



Regional follow-up and review to Agenda 2030

Actions by the statistical community

EXPERT GROUP MEETING ON NAVIGATING POLICY & DATA TO LEAVE NO ONE BEHIND

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in Asia-Pacific

1. Statistics in the Regional Roadmap

Regional Roadmap for implementing the 2030 Agenda in Asia and the Pacific

2. Collective vision and framework for action

Advancing official statistics for the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development: A collective vision and framework for action by the Asia-Pacific statistical community

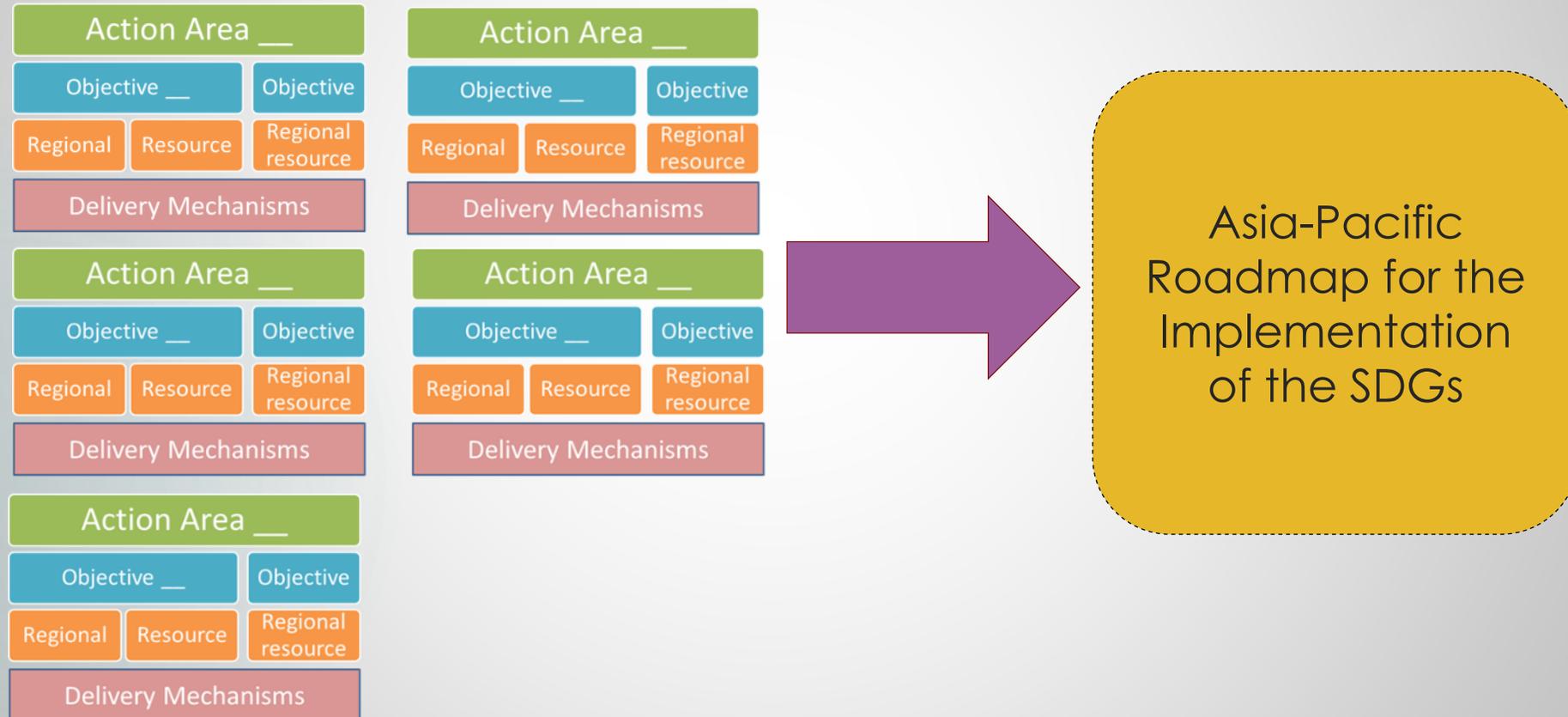
3. Needs for whole-of government support

Statistics in the regional roadmap

- ▶ Identifies priority actions for “means of implementation”
 - ▶ Data and statistics
 - ▶ Technology, finance, policy coherence, partnerships
- ▶ Lists key data and statistics challenges
 - ▶ Availability, Integrated statistics, Disaggregated statistics, Capacity to produce and use statistics
- ▶ Identifies opportunities for regional cooperation
 - ▶ Five areas are identified = collective vision & framework for action

