



SUSTAINABLE  
DEVELOPMENT  
GOALS



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“LEAVE NO ONE  
BEHIND”



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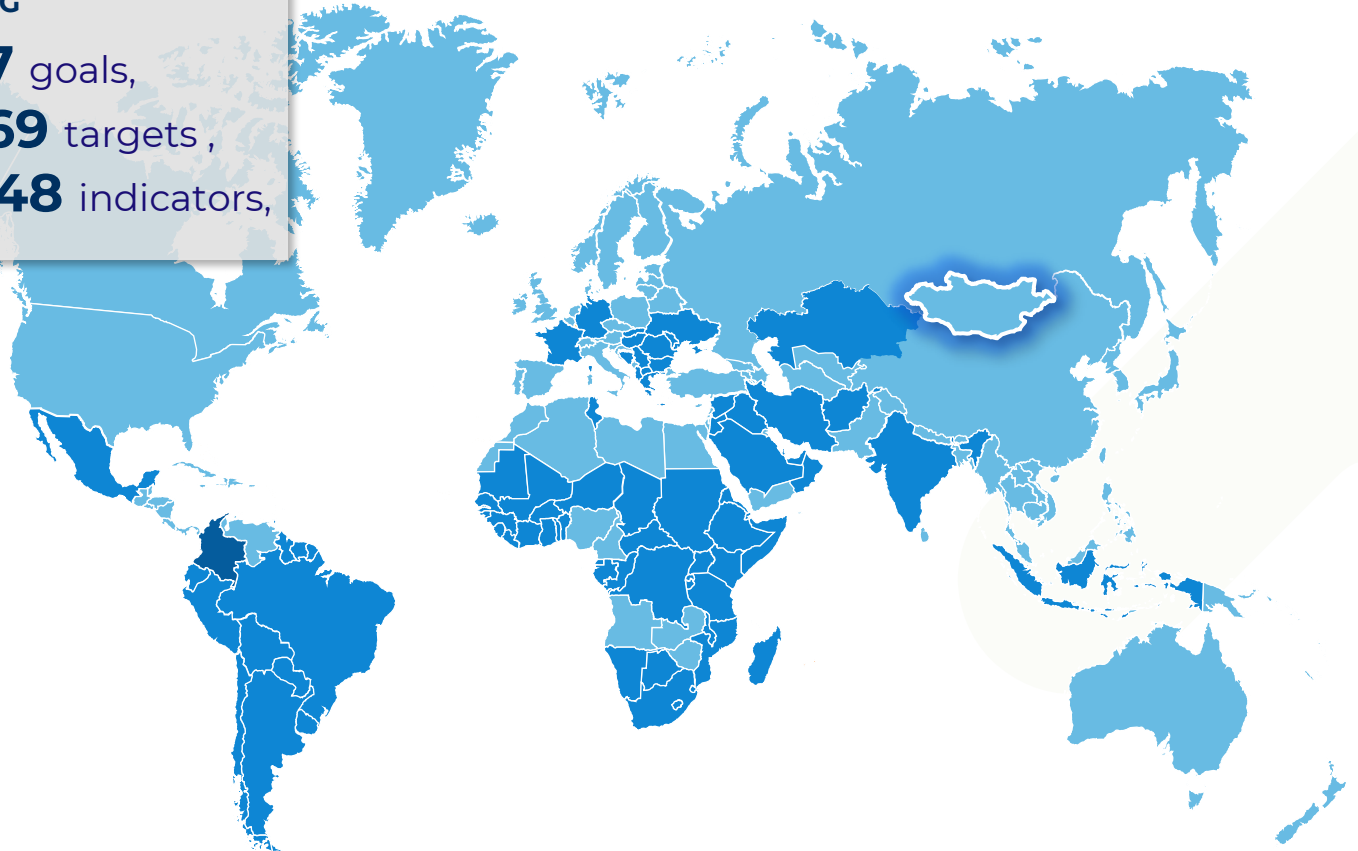


# THE IMPLEMENTATION OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS IS **SLOWING DOWN WORLDWIDE.**

## GLOBAL SDG

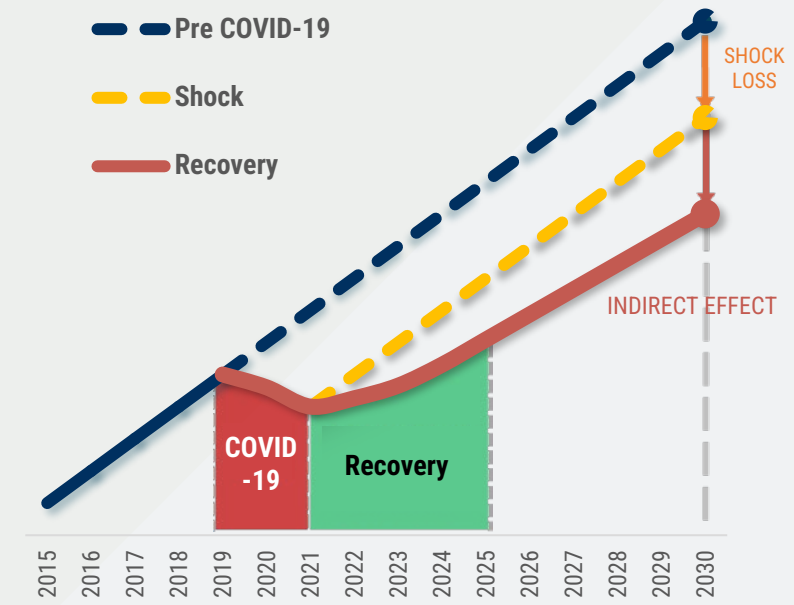


**17** goals,  
**169** targets,  
**248** indicators,



Source: Springer Nature

PROGRESS TOWARDS THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS HAS BEEN **BEEWED** BY INDIRECT EFFECTS OF THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC



Note: Growth projection

Source: IMF

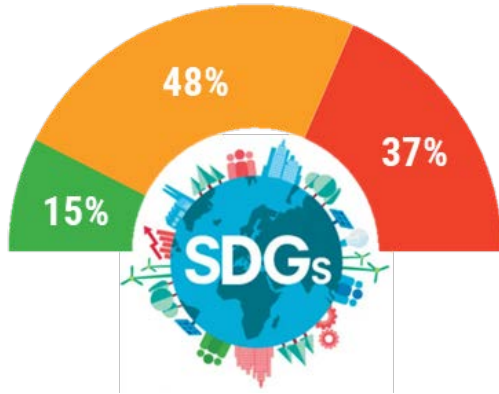
## EFFECTS OF THE PANDEMIC

- ⊗ Economic crisis and financing failure;
- ⊗ Changes in policy priorities;
- ⊗ Information gaps and delays in monitoring and evaluation



# WORLDWIDE: ONLY 15 PERCENT OF THE SDGs ARE ON TRACK.

## PROGRESS TOWARDS SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



- ON TRACK
- MODERATELY OR SEVERELY OFF TRACK
- STAGNATION OR REGRESSION

*Note: Based on an assessment of SDG targets with trend data.*



**ANTÓNIO GUTERRES**  
Secretary-General of the United Nations

“UNLESS WE ACT **NOW**, THE 2030 AGENDA WILL BECOME AN **EPITAPH** FOR A WORLD THAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN.”

