Introduction to the 2030 Agenda and the Interconnectedness of the SDGs

Systems Thinking and Integration of the SDGs into National Planning
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The 5Ps underpinning the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

- **People**: End poverty and hunger in all forms and ensure dignity and equality
- **Planet**: Protect our planet’s natural resources and climate for future generations
- **Prosperity**: Ensure prosperous and fulfilling lives in harmony with nature
- **Partnership**: Implement the agenda through a solid global partnership
- **Peace**: Foster peaceful, just and inclusive societies

Sustainable Development
2030 Agenda - requires integrated policy approaches

"The 17 goals represent an indivisible tapestry of thinking and action that applies in every community everywhere in the world. They are universal…and also indivisible. Though they are presented as individual goals, they actually represent a total, completely intertwined lattice of action that is relevant for every human being everywhere."

David Nabarro, Under-Secretary General, Special Adviser on 2030 Agenda
A Journey from MDGs to SDGs
Integration of the Three Dimensions of Sustainable Development
Investing in natural capital

Greening of the economy

Strengthening environmental management

Double dividend
Transformation towards Sustainable and Resilient Societies
Transformation with focus on human rights
Low Carbon Green Growth-transformation to the New Climate Economy
Benefits of Integrated Poverty Reduction Policies with Overall SDG Implementation
The Way Forward

- Integrated SDG planning with transformative stakeholder engagement
- Sustainable financing, including for climate resilient development and infrastructure
- Integrated planning to optimize resources; scale up the use of nature-based solutions, including green and blue infrastructure in urban and peri-urban areas
- Circular economy approaches to reduce waste and address pollution issues
- Low carbon green growth/new climate economy for sustainable development
ESCAP Knowledge Products

Integrating the Three Dimensions of Sustainable Development: A Framework and Tools
http://www.unescap.org/sites/default/files/Integrating%20the%20three%20dimensions%20of%20sustainable%20development%20A%20framework.pdf

Analytical Framework for Integration of Water and Sanitation SDGs and Targets Using Systems Thinking Approach

Integrated Approaches for Sustainable Development Goals Planning: The Case of Goal 6 on Water and Sanitation
http://www.unescap.org/publications/integrated-approaches-sustainable-development-goals-planning-case-goal-6-water-and

Low Carbon Green Growth Roadmap for Asia and the Pacific

E-Learning Course: Low Carbon Green Growth Roadmap
https://sdghelpdesk.unescap.org/e-learning/Low-Carbon-Green-Growth-Roadmap

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