



The Sustainable Development Goals A Global Vision for Local Action

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THE UNIVERSAL DECLARATION OF Human Rights

PREAMBLE Recognition of the inherent dignity and of the equal and inalienable rights of all members of the human family is the foundation of freedom, justice and peace in the world.

ARTICLE 1 All human beings are born free and equal in dignity and rights. They are endowed with reason and conscience and should act towards one another in a spirit of brotherhood.

ARTICLE 2 Everyone is entitled to all the rights and freedoms set forth in this Declaration, without distinction of any kind, such as race, colour, sex, language, religion, political or other opinion, national or social origin, birth or other status.

ARTICLE 3 Everyone has the right to life, liberty and security of person.

ARTICLE 4 No one shall be held in slavery or servitude; slavery and the slave trade shall be prohibited in all their forms.

ARTICLE 5 No one shall be subjected to torture or to cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment or punishment.

ARTICLE 6 Everyone has the right to recognition as a person before the law.

ARTICLE 7 All are equal before the law and are entitled without any discrimination to equal protection of the law. All are equal before the courts of law.

ARTICLE 8 Everyone has the right to an effective remedy by the competent national tribunals for acts violating the fundamental rights granted him by the constitution or by law.

ARTICLE 9 No one shall be subjected to arbitrary arrest, detention or exile.

ARTICLE 10 Everyone has the right to a fair and public hearing by an independent and impartial tribunal in the determination of his rights and obligations and of any criminal charge against him.

ARTICLE 11 Everyone charged with a criminal offence has the right to be presumed innocent until proved guilty according to the law.

ARTICLE 12 No one shall be subjected to arbitrary interference with his privacy, family, home or correspondence, nor to attacks upon his honour and reputation. Everyone has the right to the protection of the law against such interference or attacks.

ARTICLE 13 Everyone has the right to freedom of movement and residence within the frontiers of each country.

ARTICLE 14 Everyone has the right to leave any country, including his own, and to return to his country.

ARTICLE 15 Everyone has the right to a nationality.

ARTICLE 16 Everyone has the right to marry and to found a family, which are within the reach of his rights and freedoms.

ARTICLE 17 Everyone has the right to own property alone as well as in association with others.

ARTICLE 18 Everyone has the right to freedom of thought, conscience and religion.

ARTICLE 19 Everyone has the right to freedom of opinion and expression.

ARTICLE 20 Everyone has the right to peaceful assembly and to associate with others in any form.

ARTICLE 21 Everyone has the right to take part in the government of his country, directly or through freely chosen representatives.

ARTICLE 22 Everyone has the right to social security.

ARTICLE 23 Everyone has the right to work, to free choice of employment, to just and favourable conditions of work and to protection and assistance against unemployment.

ARTICLE 24 Everyone has the right to rest and leisure, including reasonable limitation of working hours and periodic holidays with pay.

ARTICLE 25 Everyone has the right to a standard of living adequate for the health and well-being of himself and of his family, including food, clothing, housing, medical care and necessary social services, and the right to security in the event of unemployment, illness, disability, widowhood, old age or other lack of livelihood in circumstances beyond his control.

ARTICLE 26 Education shall be made available to all.

ARTICLE 27 Everyone has the right to freely participate in the cultural life of the community, to enjoy the arts and to share in scientific advancement and its benefits.

ARTICLE 28 Everyone has the right to a social order which makes possible the fulfilment of the rights set forth in this Declaration.

ARTICLE 29 Everyone has duties to the community in which alone the free and full development of his personality is possible.

ARTICLE 30 Nothing in this Declaration may be interpreted as authorizing any group or individual to engage in any activity aimed at destroying any of the rights and freedoms set forth herein.

DECEMBER 2015: 21st CONFERENCE OF THE PARTIES (COP) TO THE UN FRAMEWORK CONVENTION ON CLIMATE CHANGE (FCCC)



United Nations



Framework Convention on
Climate Change

FCCC/CP/2015/L.9/Rev.1

Date: 12 December 2015

Original: English

Conference of the Parties

Twenty-first session
Paris, 30 November to 11 December 2015

Agenda item 4(b)

Durban Platform for Enhanced Action (decision 1/CP.17)

Adoption of a protocol, another legal instrument, or an agreed outcome with legal force under the Convention applicable to all Parties

ADOPTION OF THE PARIS AGREEMENT

Proposal by the President

Draft decision -/CP.21

The Conference of the Parties,

Recalling decision 1/CP.17 on the establishment of the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Durban Platform for Enhanced Action,

Also recalling Articles 2, 3 and 4 of the Convention,

Further recalling relevant decisions of the Conference of the Parties, including decisions 1/CP.16, 2/CP.16, 1/CP.19 and 1/CP.20,

Welcoming the adoption of United Nations General Assembly resolution A/RES/70/1, "Transforming our world: the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development", in particular its goal 13, and the adoption of the Addis Ababa Action Agenda of the third International Conference on Financing for Development and the adoption of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction,

Recognizing that climate change represents an urgent and potentially irreversible threat to human societies and the planet and thus requires the widest possible cooperation by all countries, and their participation in an effective and appropriate international response, with a view to accelerating the reduction of global greenhouse gas emissions,

Also recognizing that deep reductions in global emissions will be required in order to achieve the ultimate objective of the Convention and emphasizing the need for urgency in addressing climate change,

Acknowledging that climate change is a common concern of humankind, Parties should, when taking action to address climate change, respect, promote and consider their respective obligations on human rights, the right to health, the rights of indigenous peoples,

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Habitat III is the United Nations Conference on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development, to take place in Quito, Ecuador, from 17 – 20 October, 2016.. This was decided in General Assembly [Resolution 66/207](#) and [69/226](#). [Resolution 67/216](#) decided on modalities, preparatory activities and format of the conference. [Resolution 69/226](#) decided on host-country and dates of the third session of the Preparatory Committee and the Conference.

Habitat III offers Member States an opportunity to discuss a New Urban Agenda that will focus on policies and strategies that can result in effectively harnessing the power and forces behind urbanization.

What will Habitat III offer?





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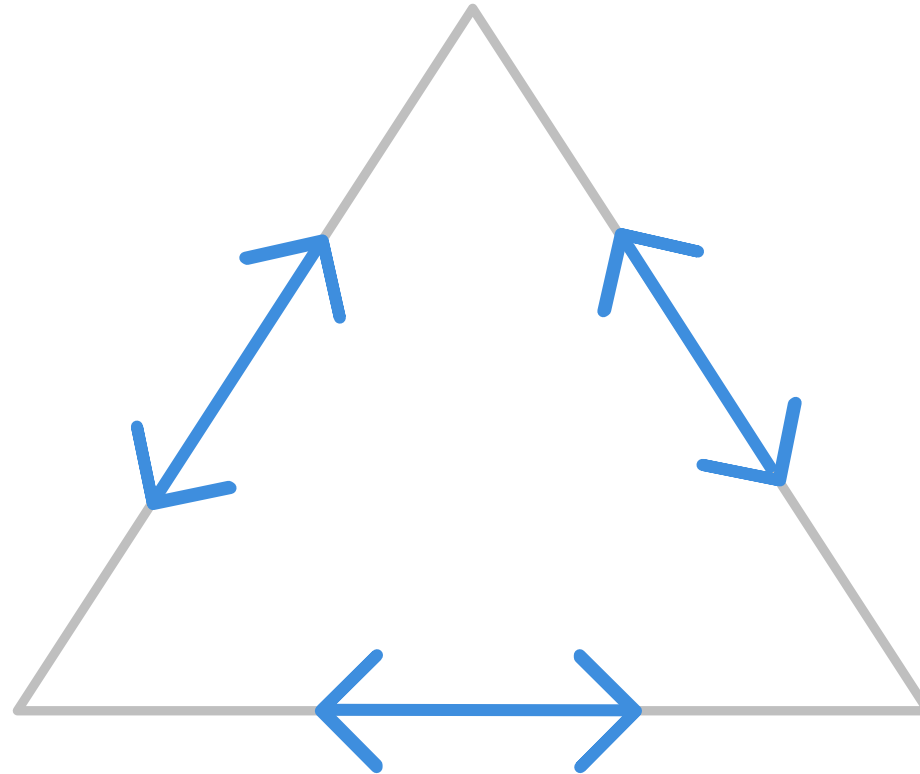


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1. UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)



3. Corporate Social Responsibility 2.0

- Intrapreneurship
- Social Business
- Social Economy
- Future Proof Business Models