## SDG PROGRESS VARIES ACROSS GOALS.

- On track or target met
- Fair progress, but acceleration needed
- Stagnation or regression
- Insufficient data

*By percentage of implementation and indicators.*



*Note: Based on an assessment of SDG targets with trend data.*



# THE IMPLEMENTATION OF MONGOLIA'S SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS NEEDS TO BE ACCELERATED.

## TRENDS OF SDG IMPLEMENTATION IN MONGOLIA

Insufficient data



FAIR PROGRESS, BUT ACCELERATION NEEDED



STAGNATION OR REGRESSION

ON TRACK OR TARGET MET



### ISSUES RELATED TO IMPLEMENTATION

1 VULNERABILITY TO EXTERNAL SHOCKS

2 NEGATIVE IMPACT OF COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND GEOPOLITICAL UNCERTAINTY

3 DISPARITY IN THE REGIONAL AND LOCAL DEVELOPMENT



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# MONGOLIA IS IMPLEMENTING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS THROUGH ITS DEVELOPMENT POLICY AND PLANNING.

**VISION 2050** LONG-TERM DEVELOPMENT POLICY OF MONGOLIA

- SHARED NATIONAL VALUES
- HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
- QUALITY OF LIFE AND MIDDLE CLASS
- ECONOMY
- GOVERNANCE
- GREEN DEVELOPMENT
- SAFE AND SECURE SOCIETY
- REGIONAL AND LOCAL DEVELOPMENT
- ULAANBAATAR AND SATELLITE CITIES

**“TARGETED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS (DRAFT)”**

**NEW RECOVERY POLICY**

- I. TARGET PROGRAM OF HUMAN DEVELOPMENT
- II. TARGET PROGRAM OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT
- III. TARGET PROGRAM OF ENVIRONMENT
- IV. TARGET PROGRAM OF GOVERNANCE
- V. TARGET PROGRAM OF REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT
- VI. TARGET PROGRAM TO INCREASE NATIONAL COMPETITIVENESS

**“SDGs”+ “146”- MONITORING AND EVALUATION INDICATORS**

83 PERCENT OF THE “VISION-2050” LONG-TERM DEVELOPMENT POLICY IS ALIGNED.  
FULLY ALIGNED WITH THE TDPs.





# WE AIM TO IMPLEMENT THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS THROUGH MULTISTAKEHOLDER PARTICIPATION.

## GOVERNMENT ORGANIZATIONS

- ✓ *Development policy and planning alignment*
- ✓ *Nationalized targets*
- ✓ *Policy alignment and coordination across sectors*
- ✓ *Monitoring and evaluation*
- ✓ *Methodology and data availability for the indicators*

- ✓ *Financial and technical assistance*
- ✓ *Coordination for the SDG activities*

## CIVIL SOCIETY ORGANIZATIONS AND ACADEMIA

- ✓ *Research and information dissemination*
- ✓ *Data and methodological processing*
- ✓ *Advocacy*
- ✓ *Independent evaluation and reporting*

- ✓ *Standards, indicator and taxonomies for sustainable development operation*
- ✓ *Financial leverage*
- ✓ *Innovative solutions and initiatives*



## DEVELOPMENT PARTNERS

## PRIVATE ORGANIZATIONS



# MONGOLIA IS REPORTING ITS SDG IMPLEMENTATION TO THE GLOBAL COMMUNITY.

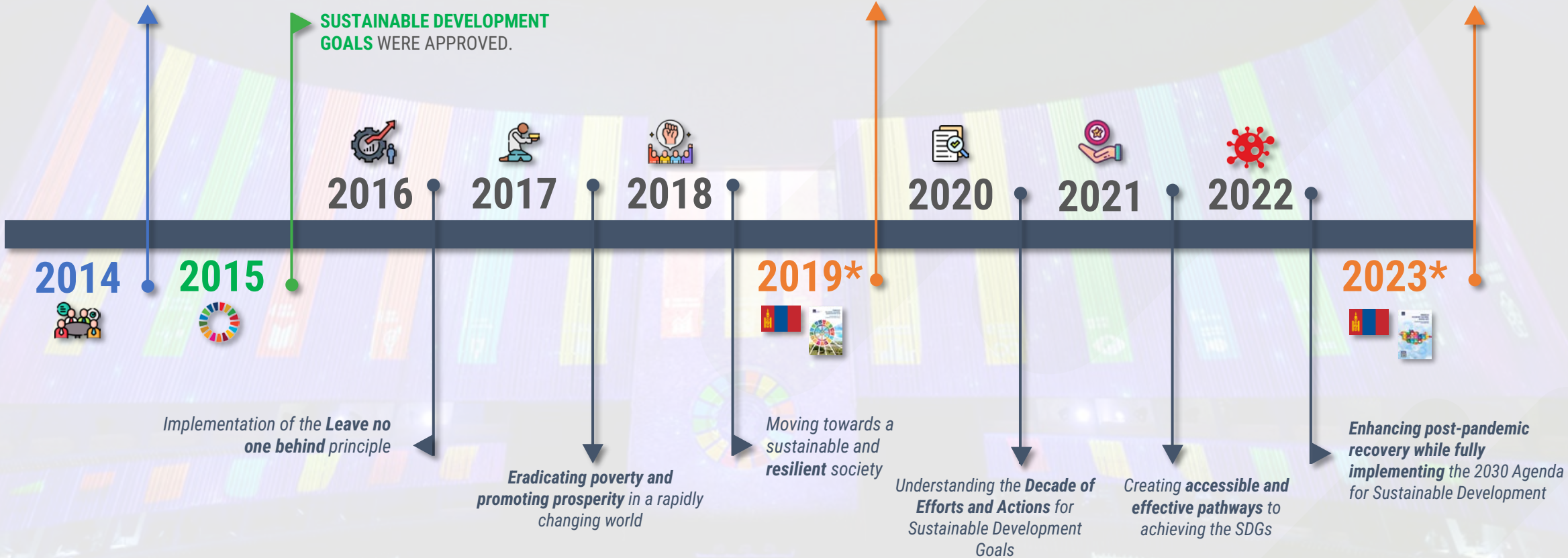
## UN HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM AND SUMMIT

THE FIRST **HIGH LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM** ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT HAS BEEN ORGANIZED.

