guyana	81	81	no change	59	46	decreased	64	25	–	61		52	77	48	52	no change	49	65
Haiti	87	91	no change	59	52	no change	59	43	44	39	no change	27	70	23	19	no change	12	34
Holy See	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Honduras	–	86 x		–	59 x		76 x	42 x	–	85 x		84 x	86 x	–	61 x		49 x	70 x
Hungary	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–

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Iceland	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–			
India	55	53	no change	82	80	decreased	88	69		–	39		31 r	41 r		13	16	increased	7	25
Indonesia	91	86	no change	67	67	no change	74	56		65	71	increased	66	80		53	54	no change	39	69
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	–	76 x		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Iraq	70	85	increased	38	35	no change	47	32		46	74	increased	65	83		–	45		42	49
Ireland	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Israel	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Italy	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Jamaica	–	64 x		–	38 x		39 x	29 x		–	37 x		29 x	47 x		–	–		–	–
Japan	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Jordan	92	83	decreased	28	26	no change	28	33		78	52	decreased	43	60		39	35	no change	30	40
Kazakhstan	70	66	no change	36	41	no change	40	45		49	73	increased	69	72		–	49		40	55
Kenya	85	80	no change	72	75	no change	79	69		–	50		42	62		–	36		18	58
Kiribati	70	90	increased	85	61	decreased	70	53		–	74		70	79		27	9	decreased	5	13
Kuwait	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Kyrgyzstan	62	91	increased	56	47	no change	53	36		41	75	increased	65	85		37	60	increased	52	66
Lao People's Democratic Republic	59	87	increased	57	43	decreased	66	19		39	69	increased	60	84		–	36		23	59
Latvia	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Lebanon	–	–		–	14 x		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Lesotho	78	91	no change	59	34	decreased	55	14		66	68	no change	68	73		11	17	increased	11	29
Liberia	47	45	no change	69	68	no change	73	52		30	22	decreased	15	39		10	9	no change	4	16
Libya	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Liechtenstein	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Lithuania	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Luxembourg	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Madagascar	90	89	no change	79	77	no change	75	77		–	79		72	85		22	25	no change	9	56
Malawi	88	85	no change	87	84	decreased	87	78		54	29	decreased	24	35		27	23	decreased	14	42
Malaysia	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Maldives	91	97	no change	73	73	no change	79	– p		–	68		61	73		48	71	increased	63	71
Mali	47	59	increased	72	79	increased	82 r	73 r		33	29	no change	25	36		23	22	no change	17 r	42 r
Malta	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Marshall Islands	–	64		58	36	decreased	25	– p		–	50		34	52		–	34		25	47
Mauritania	61	74	increased	66	70	no change	75	61		18	37	increased	35	41		–	28		14	45
Mauritius	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Mexico	95	89	no change	–	35		52 r	16 r		–	79		69	86		–	59		58	68
Micronesia (Federated States of)	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Monaco	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Mongolia	95	88	no change	66	64	no change	65	51		69	66	no change	55	73		43	45	no change	13 r	63 r
Montenegro	95	87	no change	15	25	no change	55	20		87	76	no change	67	76		69	66	no change	60	82
Montserrat	–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Morocco	–	84 x		–	35 x		45 x	19 x		–	–		–	–		–	–		–	–
Mozambique	–	95 x		–	75 x		80 x	53 x		–	41 x		43 x	51 x		–	28 x		31 x	29 x
Myanmar	–	75		–	78		84	66		–	57		54	60		–	21		16	35

