

SDG Goal 10

Reduced inequalities

SDG Target 10.7

Facilitate orderly, safe, regular and responsible migration and mobility of people, including through the implementation of planned and well-managed migration policies

SDG Indicator 10.7.2

Proportion of countries with migration policies that facilitate orderly, safe, regular and responsible migration and mobility of people

Time series

State of migration policies

1. General information on the time series

- Date of national metadata: 1 June 2023
- National data: <http://sdg-indicators.de/10-7-2/>
- Definition: The time series measures the state of migration policies.
- Disaggregation: policy area

2. Comparability with the UN metadata

- Date of UN metadata: March 2023
- UN metadata: <https://unstats.un.org/sdgs/metadata/files/Metadata-10-07-02.pdf>
- The time series is compliant with the UN metadata.

3. Data description

- The time series is the result of an evaluation composed of 30 questions grouped in six domains. These six domains are:

1. Migrant rights
2. Whole-of-government/Evidence-based policies
3. Cooperation and partnerships
4. Socioeconomic well-being
5. Mobility dimension of crises
6. Safe, orderly and regular migration

Based on the answers an overall score can be calculated across all six domains. Categories of the overall score are:

- Values of less than 40 are coded as “Requires further progress” = 1 Point
- Values of 40 to less than 80 are coded as “Partially meets” = 2 Points
- Values of 80 to less than 100 are coded as “Meets” = 3 Points
- Values of 100 are coded as “Fully meets” = 4 Points

4. Access to data source

- SDG Indicator 10.7.2 on Migration Policies:
<https://www.un.org/development/desa/pd/data/sdg-indicator-1072-migration-policies>
- UN DESA Questionnaire, assessment 2018/2019:
https://sdg-indikatoren.de/public/UNDESA-Survey_2018_2019.pdf
- UN DESA Questionnaire, assessment 2020/2021:
https://sdg-indikatoren.de/public/UNDESA-Survey_2020_2021.pdf

5. Metadata on source data

- United Nations Inquiry among Governments on Population and Development:
<https://esa.un.org/PopPolicy/inquiry/en/UN%2012th%20Inquiry%20Module%20III%20International%20Migration.pdf>

6. Timeliness and frequency

- Timeliness: Not available.
- Frequency: Every 2 years

7. Calculation method

- Unit of measurement: No unit
- Calculation:

For each of the six domains, the computational methodology is the unweighted average of the values across the 30 sub-categories:

$$D_i = \frac{\sum_j s_{ij}}{n} \cdot 100 [\%]$$

Where D_i refers to the value for domain i ;

$\sum_j s_{ij}$ refers to the sum of the values across sub-categories (indexed by j) under domain i ;

and n refers to the total number of sub-categories in a domain ($n = 5$).

For each domain, values of D_i range from a minimum of 0 to a maximum of 100 per cent.