

Pacific 2024 VNR Clinic
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SDG Progress Assessment: using data for evidence-based analysis for VNR

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What makes national progress assessment different?



Global

- How is data shared between countries and the custodian agencies?
- How are questionnaire responses coordinated by the governments
- How are estimated data verified?



National

- How do we go about selecting indicators for national SDG monitoring?
- What is the process and mechanism for creating a National SDG Framework?
- How to assess progress?

Building blocks for Tracking National SDG Progress

Indicator Identification
& Selection

target
setting

Methodology
& progress
analysis

National Data Flows
*(Coordination, Collection,
Validation)*

Dissemination and
communication of
Results

Identifying
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- Review global indicators,
- Identify what's applicable to our country
- Supplement global indicators with national proxies

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- Set nationally relevant target values for each indicator
- The progress should be assessed against national target values.

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- Establish an effective mechanism to share and assure quality of data on national SDG indicators to be used for assessing progress

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- Apply statistically sound methods for progress assessment.
- The choice of methods should be appropriate for the purpose of progress assessment.

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- Make SDG data and the progress assessment results available to decision makers and public.
- We must distinguish between data dissemination and data analysis & interpretation and communication of results

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Use SDG progress results to investigate goals, targets or areas that country needs to prioritize for urgent actions

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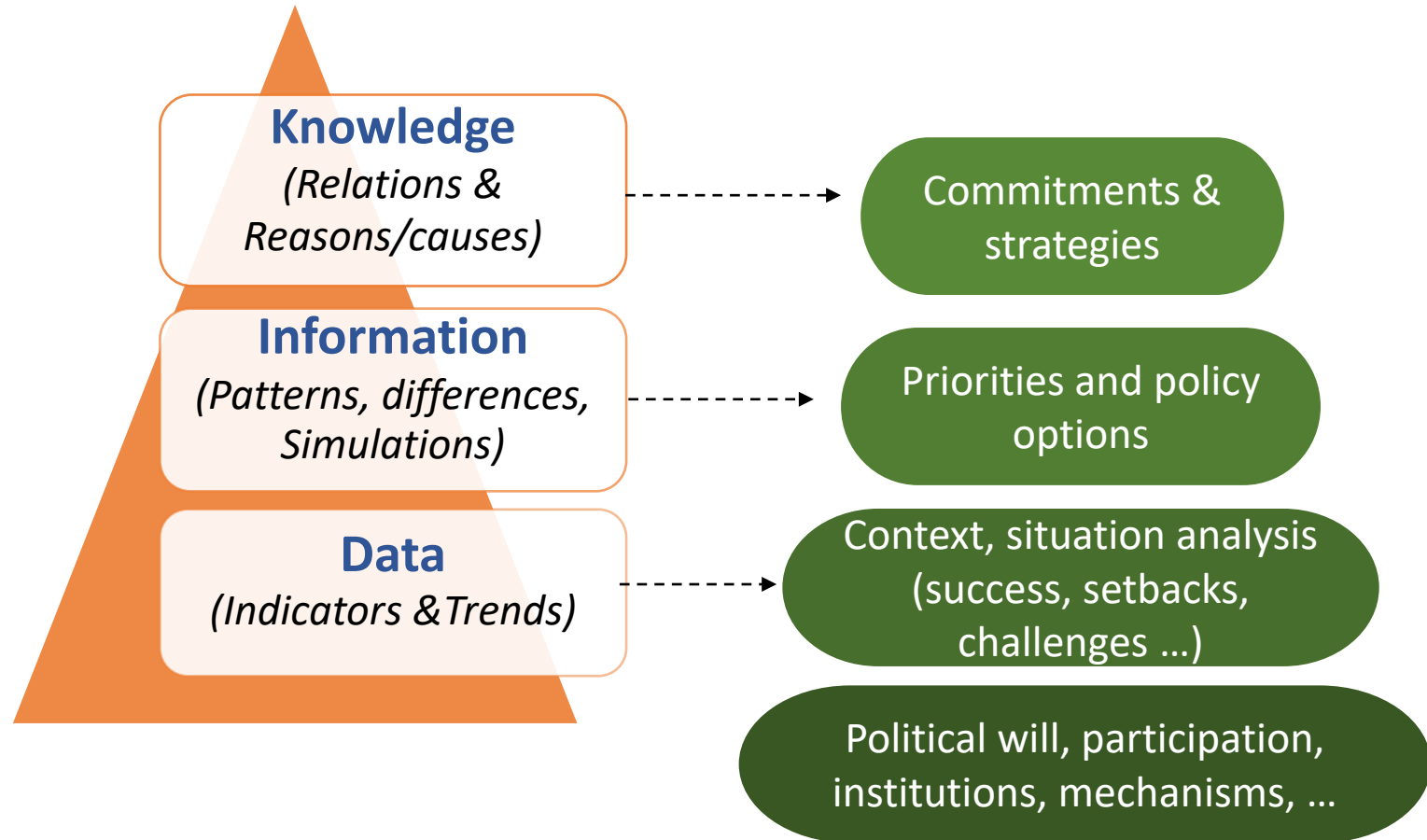
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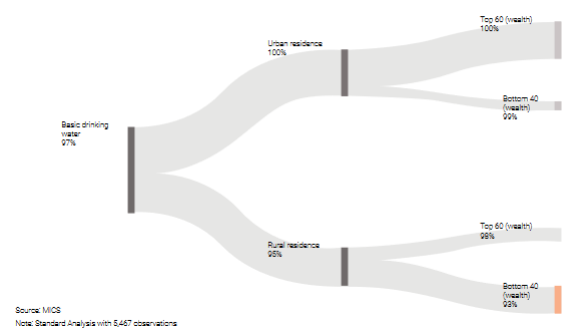
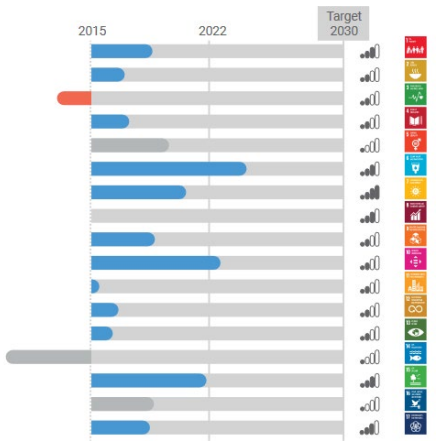
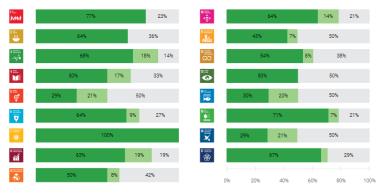
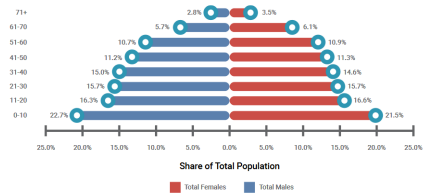
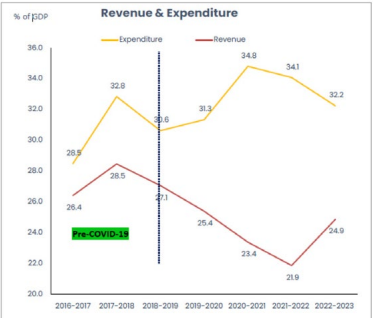
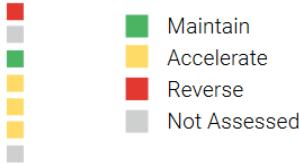
How to incorporate evidence into VNR?