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Namibia	–	80 x		–	47 x		55 x	27 x	–	38 x		25 x	57 x	–	25 x		9 x	53 x
Nauru	–	–		–	67 x		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Nepal	66	86	increased	94	91	no change	94	84	78	69	decreased	67	70	27	40	increased	35	54
Netherlands	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
New Zealand	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Nicaragua	–	89 x		–	52 x		64 x	28 x	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Niger	62	80	increased	78	74	no change	85 rx	71 rx	51	71	increased	45 rx	51 rx	8	17	increased	4 rx	22 rx
Nigeria	67	74	no change	64	61	no change	82	32	58	41	decreased	42	45	16	23	increased	16	37
Niue	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
North Macedonia	87	96	no change	27	30	no change	37	33	54	80	increased	72	72	–	54		36	72
Norway	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Oman	–	95		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Pakistan	66	65	no change	70	63	decreased	67	60	62	61	no change	47	69	18	15	no change	7	25
Palau	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Panama	78	83	no change	–	41 x		57 x	18 x	–	60 x		48 x	76 x	–	–		–	–
Papua New Guinea	–	79		–	79		79	64	–	44		39	50	–	32		27	46
Paraguay	–	87		–	33		41	43	–	71		62	72	–	52		41	65
Peru	85	94	increased	66	68	no change	71	62	–	–		–	–	78	84	increased	74	89
Philippines	–	89 x		51	60	increased	68	49	–	–		–	–	–	54 x		43 x	62 x
Poland	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Portugal	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Qatar	–	74 x		–	47 x		–	–	–	40 x		–	–	–	–		–	–
Republic of Korea	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Republic of Moldova	–	75 x		–	27 x		44 x	22 x	–	46 x		43 x	52 x	–	70 x		63 x	81 x
Romania	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Russian Federation	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Rwanda	62	82	increased	90	90	no change	91 r	79 r	51	47	no change	37	58	25	30	increased	11	55
Saint Kitts and Nevis	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Saint Lucia	–	– xp		–	29 x		– xp	– xp	–	43 x		– xp	– xp	–	–		–	–
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Samoa	–	74		71	73	no change	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
San Marino	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Sao Tome and Principe	73	80	no change	51	46	no change	51	39	–	58		53	68	46	32	decreased	26	48
Saudi Arabia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Senegal	65	64	no change	78	72	no change	78	57	35	37	no change	36	49	16	19	no change	13	26
Serbia	96	96	no change	16	16	no change	28	18	83	95	increased	98	96	–	86		78	93
Seychelles	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Sierra Leone	63	69	no change	73	65	decreased	67	51	39	32	decreased	28	48	13	25	increased	20	28
Singapore	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Slovakia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Slovenia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Solomon Islands	–	–		75	71	no change	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–

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Somalia	17	41	increased	43	45	no change	61 rx	23 rx	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	
South Africa	–	83		–	34		47	25	–	43	33	60	–	40		38	51	
South Sudan	–	42 x		–	62 x		67 x	58 x	–	10 x	7 x	16 x	–	–		–	–	
Spain	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Sri Lanka	–	94		88	90	no change	90	81	–	–	–	–	–	78		66	88	
State of Palestine	78	90	increased	31	29	no change	29	28	56	71	increased	63	72	–	45	28	54	
Sudan	64	61	no change	70	73	no change	72	74	29	41	increased	33	48	–	24	9	51	
Suriname	79	81	no change	17	23	no change	27	21	55	52	no change	41	49	–	28	16	33	
Sweden	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Switzerland	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Syrian Arab Republic	44	75	increased	–	45 x		57 x	42 x	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Tajikistan	49	63	increased	65	57	decreased	63	53	41	36	no change	34	37	35	23	deceased	19	29
Thailand	87	92	no change	26	19	decreased	27	16	62	86	increased	88	83	–	69	65	74	
Timor-Leste	97	73	decreased	56	49	decreased	61 r	44 r	–	56	41 r	52 r	23	40	increased	17 r	45 r	
Togo	72	76	no change	82	80	no change	90	72	34	61	increased	57	68	–	19	14	27	
Tokelau	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Tonga	–	91		41	35	no change	47	16	–	49		30	61	–	53	44	55	
Trinidad and Tobago	–	56 x		–	34 x		45 x	– xp	–	61 x		57 x	69 x	–	–	–	–	
Tunisia	84	97	increased	34	30	no change	39	28	33	85	increased	81	88	–	63	53	76	
Turkey	79	85	no change	50	53	no change	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Turkmenistan	59	91	increased	52	45	no change	49	38	–	97		96	96	–	69	76	65	
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Tuvalu	–	–		–	53 x		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Uganda	75	81	no change	69	67	no change	77	53	44	41	no change	36	48	25	26	no change	20	34
Ukraine	–	75 x		–	31 x		31 x	30 x	–	55 x		59 x	52 x	–	–	–	–	
United Arab Emirates	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
United Kingdom	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
United Republic of Tanzania	93	87	no change	77	72	no change	75	70	–	39		42	39	26	21	deceased	13	40
United States	–	–		9	12	no change	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Uruguay	–	92		–	45		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	70	–	–	
Uzbekistan	47	57	no change	57	63	no change	63	56	–	24		22	27	–	23	12	35	
Vanuatu	–	72 x		–	58 x		69 rx	40 rx	–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–	
Viet Nam	79	91	no change	46	43	no change	55	29	55	91	increased	80	96	–	59	35	68	
Yemen	–	69 x		–	63 x		73 x	56 x	–	57 x		49 x	66 x	–	21 x	12 x	38 x	
Zambia	82	94	increased	72	63	decreased	74	51	42	41	no change	32	53	18	23	increased	11	45

