

South Africa - World Bank Country Survey 2026

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ABBREVIATION OR ACRONYM

WBCS 2026

COUNTRY/ECONOMY

Name	Country code
South Africa	ZAF

SERIES INFORMATION

The World Bank Group Country Opinion Survey Program (COS) is an ongoing effort to systematically gauge and track the perceptions and views of the World Bank Group's clients and partners worldwide over time. The survey data provide the institution with a more in-depth understanding of stakeholders' views on issues related to the World Bank's on-the-ground work (how it operates, its relationships, and its knowledge) and other development-related issues. The Department of External and Corporate Relations Business Intelligence Team oversees the program. This collection hosts open, accessible survey data from 29 countries collected in FY 2012 (July 2011-June 2012), 41 countries in FY 2013 (July 2012-June 2013), 42 countries in FY 2014 (July 2013-June 2014), 35 countries in FY 2015 (July 2014-June 2015), 45 countries in FY 2016 (July 2015-June 2016), 35 countries in FY 2017 (July 2016-June 2017), and 39 countries in FY 2018 (July 2017-June 2018), 42 countries in FY 2019 (July 2018-June 2019), 21 countries in FY 2020 (July 2019-June 2020), 36 countries in FY 2021 (July 2020-June 2021), 23 countries in FY 2022 (July 2021-June 2022), 31 countries in FY 2023 (July 2022-June 2023), 43 countries in FY 2024 (July 2023-June 2024), 41 countries in FY 2025 (July 2024-June 2025), and 34 countries in FY 2026 (July 2026-December 2026).

ABSTRACT

The Country Opinion Survey in South Africa assists the World Bank Group (WBG) in better understanding how stakeholders in South Africa perceive the WBG. It provides the WBG with systematic feedback from national and local governments, multilateral/bilateral agencies, media, academia, the private sector, and civil society in South Africa on 1) their views regarding the general environment in South Africa; 2) their overall attitudes toward the WBG in South Africa; 3) overall impressions of the WBG's effectiveness and results, knowledge work and activities, and communication and information sharing in South Africa; and 4) their perceptions of the WBG's future role in South Africa.

KIND OF DATA

Sample survey data [ssd]

UNIT OF ANALYSIS

Stakeholders of the World Bank Group in South Africa

Version

VERSION DESCRIPTION

Edited, anonymized dataset for public distribution.

VERSION DATE

2026-04-15

Coverage

GEOGRAPHIC COVERAGE

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Name	Affiliation
Country Opinion Survey Program	World Bank Group

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Name	Abbreviation
World Bank Group	WBG

Sampling

SAMPLING PROCEDURE

From January to March 2026, a total of 837 stakeholders in South Africa were invited to provide their opinions on the WBG's work by participating in a Country Opinion Survey (COS). A list of potential participants was compiled by the WBG country team and the field agency. Participants were drawn from government institutions, bilateral or multilateral agencies, civil society organizations, the private sector, academia and research centers, and the media. Of these stakeholders, 333 participated in the survey.

RESPONSE RATE

40% response rate

This year's survey results were compared to the FY23 Country Opinion Survey, which had a response rate of 24% (N=310). Comparing responses across Country Surveys reflects changes in attitudes over time, as well as changes in respondent samples, methodology, and the survey instrument itself. To reduce the influence of the latter factor, only those questions with similar response scales/options were analyzed. However, the stakeholder compositions for both survey years should be taken into consideration when interpreting these comparisons.

Data collection

DATES OF DATA COLLECTION

Start	End
2026-01	2026-03

DATA COLLECTION MODE

Other [oth]

DATA COLLECTION NOTES

Respondents received the questionnaire by courier or completed it online.

DATA COLLECTORS

Name	Affiliation
Ipsos	independent field agency

Questionnaires

QUESTIONNAIRES

The survey was conducted in English and is provided as related material.

Access policy

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CONFIDENTIALITY

CITATION REQUIREMENTS

Use of the dataset must be acknowledged using a citation which would include:

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- the title of the survey (including country, acronym and year of implementation)
- the survey reference number
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DDI DOCUMENT VERSION

Version 01 (2026-07-13)

Data Dictionary

Data file	Cases	Variables
south_africa_cos_fy26_data Data collected using the 2026 South Africa World Bank Group Country Survey questionnaire (FY26). Dataset covers the following themes: • Overall Views of the World Bank Group (WBG) • The WBG's Work on Development Priorities • The WBG's Instruments • The WBG's Engagement and Collaboration • Communication and Outreach • Sample Demographics and Detailed Methodology		
	333	199

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

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- The WBG's Instruments
- The WBG's Engagement and Collaboration
- Communication and Outreach
- Sample Demographics and Detailed Methodology

Cases: 333

Variables: 199

Variables

ID	Name	Label	Question
V1	id		
V2	Q1	What is your primary professional affiliation? (Select only 1 response)	What is your primary professional affiliation? (Select only 1 response)
V3	Q2	How familiar are you with the World Bank Group's work in South Africa?	How familiar are you with the World Bank Group's work in South Africa?
V4	Q3	In the past 3 years, have you worked or collaborated with the World Bank Group (WBG) in South Africa?	In the past 3 years, have you worked or collaborated with the World Bank Group (WBG) in South Africa?
V5	Q4_1	World Bank (IBRD)	Which of the following WBG agencies have you worked or collaborated with in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V6	Q4_2	International Finance Corporation (IFC)	Which of the following WBG agencies have you worked or collaborated with in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V7	Q4_3	Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)	Which of the following WBG agencies have you worked or collaborated with in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V8	A1_1	Government of South Africa (Government of National Unity)	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V9	A1_2	Parliament of South Africa	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V10	A1_3	Judiciary (Constitutional Court, High Courts, lower courts)	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V11	A1_4	Provincial government	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V12	A1_5	Local Government - municipalities (metropolitan, district, and local)	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V13	A1_6	South African Reserve Bank	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V14	A1_7	World Bank Group	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V15	A1_8	International Monetary Fund	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V16	A1_9	United Nations agencies (e.g., UNDP; UNICEF; WHO; UNHCR; IOM; UN Women; UNFPA; UNODC; UNESCO; FAO; WFP; ILO; UNAIDS)	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

