V1: Summary of Issues in Budget Execution

Table V1.1: Overview of Vote Expenditures (UShs Billion)

		Approved Budget	Revised Budget	Released by End Q3	Spent by End Q3	% Budget Released	% Budget Spent	% Releases Spent
D (Wage	0.989	0.989	0.495	0.495	50.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
Recurrent	Non-Wage	3.974	4.767	3.774	3.774	95.0 %	95.0 %	100.0 %
	GoU	0.150	0.150	0.075	0.075	50.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
Devt.	Ext Fin.	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
	GoU Total	5.113	5.906	4.344	4.344	85.0 %	85.0 %	100.0 %
Total GoU+Ex	t Fin (MTEF)	5.113	5.906	4.344	4.344	85.0 %	85.0 %	100.0 %
	Arrears	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
	Total Budget	5.113	5.906	4.344	4.344	85.0 %	85.0 %	100.0 %
	A.I.A Total	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.0 %	0.0 %	0.0 %
	Grand Total	5.113	5.906	4.344	4.344	85.0 %	85.0 %	100.0 %
Total Vote Bud	get Excluding Arrears	5.113	5.906	4.344	4.344	85.0 %	85.0 %	100.0 %

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 Table V1.2: Releases and Expenditure by Programme and Sub-SubProgramme*

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Revised Budget	Released by End Q3	Spent by End Q3	% Budget Released	% Budget Spent	%Releases Spent
Programme:16 Governance And Security	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0%
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0%
Total for the Vote	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0 %

Table V1.3: High Unspent Balances and Over-Expenditure in the Approved Budget (Ushs Bn)

(ii) Expenditures in excess of the original approved budget

Departments, **Projects**

Programme:001 Embassy in Canberra, Australia

Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services

SubProgramme:01 Institutional Coordination

 0.228
 Bn Shs
 Department : 001 Embassy in Canberra, Australia

 Reason: 0

 Items

0.228 UShs 227001 Travel inland

Reason: The Embassy received a Supplementary Budget to undertake its activities

V2: Performance Highlights

Table V2.1: PIAP outputs and output Indicators

Programme:16 Governance And Security						
SubProgramme:01 Institutional Coordination						
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services						
Department:001 Embassy in Canberra, Australia						
Budget Output: 000014 Administrative and Support Services						
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support services provided						
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake financing and adminis	stration of programm	ie services				
PIAP Output Indicators	Indicator Measure	Planned 2023/24	Actuals By END Q 3			
Number of reports prepared	Number	08	10			
Project:1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra						
Budget Output: 000003 Facilities and Equipment Management						
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support services provided						
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake financing and administration of programme services						
PIAP Output Indicators	Indicator Measure	Planned 2023/24	Actuals By END Q 3			
Number of reports prepared	Number	01	01			

Performance highlights for the Quarter

-Coordinated the visit of two New Zealand Investors in the Dairy Industry, who visited Uganda on an Investment trip, and met the Minister of Agriculture and other Government Officials

-Attracted two companies from New Zealand in the Dairy Sector namely the Livestock Investment Cooperation and Interlac Corporation. -Facilitated two Ugandan companies to find market for their products in Australia.

-Facilitated an online stakeholder engagement to raise funds to invest a cold brew facility in Uganda.

-Participated in multi-cultural festival in Canberra show casing Uganda, tourism and culture.

-Completed 60 passport applications, 30 dual citizenship applications, handled 225 online visa application and 30 national ID registrations. -Received Agreement from the Kingdom of Tonga to present letters of Credence

-Attended African Heads of Mission Group working Luncheon hosted by Payrdirt Officials to discuss the outcome of the last Africa Down Under Mining Conference held in Perth in and prepare for the upcoming conference to be held in September 2024

-Attended Workshop by the UN Information Centre for Australia, New Zealand, and the Pacific.

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-Attended a high-level briefing at Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade themed Australia-Africa Development Partnership Plans (DPP).

- Attended the meeting of African Heads of Mission with the Australian Parliament Joint Standing Committee on Foreign Affairs, Defense and Trade to promote cooperation between our countries and Australia.

-Held a meeting with the Fred Hollows Foundation, to discuss follow-up actions on efforts to eradicate Trachoma and other neglected diseases in Uganda.

-Facilitated the official visit of the Honorary Consul of New Zealand in Uganda in January 2023.