Countries and areas	Percentage of infants aged 6–8 months who received solid, semi-solid or soft foods during the previous day			Percentage of children aged 12–23 months who were fed breastmilk during the previous day					Percentage of children aged 6–23 months fed with a minimum meal frequency (MMF) during the previous day					Percentage of children aged 6–23 months fed foods from a minimum number of food groups (Minimum dietary diversity or MDD) during the previous day				
	Baseline	Latest	Trend category	Trends			Equity		All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Equity		All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Equity	
				All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%				Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%				Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%
	2005–2013	2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Zimbabwe	86	90	no change	62	50	decreased	61	33	44	68	increased	58	78	18	17	no change	7	35
SUMMARY																		
East Asia and Pacific	68	84 v		57 q	57 q		68 q	48 q	63 q	77 q		58 v	74 v	–	–		27 v	55 v
Europe and Central Asia	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	69	76		48	50		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Western Europe	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Latin America and Caribbean	88 q	88 q		–	–		55 q	31 q	–	–		63 q	81 q	–	–		55 q	70 q
Middle East and North Africa	69	81		46	42		49	39	–	–		55	66	–	–		37	44
North America	–	–		9	12		–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
South Asia	58	58		82	78		84	69	–	–		38	49	15	18		10	29
sub-Saharan Africa	69	75		73	69		76	53	45	43		38	50	17	21		15	36
Eastern and Southern Africa	71	77		77	73		72	65	44	47		38	57	17	20		14	40
West and Central Africa	68	73		70	66		79	43	46	41		37	43	17	21		15	33
World	66	72 v		69	66		75	56	51 u	54 u		45 v	57 v	21	24		19 v	40 v

DEFINITIONS FOR THE CATEGORIES

Latest estimate refers to the most recent estimate from 2000 onwards available in the UNICEF global database. Regional aggregates are based on the most recent data point for countries with an estimate available between 2014 and 2020 only. Trends were presented if a baseline point between 2005 and 2013 was available in addition to a recent estimate between 2014 and 2020.

Baseline is presented if the latest estimate was between 2014 and 2020 and if a point between 2005 and 2013 was also available; otherwise, the cell is left blank. Regional aggregates for the baseline period are based on the most recent data point for countries with an estimate between 2005 and 2013.

Trend category based on the standard error in the majority of countries. Where the standard error was not available:

Increased: ≥10 percentage point increase
no change: <10 percentage point change
Decreased: ≥10 percentage point decrease

LEGEND FOR FOOTNOTES IN THE TABLE

– Data not available.

p Based on small denominators (typically 25–49 unweighted cases). No data based on fewer than 25 unweighted cases are displayed.

q Regional estimates for East Asia and the Pacific exclude China; regional estimates for Latin America and the Caribbean exclude Brazil; and regional estimates for Eastern Europe and Central Asia exclude the Russian Federation.

r Disaggregated data are from different sources than the data presented for all children for the same indicator.

u Global estimates exclude Brazil, China, India and the Russian Federation.

v Aggregated estimates for East Asia and the Pacific and the World include estimates for China from the year 2013, which is outside of the year range 2014–2020.

x Data refer to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading. Such data are not included in the calculation of regional and global averages. Estimates from data years prior to 2000 are not displayed.

***** Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

Trends and inequities in young children's food group consumption

Countries and areas	Percentage of children aged 6–23 months who were fed the following food groups during the previous day									Percentage of children aged 6–23 months who consumed egg and/or flesh foods (fish, poultry, meat) during the previous day					Percentage of children aged 6–23 months who consumed any vegetables or fruits during the previous day				
	Breastmilk (%)	Grains, roots, tubers (%)	Legumes and nuts (%)	Dairy (%)	Eggs (%)	Flesh foods (fish, poultry, meat) (%)	Vitamin A rich fruits and vegetables (%)	Other fruits and vegetables (%)	Footnotes	Trends			Equity		Trends			Equity	
										All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%	All children (Baseline)	All children (Latest)	Trend category	Poorest 20%	Wealthiest 20%
										2014–2020*									2005–2013
Afghanistan	79	76	19	59	22	16	36	16		–	30		26	38	–	41		34	50
Albania	56	73	36	81	52	46	55	56		77	68	no change	67	59	76	74	no change	60	78
Algeria	43	86	13	88	35	32	61	45		–	53		47	62	–	74		69	83
Andorra	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Angola	75	72	22	28	14	60	58	31		–	61		51	62	–	64		68	68
Anguilla	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Argentina	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Armenia	44	95	5	76	21	46	46	69		68	52	decreased	54	53	75	78	no change	81	86
Australia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Austria	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Azerbaijan	35	90	8	76	45	47	27	54	x	–	66 x		59 x	74 x	–	62 x		53 x	80 x
Bahamas	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Bahrain	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Bangladesh	92	88	19	33	38	42	42	31		54	60	increased	53	68	45	55	increased	48	61
Barbados	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Belarus	24	99	11	93	39	91	94	51		–	93		94	92	–	97		92	98
Belgium	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Belize	57	87	52	79	41	62	39	57		–	73		70	74	–	70		59	87
Benin	79	54	26	31	22	48	36	27		39	52	increased	41	61	47	46	no change	42	49
Bhutan	83	84	13	25	13	19	31	17		–	25		25	40	–	39		41	56
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	71	92	17	81	39	81	73	60		81	86	increased	67 rx	92 rx	80	84	no change	64 rx	92 rx
Bosnia and Herzegovina	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Botswana	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Brazil	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
British Virgin Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Brunei Darussalam	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Bulgaria	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Burkina Faso	94	88	38	14	1	28	50	67		23	29	increased	17 rx	41 rx	25	74	increased	25 rx	34 rx
Burundi	92	71	56	7	4	23	90	8		29	25	no change	14	42	81	91	increased	89	93
Cabo Verde	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Cambodia	69	91	8	33	39	77	59	30		81	82	no change	78	84	63	65	no change	59	71
Cameroon	59	85	12	22	14	51	57	36		61	55	decreased	38	68	60	68	increased	65	66
Canada	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Central African Republic	76	86	46	16	6	37	74	29	x	–	38 x		19 x	70 x	–	78 x		82 x	74 x
Chad	81	55	22	38	16	41	44	23		–	46		37	55	–	52		46	59
Chile	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
China	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	70 x		61 x	77 x	–	71 x		68 x	79 x