ID	Name	Label	Question
V17	A1_10	Regional development bank (e.g., Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA); New Development Bank; African Development Bank (AfDB); Trade and Development Bank (TDB); European Investment Bank (EIB))	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V18	A1_11	Private sector	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V19	A1_12	Civil society	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V20	A1_13	Academia / research centers	How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?
V21	A2_1	World Bank Group	How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?
V22	A2_2	International Monetary Fund	How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?
V23	A2_3	United Nations agencies (e.g., UNDP, UNAIDS, UNICEF, UNEP)	How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?
V24	A2_4	Regional development bank (e.g., DBSA, AfDB, TDB, EIB)	How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?
V25	A2_5	Bilateral partners (e.g., Germany's KfW Development Bank; UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO))	How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?
V26	A3_1	World Bank Group	How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?
V27	A3_2	International Monetary Fund	How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?
V28	A3_3	United Nations agencies (e.g., UNDP, UNAIDS, UNICEF, UNEP)	How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?
V29	A3_4	Regional development bank (e.g., DBSA, AfDB, TDB, EIB)	How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?
V30	A3_5	Bilateral partners (e.g., Germany's KfW Development Bank; UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO))	How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?
V31	A4_1	Being a long-term partner to South Africa	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V32	A4_2	Being easy to work with (i.e., simple WBG processes)	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V33	A4_3	Increasing institutional capacity in South Africa	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V34	A4_4	Responsiveness to needs in South Africa	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V35	A4_5	Access to WBG staff and experts	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V36	A4_6	The speed of WBG project approval	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V37	A4_7	The WBG's expertise being tailored to South Africa's context	How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?
V38	A5_1	Helping create the conditions for more and better jobs in South Africa	Creating more and better jobs in client countries is a top priority for the WBG. How effective is the WBG at...
V39	A5_2	Aligning its support for job creation to the national priorities in South Africa	Creating more and better jobs in client countries is a top priority for the WBG. How effective is the WBG at...
V40	B1		

ID	Name	Label	Question
V41	B2	Agriculture / food security	Please select the development area that was the primary focus of this WBG-supported project or initiative. (Select ONE only)
V42	B2_12_TEXT		
V43	B3	How helpful was the WBG in achieving the goals of this one project or initiative?	How helpful was the WBG in achieving the goals of this one project or initiative?
V44	B4		
V45	B5	How effective has this WBG-supported project or initiative been at creating sustainable, long-term jobs in South Africa?	How effective has this WBG-supported project or initiative been at creating sustainable, long-term jobs in South Africa?
V46	C1_1	National government	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V47	C1_2	Local government	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V48	C1_3	Parliament / legislative branch	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V49	C1_4	Private sector	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V50	C1_5	Civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V51	C1_6	Other donors and development partners (e.g., Germany's KfW Development Bank; UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO), and the State Secretariat for Economic Affairs of Switzerland (SECO))	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V52	C1_7	Academia / research centers	How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?
V53	C2_1	Partnering with the government to improve the business environment in South Africa	How effective is the WBG at partnering in terms of the following...
V54	C2_2	Partnering with the private sector in South Africa to support business development and investment	How effective is the WBG at partnering in terms of the following...
V55	C3_1	Local government	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V56	C3_2	Parliament / legislative branch	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V57	C3_3	Provincial government	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V58	C3_4	South African Reserve Bank	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V59	C3_5	Private sector	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V60	C3_6	Private foundations and philanthropic groups	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V61	C3_7	Media	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

ID	Name	Label	Question
V62	C3_8	Other donors and development partners (e.g., KfW, FCDO, SECO)	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V63	C3_9	Academia / research centers	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V64	C3_10	Youth organizations	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V65	C3_11	Regional development banks (e.g., DBSA, AfDB, TDB, EIB)	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V66	C3_12	The United Nations	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V67	C3_13	Civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V68	C3_14	Other	In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?
V69	C3_14_TEXT		
V70	C4	How effective is the WBG in facilitating civil society participation in development policy dialogue and implementation in South Africa?	How effective is the WBG in facilitating civil society participation in development policy dialogue and implementation in South Africa?
V71	C5		
V72	D1_1	Convening power (e.g., bringing together different stakeholder groups, donor / development partner coordination, mobilizing third party financial resources)	Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)
V73	D1_2	Advisory services (e.g., capacity building and training, policy advice, technical assistance)	Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)
V74	D1_3	Financial resources (e.g., budget support, investment lending, grants, trust funds)	Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)
V75	D1_4	Data and research (e.g., statistics, reports, research on global development issues)	Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)
V76	D1_5	Other	Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)
V77	D1_5_TEXT		
V78	D2_1	The WBG's financial instruments (i.e., budget support, loans, grants, trust funds) meet the needs of South Africa	To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?
V79	D2_2	The terms of the WBG's financing are competitive compared to other available options (e.g., other development banks, private financial institutions/ investment banks, etc.)	To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?
V80	D2_3	The standards and requirements for the WBG's financing are reasonable	To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?
V81	D2_4	The WBG provides financial support in a timely manner	To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?

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V82	D3	How significant a contribution do you believe the WBG's knowledge work makes to development results in South Africa?	How significant a contribution do you believe the WBG's knowledge work makes to development results in South Africa?
V83	D4_1	Data resources	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V84	D4_2	Research and analytical reports	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V85	D4_3	Policy notes	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V86	D4_4	Advisory services	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V87	D4_5	Online collaboration platforms	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V88	D4_6	Workshops or training courses (in-person or online)	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V89	D4_7	Other	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V90	D4_8	I have not used WBG knowledge work	In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)
V91	D4_7_TEXT		
V92	D5	How would you rate the quality of the WBG's knowledge work (including data, research, training, policy notes, and advisory services) in South Africa?	How would you rate the quality of the WBG's knowledge work (including data, research, training, policy notes, and advisory services) in South Africa?
V93	D6	In your opinion, has the WBG influenced a new or existing government policy/action in South Africa?	In your opinion, has the WBG influenced a new or existing government policy/action in South Africa?
V94	D7	In your opinion, has the WBG influenced strategies or actions of private sector actors in South Africa?	In your opinion, has the WBG influenced strategies or actions of private sector actors in South Africa?
V95	D8		
V96	D9	To what extent has the WBG influenced the government's policies or strategies on employment and job creation in South Africa?	To what extent has the WBG influenced the government's policies or strategies on employment and job creation in South Africa?
V97	E1		
V98	E2_1	Gender equity	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V99	E2_2	Water / sanitation	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V100	E2_3	Health	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V101	E2_4	Transport infrastructure	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V102	E2_5	Energy	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V103	E2_6	Public sector governance	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V104	E2_7	Agriculture / food security	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V105	E2_8	Education	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

ID	Name	Label	Question
V106	E2_9	Climate change	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V107	E2_10	Digital infrastructure development	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V108	E2_11	Private sector development	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V109	E2_12	Environment / natural resource management	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V110	E2_13	Social protection	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V111	E2_14	Jobs	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V112	E2_15	Debt management	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V113	E2_16	Youth development	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V114	E2_17	Urban development	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V115	E2_18	Crime and violence	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V116	E2_19	Financial markets development	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V117	E2_20	Trade	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V118	E2_21	Macroeconomic stability	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V119	E2_22	Disaster risk management	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V120	E2_23	Tourism development	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V121	E2_24	Other	Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)
V122	E2_24_TEXT		
V123	E3_1	One-stop shop for information about and access to IDA/IBRD, IFC, and MIGA products and services	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V124	E3_2	Having a single focal point, rather than multiple, at the World Bank Group	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V125	E3_3	Integrated public and private sector solutions to better meet South Africa's unique needs	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V126	E3_4	Improved speed and efficiency of WBG operations while maintaining necessary safeguards in South Africa	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V127	E3_5	I do not understand what a unified WBG country representation is about	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V128	E3_6	I do not expect any changes	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V129	E3_7	I expect other outcomes	What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)
V130	E3_7_TEXT		

