

# ZAMISLI2030

**Sustainable Development Goals in Bosnia and Herzegovina**  
**23rd Session of the Committee on Environmental Policy, Geneva**  
**17 November 2017**

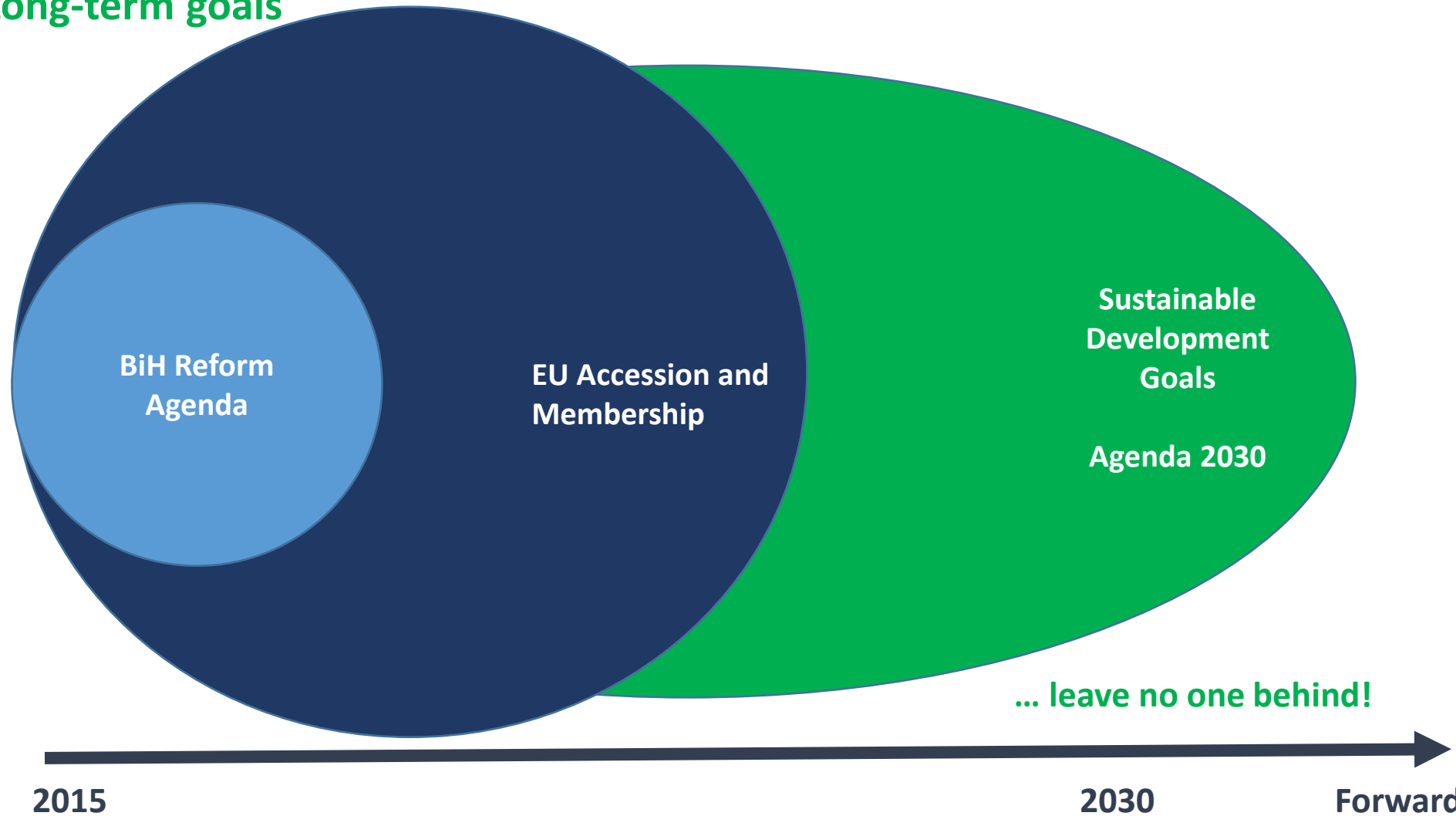
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# Importance of SDGs/Agenda 2030 in BiH