FIRST **SDG SUMMIT** SINCE THE ADOPTION OF 2030 AGENDA

STARTING A NEW WAVE OF **ACCELERATING THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS**

**SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS** WERE APPROVED.



Implementation of the **Leave no one behind** principle

**Eradicating poverty and promoting prosperity** in a rapidly changing world

Moving towards a sustainable and **resilient** society

Understanding the **Decade of Efforts and Actions** for Sustainable Development Goals

Creating **accessible and effective pathways** to achieving the SDGs

**Enhancing post-pandemic recovery while fully implementing** the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development



**Voluntary National Review: Voluntary, state-led, multistakeholder evaluation** to share best practices and challenges in SDG implementation



Under the auspices of the General Assembly, countries meet **every 4 years** to discuss measures **to enhance SDG implementation**



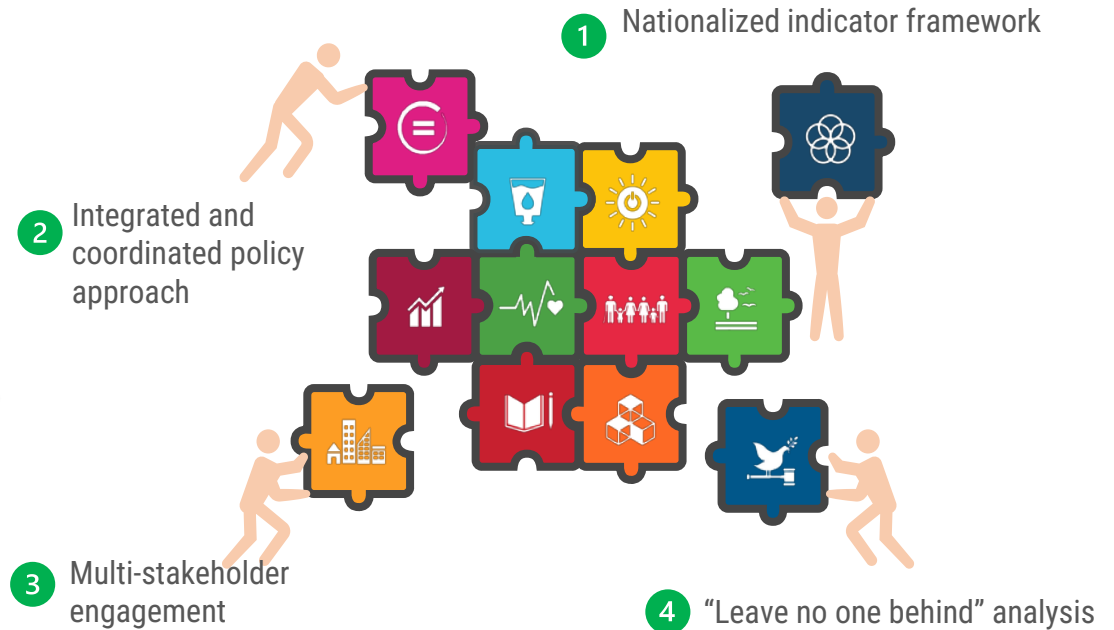
# MONGOLIA HAS SUCCESSFULLY PRESENTED ITS VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEW FOR THE SECOND TIME.

"The secondary **Voluntary National Review** for the implementation of the SDGs was presented at the United Nations High-level Political Forum.



## "SDG Implementation" Secondary Voluntary National Review

### ✔ "VNR-2023" FINDINGS



### ✔ "CHALLENGES FACED WHEN IMPLEMENTING THE SDG-2030

- 1 Vulnerability to external shocks
- 2 Covid-19 negative impact
- 3 Regional and local development disparity



# IDENTIFIED NATIONAL COMMITMENTS FOR THE 2023 UN "HIGH-LEVEL MEETING" ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS.

## FIRST DRAFT OF THE NATIONAL COMMITMENTS for the Sustainable Development Goals



### SDG ACCELERATORS

"Investment priorities and transition sectors aimed at accelerating SDG implementation"



### NATIONAL BENCHMARK

"Poverty reduction target for 2027"



### INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS

"Institutional environment to support SDG implementation priorities"







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**NATIONAL COMMITMENT**



# NATIONAL COMMITMENTS 1: NATIONAL SDG ACCELERATORS



Increase the quality and access of educational services, and prepare a workforce that meets market demand



Increase the quality, equity, and accessibility of health care and services



Achieve a complete digital transition through innovation, science, and technology



Ensure energy stability and reliability by creating basic conditions for the development of renewable energy



Mitigate and adapt to the negative effects of climate change: Ensure environmental sustainability and strengthen resilience to hazards and natural disasters



Enhance the food supply and security



Diversify economy through the development of value-added and sustainable production (agriculture, manufacturing, tourism, creative cultural production and transport)



Reduce unemployment and poverty by increasing decent work and inclusive jobs



Ensure gender equality



Foster effective governance and policy coherence






Support regional and local development



Boost financing aimed at accelerating the implementation of the SDGs

## Legend

-  Transitions
-  Cross cutting
-  Means of implementation



# NATIONAL COMMITMENT 1: CONCLUSIONS FROM THE SECOND VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEW-CURRENT SITUATION



The **lack of diversification of export and value-added goods** are the main reasons of the economic competitiveness



