

Brazil: WHO and UNICEF estimates of immunization coverage: 2024 revision

BACKGROUND NOTE Each year WHO and UNICEF jointly review reports submitted by Member States regarding national immunization coverage, finalized survey reports as well as data from published and grey literature. Based on these data, with due consideration to potential biases and the views of local experts, WHO and UNICEF attempt to distinguish between situations where available empirical data accurately reflect immunization system performance and those where the data are likely compromised and present a misleading view of coverage.

WHO and UNICEF estimates are country-specific; that is to say, each country's data are reviewed individually, and data are not borrowed from other countries in the absence of data. Estimates are not based on ad hoc adjustments to reported data; in some instances empirical data are available from a single source, usually the nationally reported coverage data. In cases where no data are available for a given country/vaccine/year combination, data are considered from earlier and later years and interpolated to estimate coverage for the missing year(s). In cases where data sources are mixed and show large variation, an attempt is made to identify the most likely estimate with consideration of the possible biases in available data. For methods see:

* Burton et al. 2009. Bull World Health Organ. * Burton et al. 2012. PLoS One.
* Brown et al. 2013. Open Pub Health Journal. * Danovaro-Holliday et al. 2021. Gates Open Res.

DATA SOURCES

ADMINISTRATIVE coverage: Reported by national authorities and based on aggregated administrative reports from health service providers on the number of vaccinations administered during a given period (numerator data) and reported target population data (denominator data). May be biased by inaccurate numerator and/or denominator data.

OFFICIAL coverage: Estimated coverage reported by national authorities that reflects their assessment of the most likely coverage based on any combination of administrative coverage, survey-based estimates or other data sources or adjustments. Approaches to determine OFFICIAL coverage may differ across countries.

SURVEY coverage: Based on estimated coverage from population-based household surveys among children aged 6-11, 12-23 or 24-35 months following a review of survey methods and results. Information is based on the combination of vaccination history from documented evidence or caregiver recall. Survey results are considered for the appropriate birth cohort based on data collection period.

ABBREVIATIONS AND DEFINITIONS

BCG: percentage of births who received one dose of Bacillus Calmette Guerin vaccine.

DTP1 / DTP3: percentage of surviving infants who received the 1st / 3rd dose, respectively, of diphtheria and tetanus toxoid with pertussis containing vaccine.

POL3: percentage of surviving infants who received the 3rd dose of polio containing vaccine. May be either oral or inactivated polio vaccine.

IPV1: percentage of surviving infants who received at least one dose of inactivated polio vaccine. In countries utilizing an immunization schedule recommending either (i) a primary series of three doses of oral polio vaccine (OPV) plus at least one dose of IPV where OPV is included in routine immunization and/or campaign or (ii) a sequential schedule of IPV followed by OPV, WHO and UNICEF estimates for IPV1 reflect coverage with at least one routine dose of IPV among infants < 1 year of age. For countries utilizing IPV containing vaccine only, i.e., no recommended dose of OPV, WHO and UNICEF estimate for IPV1 corresponds to coverage for the 1st dose of IPV.

Production of IPV coverage estimates, which begins in 2015, results in no change of the estimated coverage levels for the 3rd dose of polio (POL3). For countries recommending routine immunization with a primary series of three doses of IPV alone, WHO and UNICEF estimated POL3 coverage is equivalent to estimated coverage with three doses of IPV. For countries with a sequential schedule, estimated POL3 coverage is based on that for the 3rd dose of polio vaccine regardless of vaccine type.

IPV2: percentage of surviving infants who received a 2nd dose of inactivated polio vaccine. IPV2 coverage estimates produced for OPV using countries.

MCV1: percentage of surviving infants who received the 1st dose of measles containing vaccine. In countries where the national schedule recommends the 1st dose of MCV at 12 months or later based on the epidemiology of disease in the country, coverage estimates reflect the percentage of children who received the 1st dose of MCV as recommended.

MCV2: percentage of children who received the 2nd dose of measles containing vaccine according to the nationally recommended schedule.

RCV1: percentage of surviving infants who received the 1st dose of rubella containing vaccine. Coverage estimates are based on WHO and UNICEF estimates of coverage for the dose of measles containing vaccine that corresponds to the first measles-rubella combination vaccine. Nationally reported coverage of RCV is not taken into consideration in the production of the estimate.

HEPB3: percentage of births which received a dose of hepatitis B vaccine within 24 hours of delivery. Estimates of hepatitis B birth dose coverage are produced only for countries with a universal birth dose policy. Estimates are not produced for countries that recommend a birth dose to infants born to HEPB virus-infected mothers only or where there is insufficient information to determine whether vaccination is within 24 hours of birth.

HEPB3: percentage of surviving infants who received the 3rd dose of hepatitis B containing vaccine following the birth dose.

HIB3: percentage of surviving infants who received the 3rd dose of Haemophilus influenzae type b containing vaccine.

ROTAC: percentage of surviving infants who received the final recommended dose of rotavirus vaccine, which can be either the 2nd or the 3rd dose depending on the vaccine.

PCV3: percentage of surviving infants who received the 3rd dose of pneumococcal conjugate vaccine. In countries where the national schedule recommends two doses during infancy and a booster dose at 12 months or later based on the epidemiology of disease in the country, coverage estimates may reflect the percentage of surviving infants who received two doses of PCV prior to the 1st birthday if coverage for the booster dose is not reported.

