



Experiential and Perception Data: Measuring Goal 16 and Leaving No One Behind

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Goal 16: Peace, justice and strong institution

Target 16.3: Promote the rule of law at the national and international levels and ensure equal access to justice for all



How people encounter justice?

- **Top-down:** complaints, cases, calls for service, registrations at the levels of formal and informal institutions
- Bottom-up: citizens experience a justice need and travel a justice journey. Access to justice is about
 - Dispute, dissagreement, grievance which potentially has a legal resolution
 - Being able to embark on a justice journey
 - Being able to receive fair and just resolution at the end of the journey



Many justice needs

- Ukraine 54%
- Uganda 88%
- Yemen 94%
- Mali 30%
- Indonesia 16%

Most are civil and administrative matters, crime is rarely a very prevalent category



Bottom-up approach

- Identifies the botom of the piramid
 - Many justice needs are lumped
 - Ukraine 44%
 - Yemen 39%
 - Mali 25%
 - Uganda 38%



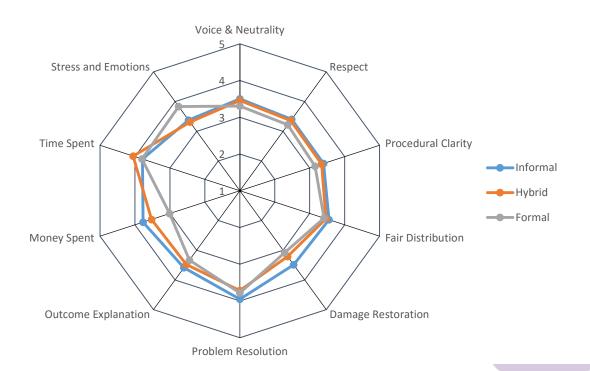
Bottom-up approach

- Identifies the botom of the piramid
 - Many justice needs are resolved outside of the formal institutions
 - Yemen 5% courts
 - Mali 7% court or similar tribunal
 - Ukraine 2.3% court
 - Uganda 8%



Bottom-up approach

- Can show the content of justice
 - Whether people received or not fair resolutions



Challenges

- Data availability
- Samples
- Cultural influences
- Values
- Taxonomy of problems
- Numerous problems