**Insufficient labor market activity** to support decent employment



Due to climate change, **the frequency of natural disasters is increasing**



There is a funding and **investment need** for SDGs



## MACROECONOMICS

### EXPORT BREAKDOWN



DIVERSIFICATION RATE

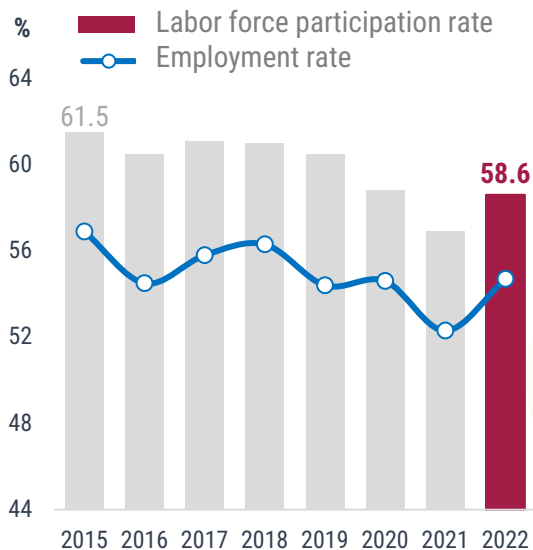
**118/133** countries

"For the last 15 years, Mongolia has put out only **4 products** to the market"

Source: CGA, HIL



## EMPLOYMENT



Source: NSO



## CLIMATE CHANGE

Active desertification

**23.3%**

**2.4**  
TEMPERATURE INCREASE

The average temperature for the last 80 years

Forest covered area

**8.1%**

**2 INCREASE**

Frequency of disasters in the last 20 years

Greenhouse gas emissions per person are higher than the world average

**2.7 MORE**

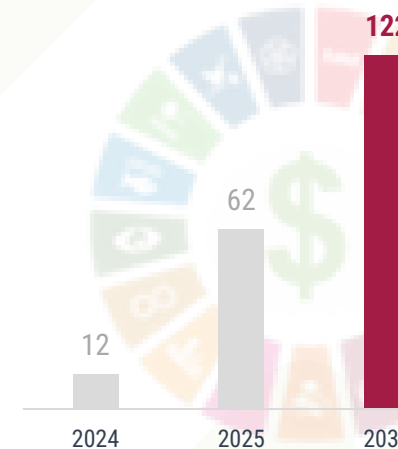
Source: Ministry of Environment and Tourism



## INVESTMENT

### INVESTMENT REQUIRED TO IMPLEMENT SDGs

In trillion MNT



Source: UN



**Diversify economy** through the development of value-added and sustainable production



**Reduce unemployment and poverty** by increasing decent work and inclusive jobs



**Mitigate and adapt** to the negative effects of climate change: **Ensure environmental sustainability and strengthen resilience** to hazards and natural disasters



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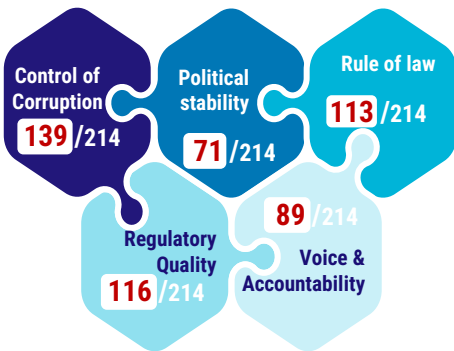


Increase **effectiveness** and **sustainability** of the government



## GOVERNANCE

AVERAGE OF GOVERNANCE INDICATORS



**111/214** countries

Source: CabSec, WB

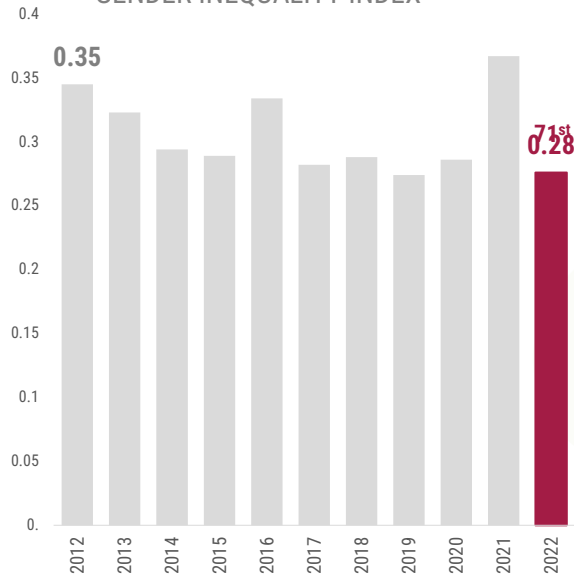


Challenges raised due to **gender stereotypes**



## GENDER

GENDER INEQUALITY INDEX



Source: UN, NSO

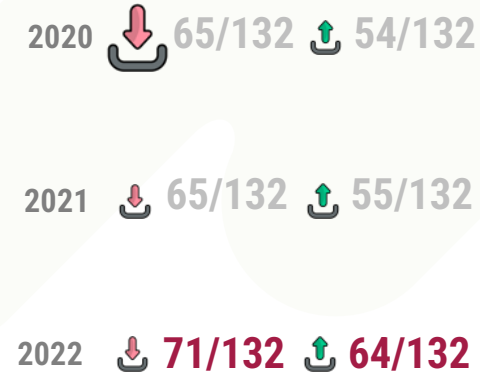


**Insufficient production, experiments, and research** for the innovation to introduce new technologies



## INNOVATION

GLOBAL INNOVATION INDEX (GII)



Source, WIPO

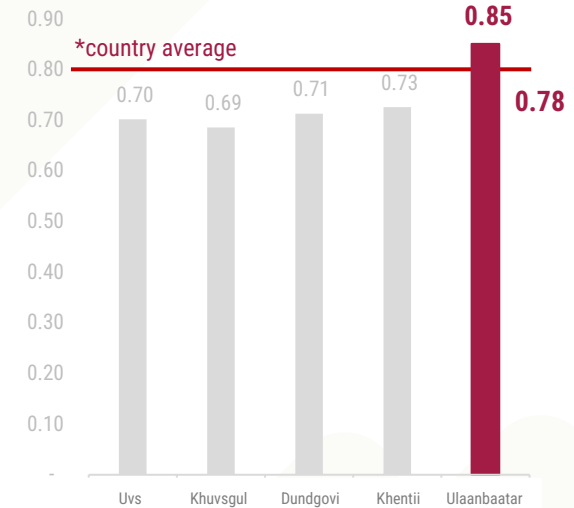


The disparity in the regional and local development **hindering the implementation** of SDGs



## REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT

REGIONAL HUMAN DEVELOPMENT INDEX (2022)



