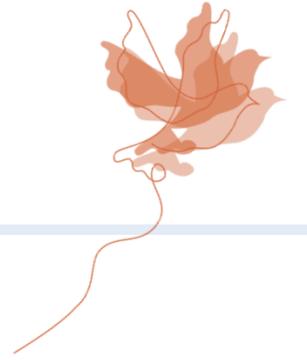




SDG 16 Survey Initiative 2025



Objective of the SDG 16 Survey Initiative



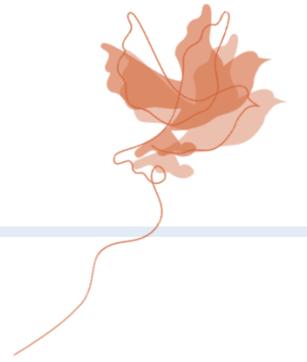
The overall objective of the joint initiative is **to increase the availability of high-quality data and research on Goal 16** to enable policy makers to make **informed decisions** to address global challenges on peace, justice and inclusive institutions.

One Goal – 24 Indicators

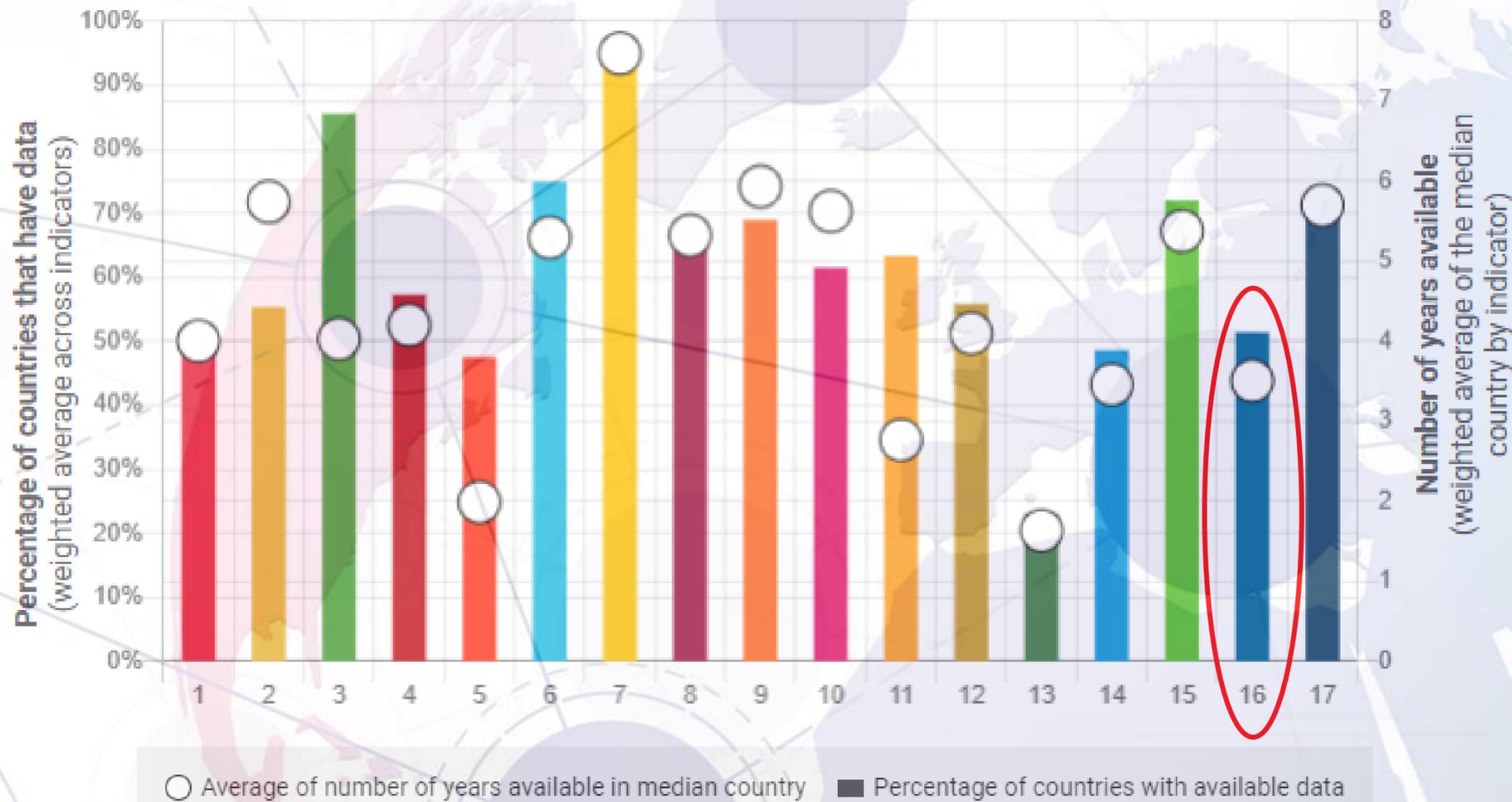


INDICATOR	CUSTODIAN
16.1.1: Number of victims of intentional homicide per 100,000 population, by sex and age	UNODC/WHO
16.1.2: Conflict-related deaths per 100,000 population, by sex, age and cause	OHCHR
16.1.3: Proportion of population subjected to (a) physical violence, (b) psychological violence and/or (c) sexual violence in the previous 12 months	UNODC
16.1.4: Proportion of population that feel safe walking alone around the area they live after dark	UNODC
16.2.1: Proportion of children aged 1–17 years who experienced any physical punishment and/or psychological aggression by caregivers in the past month	UNICEF
16.2.2: Number of victims of human trafficking per 100,000 population, by sex, age and form of exploitation	UNODC
16.2.3: Proportion of young women and men aged 18–29 years who experienced sexual violence by age 18	UNICEF
16.3.1: Proportion of victims of (a) physical, (b) psychological and/or (c) sexual violence in the previous 12 months who reported their victimization to competent authorities.	UNODC
16.3.2: Unsentenced detainees as a proportion of overall prison population	UNODC
16.3.3: Proportion of the population who have experienced a dispute in the past two years and who accessed a formal or informal dispute resolution mechanism	UNDP, UNODC, OECD
16.4.1: Total value of inward and outward illicit financial flows (in current United States dollars)	UNCTAD, UNODC