-Mobilization of Christian Pilgrims to attend the annual Uganda Martyrs Day in Namugongo.

-Carried out a Consular Clinic in Sydney, New South Wales.

-Covered all important High Commission Activities on Social Media account and updated the Mission website

Variances and Challenges

-Insufficient Budget to undertake activities as per plan

-The sheer size of the area to which the Mission is accredited (9 countries)

-A very high cost of living making it difficult for us to operate with limited resources

-Inadequate and untimely response by some MDAs to our correspondences and enquiries

-Lack of a clear Diaspora policy

-Time difference

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V3: Details of Releases and Expenditure

Table V3.1: GoU Releases and Expenditure by Budget Output*

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Revised Budget	Released by End Q3	Spent by End Q3	% GoU Budget Released	% GoU Budget Spent	% GoU Releases Spent
Programme:16 Governance And Security	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0 %
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0 %
000003 Facilities and Equipment Management	0.150	0.150	0.075	0.075	50.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
000014 Administrative and Support Services	4.963	5.756	4.268	4.268	86.0 %	86.0 %	100.0 %
Total for the Vote	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0 %

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Revised Budget	Released by End Q3	Spent by End Q3	% GoU Budget Released	% GoU Budget Spent	% GoU Releases Spent
211102 Contract Staff Salaries	0.989	0.989	0.495	0.495	50.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
211106 Allowances (Incl. Casuals, Temporary, sitting allowances)	1.492	1.615	1.242	1.242	83.3 %	83.3 %	100.0 %
212102 Medical expenses (Employees)	0.300	0.340	0.265	0.265	88.3 %	88.3 %	100.0 %
221009 Welfare and Entertainment	0.120	0.200	0.170	0.170	141.7 %	141.7 %	100.0 %
221011 Printing, Stationery, Photocopying and Binding	0.050	0.050	0.038	0.038	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
221012 Small Office Equipment	0.038	0.078	0.069	0.069	180.3 %	180.3 %	100.0 %
222001 Information and Communication Technology Services.	0.050	0.090	0.078	0.078	155.0 %	155.0 %	100.0 %
222002 Postage and Courier	0.000	0.010	0.010	0.010	0.0 %	0.0 %	100.0 %
223005 Electricity	0.185	0.185	0.139	0.139	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
223006 Water	0.010	0.010	0.008	0.008	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
223007 Other Utilities- (fuel, gas, firewood, charcoal)	0.095	0.095	0.071	0.071	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
223901 Rent-(Produced Assets) to other govt. units	0.899	0.899	0.674	0.674	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
227001 Travel inland	0.210	0.490	0.438	0.438	208.3 %	208.3 %	100.0 %
227002 Travel abroad	0.345	0.485	0.399	0.399	115.6 %	115.6 %	100.0 %
227004 Fuel, Lubricants and Oils	0.082	0.082	0.062	0.062	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
228002 Maintenance-Transport Equipment	0.051	0.091	0.078	0.078	153.4 %	153.4 %	100.0 %
228004 Maintenance-Other Fixed Assets	0.047	0.047	0.035	0.035	75.0 %	75.0 %	100.0 %
312235 Furniture and Fittings - Acquisition	0.150	0.150	0.075	0.075	50.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
Total for the Vote	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0 %

Table V3.3: Releases and Expenditure by Department and Project*

Billion Uganda Shillings	Approved Budget	Revised Budget	Released by End Q3	Spent by End Q3	% GoU Budget Released	% GoU Budget Spent	% GoU Releases Spent
Programme:16 Governance And Security	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.95 %	84.95 %	100.00 %
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.95 %	84.95 %	100.0 %
Departments							
001 Embassy in Canberra, Australia	4.963	5.756	4.268	4.268	86.0 %	86.0 %	100.0 %
Development Projects							
1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra	0.150	0.150	0.075	0.075	50.0 %	50.0 %	100.0 %
Total for the Vote	5.113	5.906	4.343	4.343	84.9 %	84.9 %	100.0 %

Table V3.4: External Financing Releases and Expenditure by Sub-SubProgramme and Project

