SDSN Public Opinion Survey on SDG Progress and Challenges

Five years after the adoption of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by the global community, the Sustainable Development Solutions Network (SDSN) is launching a data collection to collect public opinions on progress made and major challenges and barriers faced in implementing the SDGs. The survey comprises 5 questions. It should take less than 5 minutes to respond.

Respondent information:

- Country (drop down)
- Professional activity/sector:
 - o Government
 - o Intergovernmental organization (United-Nations, OECD, other)
 - Private sector
 - Non-governmental organization
 - o University/Research centre
 - Student
 - o Other

- 1. In your view, is your country on track for achieving the SDGs by 2030? (please select one)
 - o On track and will achieve all SDGs
 - Rather on track and will achieve most SDGs
 - Moderately on track and will achieve about half of the SDGs
 - o Rather not on track and will achieve less than half of the SDGs
 - Off track and may not achieve any SDGs
 - o No opinion
- 2. The SDSN and partners identified <u>Six Transformations</u> that need to happen in order to achieve the SDGs. Since 2015, how do you perceive government efforts and actions in the six transformations in your country?

Major efforts: Government has designed and implemented major reforms and the reforms are highly ambitious and compatible with achieving the transformation by 2030.

Moderate efforts: Government has designed and implemented some major reforms, but the level of ambition can be strengthened.

Minor efforts: Government has not designed or implemented major reforms.

	Major efforts	Moderate efforts	Minor efforts
1. Education, Gender and			
Inequality (Early childhood			
development, Primary &			
secondary education,			
Vocational training & higher			
education, Social protection			
system and labour			

standards, Research &	
development)	
2. Health, Well-Being and	
Demography (Universal	
health coverage, Healthy	
behaviours and social	
determinants)	
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3. Energy Decarbonization and Sustainable Industry	
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(Access to clean energy,	
Zero-carbon electricity	
generation, Energy	
efficiency, Electrification and	
zero-carbon fuels, Curbing	
pollution)	
4. Sustainable Food, Land,	
Water and Oceans (Efficient	
and resilient agricultural	
systems, Protection of	
terrestrial and marine	
biodiversity, Healthy food	
promotion and regulation,	
Trade and supply chains	
consistent with sustainable	
Development, Integrated	
land-use and water	
management)	
5. Sustainable Cities and	
Communities (Urban access	
to water, sanitation, and	
waste management,	
Sustainable mobility and	
transport networks, More	
compact settlements, Urban	
adaptation and resilience)	
6. Digital Revolution for	
Sustainable Development	
(Universal broadband and IT	
infrastructure, Digital	
inclusion, skills, privacy	
protection, and	
universal identity, Mobilizing	
digital technologies to	
achieve all SDGs)	

3. In your view, where do the biggest SDG Transformation challenges lie in your country?

	Major challenge	Moderate challenge	Minor / not a challenge
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1. Education, Gender		
and Inequality		
2. Health, Well-Being		
and Demography		
3. Energy		
Decarbonization and		
Sustainable Industry		
4. Sustainable Food,		
Land, Water and		
Oceans		
5. Sustainable Cities		
and Communities		
6. Digital Revolution		
for Sustainable		
Development		

4. In your view, what are the main barriers for implementing the SDGs in your country?

	Minor / Not a challenge	Moderate challenge	Major challenge
Lack of political leadership			
Lack of financial resources			
Poor data and statistics			
Lack of awareness among people and policymakers			
Low quality infrastructure			
Lack of effective public			
institutions			
Major event that takes priority			
over other long-term goals			
(war, epidemics, major social			
unrest, natural disaster)			
Other: please specify			

5.	General	comment	(300	words):
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