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										2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Colombia	54	94	25	84	48	69	59	74		83	81	no change	73	82	75	85	increased	59	90
Comoros	73	81	10	37	21	53	43	16	x	–	60 x		59 x	55 x	–	48 x		43 x	56 x
Congo	54	78	11	58	6	46	46	10		65	48	decreased	57	44	61	49	decreased	65	40
Cook Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Costa Rica	50	96	71	82	50	68	67	73		–	81		84	76	–	90		84	95
Côte d'Ivoire	74	83	12	26	12	60	52	20		57	62	no change	56	67	25	56	increased	59	58
Croatia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Cuba	35	87	49	86	20	78	68	45		–	83		86	78	–	78		83	77
Cyprus	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Czechia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Democratic Republic of the Congo	79	63	15	13	7	45	68	22		52	47	no change	39	60	71	72	no change	78	61
Denmark	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Djibouti	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Dominica	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Dominican Republic	29	90	61	88	39	57	59	21		66	69	no change	59	77	62	65	no change	60	74
Ecuador	64	76	28	38	48	63	61	56		–	72		–	–	–	73		–	–
Egypt	65	78	24	69	31	36	31	43		66	53	decreased	52	56	54	55	no change	53	60
El Salvador	73	93	66	86	52	39	64	62		–	68		67	71	–	84		80	93
Equatorial Guinea	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Eritrea	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Estonia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Eswatini	40	97	29	63	29	59	55	62		62	69	no change	59	73	73	79	no change	74	83
Ethiopia	85	71	25	35	18	9	27	11		13	24	increased	12	35	18	31	increased	13	43
Fiji	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Finland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
France	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Gabon	41	78	7	71	17	51	38	17	x	–	57 x		53 x	54 x	–	48 x		52 x	47 x
Gambia	82	88	15	35	13	47	31	22		42	52	increased	49	54	24	43	increased	34	48
Georgia	36	92	19	82	24	53	67	80		–	61		54	61	–	91		90	92
Germany	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Ghana	77	84	16	21	20	44	47	30		64	52	decreased	41	67	66	57	decreased	56	67
Greece	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Grenada	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Guatemala	79	93	64	44	51	41	54	49		–	67		56	76	–	73		65	83
Guinea	82	67	3	25	19	24	36	10		22	32	increased	23	50	18	37	increased	40	36
Guinea-Bissau	82	77	10	17	4	34	25	12		–	35		35	42	–	31		25	41
Guyana	52	83	21	80	32	50	70	61		70	65	no change	63	64	70	83	increased	74	88
Haiti	66	86	48	33	9	31	40	13		38	36	no change	25	52	61	45	decreased	42	61

