The following two pages capture DSS’s performance on UN-SWAP 2.0 indicators for 2019.

In 2019, DSS met or exceeded the requirements for 7 performance indicators out of 11 applicable.
Most significant gains
• DSS newly met the requirements for Knowledge and Communication, while maintaining strong performance on Policy, Leadership and Gender Architecture, among other indicators.

Areas for improvement
• UN Women encourages DSS to prioritize the three indicators that approached requirements, and Capacity Assessment, the only indicator marked as missing.
• Additionally, UN Women recommends reassessing the applicability of the first four indicators and, most importantly, Financial Resource Tracking and Allocation.
In 2019, DSS met or exceeded requirements for fewer indicators than both the average for the UN Secretariat and the overall UN system.

In addition, DSS rated 35 per cent of indicators as not applicable. In comparison, on average the UN Secretariat and the overall UN system rated 10 and 9 per cent of indicators as not applicable, respectively.

In 2019, DSS did not report on two indicators that were missing requirements in 2018.

DSS is also exceeding requirements for two less indicators as compared with 2018.