

Annex 1: Target 1 – List of National Broadband Policies

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Afghanistan	yes	2008	Afghanistan National Development Strategy: 1387 – 1391 (2008 – 2013) - ANDS in the chapter dedicated to the Information and Communication Technology
Albania	yes	2008	The bSEE memorandum (broadband South Eastern Europe)
Algeria	yes	2008	E-Algérie 2013
Andorra	no		
Angola	yes	2010	White Book of Information and Communication Technologies: Livro branco das Tecnologias da Informação e Comunicação – LBTIC
Antigua & Barbuda	yes	2012	GATE 2012
Argentina	yes	2010	Plan Nacional de Telecomunicaciones - Argentina Conectada
Armenia	yes	2008	Government of Republic of Armenia Decree No35, on Approving The Information Technology Sector Development Concept Paper Road Map For “Real-Time” Armenia: Egovernment, Esecurity, Ecommerce
Australia	yes	2009	The National Broadband Network (NBN)
Austria	yes	2010	Broadband Strategy 2020 - Breit Bandstrategie bbs2020
Azerbaijan	yes	2014	“Azerbaijan 2020: Look Into The Future”. National Strategy for Information Society Development in Azerbaijan for 2014-2020
Bahamas	yes	2003	Policy Statement on Electronic Commerce and the Bahamian Digital Agenda
Bahrain	yes	2010	National Broadband Network for the Kingdom of Bahrain
Bangladesh	yes	2009	Broadband National Policy Act 2009
Barbados	yes	2010	National Information and Communication Technologies Strategic Plan of Barbados 2010-2015
Belarus	yes	2011	National programme on accelerated development of services in the field of information and communication technologies for 2011–2015.
Belgium	yes	2009	België : digitaal hart van Europa
Belize	yes	2011	ICT National Strategy
Benin	planning		
Bhutan	yes	2008	National Broadband Master Plan Implementation Project (NBMIP)
Bolivia	no		
Bosnia and Herzegovina	yes	2008	Decision On The Telecommunication Sector Policy Of Bosnia And Herzegovina For The Period 2008 – 2012
Botswana	yes	2004	Botswana's National ICT Policy, Broadband Strategy
Brazil	yes	2010	National Broadband Plan (Plano Nacional de Banda Larga - PNBL)
Brunei Darussalam	yes	2014	National Broadband Policy
Bulgaria	yes	2009	National Strategy of Broadband Development in the Republic of Bulgaria
Burkina Faso	yes	2006	Lettre de politique sectorielle 2006-2010
Burundi	yes	2011	Burundi/ ICT: National Projects for Broadband Connectivity Burundi Community Telecentre Network (BCTN)
Cambodia	yes	2011	2015 ASEAN ICT Master Plan / Cambodia ICT development Strategy 2011-2015
Cameroon	no		
Canada	yes	2014	Economic Action Plan 2014 to promote broadband roll out in rural areas
Cape Verde	planning		
Central African Rep.	yes	2006	Politique, Stratégies et plan d'actions de l'édition de la Société de l'Information en République Centrafricaine

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Chad	yes	2007	Plan de développement des technologies de l'Information et de la Communication au Tchad or (PLAN NICI)
Chile	yes	2013	Agenda Digital Imagina Chile
China	yes	2011	Telecom Industry Development Plan 2011-2015
Colombia	yes	2010	Live Digital - Vive Digitale
Comoros	planning		
Congo	yes	2011	Projet de Couverture Nationale (PCN), Projet West Africa Cable System (WACS), Projet back bone national en fibre optique
Congo (Dem. Rep.)	no		
Costa Rica	yes	2012	Estrategia Nacional de Banda Acha
Côte d'Ivoire	yes	2010	Objectifs Stratégiques du Government de Côte d'Ivoire en Matiere de Telecommunications et de TIC
Croatia	yes	2011	National broadband development strategy in the Republic of Croatia
Cuba	planning		
Cyprus	yes	2012	Digital Strategy for Cyprus (Digital Strategy for Cyprus which includes also the Broadband Plan)
Czech Republic	yes	2013	State policy in electronic communication: Digital Czech republic v.2.0
D.P.R. Korea	no		
Denmark	yes	2010	Digital work programme by the Minister of Science, Technology and Innovation
Djibouti	yes	2004	Plan d'action national pour l'exploitation des TIC en République
Dominica	planning		
Dominican Rep.	yes	2007	Conectividad Rural de Banda Ancha / E-Dominicana
Ecuador	yes	2011	Estrategia Ecuador Digital 2.0 and Broadband Plan
Egypt	yes	2011	National Broadband Plan - A Framework for Broadband Development
El Salvador	no		
Equatorial Guinea	yes	2010	GITGE (Gestor de Infraestructura de Telecomunicaciones de G.E.)
Eritrea	no		
Estonia	yes	2006	Information Society Development Plan 2013
Ethiopia	yes	2005	ICT Policy
Fiji	yes	2011	National Broadband Policy
Finland	yes	2005	Broadband 2015 Project: Laajakaista kaikkien ulottuville
France	yes	2010	Plan France Très Haut Débit
Gabon	yes	2011	Digital Gabon - Gabon Industriel, Gabon vert et Gabon des Services
Gambia	yes	2008	The Gambian ICT4D-2012 Plan
Georgia	no		
Germany	yes	2009	Breitbandstrategie der Bundesregierung
Ghana	yes	2010	Broadband Wireless Access
Greece	yes	2006	Digital Strategy 2006-2013
Grenada	yes	2006	Information and Communication Technology (ICT) 2006-2010 / A Strategy And Action Plan for Grenada
Guatemala	no		
Guinea	yes	2009	Plan National de fréquences/ Plan de développement de l'infrastructure nationale d'information et de communication de la République de Guinée 2001 – 2004
Guinea-Bissau	no		