Quarter 3: Outputs and Expenditure in the Quarter

Outputs Planned in Quarter	Actual Outputs Achieved in Quarter	Reasons for Variation in performance
Programme:16 Governance And Security		
SubProgramme:01 Institutional Coordination		
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services		
Departments		
Department:001 Embassy in Canberra, Australia		
Budget Output:000014 Administrative and Support Service	vices	
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support services	s provided	
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake financing a	and administration of programme services	
05 Bilateral engagement coordinated , USD 30m worth of FDI, USD 1.0M worth of Ugandan exports, and 1500 Tourist Arrivals, conduct 08 consular clinics in the area of accreditation	 -Received agrement from the kingdom of Tonga to present letters of Credence. -Participated in multicultural festival -Mobilized Christian tourists to Namugongo -co-ordinated 6 bilateral engagements. -60 passport applications completed. -30 dual citizenship applications completed. - 225 online visa application challenges handled; -30 National Identification Document registrations handled -Carried out a Consular Clinic in Sydney, New South Wales -Facilitated the official visit of the Honorary Consul of New Zealand in Uganda in January 2023; -Facilitated two groups of investors from New Zealand to meet senior government officials. -Attracted two companies from New Zealand in the Dairy Sector. -Facilitated Chiaro Foods and Mountain Harvest Coffee find market for Ugandan products in Australia. -Facilitated an online stakeholder engagement . -Covered all important High Commission Activities on Social Media account -Updated Website -held Meeting with diaspora in Sydney. 	 -low tourist arrivals registered due to Australian government travel advisory note against visiting Uganda. -insufficient funds to cover whole area of accreditation. -postponement of presentation of letters of credence to The Government of Vanuatu. -A very high cost of living making it difficult for us to operate with limited resources -Lack of a clear Diaspora policy. -Insufficient Budget to undertake activities as per plan. -Time difference.

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Outputs Planned in Quarter	Actual Outputs Achieved in Quarter	Reasons for Variation in performance
Expenditures incurred in the Quarter to deli	ver outputs	UShs Thousand
Item		Spent
211102 Contract Staff Salaries		247,272.143
211106 Allowances (Incl. Casuals, Temporary,	sitting allowances)	372,962.000
212102 Medical expenses (Employees)		94,986.750
221009 Welfare and Entertainment		70,000.000
221011 Printing, Stationery, Photocopying and	Binding	12,500.000
221012 Small Office Equipment		49,500.000
222001 Information and Communication Techn	ology Services.	52,500.000
222002 Postage and Courier		10,000.000
223005 Electricity		46,250.000
223006 Water		2,500.000
223007 Other Utilities- (fuel, gas, firewood, ch	arcoal)	23,750.000
223901 Rent-(Produced Assets) to other govt. u	inits	224,668.750
227001 Travel inland		209,198.817
227002 Travel abroad		156,250.000
227004 Fuel, Lubricants and Oils		20,500.000
228002 Maintenance-Transport Equipment		32,750.000
228004 Maintenance-Other Fixed Assets		11,781.230
	Total For Budget Output	1,637,369.689
	Wage Recurrent	247,272.143
	Non Wage Recurrent	1,390,097.546
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000
	Total For Department	1,637,369.689
	Wage Recurrent	247,272.143
	Non Wage Recurrent	1,390,097.546
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000
Develoment Projects		
Project:1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra		

Project:1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra

Budget Output:000003 Facilities and Equipment Management

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Outputs Planned in Quarter	Actual Outputs Achieved in Quarter	Reasons for Variation in performance
Project:1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra		
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration suppo	ort services provided	
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake f	inancing and administration of programme services	
	Purchased furniture for official residence, other staff residences and chancery	No variation
Expenditures incurred in the Quarter to delive	er outputs	UShs Thousand
Item		Spent
	Total For Budget Output	0.000
	GoU Development	0.000
	External Financing	0.000
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000
	Total For Project	0.000
	GoU Development	0.000
	External Financing	0.000
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000
	GRAND TOTAL	1,637,369.689
	Wage Recurrent	247,272.143
	Non Wage Recurrent	1,390,097.546
	GoU Development	0.000
	External Financing	0.000
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000

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Quarter 3: Cumulative Outputs and Expenditure by End of Quarter