Fiji example, VNR 2023

- Goal 1**
- 1.1 International Poverty
 - 1.2 National Poverty
 - 1.3 Social Protection
 - 1.4 Access to Basic Services
 - 1.5 Resilience to Disasters
 - 1.a Resources for Poverty Programs
 - 1.b Poverty Eradication Policies



How does ESCAP support countries?

What is National SDG Tracker?

It is an on-line analytical tool for Governments

It allows you to

1. Add your national indicators to global SDG indicators
2. Edit/add new data points
3. Remove indicators if not relevant
4. Set national target values



NATIONAL SDG
TRACKER

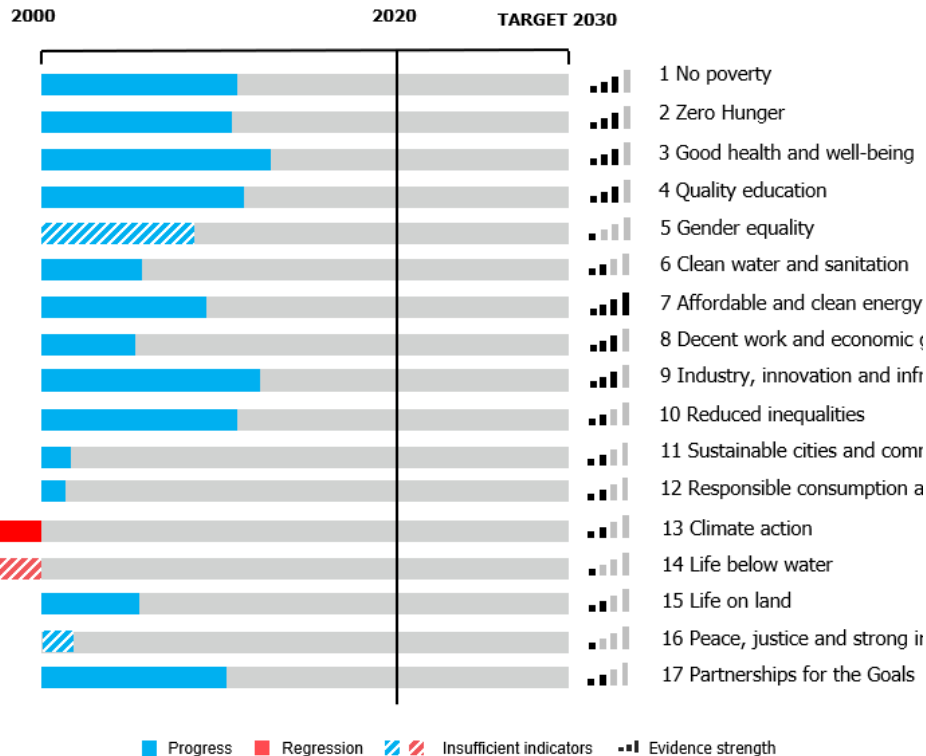
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What does National SDG Tracker do?

