



This forum analysed trends in aid quantity, effectiveness and allocation; accountability and transparency; South-South and decentralized cooperation; the impact of food, financial and climate crises on aid; and an agenda to improve aid beyond 2010. DFI contributed to drafting the UN Secretary-General's report to the meeting, which can be seen [here](#) . The results of the meeting will feed into the process of negotiating the September

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, as well as into the

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