Global agenda - relevant for **all countries** of the world

**BiH** is a signatory

**Strategic/Long-term goals**



# ZAMISLI2030

Zamisli2030 (Imagine2030) is an umbrella initiative for the advocacy, promotion and citizen engagement with SDGs initiated in October 2016

- Over 50 workshops were held to date engaging over 900 citizens from all walks of life across the country
- Dedicated SDG engagement and consultation tool was developed for the citizen engagement
- Dedicated website is created [www.zamisli2030.ba](http://www.zamisli2030.ba) and facebook page #zamisli2030
- Competition 'Postcards from the future' was held which gathered over 300 visions for the future with awards ceremony organized in March 2016
- High level SDG conference was organized in April 2016 with initial views from citizens collected via workshops/tool on the future they want presented to the audience
- Technical work/support to institutions initiated



**UN in BiH – SDG workshop statements**

<https://youtu.be/evTd4tiZJUY>

**UN in BiH – SDG consultation tool**

<https://youtu.be/2zq891WnQ2c>



# SDG Consultation Tool

## Prioritising SDG targets for each SDG



# Top 3 targets for each SDG by citizens...



## SDG 13

Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts



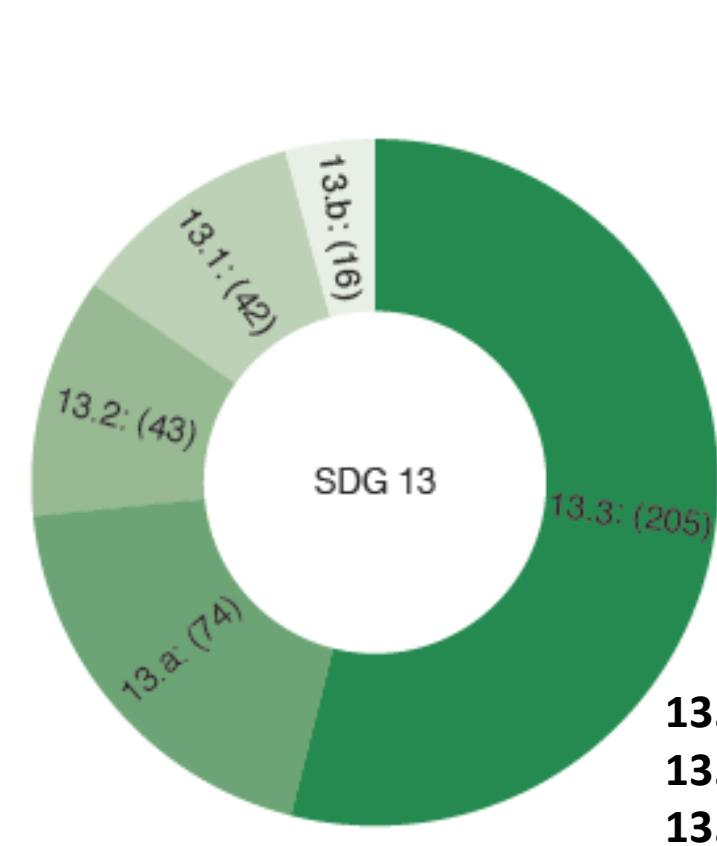
## SDG 14

Conserve and sustainably use the oceans, seas and marine resources for sustainable development

