



Plenary Meeting

5th Meeting of the Inter-agency and Expert Group on Sustainable Development Goal Indicators (IAEG-SDGs)

Agenda Items 5. Updated Tier System

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Agenda Items 5. Tier Classification Review

- Review of tier and custodian agency for any refined indicators agreed upon at the 48th session of the Statistical Commission
- Review of Tier Classification of *Sendai* indicators
- Review of *fast track* of Tier III indicators

Refined indicators agreed at UNSC 48

Refined Indicator	Custodian Agency	Decision of the IAEG-SDGs
1.a.1 Proportion of domestically generated resources allocated by the government directly to poverty reduction programmes		Tier III
1.a.3 Sum of total grants and non-debt creating inflows directly allocated to poverty reduction programmes as a proportion of GDP		Tier III
3.8.2 Proportion of population with large household expenditures on health as a share of total household expenditure or income	WHO	Tier II – Data coverage for some regions is limited
3.b.1 Proportion of the target population covered by all vaccines included in their national programme	WHO/ UNICEF	Tier III as proposed by custodian agencies

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3.b.3 Proportion of health facilities that have a core set of relevant essential medicines available and affordable on a sustainable basis	WHO	Tier III as proposed by custodian agency
5.6.2 Number of countries with laws and regulations that guarantee full and equal access to women and men aged 15 years and older to sexual and reproductive health care, information and education	UNFPA	Tier III – Internationally agreed methodology and standard needs to be developed (indicator in piloting stage of methodology development)
7.a.1 International financial flows to developing countries in support of clean energy research and development and renewable energy production, including in hybrid systems	OECD, SE4ALL, UN-Energy, IRENA, IEA	Tier III – Internationally agreed methodology and standard needs to be developed

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8.8.2 Level of national compliance of labour rights (freedom of association and collective bargaining) based on International Labour Organization (ILO) textual sources and national legislation, by sex and migrant status	ILO	Tier III – Internationally agreed methodology and standard needs approval by ICLS (Oct 2018)
8.9.2 Proportion of jobs in sustainable tourism industries out of total tourism jobs	UNWTO	Tier III – taking into account the concerns expressed by the UN Committee on Statistics and the Tourism Satellite Account
8.b.1 Existence of a developed and operationalized national strategy for youth employment, as a distinct strategy or as part of a national employment strategy	ILO	Tier III as proposed by custodian agency
16.4.2 Proportion of seized, found or surrendered arms whose illicit origin or context has been traced or established by a competent authority in line with international instruments	UNODC/ UNODA	Tier III as proposed by custodian agency

Sendai indicators agreed at UNSC 48

Indicator Name and Number	Custodian Agency	Proposed Tier
1.5.1/11.5.1/13.1.1 Number of deaths, missing persons and directly affected persons attributed to disasters per 100,000 population	UNISDR	Tier II
1.5.2 Direct economic loss attributed to disasters in relation to global gross domestic product (GDP)	UNISDR	Tier II
1.5.3/11.b.1/13.1.2 Number of countries that adopt and implement national disaster risk reduction strategies in line with the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030	UNISDR	Tier II
1.5.4/11.b.2/13.1.3 Proportion of local governments that adopt and implement local disaster risk reduction strategies in line with national disaster risk reduction strategies	UNISDR	Tier III
11.5.2 Direct economic loss in relation to global GDP, damage to critical infrastructure and number of disruptions to basic services, attributed to disasters	UNISDR	Tier II

Fast Track indicator requests/proposals

Indicator	Custodian Agency	Decision of the IAEG-SDGs
2.c.1 Indicator of food price anomalies	FAO	Tier II as proposed by custodian agency
3.8.1 Coverage of essential health services (defined as the average coverage of essential services based on tracer interventions that include reproductive, maternal, newborn and child health, infectious diseases, non- communicable diseases and service capacity and access, among the general and the most disadvantaged population)	WHO	Tier III – Needs additional work on aggregation method at regional and global levels
5.a.1 (a) Proportion of total agricultural population with ownership or secure rights over agricultural land, by sex; and (b) share of women among owners or rights-bearers of agricultural land, by type of tenure	FAO, UN- Women, UNSD	Tier II as proposed by custodian agency

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Indicator Name and Number	Custodian Agency	Proposed Tier
6.3.1 Proportion of wastewater safely treated	WHO, UN-Habitat, UNSD	Tier II as proposed by custodian agency
6.4.1 Change in water-use efficiency over time	FAO	Tier III – More information on terminology is requested
6.5.2 Proportion of transboundary basin area with an operational arrangement for water cooperation	UNESCO/ UNECE	Tier II as proposed by custodian agencies
9.3.1 Proportion of small-scale industries in total industry value added 9.3.2 Proportion of small-scale industries with a loan or line of credit	UNIDO	Tier III – Request additional work on the definition of small-scale industries

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10.5.1 Financial Soundness Indicators	IMF	Tier III – Needs additional work on aggregation method at regional and global levels
11.3.2 Proportion of cities with a direct participation structure of civil society in urban planning and management that operate regularly and democratically	UN-Habitat	Tier III – Request to share the finalized metadata to be completed in May and results of the pilot studies in August
11.7.1 Average share of the built-up area of cities that is open space for public use for all, by sex, age and persons with disabilities	UN-Habitat	Tier III – Methodology development has not finished and the agency is asked to share the results of the pilot studies
15.3.1 Proportion of land that is degraded over total land area	UNCCD	Tier III – methodology development to be finalised with metadata available for review at Fall IAEG meeting