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										2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Holy See	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Honduras	66	91	57	76	58	50	40	45	x	–	76 x	–	71 x	80 x	–	64 x	–	53 x	78 x
Hungary	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iceland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
India	84	70	14	51	15	10	40	24	–	11	15	increased	15 r	18 r	41	45	increased	42 r	50 r
Indonesia	71	94	31	49	51	57	79	27	–	67	71	increased	64	80	79	82	increased	75	90
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Iraq	44	88	24	79	53	37	35	68	–	–	65	–	57	67	–	75	–	69	82
Ireland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Israel	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Italy	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jamaica	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Japan	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Jordan	37	79	16	92	46	38	34	46	–	60	60	no change	58	69	70	59	decreased	54	68
Kazakhstan	55	89	4	86	20	66	42	68	–	–	71	–	70	69	–	79	–	76	80
Kenya	83	86	27	57	18	23	66	35	–	–	33	–	24	43	–	71	–	48	88
Kiribati	66	78	1	34	9	55	44	8	–	70	58	decreased	64	52	66	49	decreased	44	64
Kuwait	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Kyrgyzstan	62	94	12	61	31	71	60	79	–	61	77	increased	74	79	53	86	increased	75	90
Lao People's Democratic Republic	56	78	8	40	38	73	52	42	–	–	79	–	68	88	–	64	–	58	77
Latvia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lebanon	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lesotho	48	88	26	40	20	25	49	30	–	52	39	decreased	28	55	68	65	no change	56	62
Liberia	78	71	7	15	8	47	40	11	–	45	50	no change	51	35	61	44	decreased	44	38
Libya	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Liechtenstein	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Lithuania	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Luxembourg	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Madagascar	83	92	16	18	6	45	65	32	–	43	47	no change	30	73	67	74	increased	66	82
Malawi	87	69	26	12	12	31	74	29	–	45	38	decreased	26	54	70	77	increased	75	78
Malaysia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Maldives	78	91	38	90	37	66	76	59	–	57	72	increased	72	68	69	85	increased	77	93
Mali	86	74	13	28	4	46	31	45	–	50	47	no change	42 r	72 r	41	56	increased	46 r	57 r
Malta	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Marshall Islands	49	82	9	49	31	65	39	41	–	–	65	–	62	73	–	54	–	55	72
Mauritania	77	78	14	74	8	45	46	18	–	–	47	–	38	55	–	49	–	21	75
Mauritius	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mexico	43	90	44	84	35	58	49	71	–	–	68	–	63	76	–	82	–	76	92
Micronesia (Federated States of)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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										2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Monaco	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mongolia	73	88	5	82	15	87	48	18	–	90	88	no change	87	88	60	55	no change	22	79
Montenegro	31	94	20	88	47	66	76	60	–	77	78	no change	61	89	91	89	no change	71	97
Montserrat	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Morocco	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Mozambique	82	86	28	13	18	42	60	33	x	–	45 x	–	49 x	47 x	–	64 x	–	66 x	65 x
Myanmar	85	71	23	20	31	44	39	16	–	–	59	–	51	70	–	44	–	38	59
Namibia	59	65	11	36	22	61	39	28	x	–	64 x	–	57 x	76 x	–	48 x	–	33 x	76 x
Nauru	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nepal	93	88	43	52	24	23	45	37	–	24	40	increased	34	55	45	62	increased	59	70
Netherlands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
New Zealand	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Nicaragua	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Niger	81	93	52	26	4	16	55	6	–	17	17	no change	11 rx	35 rx	33	57	increased	21 rx	47 rx
Nigeria	73	84	36	30	17	36	42	17	–	35	41	increased	19	70	40	47	increased	47	55
Niue	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
North Macedonia	34	89	22	86	36	48	62	78	–	–	63	–	49	81	–	87	–	75	94
Norway	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Oman	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Pakistan	68	78	8	58	31	13	19	28	–	35	38	no change	23	53	44	39	no change	31	46
Palau	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Panama	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Papua New Guinea	83	72	25	15	25	31	84	41	–	–	41	–	29	64	–	87	–	87	90
Paraguay	46	91	9	85	16	70	60	69	–	–	74	–	73	70	–	84	–	72	92
Peru	76	95	46	66	55	83	77	83	–	86	92	increased	87	93	89	94	increased	89	97
Philippines	52	93	16	65	37	67	67	52	x	–	75 x	–	71 x	75 x	–	78 x	–	77 x	82 x
Poland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Portugal	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Qatar	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Republic of Korea	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Republic of Moldova	39	94	21	85	48	63	84	69	x	–	76 x	–	68 x	88 x	–	90 x	–	90 x	92 x
Romania	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Russian Federation	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Rwanda	90	87	71	22	4	16	73	23	–	20	17	no change	4	35	73	78	increased	67	87
Saint Kitts and Nevis	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saint Lucia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
Samoa	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
San Marino	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–