Source: NSO



Foster effective governance and **policy coherence**



Ensure **gender equality**



Achieve a complete **digital transition** through innovation, science, and technology



Support regional and local **development**





# NATIONAL COMMITMENT 1: CONCLUSIONS FROM THE SECOND VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEW-CURRENT SITUATION



**Resources and supplies** for preparedness are **limited** within the health sector



## HEALTH

Tumor **1/183** countries



Liver

**1/183** countries



Stomach

**1/183** countries



Esophagus

**2/183** countries



Stroke

**3/183** countries

Late-stage diagnoses account for **72.5%** of all cases



Increase the **quality, equity,** and accessibility of health care and services

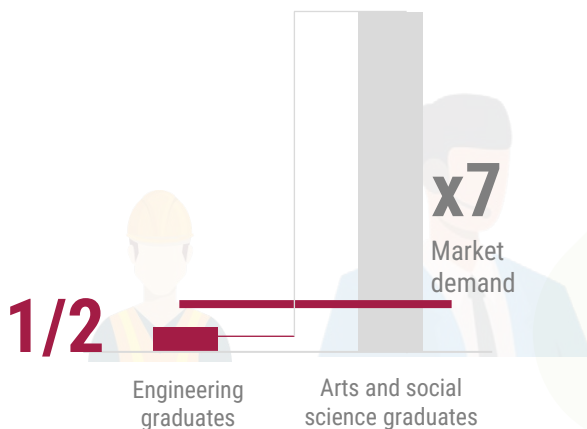


Relation between graduates and labor market **doesn't match**



## EDUCATION

### GRADUATES



Female **94.5%**



Male **84.7%**



City **95.3%**



Rural **80.9%**



Increase the quality and accessibility of educational services, and prepare a workforce that meets **market demand**



**Long-term food security and reserves** need to be increased



## FOOD

### FOOD SECURITY

- ! There is **no system of supply, storage, and transportation** of raw materials of food;
- ! There is **no integrated market trading system**;
- ! **Weak laboratory capacity** to fully analyze quality and safety measures;
- ! Origins and traceability of food are **not satisfactory**;
- ! **No coordination** of e-commerce or transportation logistics.



Enhance the **food supply** and security

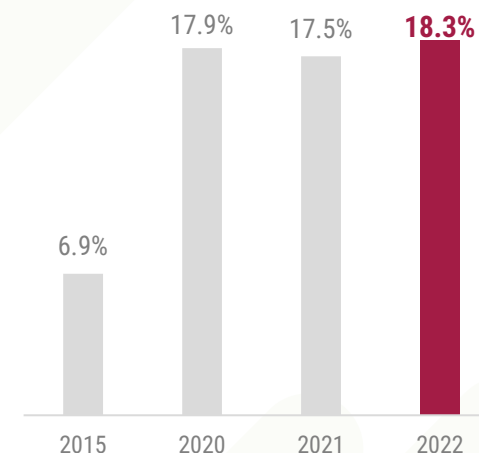


Insufficient **increase of the installed** renewable energy capacity share



## ENERGY

### SHARE OF INSTALLED RENEWABLE ENERGY CAPACITY



Ensure energy **stability and reliability** by creating basic conditions for the development of renewable energy

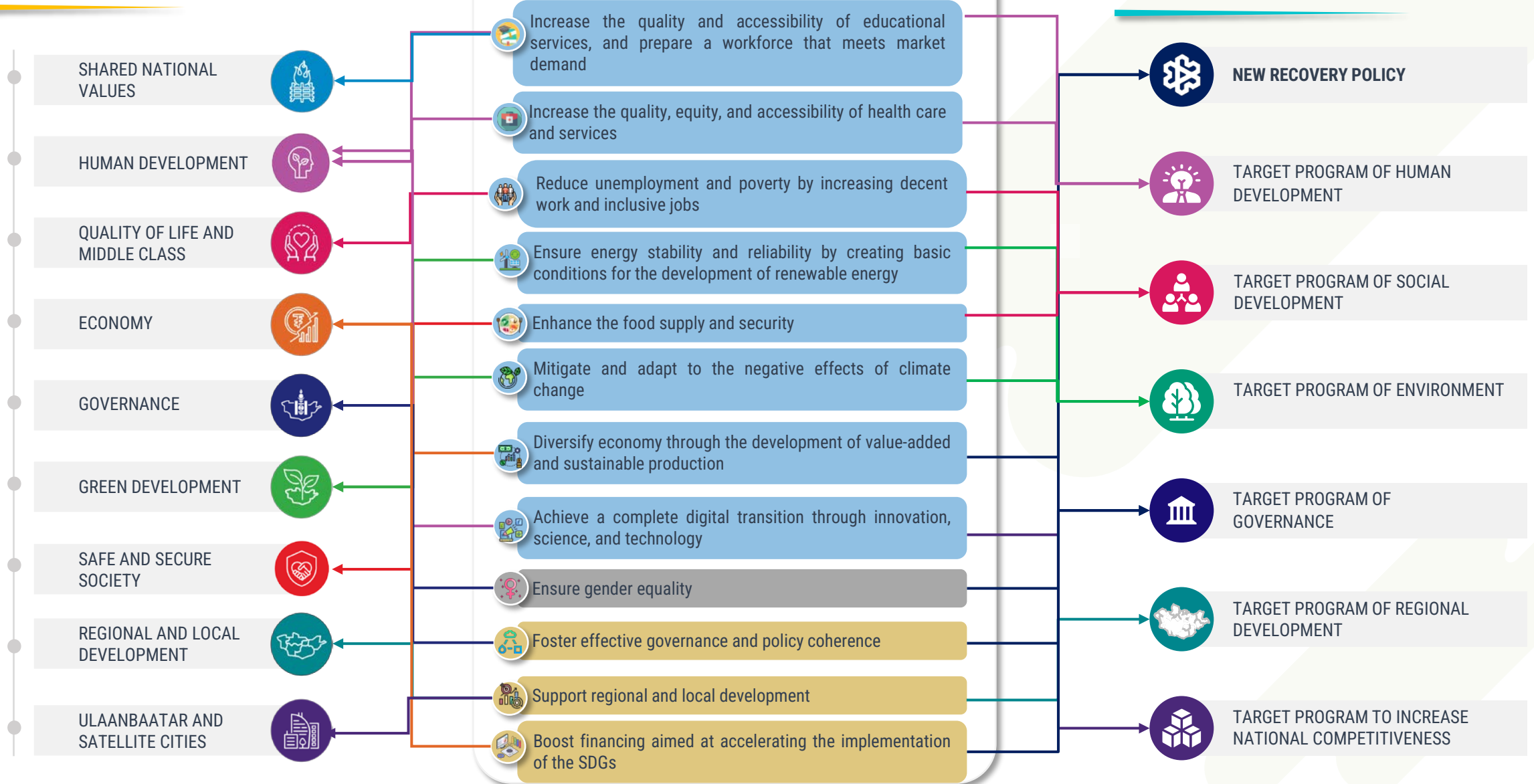


# NATIONAL COMMITMENT 1: THE SDG ACCELERATORS WERE DEVELOPED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE DEVELOPMENT POLICY PRIORITIES.