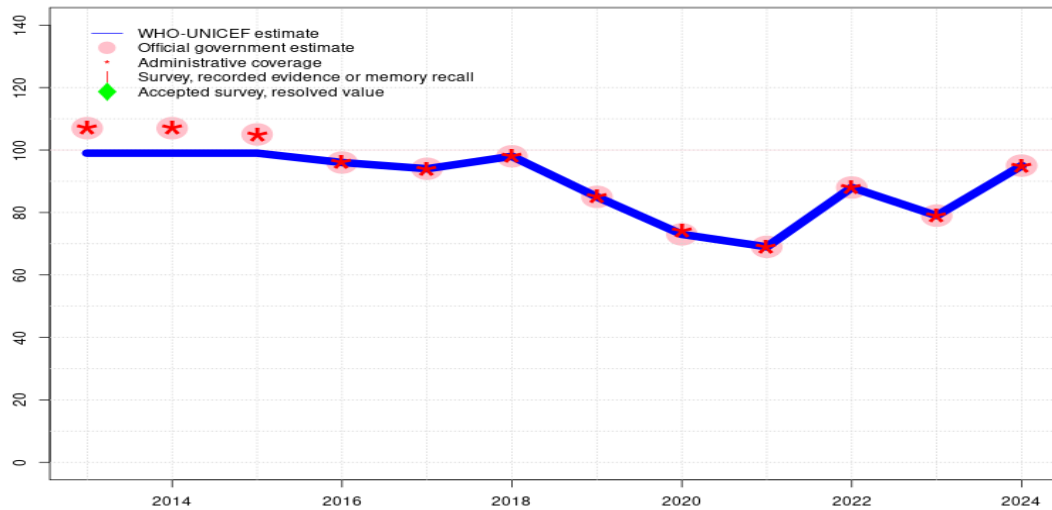
YFV: percentage of surviving infants who received one dose of yellow fever vaccine in countries where YFV is part of the national immunization schedule for children or is recommended in at risk areas; coverage estimates are annualized for the entire cohort of surviving infants.

MENGA: percentage of children who received one dose of meningococcal A conjugate vaccine. MENGA coverage estimates produced for countries in the meningitis belt of sub-Saharan Africa.

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Brazil - BCG

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- 2019: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports 10 month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported coverage. Programme reports a 1-month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate of 99 percent assigned by working group. Reported data excluded because 105 percent greater than 100 percent. Programme reports one month stockout. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2014: Reported data calibrated to 1997 and 2015 levels. Reported data excluded because 107 percent greater than 100 percent. Estimate challenged by: R-
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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	99	99	99	96	94	98	85	73	69	88	79	95
Estimate GoC	●	●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	107	107	105	96	94	98	85	73	69	88	79	95
Administrative	107	107	105	96	94	98	85	74	69	88	79	95
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

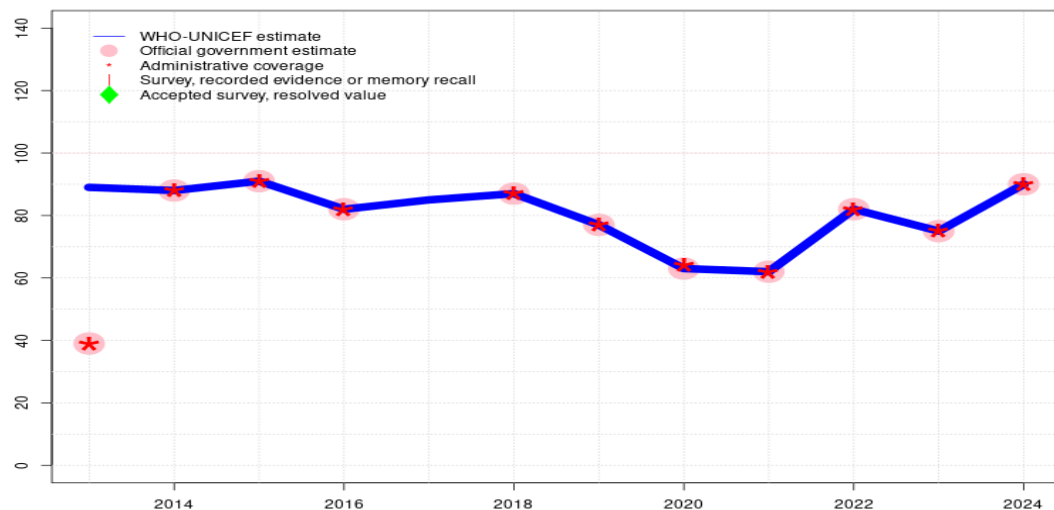
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Estimate	89	88	91	82	85	87	77	63	62	82	75	90
Estimate GoC	•	••	••	••	•	••	••	••	••	••	••	••
Official	39	88	91	82	-	87	77	63	62	82	75	90
Administrative	39	88	91	82	-	87	77	64	62	82	75	90
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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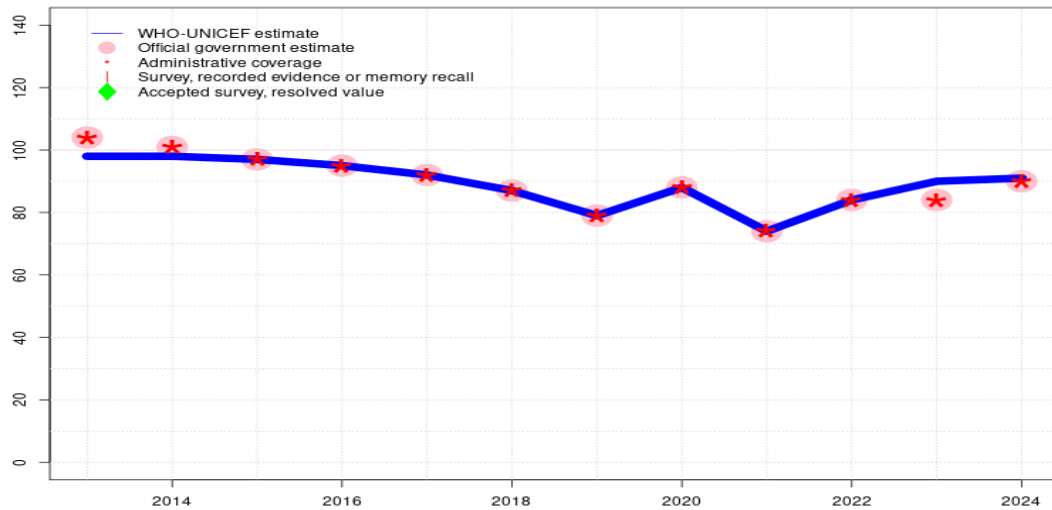
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- 2019: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Estimate of 85 percent changed from previous revision value of 80 percent. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports three months vaccine stockout of HepB vaccine, not clear if combination or single antigen. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports two months stockout of monovalent HepB vaccine. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate informed by reported data. Recovery in reported coverage level reflects successful revisions in the information system. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Reported data excluded. Reported coverage level is an artefact of reporting. The HepB birth dose data field was changed in the information system during 2013. Estimate challenged by: D-