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										2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Sao Tome and Principe	60	76	13	47	17	61	63	35		79	67	decreased	67	73	74	68	no change	56	79
Saudi Arabia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Senegal	81	81	9	38	9	44	45	8		45	46	no change	39	48	45	48	no change	39	50
Serbia	26	96	20	91	44	89	80	92		–	91		86	92	–	98		94	100
Seychelles	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Sierra Leone	75	81	19	34	17	48	45	22		32	53	increased	54	50	40	48	increased	46	49
Singapore	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Slovakia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Slovenia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Solomon Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Somalia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
South Africa	42	88	14	76	43	47	52	43		–	61		60	67	–	63		53	76
South Sudan	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Spain	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Sri Lanka	92	96	67	64	30	68	85	47		–	77		72	82	–	89		80	95
State of Palestine	43	91	21	83	44	46	43	55		–	65		52	69	–	72		55	82
Sudan	81	70	34	64	13	34	23	18		–	39		23	60	–	33		21	57
Suriname	32	87	14	78	17	40	57	44		–	45		39	42	–	71		60	78
Sweden	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Switzerland	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Syrian Arab Republic	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Tajikistan	68	82	8	64	27	23	22	32		43	38	no change	30	39	51	42	decreased	33	54
Thailand	29	89	11	85	76	79	77	55		–	90		89	92	–	86		82	89
Timor-Leste	60	84	34	28	39	31	60	48		48	50	no change	35 r	59 r	66	66	no change	63 r	73 r
Togo	86	86	18	13	11	57	49	8		–	61		58	66	–	52		56	53
Tokelau	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Tonga	43	88	6	58	27	74	86	59		–	76		73	70	–	90		84	95
Trinidad and Tobago	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Tunisia	40	93	38	93	43	67	67	50		–	77		71	85	–	80		70	90
Turkey	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Turkmenistan	61	96	28	87	45	48	71	78		–	67		70	65	–	88		92	90
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Tuvalu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Uganda	78	88	51	30	14	35	51	21		35	41	increased	37	53	54	56	no change	62	51
Ukraine	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
United Arab Emirates	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
United Kingdom	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
United Republic of Tanzania	81	90	37	23	7	32	66	20		38	36	no change	24	61	72	71	no change	66	79
United States	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–

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										2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*		2005–2013	2014–2020*		2014–2020*	
Uruguay	55	91	27	87	33	63	71	82		–	74		–	–	–	94		–	–
Uzbekistan	71	80	8	48	17	37	50	19		–	44		29	57	–	58		54	67
Vanuatu	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Viet Nam	56	94	14	79	32	86	84	28		–	90		80	94	–	86		71	95
Yemen	70	84	21	77	14	27	28	12	x	–	35 x		24 x	48 x	–	34 x		22 x	58 x
Zambia	74	86	23	12	24	41	64	27		49	54	increased	39	76	65	71	increased	63	78
Zimbabwe	66	93	23	18	12	33	62	24		39	40	no change	24	60	61	72	increased	73	70
SUMMARY																			
East Asia and Pacific	66 q	90 q	23 q	53 q	46 q	64 q	74 q	29 q		–	–		64 v	79 v	–	–		69 v	82 v
Europe and Central Asia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Western Europe	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
Latin America and Caribbean	55	91	42	74	40	61	57	64		–	–		66 q	78 q	–	–		72 q	89 q
Middle East and North Africa	53	83	22	77	38	37	40	49		–	–		53	61	–	–		61	71
North America	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–	–		–	–
South Asia	82	74	14	51	20	14	37	26		19	23		20	30	42	45		41	51
sub-Saharan Africa	77	79	28	30	14	35	50	22		37	40		30	59	48	56		52	61
Eastern and Southern Africa	79	81	31	36	16	30	51	23		30	34		28	53	51	57		48	66
West and Central Africa	76	78	25	26	13	40	49	22		42	43		32	65	47	56		54	57
World	75	79	22	47	22	32	47	29		32	36		38 v	55 v	48	53		54 v	65 v

DEFINITIONS FOR THE CATEGORIES

Latest estimate refers to the most recent estimate from 2000 onwards available in the UNICEF global database. Regional aggregates are based on the most recent data point for countries with an estimate available between 2014 and 2020 only. Trends were presented if a baseline point between 2005 and 2013 was available in addition to a recent estimate between 2014 and 2020.

Baseline is presented if the latest estimate was between 2014 and 2020 and if a point between 2005 and 2013 was also available; otherwise, the cell is left blank. Regional aggregates for the baseline period are based on the most recent data point for countries with an estimate between 2005 and 2013.

Trend category based on the standard error in the majority of countries. Where the standard error was not available:

Increased: ≥10 percentage point increase
No change: <10 percentage point change
Decreased: ≥10 percentage point decrease

LEGEND FOR FOOTNOTES IN THE TABLE

– Data not available.

q Regional estimates for East Asia and Pacific exclude China, Latin America and the Caribbean exclude Brazil, Eastern Europe and Central Asia exclude the Russian Federation.

r Disaggregated data are from different sources than the data presented for all children for the same indicator.

v Aggregated estimates for East Asia and Pacific and the World include estimates for China from the year 2013, which is outside of the year range 2014–2020.

x Data refer to years or periods other than those specified in the column heading. Such data are not included in the calculation of regional and global averages. Estimates from data years prior to 2000 are not displayed.