## LONG-TERM DEVELOPMENT POLICY
























## SDG ACCELERATORS

## TARGETED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM (DRAFT)





## NATIONAL COMMITMENT 1: SDG ACCELERATORS IN ALIGNMENT WITH GLOBAL INITIATIVES.

GLOBAL HIGH-IMPACT INITIATIVES	NATIONAL ACCELERATORS
 Energy compacts	◆ Ensure energy stability and reliability by creating basic conditions for the development of renewable energy 
 Biodiversity and Nature	◆ Mitigate and adapt to the negative effects of climate change: Ensure environmental sustainability and strengthen resilience to hazards and natural disasters 
 Transforming education	◆ Increase the quality and accessibility of educational services, and prepare a workforce that meets market demand 
 Social protection and jobs	◆ Reduce unemployment and poverty by increasing decent work and inclusive jobs 
 Digital public infrastructure	◆ Achieve a complete digital transition through innovation, science, and technology 
 Food systems	◆ Enhance the food supply and security 
 SDG Localization	◆ Support regional and local development 
 Public sector capabilities	◆ Foster effective governance and policy coherence 
 Data dividend	◆ Boost financing aimed at accelerating the implementation of the SDGs
 SDG Stimulus	
 Trade	◆ Diversify economy through the development of value-added and sustainable production (agriculture, manufacturing, tourism, creative cultural production and transport) 
 Violence against women	◆ Ensure gender equality 



# NATIONAL COMMITMENT 1: ENSURED FULL PARTICIPATION OF STAKEHOLDERS IN IDENTIFYING THE SDG ACCELERATORS.

## Stakeholder consultations

- 08.17 ● Private sector
- 08.17 ● Youth
- 08.21 ● Development partners
- 08.22 ● Civil society organizations
- 08.22 ● Academia
- 08.22 ● Rural representatives

About 250 representatives

About 300 feedbacks

### With the support of:

- ✓ Resident Coordinator’s Office:
- ✓ Specialized agencies:



## Highlights:

### 01 >> Funding for sustainable development

- ✍ Navigate government-issued loans and funding toward the SDGs;
- ✍ Effectively use international assistance;

### 02 >> Stakeholder engagement

- ✍ Clarify the roles of stakeholders, and improve engagement;
- ✍ Make collaboration more realistic;
- ✍ Increase public awareness and motivate;
- ✍ Create opportunities for herders and farmers to involve in the SDGs and its implementation mechanisms;
- ✍ Implementation of the SDGs at the enterprise level;

### 03 >> Accessibility

- ✍ Support rural production;
- ✍ Improve data and increase information accessibility toward SDGs .





# NATIONAL COMMITMENT 1: SDG ACCELERATORS WILL ALSO INTENSIFY THE IMPLEMENTATION OF OTHER SDG TARGETS.

Positive net synergies of the SDG accelerators



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## HAS A POSITIVE IMPACT ON MORE THAN 50 TARGETS



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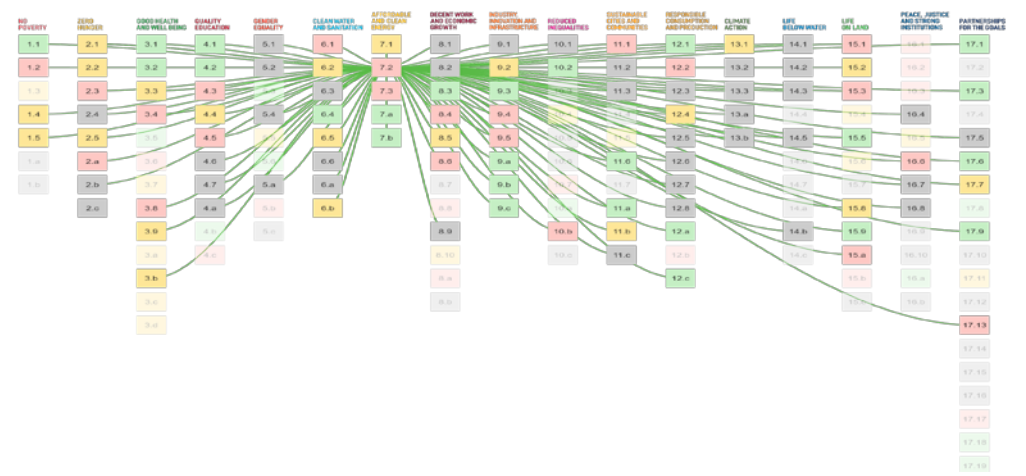
## HAS A POSITIVE IMPACT ON 16-30 TARGETS



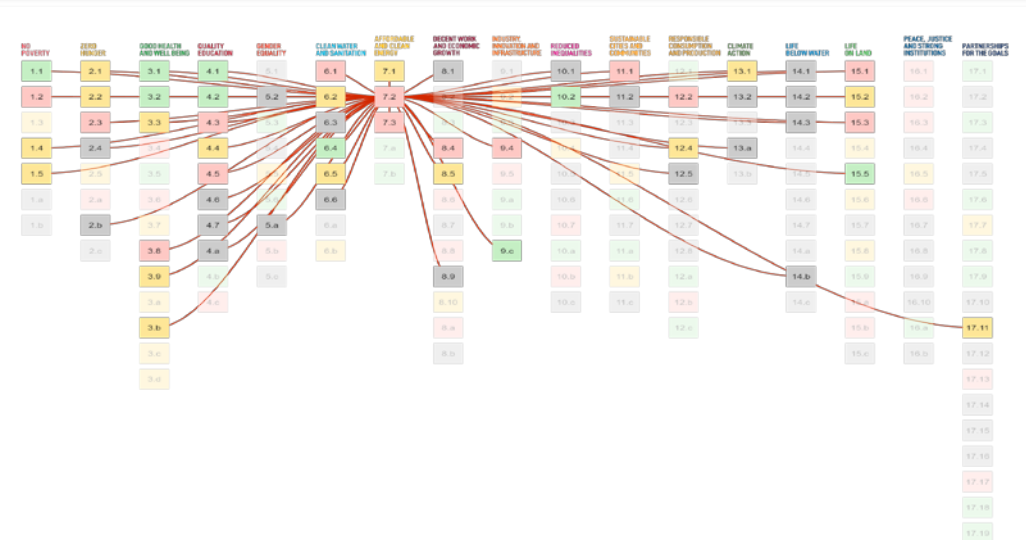
### SDG 7.2

By 2030, the share of renewable energy will be steadily increased.

