WEBINAR SERIES OVERVIEW

The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's next Voluntary National Review will be in July 2023. The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia has made unprecedented transformations over the past seven years. By having a robust picture of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia's sustainable development progress, the country will be able to better document its remarkable progress since its last Voluntary National Review, as well as its strategy for the proceeding seven years as it approaches 2030. The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia has the potential to have one of the best Voluntary National Reviews in 2023. However, it is essential that the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia has the most accurate and up-to-date data reflected in its Voluntary National Review to achieve this goal. This, in turn, could better position the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia as a thought leader in sustainable development in the region and the rest of the world.

However, many of these changes are yet to be reflected in global data repositories. This webinar aims to equip and facilitate the interconnectedness between the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia and relevant data custodians. Improving data availability and accurate reporting in global data repositories for the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia will better showcase the exemplary progress the Kingdom has made in recent years. This webinar will exclusively focus on data in the United Nations Statistics Division Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) repository and data used by the Sustainable Development Solutions Network's 2022 Sustainable Development Report. The webinar will also help prepare the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia for the 2023 Sustainable Development Report by updating and having relevant data prepared for the Sustainable Development Solutions Network public data forum in the Spring of 2023.

The webinar will focus on three areas affecting data availability: **(1) Unreported Data** (Data that is not yet publicly available); **(2) Outdated Data** (Data that is not being updated frequently); **(3) Inconsistent Values with International Reports** (3.1 Data that is being reported in national repositories but is not being reported in global data repositories and 3.2 Data that is inaccurately reported in global repositories).

PACKET OVERVIEW

Accompanying this overview is an individualized packet for your organization. The individualized packet is a Microsoft Excel Workbook with two Worksheets, one for Sustainable Development Goal Indicators and the other for Sustainable Development Report Indicators. Within each Worksheet, all the indicators from the global repository are listed, their latest value and year if reported, an objective prioritization/rank of each Indicator, if the Indicator is considered challenging, a description, the Government custodian if available, and the international custodian.

HIGH-LEVEL MEETING AGENDA:

16:00 - 16:10	Opening Remarks

H.E.M. Faisal bin Fadel Al-Ibrahim
Minister of Economy and Planning, Head of Sustainable Development Steering Committee
Ms. Nathalie Fustier
UN Resident Coordinator

16:10 - 16:20	Overview of the objectives of the National SDG Data Webinar

Ms. Yara Sindi
Head of Monitoring and Reporting

16:25 - 16:40	Overview and example from the KSA of how the mechanism works to populate UNSTAT's global SDG repository

Ms. Yongyi Min
Chief of Sustainable Development Goals Monitoring Section, Statistics Division,
Department of Economic and Social Affairs

16:40 - 16:55	Overview of the SDR and the public data forum in the Spring

Dr. Jeffrey Sacks
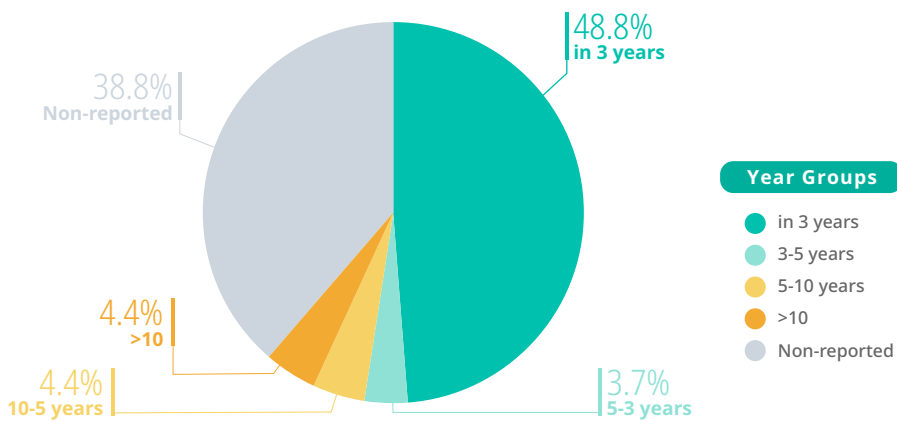President of the Sustainable Development Solutions Network