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Honduras	yes	2010	Resolución NROOS/IO
Hong Kong, China	yes	2008	2008 Digital 21 Strategy - Moving Ahead
Hungary	yes	2010	Digital Renewal Action Plan
Iceland	yes	2012	Telecom Policy Statement 2011-2014
India	yes	2011	National Telecom Policy 2012 and National Optical Fibre Network Plan
Indonesia	yes	2010	Priorities Of The Ministry Of Communication And Information Technology Year 2010-2014
Iran (I.R.)	yes	2011	National Information Network
Iraq	planning		
Ireland	yes	2008	Ireland's Broadband Strategy
Israel	yes	2012	The Communication Initiative: fiber-based national broadband network
Italy	yes	2010	"Italia Digitale" Digital Italy Plan
Jamaica	yes	2007	National ICT Strategy
Japan	yes	2010	New Broadband Super Highway (Haraguchi vision II)
Jordan	yes	2007	National ICT Strategy of Jordan
Kazakhstan	yes	2010	Programme of ICT Development
Kenya	yes	2006	ICT Masterplan 2012-2017
Kiribati	no		
Korea (Rep.)	yes	2009	Ultra Broadband Convergence Network
Kuwait	no		
Kyrgyzstan	yes	2006	Program of Information and Communication Technology Development
Lao P.D.R.	no		
Latvia	yes	2012	Next generation broadband development strategy for year 2013-2020
Lebanon	yes	2008	Lebanese Broadband Stakeholders Group (LBSG)
Lesotho	yes	2005	ICT Policy for Lesotho
Liberia	yes	2010	Policy for the Telecommunications and Information Communications Technology (ICT) 2010-2015
Libya	no		
Liechtenstein	yes	2006	Communications Act - Law on Electronic Communication
Lithuania	yes	2011	Lithuanian Information Society Development Program for 2011-2019
Luxembourg	yes	2010	Stratégie nationale pour les réseaux à "ultra-haut" débit - "L'ultra-haut" débit pour tous
Macao, China	no		
Madagascar	no		
Malawi	yes	2003	Integrated ICT-led Socio-Economic Development Policy for Malawi
Malaysia	yes	2010	National Broadband Initiative
Maldives	no		
Mali	no		
Malta	yes	2012	Malta's Next Generation Broadband
Marshall Islands	yes	2011	National ICT Policy
Mauritania	no		