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V131	F1_1	WBG e-Newsletters	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V132	F1_2	Direct contact with WBG staff (e.g., in person, virtually, phone, email)	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V133	F1_3	WBG social media channels (e.g., Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, Twitter/X)	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V134	F1_4	WBG direct messaging (e.g., WhatsApp)	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V135	F1_5	WBG event / conference / workshop (in person or online)	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V136	F1_6	WBG websites (including blogs)	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V137	F1_7	WBG podcasts	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V138	F1_8	WBG publications	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V139	F1_9	Other	How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)
V140	F1_9_TEXT		
V141	F2	Do you recall seeing or hearing anything about the WBG recently?	Do you recall seeing or hearing anything about the WBG recently?
V142	F3_1	Media (television, radio, newspapers)	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V143	F3_2	Event / conference / workshop (in person or online)	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V144	F3_3	WBG websites (including blogs)	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V145	F3_4	Social media	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V146	F3_5	Direct contact with WBG staff	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V147	F3_6	Podcast	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V148	F3_7	Direct messaging (e.g., WhatsApp)	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V149	F3_8	e-Newsletter	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V150	F3_9	WBG publications	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V151	F3_10	Other	Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)
V152	F3_10_TEXT		
V153	F4_1	WBG economic forecasts	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V154	F4_2	WBG reforms to become a better Bank	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V155	F4_3	WBG mission to end poverty on a livable planet	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V156	F4_4	Climate / environment	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V157	F4_5	Job creation / employment	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

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V158	F4_6	Education / skills development	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V159	F4_7	Agribusiness and food security	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V160	F4_8	Women empowerment	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V161	F4_9	Health	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V162	F4_10	Energy	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V163	F4_11	Transport sector	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V164	F4_12	Other	What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)
V165	F4_12_TEXT		
V166	F5_1	Outcomes / results of WBG-supported projects or initiatives	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V167	F5_2	Impact assessments and evaluations of WBG-supported projects	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V168	F5_3	WBG sector-specific strategies	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V169	F5_4	Overview of WBG financial products and services	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V170	F5_5	Information on how to work / partner with WBG	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V171	F5_6	Regular updates on WBG activities	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V172	F5_7	WBG research and knowledge	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V173	F5_8	Other	What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V174	F5_8_TEXT		
V175	G1_1	Inadequate government accountability	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V176	G1_2	Inadequate donor coordination	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V177	G1_3	Inadequate capacity in the government	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V178	G1_4	Political pressures and obstacles	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V179	G1_5	Corruption	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V180	G1_6	Inadequate private sector participation	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V181	G1_7	Reforms are not well thought out in light of country challenges	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

ID	Name	Label	Question
V182	G1_8	Inadequate citizen/civil society participation	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V183	G1_9	Pressure from outside interest groups (e.g., private sector, unions)	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V184	G1_10	Other	When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)
V185	G1_10_TEXT		
V186	G2_1	Access to finance	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V187	G2_2	Regulatory environment	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V188	G2_3	Infrastructure gaps (e.g., energy, transport)	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V189	G2_4	Availability of skilled workforce	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V190	G2_5	Political instability	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V191	G2_6	Corruption	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V192	G2_7	Market size / demand	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V193	G2_8	Other	What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)
V194	G2_8_TEXT		
V195	G3		
V196	H1	What is your gender?	What is your gender?
V197	H2	What is your age?	What is your age?
V198	H3	Within your organization, would you describe yourself as...	Within your organization, would you describe yourself as...
V199	H4	Which best represents your geographic location?	Which best represents your geographic location?

Total: 199

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A1_3: Judiciary (Constitutional Court, High Courts, lower courts)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 10
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No trust at all	2	0.6%
2		4	1.2%
3		22	6.6%
4		52	15.6%
5		84	25.2%
6		54	16.2%
7		39	11.7%
8		39	11.7%
9		21	6.3%
10	Trust very much	16	4.8%
11	Don't know	0	0%

Q1: What is your primary professional affiliation? (Select only 1 response)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What is your primary professional affiliation? (Select only 1 response)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Office of the President, Minister, Deputy Minister	2	0.6%
2	Office of a Parliamentarian (National Assembly, Legislative Body)	25	7.5%
3	Government Institution: Employee of a Ministry / Ministerial Department / Project Implementation Unit / Independent Government Institution (e.g., South African Reserve Bank, Regulatory or Oversight Agency) / Judiciary / State-Owned Enterprise	76	22.8%
4	Provincial Government Office or Staff	15	4.5%
5	Local Government Office or Staff	16	4.8%
6	Bilateral or Multilateral Agency (e.g., embassy, development organization, development bank, UN Agency)	34	10.2%
7	Civil Society Organization: local and regional (NGO)	53	15.9%
8	Private Sector: Private Company / Financial Sector Organization / Private Bank	57	17.1%
9	Academia / Research Centers	28	8.4%
10	Media	27	8.1%
11	Other	0	0%

Q2: How familiar are you with the World Bank Group's work in South Africa?

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Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 10

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 19 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How familiar are you with the World Bank Group's work in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not familiar at all	2	0.6%
2		2	0.6%
3		4	1.2%
4		13	3.9%
5		63	18.9%
6		63	18.9%
7		75	22.5%
8		42	12.6%
9		20	6%
10	Very familiar	49	14.7%

Q3: In the past 3 years, have you worked or collaborated with the World Bank Group (WBG) in South Africa?

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Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2
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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, have you worked or collaborated with the World Bank Group (WBG) in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	208	62.5%
2	No	125	37.5%

Q4_1: World Bank (IBRD)

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Overview

Valid: 208 Invalid: 125 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which of the following WBG agencies have you worked or collaborated with in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	76	36.5%
1	Selected	132	63.5%
Sysmiss		125	

Q4_2: International Finance Corporation (IFC)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 208 Invalid: 125 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which of the following WBG agencies have you worked or collaborated with in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	131	63%
1	Selected	77	37%
Sysmiss		125	

Q4_3: Multilateral Investment Guarantee Agency (MIGA)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 208 Invalid: 125 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which of the following WBG agencies have you worked or collaborated with in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	179	86.1%
1	Selected	29	13.9%
Sysmiss		125	

A1_1: Government of South Africa (Government of National Unity)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 10
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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1	No trust at all	3	0.9%
2		6	1.8%
3		12	3.6%
4		41	12.3%
5		86	25.8%
6		57	17.1%
7		41	12.3%
8		26	7.8%
9		20	6%
10	Trust very much	41	12.3%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_2: Parliament of South Africa

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 10
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: -99 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
1	No trust at all	5	1.5%
2		9	2.7%
3		15	4.5%
4		47	14.1%
5		101	30.3%
6		43	12.9%
7		28	8.4%
8		42	12.6%
9		23	6.9%
10	Trust very much	19	5.7%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_4: Provincial government**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No trust at all	3	0.9%
2		8	2.4%
3		21	6.3%
4		23	6.9%
5		68	20.4%
6		75	22.5%
7		58	17.4%
8		39	11.7%
9		19	5.7%
10	Trust very much	18	5.4%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A1_5: Local Government - municipalities (metropolitan, district, and local)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No trust at all	5	1.5%
2		12	3.6%
3		16	4.8%