Brazil - DTP1

BRA - DTP1



	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	98	98	97	95	92	87	79	88	74	84	90	91
Estimate GoC	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	•	•
Official	104	101	97	95	92	87	79	88	74	84	84	90
Administrative	104	101	97	95	92	87	79	88	74	84	84	90
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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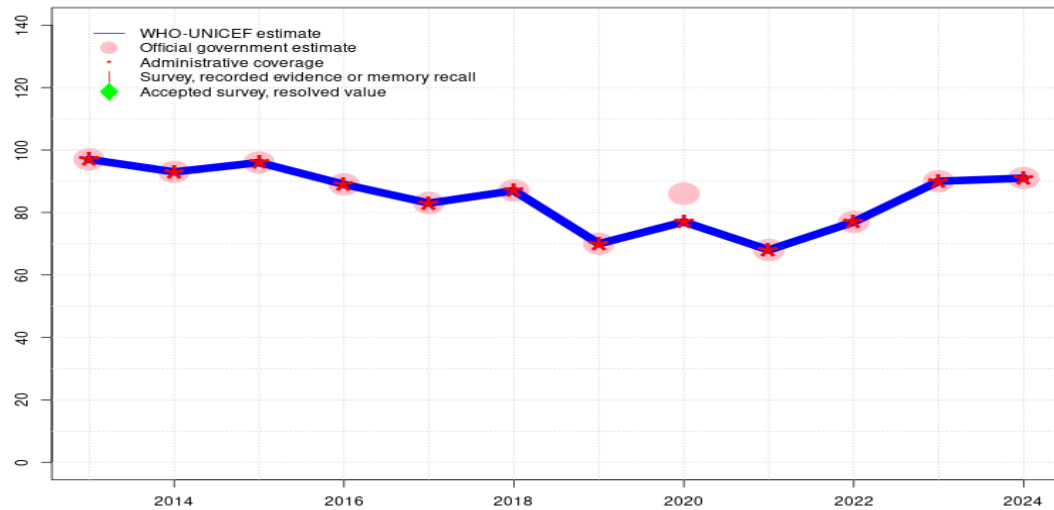
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- 2023: Estimate based on DTP3 coverage of 90. Increase in reported coverage reflects intensification activities documented in PAHO newsletter on May 2024 (<https://campaigns.paho.org/t/y-e-mpiydl-dtnkldjr-0/>). Estimate of 90 percent changed from previous revision value of 96 percent. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2020: Estimate informed by reported data. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. Increase in reported coverage is unexplained but may reflect recovery from vaccine stockouts reported for 2019. GoC=R+ D+
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- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. Consistency across vaccines. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports two months vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports two months vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Reported data excluded because 101 percent greater than 100 percent. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Reported data excluded because 104 percent greater than 100 percent. GoC=R+ D+

Brazil - DTP3

BRA - DTP3



	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	97	93	96	89	83	87	70	77	68	77	90	91
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	97	93	96	89	83	87	70	86	68	77	90	91
Administrative	97	93	96	89	83	87	70	77	68	77	90	91
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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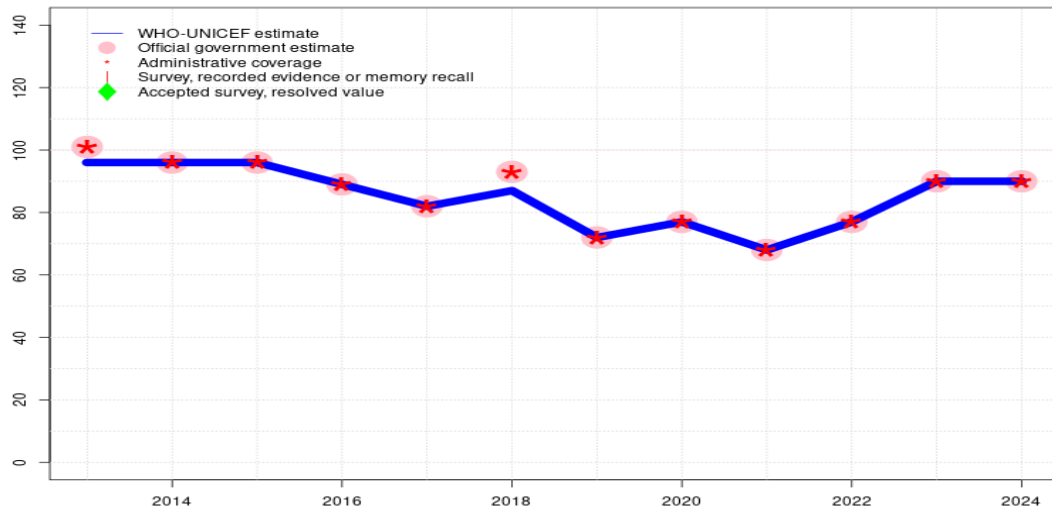
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- 2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2020: Estimate based on administrative report. Increase in reported coverage is unexplained but may reflect recovery from vaccine stockouts reported for 2019. Reported data excluded due to an increase from 70 percent to 86 percent with decrease to 68 percent. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. Estimate challenged by: R-
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Brazil - HEPB3