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Mauritius	yes	2012	National Broadband Policy 2012 - 2020 (NBP2012)
Mexico	yes	2011	Digital Agenda
Micronesia	planning		
Moldova	yes	2010	Hotărâre cu privire la aprobarea Programului de dezvoltare a accesului la Internet în bandă largă pe anii 2010-2013
Monaco	no		
Mongolia	yes	2011	National program on Broadband Network up to 2015
Montenegro	yes	2012	Strategy for the Development of Information Society 2012-2016 - Montenegro - Digital Society
Morocco	yes	2012	Plan national pour le développement du haut et très haut débit au Maroc
Mozambique	yes	2006	National ICT Policy Implementation Strategy 2002 and 2006 - Digital Inclusion in Mozambique
Myanmar	no		
Namibia	yes	2009	Telecommunications Policy for the Republic of Namibia
Nauru	no		
Nepal	planning		
Netherlands	yes	2010	Digital Agenda
New Zealand	yes	2010	Ultra fast broadband initiative, Five Point Government Action Plan for faster broadband
Nicaragua	planning		
Niger	yes	2005	Plan de développement des Technologies de l'Information et de la Communication au Niger / Plan NICI du Niger
Nigeria	yes	2013	National Information and Communication Technology (ICT) final draft policy
Norway	yes	2000	eNorway, Brodband requirements in Digital Dividend Frequency Auction
Oman	yes	2012	National Broadband Strategy: 10 years
Pakistan	yes	2007	National Broadband Programme 2007
Panama	yes	2008	National ICT Strategy 2008-2018 / Red Nacional Internet (RNI) 2008
Papua New Guinea	yes	2011	National ICT Policy and PNG LNG Fibre cable project
Paraguay	yes	2011	Paraguay 2013 Conectado y Plan Nacional de Telecomunicaciones - PNT
Peru	yes	2011	Plan Nacional para el Desarrollo de la Banda Ancha en el Perú
Philippines	yes	2011	The Philippine Digital Strategy, Transformation 2.0: Digitally Empowered Nation
Poland	yes	2014	Narodowy Plan Szeroko Pasmowy / National Broadband Plan
Puerto Rico	yes	2012	Puerto Rico Broadband Strategic Plan 2012
Portugal	yes	2012	Agenda Portugal Digital
Qatar	yes	2011	Qatar's National ICT Plan 2015: Advancing the Digital Agenda
Romania	yes	2007	The Regulatory Strategy for the Romanian Electronic Communications Sector for 2007-2010
Russian Federation	yes	2010	Information Society Strategy / Information Society Programme
Rwanda	yes	2006	Regional Connectivity Infrastructure Program (RCIP)
S. Tomé & Principe	no		
Samoa	yes	2010	Broadband Spectrum Plan
San Marino	no		
Saudi Arabia	yes		National Initiative to provide broadband services
Senegal	no		

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Serbia	yes	2009	Broadband Access Development Strategy in the Republic of Serbia until year 2012: Стратегију развоја широкопојасног приступа у Републици Србији до 2012. године
Seychelles	no		
Sierra Leone	no		
Singapore	yes	2005	Intelligent Nation 2015 (or iN2015)
Slovakia	yes	2006	Operačný Program Informatizácia Spoločnosti (Operational program- Information society)
Slovenia	yes	2008	Strategija razvoja širokopasovnih omrežij v Republiki Sloveniji
Solomon Islands	planning		
Somalia	no		
South Africa	yes	2013	National Broadband Policy
South Sudan	no		
Spain	yes	2010	Plan Avanza: 2005, Plan Avanza 2 aprobado el 16/07/2010
Sri Lanka	yes	2012	e- Sri Lanka
St. Kitts and Nevis	yes	2006	National Information and Communications Technology (ICT) Strategic Plan
St. Lucia	planning		
St. Vincent and the Grenadines	yes		
Sudan	yes		
Suriname	no		
Swaziland	no		
Sweden	yes	2009	Broadband Strategy for Sweden
Switzerland	yes	2012	Stratégie du Conseil fédéral pour une société de l'information en Suisse
Syria	no		
Tajikistan	no		
Tanzania	yes	2004	National Information Communication and Technology Broadband Backbone (NICTBB)
TFYR Macedonia	yes	2005	National Strategy for the development of Electronic Communications with Information Technologies
Thailand	yes	2010	The National Broadband Policy
Timor-Leste	no		
Togo	planning		
Tonga	yes	2011	Tonga-Fiji Connectivity Project : Pacific Regional Connectivity Program (PRCP)
Trinidad & Tobago	yes	2008	Trinidad & Tobago's National Information & Communication Technology Strategy-Fastforward- Accelerating into the Digital Future
Tunisia	yes	2012	La Stratégie Tunisienne pour le Haut-Débit
Turkey	yes	2009	Strategy of Transport and Communications, Target 2023, 2009-2013 Strategic Ministerial Plan
Turkmenistan	no		
Tuvalu	no		
Uganda	yes	2009	Uganda Broadband Infrastructure Strategy National Position Paper
Ukraine	no		

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United Arab Emirates	no		
United Kingdom	yes	2010	Britain's Superfast Broadband Future, Broadband Delivery UK
United States	yes	2010	Connecting America: The National Broadband Plan
Uruguay	yes	2011	Agenda Digital 2011-2015 / Ceibal Plan (2007)
Uzbekistan	no		
Vanuatu	planning		
Vatican	no		
Venezuela	no		
Viet Nam	yes	2010	Master Plan of Viet Nam, from 2010 to 2015; Prime Minister's Decree 1755 on the approval of a National Strategy on Transforming Viet Nam into an advanced ICT country
Yemen	no		
Zambia	yes	2006	National Information and Communication Technology Policy
Zimbabwe	yes	2005	National ICT Policy

Summary Notes

Countries with National Broadband Policies: 140

Countries planning on introducing National Broadband Policies: 13

Countries without National Broadband Policies: 43

Notes: National Broadband Policies include: National Broadband Plans and National Policy with broadband target adopted (development, ICT, e.t.c.)