**Multi Country and South-South and Triangular Cooperation Project: Funding Source**

Multi-country and South-South and Triangular Cooperation (SS&TC) projects can receive funding from the following sources:

1. Regular (core) programme resources (country-specific, regional and global window core programme resource lines (fund 04XXX))
2. A variety of other (non-core) resources such as a country programme cost sharing account (fund 11888/30084), trust funds and direct government and third-party cost sharing contributions

The project budget shall be set up in Atlas using the respective fund codes for core and non-core resources, and are subject to the relevant procedures governing the respective funds. For instance, if a multi-country SS&TC project receives funding from a specific trust fund, the trust fund’s procedures on fund allocation, and general management service (GMS) rate & internal distribution of the cost recovery income shall be applied.

A new cost-sharing agreement template for “*Multi-Country and* *South-South Cooperation (SSC) Agreement between the Partners*” shall be used to receive a cost-sharing contribution from a Southern partner. For triangular cooperation, the agreement to be signed is the standard donor agreement applicable to that donor.

A special fund code “30081” shall be used to receive and track the contributing partners’ contributions to South-South and Triangular Cooperation projects.

Table A below provides an example of a multi-country and SS&TC project budget with multiple funding sources:

Table A: Annual Project Budget in $ US

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| Activity | Budget Item | Fund Code | Responsible party | Donor | Budget ($) |
| xxx | IP staff (Technical Expert) | 04000 – TRAC 1 | per project document | UNDP | 150,000 |
| xxx | GS staff (Technical & operating support) | 11888 – Country co-financing CCF | UNDP | 190,476 |
| xxx | Consultants | 30081 –SS & TC | Prog.Govt  | 285,714  |
| xxx | Travel  | 30081 – SS & TC | Donor (Third party cost sharing) | 138,889 |
| xxx | GMS (5%) | 11888 - CCF | UNDP | 9,523 |
| xxx | GMS (5%) | 30081 – SS &TC | Prog.Govt | 14,285 |
| xxx | GMS (8%) | 30081 – SS & TC | Donor (Third party cost sharing) | 11,111 |
| Total |  |  |  |  | $800,000 |