BRA - HEPB3



	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	96	96	96	89	82	87	72	77	68	77	90	90
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	101	96	96	89	82	93	72	77	68	77	90	90
Administrative	101	96	96	89	82	93	72	77	68	77	90	90
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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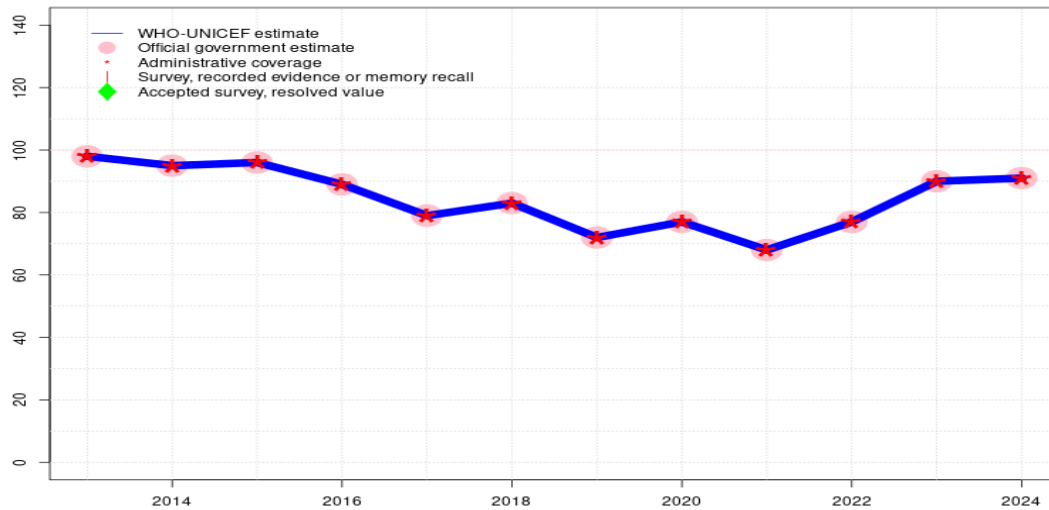
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- 2018: Estimate informed by estimated DTP3 coverage level. No available explanation for difference in reported coverage levels for HepB3 and DTP3. Reported data excluded due to an increase from 82 percent to 93 percent with decrease to 72 percent. Estimate challenged by: R-
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports two months vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
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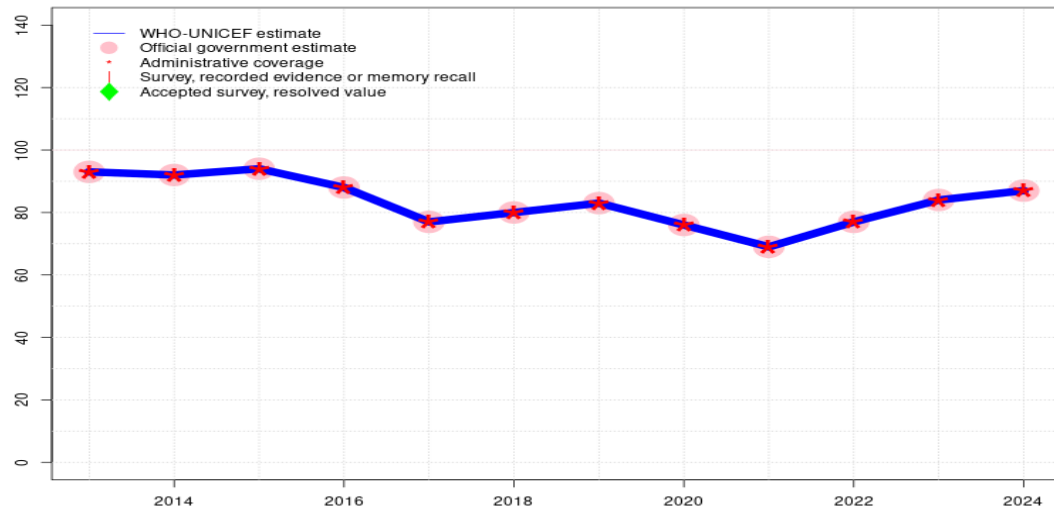
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- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports one month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	93	92	94	88	77	80	83	76	69	77	84	87
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	93	92	94	88	77	80	83	76	69	77	84	87
Administrative	93	92	94	88	77	80	83	76	69	77	84	87
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

