



DEVELOPING PROCESS INDICATORS FOR PCSD INSTITUTIONAL MECHANISMS



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Background

TARGET **17.14**



ENHANCE POLICY
COHERENCE FOR
SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT

Global Indicator 17.14.1:

“Number of countries with mechanisms in place to enhance policy coherence for sustainable development”

“Targets are defined as aspirational and global, with each government setting its own national targets guided by the global level of ambition but taking into account national circumstances.”
(2030 Agenda)



Purpose



01



Support countries

Track progress on SDG17.14 at national level

Provide input
Develop methodology for the
global indicator 17.14.1



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Inform the work

Update the 2010
Recommendation on PCD



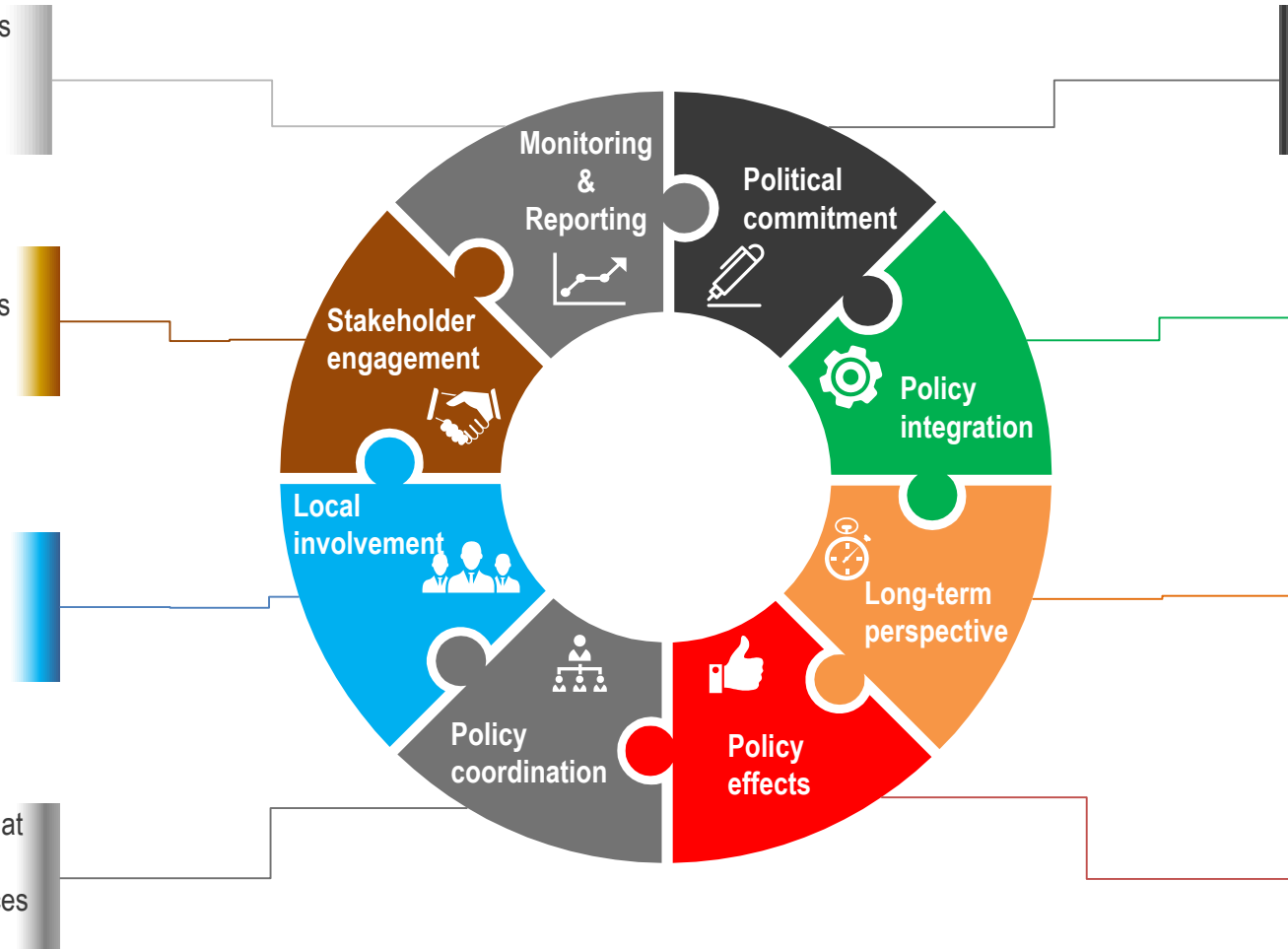
Process Indicators: Eight PCSD Building Blocks