4		34	10.2%
5		77	23.1%
6		66	19.8%
7		48	14.4%
8		35	10.5%
9		25	7.5%
10	Trust very much	15	4.5%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_6: South African Reserve Bank

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 10
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No trust at all	1	0.3%
2		4	1.2%
3		0	0%
4		29	8.7%
5		82	24.6%
6		63	18.9%
7		44	13.2%
8		48	14.4%
9		40	12%
10	Trust very much	22	6.6%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_7: World Bank Group

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No trust at all	1	0.3%
2		2	0.6%
3		3	0.9%
4		32	9.6%
5		87	26.1%
6		60	18%
7		52	15.6%
8		36	10.8%
9		26	7.8%
10	Trust very much	33	9.9%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A1_8: International Monetary Fund

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
1	No trust at all	1	0.3%
2		4	1.2%
3		15	4.5%
4		52	15.6%
5		98	29.4%
6		48	14.4%
7		35	10.5%
8		33	9.9%

9		23	6.9%
10	Trust very much	21	6.3%
11	Don't know	2	0.6%

A1_9: United Nations agencies (e.g., UNDP; UNICEF; WHO; UNHCR; IOM; UN Women; UNFPA; UNODC; UNESCO; FAO; WFP; ILO; UNAIDS)

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Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 10
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LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	No trust at all	1	0.3%
2		2	0.6%
3		20	6%
4		58	17.4%
5		82	24.6%
6		44	13.2%
7		35	10.5%
8		45	13.5%
9		23	6.9%
10	Trust very much	20	6%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_10: Regional development bank (e.g., Development Bank of Southern Africa (DBSA); New Development Bank; African Development Bank (AfDB); Trade and Development Bank (TDB); European Investment Bank (EIB))

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	No trust at all	2	0.6%
2		3	0.9%
3		14	4.2%
4		65	19.5%
5		92	27.6%
6		28	8.4%
7		39	11.7%
8		37	11.1%
9		33	9.9%
10	Trust very much	16	4.8%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A1_11: Private sector

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 10
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LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
1	No trust at all	0	0%
2		2	0.6%
3		7	2.1%
4		22	6.6%
5		71	21.3%
6		79	23.7%
7		51	15.3%

8		43	12.9%
9		35	10.5%
10	Trust very much	22	6.6%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_12: Civil society

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 10
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 15 Range: 1 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	No trust at all	1	0.3%
2		0	0%
3		5	1.5%
4		23	6.9%
5		77	23.1%
6		73	21.9%
7		47	14.1%
8		55	16.5%
9		37	11.1%
10	Trust very much	15	4.5%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A1_13: Academia / research centers

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 10
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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How much do you trust each of the following institutions to do what is right for South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	No trust at all	1	0.3%
2		1	0.3%
3		2	0.6%
4		23	6.9%
5		72	21.6%
6		58	17.4%
7		54	16.2%
8		60	18%
9		34	10.2%
10	Trust very much	25	7.5%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A2_1: World Bank Group

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 10

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 19 Range: 2 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not relevant at all	0	0%
2		2	0.6%
3		4	1.2%
4		12	3.6%
5		85	25.5%
6		77	23.1%
7		54	16.2%
8		25	7.5%
9		23	6.9%
10	Very relevant	51	15.3%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A2_2: International Monetary Fund**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 19 Range: 2 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not relevant at all	0	0%
2		1	0.3%
3		16	4.8%
4		49	14.7%
5		97	29.1%
6		50	15%
7		32	9.6%
8		38	11.4%
9		21	6.3%
10	Very relevant	28	8.4%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A2_3: United Nations agencies (e.g., UNDP, UNAIDS, UNICEF, UNEP)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not relevant at all	2	0.6%
2		1	0.3%

3		18	5.4%
4		57	17.1%
5		77	23.1%
6		53	15.9%
7		37	11.1%
8		45	13.5%
9		20	6%
10	Very relevant	23	6.9%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A2_4: Regional development bank (e.g., DBSA, AfDB, TDB, EIB)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 10
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 19 Range: 2 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not relevant at all	0	0%
2		5	1.5%
3		18	5.4%
4		50	15%
5		87	26.1%
6		43	12.9%
7		35	10.5%
8		40	12%
9		28	8.4%
10	Very relevant	27	8.1%
11	Don't know	0	0%

A2_5: Bilateral partners (e.g., Germany's KfW Development Bank; UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO))

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 19 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How relevant is each of the following organizations to South Africa's development?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not relevant at all	1	0.3%
2		0	0%
3		13	3.9%
4		49	14.7%
5		88	26.4%
6		51	15.3%
7		41	12.3%
8		28	8.4%
9		32	9.6%
10	Very relevant	29	8.7%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A3_1: World Bank Group

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 2 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		3	0.9%
3		3	0.9%
4		10	3%
5		95	28.5%
6		83	24.9%

7		39	11.7%
8		35	10.5%
9		24	7.2%
10	Very effective	40	12%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A3_2: International Monetary Fund

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		1	0.3%
3		23	6.9%
4		51	15.3%
5		101	30.3%
6		36	10.8%
7		39	11.7%
8		28	8.4%
9		30	9%
10	Very effective	19	5.7%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%

A3_3: United Nations agencies (e.g., UNDP, UNAIDS, UNICEF, UNEP)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	2	0.6%
2		4	1.2%
3		20	6%
4		48	14.4%
5		92	27.6%
6		44	13.2%
7		30	9%
8		42	12.6%
9		31	9.3%
10	Very effective	18	5.4%
11	Don't know	2	0.6%

A3_4: Regional development bank (e.g., DBSA, AfDB, TDB, EIB)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		2	0.6%
3		20	6%
4		47	14.1%
5		102	30.6%
6		43	12.9%
7		25	7.5%
8		46	13.8%
9		27	8.1%
10	Very effective	19	5.7%
11	Don't know	1	0.3%

A3_5: Bilateral partners (e.g., Germany's KfW Development Bank; UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO))

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is each of the following organizations in helping South Africa achieve development results?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		2	0.6%
3		17	5.1%
4		50	15%
5		88	26.4%
6		49	14.7%
7		35	10.5%
8		39	11.7%
9		27	8.1%
10	Very effective	21	6.3%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%

A4_1: Being a long-term partner to South Africa

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	0	0%

2		0	0%
3		6	1.8%
4		22	6.6%
5		78	23.4%
6		62	18.6%
7		46	13.8%
8		47	14.1%
9		40	12%
10	Very effective	28	8.4%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%

A4_2: Being easy to work with (i.e., simple WBG processes)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 2 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		1	0.3%
3		11	3.3%
4		22	6.6%
5		87	26.1%
6		68	20.4%
7		41	12.3%
8		42	12.6%
9		29	8.7%
10	Very effective	28	8.4%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%