The collective vision & framework for action

Transforming statistics for the SDGs



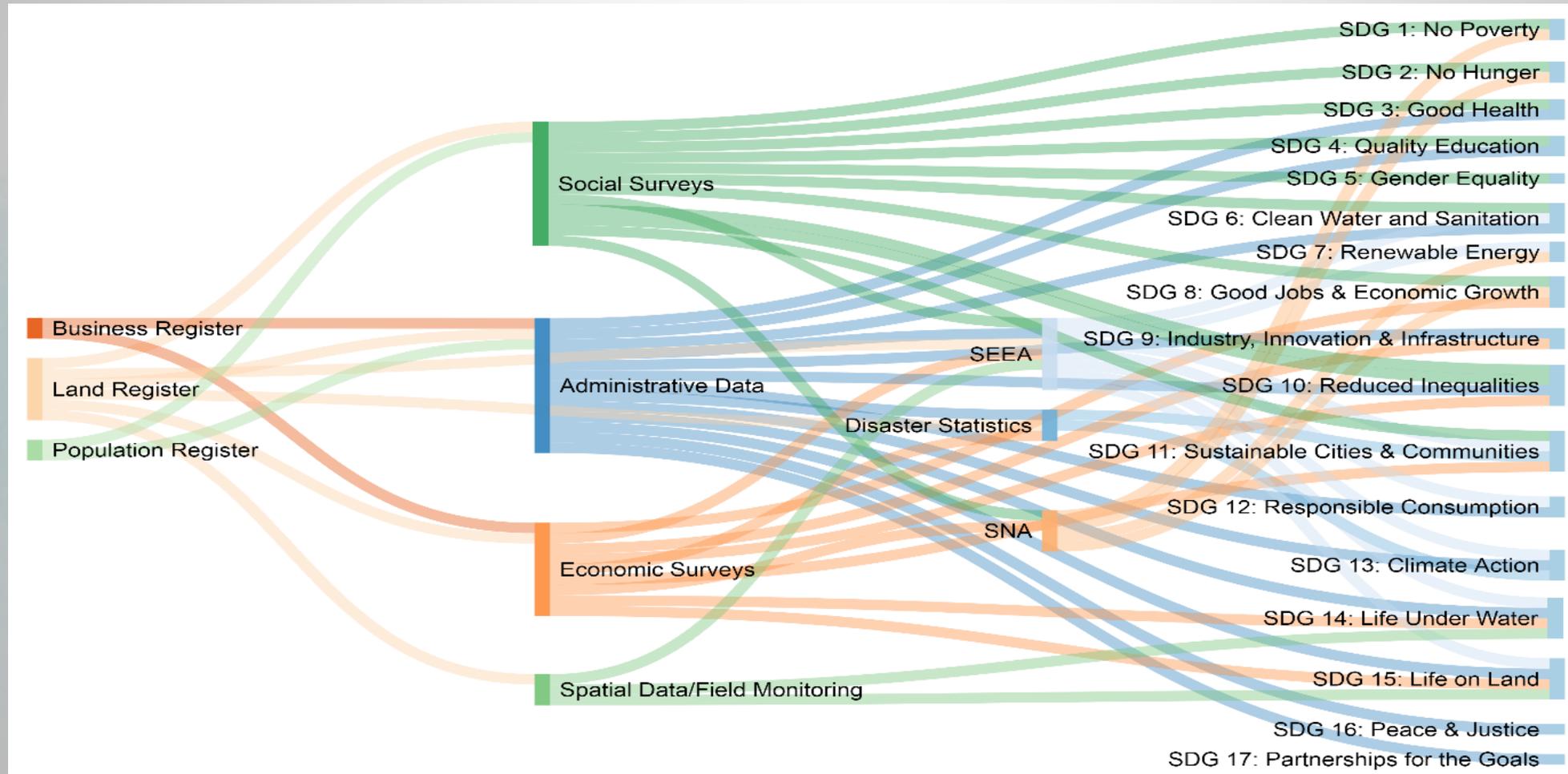
The collective vision: We, the Asia-Pacific statistical community share the vision that

- by 2030, national statistical systems are enabled and empowered to lead development of and to deliver innovative, trusted and timely products and services for urgently needed and evolving statistical requirements of Agenda 2030

Collective vision: The action areas

- A. Engaging users and investing in statistics
- B. Assuring quality and instilling trust in statistics
- C. Integrated statistics for integrated analysis
- D. Modernizing statistical business processes
- E. Having requisite skills set

Implementing the vision: Beyond business as usual



Key actions by whole-of-government

Conclusions from the Asia-Pacific Conference: Taking collective action to accelerate transformation of official statistics, March 2017

- ▶ **Integrate statistical planning into national development planning**
- ▶ **Make statistics development a national development target of high importance and with adequate budget considerations**

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