Agenda 2*:* Harnessing the power of data to leave no one behind

Thailand recognizes the critical importance of linking policies with statistical data to achieve the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals. Especially in strengthening the national statistical system to meet increasing data demands, including through investments and capacity building for statistical agencies.

Thailand supports ESCAP's efforts to highlight the vital role of statistical systems in advancing the sustainable development agenda by integrating reliable data into policymaking. This ensures that the needs of all population groups, especially vulnerable ones, are addressed, leaving no one behind.

Thailand is committed to fostering a "whole-of-society" approach to national statistical system, promoting collaboration across all sectors to drive sustainable development. We also aim to develop a systematic and policy-aligned data management framework to enhance the effective use of data at all decision-making levels. Furthermore, we stand ready to support ESCAP's efforts to strengthen the region's data capacity, ensuring resilience and sustainability in the future.

The National Statistical Office of Thailand continues to implement key initiatives, such as the Third National Statistical System Master Plan (2023–2027), demonstrating the country’s dedication to improving data accuracy and accessibility. This is achieved through collaborative mechanisms, including Thailand’s National Statistical Committee, the Subcommittee on Academic Statistics, the Subcommittees on Social, Economy, and Natural Resources, and the Subcommittee on Quality and Statistical Standards.