

## **SDG 13 Goal Profile**



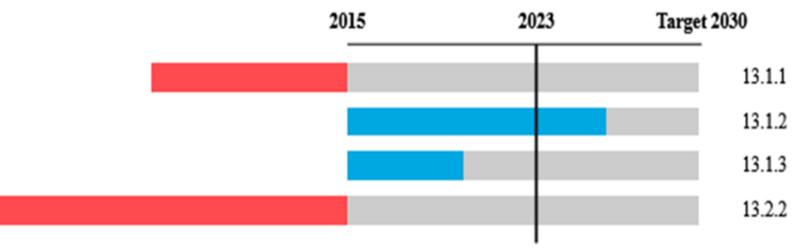




SDG 13. Climate Action: Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts

#### **CURRENT STATUS**





**13.1.1** Death/missing/affected from disasters

**13.1.2** Score of adoption and implementation of national strategies

**13.1.3** Proportion of local governments that adopt and implement local DRR strategies

13.2.2 Greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions

#### **PROGRESS**

## Improved climate finance flows (Target 13.a)

Improved Education, Awareness-raising and Human and Institutional Capacity (Target 13.3)

2.

- Asia Pacific received US\$183.7 billion in climate finance (2016-2021).
- Asia Pacific received US\$346.7 billion in climate FDI (2016-2023), with renewable energies (solar and wind power) among the top sectors
- Need to increase climate finance to reach climate goals for a low-carbon economy and energy transition.
- ASEAN Climate Resilience Network and its Negotiating Group for Agriculture
- UN Asia-Pacific collaboration to improve climate literacy
- Women's International Network in Disaster Risk Reduction

#### **AREAS REQUIRING ATTENTION AND KEY CHALLENGES**

1.

Scaling up coherent efforts to foster resilience and reduce emissions (Target 13.2)



Improving climate finance flows (Target 13.A)



Scaling up action on adaptation (Target 13.1)

Scaling up coherent efforts to foster resilience and transition to low-carbon mobility (Target 13.2) in the transport sector



4.

Mainstreaming Nature-based-Solutions(NbS) into climate change adaptation and mitigation

PROMISING INNOVATIONS AND PRACTICES



1. Innovative climate finance tools



4. Gender and environment data



2. Nature based Solutions

(NbS)

**3. Integrating a Just Transition in NDCs** 



5. Climate change awareness & management skills

### **PRIORITIES FOR ACTION**

- 1. Increase ambition in NDCs
- **2. Scale up** the **mobilization & aligning of finance** for climate action
- 3. Improve production, accessibility and utilization of gender and environment data
- **4. Leaving no-one behind** in climate action
- **5. Incorporate transport sector** into climate change strategies
- **6. Guarantee access to information**, climate-related **decisions** and **justice access**
- 7. Promote active youth involvement in climate action

# Thank you!





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