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Monitoring of SDGs in India: Best Practices

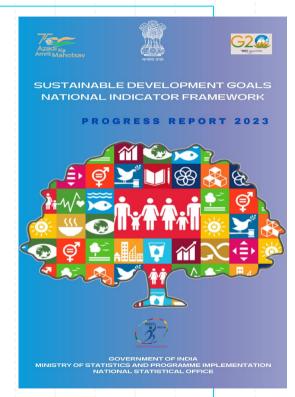
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SDG Monitoring and NIF...

- SDG Monitoring in India
 - National Institute for Transforming India (NITI) Aayog Nodal institution to coordinate all SDG efforts
 - NSO, India Facilitating monitoring of SDGs through its National Indicator Framework
- National Indicator Framework
 - Initiated in 2015 with India's membership to the IAEG-SDGs
 - Developed following a detailed consultation
 - Periodically reviewed and refined
 - Annual Progress Reports on SDGs-NIF

...SDG Monitoring and NIF

- SDG NIF Progress Report
 - Released annually on 29th June
 - Latest was released on 29th June, 2023
 - Total Indicators in NIF: 284
 - Data availability: 270 (on 95% indicators)
 - Data source and Periodicity is also given
 - Metadata of each indicator has been defined
 - Detailed data, in excel format, is also appended



SDGs	National Indicator
SDG 1 : No Poverty	17
SDG 2 : Zero Hunger	19
SDG 3 : Good Health & Well Being	39
SDG 4 : Quality Education	19
SDG 5 : Gender Equality	29
SDG 6 : Clean Water and Sanitation	13
SDG 7 : Affordable and Clean Energy	5
SDG 8 : Decent Work and Economic Growth	24
SDG 9 : Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure	17
SDG 10 : Reduced Inequalities	11
SDG 11 : Sustainable Cities and Communities	13
SDG 12 : Sustainable Consumption and Production	14
SDG 13 : Climate Action	6
SDG 14 : Life below water	11
SDG 15 : Life on Land	14
SDG 16 : Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions	21
SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals	12
Total indicators	284

NIF 2023 Goal wise indicators

Bridging Data Gaps on SDGs

- NSO, India has launched new large scale household surveys for collecting data on certain SDG indicators
- Aligned some existing surveys as per SDGs data requirements
- Tripartite MoU among MoSPI, NITI Aayog & UNRCO
 - Support for Data, Indicators and Statistics for monitoring SDGs in India
- Regular interaction with Custodian Agencies and other stakeholders

Localization of SDGs...

- India consists of 36 States/Union Territories
- Achievement of SDGs depend on effective monitoring and implementation of SDGs at sub-national levels.
- NITI Aayog and MoSPI closely works on localization of SDGs
- NSO, India has developed guidelines for development of sub-National Indicator Framework
- NSO, India regularly provide technical assistance to States/UTs in developing the SIF/DIF and almost all the States/UTs have developed their SIF/DIF

...Localization of SDGs

Uttar Pradesh



Tamil Nadu





MONITORING FRAMEWORK

DEVELOPMENT GOALS

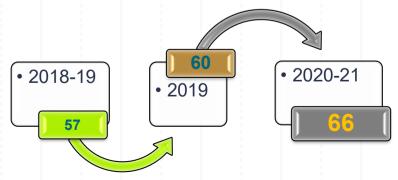
...Localization of SDGs

- Panchayats are important unit of local government in Rural India
- India has more than 2.5 lakh Panchayats
- Ministry of Panchayati Raj has developed a Local Indicator Framework (LIF) on SDGs and grouped 17 SDGs into 9 themes as per the relevancy with villages.
 - Theme 1 Poverty free and enhanced livelihoods Panchayat
 - Theme 2 Healthy Panchayat
 - Theme 3 Child friendly Panchayat
 - Theme 4 Water sufficient Panchayat
 - Theme 5 Clean and Green Panchayat
 - Theme 6 Self-sufficient infrastructure in Panchayat
 - Theme 7 Socially secured Panchayat
 - Theme 8 Panchayat with Good Governance
 - Theme 9 Women friendly Panchayat



SDG India Index

- Based on NIF, NITI Aayog has developed SDG India Index
- A powerful tool to support States/ UTs in identifying
 - Priority areas which demand action
 - Promotes competition among the States/ UTs
- Goal-wise ranking of States/UTs on SDGs and overall ranking aggregating performance across all goals
- Three editions of the Index have been released so far
- India is continually progressing in SDG achievement



Awareness and Publicity

- India observes Statistics Day on 29th June
 - to honour contribution of Prof. Prasanta Chandra Mahalanobis in the field of Statistics and economic planning
 - Theme on Statistics Day is being chosen around SDGs since 2019
- NSO, India has developed a documentary film on SDGs in Hindi and got it dubbed into English and 15 regional languages.
- NSO, India regularly organizes several capacity building Programme on SDGs for
 - Students/Academia/Policy Planners etc.



THANKS!



