

# The Sustainable Development Goals Reports 2018

Inter-agency Meeting on Preparation  
for the 2018 SDG Reports

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# Annual Global Progress Reports on the Sustainable Development Goals

- **GA resolution 70/1: “83. Follow-up and review at the high-level political forum will be informed by an annual progress report on the Sustainable Development Goals to be prepared by the Secretary-General in cooperation with the United Nations system, based on the global indicator framework and data produced by national statistical systems and information collected at the regional level”**
- **GA Resolution 70/299: “13. Reaffirms that the meetings of the high-level political forum will be informed by an annual progress report on the Sustainable Development Goals ...”**



# SDG Reports 2018

- Based on the global indicator framework, approved by the GA on 6 July 2017 (*A/RES/71/313*)
- Two reports
  - ✓ An official Secretary-General UN report covering all Goals
  - ✓ A glossy progress report based on HLPF theme & Goals under Review
- Translation into other 5 official languages



# Objective & Scope of the 2018 SDG Reports

- **Overarching theme** of the 2018 SDG reports to be aligned with the 2018 theme of the HLPF

*Transformation toward sustainable and resilient societies*

- **Scope:**

- Secretary General's Report: Overview of all 17 Goals using data currently available to highlight the most significant gaps and challenges
- Glossy Report: Review in depth the Goals under HLPF Review: **Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15, 17 and their interlinkages**



# SDG Reports 2018

## *Theme and link to the HLPF:*

- *A/RES/70/299: Follow-up and review of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development at the global level*
- Theme for 2018: **Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies**
- Discussion of a set of SDGs to be reviewed in-depth in 2018: **Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15, 17**
- HLPF dates: 9-18 July 2018

## *SDG Reports:*

- 1) Secretary-General Report (avail. before HLPF/ end of May 2018)
- 2) Glossy Report (*launching 18 June 2018*)



# SDG Reports 2018: Secretary-General's Report

## ***Secretary-General's SDG Progress Report 2017 (E/2017/66):***

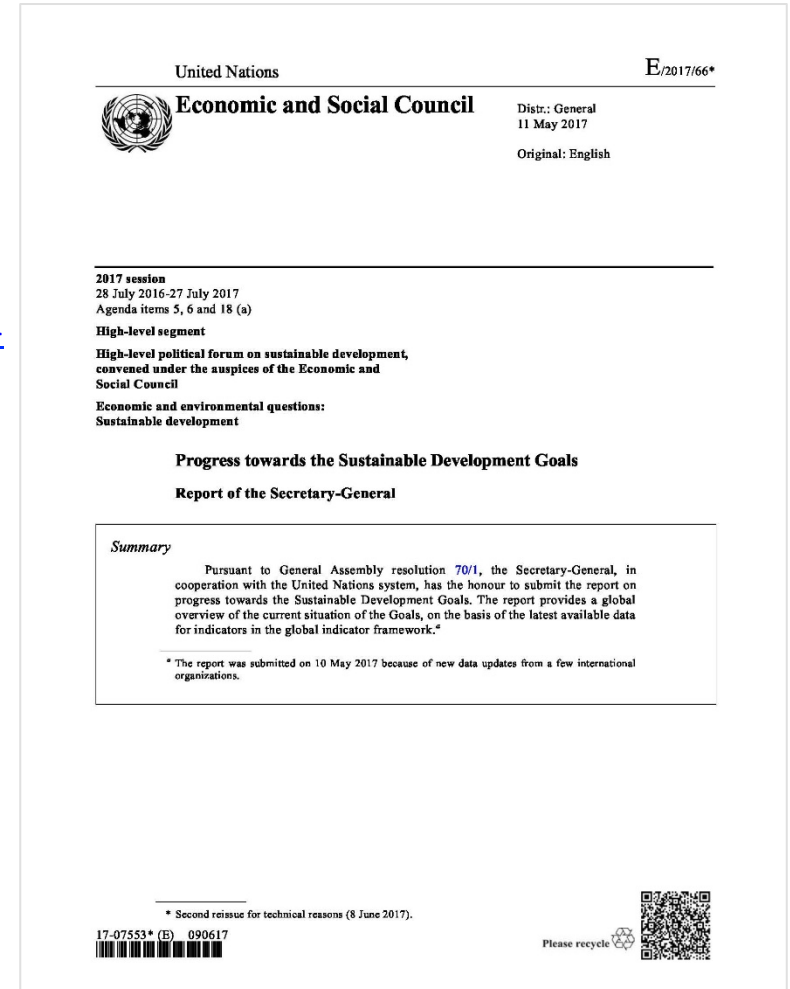
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## ***Statistical Annex:***

