Statistics for the SDGs – global indicators

Name of the indicator	**13.1.1 Number of deaths or affected by disaster per 1 million people**
Sustainable Development Goal	Goal 13. Climate action
Target	13.1 Strengthen resilience and adaptive capacity to climate-related hazards and natural disasters in all countries
Definition	The proportion of the number of persons injured as a result of the construction disasters resulting from random events, error in maintenance or construction work, including the number of fatalities per 1 million residents.
Unit	persons
Available dimensions	total, fatalities
Methodological explanations	The data on construction disasters are reported (transmitted) by district and provincial construction supervision inspectors within the framework of the tasks and responsibilities referred to Article 76 point 1 item 2 of the Act - Construction Law. **Construction disaster**, in accordance with article 73 of the Act - Construction law, is an unintentional, violent destruction of construction facilities or of part of it, as well as structural elements of scaffolding, forming elements, sheet piles walls and excavation support systems. Construction disaster are grouped according to reasons: • caused by random events (including strong winds, fires, gas explosions), • caused by errors while maintaining the construction object, • errors during the construction of a new building or construction works in an existing building, • errors in the preparation of building object documentation.
Data source	Building Disaster Register / The General Office of Building Control
Data availability	Annual data; since 2010.
Notes	The presented indicator (13.1.1 Number of deaths or affected by disaster per 1 million people) is a proxy indicator to the one adopted in the official list of indicators of the UN Sustainable Development Goals. The replacement of the original indicator (13.1.1 Number of deaths, missing persons and directly affected persons attributed to disasters per 100,000 population) is due to the inability to obtain data for it. The proxy indicator has been selected so as to most fully reflect the essence of the observed phenomenon.

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