2. Smart & Sustainable Cities



Mining and the 17 SDGs: Indicative Priorities

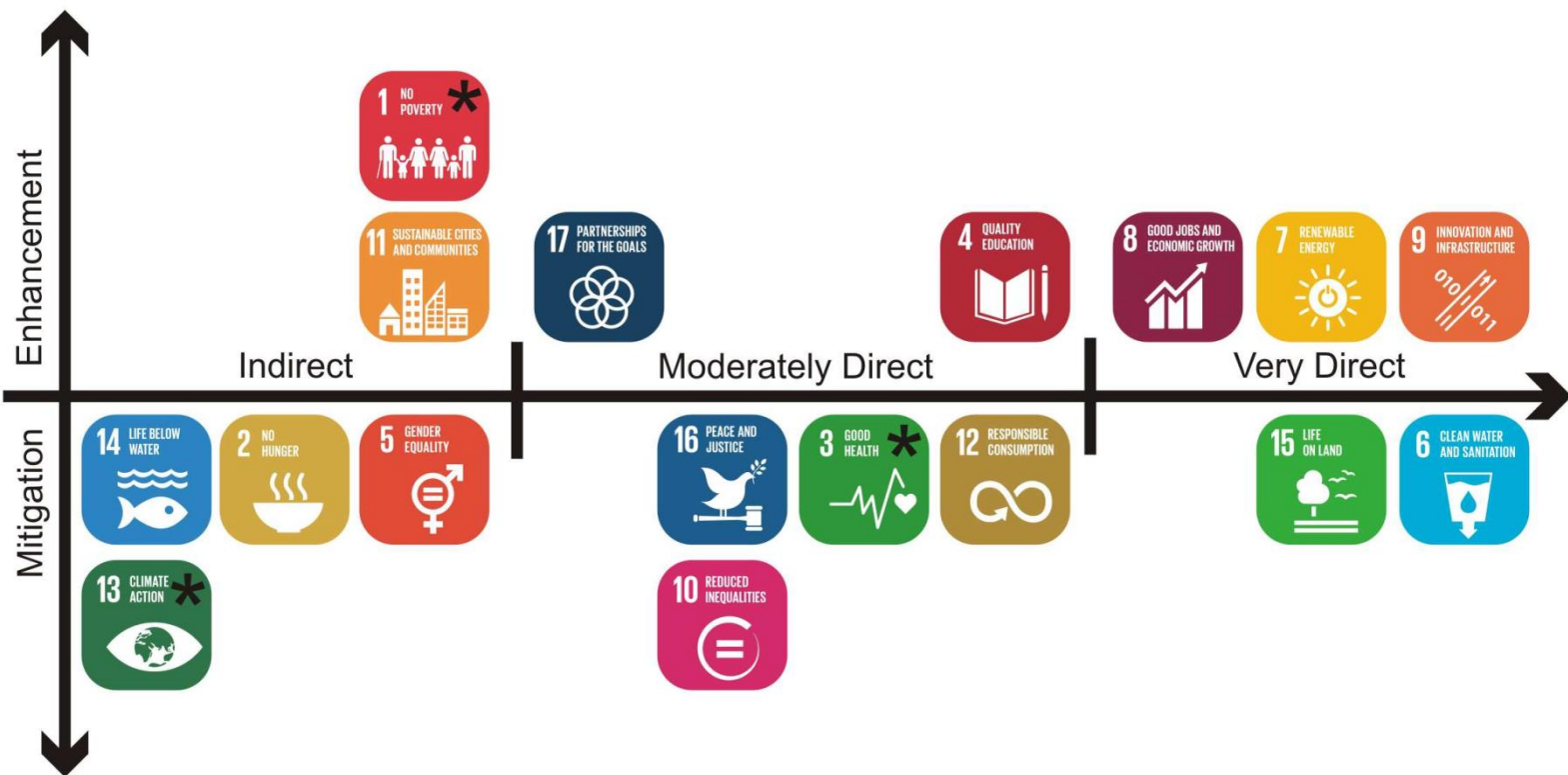


Figure 2: Indicative prioritization of SDGs for mining companies globally based on aggregating, for each goal, the relevance of each of its targets to mining. Individual cases may deviate from this categorization. Three horizontal categories = degree of impact mining has on goal: very direct, moderately direct, and indirect. Within each category, the farther right a goal is, the greater the impact mining has on its accomplishment. Two vertical categories = predominant focus for making positive impact (enhancement of positive impacts; mitigation of negative impacts). *Asterisked icons in practice have greater relevance for mining than the scoring suggests. Icons modified from <http://www.globalgoals.org/>.



Sustainable Development Goals and our Sustainability Commitments

Coca-Cola Enterprises is committed to supporting the Sustainable Development Goals. We believe in the power of partnership between business, government and civil society to create a more sustainable world. Through our sustainability commitments and targets we are playing our part in helping to support the Global Goals.



We are committed to **supporting the communities** in which we operate. We aim to invest 1% of our annual pre-tax profit to support charitable and community partners.



In Great Britain, we established a partnership with **the charity FareShare** to ensure that any surplus stock is donated to local projects and charities. Drinks worth an equivalent value of £100k were donated in 2014.



Obesity is a complex challenge, influenced by many factors. We understand that diet and calorie intake, including calories in our products can have an impact on health and wellbeing. **We will play our part** by reducing calories across our portfolio by 10% and enabling three million people to be physically active by 2020.



We want to help young people gain the skills they need for the workplace. Through our education centers and partnerships (including Passport to Employment in France, The Real Business Challenge in Great Britain and JINC in the Netherlands) we will **support the skills development and learning needs of 250,000 young people** each year by 2020.



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We aim to **support the skills development and learning needs of 250,000 young people** each year by 2020 with our eight education centers and several education partnership programs.



Our local economic contribution includes the jobs we provide and the investments we make. Across our territories, each Coca-Cola job supports on average a further nine jobs in the wider economy – from suppliers and transport to hospitality and retail workers.



We aim to achieve world-class safety standards and a zero-accident workplace. We have also developed our **Sustainable Agriculture Guiding Principles** to ensure that our suppliers respect human and workplace rights across our value chain.



We are part of the RE100 initiative and have committed to **source 100% of our electricity from renewable sources** by 2020. This will help us to reduce the carbon footprint of our products by a third by 2020.



We protect the future sustainability of our **local water sources** and undertake source vulnerability assessments to assess water quality and water scarcity risks. We use as little water as possible and aim to use 1.2 liters of water for each liter of product we make. We safely return to nature 100% of the wastewater from our manufacturing operations.



We seek to attract, develop and motivate **a workforce that reflects the diversity** of the communities in which we operate. We aspire to have a minimum of 40% of women in both management and leadership grades by 2025.



We support the circular economy and aim to use as little **packaging material** as possible and use both recycled and renewable materials. All our cans and bottles are fully recyclable, our manufacturing sites send zero waste to landfill.



We will substantially **reduce the carbon footprint** of our manufacturing operations, transportation and refrigeration equipment – enabling us to reduce the carbon footprint of our core business operations by 50% by 2020. We'll also deliver carbon reductions across our wider value chain, including our packaging and ingredients.



We **protect the future sustainability of the water sources** we use and aim to replenish the water we use in areas of water stress. We are investing in community based water partnerships with WWF in France and Great Britain, Clean the Beaches in Sweden and Natuurpunt in Belgium.



The long-term availability of our key agricultural ingredients is crucial to our business – every bottle of Coca-Cola contains agricultural ingredients that start on a farm. We will **source 100% of our key agricultural ingredients sustainably** by 2020.



We **operate responsibly and sustainably** and we are on a journey to create a sustainable business for the future. Corporate responsibility and sustainability is at the heart of everything that we do.



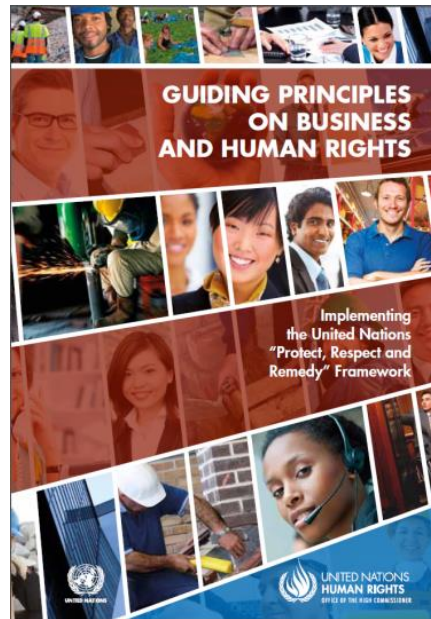
We collaborate with customers, suppliers, thought leaders, NGOs and members of our local communities to grow a low-carbon, zero-waste business and lead change for a more sustainable tomorrow.





UN Special Representative **John Ruggie** proposed a framework on business & human rights to the UN Human Rights Council in June 2008, resting on three pillars:

1. the state duty to protect against human rights abuses by third parties, including business;
2. the corporate responsibility to respect human rights; and
3. greater access by victims to effective remedy, both judicial and non-judicial.



NEWS RELEASE



16 June 2011

New Guiding Principles on Business and human rights endorsed by the UN Human Rights Council

GENEVA – In an unprecedented step, the United Nations Human Rights Council has endorsed a new set of Guiding Principles for Business and Human Rights* designed to provide -for the first time- a global standard for preventing and addressing the risk of adverse impacts on human rights linked to business activity.

"The Council's endorsement establishes the Guiding Principles as the authoritative global reference point for business and human rights," said John Ruggie, the Secretary-General's Special Representative for Business and Human Rights. "They will also provide civil society, investors and others the tools to measure real progress in the daily lives of people."