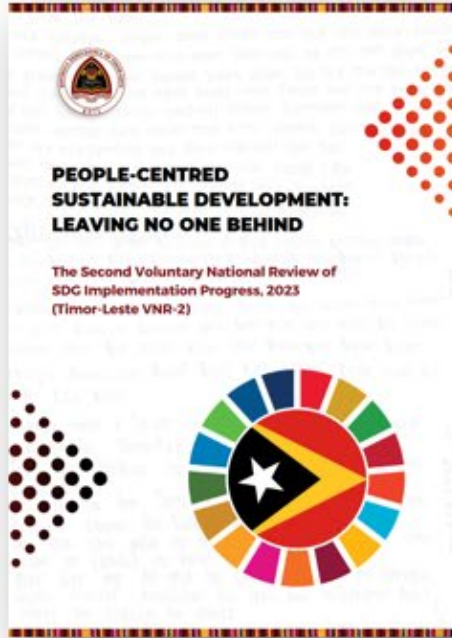
It provides you with ...

Snapshot: How much progress made?

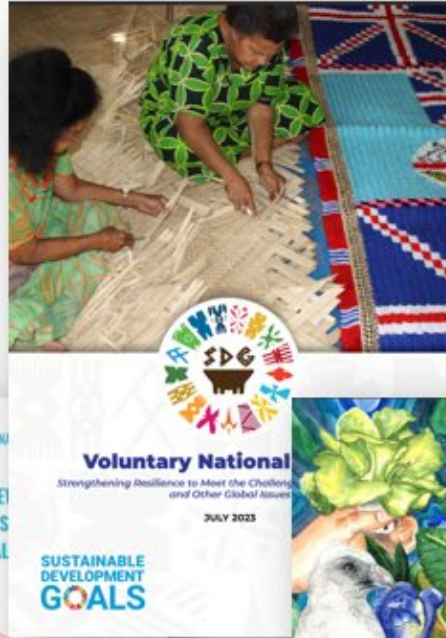
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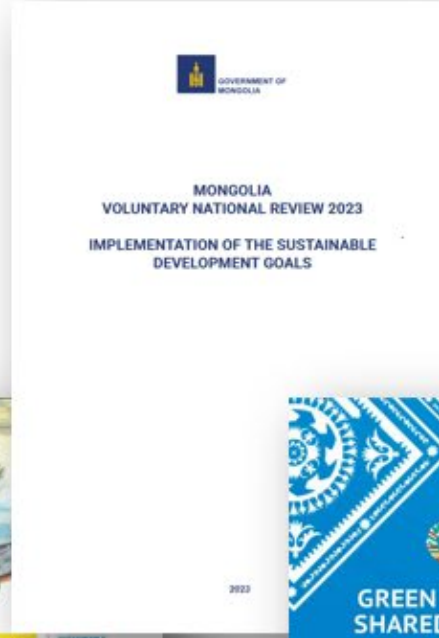
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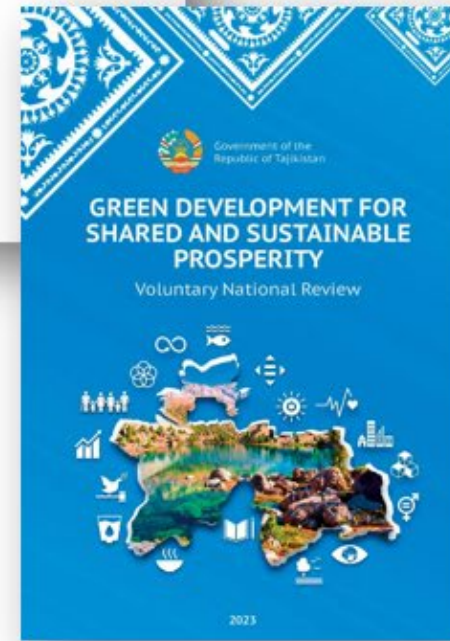
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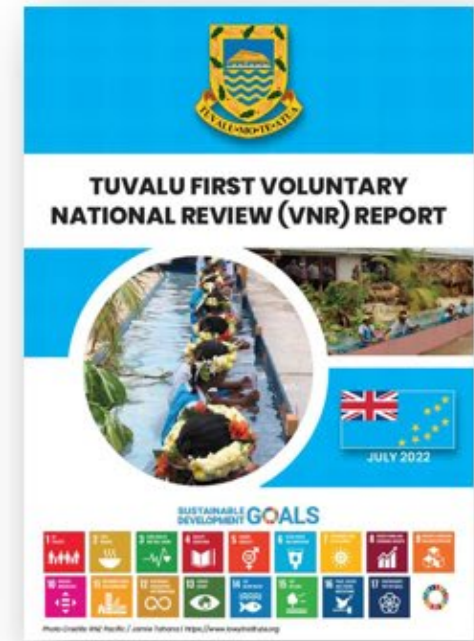
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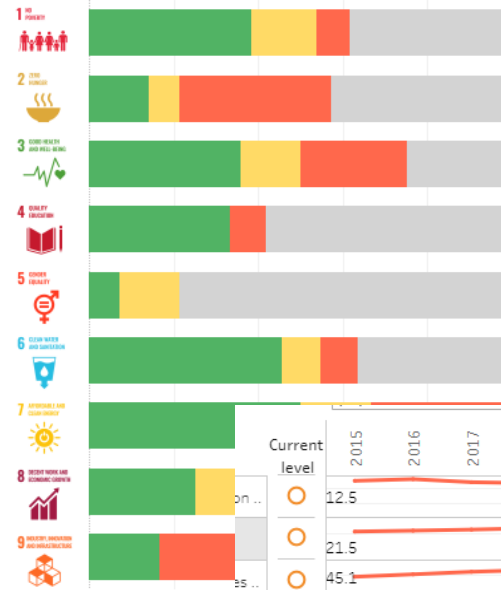