Use monitoring and reporting systems to adjust policies in light of potential negative effects

Engage all relevant actors to identify challenges, set priorities, align actions and mobilise resources

Enable participation of regions, cities and municipalities

Assign responsibility for coordination at appropriate level and establish clear mandates to resolve policy divergences



Ensure commitment and leadership at the highest level

Maximise synergies and minimise trade-offs between economic, social and environmental objectives

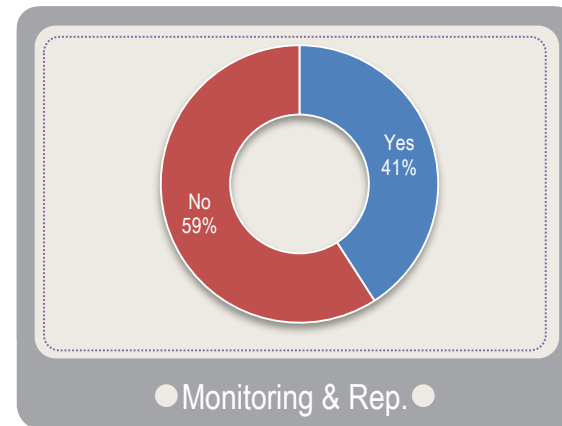
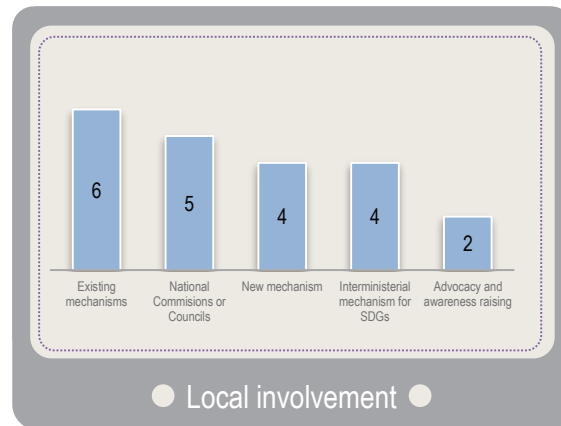
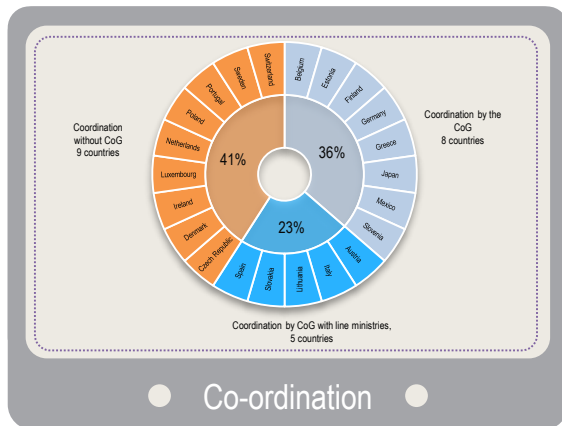
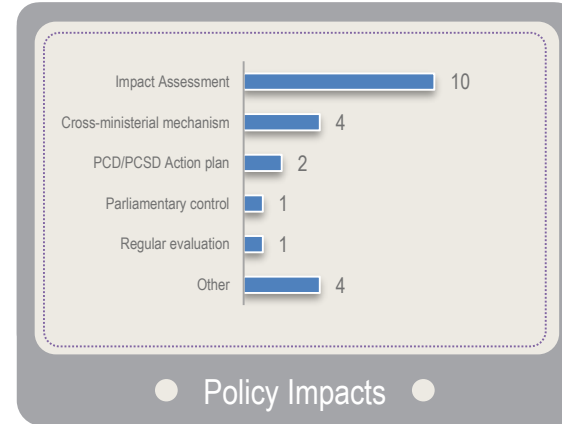
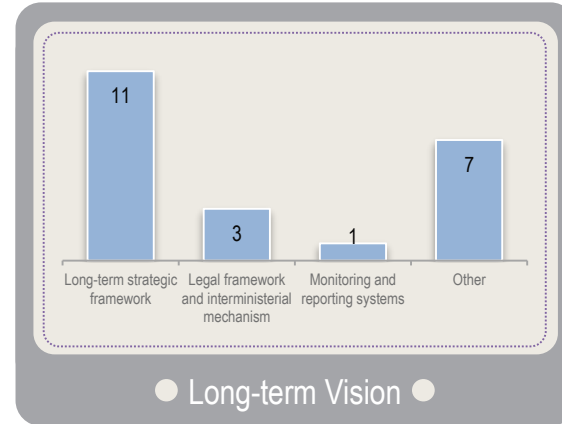
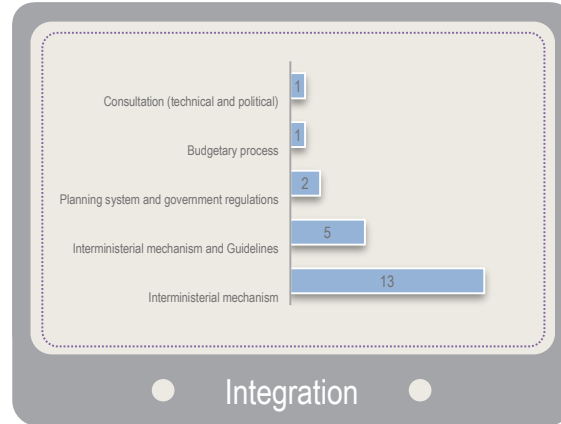
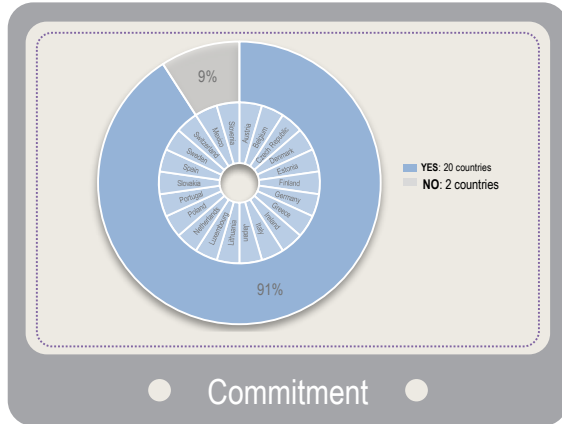
Ensure long-term plans that go beyond electoral cycles and seek balance with short-term priorities

