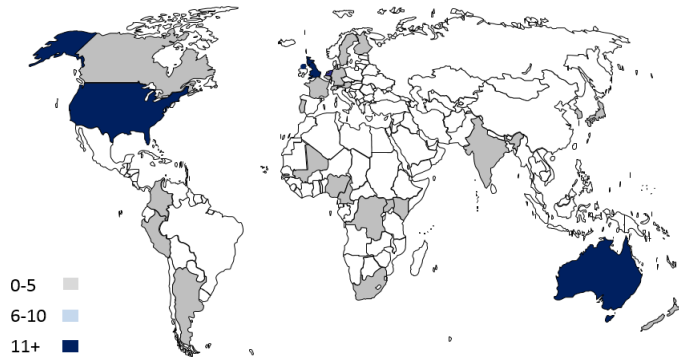


## Brookings Impact Bonds Snapshot – February 1, 2019

### Contracted globally:

- 135 impact bonds across 28 countries
- Social impact bonds (SIBs): 128
- Development impact bonds (DIBs): 7



### Contracted by sector:



**Employment:**  
45



**Social Welfare:**  
48



**Health:**  
18



**Education:**  
12



**Criminal Justice:** 10



**Environment & Agriculture:** 2

### Key stats:

**Average contract duration:**  
51 months



**Average beneficiaries 14,435**  
BUT half serve fewer than 500



**Average upfront capital**  
\$3.71 million



**Sum of upfront capital**  
\$396.6 million



*\*Calculations based on available data*

### Focus: Developing countries\*

Impact bonds contracted in:



- India (3)
- South Africa (2)
- Cameroon (1)
- Colombia (1)
- Kenya & Uganda (1)
- Mali, Nigeria & DRC (1)
- Peru (1)

Sectors:  
Health (3), Education (3),  
Employment (2), Social  
Welfare (1), Agriculture (1)



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*\*Argentina (classified as high-income country in 2018) has contracted a SIB for youth employment*