A4_3: Increasing institutional capacity in South Africa

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		6	1.8%
3		5	1.5%
4		27	8.1%
5		76	22.8%
6		75	22.5%
7		52	15.6%
8		38	11.4%
9		29	8.7%
10	Very effective	21	6.3%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%

A4_4: Responsiveness to needs in South Africa

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	2	0.6%
2		0	0%
3		9	2.7%
4		19	5.7%
5		92	27.6%
6		68	20.4%

7		38	11.4%
8		38	11.4%
9		36	10.8%
10	Very effective	26	7.8%
11	Don't know	5	1.5%

A4_5: Access to WBG staff and experts

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		3	0.9%
3		6	1.8%
4		25	7.5%
5		69	20.7%
6		72	21.6%
7		51	15.3%
8		42	12.6%
9		27	8.1%
10	Very effective	32	9.6%
11	Don't know	6	1.8%

A4_6: The speed of WBG project approval

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 11
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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		2	0.6%
3		7	2.1%
4		18	5.4%
5		71	21.3%
6		75	22.5%
7		50	15%
8		38	11.4%
9		31	9.3%
10	Very effective	31	9.3%
11	Don't know	10	3%

A4_7: The WBG's expertise being tailored to South Africa's context

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11

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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in terms of the following?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		2	0.6%
3		4	1.2%
4		19	5.7%
5		90	27%
6		61	18.3%
7		48	14.4%
8		45	13.5%
9		27	8.1%
10	Very effective	32	9.6%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%

A5_1: Helping create the conditions for more and better jobs in South Africa**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions**LITERAL QUESTION**

Creating more and better jobs in client countries is a top priority for the WBG. How effective is the WBG at...

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	2	0.6%
2		2	0.6%
3		4	1.2%
4		15	4.5%
5		90	27%
6		73	21.9%
7		44	13.2%
8		33	9.9%
9		29	8.7%
10	Very effective	33	9.9%
11	Don't know	8	2.4%

A5_2: Aligning its support for job creation to the national priorities in South Africa**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions**LITERAL QUESTION**

Creating more and better jobs in client countries is a top priority for the WBG. How effective is the WBG at...

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		1	0.3%

3		6	1.8%
4		23	6.9%
5		84	25.2%
6		60	18%
7		54	16.2%
8		43	12.9%
9		32	9.6%
10	Very effective	22	6.6%
11	Don't know	7	2.1%

B1:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0

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B2: Agriculture / food security

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 12 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Please select the development area that was the primary focus of this WBG-supported project or initiative. (Select ONE only)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.5%
0	Not selected	0	0%
1	Selected	3	1.4%
2		8	3.8%
3		21	10.1%
4		13	6.3%
5		64	30.8%
6		24	11.5%
7		11	5.3%
8		26	12.5%

9		18	8.7%
10		5	2.4%
11		11	5.3%
12		3	1.4%
Sysmiss		125	

B2_12_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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B3: How helpful was the WBG in achieving the goals of this one project or initiative?**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 208 Invalid: 125 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 18 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How helpful was the WBG in achieving the goals of this one project or initiative?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.5%
1	Not helpful at all	1	0.5%
2		0	0%
3		2	1%
4		0	0%
5		31	14.9%
6		44	21.2%
7		33	15.9%
8		25	12%
9		23	11.1%
10	Very helpful	47	22.6%
11	Don't know	1	0.5%
Sysmiss		125	

B4:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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B5: How effective has this WBG-supported project or initiative been at creating sustainable, long-term jobs in South Africa?**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 208 Invalid: 125 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective has this WBG-supported project or initiative been at creating sustainable, long-term jobs in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.5%
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		2	1%
3		1	0.5%
4		5	2.4%
5		43	20.7%
6		50	24%
7		21	10.1%
8		19	9.1%
9		21	10.1%
10	Very effective	41	19.7%
11	Don't know	4	1.9%
Sysmiss		125	

C1_1: National government**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		1	0.3%
3		2	0.6%
4		21	6.3%
5		64	19.3%
6		68	20.5%
7		69	20.8%
8		49	14.8%
9		25	7.5%
10	Very effective	26	7.8%
11	Don't know	6	1.8%
Sysmiss		1	

C1_2: Local government

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		2	0.6%
3		10	3%

4		28	8.4%
5		81	24.4%
6		79	23.8%
7		38	11.4%
8		35	10.5%
9		28	8.4%
10	Very effective	21	6.3%
11	Don't know	8	2.4%
Sysmiss		1	

C1_3: Parliament / legislative branch

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	Not effective at all	2	0.6%
2		0	0%
3		8	2.4%
4		32	9.6%
5		97	29.2%
6		63	19%
7		35	10.5%
8		40	12%
9		20	6%
10	Very effective	19	5.7%
11	Don't know	13	3.9%
Sysmiss		1	

C1_4: Private sector

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		4	1.2%
1	Not effective at all	3	0.9%
2		2	0.6%
3		9	2.7%
4		21	6.3%
5		76	22.9%
6		79	23.8%
7		43	13%
8		35	10.5%
9		31	9.3%
10	Very effective	20	6%
11	Don't know	9	2.7%
Sysmiss		1	

C1_5: Civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	Not effective at all	2	0.6%
2		5	1.5%
3		5	1.5%

4		49	14.8%
5		76	22.9%
6		63	19%
7		31	9.3%
8		36	10.8%
9		19	5.7%
10	Very effective	32	9.6%
11	Don't know	11	3.3%
Sysmiss		1	

C1_6: Other donors and development partners (e.g., Germany's KfW Development Bank; UK's Foreign, Commonwealth & Development Office (FCDO), and the State Secretariat for Economic Affairs of Switzerland (SECO))

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
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Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		2	0.6%
3		8	2.4%
4		43	13%
5		84	25.3%
6		58	17.5%
7		38	11.4%
8		37	11.1%
9		24	7.2%
10	Very effective	24	7.2%
11	Don't know	10	3%
Sysmiss		1	

C1_7: Academia / research centers**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at collaborating with the following groups in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		1	0.3%
3		8	2.4%
4		23	6.9%
5		96	28.9%
6		56	16.9%
7		39	11.7%
8		41	12.3%
9		34	10.2%
10	Very effective	22	6.6%
11	Don't know	9	2.7%
Sysmiss		1	

C2_1: Partnering with the government to improve the business environment in South Africa**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at partnering in terms of the following...

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%

2		0	0%
3		4	1.2%
4		11	3.3%
5		79	23.8%
6		79	23.8%
7		56	16.9%
8		38	11.4%
9		24	7.2%
10	Very effective	36	10.8%
11	Don't know	4	1.2%
Sysmiss		1	

C2_2: Partnering with the private sector in South Africa to support business development and investment

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG at partnering in terms of the following...

