





# Well-being and SDGs in the Netherlands

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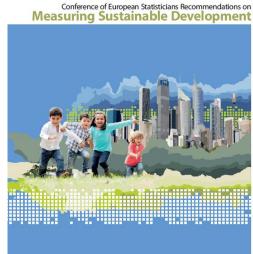


# **Brief history**

 Different monitoring systems related to sustainability

2016: First SDG report

• 2018: First well-being report





 2019: A single integrated measurement framework that is the foundation of all our work on well-being and the SDGs



## **Dimensions of well-being**

the resources future generations will need Well-being to achieve at least the same level of wellbeing quality attributes of individuals, the Well-being quality of the "Here and environment in which they live, their material welfare and subjective well-being the effects of decisions taken by people in a country Well-being on consumption and income and on the stock of capital goods in other countries

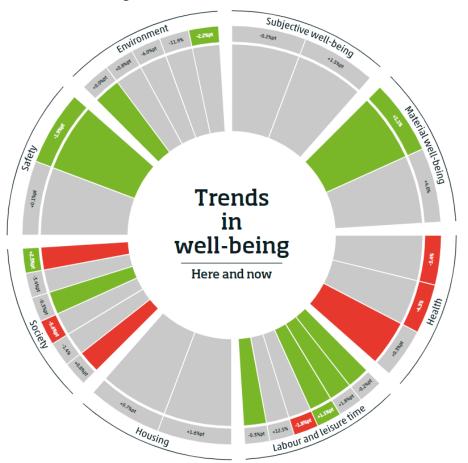
"Well-being concerns the quality of life here and now as well as the extent to which this quality is achieved at the expense of future generations or of people in other countries"



# **Key indicators**

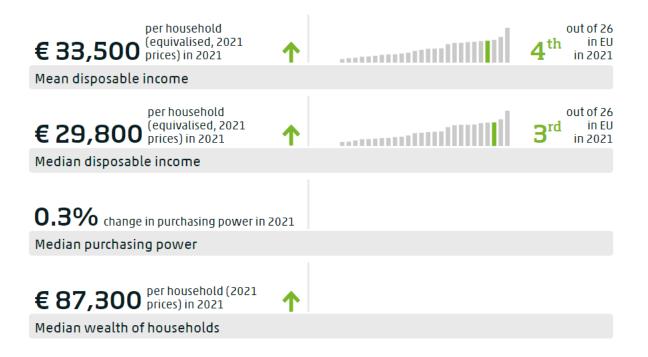
# Key Medium-term trend (8 years) Change (most recent year) Improvement in well-being No change Deterioration in well-being Insufficient data (quality)

#### Trends in well-being and SDG's: Here and now





## Additional information from the SDGs





## Framework for SDG indicators in context

- Resources and opportunities: rights, freedoms and other possibilities that people have; capacity of infrastructures and systems; access to and affordability of services
- **Use**: number of people, households, companies who use resources and opportunities, including aspects of behavior
- Outcomes: positive and negative effects of use
- Subjective assessment: people's subjective assessment of outcomes, including satisfaction, concerns, expectations



## Leave no one behind

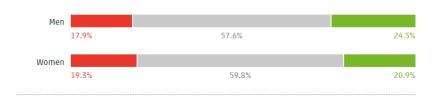
## Distribution of well-being

- Groups in the Dutch population
  - Sex
  - Age
  - Education level
  - Origin/country of birth
- Regional



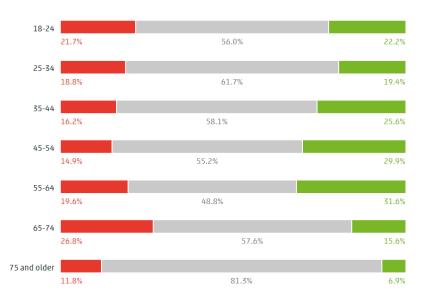
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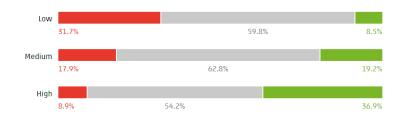


#### Age

Sex

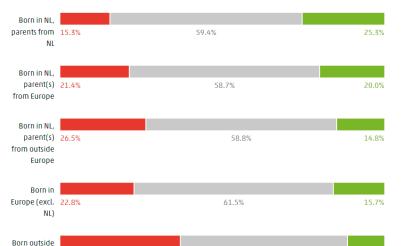


#### Highest completed level of education



#### Origin/country of birth

Europe 37.0%



51.6%

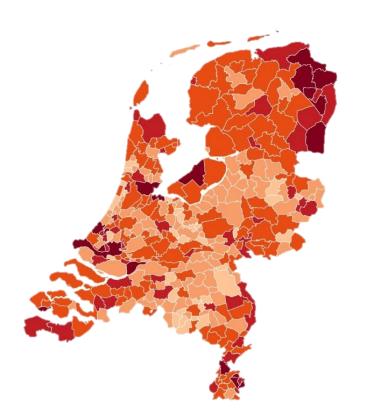




11.4%

# **Regional well-being**







# **Usability**

Convergence on a single framework and a common language

Used as the national SDG report

Used on Accountability Day and Budget Day (Prince's Day)

Over 500 indicators





Facts that matter