

PRIMARY BIBLE TRANSLATION AGENCIES

Agency	Website	Year Founded	Annual Income (2019)	Annual Income (2018)	Annual Expenses (2019)	Annual Expenses (2018)	Primary Activities							
							Church Engagement	Prayer	Funding	Recruiting &/or Sending	Bible Translation Programs	Training in BT Roles	Specialty Services	Distribution & Engagement
American Bible Society	americanBible.org	1816	\$91,871,784	\$94,973,434	\$114,588,503	\$96,789,922			X			X	X	
Biblica	Biblica.com	1809	\$15,366,620	\$13,536,591	\$14,667,424	\$12,252,232	X	X			X	X	X	X
Pioneer Bible Translators	pioneerBible.org	1976	\$17,128,935	\$14,301,529	\$14,211,495	\$13,381,371	X	X		X	X		X	X
Seed Company	seedcompany.com	1993	\$48,386,593	\$50,265,345	\$53,050,613	\$49,671,814	X					X	X	
SIL International	Sil.org	1934	\$38,901,371	\$42,056,536	\$41,401,056	\$40,738,865						X	X	
Wycliffe Associates	wycliffeassociates.org	1967	\$49,134,756	\$37,644,938	\$46,978,478	\$39,743,602				X	X	X	X	
Wycliffe Bible Translators	wycliffe.org	1942	\$163,483,378	\$166,207,028	\$163,759,390	\$158,224,188		X	X		X		X	

Bible Translation Alliances

United Bible Societies	unitedBiblesocieties.org	1946	\$53,748,000	\$51,001,000	\$52,479,000	\$51,965,000	Alliance of approximately 150 national Bible societies
Wycliffe Global Alliance	wycliffe.net	1991	\$4,120,698	\$5,591,050	\$4,027,574	\$4,845,652	Alliance of approximately 100 national Bible societies
Totals of Agencies & Alliances			\$482,142,135	\$475,577,451	\$505,163,533	\$467,612,646	

Oral & Other Bible Translators

Faith Comes by Hearing	faithcomesbyhearing.com	1972 (as Hosanna)	\$22,994,036	\$21,201,925	\$18,612,946	\$17,163,576	Faith Comes by Hearing produces and distributes heart-language audio, word-for-word recordings of the Bible, targeting those language groups burdened by poverty and illiteracy.
Jesus Film Project	jesusfilm.org	1979	\$66,919,000	\$56,040,000	\$64,863,000	\$52,989,000	Jesus Film Project (JFP) is a ministry of Cru (Campus Crusade for Christ International). JFP is best known for partnering to translate and distribute the "JESUS" film, a two-hour film about the life of Christ based on the Gospel of Luke.

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Operation Snap Dragon	None	2013	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	Operation Snap Dragon is a partnership between the Jesus Film Project and Contexture International. It is an oral translation and recording process that uses specially-developed software and procedures to produce a new version of the "JESUS" film.						
Spoken Worldwide	spoken.org	2005 (as T4 Global)	\$1,535,926	\$1,335,273	\$1,585,940	1,652,862	Spoken Worldwide communicates the gospel to unreached oral cultures by developing Christian content with indigenous input in local languages, and distributing it on digital audio players.						
unfoldingWord	unfoldingword.org	2017	\$4,239,007	\$3,309,002	\$3,873,176	\$3,353,061	unfoldingWord seeks to help church leaders translate the Bible with excellence and efficiency by equipping these leaders with biblical resources and training.						

In 2018 and 2019 combined, Bible translation agencies spent nearly one billion dollars carrying out their mission.¹

¹ While the chart totals \$972,776,179 for 2018 and 2019 expenses, it is not an exact calculation of the total funds spent by bible translations agencies. The instances where one Bible translation agency grants funds to another would result in double counting. This is an estimate of total funds spent.