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How can countries strengthen planning and action on the SDGs?

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Basics of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)

- Tool to tackle global challenges to realize a sustainable world
- Adopted in 2015, to be achieved by 2030
- Part of “the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (the 2030 Agenda)”
- Covers economic, social and environmental dimensions
 - requires an **integrated approach**
- Consists of 17 Goals and 169 targets
- 247 indicators to assess progress on targets
- Not legally binding
- Not only countries but all stakeholders are encouraged to work towards the SDGs
 - requires **stakeholder engagement**



National planning and action needed to achieve the SDGs

- Only 8 years to deliver the 2030 Agenda and its SDGs
- The Decade of Action asks for transformative solutions through accelerated efforts
- Keys to transformative solutions include integrated and inclusive approaches
- Accelerating the progress requires that countries strengthen SDGs planning and action
- This session provides a peer learning opportunity to share national planning and action for SDGs



IGES' research related to national planning and action for the SDGs

Integrated approach

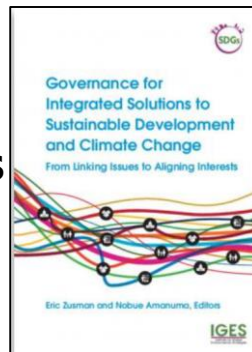
SDGs Interlinkages Analysis & Visualisation Tool

Identified **synergies and trade-offs** among the SDG targets to support national SDGs planning etc.



Governance for integrated solutions

Examined governance arrangements to **align stakeholders' interests** behind integrated solutions



Action by stakeholders

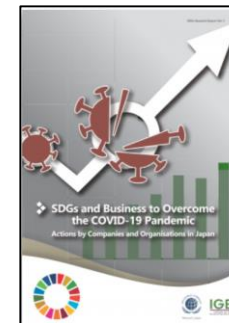
Institutional setup and progress assessment for SDGs



Examined existing practices including **development of national indicators**

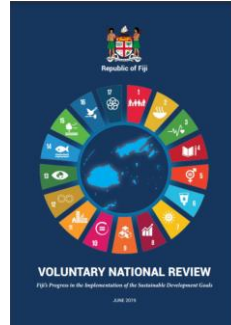
SDGs and Business

Examined Japanese companies' SDGs-related initiatives over time



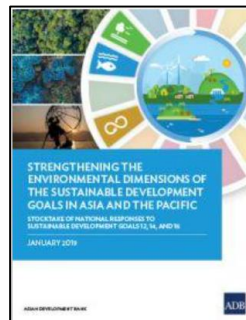
Follow-up and review

Voluntary National Reviews (VNRs) in Asia and the Pacific



Environmental dimensions of SDGs in Asia and the Pacific

Examined national responses to SDG 12, 14, and 15

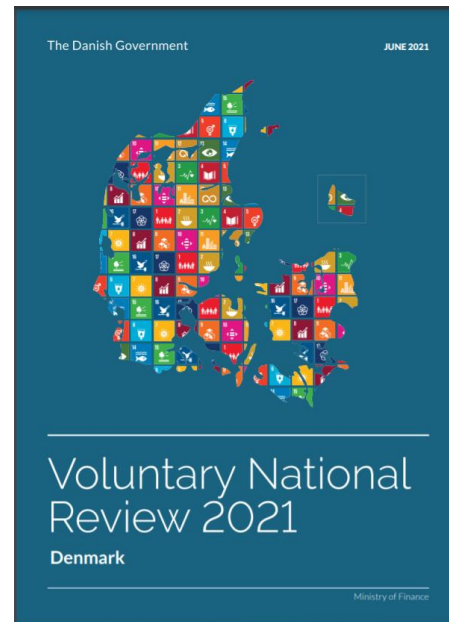


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Focus:

- Integrated approaches to SDGs
- Stakeholder engagement
- Indicator development for follow-up and review

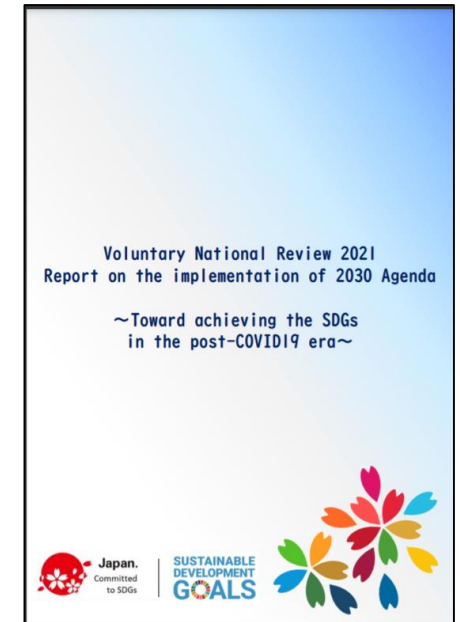
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Indonesia