The Guiding Principles are the product of six years of research led by Professor Ruggie from Harvard University, involving governments, companies, business associations, civil society, affected individuals and groups, investors and others around the world. They are based on 47 consultations and site visits in more than 20 countries; an online consultation that attracted thousands of visitors from 120 countries; and voluminous research and submissions from experts from all over the world.

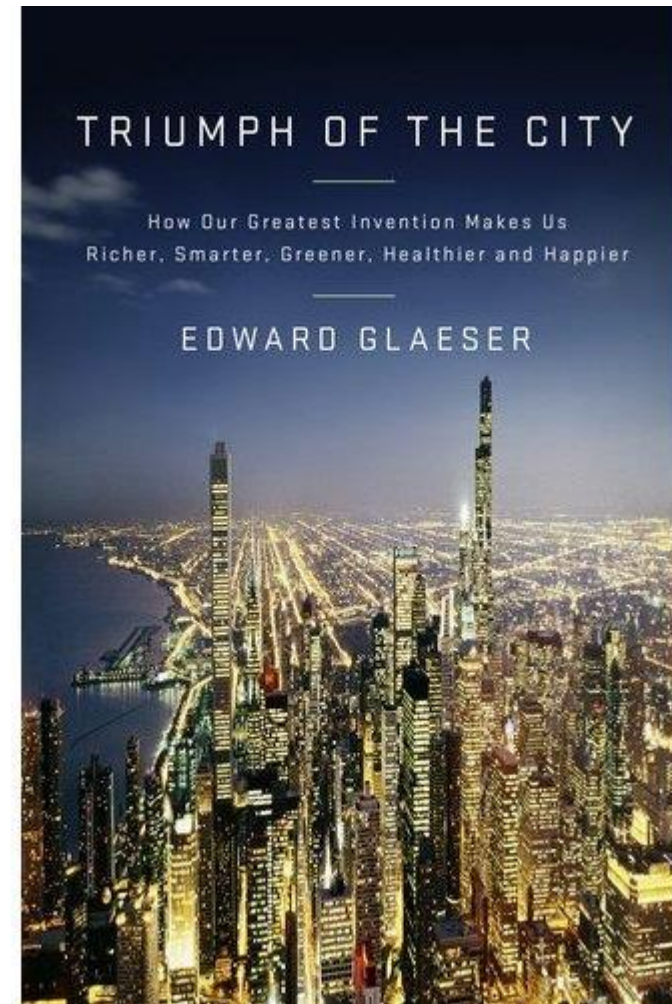
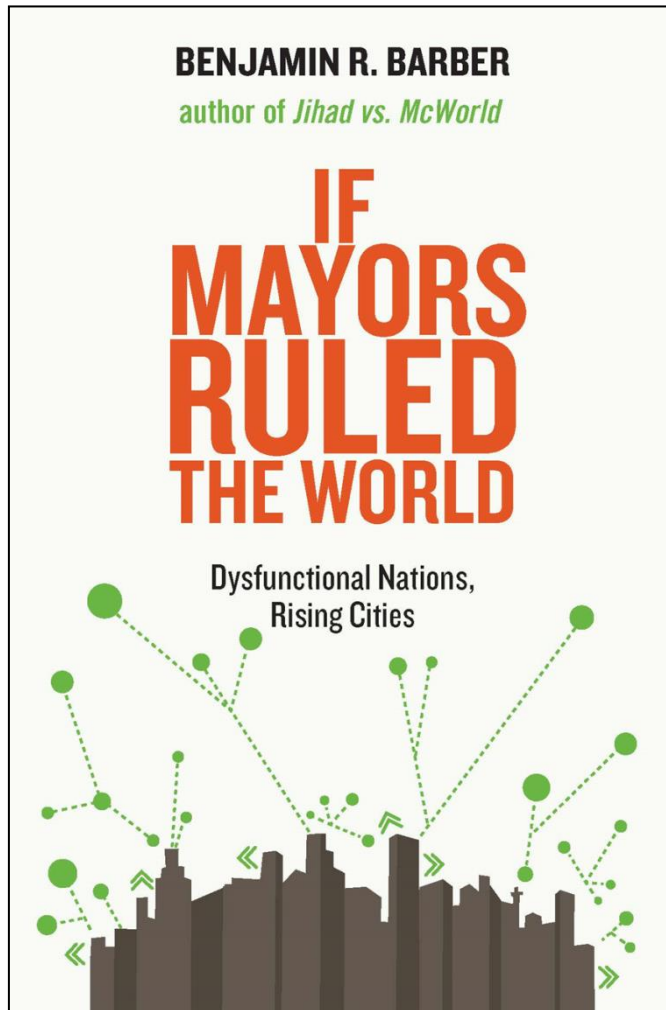
The new standards outline how States and businesses should implement the UN "Protect, Respect and Remedy" Framework in order to better manage business and human rights challenges.

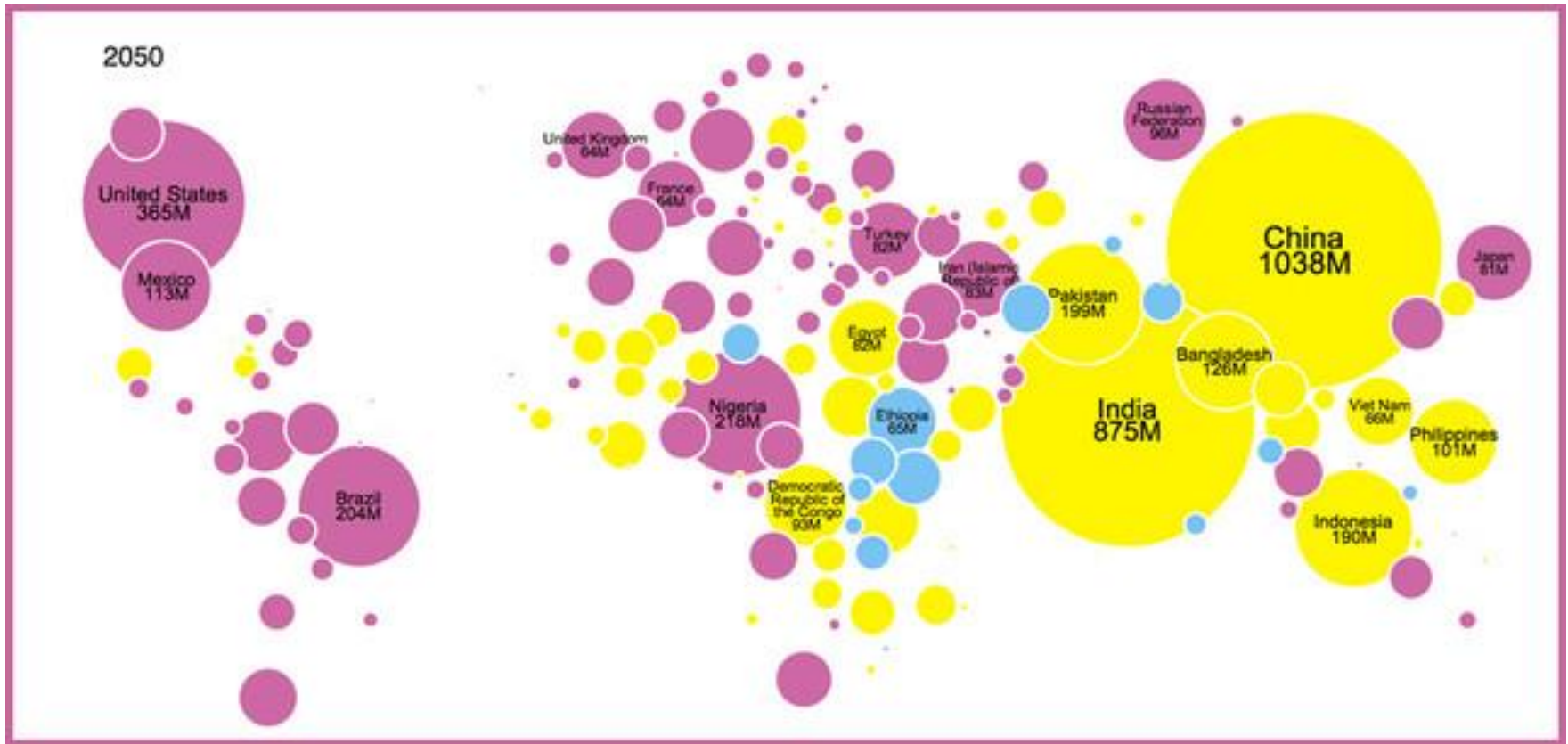
Under the 'State Duty to Protect,' the Guiding Principles recommend how governments should provide greater clarity of expectations and consistency of rule for business in relation to human rights. The 'Corporate Responsibility to Respect' principles provide a blueprint for companies on how to know and show that they are respecting human rights. The 'Access to Remedy' principles focus on ensuring that where people are harmed by business activities, there is both adequate accountability and effective redress, judicial and non-judicial.

In giving its endorsement, the Human Rights Council commended Professor Ruggie for developing the UN "Protect, Respect and Remedy" Framework, and recognized the role of the Guiding Principles in providing comprehensive recommendations for its implementation.