SYNERGY

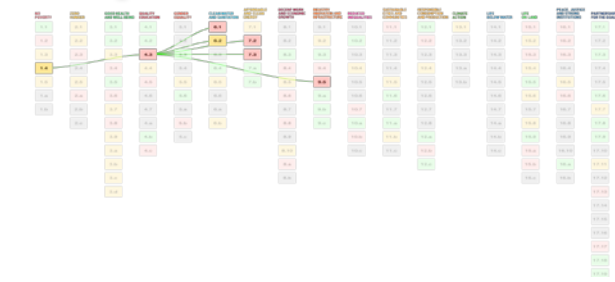


TRADE-OFF





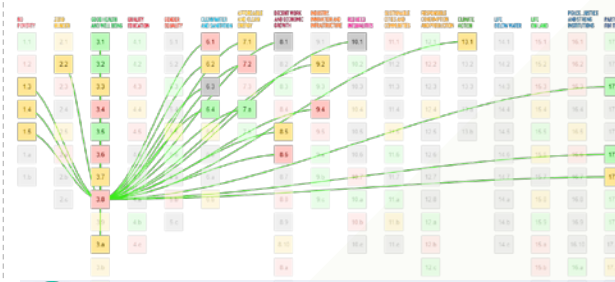
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SDG 4.3-Quality and equitable higher education



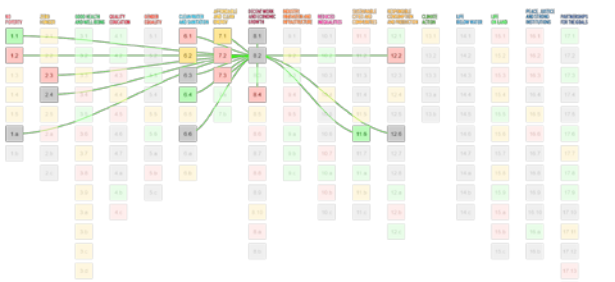
SDG 2.3-Agriculture productivity



SDG 3.8-Health care coverage and quality



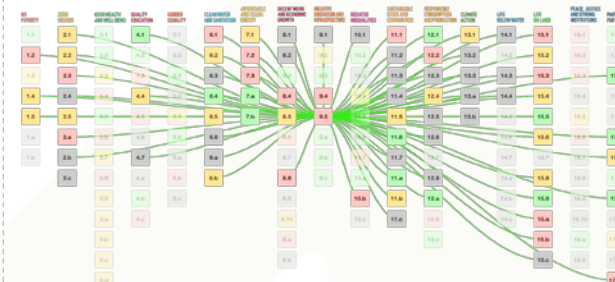
SDG 7.2-Renewable energy



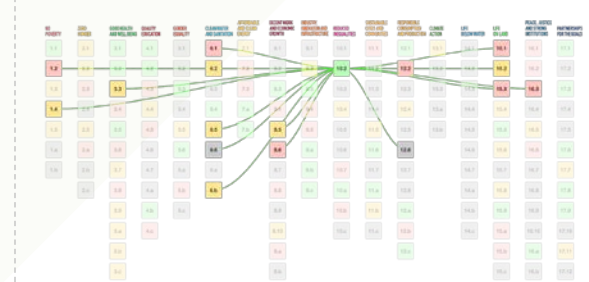
SDG 8.2-Economic diversification and productivity



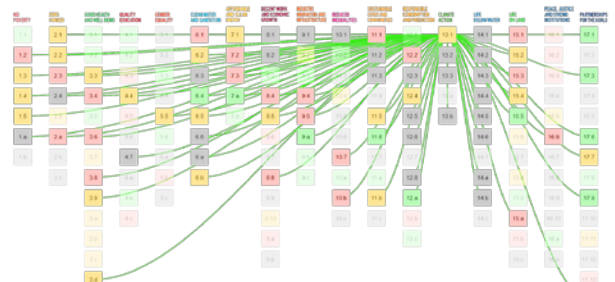
SDG 9.1-Access to infrastructure



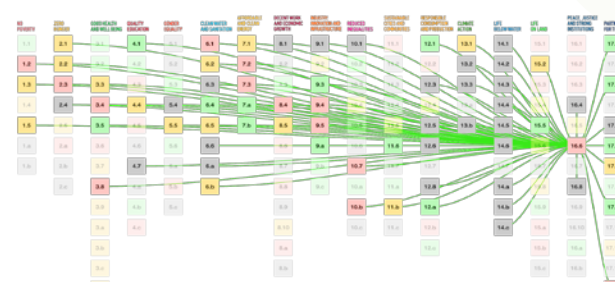
SDG 9.5-Innovation, science and technology



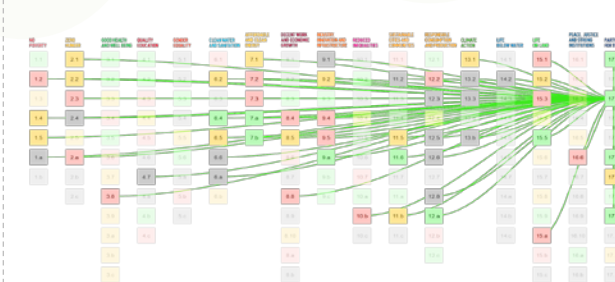
SDG 10.2-Inequality and accessibility



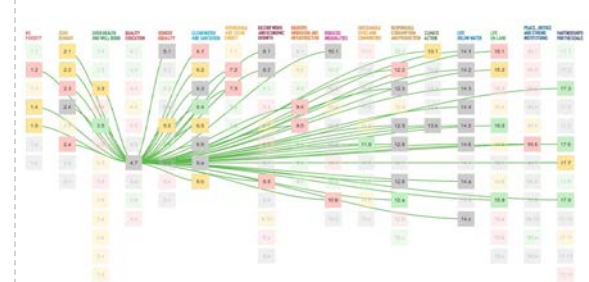
SDG 13.1-Climate change and natural disaster