Systematically consider the effects of policies on people's well-being "here and now", "elsewhere" and "later"



Building on country experiences

2018 Survey: Applying the Eight Building Blocks of PCSD in the implementation of the 2030 Agenda (22 OECD countries)





Proposed set of indicators

Indicators	Type of data	Self-assessment
16 Process indicators • Structures, process, working methods (Eight Building Blocks)	Existence (current status) + level of implementation (future expectations)	Traffic light Screening tool – Checklist (Yes/No) Country examples

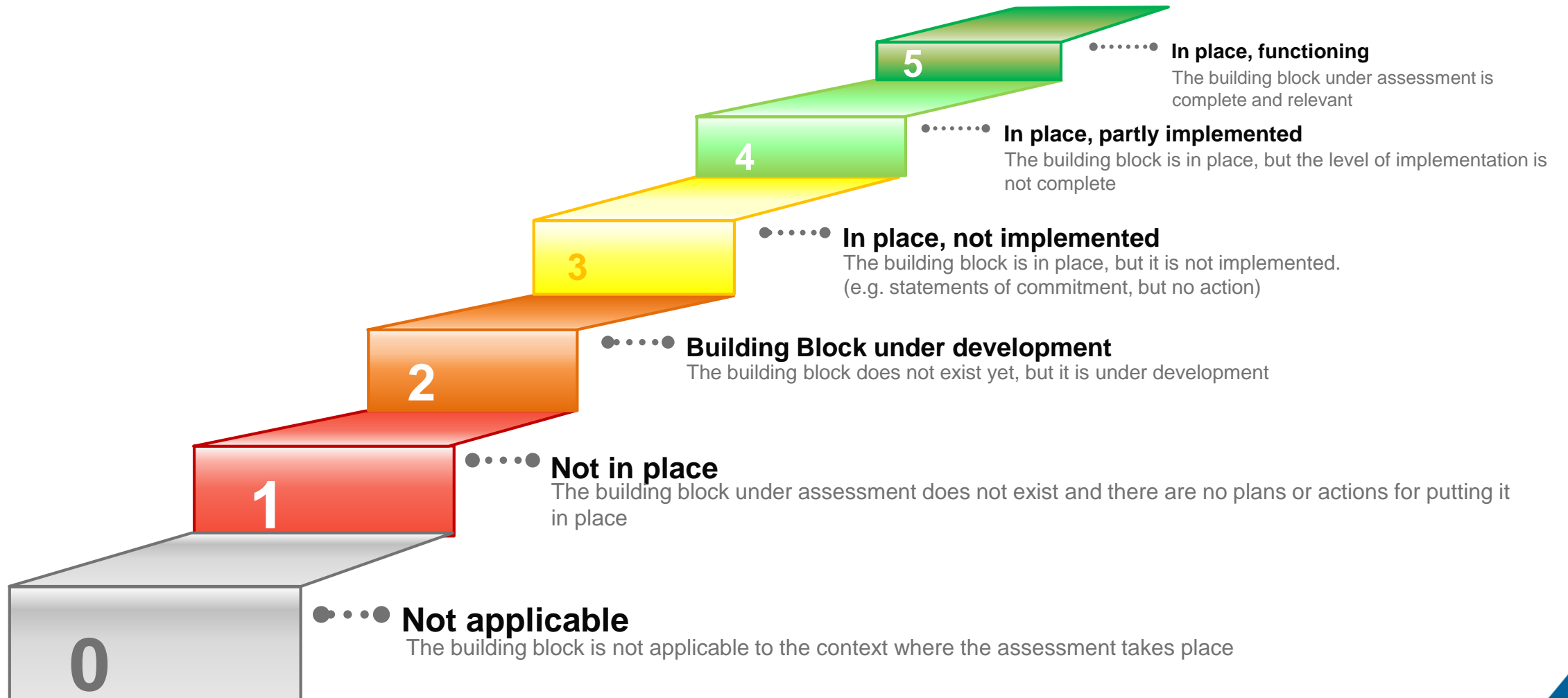
Example:

1.1. Existence of explicit commitment to PCSD, formally included into national legislation and/or national strategy and/or action plan.

1.2. The government publishes a time-bound action plan for making progress on PCSD defining priorities clearly linked to the SDGs