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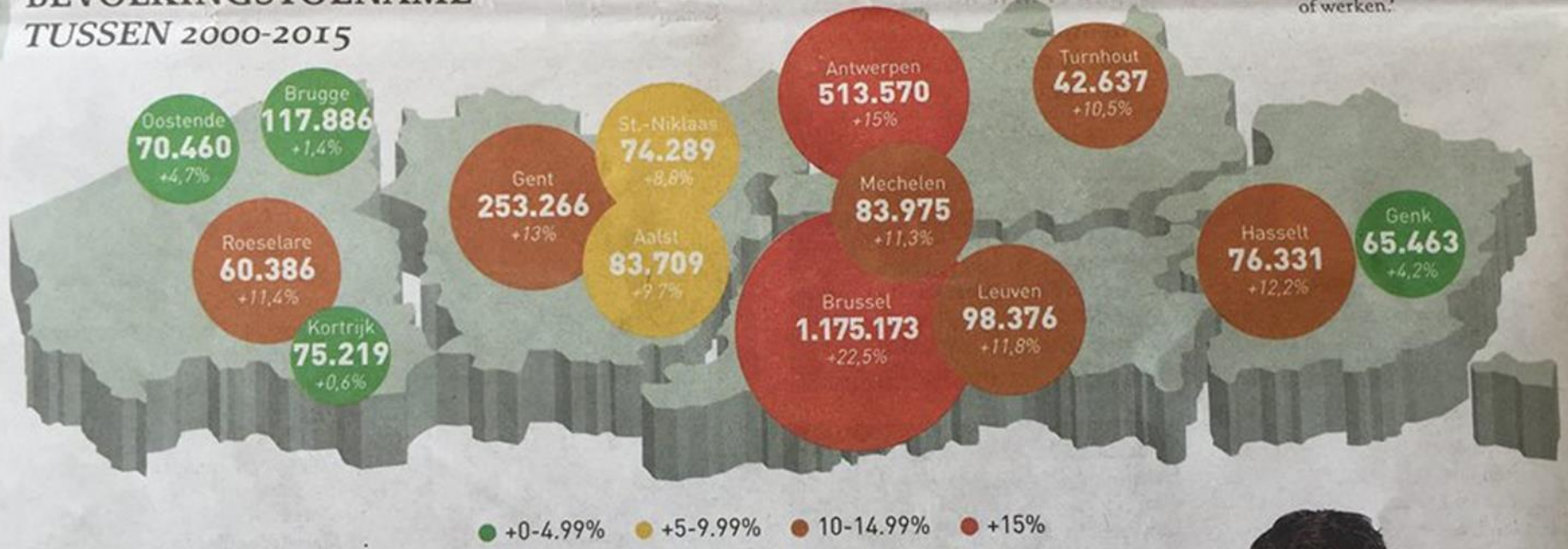


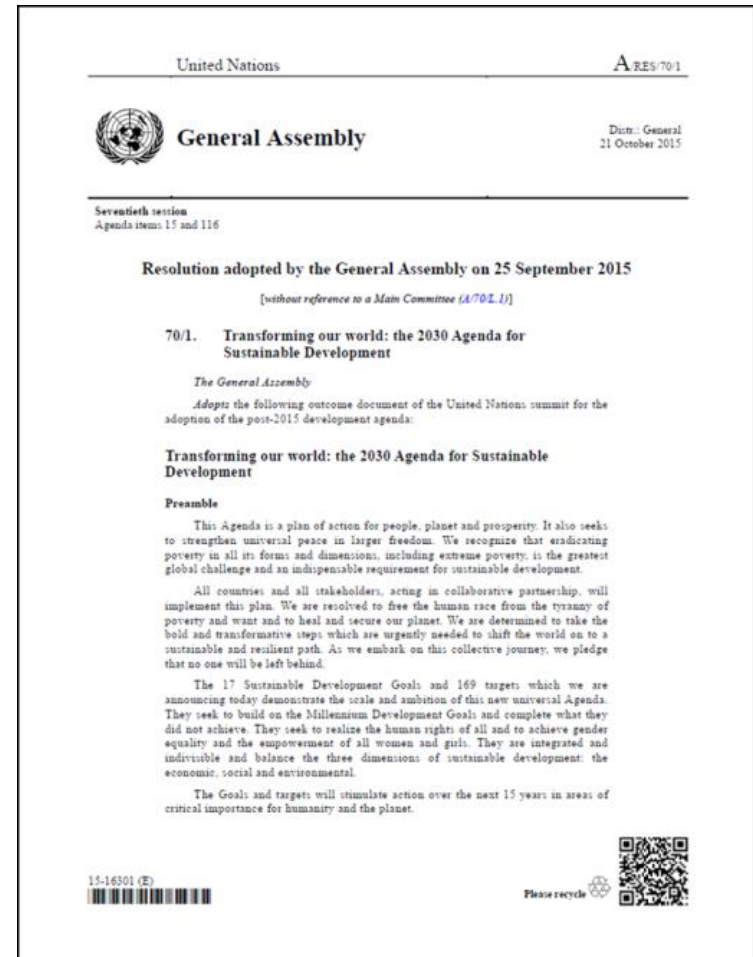




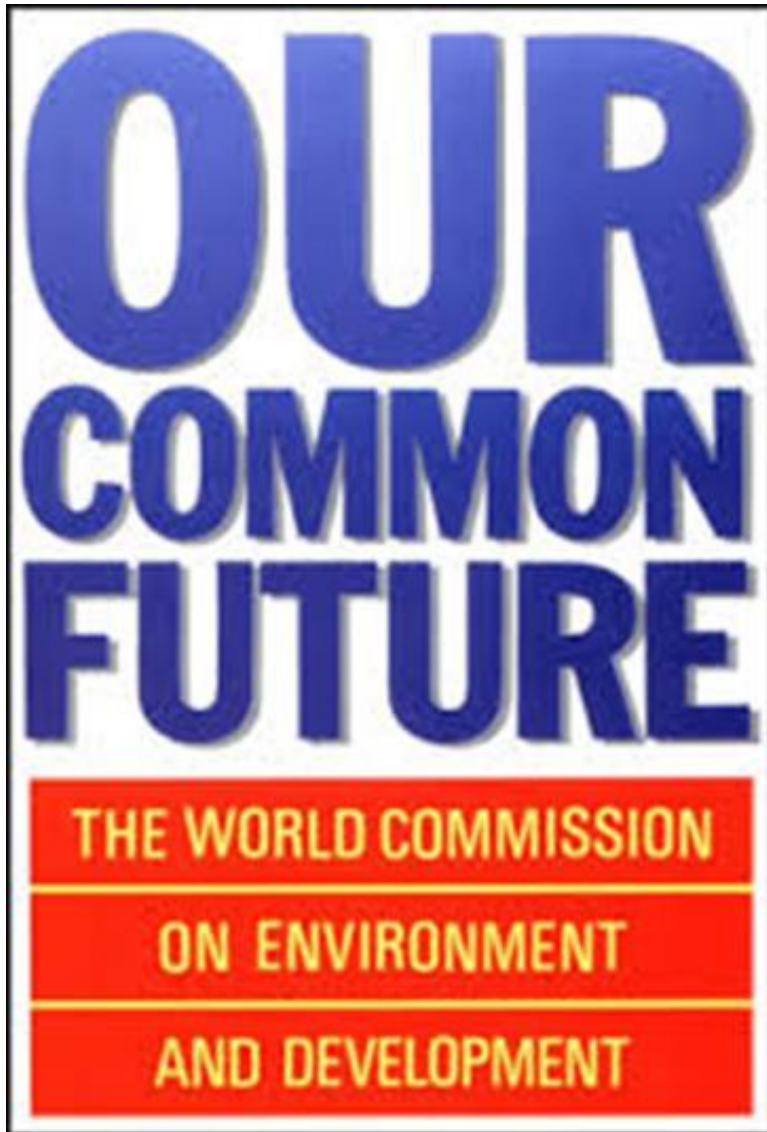
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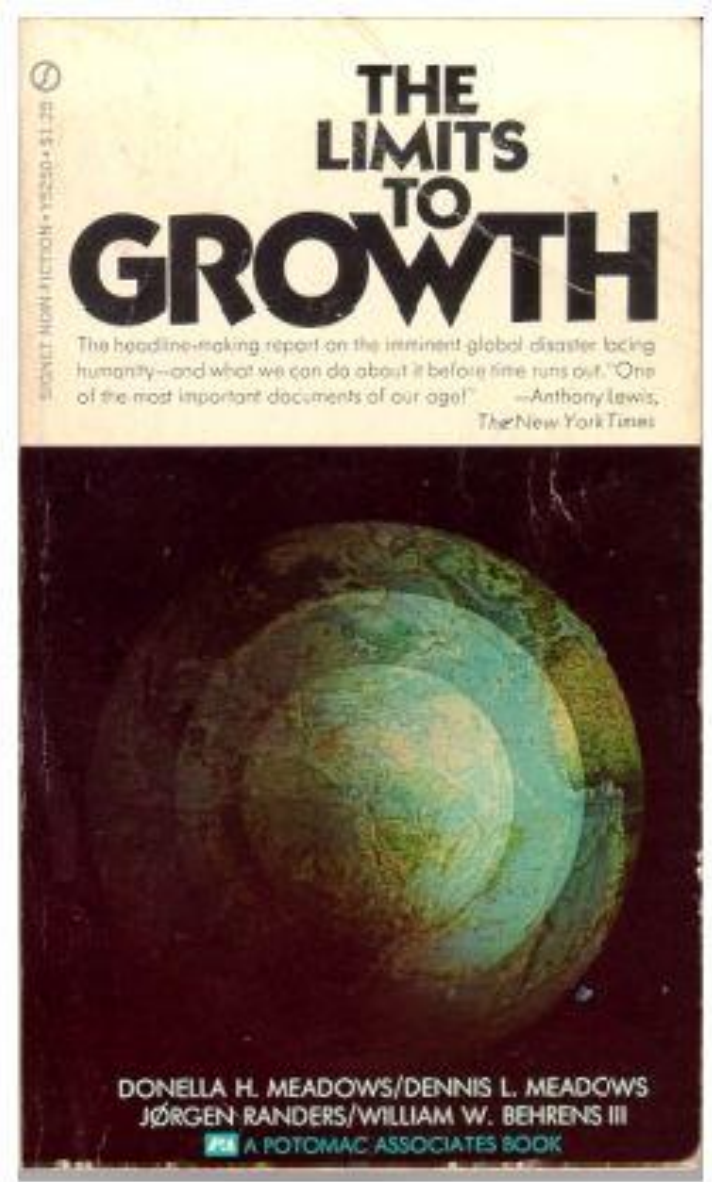
