* Data refer to the most recent year available during the period specified in the column heading.

Policy and program level data

Countries and areas	Countries with a policy, strategy or plan of action to promote and support improvements in the quality of young children's diets during the complementary feeding period	Countries implementing programmes to improve availability, access, affordability and use of diverse, local nutritious foods at household level	Countries implementing counselling and nutrition education programmes to promote a diverse diet for young children	Countries with social protection policies, strategies and programmes that include nutrition components ¹	Footnotes	Countries implementing social protection programmes that are specifically aimed to improve nutrition	Countries where health sector policies, strategies and plans include child nutrition components ¹	Countries where health sector policies, strategies and plans integrate strengthening the capacity of health workers to deliver essential nutrition services	Countries where health sector policies, strategies and plans integrate procurement and delivery of nutrition supplies and equipment in healthcare supply chain systems	Countries with a national policy, strategy, or plan on wash that includes nutrition components ¹	Footnotes	Countries with joint programming of nutrition and wash to promote access to and use of complementary foods, safe drinking water and a clean household environment for young children	
	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	
Afghanistan	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	No
Albania	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		No
Algeria	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Andorra	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Angola	Yes	Yes	Yes	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Anguilla	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Antigua and Barbuda	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Argentina	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, other specific health strategies		Yes	No	No		No
Armenia	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		No
Australia	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Austria	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Azerbaijan	No	No	No	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Bahamas	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Bahrain	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Bangladesh	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		No
Barbados	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Belarus	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Belgium	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Belize	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Benin	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	ab	No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		Yes
Bhutan	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		No
Bolivia (Plurinational State of)	Yes	No	Yes	No, but under development		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		No, but under development	No, but under development	No		No
Bosnia and Herzegovina	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, other specific health strategies	ab	Yes	No	Yes	ab	No
Botswana	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Brazil	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		No
British Virgin Islands	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–

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	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020		2020	2020	2020		2020
Brunei Darussalam	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Bulgaria	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		Yes	No		–	–	Yes	ab	No
Burkina Faso	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Burundi	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No, but under development	Yes	ab	Yes
Cabo Verde	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	–		–	–	No		No
Cambodia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Cameroon	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No, but under development		No
Canada	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Central African Republic	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		No, but was proposed
Chad	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Chile	–	–	–	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		No
China	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		Yes
Colombia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No, but under development	No, but under development		No, but was proposed
Comoros	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Congo	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		No	No	No		No
Cook Islands	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Costa Rica	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Côte d'Ivoire	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		No
Croatia	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		No	No	No		No
Cuba	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	Yes	ab	Yes
Cyprus	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Czechia	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, other specific health strategies		Yes	No	Yes		No, but was proposed
Democratic Republic of the Congo	Yes	No	Yes	No, but under development		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	No		Yes

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	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020		2020	2020	2020		2020
Denmark	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Djibouti	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No		No
Dominica	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Dominican Republic	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Ecuador	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, other specific health strategies		Yes	Yes	No		No
Egypt	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, other specific health strategies	ab	Yes	Yes	No		No
El Salvador	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Equatorial Guinea	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No		No
Eritrea	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Estonia	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Eswatini	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	No
Ethiopia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Fiji	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Finland	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
France	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Gabon	Yes	–	–	No, but under development		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	No
Gambia	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	Yes	ab	Yes
Georgia	Yes	No	No	Yes		Yes	No		–	–	Yes		No
Germany	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Ghana	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Greece	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Grenada	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Guatemala	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		No
Guinea	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Guinea-Bissau	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	No		No, but was proposed
Guyana	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Haiti	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	No, but under development	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes

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	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020
Holy See	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Honduras	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ac	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	No		Yes
Hungary	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Iceland	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
India	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, other specific health strategies	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		Yes
Indonesia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	No		Yes
Iran (Islamic Republic of)	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Iraq	Yes	–	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes		No
Ireland	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Israel	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Italy	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Jamaica	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	No		No
Japan	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Jordan	Yes	No	–	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	No	–	–	No, but under development		No, but was proposed
Kazakhstan	Yes	No	Yes	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Kenya	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Kiribati	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Kuwait	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Kyrgyzstan	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	No	No		Yes
Lao People's Democratic Republic	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	Yes	No, but was proposed
Latvia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Lebanon	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No	No
Lesotho	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	No	No	–	–	Yes		Yes
Liberia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	No, but under development	Yes		Yes
Libya	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Liechtenstein	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Lithuania	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–

