

Mongolia: Enhancing Resource Management through Institutional Transformation

Revenue Flows in the Extractive Sector of Mongolia: Case of Dornod Province

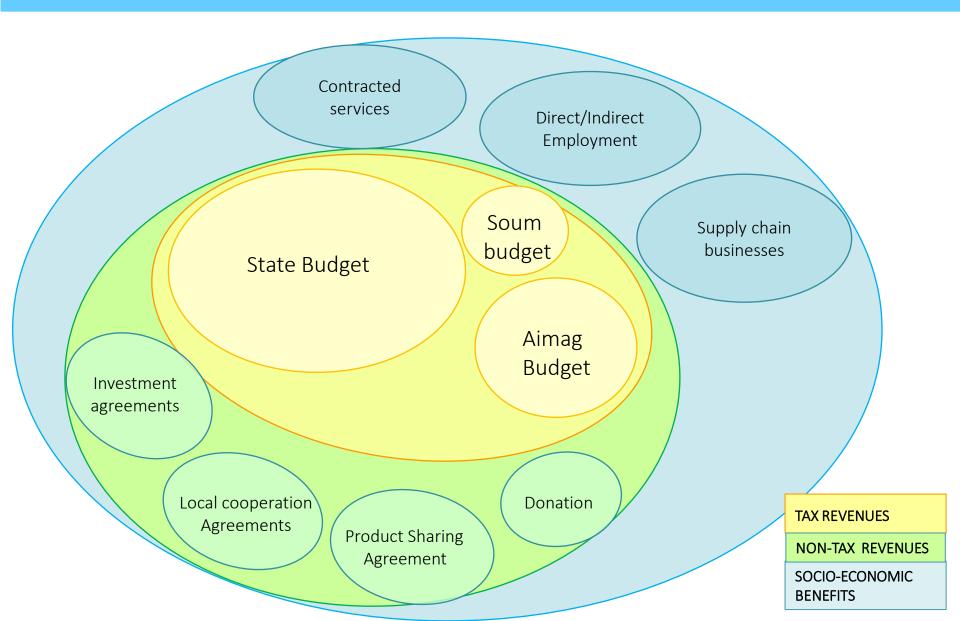
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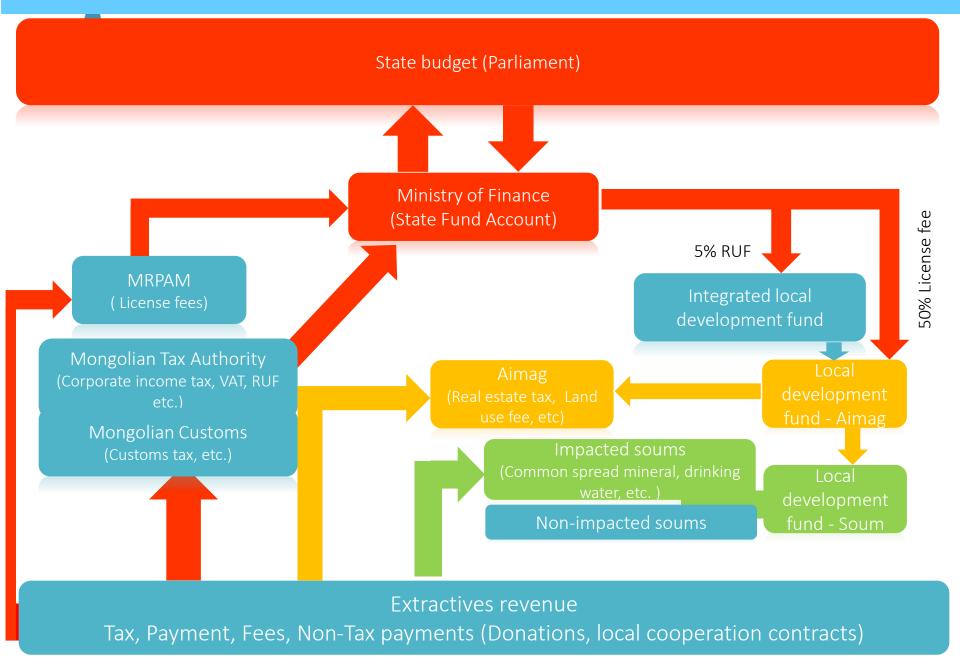
Objectives and Expected Results

- Discuss revenue flows and case of Dornod province
- Discussion of proposed next steps for MERIT project
- Partner/WG feedback and direction on next steps for MERIT