Background: Earth Summit, 1992



(Credit: UN)

The first global gathering on sustainability was the 1992 Earth Summit in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

"If you don't know how to fix it, please don't break it." – 12-yr old Canadian [Severn Cullis-Suzuki](#) at Earth Summit 1992

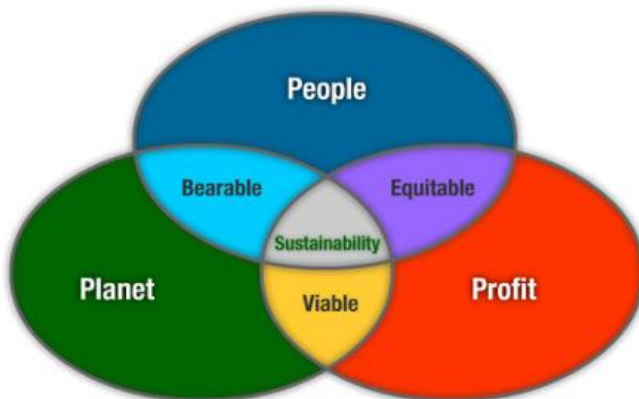
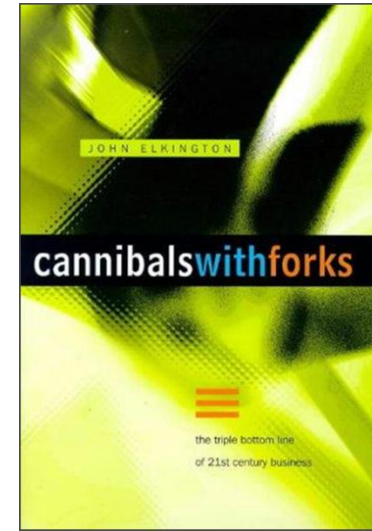
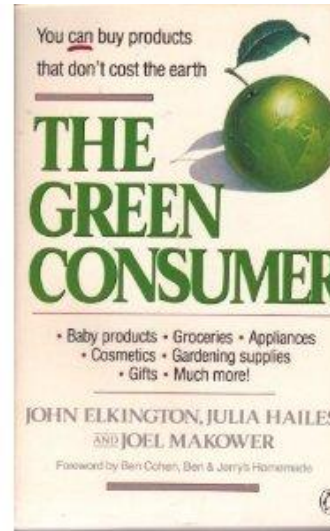
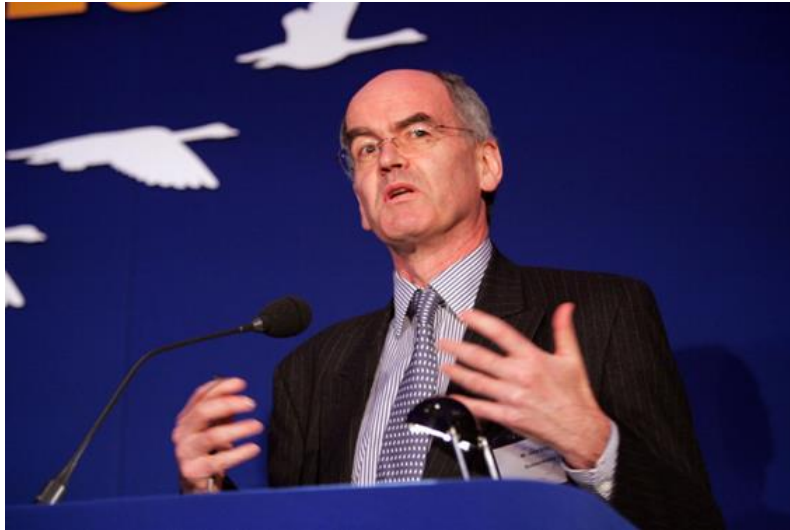
The Earth Summit – the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development (UNCED) June 3-14 – produced ***Agenda 21, a blueprint to rethink economic growth, to advance social equity and to ensure environmental protection.***

More than 178 Governments adopted: [Agenda 21](#), the [Rio Declaration on Environment and Development](#), and the [Statement of Principles for the Sustainable Management of Forests](#).

Two important legally binding agreements were opened for signatures: the [United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change](#) (UNFCCC), to reduce greenhouse gas emissions; and, the [Convention on Biological Diversity](#), to conserve biodiversity. The [Commission on Sustainable Development](#) (CSD) was created to ensure effective follow-up to the Summit.



1997: John ELKINGTON (UK) 'TRIPLE BOTTOM LINE'





The 8 Millennium Development Goals





When?	2000-2015	2016-2030
Theme?	Poverty	Sustainable Development
Who?	United Nations	Participatory Process
Where?	Developing Countries	Universal
Amount?	8 goals	17 goals



THEN

Two parallel processes

NOW

One holistic 2030 agenda

MDG TRACK

Strong focus on social dimension

Completing the unfinished business of the MDGs and leaving no one behind

Revisiting sustainable development with an integrated and balanced view of all key dimensions

