Brookings Impact Bonds Snapshot – January 1, 2019

Contracted globally:
- 134 impact bonds across 27 countries
- Social impact bonds (SIBs): 127
- Development impact bonds (DIBs): 7

Contracted by sector:
- Employment: 45
- Social Welfare: 47
- Health: 19
- Education: 12
- Criminal Justice: 9
- Environment & Agriculture: 2

Key stats:
- Average contract duration: 52 months
- Average beneficiaries 14,733 BUT half serve fewer than 522
- Average upfront capital $3.74 million
- Sum of upfront capital $370.15 million

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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