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Revisions statement

On 20th December 2019, Statistics on International Development: Final aid spend 2018 publication was updated to take account of a set of revisions for 2018 ODA.

These revisions are minor, and the trends reported on 19th September are still valid. The effect of these revisions has reduced UK ODA by £6.7 million. The revised figure for total UK ODA is £14,552 million; the ODA:GNI ratio continues to be 0.7%. All figures in this report and accompanying tables have been updated. A list of all revisions is given below.

Revisions

- Data processing error in asylum seeker health support, this has led to a reduction of £6.5 million.
- Minor adjustments to Foreign and Commonwealth Office ODA. Two programmes included activities which were incorrectly reported as ODA, due to a technical error, resulting in a reduction of £203 thousand.
- Minor code improvements following further OECD DAC quality checks. This includes some programmes which have been reassigned from 'Core Multilateral' to 'Bilateral through Multilateral'.
- Data coding error in a Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy programme, which has led to the recipient country changing from India to Africa, Regional.

These changes are in line with our [revisions policy](#)

Please do contact us on statistics@dfid.gov.uk if you have any questions regarding these revisions