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT TRACK

Focus on environmental sustainability



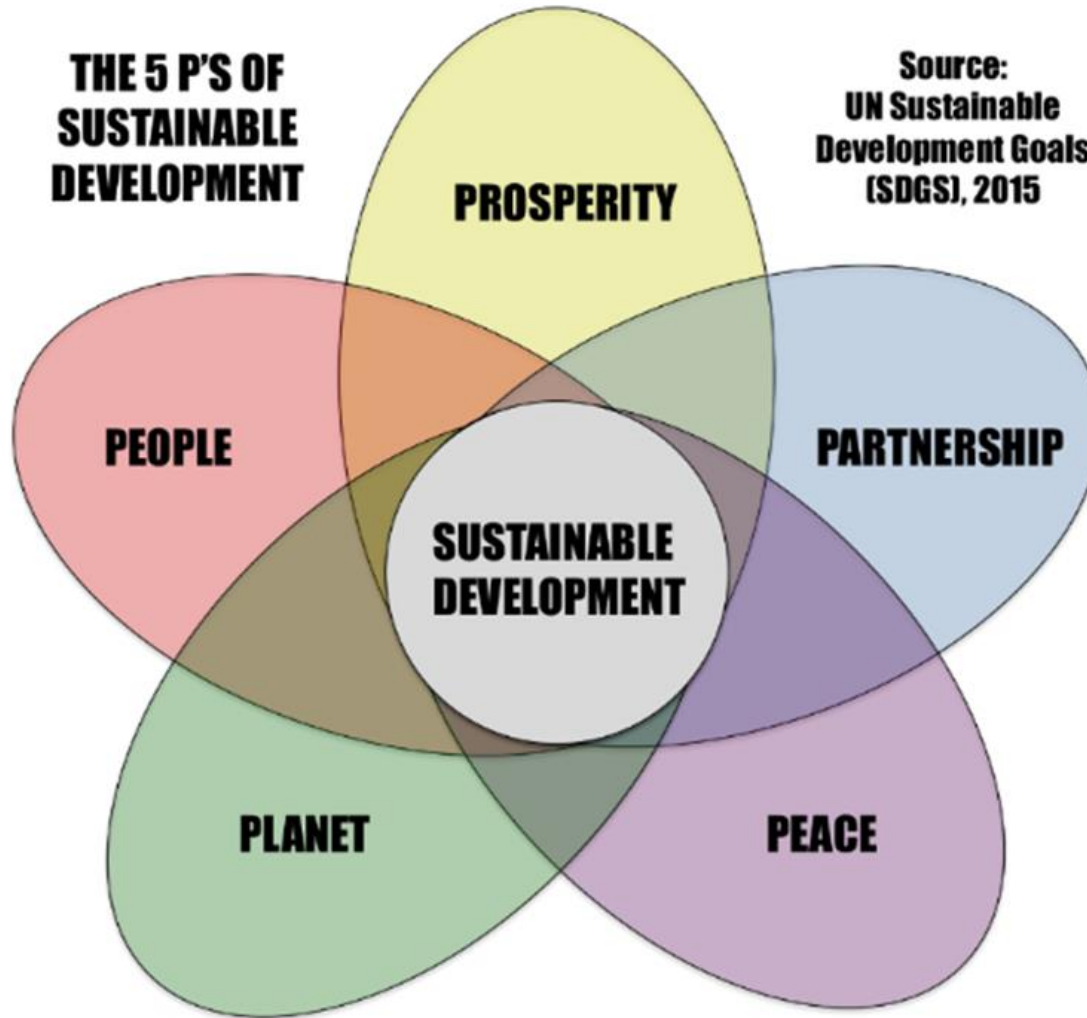
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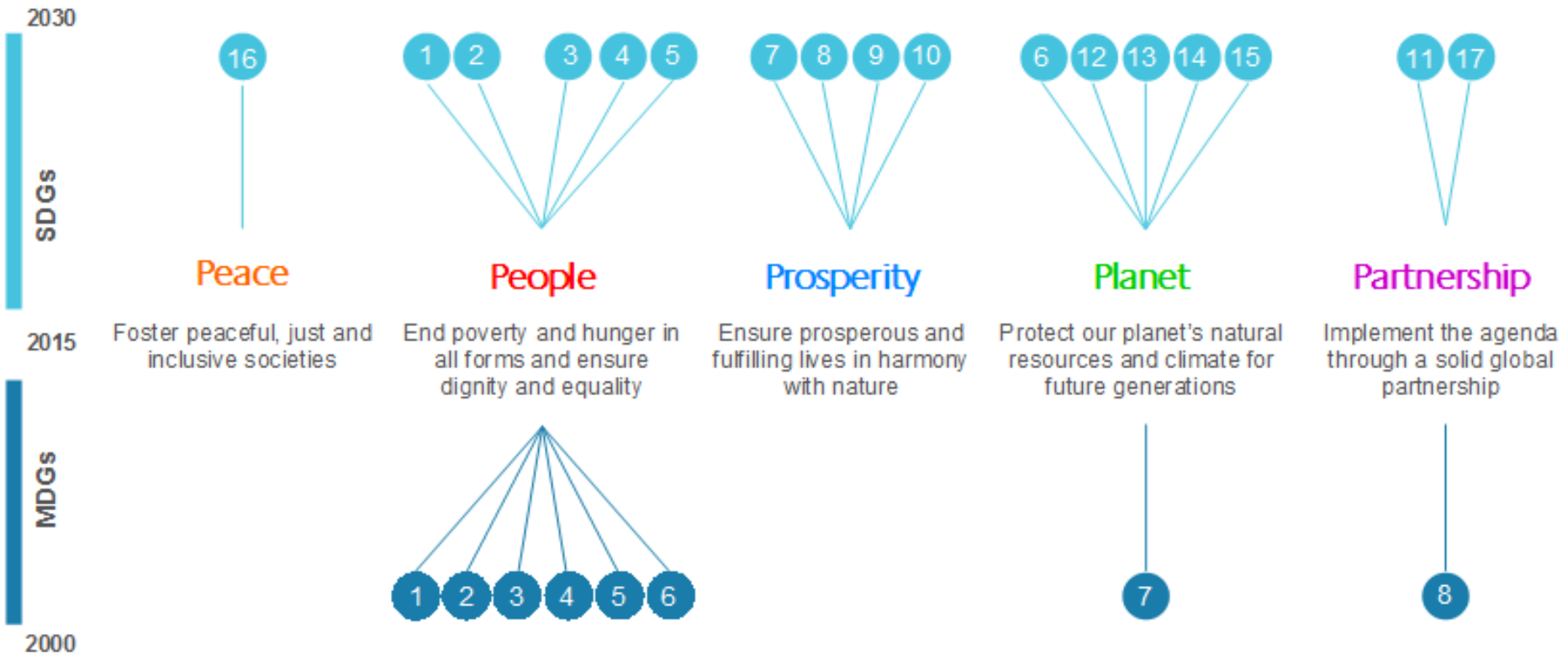
**THE 5 P'S OF
SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT**

**Source:
UN Sustainable
Development Goals
(SDGs), 2015**



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MDGs (2000-2015) versus POST-2015 AGENDA (2016-2030)





PEOPLE: NO POVERTY & ZERO HUNGER











5 P'S & 17 SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

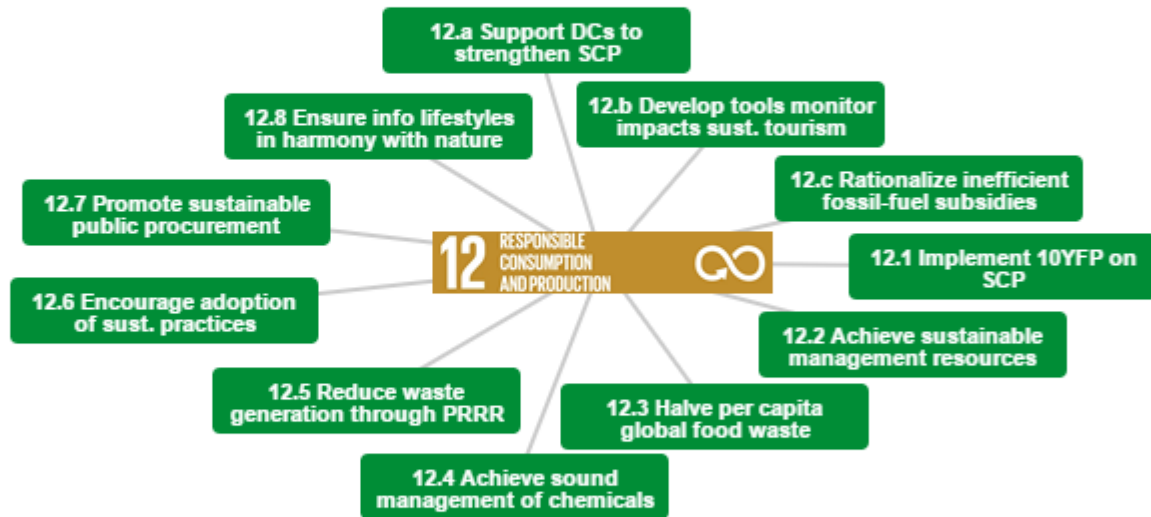


SDG SYNERGIES: 17 GOALS, 169 TARGETS & 229 INDICATORS



1	NO POVERTY	
2	NO HUNGER	
3	GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING	
4	QUALITY EDUCATION	
5	GENDER EQUALITY	
6	CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION	
7	AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY	
8	GOOD JOBS AND ECONOMIC GROWTH	
9	INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE	
10	REDUCED INEQUALITIES	
11	SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES	

13	CLIMATE ACTION	
14	LIFE BELOW WATER	
15	LIFE ON LAND	
16	PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS	
17	PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS	



Sustainable Development Goal	Target	Indicator
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Finance