16:55 - 17:05	Closing remarks - Landscape and timeline

H.E.M. Faisal bin Fadel Al-Ibrahim
Minister of Economy and Planning, Head of Sustainable Development Steering Committee

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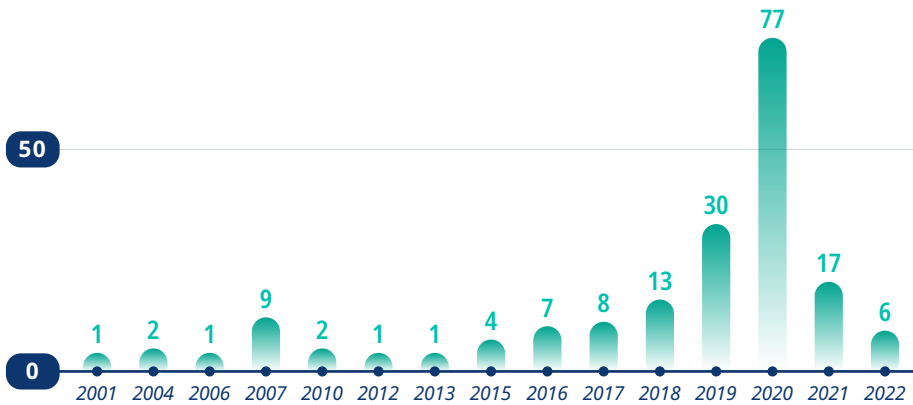وزارة الاقتصاد والتخطيط
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NUMBER OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL INDICATORS

Number of Indicators by Year Group

152 are available for Saudi Arabia, 96 are non-reported in SDG

- 48.8% in 3 years
- 38.8% Non-reported
- 4.4% >10
- 4.4% 10-5 years
- 3.7% 5-3 years

Year Groups
- in 3 years
- 3-5 years
- 5-10 years
- >10
- Non-reported

Number of Indicators by Year

Year	Count
2001	1
2004	2
2006	1
2007	9
2010	2
2012	1
2013	1
2015	4
2016	7
2017	8
2018	13
2019	30
2020	77
2021	17
2022	6

2018 AVERAGE YEAR

2022 NEWEST YEAR

2001 OLDEST YEAR

Indicator	Most Recent Year
3.b.2	2001
2.a.2	2006
1.a.1	2007
4.b.1	2007
6.a.1	2007
8.a.1	2007
9.a.1	2007
15.a.1	2007
15.b.1	2007
17.9.1	2007
3.7.2	2010
13.2.2	2012
9.5.1	2013
3.3.4	2015
11.6.1	2015
15.3.1	2015
3.5.1	2016
3.9.1	2016
3.9.2	2016
11.6.2	2016
17.15.1	2016
17.16.1	2016
3.1.1	2017
8.10.2	2017
16.1.1	2017
3.8.2	2018
8.9.1	2018
11.1.1	2018
14.41	2018
16.9.1	2018
17.19.1	2018
2.1.1	2019
2.2.3	2019
3.1.2	2019
3.4.1	2019
3.4.2	2019
3.5.2	2019
3.6.1	2019
3.8.1	2019
3.9.3	2019
3.d.2	2019
4.1.1	2019
6.4.1	2019
6.4.2	2019
7.2.1	2019
7.3.1	2019
8.4.2	2019
9.4.1	2019
9.b.1	2019
10.4.1	2019
10.b.1	2019
12.2.2	2019
12.3.1	2019
12.4.2	2019
12.5.1	2019

NATIONAL SDG DATA
SDR Indicators

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NUMBER OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT REPORT INDICATORS

Number of Indicators by Year Group

82 are available for Saudi Arabia, 13 are non-reported in SDR

Pie chart:
- 56.8% in 3 years
- 17.9% 5-3 years
- 8.4% 10-5 years
- 3.2% >10
- 13.7% Non-reported