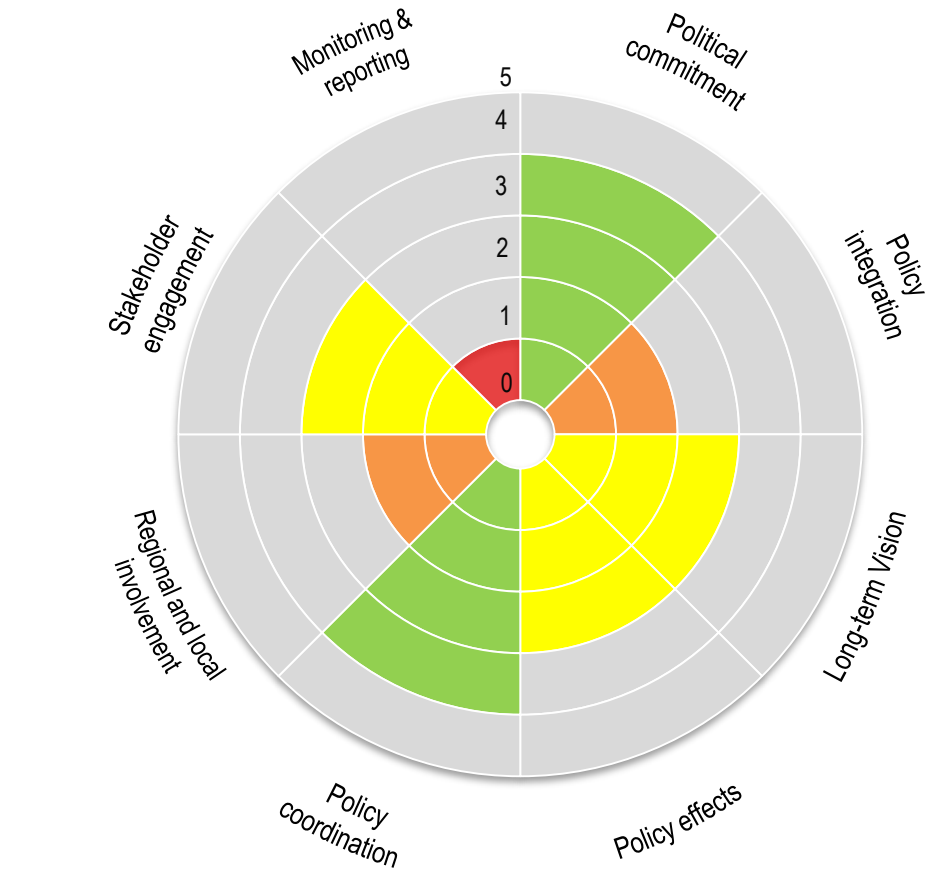


Suggested scale in traffic light colours – baseline



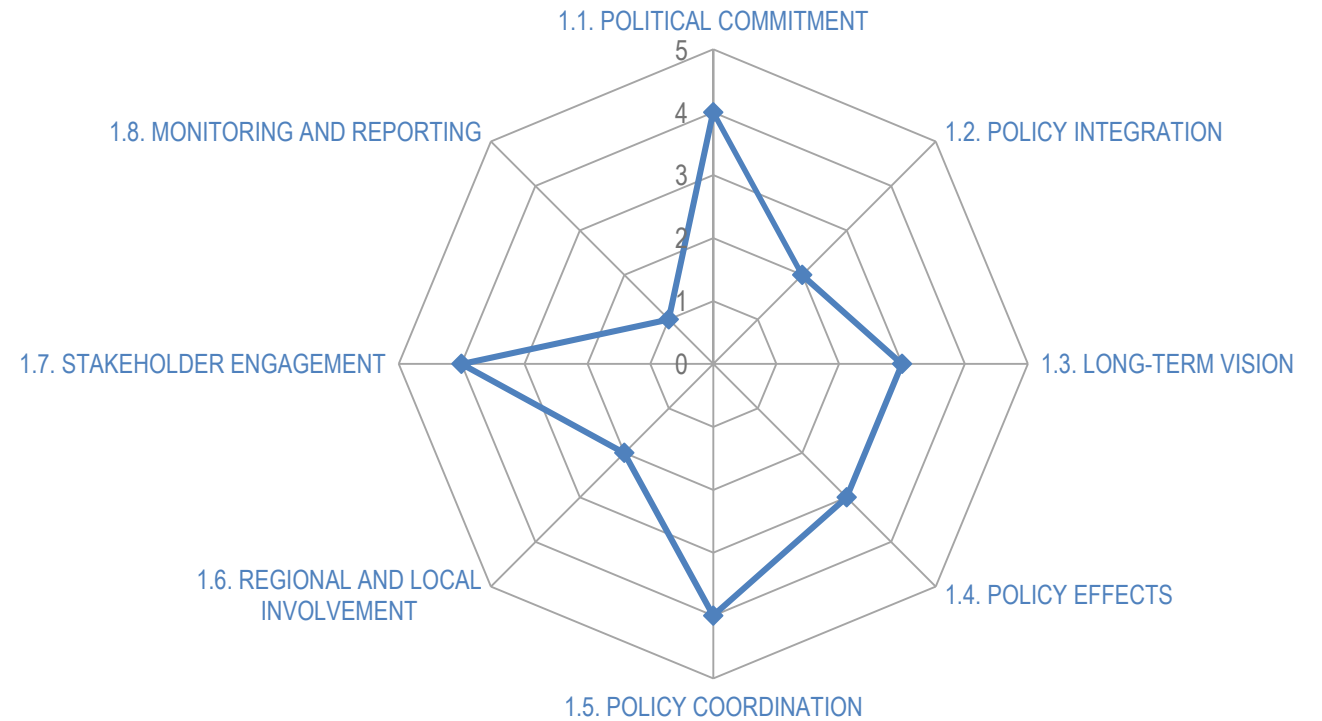


Possible visualisation



- 0. Not applicable
- 1. Not in place
- 2. Building Block under development
- 3. In place, not implemented
- 4. In place, partly implemented
- 5. In place, functioning

What is the current situation?



◆ current status



Roadmap

Steps	2018		2019										
	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov
Discussion of proposal	Focal Points												
Consultation at the EGM on SDG 17.14	Paris												
Call for inputs and suggestions	stakeholders												
Refinement of indicators and scale			OECD secretariat										
Revised version						Focal Points							
Pilot testing							Interested countries						
Final version													Focal Points



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