<https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/files/report/2017/secretary-general-sdg-report-2017--Statistical-Annex.pdf>

## ***Content/Format for Secretary-General Report 2018***

- Length:
  - Similar word count: 8,500 (no waiver 😞)
  - Statistical Annex (available separately online)
- Report progress on all 17 Goals



# SDG Reports 2018:

## Secretary-General's Report

### *Format for inputs:*

- Short summary description per indicator focusing on global summary.
- Report progress on all 17 Goals.
- These short summary descriptions will also be used in the Overview in the glossy report.

### *Example from Secretary-General's Report (2017)*

#### **Goal 7. Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all**

11. Progress in every area of sustainable energy falls short of what is needed to achieve energy access for all and to meet targets for renewable energy and energy efficiency. Meaningful improvements will require higher levels of financing and bolder policy commitments, together with the willingness of countries to embrace new technologies on a much wider scale.

- Globally, 85.3 per cent of the population had access to electricity in 2014, an increase of only 0.3 percentage points since 2012. That means that 1.06 billion people, predominantly rural dwellers, still function without electricity. Half of those people live in sub-Saharan Africa.
- Access to clean fuels and technologies for cooking climbed to 57.4 per cent in 2014, up slightly from 56.5 per cent in 2012. More than 3 billion people, the majority of them in Asia and sub-Saharan Africa, are still cooking without clean fuels and more efficient technologies.