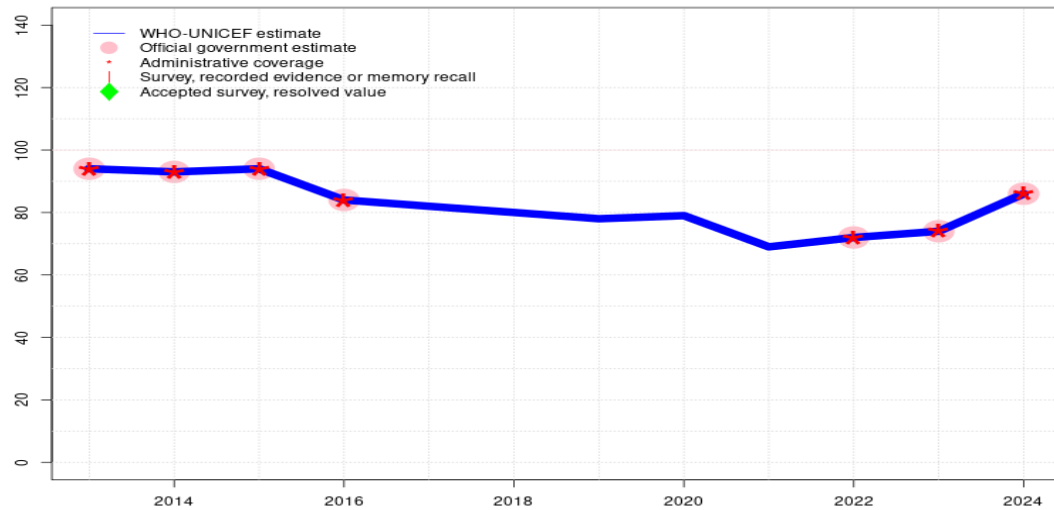
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Brazil - PCV3

BRA - PCV3



Description:

- 2024: Estimate informed by reported data. No nationally representative independent assessment for the most recent 5 annual birth cohorts. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high quality independent assessment to verify reported levels of coverage. Consistency across vaccines. GoC=R+ D+
- 2023: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate informed by reported coverage for the second PCV dose. Coverage for third or booster dose not reported. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2020: Estimate informed by reported coverage for the second PCV dose. Coverage for third or booster dose not reported. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2019: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2018: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2017: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. GoC=No accepted empirical data
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	94	93	94	84	82	80	78	79	69	72	74	86
Estimate GoC	●●	●●	●●	●●	●	●	●	●	●	●●	●●	●●
Official	94	93	94	84	-	-	-	-	-	72	74	86
Administrative	94	93	94	84	-	-	-	-	-	72	74	86
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

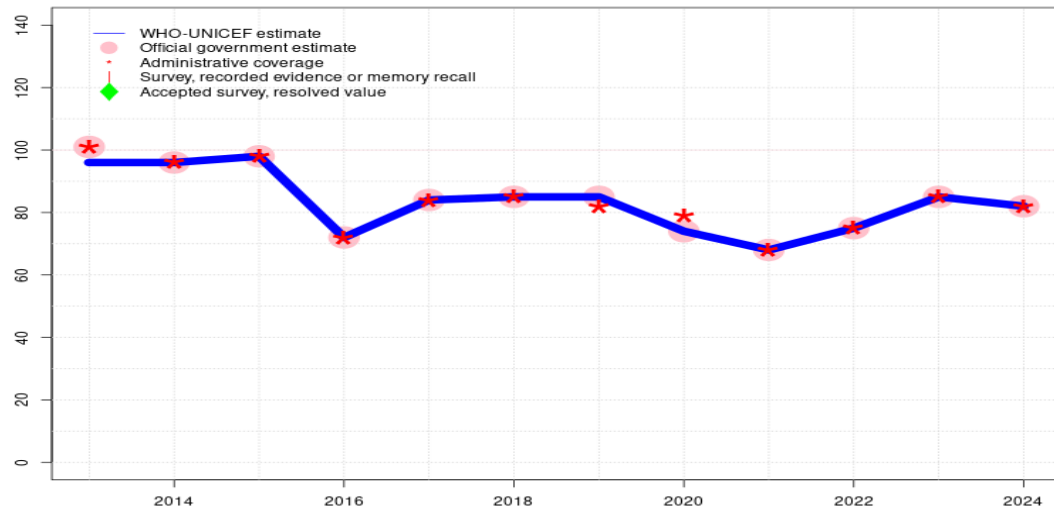
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Brazil - POL3

BRA - POL3



Description:

- 2024: Estimate informed by reported data. No nationally representative independent assessment for the most recent 5 annual birth cohorts. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high quality independent assessment to verify reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+
- 2023: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2020: Estimate informed by reported data. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. Decline in reported coverage is unexplained by country but aligns with COVID-19 pandemic service disruptions. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2019: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported data. Decrease in coverage is unexplained but consistent with a decrease in first dose of IPV vaccine. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme switched from OPV to IPV for the 3rd dose of polio vaccine. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Reported data excluded because 101 percent greater than 100 percent. GoC=R+ D+

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	96	96	98	72	84	85	85	74	68	75	85	82
Estimate GoC	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	•	••	••	••	••
Official	101	96	98	72	84	85	85	74	68	75	85	82
Administrative	101	96	98	72	84	85	82	79	68	75	85	82
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