Technology

Capacity-Building

Trade

Systemic issues



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EXERCISE: 'START TO SDG' IN YOUR PERSONAL & PROFESSIONAL LIFE



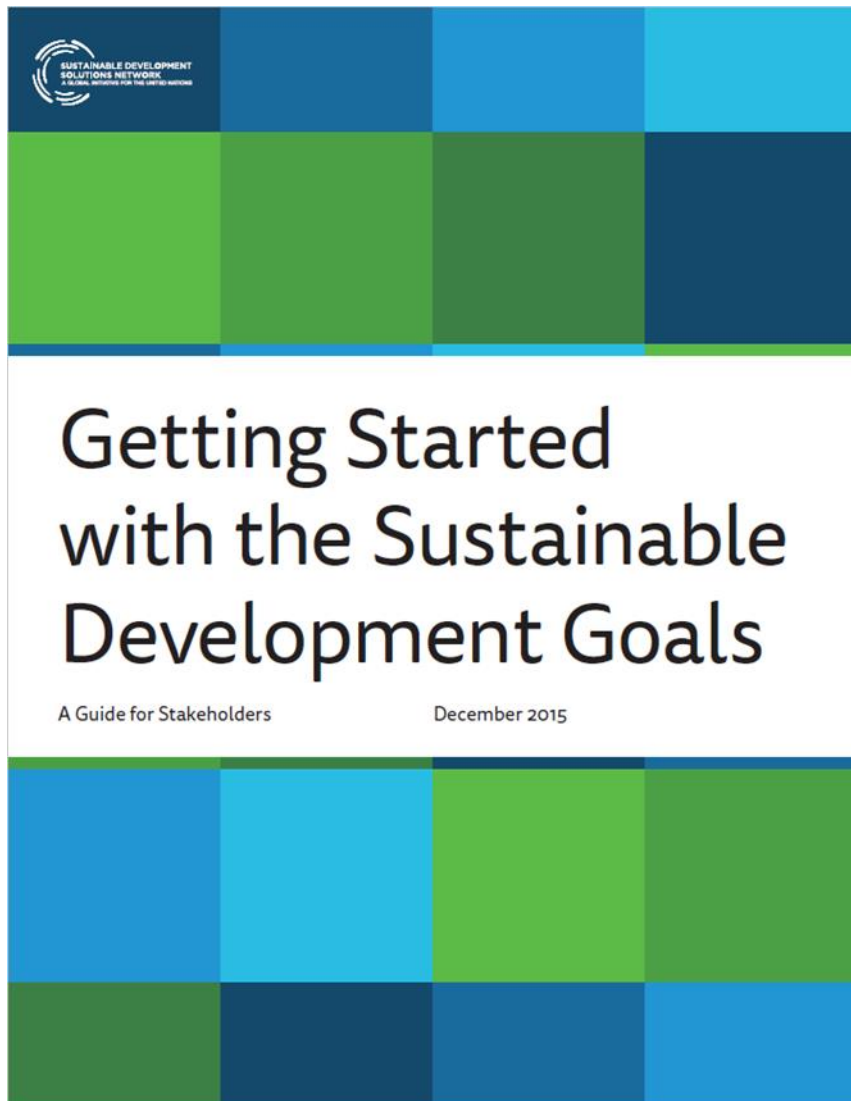


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HEALTH IN THE SDG ERA





EXERCISE: 'START TO SDG' IN THE CITY OF MECHELEN





"The 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development is a major step forward for human rights.

The Agenda reminds us that human rights include the right to development, and that society is only as strong as its weakest member.

The integrated, indivisible and universal nature of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals is deeply rooted in universal human rights."

Ban Ki-moon




Secretary-General of the United Nations
at #HRC31 in Geneva



Human Rights & SDGs

“Agenda 2030 covers issues related to all Human Rights”

156 of the 169 targets are inextricably linked with human rights instruments

Sustainable Development Goals		Related human rights *
<p>1 NO POVERTY</p> 	<p>End poverty in all its forms everywhere</p> <p>Targets include eradicating extreme poverty; implementing social protection measures; and ensuring equal access of men and women to economic resources.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Right to an adequate standard of living [UDHR art. 25; ICESCR art. 11; CRC art. 27] • Right to social security [UDHR art. 22; ICESCR art. 9; CRPD art. 28; CRC art. 26] • Equal rights of women in economic life [CEDAW arts. 11, 13, 14(2)(g), 15(2), 16(1)]
<p>2 ZERO HUNGER</p> 	<p>End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition, and promote sustainable agriculture</p> <p>Targets include ending hunger and malnutrition; improving agricultural production, sustainable and resilient food production; correcting trade distortions, and ensuring functioning food commodity markets.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Right to adequate food [UDHR art. 25; ICESCR art. 11; CRC art. 24(2)(c)] • International cooperation, including ensuring equitable distribution of world food supplies [UDHR art. 28; ICESCR arts. 2(1), 11(2)]
<p>3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING</p> 	<p>Ensure healthy lives and promote well – being for all at all ages</p> <p>Targets include reducing maternal mortality; ending preventable child deaths; ending or reducing AIDS other diseases; universal health coverage, affordable essential medicines, sexual and reproductive health care; vaccine research, and access to medicines.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Right to life [UDHR art. 3; ICCPR art. 6], particularly of women [CEDAW art. 12] and children [CRC art. 6] • Right to health [UDHR art. 25; ICESCR art. 12], particularly of women [CEDAW art. 12]; and children [CRC art.24] • Special protection for mothers and children [ICESCR art.10] • Right to enjoy the benefits of scientific progress and its application [UDHR art. 27; ICESCR art. 15(1)(b)] • International cooperation [UDHR art. 28, DRTD arts. 3-4], particularly in relation to the right to health and children’s rights [ICESCR art. 2(1); CRC art. 4]



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Table 1. Indicators used in the preliminary Global SDG Index and SDG Dashboard

SDG	Description/Label	Year(s)*	Source
1	Poverty headcount ratio at \$1.90 a day (2011 PPP) (% of population)	2009-2013	World Bank (2016)
	Prevalence of undernourishment (% of population)	2013	World Bank (2016)
2	Cereal yield (kg/ha)	2013	World Bank (2016)
	Mortality rate, under-5 (per 1,000 live births)	2013	World Bank (2016)
3	Healthy life expectancy at birth, total (years)	2013	WHO (2016a)
	Subjective Wellbeing (average ladder score)	2014	Helliwell et al. (2015)
	Physician density (per 1,000 people)	2004-2013	WHO (2016a)
	Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 women ages 15-19)	2014	World Bank (2016)
	Expected years of schooling	2014	UNDP (2015)
4	Literacy rate of 15-24 year olds, both sexes, percentage	2001-2013	UNESCO (2015)
	Net primary enrolment rate (%)	1997-2014	WEF (2015)
	Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments (%)	2012-2104	World Bank (2016)
5	Gender Inequality Index	2014	UNDP (2015)
	Improved water source (% of population with access)	2011-2015	World Bank (2016)
6	Improved sanitation facilities (% of population with access)	2011-2015	World Bank (2016)
	Water Stress Score	2013	Gasset et al. (2013)
	Access to electricity (% of population)	2012	World Bank (2016)
7	Alternative and nuclear energy (% of total energy use)	2012-2013	World Bank (2016)
	GDP Growth Deviation	2001-2014	IMF (2015)
8	Unemployment (% of total labor force)	2009/2014	Computed: based on IMF (2015)
	Mobile broadband subscriptions per 100 inhabitants	2012-2015	ITU (2015)
9	Percentage of population using the internet	2014	ITU (2015)
	Research and development expenditure (% of GDP)	2005-2012	UNDP (2015)
	Gini index	2003-2012	World Bank (2016)
11	Mean annual concentration of PM2.5 in urban areas	2013	World Bank (2016)
12	Anthropogenic wastewater that receives treatment (%)	2012	Malik (2013)
13	CO2 emissions/GDP, PPP (tCO2/000\$)	2012	IEA (2014)
	CO2 emissions per capita (tCO2/capita)	2011	World Bank (2016)
14	Ocean Health Index	2015	Conservation International (2015)
	Percentage of marine sites important to biodiversity that are completely protected	2013	Butchart et al. (2015)
15	Weighted Red List Change per year	2014	Rodrigues et al. (2014)
	Annual change in forest area (%)	2001/2014	YCELP & CIESIN (2014)
	Percentage of terrestrial sites important to biodiversity that are completely protected	2013	Butchart et al. (2015)
16	Homicides per 100,000 population	2008-2012	UNDP (2015)
	Prison population per 100,000 people	2002-2013	UNDP (2015)
	Proportion of the population who feel safe walking alone at night in the city or area where they live.	2006-2015	Gallup (2015)
	Corruption Perceptions Index	2015	Transparency International (2014)
17	For high-income and all OECD DAC countries: International concessional public finance, including official development assistance (% GNI)	2013	OECD (2016)
	For all other countries: Government revenue (% of GDP)	2013	World Bank (2016)
	Health, Education and R&D spending (%GDP)	2005-2014	UNDP (2015)

* Data for the latest available year is used.

** As explained in footnote 5 this indicator addresses only parts of SDG 12 and could also fit under SDG 6. Suggestions for better tracking SDG 12 are particularly welcome.



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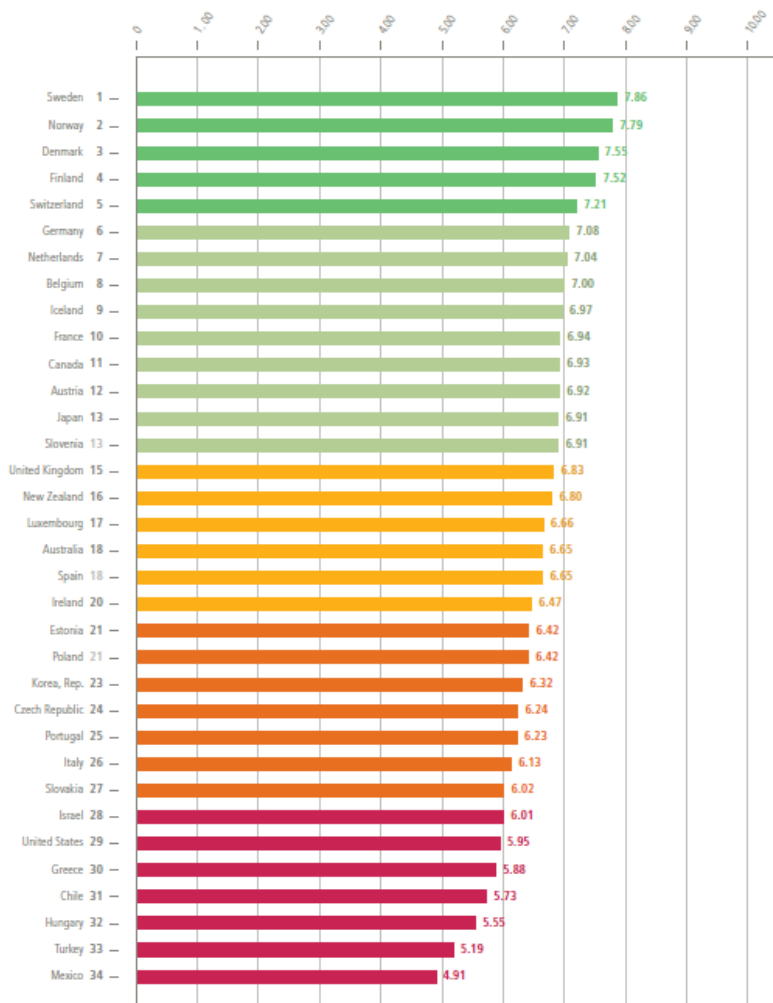




