

Tier reclassification requests submitted for 8th IAEG-SDG Meeting

Target	Indicator	Possible Custodian Agency(ies)	Partner Agency(ies)	Updated Tier Classification (by IAEG-SDG Members)	Notes (including timing of review and explanation for change in Tier)
2.4 By 2030, ensure sustainable food production systems and implement resilient agricultural practices that increase productivity and production, that help maintain ecosystems, that strengthen capacity for adaptation to climate change, extreme weather, drought, flooding and other disasters and that progressively improve land and soil quality	2.4.1 Proportion of agricultural area under productive and sustainable agriculture	FAO	UNEP	Tier III	IAEG-SDG 6th meeting: Review of results of pilot studies necessary and more testing needed before indicator can be reclassified
3.b Support the research and development of vaccines and medicines for the communicable and non-communicable diseases that primarily affect developing countries, provide access to affordable essential medicines and vaccines, in accordance with the Doha Declaration on the TRIPS Agreement and Public Health, which affirms the right of developing countries to use to the full the provisions in the Agreement on Trade-Related Aspects of Intellectual Property Rights regarding flexibilities to protect public health, and, in particular, provide access to medicines for all	3.b.3 Proportion of health facilities that have a core set of relevant essential medicines available and affordable on a sustainable basis	WHO		Tier III	UNSC 48 Refinement; Reviewed at 5th IAEG-SDG meeting (classified as Tier III)
4.1 By 2030, ensure that all girls and boys complete free, equitable and quality primary and secondary education leading to relevant and effective learning outcomes	4.1.1 Proportion of children and young people (a) in grades 2/3; (b) at the end of primary; and (c) at the end of lower secondary achieving at least a minimum proficiency level in (i) reading and (ii) mathematics, by sex	UNESCO-UIS	OECD	Tier III (a)/ Tier II (b,c)	Reviewed at IAEG-SDG 6th meeting: part (a) Needs additional work to develop internationally comparable statistics IAEG-SDG 4th meeting: Multi-tier classification due to concerns regarding the methodology for part (a) ((a) classified as Tier III)
4.7 By 2030, ensure that all learners acquire the knowledge and skills needed to promote sustainable development, including, among others, through education for sustainable development and sustainable lifestyles, human rights, gender equality, promotion of a culture of peace and non-violence, global citizenship and appreciation of cultural diversity and of culture's contribution to sustainable development	4.7.1 Extent to which (i) global citizenship education and (ii) education for sustainable development, including gender equality and human rights, are mainstreamed at all levels in (a) national education policies; (b) curricula; (c) teacher education; and (d) student assessment	UNESCO-UIS	OECD, UNEP, UN WOMEN	Tier III	
10.2 By 2030, empower and promote the social, economic and political inclusion of all, irrespective of age, sex, disability, race, ethnicity, origin, religion or economic or other status	10.2.1 Proportion of people living below 50 per cent of median income, by sex, age and persons with disabilities	World Bank		Tier III	
10.7 Facilitate orderly, safe, regular and responsible migration and mobility of people, including through the implementation of planned and well-managed migration policies	10.7.1 Recruitment cost borne by employee as a proportion of yearly income earned in country of destination	ILO, World Bank		Tier III	
	10.7.2 Number of countries that have implemented well-managed migration policies	DESA Population Division, IOM	World Bank, Global Migration Group, UNHCR, UNODC	Tier III	
12.3 By 2030, halve per capita global food waste at the retail and consumer levels and reduce food losses along production and supply chains, including post-harvest losses	12.3.1 Global food loss index	FAO, UNEP		Tier III	Reviewed at Webex meeting in Nov. 2017 following 6th IAEG-SDG meeting: Request more clarification on methodology and metadata as well as results of pilot studies
12.8 By 2030, ensure that people everywhere have the relevant information and awareness for sustainable development and lifestyles in harmony with nature	12.8.1 Extent to which (i) global citizenship education and (ii) education for sustainable development (including climate change education) are mainstreamed in (a) national education policies; (b) curricula; (c) teacher education; and (d) student assessment	UNESCO-UIS	UNEP	Tier III	
14.3 Minimize and address the impacts of ocean acidification, including through enhanced scientific cooperation at all levels	14.3.1 Average marine acidity (pH) measured at agreed suite of representative sampling stations	IOC-UNESCO	UNEP	Tier III	
16.7 Ensure responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at all levels	16.7.1 Proportions of positions (by sex, age, persons with disabilities and population groups) in public institutions (national and local legislatures, public service, and judiciary) compared to national distributions	UNDP	UN Women	Tier III	
17.13 Enhance global macroeconomic stability, including through policy coordination and policy coherence	17.13.1 Macroeconomic Dashboard	World Bank		Tier III	

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11.3 By 2030, enhance inclusive and sustainable urbanization and capacity for participatory, integrated and sustainable human settlement planning and management in all countries	11.3.2 Proportion of cities with a direct participation structure of civil society in urban planning and management that operate regularly and democratically	UN-Habitat		Tier III	<p>Reviewed at Webex meeting in Nov. 2017 following 6th IAEG-SDG meeting: Request additional work on definition of cities and methodology as well as additional pilot studies</p> <p>Fast Track; Reviewed at 5th IAEG-SDG meeting: Request finalized metadata and results of pilot studies (classified as Tier III)</p>
11.7 By 2030, provide universal access to safe, inclusive and accessible, green and public spaces, in particular for women and children, older persons and persons with disabilities	11.7.1 Average share of the built-up area of cities that is open space for public use for all, by sex, age and persons with disabilities	UN-Habitat		Tier III	<p>Reviewed at Webex meeting in Nov. 2017 following 6th IAEG-SDG meeting: Request additional work on definition of cities and methodology as well as additional pilot studies</p> <p>Fast Track; Reviewed at 5th IAEG-SDG meeting: Request finalised methodology development and results of pilot studies</p> <p>IAEG-SDG 3rd meeting: There is no established methodology for the indicator (classified as Tier III)</p>
16.4 By 2030, significantly reduce illicit financial and arms flows, strengthen the recovery and return of stolen assets and combat all forms of organized crime	16.4.2 Proportion of seized, found or surrendered arms whose illicit origin or context has been traced or established by a competent authority in line with international instruments	UNODC, UNODA		Tier III	<p>UNSC 48 Refinement; Reviewed at 5th IAEG-SDG meeting (classified as Tier III)</p>