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not effective at all	1	0.3%
2		1	0.3%
3		4	1.2%
4		26	7.8%
5		78	23.5%
6		71	21.4%
7		47	14.2%
8		40	12%
9		31	9.3%
10	Very effective	26	7.8%
11	Don't know	7	2.1%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_1: Local government**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	296	89.2%
1	Selected	36	10.8%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_2: Parliament / legislative branch**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	300	90.4%
1	Selected	32	9.6%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_3: Provincial government**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	268	80.7%
1	Selected	64	19.3%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_4: South African Reserve Bank

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	285	85.8%
1	Selected	47	14.2%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_5: Private sector

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	244	73.5%
1	Selected	88	26.5%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_6: Private foundations and philanthropic groups

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	256	77.1%
1	Selected	76	22.9%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_7: Media

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	296	89.2%
1	Selected	36	10.8%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_8: Other donors and development partners (e.g., KfW, FCDO, SECO)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions**LITERAL QUESTION**

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	298	89.8%
1	Selected	34	10.2%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_9: Academia / research centers**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions**LITERAL QUESTION**

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	298	89.8%
1	Selected	34	10.2%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_10: Youth organizations**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	263	79.2%
1	Selected	69	20.8%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_11: Regional development banks (e.g., DBSA, AfDB, TDB, EIB)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	302	91%
1	Selected	30	9%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_12: The United Nations

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	305	91.9%
1	Selected	27	8.1%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_13: Civil society (e.g., NGOs, CBOs)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	270	81.3%
1	Selected	62	18.7%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_14: Other

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In addition to its partnership with the national government, which of the following should the WBG collaborate with more to have greater impact in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	328	98.8%
1	Selected	4	1.2%
Sysmiss		1	

C3_14_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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C4: How effective is the WBG in facilitating civil society participation in development policy dialogue and implementation in South Africa?**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 20 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How effective is the WBG in facilitating civil society participation in development policy dialogue and implementation in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		6	1.8%
1	Not effective at all	0	0%
2		0	0%
3		7	2.1%
4		16	4.8%
5		76	22.9%
6		70	21.1%
7		38	11.4%
8		18	5.4%
9		33	9.9%
10	Very effective	46	13.9%
11	Don't know	22	6.6%
Sysmiss		1	

C5:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

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D1_1: Convening power (e.g., bringing together different stakeholder groups, donor / development partner coordination, mobilizing third party financial resources)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	201	60.5%
1	Selected	129	38.9%
Sysmiss		1	

D1_2: Advisory services (e.g., capacity building and training, policy advice, technical assistance)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%

0	Not selected	189	56.9%
1	Selected	141	42.5%
Sysmiss		1	

D1_3: Financial resources (e.g., budget support, investment lending, grants, trust funds)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	116	34.9%
1	Selected	214	64.5%
Sysmiss		1	

D1_4: Data and research (e.g., statistics, reports, research on global development issues)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	189	56.9%
1	Selected	141	42.5%
Sysmiss		1	

D1_5: Other**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which WBG instruments do you value the most in South Africa? (Select up to 2)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	329	99.1%
1	Selected	1	0.3%
Sysmiss		1	

D1_5_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: -99
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: -99 - -99 Format: Numeric

D2_1: The WBG's financial instruments (i.e., budget support, loans, grants, trust funds) meet the needs of South Africa**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 232 Invalid: 101 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 17 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Strongly disagree	1	0.4%
2		0	0%
3		3	1.3%

4		26	11.2%
5		40	17.2%
6		40	17.2%
7		34	14.7%
8		20	8.6%
9		21	9.1%
10	Strongly agree	45	19.4%
11	Don't know	2	0.9%
Sysmiss		101	

D2_2: The terms of the WBG's financing are competitive compared to other available options (e.g., other development banks, private financial institutions/ investment banks, etc.)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 232 Invalid: 101 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 17 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.9%
1	Strongly disagree	0	0%
2		0	0%
3		2	0.9%
4		20	8.6%
5		45	19.4%
6		41	17.7%
7		24	10.3%
8		40	17.2%
9		32	13.8%
10	Strongly agree	20	8.6%
11	Don't know	6	2.6%
Sysmiss		101	

D2_3: The standards and requirements for the WBG's financing are reasonable**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 232 Invalid: 101 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 17 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Strongly disagree	1	0.4%
2		0	0%
3		5	2.2%
4		17	7.3%
5		36	15.5%
6		52	22.4%
7		36	15.5%
8		34	14.7%
9		25	10.8%
10	Strongly agree	21	9.1%
11	Don't know	5	2.2%
Sysmiss		101	

D2_4: The WBG provides financial support in a timely manner**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 232 Invalid: 101 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 11
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 17 Range: -99 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

To what extent do you agree with the following statements about the WBG's financial support to South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.4%
1	Strongly disagree	1	0.4%

2		0	0%
3		3	1.3%
4		6	2.6%
5		44	19%
6		46	19.8%
7		40	17.2%
8		31	13.4%
9		33	14.2%
10	Strongly agree	21	9.1%
11	Don't know	6	2.6%
Sysmiss		101	

D3: How significant a contribution do you believe the WBG's knowledge work makes to development results in South Africa?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 2 Maximum: 11

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 22 Range: 2 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How significant a contribution do you believe the WBG's knowledge work makes to development results in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not significant at all	0	0%
2		1	0.3%
3		4	1.2%
4		19	5.7%
5		85	25.6%
6		63	19%
7		50	15.1%
8		38	11.4%
9		30	9%
10	Very significant	40	12%
11	Don't know	2	0.6%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_1: Data resources**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	229	69%
1	Selected	103	31%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_2: Research and analytical reports**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	183	55.1%
1	Selected	149	44.9%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_3: Policy notes**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	268	80.7%
1	Selected	64	19.3%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_4: Advisory services

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	225	67.8%
1	Selected	107	32.2%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_5: Online collaboration platforms

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	239	72%
1	Selected	93	28%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_6: Workshops or training courses (in-person or online)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	204	61.4%
1	Selected	128	38.6%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_7: Other

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	331	99.7%
1	Selected	1	0.3%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_8: I have not used WBG knowledge work**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In the past 3 years, what WBG knowledge work have you used? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	275	82.8%
1	Selected	57	17.2%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_3: Health**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	278	83.7%
1	Selected	54	16.3%
Sysmiss		1	

D4_7_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 30 Range: - Format: character

D5: How would you rate the quality of the WBG's knowledge work (including data, research, training, policy notes, and advisory services) in South Africa?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 275 Invalid: 58 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 10
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 17 Range: -99 - 10 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you rate the quality of the WBG's knowledge work (including data, research, training, policy notes, and advisory services) in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.7%
1	Very low quality	0	0%
2		0	0%
3		1	0.4%
4		4	1.5%
5		48	17.5%
6		62	22.5%
7		46	16.7%
8		39	14.2%
9		34	12.4%
10	Very high quality	39	14.2%
11	Don't know	0	0%
Sysmiss		58	

D6: In your opinion, has the WBG influenced a new or existing government policy/action in South Africa?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 275 Invalid: 58 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 2
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: 1 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In your opinion, has the WBG influenced a new or existing government policy/action in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Yes	240	87.3%
2	No	35	12.7%
Sysmiss		58	