Goal	Headline indicators
Goal 1	Poverty headcount ratio at \$1.90 a day (2011 PPP) (% of population)
	Poverty headcount ratio at national poverty lines (% of population)
Goal 2	Prevalence of undernourishment (% of population)
	Prevalence of obesity, BMI \geq 30 (% of adult population)
	Cereal yield per hectare
Goal 3	Mortality rate, under-5 (per 1,000 live births)
	Life expectancy at birth, total (years)
Goal 4	Lower secondary completion rate (% of relevant age group)
	PISA score
Goal 5	Proportion of seats held by women in national parliaments (%)
	School enrollment, secondary (gross), gender parity index (GPI)
Goal 6	Improved water source (% of population with access)
	Water Stress Score
Goal 7	Access to electricity (% of population)
	Alternative and nuclear energy (% of total energy use)
Goal 8	Share of youth not in education, employment or training, total (% of youth population)
	Average annual per capita GDP over the past 5 years
Goal 9	Mobile broadband subscriptions per 100 inhabitants
	Research and development expenditure (% of GDP)
Goal 10	Palma ratio
	Gini index
Goal 11	Percentage of urban population living in slums or informal settlements
	Mean annual concentration of PM _{2.5} in urban areas
Goal 12	Municipal solid waste generation (kg per capita)
	CO ₂ emissions per capita
Goal 13	Losses from natural disasters (% GNI)
	Share of marine areas that are protected
Goal 14	Fraction of fish stocks overexploited and collapsed (by exclusive economic zone)
	Red List Index
Goal 15	Annual change in forest area
	Homicides per 100,000 population
Goal 16	Corruption Perception Index
	For high-income and upper-middle-income countries: International concessional public finance, including official development assistance (% GNI)
Goal 17	For low- and lower-middle-income countries: Government revenues (% GNI)
	Subjective Wellbeing (average ladder score)

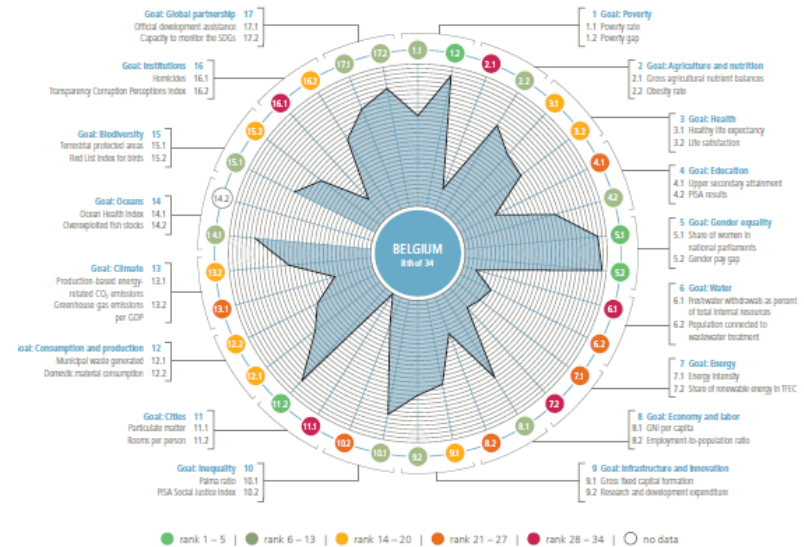


The world's first SDG Index



The SDG Index illustrates the overall performance of each OECD country based on the 17 goals and 34 indicators examined in the study. In sum, Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Finland, and Switzerland are best prepared to meet the SDGs and in a good position to foster sustainable development by 2030. However, even these countries are faced with particular challenges, as the country profiles in this study illustrate.

Country profiles | Belgium



Overall

Belgium ranks eighth out of 34 countries across all dimensions of the SDG Index. The country is among the top ten in nine of the 34 indicators, four of those in the top five. Belgium's performance, however, varies considerably. For three indicators the country finds itself among the bottom five.

Strengths

Belgium does particularly well in terms of gender equality and the empowerment of women and girls (goal 5). With a relatively low gender pay gap of 6.4 percent and a national parliament which is 41.3 percent female, Belgium ranks second and third respectively. By contrast, the average gender pay gap across the OECD is 15.5 percent. With 2.2 rooms per person, Belgians also enjoy considerable domestic space, which places the country among the top five. In addition, the country ranks among the top five on the poverty gap (the percentage by which the mean income of the poor falls below the poverty line). This position, combined with a relatively favorable income gap between rich and poor (seventh, with a Palma ratio of 0.9), illustrates Belgium's relative success at tackling poverty and inequality.

Weaknesses

Belgium ranks last for particulate matter air pollution, with many Belgians exposed to levels exceeding World Health Organization safety thresholds. Half of all OECD manage to keep within these limits. In addition, Belgium annually withdraws 51.8 percent of its total renewable freshwater resources, putting it at 31st among the 34 OECD countries, and indicating that the sustainability of its water resources is gravely endangered. Belgium is also among the bottom five countries for gross agricultural nutrient balances, with nitrogen and phosphorus use that degrades the environment in contravention of sustainable agriculture concepts (goal 2). On goal 7 (which calls for universal access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy), Belgium ranks among the bottom 10 OECD countries. The country's relatively high primary energy intensity (6.4 petajoules per GDP) and low share of renewable energy consumption (5.3 percent) are unsustainable and threaten the energy supply of future generations.



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Werk aan de winkel voor u en ik : wij moeten de wereld veranderen ! Want daar komt de beslissing van de Verenigde Naties over de Sustainable Development Goals (SDG's) op neer. Ook in de ambities voor Vlaanderen komen de SDG's voor, ze werden alle geïntegreerd in de Visienota 2050. En het is tijd om ermee aan de slag te gaan.

Maar hoe? Kom op 8 juni naar de startdag en laat u enthousiasmeren en inspireren zodat we samen de doelstellingen waar kunnen maken in Vlaanderen én de wij-de wereld. Om de SDG's te doen slagen is engagement en samenwerking nodig tussen tal van organisaties, bedrijven, banken, NGO's, scholen, universiteiten en overheden. De instellingen waar wij voor werken dus. Laat ons mee het goede voorbeeld geven!

Wat zijn goede voorbeelden? Op 8 juni komen meerdere organisaties, federaties, bedrijven en koplopers uit verschillende geledingen van onze maatschappij erover vertellen. En met Jan Rotmans, grondlegger van de transitieaanpak, hebben we een visionair en pionier in zijn vakgebied op de affiche.

Schrijf u hier in : <http://do.vlaanderen.be/08-juni-startdag-wij-de-wereld-over-sdgs>

De Sustainable Development Goals maken deel uit van de resolutie die de staats- en regeringsleiders van de 193 VN-staten in september 2015 goedkeurden. De resolutie bevat een visie, 17 sustainable development goals (SDG's) en 169 subdoelen die de wereld tegen 2030 moet behalen. In 2016 vertaalt zich dat in concrete doelstellingen en initiatieven in de regio's en landen zelf. Voor Vlaanderen werden alle SDG's geïntegreerd in de Visienota

2050 van de Vlaamse Regering. Ook andere organisaties, scholen en bedrijven zijn direct op de trein gesprongen. Er leeft dus al heel wat rond de SDG's in Vlaanderen.

Alle info en programma:

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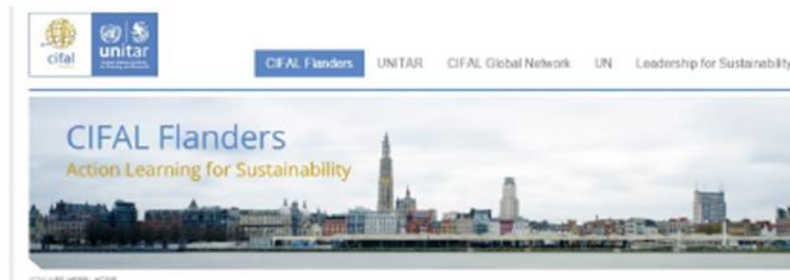
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