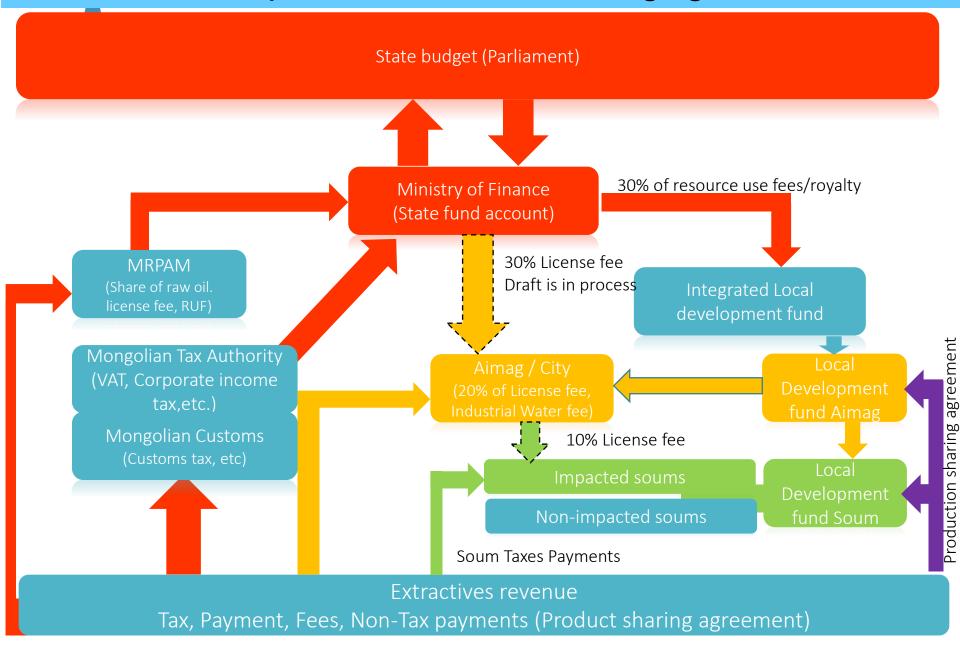
Revenues in the extractives sector



Revenue flows for minerals

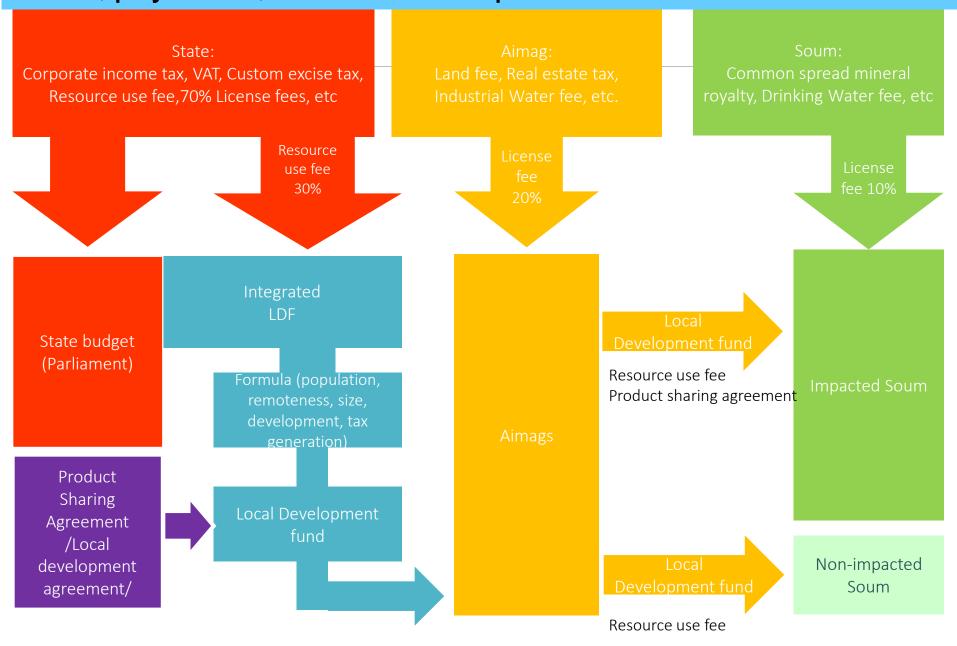


Revenue flows in petroleum: Product sharing agreements



RUF – Resource use fee /Royalty as specified in Product sharing agreements

Taxes, payments, and fees in the petroleum sector





REVENUES

Challenges / Limitations in Revenues' Data

Data sources

- Transparency/ confidentiality of Product Sharing Agreements
- Access to Aimag and Soum level financial data
- Lack of specifics in financial reports

Missing data

- Consumption levels of water in the mines (water use fees)
- Detailed cadastral information (land use fees)
- Access to registry of real estates at Aimag level and their values (real estate fee)
- Numbers of foreign citizens employed by each mine (fees)
- Registration of vehicles used/owned by mines
- Consumption levels of common minerals (fees)

Actual payments in 2016: Petroleum Royalty

Name of tax, payment, and fee	Receiver	Actual payment, MNT (2016)
Royalty	State budget	126,131,358,756.00₮
	Dornod Aimag budget	30% distributed to 21 provinces through Integrated LDF

Source: EITI e-report (2016)