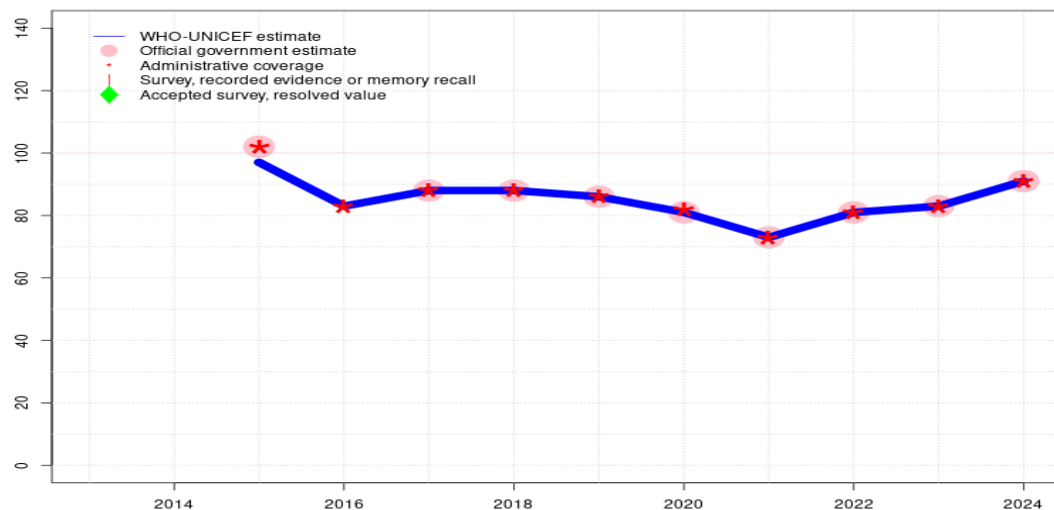
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- Estimate is supported by at least one data source; [R+], [S+], or [D+]; and no data source, [R-], [D-], or [S-], challenges the estimate.
- There are no directly supporting data; or data from at least one source; [R-], [D-], [S-]; challenge the estimate.

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Brazil - IPV1

BRA - IPV1



Description:

- 2024: Estimate informed by reported data. No nationally representative independent assessment for the most recent 5 annual birth cohorts. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high quality independent assessment to verify reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+
- 2023: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2020: Estimate informed by reported data. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2019: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. Consistency across vaccines. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported administrative data. Unexplained decline in reported coverage from 2015. Estimate of 83 percent changed from previous revision value of 80 percent. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Inactivated polio vaccine introduced in 2012 and is recommended as part of a sequential schedule. Reported coverage is over 100 percent. Estimated coverage based on reported DTP1 coverage. Reported data excluded because 102 percent greater than 100 percent. Estimate challenged by: R-

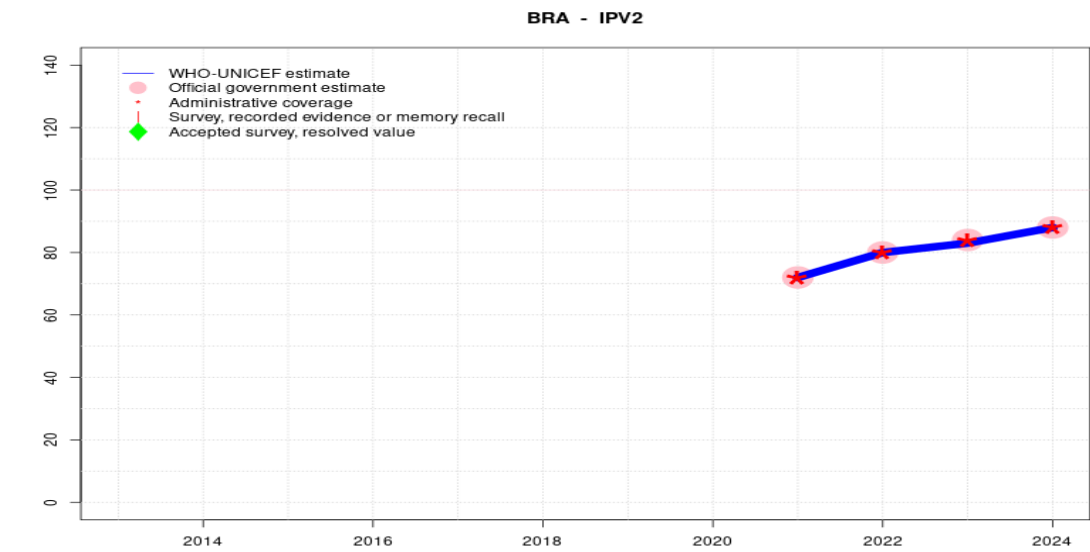
	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	-	-	97	83	88	88	86	81	73	81	83	91
Estimate GoC	-	-	•	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••
Official	-	-	102	-	88	88	86	81	73	81	83	91
Administrative	-	-	102	83	88	88	86	82	73	81	83	91
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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- Estimate is supported by reported data [R+], coverage recalculated with an independent denominator from the World Population Prospects: 2024 revision from the UN Population Division (D+), and at least one supporting survey within 2 years [S+]. While well supported, the estimate still carries a risk of being wrong.
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Brazil - IPV2



Description:

2024: Estimate informed by reported data. No nationally representative independent assessment for the most recent 5 annual birth cohorts. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high quality independent assessment to verify reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+