Year Groups
- in 3 years
- 3-5 years
- 5-10 years
- >10
- Non-reported

Number of Indicators by Year

Bar chart values:
- 2004: 2
- 2009: 1
- 2013: 1
- 2015: 5
- 2016: 2
- 2017: 3
- 2018: 14
- 2019: 19
- 2020: 26
- 2021: 6
- 2022: 3
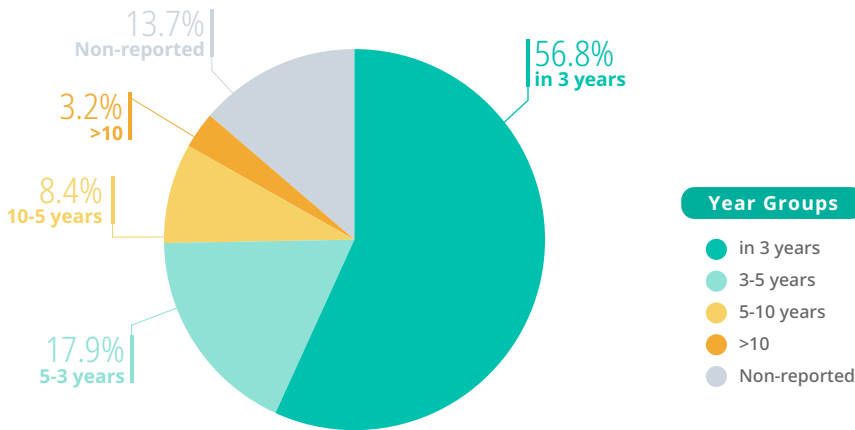
Indicator	Most Recent Year
sdg2_stunting	2004
sdg2_wasting	2004
sdg3_fertility	2009
sdg9_rdex	2013
sdg12_msw	2015
sdg12_nimport	2015
sdg12_nprod	2015
sdg2_snmi	2015
sdg8_impacc	2015
sdg2_obesity	2016
sdg3_pollmort	2016
sdg2_trophic	2017
sdg3_matmort	2017
sdg8_accounts	2017
sdg12_so2import	2018
sdg12_so2prod	2018
sdg13_co2import	2018
sdg14_biomar	2018
sdg14_discard	2018
sdg14_fishstocks	2018
sdg14_trawl	2018
sdg15_biofrwter	2018
sdg2_crlyld	2018
sdg3_births	2018
sdg6_freshwat	2018
sdg6_scarcew	2018
sdg6_wastewat	2018
sdg9_lpi	2018
sdg11_pm25	2019
sdg12_ewaste	2019
sdg16_detain	2019
sdg7_co2twh	2019
sdg7_elecac	2019
sdg7_ren	2019
sdg9_mobuse	2019
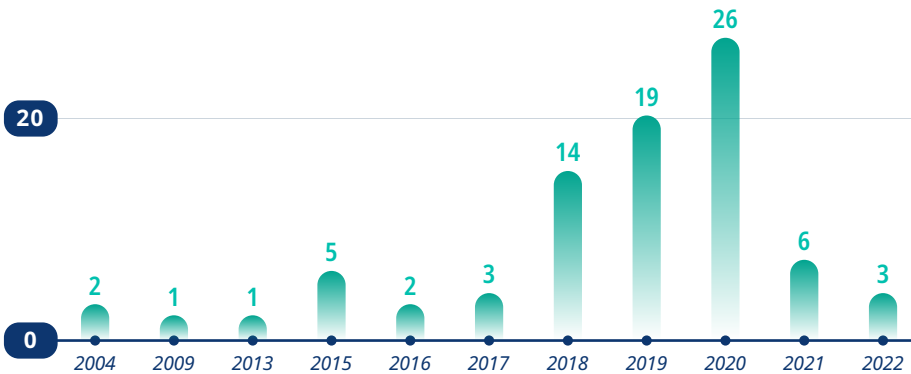
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2022
NEWEST YEAR

2004
OLDEST YEAR