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
16.5.1: Proportion of persons who had at least one contact with a public official and who paid or were asked for a bribe to or by a public official, during the previous 12 months.	UNODC
16.5.2: Proportion of businesses that had at least one contact with a public official and that paid or were asked for a bribe to or by a public official during the previous 12 months	WORLD BANK, UNODC
16.6.1: Primary government expenditures as a proportion of original approved budget, by sector (or by budget codes or similar)	WORLD BANK
16.6.2: Proportion of population satisfied with their last experience of public services	UNDP
16.7.1: Proportions of positions in national and local institutions, compared to national distributions, by sex, age, persons with disabilities and population groups	IPU, UNDP
16.7.2: Proportion of population who believe decision-making is inclusive and responsive, by sex, age, disability and population group	UNDP
16.8.1: Proportion of members and voting rights of developing countries in international organizations	UNDESA
16.9.1: Proportion of children under 5 years of age whose births have been registered with a civil authority, by age	UNICEF
16.10.1: Number of verified cases of killing, abduction, arbitrary detention and torture of journalists, media personnel, trade unionists and human rights advocates in the previous 12 months	OHCHR, UNESCO, ILO
16.10.2: Number of countries that adopt and implement constitutional, statutory and/or policy guarantees for public access to information	UNESCO
16.a.1: Existence of independent national human rights institutions in compliance with the Paris Principles	OHCHR
16.b.1: Proportion of population discriminated against or harassed in the previous 12 months on the basis of a ground of discrimination prohibited under international human rights law	OHCHR

Data availability on SDG 16 has greatly improved...