D7: In your opinion, has the WBG influenced strategies or actions of private sector actors in South Africa?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 275 Invalid: 58 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 2
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: -99 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

In your opinion, has the WBG influenced strategies or actions of private sector actors in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		6	2.2%
1	Yes	238	86.5%
2	No	31	11.3%
Sysmiss		58	

D8:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1239 Range: - Format: character

D9: To what extent has the WBG influenced the government's policies or strategies on employment and job creation in South Africa?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 240 Invalid: 93 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 11
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 22 Range: 1 - 11 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

To what extent has the WBG influenced the government's policies or strategies on employment and job creation in South Africa?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Not influential at all	1	0.4%
2		0	0%
3		2	0.8%
4		8	3.3%
5		49	20.4%
6		56	23.3%
7		32	13.3%
8		24	10%
9		23	9.6%
10	Very influential	41	17.1%
11	Don't know	4	1.7%
Sysmiss		93	

E1:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

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Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1207 Range: - Format: character

E2_1: Gender equity

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	309	93.1%
1	Selected	23	6.9%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_2: Water / sanitation

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	268	80.7%
1	Selected	64	19.3%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_4: Transport infrastructure

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	245	73.8%
1	Selected	87	26.2%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_5: Energy**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	214	64.5%
1	Selected	118	35.5%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_6: Public sector governance**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	271	81.6%
1	Selected	61	18.4%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_7: Agriculture / food security**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	260	78.3%
1	Selected	72	21.7%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_8: Education

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	261	78.6%
1	Selected	71	21.4%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_9: Climate change

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	298	89.8%
1	Selected	34	10.2%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_10: Digital infrastructure development

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	244	73.5%
1	Selected	88	26.5%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_11: Private sector development

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	238	71.7%
1	Selected	94	28.3%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_12: Environment / natural resource management**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	244	73.5%
1	Selected	88	26.5%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_13: Social protection**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	276	83.1%
1	Selected	56	16.9%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_14: Jobs**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	242	72.9%
1	Selected	90	27.1%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_15: Debt management

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	285	85.8%
1	Selected	47	14.2%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_16: Youth development

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	247	74.4%
1	Selected	85	25.6%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_17: Urban development

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	267	80.4%
1	Selected	65	19.6%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_18: Crime and violence

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	278	83.7%
1	Selected	54	16.3%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_19: Financial markets development**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	248	74.7%
1	Selected	84	25.3%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_20: Trade**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	290	87.3%
1	Selected	42	12.7%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_21: Macroeconomic stability**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	296	89.2%
1	Selected	36	10.8%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_22: Disaster risk management

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	283	85.2%
1	Selected	49	14.8%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_23: Tourism development

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	273	82.2%
1	Selected	59	17.8%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_24: Other**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 0 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Which areas should the WBG prioritize to have the most impact on development results in South Africa? (Select up to 5)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	332	100%
1	Selected	0	0%
Sysmiss		1	

E2_24_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: -99
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: -99 - -99 Format: Numeric

E3_1: One-stop shop for information about and access to IDA/IBRD, IFC, and MIGA products and services**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	208	62.7%
1	Selected	123	37%
Sysmiss		1	

E3_2: Having a single focal point, rather than multiple, at the World Bank Group

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	220	66.3%
1	Selected	111	33.4%
Sysmiss		1	

E3_3: Integrated public and private sector solutions to better meet South Africa's unique needs

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%

0	Not selected	145	43.7%
1	Selected	186	56%
Sysmiss		1	

E3_4: Improved speed and efficiency of WBG operations while maintaining necessary safeguards in South Africa

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	137	41.3%
1	Selected	194	58.4%
Sysmiss		1	

E3_5: I do not understand what a unified WBG country representation is about

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	301	90.7%
1	Selected	30	9%

Sysmiss

1

E3_6: I do not expect any changes**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	324	97.6%
1	Selected	7	2.1%
Sysmiss		1	

E3_7: I expect other outcomes**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 332 Invalid: 1 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What outcomes do you expect from unified leadership representing the World Bank (IBRD/IDA), IFC, and MIGA in South Africa? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	329	99.1%
1	Selected	2	0.6%
Sysmiss		1	

E3_7_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 43 Range: - Format: character

F1_1: WBG e-Newsletters**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	267	80.7%
1	Selected	62	18.7%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_2: Direct contact with WBG staff (e.g., in person, virtually, phone, email)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	144	43.5%
1	Selected	185	55.9%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_3: WBG social media channels (e.g., Facebook, LinkedIn, Instagram, Twitter/X)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	194	58.6%
1	Selected	135	40.8%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_4: WBG direct messaging (e.g., WhatsApp)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	284	85.8%
1	Selected	45	13.6%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_5: WBG event / conference / workshop (in person or online)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	123	37.2%
1	Selected	206	62.2%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_6: WBG websites (including blogs)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	254	76.7%
1	Selected	75	22.7%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_7: WBG podcasts

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	247	74.6%
1	Selected	82	24.8%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_8: WBG publications

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	239	72.2%
1	Selected	90	27.2%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_9: Other

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

How would you prefer to obtain information from the WBG? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
0	Not selected	327	98.8%
1	Selected	2	0.6%
Sysmiss		2	

F1_9_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 23 Range: - Format: character

F2: Do you recall seeing or hearing anything about the WBG recently?**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 2

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: -99 - 2 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Do you recall seeing or hearing anything about the WBG recently?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
1	Yes	197	59.5%
2	No	133	40.2%
Sysmiss		2	

F3_1: Media (television, radio, newspapers)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	135	68.5%
1	Selected	62	31.5%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_2: Event / conference / workshop (in person or online)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	119	60.4%
1	Selected	78	39.6%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_3: WBG websites (including blogs)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	140	71.1%
1	Selected	57	28.9%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_4: Social media**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	146	74.1%
1	Selected	51	25.9%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_5: Direct contact with WBG staff**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	135	68.5%
1	Selected	62	31.5%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_6: Podcast**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	165	83.8%
1	Selected	32	16.2%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_7: Direct messaging (e.g., WhatsApp)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	167	84.8%
1	Selected	30	15.2%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_8: e-Newsletter

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	157	79.7%
1	Selected	40	20.3%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_9: WBG publications

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	146	74.1%
1	Selected	51	25.9%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_10: Other

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

Where do you recall seeing or hearing this information? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	195	99%
1	Selected	2	1%
Sysmiss		136	

F3_10_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 59 Range: - Format: character

F4_1: WBG economic forecasts**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	150	76.1%
1	Selected	47	23.9%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_2: WBG reforms to become a better Bank**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	140	71.1%
1	Selected	57	28.9%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_3: WBG mission to end poverty on a livable planet**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	128	65%
1	Selected	69	35%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_4: Climate / environment**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	159	80.7%
1	Selected	38	19.3%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_5: Job creation / employment**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	136	69%
1	Selected	61	31%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_6: Education / skills development

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	132	67%
1	Selected	65	33%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_7: Agribusiness and food security