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	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020		2020	2020	2020		2020
Luxembourg	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Madagascar	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes
Malawi	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		Yes
Malaysia	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	No		No
Maldives	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		No, but was proposed
Mali	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	ab	–	Yes, other specific health strategies		Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	–
Malta	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Marshall Islands	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Mauritania	Yes	No	Yes	–		–	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No, but under development	No, but under development		No, but was proposed
Mauritius	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Mexico	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No, but under development		Yes
Micronesia (Federated States of)	Yes	–	–	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		Yes	No		–	–	No, but under development		No
Monaco	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Mongolia	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No		No
Montenegro	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	Yes	ab	No
Montserrat	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Morocco	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Mozambique	–	Yes	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		No	No	Yes	ab	Yes
Myanmar	–	–	–	–		–	Yes	aa	–	–	–		–
Namibia	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Nauru	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Nepal	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No		No
Netherlands	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
New Zealand	–	–	–	–		–	–		–	–	–		–
Nicaragua	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, other specific health strategies	ab	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		No, but was proposed
Niger	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Nigeria	–	–	–	No, but under development		Yes	No		–	–	–		Yes

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	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020
Niue	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
North Macedonia	Yes	–	–	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	No, but under development	No		No
Norway	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Oman	Yes	No	No	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No	No
Pakistan	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Palau	No	–	–	No, but under development		No	Yes, other specific health strategies	ab	No, but under development	No, but under development	No	No
Panama	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Papua New Guinea	Yes	No	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	ac	Yes
Paraguay	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	ac	No, but was proposed
Peru	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes	No	Yes
Philippines	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	ab	No, but was proposed
Poland	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Portugal	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Qatar	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Republic of Korea	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Republic of Moldova	Yes	–	–	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	No	No	No	No
Romania	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Russian Federation	Yes	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Rwanda	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Saint Kitts and Nevis	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Saint Lucia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Samoa	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	No, but under development	No	No	No
San Marino	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Sao Tome and Principe	Yes	No	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	No, but under development	No
Saudi Arabia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–

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	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020	2020	2020	2020	2020		2020
Senegal	Yes	–	–	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	Yes		No, but was proposed
Serbia	No	No	Yes	Yes	ab	No	No	–	–	No, but under development		No
Seychelles	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Sierra Leone	–	Yes	Yes	Yes		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	No		Yes
Singapore	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Slovakia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Slovenia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Solomon Islands	Yes	–	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	ab	No
Somalia	Yes	No	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	No	No		Yes
South Africa	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
South Sudan	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No		Yes
Spain	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Sri Lanka	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
State of Palestine	Yes	No	Yes	–		–	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes		No
Sudan	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	No		Yes
Suriname	Yes	No	Yes	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Sweden	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Switzerland	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Syrian Arab Republic	Yes	No	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	No	–	–	No, but under development		No
Tajikistan	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	No, but under development	No		No
Thailand	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, other specific health strategies	ab	Yes	Yes		No
Timor–Leste	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Togo	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	Yes		No
Tokelau	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–
Tonga	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–

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Trinidad and Tobago	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Tunisia	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Turkey	Yes	No	No	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	No	–	–	No		No	
Turkmenistan	Yes	No	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No	No	No	
Turks and Caicos Islands	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Tuvalu	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Uganda	Yes	–	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No, but under development	ab	Yes	
Ukraine	Yes	–	Yes	No, no social protection sector national policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No	Yes	No	
United Arab Emirates	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
United Kingdom	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
United Republic of Tanzania	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ac	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		Yes	No, but under development	No	No	
United States	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Uruguay	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Uzbekistan	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan		No, but under development	No	No	No, but was proposed	
Vanuatu	Yes	Yes	Yes	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	–	–	–	–		–	–	–	–	–		–	
Viet Nam	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, nutrition not included in social protection policy, strategy or plan		No	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	No, but under development	No, but under development	Yes	
Yemen	Yes	–	–	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, other specific health strategies	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
Zambia	Yes	Yes	Yes	No, but under development		Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	ab	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes

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Zimbabwe	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes	Yes, national health strategy or plan	Yes	Yes	Yes	ab	Yes
SUMMARY												
East Asia and Pacific	18	13	17	6		8	17	15	9	9		7
Europe and Central Asia	16	3	14	6		4	12	8	0	5		1
Eastern Europe and Central Asia	16	3	14	6		4	12	8	0	5		1
Western Europe	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0		0
Latin America and Caribbean	18	12	16	14		14	15	13	11	3		6
Middle East and North Africa	9	3	7	3		3	7	7	7	2		2
North America	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0		0
South Asia	8	7	8	4		4	8	8	5	2		2
sub-Saharan Africa	44	33	44	30		29	41	39	25	22		27
Eastern and Southern Africa	21	19	22	15		17	19	18	11	12		16
West and Central Africa	23	14	22	15		12	22	21	14	10		11
World	113	71	106	63		62	100	90	57	43		45

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i: Countries that have responded 'Yes' to having policies, strategies and programmes that include nutrition components and provided UNICEF with the policy document.

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