

Status Report on Arrears in Principal, Interest and Service Charge Payments

This document has been prepared to provide Executive Board representatives with information regarding the status of arrears as at 30 September 2018.

Table 1
Year-on-year comparison of arrears by region 2018-2017
(Thousands of United States dollars)

<i>Region</i>	<i>Number of loans</i>	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Interest and service charges</i>	<i>Total arrears</i>	<i>Percentage</i>
West and Central Africa					
As at 30 Sept 2018	7	1 144	289	1 433	2
As at 30 Sept 2017	6	281	103	384	1
East and Southern Africa					
As at 30 Sept 2018	4	2 375	16	2 391	4
As at 30 Sept 2017	4	2 433	42	2 475	5
Asia and the Pacific					
As at 30 Sept 2018	3	16 761	2 506	19 267	29
As at 30 Sept 2017	3	15 091	2 091	17 182	32
Latin America and the Caribbean					
As at 30 Sept 2018	3	2 358	77	2 435	4
As at 30 Sept 2017	-	-	-	-	-
Near East, North Africa and Europe					
As at 30 Sept 2018	24	30 892	9 196	40 088	61
As at 30 Sept 2017	24	25 261	7 979	33 240	62
Total all regions					
As at 30 Sept 2018	41	53 530	12 084	65 614	100
As at 30 Sept 2017	37	43 066	10 215	53 281	100

Table 2
Summary of borrowers with arrears exceeding 75 days
(Thousands of United States dollars)

<i>Borrower</i> [*]	<i>Principal</i>	<i>Interest and service charges</i>	<i>Total arrears</i>
Democratic People's Republic of Korea	16 761	2 506	19 267
Congo	795	230	1 025
Somalia	19 065	6 781	25 846
Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)	2 358	77	2 435
Yemen	11 827	2 415	14 242
Total	50 806	12 009	62 815

* As at 30 September 2018, these countries represent 95.7 per cent of total arrears due to IFAD.