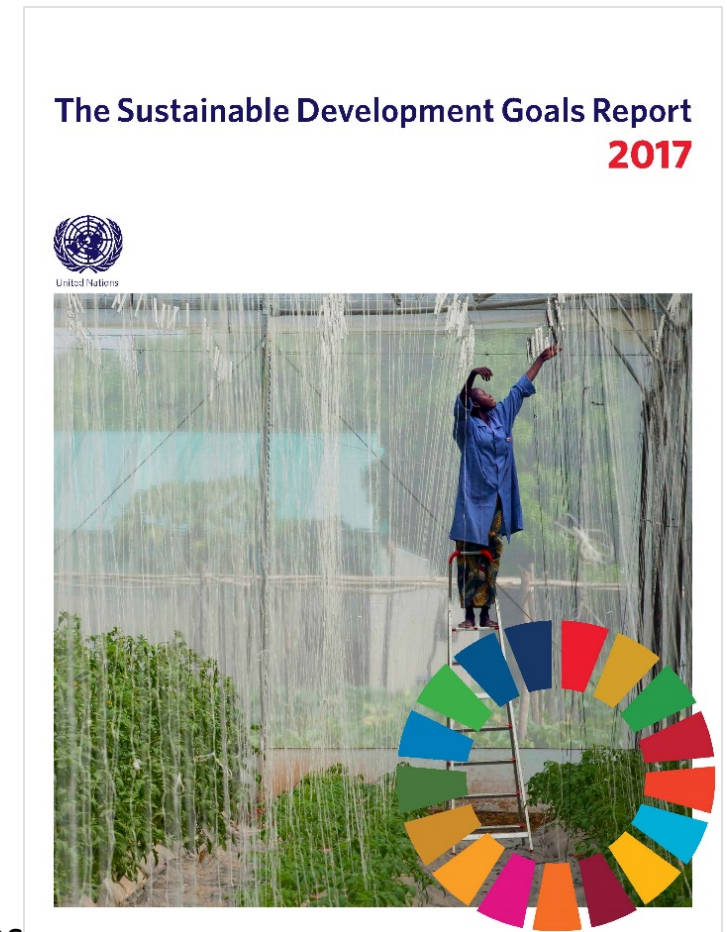
# SDG Reports 2018: Glossy Report

## 2017 Report:

<https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/report/2017/>

## Content/Format for Glossy Report 2018

- Foreword
  - Overview of all 17 Goals with icons/infographics
  - HLPF theme story: **Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies** (2 pages)
  - Data Story (2 pages)
  - **Report on Goals under HLPF review**  
*(Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15, 17)*
    - 4-5 storylines with charts and key messages per Goal (2 pages)
  - Note the Reader, Regional Groupings, Credits pages
- ~ 36-40 pages (including cover)





# Inputs requested from Agencies

***Deadline: Friday, 16 February 2018***

***For all Goals:***

- 1) Short summary description per indicator for use in the Secretary General's report (refer to last year's Secretary General report for format) and Overview in glossy report
  - 2) Regional and global aggregates for the Annex and the database
  - 3) National data for the database
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***For those Goals under HLPF review (Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15, 17)***

- 4) Storyline and key message (refer to last years' reports for format and input style)
- 5) Excel or other file with the charts needs to accompany storyline submission
- 6) Interlinkage storyline related to HLPF theme story:  
**Transformation towards sustainable and resilient societies**

# Statistical Annex Sample

## Target 3.6

By 2020, halve the number of global deaths and injuries from road traffic accidents

### Indicator 3.6.1

Death rate due to road traffic injuries

#### Death rate due to road traffic injuries

(Per 100,000 population)

<i>Regions</i>	<i>2000</i>	<i>2005</i>	<i>2010</i>	<i>2013</i>
World	18.0	18.8	18.0	17.4
Sub-Saharan Africa	28.3	27.9	27.1	26.7
Northern Africa and Western Asia	17.9	18.1	18.4	18.2
Northern Africa	19.6	19.7	21.5	20.6
Western Asia	16.3	16.7	15.8	16.1
Central and Southern Asia	16.6	17.3	17.1	16.7
Central Asia	12.9	19.4	17.8	16.9
Southern Asia	16.8	17.3	17.1	16.7
Eastern and South-Eastern Asia	18.2	19.8	18.9	17.9
Eastern Asia	17.8	19.9	18.8	17.5
South-Eastern Asia	19.5	19.5	19.3	19
Latin America and the Caribbean	16.5	17.2	18.7	19.2
Australia and New Zealand	9.9	8.5	6.9	5.5
Oceania (excluding Australia and New Zealand)	16.3	16.3	16.4	15.5
Europe and Northern America	14.4	14.1	10.3	9.1
Europe	14.1	13.8	9.9	8.7
Northern America	14.9	14.9	11.1	10.2
Landlocked developing countries	21.4	23	22.9	23.3
Least developed countries	23.4	23.7	23.8	23.9
Small island developing States	17.6	16.5	15.4	15.2

*Source: Global Status Report on Road Safety 2015, World Health Organisation (WHO).*

**\*\*The data used in the Statistical Annex will be submitted in an Excel template and will include national data, regional and global aggregates in one submission**

# SDG Reports 2018: Timeline

2018 SDG Reports Timeline		
Validation/consultation of data with countries	Summer/Fall 2017- February 2018	
Short summary description storyline & National data, regional and global aggregates <i>(including short summary description for SG Report and Overview &amp; all data)</i>	<b>16 February 2018</b> for all Goals	
Storyline & charts with excel files	<b>16 February 2018</b> for Goals under HLPF review (Goals 6, 7, 11, 12, 15, 17)	
	SG official Report Deadline	Glossy Report Deadline
Editing	March/April	March/April/May
Submission deadline	30 April	28 May
Layout/Design	May (UN Docs Control)	April/May
Translation in all languages	May (UN Docs Control)	April/May
Printing	Parliamentary Doc (UN Docs Control)	June
Launch	Available on UN website 6 weeks before HLPF <b>(end of May)</b>	<b>18 June 2018</b>

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