Availability of country level data, February 2025

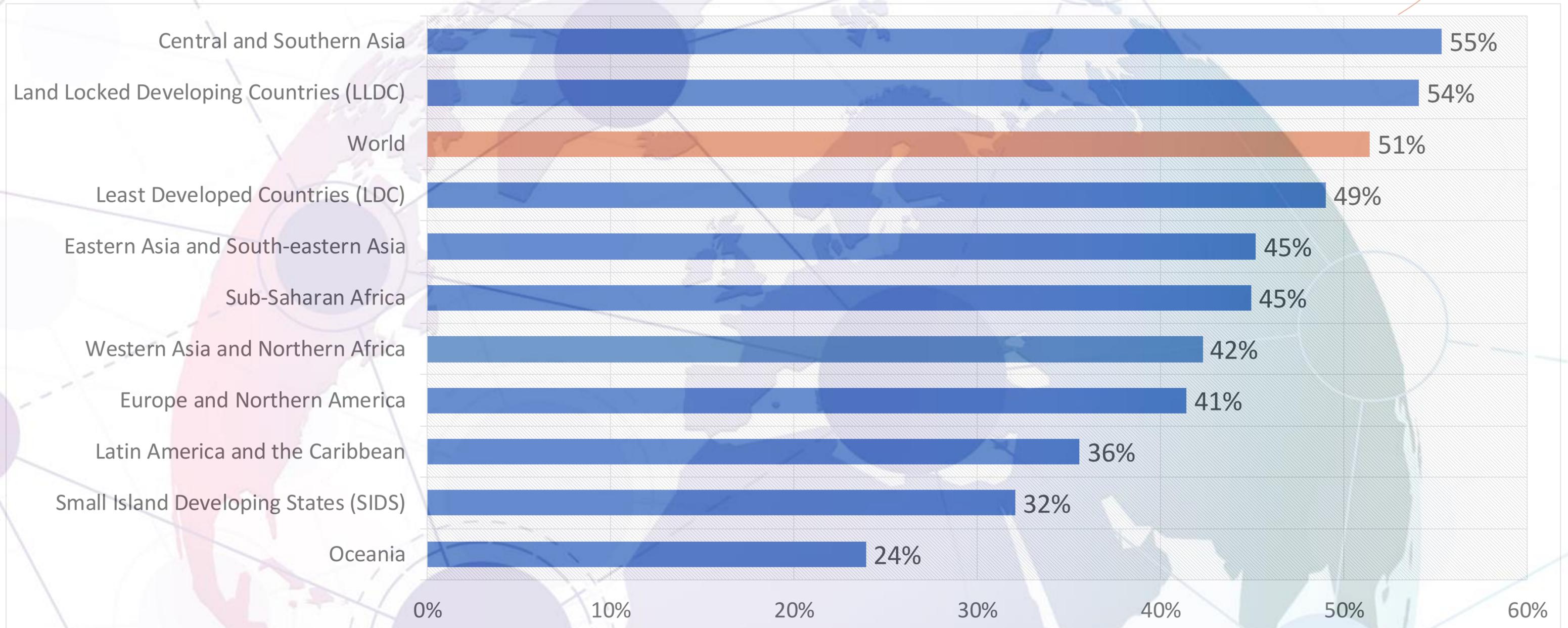


Data coverage

37%  **51%**
2023 2025

Source: SDG Indicators Database, accessed 16 February 2025.

... but gaps remain in regional coverage



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SDG 16 Survey Modules: Measuring Peace, Justice and Inclusive Institutions



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-  Access to civil Justice
 -  Access to criminal Justice (violence reporting)
 -  Bribery
 -  Discrimination
 -  Governance (effectiveness of service delivery)
 -  Governance (responsive and include decision-making)
 -  Physical violence
 -  Sexual violence
 -  Psychological violence
 -  Sexual harassment
 -  Non sexual harassment
 -  Trafficking in persons

Different survey implementation options for existing SDG 16 data landscapes



A

New Survey Implementation

- **Full implementation** of the Survey, including all modules, sections and disaggregations.
- Useful to close considerable data gaps and for general assessment of the SDG 16 progress.
- Recommended option if no prior data collection has been implemented.



B

Update Existing Survey

- SDG 16 Survey is used to **update** an existing governance, peace and security Survey.
- To align indicators that were previously collected with the recommended methodology.
- To continue data production and continue time series