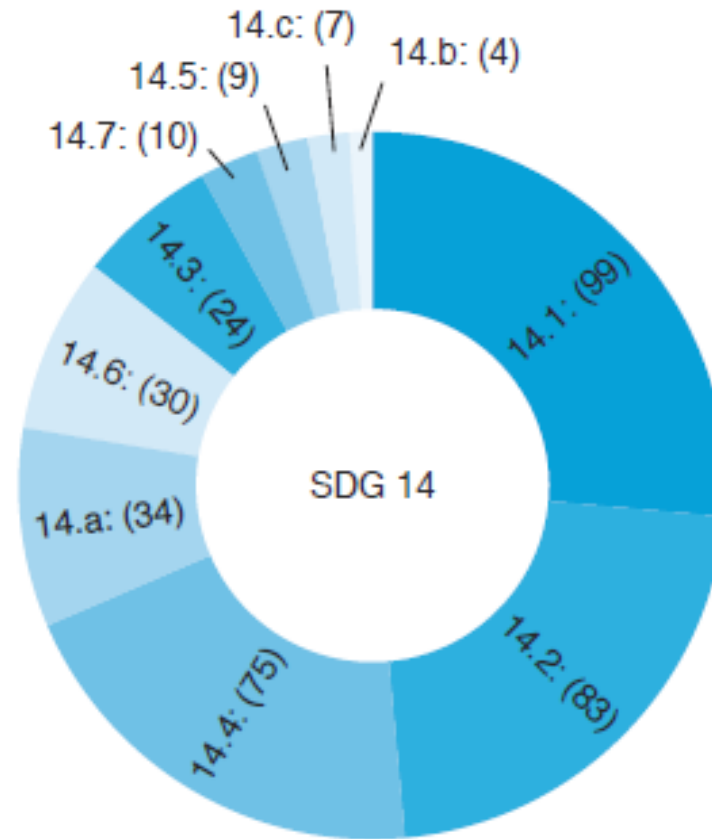


## SDG 15

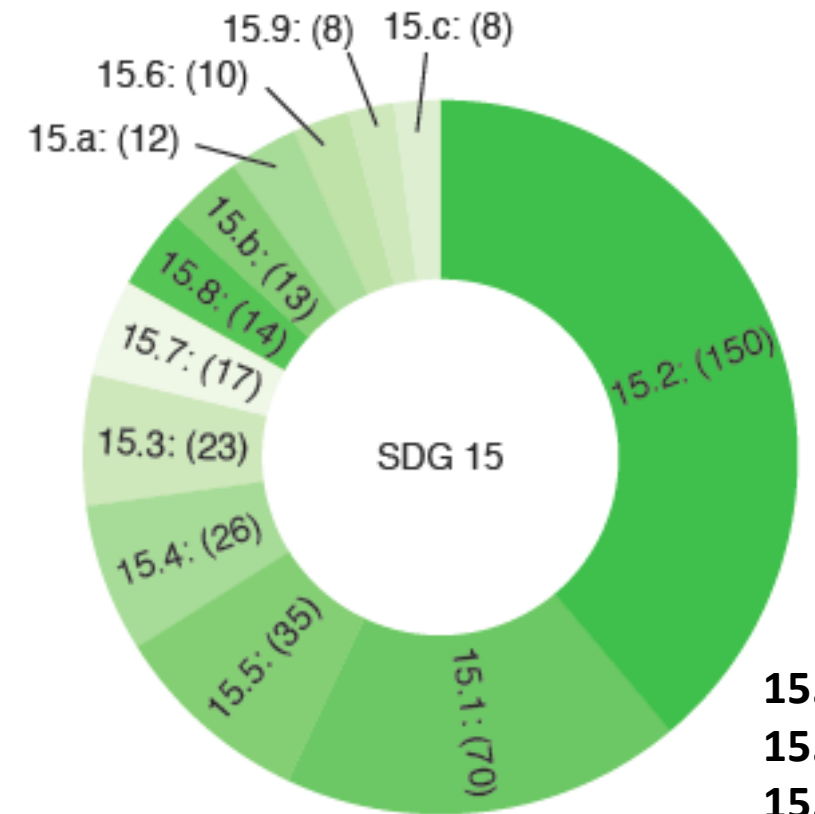
Protect, restore and promote sustainable use of terrestrial ecosystems, sustainably manage forests, combat desertification, and halt and reverse land degradation and halt biodiversity loss



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**14.4**



**15.2**  
**15.1**  
**15.5**

**13.3** Improve education, awareness-raising and human and institutional capacity on climate change mitigation, adaptation, impact reduction and early warning

**Target with most votes / tokens!**





Developing solutions around specific SDG/Targets adjusted to local context

Very versatile tool with multiple uses (problem solving, team work, project development)

