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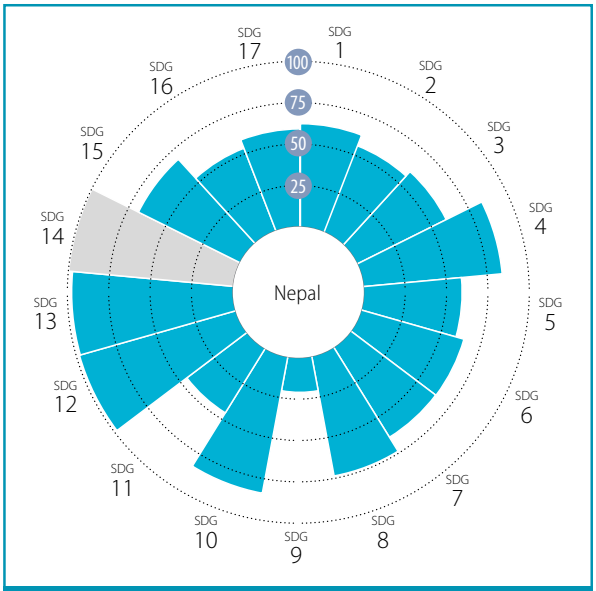
East and South Asia

OVERALL PERFORMANCE

Index score

Regional average score

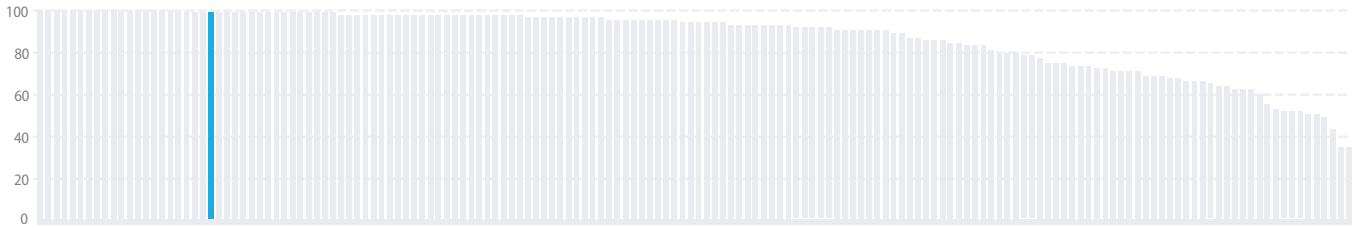
SDG Global rank 103 (OF 162)



AVERAGE PERFORMANCE BY SDG

SPILLOVER INDEX

100 (best) to 0 (worst)



CURRENT ASSESSMENT – SDG DASHBOARD

Major challenges | Significant challenges | Challenges remain | SDG achieved | Information unavailable

SDG TRENDS

Decreasing | Stagnating | Moderately improving | On track or maintaining SDG achievement | Information unavailable

Notes: The full title of Goal 2 "Zero Hunger" is "End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture".
The full title of each SDG is available here: https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/topics/sustainabledevelopmentgoals

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Performance by Indicator

SDG1 – End Poverty	Value	Rating	Trend
Poverty headcount ratio at $1.90/day (% population)	7.2		
Poverty headcount ratio at $3.20/day (% population)	33.7		
SDG2 – Zero Hunger			
Prevalence of undernourishment (% population)	9.5		
Prevalence of stunting (low height-for-age) in children under 5 years of age (%)	35.8		
Prevalence of wasting in children under 5 years of age (%)	9.7		
Prevalence of obesity, BMI ≥ 30 (% adult population)	4.1		
Cereal yield (t/ha)	2.6		
Sustainable Nitrogen Management Index	0.8		
Human Trophic Level (best 2-3 worst)	2.1		
SDG3 – Good Health and Well-Being			
Maternal mortality rate (per 100,000 live births)	258		
Neonatal mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	20.7		
Mortality rate, under-5 (per 1,000 live births)	33.7		
Incidence of tuberculosis (per 100,000 population)	152.0		
New HIV infections (per 1,000)	0.0		
Age-standardised death rate due to cardiovascular disease, cancer, diabetes, and chronic respiratory disease in populations age 30-70 years (per 100,000 population)	21.8		
Age-standardised death rate attributable to household air pollution and ambient air pollution (per 100,000 population)	194		
Traffic deaths rate (per 100,000 population)	17.3		
Life Expectancy at birth (years)	70.2		
Adolescent fertility rate (births per 1,000 women ages 15-19)	62.1		
Births attended by skilled health personnel (%)	58.0		
Percentage of surviving infants who received 2 WHO-recommended vaccines (%)	90		
Universal Health Coverage Tracer Index (0-100)	59.0		
Subjective Wellbeing (average ladder score, 0-10)	4.9		
SDG4 – Quality Education			
Net primary enrolment rate (%)	94.7		
Lower secondary completion rate (%)	89.4		
Literacy rate of 15-24 year olds, both sexes (%)	84.8		
SDG5 – Gender Equality			
Demand for family planning satisfied by modern methods (% women married or in unions aged 15-49)	56.1		
Female to male mean years of schooling, population age 25 + (%)	56.3		
Female to male labour force participation rate (%)	96.4		
Seats held by women in national parliaments (%)	32.7		
SDG6 – Clean Water and Sanitation			
Population using at least basic drinking water services (%)	87.7		
Population using at least basic sanitation services (%)	46.1		
Freshwater withdrawal as % total renewable water resources	5.9		
Imported groundwater depletion (m^3/year/capita)	2.4		
Anthropogenic wastewater that receives treatment (%)	0.0		
SDG7 – Affordable and Clean Energy			
Access to electricity (% population)	90.7		
Access to clean fuels & technology for cooking (% population)	27.6		
CO_2 emissions from fuel combustion / electricity output ($MtCO_2$/TWh)	1.6		
SDG8 – Decent Work and Economic Growth			
Adjusted Growth (%)	-3.0		
Prevalence of Modern Slavery (victims per 1,000 population)	6.0		
Adults (15 years +) with an account at a bank or other financial institution or with a mobile-money-service provider (%)	45.4		
Unemployment rate (% total labor force)	2.7		
Fatal work-related accidents embodied in imports (deaths per 100,000)	0.1		