Annual Planned Outputs	Cumulative Outputs Achieved by End of Quarter
Programme:16 Governance And Security	
SubProgramme:01 Institutional Coordination	
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Services	
Departments	
Department:001 Embassy in Canberra, Australia	
Budget Output:000014 Administrative and Support Services	
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support services provided	
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake financing and administra	tion of programme services
08 Bilateral Engagements coordinated USD 100M worth of FDI USD 5M worth of Ugandan exports to Australia and areas of accreditation 4000 Tourist arrivals attracted to Uganda	 -presented credentials in the Republic of Fiji. -coordinated eight(8) bilateral engagements - Carried out 4 Consular Clinics in Adelaide South Australia ,Sydney, New south Wales and Melbourne Victoria -110 passport applications completed; -62 dual citizenship applications completed; -425 online visa application challenges handled; -160 National I.D registrations handled -USD 0.63m Worth of exports to Australia. -1515 tourists arrivals registered. -Offered Protocol Support Services to facilitated the arrival and departure of 1 cultural leader and a team of senior government officials from Uganda. -Held an engagement with torrent university which agreed to consider collaboration with 07 public universities in Uganda. -Coordinated 4 stakeholder engagement meetings. -Celebrated Uganda's 61th Independence Anniversary in southern Australia-Adelaide. -Participated in Canberra multicultural festival showcasing Uganda

Item	Spent
211102 Contract Staff Salaries	494,544.286
211106 Allowances (Incl. Casuals, Temporary, sitting allowances)	1,242,283.635
212102 Medical expenses (Employees)	264,960.250
221009 Welfare and Entertainment	170,000.000
221011 Printing, Stationery, Photocopying and Binding	37,500.000

Annual Planned Outputs	Cumulative Outputs Achieved b	y End of Quarter
Cumulative Expenditures made by the End of the Deliver Cumulative Outputs	he Quarter to	UShs Thousand
Item		Spent
221012 Small Office Equipment		68,500.000
222001 Information and Communication Technolo	gy Services.	77,500.000
222002 Postage and Courier		10,000.000
223005 Electricity		138,750.000
223006 Water		7,500.000
223007 Other Utilities- (fuel, gas, firewood, charco	pal)	71,250.000
223901 Rent-(Produced Assets) to other govt. units	5	674,006.250
227001 Travel inland		437,500.000
227002 Travel abroad		398,750.000
227004 Fuel, Lubricants and Oils		61,500.000
228002 Maintenance-Transport Equipment		78,250.000
228004 Maintenance-Other Fixed Assets		35,343.690
	Total For Budget Output	4,268,138.110
	Wage Recurrent	494,544.286
	Non Wage Recurrent	3,773,593.824
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000
	Total For Department	4,268,138.110
	Wage Recurrent	494,544.286
	Non Wage Recurrent	3,773,593.824
	Arrears	0.000
	AIA	0.000
Development Projects		

Budget Output:000003 Facilities and Equipment Management

PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support services provided

Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake financing and administration of programme services

-Official Residence and Chancery furniture Purchased

Purchased furniture for official residence ,other staff residences and chancery.

Annual Planned Outputs	Cumulative Outputs Achieved by End o	f Quarter		
Project:1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra				
Cumulative Expenditures made by the End of the Quar Deliver Cumulative Outputs	rter to	UShs Thousand		
Item		Spent		
312235 Furniture and Fittings - Acquisition		75,000.000		
	Total For Budget Output	75,000.000		
	GoU Development	75,000.000		
	External Financing	0.000		
	Arrears	0.000		
	AIA	0.000		
	Total For Project	75,000.000		
	GoU Development	75,000.000		
	External Financing	0.000		
	Arrears	0.000		
	AIA	0.000		
	GRAND TOTAL	4,343,138.109		
	Wage Recurrent	494,544.286		
	Non Wage Recurrent	3,773,593.824		
	GoU Development	75,000.000		
	External Financing	0.000		
	Arrears	0.000		
	AIA	0.000		