2023: Estimate based on IPV1 estimate. Estimate challenged by: R-

2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+

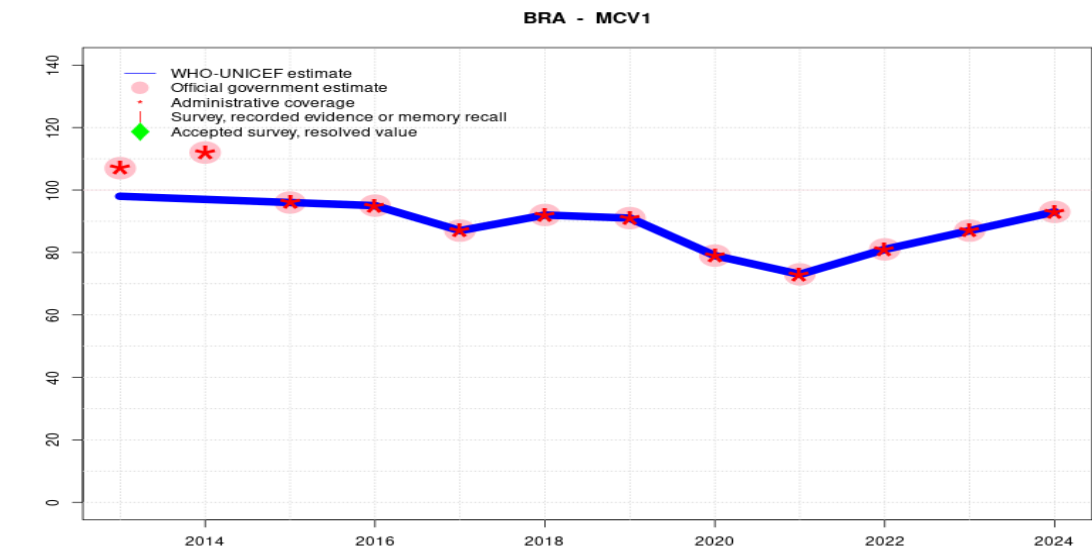
2021: Estimate informed by reported data. Second dose of inactivated polio vaccine introduced prior to 2021. GoC=R+ D+

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	80	83	88
Estimate GoC	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	●●	●●	●	●●
Official	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	80	84	88
Administrative	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	72	80	84	88
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	98	97	96	95	87	92	91	79	73	81	87	93
Estimate GoC	●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	107	112	96	95	87	92	91	79	73	81	87	93
Administrative	107	112	96	95	87	92	91	79	73	81	87	93
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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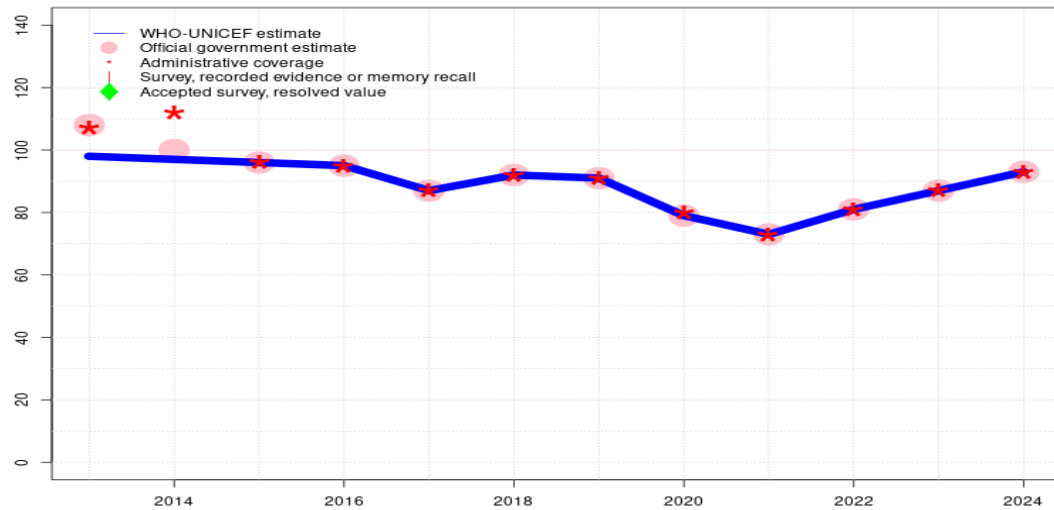
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- 2023: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2022: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2020: Estimate informed by reported data. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. Decline in reported coverage is unexplained by country but aligns with COVID-19 pandemic service disruptions. GoC=R+ D+
- 2019: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports one month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports one month stockout of MMR vaccine. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Reported data excluded because 112 percent greater than 100 percent. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate informed by interpolation between reported data. Reported data excluded because 107 percent greater than 100 percent. Estimate challenged by: D-