Actual payments in 2016: Petroleum License Fee

Name of tax, payment, and	Receiver	Actual
fee		(2016)
Petroleum License fee	State budget	422,597,926.80 ₮
	Dornod aimag budget	
	20% of license fee of PetroChina Daqing	
	XIX, XXI sites	0
	Matad soum budget	
	10% of license fee of PetroChina Daqing XIX site	0
	Khalkhgol soum budget	
	10% of License fee of PetroChina Daqing XXI site	0

Source: EITI e-report (2016)

Actual payments in 2016: Petroleum

Name of tax, payment, and fee	Receiver	Legally due	Actual payment, MNT (June 2017)
Payment for employing foreign workers	State budget		1,461,504,000.00₮
Payment for employing foreign workers	Dornod aimag budget	Need to know exact foreign worker and local worker numbers	0

Source: EITI (2016), Government report

Actual payments in 2016: Petroleum

Name of tax, payment, and fee	Receiver	Legally due	Actual payment, MNT (June 2017)
Tax on vehicles and self-moving mechanism	Dornod Aimag budget or other aimag and city budget	Need to know Petrochina's vehicles registration	47,282,000.00₹

Source: EITI e-report (2016)

Actual payments in 2016: Petroleum

Name of tax, Receiver Legally due Actual payment, MNT payment, and fee (June 2017)

Fee for water use Dornod budget Aimag Water consumption 2,935,902,515.00₹ information is required.

Source: EITI e-report (2016)

Extractive Industry Fees to Local Governments, 2017

	'000Т	as % of Total Discretionary Revenue Budget
Dornod Aimag Mining Process Water& Land Fees	3,340,000	6.9%
Bayandun Drinking Water Fees	n/a	n/a
Dashbalbar Drinking Water Fees	26,700	5.8%
Khalkhgol Drinking Water Fees	0	0.0%
Matad Drinking Water Fees	0	0.0%

Source: Dornod aimag and soum budget bills and Maarten Ingen-Housz (2017) personal communications

Potential

Drinking water fee is 20.97₹ - 419.4₹ (average 218 ₹) per cubic meter Estimate 4000 workers, 0.1m3 (100 l) per person/day = 30 Million MNT per year

Potential Sources of Revenue for Dornod Aimag

- Share of royalty payments (currently flows to Integrated LDF)
- Petroleum license fees (currently no flow to Aimag/Soum)
- Payment for employing foreign citizens
- Vehicle registrations
- Fees (use of water, common minerals, waste service, air pollution)
- Bonus for local development in % (petroleum contracts)
- Local cooperation/ development agreements (e.g. Petrochina)



JOBS AND WORKFORCE

Dornod Extractive Industries Workforce Estimate

Contractor jobs

- Approximately 3,640 jobs (full-time basis)
- 1070 (29%)— Mongolian workers in Dornod
- 2340 (64%) Mongolian employment
- 230 (>1%)— Induced employment in Dornod, mostly Choibalsan

Supplier jobs

- Not integrated: meat suppliers, scrap metal-based spheres
- Soum centers too small (garbage collection, meat and dairy supply)
- Choibalsan-based suppliers (approx. 25 full-time jobs)
- Dominated by foreign and Ulaanbaatar-based suppliers

Example: Petrochina (Site XIX) Contractor Category

	Chinese	Ulaanbaatar	Dornod	Total
Transportation oil for export	4			4
Local transportation		4	2	6
Electrical contractor	1			1
Construction contractor	1			1
Water pump	1			1
Alternative oil extraction	3	2		5
Reclamation		1	1	2
Labour brokers		1	1	2
Water system		1		1
Drilling	11			11
Total	21	9	4	34

Source: Maarten Ingen-Housz (2017), Personal communication

Challenges in data on jobs in the extractive sector of Dornod province

- No integrated data source
 - Seasonal variation of activity
 - Extensive use of contractor companies
- Incomplete data at GASI and Aimag Department of Labour and Social Welfare
- Companies offer different workforce numbers
- Local: soum, aimag, Mongolian? Impact on numbers
 - Tracking of Mongolian hiring, but not Soum-level hiring
 - Lack of local hiring (Chinese owners and market, Chinese machinery and equipment)

Dornod Extractive Industries Workforce Opportunities

Opportunities in Choibalsan

- Automotive repair
- Small-scale clothing manufacturing
- (Residential) construction
- Work clothing
- Flour
- Vegetables

Challenges

- Company HQ located in Ulaanbaatar (decisions and skilled labour)
- Access to capital
- Locational advantage for Matad and Khalkhgol Soums

Proposed Next Steps for MERIT in Dornod

Support in developing new policy in petroleum sector

- Support in negotiating local cooperation agreements
 - Process
 - Testing/Piloting
 - Establish oversight mechanisms
- Business development / Supply chain
 - Community awareness on mining
 - Study/ exchange visit to Canada