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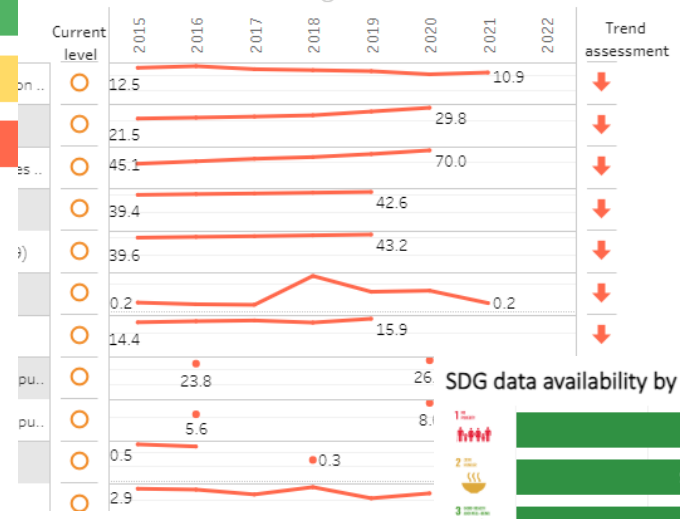
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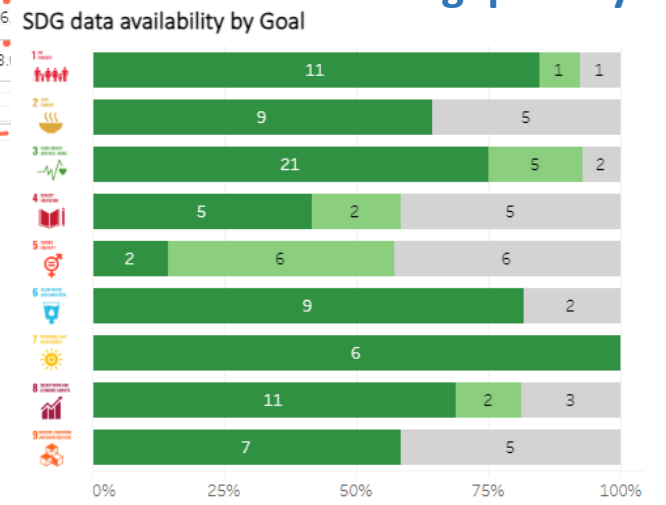
National trend assessment



Regional comparison & national priorities



Data gap analysis



Q&A

VNR 2024 countries:

- Are you producing SDG progress dashboards for your VNR?
- If yes, where are you in the process?
- Do you require (or receive) support from development partners in data analysis for VNR?

Previous VNR countries:

- How did VNR improve your overall SDG data coordination & dissemination?

THANK YOU