Brazil - RCV1

BRA - RCV1



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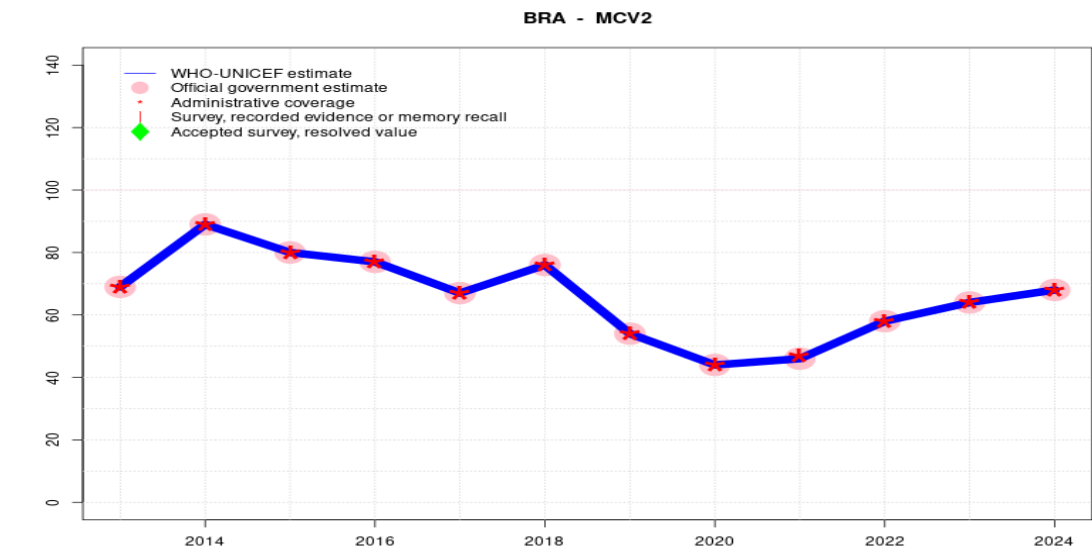
- 2024: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. No nationally representative independent assessment for the most recent 5 annual birth cohorts. WHO and UNICEF recommend a high quality independent assessment to verify reported levels of coverage. GoC=R+ D+
- 2023: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. GoC=R+ D+
- 2022: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. GoC=R+ D+
- 2021: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. GoC=R+ D+
- 2020: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. A nationwide study by Silveira et al. (doi.org/10.1016/j.vaccine.2021.04.046) observed that the COVID-19 pandemic was associated with a 20 percent decrease in childhood vaccinations though much of the decline was indicated to be reversed by the end of 2020, an observation that is not supported by the reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2019: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. Programme reports one month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. Programme reports one month stockout of MMR vaccine. GoC=R+ D+
- 2014: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. Estimate challenged by: D-
- 2013: Estimate based on estimated MCV1. Reported data excluded because 108 percent greater than 100 percent. Estimate challenged by: D-

	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	98	97	96	95	87	92	91	79	73	81	87	93
Estimate GoC	●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	108	100	96	95	87	92	91	79	73	81	87	93
Administrative	107	112	96	95	87	92	91	80	73	81	87	93
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	69	89	80	77	67	76	54	44	46	58	64	68
Estimate GoC	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••	••
Official	69	89	80	77	67	76	54	44	46	58	64	68
Administrative	69	89	80	77	67	76	54	44	47	58	64	68
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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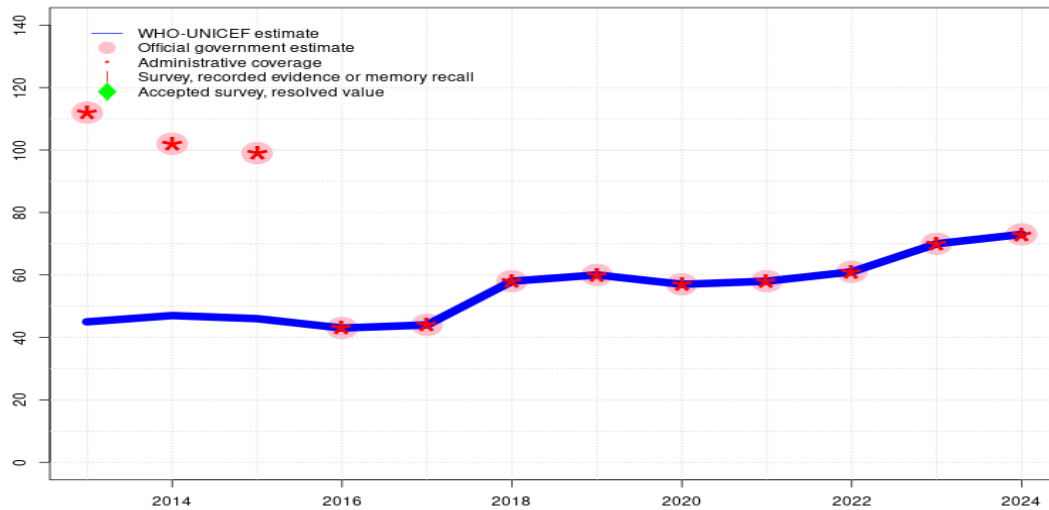
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- 2014: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2013: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+

Brazil - YFV

BRA - YFV



	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024
Estimate	45	47	46	43	44	58	60	57	58	61	70	73
Estimate GoC	●	●	●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●	●●
Official	112	102	99	43	44	58	60	57	58	61	70	73
Administrative	112	102	99	43	44	58	60	57	58	61	70	73
Survey	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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- 2019: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2018: Estimate informed by reported data. GoC=R+ D+
- 2017: Estimate informed by reported data. Programme reports one month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2016: Programme reports coverage for a national target population, in contrast to previous years. Programme reports one month vaccine stockout. GoC=R+ D+
- 2015: Estimate of 46 percent assigned by working group. Reported coverage of 99 percent in 46 percent of the national target population. Estimate informed by coverage achieved in the total annual national target population. GoC=Assigned by working group. GoC assigned to maintain consistency across vaccines.
- 2014: Estimate of 47 percent assigned by working group. Programme reports 102 percent coverage in 46 percent of the national target population. Estimate informed by coverage achieved in the total annual national target population. Reported data excluded because 102 percent greater than 100 percent. GoC=Assigned by working group. GoC assigned to maintain consistency across vaccines.
- 2013: Reported data calibrated to 2012 and 2014 levels. Reported data excluded because 112 percent greater than 100 percent. GoC=Assigned by working group. GoC assigned to maintain consistency across vaccines.

Further information and estimates for previous years are available at:

<https://data.unicef.org/topic/child-health/immunization/>

<https://immunizationdata.who.int/listing.html>