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
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0	Not selected	148	75.1%
1	Selected	49	24.9%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_8: Women empowerment

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	132	67%
1	Selected	65	33%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_9: Health

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	155	78.7%
1	Selected	42	21.3%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_10: Energy**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	133	67.5%
1	Selected	64	32.5%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_11: Transport sector**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	153	77.7%
1	Selected	44	22.3%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_12: Other**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 197 Invalid: 136 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What do you recall seeing or hearing about the WBG? (Select all that apply)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	196	99.5%
1	Selected	1	0.5%
Sysmiss		136	

F4_12_TEXT:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 33 Range: - Format: character

F5_1: Outcomes / results of WBG-supported projects or initiatives

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	206	62.2%
1	Selected	124	37.5%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_2: Impact assessments and evaluations of WBG-supported projects

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	223	67.4%
1	Selected	107	32.3%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_3: WBG sector-specific strategies

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	217	65.6%
1	Selected	113	34.1%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_4: Overview of WBG financial products and services

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	208	62.8%
1	Selected	122	36.9%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_5: Information on how to work / partner with WBG

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	184	55.6%
1	Selected	146	44.1%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_6: Regular updates on WBG activities

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	181	54.7%
1	Selected	149	45%

Sysmiss

2

F5_7: WBG research and knowledge**Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data****Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	174	52.6%
1	Selected	156	47.1%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_8: Other**Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data****Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What information would be most helpful to you in understanding the WBG's role in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		1	0.3%
0	Not selected	328	99.1%
1	Selected	2	0.6%
Sysmiss		2	

F5_8_TEXT:**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 91 Range: - Format: character

G1_1: Inadequate government accountability**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	248	74.9%
1	Selected	83	25.1%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_2: Inadequate donor coordination**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1

Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	267	80.7%
1	Selected	64	19.3%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_3: Inadequate capacity in the government**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions**LITERAL QUESTION**

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	235	71%
1	Selected	96	29%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_4: Political pressures and obstacles**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions**LITERAL QUESTION**

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	214	64.7%
1	Selected	117	35.3%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_5: Corruption**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	174	52.6%
1	Selected	157	47.4%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_6: Inadequate private sector participation

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	258	77.9%
1	Selected	73	22.1%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_7: Reforms are not well thought out in light of country challenges

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	176	53.2%
1	Selected	155	46.8%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_8: Inadequate citizen/civil society participation

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	260	78.5%
1	Selected	71	21.5%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_9: Pressure from outside interest groups (e.g., private sector, unions)

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 1
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 1 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	208	62.8%
1	Selected	123	37.2%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_10: Other

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 0 Maximum: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: 0 - 0 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

When economic and/or social reform efforts fail or are slow to take place in South Africa, which of the following would you attribute this to? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
0	Not selected	331	100%
1	Selected	0	0%
Sysmiss		2	

G1_10_TEXT:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: -99
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: -99 - -99 Format: Numeric

G2_1: Access to finance

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	190	57.4%
1	Selected	138	41.7%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_2: Regulatory environment**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	196	59.2%
1	Selected	132	39.9%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_3: Infrastructure gaps (e.g., energy, transport)**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	192	58%
1	Selected	136	41.1%

Sysmiss

2

G2_4: Availability of skilled workforce**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	178	53.8%
1	Selected	150	45.3%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_5: Political instability**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	209	63.1%
1	Selected	119	36%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_6: Corruption**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	206	62.2%
1	Selected	122	36.9%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_7: Market size / demand**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	179	54.1%
1	Selected	149	45%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_8: Other**Data file:** south_africa_cos_fy26_data**Overview**

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 1
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 12 Range: -99 - 1 Format: Numeric

Questions and instructions

LITERAL QUESTION

What are the biggest challenges facing private sector development in South Africa? (Select up to 3)

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		3	0.9%
0	Not selected	327	98.8%
1	Selected	1	0.3%
Sysmiss		2	

G2_8_TEXT:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: -99
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 8 Range: -99 - -99 Format: Numeric

G3:

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 333 Invalid: 0
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 1303 Range: - Format: character

H1: What is your gender?

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Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 4
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 21 Range: -99 - 4 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

What is your gender?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		2	0.6%
1	Female	150	45.3%

2	Male	177	53.5%
3	Other	0	0%
4	Prefer not to specify	2	0.6%
Sysmiss		2	

H2: What is your age?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 6
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 21 Range: 1 - 6 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

What is your age?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	25 or younger	1	0.3%
2	26-35	49	14.8%
3	36-45	120	36.3%
4	46-55	107	32.3%
5	56 and above	46	13.9%
6	Prefer not to specify	8	2.4%
Sysmiss		2	

H3: Within your organization, would you describe yourself as...

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Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: -99 Maximum: 5
Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 34 Range: -99 - 5 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

Within your organization, would you describe yourself as...

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
-99		16	4.8%

1	Junior level	5	1.5%
2	Mid-level staff	48	14.5%
3	Mid-level decision-maker / manager	104	31.4%
4	Senior level	153	46.2%
5	Prefer not to specify	5	1.5%
Sysmiss		2	

H4: Which best represents your geographic location?

Data file: south_africa_cos_fy26_data

Overview

Valid: 331 Invalid: 2 Minimum: 1 Maximum: 9
 Type: Discrete Decimal: 0 Width: 13 Range: 1 - 9 Format: Numeric

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LITERAL QUESTION

Which best represents your geographic location?

CATEGORIES

Value	Category	Cases	
1	Gauteng	84	25.4%
2	KwaZulu-Natal	65	19.6%
3	Western Cape	70	21.1%
4	Eastern Cape	64	19.3%
5	Northern Cape	9	2.7%
6	Free State	11	3.3%
7	North West	8	2.4%
8	Mpumalanga	10	3%
9	Limpopo	10	3%
Sysmiss		2	

Documentation

Questionnaires

World Bank Group Country Survey FY 2026 - South Africa Paper Questionnaire

Title	World Bank Group Country Survey FY 2026 - South Africa Paper Questionnaire
Author(s)	World Bank Group
Country	South Africa
Description	World Bank Group Country Survey FY 2026 - South Africa Paper Questionnaire
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World Bank Group Country Survey FY 2026 - South Africa Online Questionnaire

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Reports

FY 2026 South Africa Country Opinion Survey Report

Title	FY 2026 South Africa Country Opinion Survey Report
Author(s)	World Bank Group
Country	South Africa
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Filename	south_africa_cos_fy26_report_final_.pdf

Technical documents

South Africa Country Opinion Survey 2026 - Tables with Data Breakdown

Title	South Africa Country Opinion Survey 2026 - Tables with Data Breakdown
Author(s)	World Bank Group
Country	South Africa
Description	South Africa Country Opinion Survey 2026 - Tables with Data Breakdown
Filename	south_africa_cos_fy26_appendices.xlsx

FY 2026 South Africa Country Opinion Survey Codebook

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Author(s)	World Bank Group
Country	South Africa
Description	FY 2026 South Africa Country Opinion Survey Codebook
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