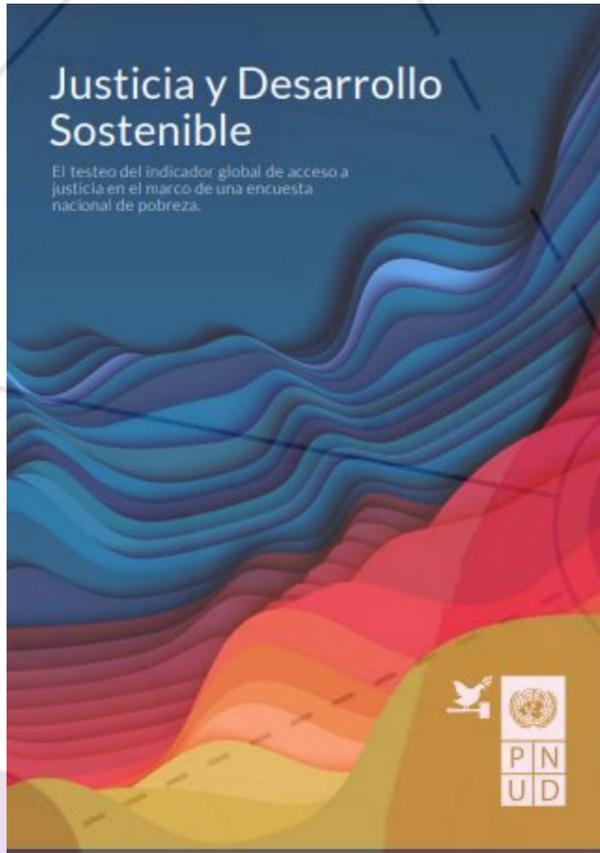
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Survey Integration

- **Integration** of module(s) into a host survey – ideally a social survey covering related topics.
- Intended to fill specific data gap on an indicator, or gradual integration of modules in a longer timeframe.



National experiences for national priorities



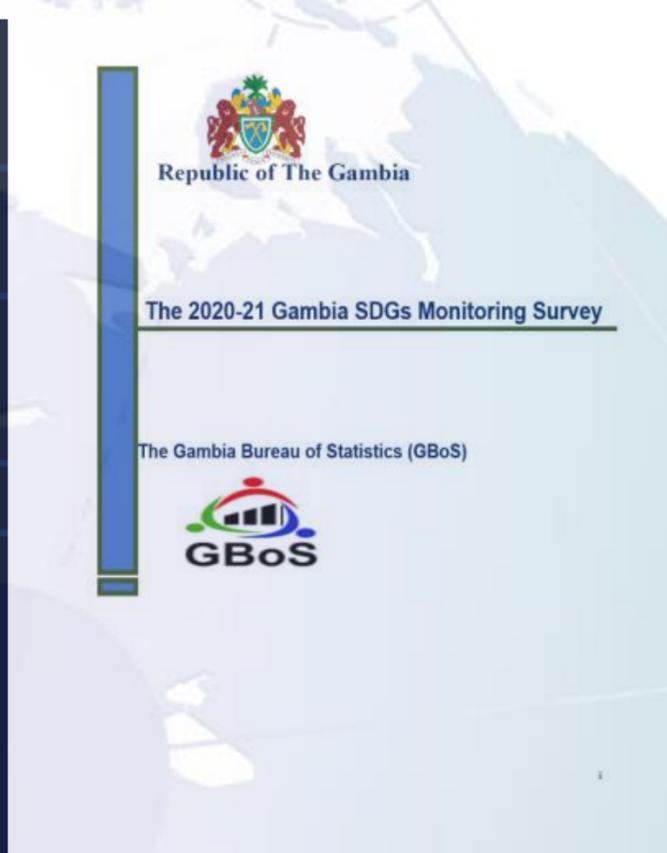
Argentina



Cabo Verde



EL Salvador



The Gambia



Tunisia

The SDG 16 Survey instruments have been mainly used to respond to national needs and to integrate the data production in the national statistics system.

5 years of jointly supporting member states and key stakeholders

+ 4.000+ individuals trained on the SDG 16 indicators across 6 regional trainings

+ Providing evidence for global and regional decision making with annual global progress reports on SDG 16

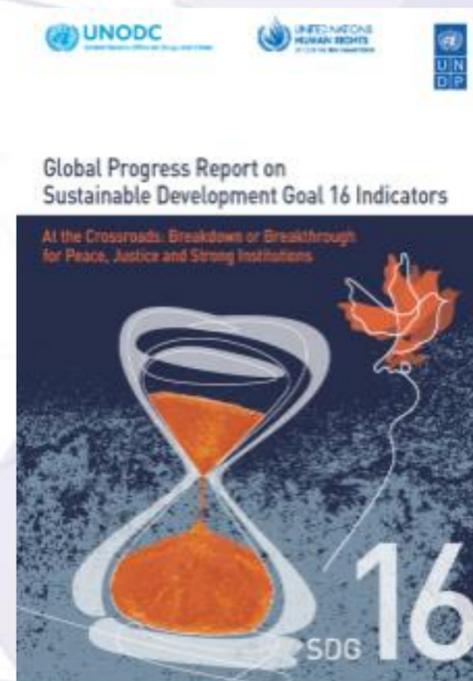
+ Global and regional awareness of the domains covered by the indicators including key events (WDF, UNSC,...)



Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in Africa II

Online – Every Thursday | November 3rd – December 8th, 2022

November 3	Opening and Cross-Cutting Issues	November 24	Protecting Human Rights and Promoting Access to Information
November 10	Homicide and Violence	December 1	Trafficking in Persons, Violence against children and legal identity
November 17	Accountable, Effective and Inclusive Public Institutions and Access to Justice	December 8	Corruption, Organized Crime and Prisons



UNODC | UNITED NATIONS HUMAN RIGHTS | UNDP

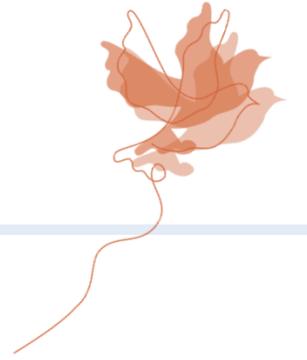
Global Progress Report on Sustainable Development Goal 16 Indicators

At the Crossroads. Breakdowns or Breakthrough for Peace, Justice and Strong Institutions

SDG 16



Coming soon



Methodological Development

- Adapted Survey to Fragile and Conflict-Affected Countries
- Create additional methodological guidance

Capacity Development and Training on Measuring SDG 16

- Regional training on SDG 16

SDG 16 Survey Implementation

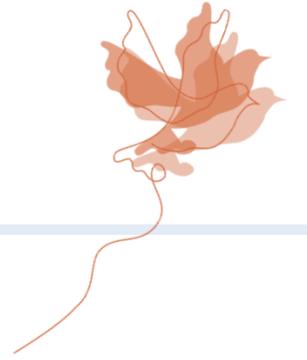
- Sri Lanka, Mozambique, The Gambia, Ghana, Nigeria

Joint Analysis and reports on SDG 16

3rd Global Progress Report on SDG 16 published in July

Chapter on Manual on Household Survey (UNDP and UNODC)

Resources



SDG 16 Survey Instruments and related standards

- [SDG 16 Survey questionnaire and Implementation Manual](#) by UNDP, UNODC and OHCHR
- [Manual on Measurement of Corruption](#), by UNODC and UNDP

Other standards, classifications

- [Handbook on governance statistics](#) by Praia Group and supported by the three agencies as well as other members
- [International Classification of Crime for Statistical Purposes](#) by UNODC
- [Handbook of Surveys on Individuals and Households Foundations and Emerging Approaches \(Draft\)](#) – includes a chapter on measuring Governance, Public Safety, Justice, and Corruption by UNDP and UNODC

Reports

- [Global Progress Report on SDG 16](#), by UNDP, UNODC, OHCHR, UNICEF, UNESCO, WHO, UNCTAD, and IPU
- [2nd Global Progress Report on SDG 16](#) by UNDP, UNODC, OHCHR, UNICEF, UNESCO, WHO, UNCTAD, and IPU

Regional Trainings

- [Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in Africa](#), co-organized by UNDP and UNODC, 2020
- [Regional Training to Measure SDG 16 in Latin America and the Caribbean](#), co-organized by UNDP, UNODC and OHCHR, 2021
- [Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in Arab States \(Advancing SDG 16 Indicators\)](#), Co-organized by UNDP, UNODC, OHCHR, ESCWA, AIRTS.
- [Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in Asia](#), co-organized by UNDP, UNODC, OHCHR, UNESCO and UNESCAP, 2021
- [Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in Africa II](#), co-organized by UNDP, UNODC, OHCHR, UNESCO, UNICEF, UNECA and UNESCWA, 2022
- [Regional Training on Measuring SDG 16 in the Pacific](#), co-organized by UNDP, UNODC, OHCHR, UNICEF, UNESCO, UNESCA and Pacific Community, 2023



Thank you