China, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region

Goal 2: End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture

* The proportion of the population suffering from hunger was less than 2.5% in 2015.

Goal 4: Ensure inclusive and equitable quality education and promote lifelong learning opportunities for all

* In 2016, 100% of children participated in pre-primary or primary education in the year prior to the official entrance age for primary school.

Goal 6: Ensure availability and sustainable management of water and sanitation for all

* In 2015, 100% of the population used a "safely managed" drinking water service - an improved source located on premises, available when needed and free from contamination, up from 98% in 2000.
* In 2015, 16% of the population used a "safely managed" sanitation service - a basic facility that safely disposes of human waste.

Goal 7: Ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable and modern energy for all

* The proportion of the population with access to electricity was 100% in 2016.

Goal 8: Promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all

* The annual growth rate of real gross domestic product (GDP) per capita declined from 6.3% in 2000 to 1.2% in 2016.

Goal 9: Build resilient infrastructure, promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and foster innovation

* The carbon dioxide emissions per unit of GDP decreased from 0.18 kilograms in 2000 to 0.11 kilograms in 2015.
* In 2016, investment in research and development (R&D) stood at 0.79% of GDP, up from 0.46% in 2000.
* In 2016, 100% of the population was in range of at least a second-generation (2G) cellular signal.

Goal 15: Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss

* The average proportion of terrestrial key biodiversity areas (KBAs) covered by protected areas was 57% in 2018.

Goal 16: Promote peaceful and inclusive societies for sustainable development, provide access to justice for all and build effective, accountable and inclusive institutions at all levels

* In 2016, the intentional homicide rate was 0.38 per 100,000 population.

Goal 17: Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development

* As of 2017, China, Hong Kong Special Administrative Region has developed national statistical plans that are fully funded.
* In 2016, the inflow of personal remittances was 0.12% of GDP.
* In 2016, fixed-broadband internet penetration reached 36% of the population, up from 6.5% in 2000.

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Note (1): This fact sheet was prepared by the UN Statistics Division on selected indicators. More data and information are available in the Sustainable Development Goal Indicators Database (http://unstats.un.org/sdgs/indicators/database/).

Note (2): Some Goals may have been omitted from this profile due to a lack of data availability.