SDG 16.6-Effective governance



SDG 17.3-Funding

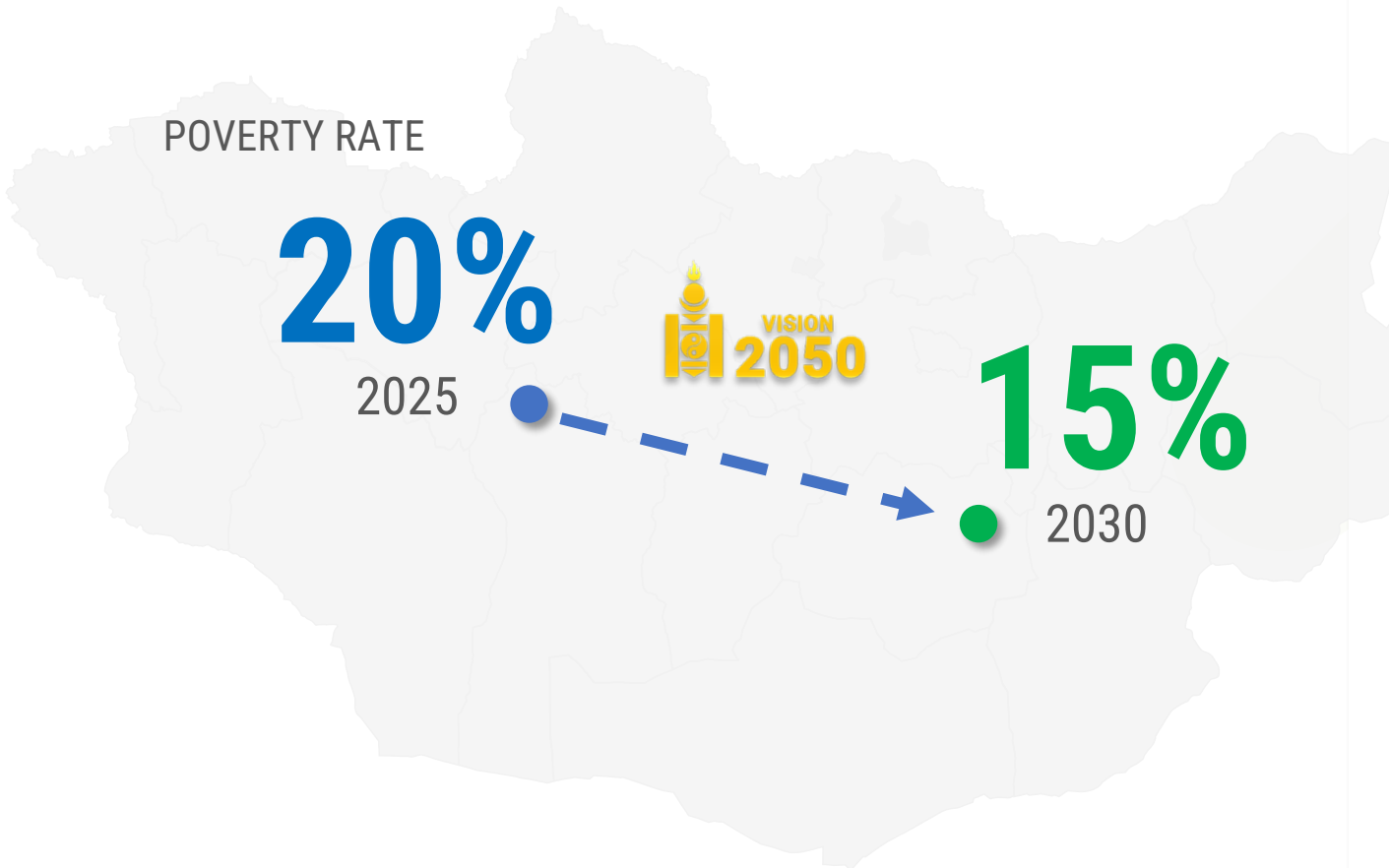


SDG 4.7-Knowledge and skills



## NATIONAL COMMITMENT 2: REDUCE NATIONAL POVERTY LEVEL TO 15 PERCENT BY 2030.

“VISION-2050” long-term development policy



Further:

Within the framework of accelerator “**Reduce unemployment and poverty by increasing decent work and inclusive jobs**”:



**INCREASE DECENT WORK**



**INCREASE JOBS BY DEVELOPING PRODUCTION IN RURAL AREAS**



**INCREASE LABOR PRODUCTIVITY AND ITS VALUE**



**SUPPORT ENTERPRISES AND START-UP BUSINESSES**



## NATIONAL COMMITMENT 3: **STRENGTHEN INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS** TO FURTHER INTENSIFY THE SDG ACCELERATORS.

### SUB-COMMITTEE ON THE SDGS

Intensification of SDG planning, financing and implementation, and strengthening of the monitoring and evaluation system

### MULTI-STAKEHOLDER COUNCIL ON SDGS

To strengthen multilateral cooperation, to disseminate and inform the public about the SDGs



### MINISTRY OF ECONOMY AND DEVELOPMENT

Ensure cross-sectoral coordination and localization of the SDGs through integrated development policy and planning



### NATIONAL STATISTICS OFFICE

Develop methodologies for the national SDG targets and indicators and coordinate data collection



## ACTIONS TO STRENGTHEN THE INSTITUTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS:

STRENGTHEN THE INTEGRATED DEVELOPMENT **POLICY AND PLANNING.**

ACTIVATE AND STABILIZE THE ACTIVITIES OF THE **MULTI-STAKEHOLDER COUNCIL** TO ENSURE ALL PUBLIC PARTICIPATION FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT.

THE **"LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND"** PRINCIPLE NEEDS TO BE ADHERED TO AT ALL LEVELS OF SOCIETY.

STRENGTHEN SDG **MONITORING AND EVALUATION** SYSTEM.





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SUSTAINABLE AND PROSPEROUS FUTURE  
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