SDG9 – Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure	Value	Rating	Trend
Population using the internet (%)	21.4		
Mobile broadband subscriptions (per 100 inhabitants)	52.4		
Logistics performance index: Quality of trade and transport-related infrastructure (1=low to 5=high)	2.2		
The Times Higher Education Universities Ranking, Average score of top 3 universities (0-100)	22.5		
Number of scientific and technical journal articles (per 1,000 population)	0.0		
Research and development expenditure (% GDP)	0.3		
SDG10 – Reduced Inequalities			
Gini Coefficient adjusted for top income (1-100)	33.5		
SDG11 – Sustainable Cities and Communities			
Annual mean concentration of particulate matter of less than 2.5 microns of diameter (PM2.5) in urban areas (µg/m^3)	99.7		
Improved water source, piped (% urban population with access)	60.0		
Satisfaction with public transport (%)	69.5		
SDG12 – Responsible Consumption and Production			
Municipal Solid Waste (kg/day/capita)	0.1		
E-waste generated (kg/capita)	0.8		
Production-based SO_2 emissions (kg/capita)	1.1		
Imported SO_2 emissions (kg/capita)	0.5		
Nitrogen production footprint (kg/capita)	6.5		
Net imported emissions of reactive nitrogen (kg/capita)	-46.0		
SDG13 – Climate Action			
Energy-related CO_2 emissions per capita (tCO_2/capita)	0.3		
Imported CO_2 emissions, technology-adjusted (tCO_2/capita)	0.1		
People affected by climate-related disasters (per 100,000 population)	823.8		
CO_2 emissions embodied in fossil fuel exports (kg/capita)	0.0		
SDG14 – Life Below Water			
Mean area that is protected in marine sites important to biodiversity (%)	NA		
Ocean Health Index Goal-Clean Waters (0-100)	NA		
Percentage of Fish Stocks overexploited or collapsed by EEZ (%)	NA		
Fish caught by trawling (%)	NA		
SDG15 – Life on Land			
Mean area that is protected in terrestrial sites important to biodiversity (%)	54.6		
Mean area that is protected in freshwater sites important to biodiversity (%)	36.5		
Red List Index of species survival (0-1)	0.8		
Permanent Deforestation (5 year average annual %)	0.0		
Imported biodiversity threats (per million population)	0.4		
SDG16 – Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions			
Homicides (per 100,000 population)	2.2		
Unsentenced detainees (%)	NA		
Population who feel safe walking alone at night in the city or area where they live (%)	57.2		
Property Rights (1-7)	4.0		
Birth registrations with civil authority, children under 5 years of age (%)	58.1		
Corruption Perception Index (0-100)	31		
Children 5-14 years old involved in child labour (%)	37.4		
Transfers of major conventional weapons (exports) (constant 1990 US$ million per 100,000 population)	* 0.0		
Freedom of Press Index (best 0-100 worst)	32.1		
SDG17 – Partnerships for the Goals			
Government Health and Education spending (% GDP)	4.8		
High-income and all OECD DAC countries: International concessional public finance, including official development assistance (% GNI)	NA		
Other countries: Government Revenue excluding Grants (% GDP)	23.2		
Tax Haven Score (best 0-5 worst)	* 0		

*Imputed data point