Quarter 4: Revised Workplan

Annual Plans	Quarter's Plan	Revised Plans
Programme:16 Governance And Security		
SubProgramme:01		
Sub SubProgramme:01 Overseas Mission Serv	ices	
Departments		
Department:001 Embassy in Canberra, Austra	lia	
Budget Output:000014 Administrative and Sup	oport Services	
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support	rt services provided	
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake fi	nancing and administration of programme	services
 -08 Bilateral Engagements coordinated -USD 100M worth of FDI -USD 5M worth of Ugandan exports to Australia and areas of accreditation -4000 Tourist arrivals attracted to Uganda 	02 Bilateral engagements coordinated	05 Bilateral engagement coordinated, USD 30n worth of FDI, USD 1.0M worth of Ugandan exports, and 1500 Tourist Arrivals, conduct 08 consular clinics in the area of accreditation
Develoment Projects	1	
Project:1712 Retooling Mission in Canberra		
Budget Output:000003 Facilities and Equipme	nt Management	
PIAP Output: 16060501 Administration support	rt services provided	
Programme Intervention: 160605 Undertake fi	nancing and administration of programme	services
-Official Residence and Chancery furniture Purchased	NA	Official Residence and Chancery furniture Purchased

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V4: NTR Collections, Off Budget Expenditure and Vote Cross Cutting Issues

Table 4.1: NTR Collections (Billions)

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 Table 4.2: Off-Budget Expenditure By Department and Project

Table 4.3: Vote Crosscutting Issues

i) Gender and Equity

Objective:	Gender awareness and consideration at the workplace
Issue of Concern:	-Gender awareness and consideration -Youth unemployment, single mothers, girl child education and promoting equality for disabled and care for the elderly. -creation of children centre for single mothers at Mission.
Planned Interventions:	-Mobilize resources towards support of the youth, disabled, children and women; -Build the capacity of its staff in gender analysis, Planning and budgeting; -Balanced staffing levels 50-50 male and female at Mission
Budget Allocation (Billion):	0.040
Performance Indicators:	 -Convenient washroom facilities for Persons with Disabilities (lifts and ramps). -Counselling, health talks, gender empowerment programs for youths, men and women -Consider gender balance in composition of Staff at the Mission
Actual Expenditure By End Q3	0.04
Performance as of End of Q3	Counselling, health tasks and gender empowerment programs for youth, men and women were undertaken
Reasons for Variations	No Variation

ii) HIV/AIDS

Objective:	Implementing HIV/AIDS favourable workplace policy
Issue of Concern:	To ensure full potential of persons infected with HIV
Planned Interventions:	-Support culture of living a responsible life - Provide medical care to staff affected, offer counselling services -Lobby for officers on posting to stay with families -Undertake HIV/AIDS sensitization workshops
Budget Allocation (Billion):	0.050
Performance Indicators:	-Strengthen the Mission's capacity to streamline HIV/AIDS effects on men and women - Support HIV/AIDS workplace programs at Mission. - 4 HIV sensitization workshops carried out
Actual Expenditure By End Q3	0.0478
Performance as of End of Q3	Counselling and HIV awareness creation activities were undertaken through the 'Ekisakate' programme ,Staff posted to the mission come as a family,
Reasons for Variations	No Variation

iii) Environment

Objective:

Issue of Concern:	-Environmental degradation -Clean, safe and secure working Environment.
Planned Interventions:	 -Ensuring proper waste disposal at Mission. -Encouraging paperless offices -Encouraging purchase of recycled stationary. -Ensure safe and secure working Environment -Lobby for training courses and programmes on climate change and environment
Budget Allocation (Billion):	0.020
Performance Indicators:	 Promoted environmental issues in areas of accreditation. Clean, safe and secure environment maintained Number of staff sensitized on environmental protection Number of training programmes undertaken
Actual Expenditure By End Q3	0.0187
Performance as of End of Q3	Planted trees at chancery compound, Ensured proper waste disposal and chancery compound maintenance.
Reasons for Variations	No Variation

iv) Covid

Objective:	A Covid-19 free working environment
Issue of Concern:	 -Procure and print materials and posters to enhance COVID 19 Education, information dissemination, sensitization and awareness on the disease. - Install hand sanitizer dispensers at the chancery - Re-arrange the office to adhere to social distancing.
Planned Interventions:	 -Develop COVID -19 workplace policy for men and women - Develop Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) - Empower staff with Health tips about COVID-19 - Equip the Mission with COVID-19 protective equipment's like hand sanitizer dispensers.
Budget Allocation (Billion):	0.030
Performance Indicators:	-Low rates of Covid-19 contraction at the Mission - Installed hand sanitizer dispensers at the chancery for men and women
Actual Expenditure By End Q3	0.0297
Performance as of End of Q3	Purchased sanitizers, masks and other cleaning items to ensure aclean and covid free environment at the chancery.
Reasons for Variations	No Variation