Monitoring and Reporting on SDGs at the GCC regional level

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GCC-Stat: Brief Introduction

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Key Objectives

• Assembly and Production of Statistics
• Harmonisation of statistics consistent with international standards
• Enhance Statistical Capacity

➡️ Building a sustainable GCC statistical system and partnership between GCC-Stat and the National Statistical Centres

Bahrain, Kuwait, Oman, Qatar, Saudi Arabia, UAE

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Regional Activities

SDGs – Regional Priority project
• Strong regional political support (Task force GS)
• Key priority for the GCC Statistical System (Standing Committee)
• Active participation internationally

Capacity Enhancement and Development
• Regional and National Workshops
• Regular Support for countries from GCC–Stat expertise

Regional deliverables
• Situational Readiness Analysis (2017)
• Regional SDG report (3 reports)
• GCC-SDGS Indicators Dashboard. (Spatial presentation)

On Going Projects
• Assessment of Administrative Records project in GCC member States
• End-To-End project: ensure flow of data from its sources to the GCC-Stat statistical database
SDGs Dashboard

https://geogcc.gccstat.org/SDGs
Features of Screen:

SDGs
Once the user selects specific goal to explore, dashboard will display the map and the data of selected goals.

Social Media to communicate with GCC-Stat

Back to home
Select Language AR/EN
User’s Guide
Components of interactive map

- **SDGs**
- Bar displays the number and name of specified goal, target or indicator
- A list of targets and indicators of the goal
- Legend to assess goals, targets and indicators on the map
How to use interactive map (select the indicator and display chart)

Selected goal

The number and recognized name of the indicator displayed once select it

Indicator No 3.6.1

Display the chart of indicator

Export
1. Producing Regional Data
   • Capabilities of Information Systems to provide all disaggregations
   • Access to micro data for regional disaggregations
   • Country implementation paths often mapped to country development plans/priorities

2. Specific Demographic Challenges in Region
   • Population mix of GCC Citizens and Non-citizens
   • Young Citizen Population
   • Non-Citizens concentrated in Working Age Population

➢ Requires Additional Local Disaggregations

GCC Age-Sex Pyramid, Total Population,2016*

* Exclude UAE
• Some SDG targets are already met e.g. many SDG targets have already been met at a country level
  • Goal 1 Poverty
  • Goal 2 Hunger
  • Goal 3 Good Health and Wellbeing
  • Goal 4 Quality Education
  • Goal 6 Water and Sanitation

• How to sustain progress to ensure no one is left behind?
• Should there be national or regional targets beyond regional targets?
• Are extra indicators or disaggregations needed?
Thank you

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