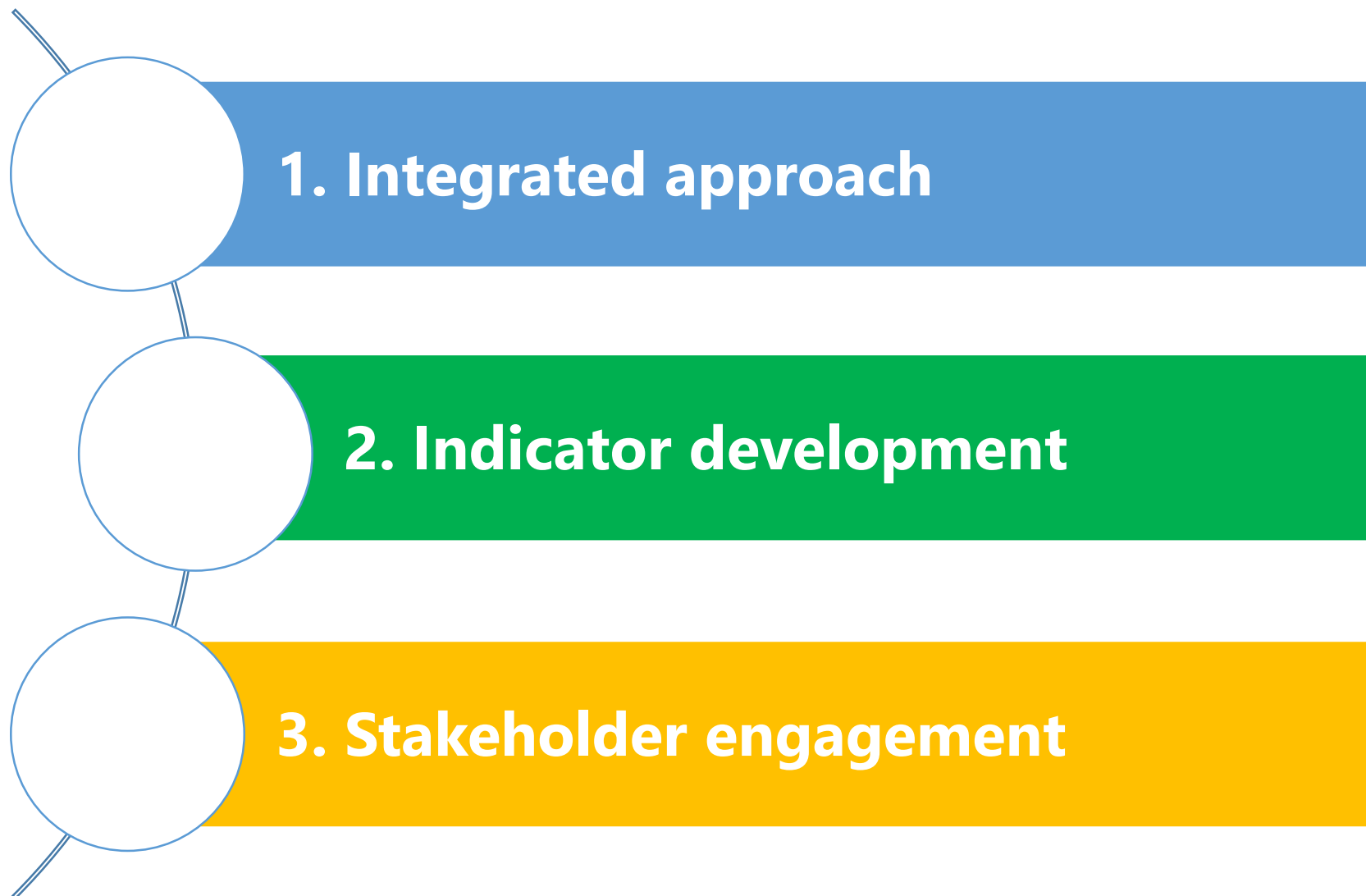


Japan



- Presented their 2nd Voluntary National Review (VNR) this year
- Unique practices from different geographic areas

What are the keys to good practice and/or challenges on



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Thank you very much for your attention.

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