# How often participants selected a goal as a starting card



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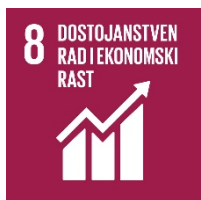
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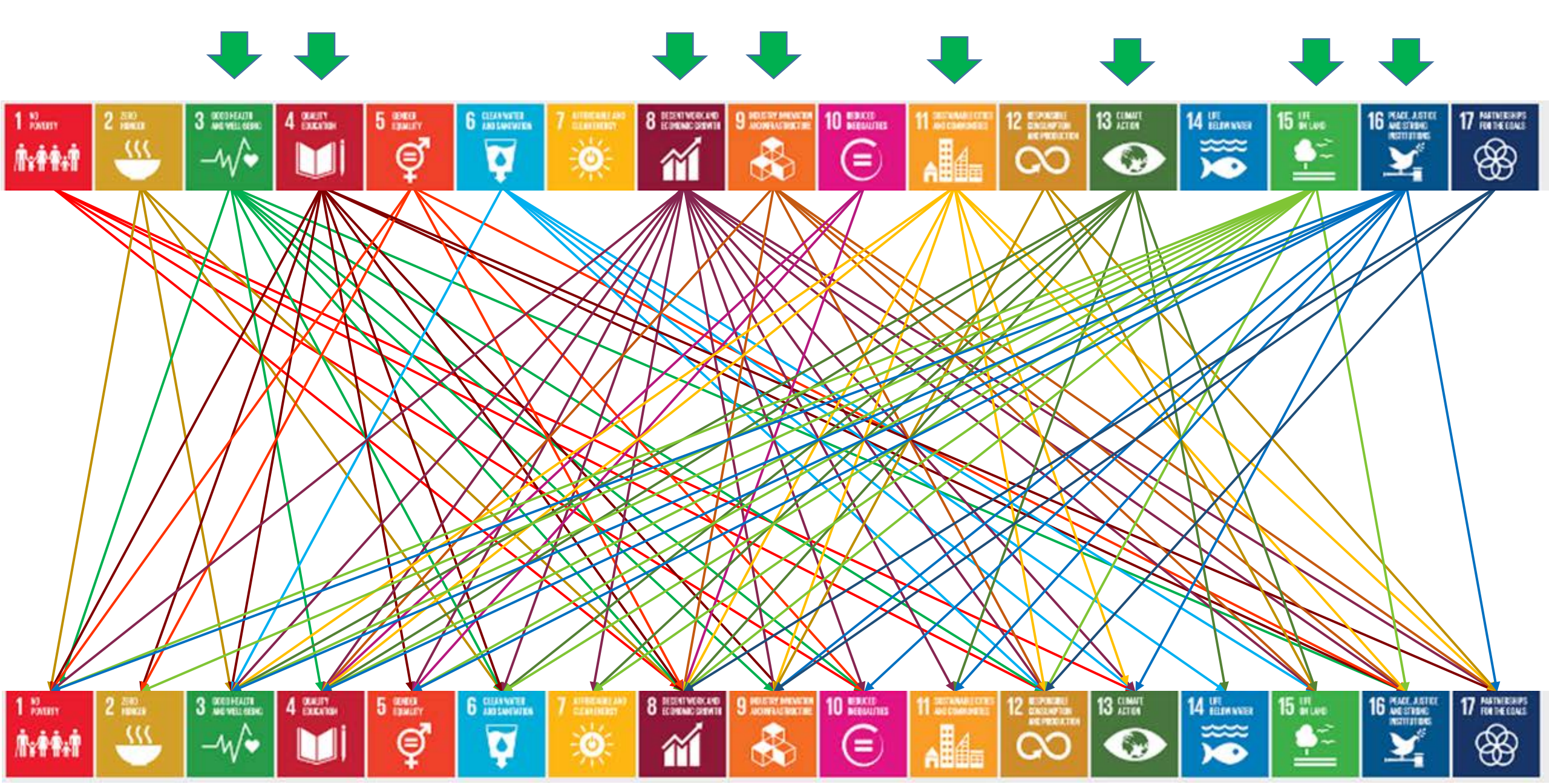
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**CATALYSTS OF CHANGE?**

# CHALLENGES

under 25



25-65



# OPPORTUNITIES

under 25

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CENTRAL AND **BURNING** SOCIAL ISSUES RECOGNIZED BY PARTICIPANTS

**EMIGRATION**

**ALIENATION** (FROM EACH OTHER, NATURE, COMMUNITY)



## **Fundamental social values and rule of law**

Citizens want:

- Just, prosperous, stable, safe, multi-ethnic and tolerant society, with equality for all and openness to others and the different.
- A society that cherishes the following values: balance, moderation, responsibility, trust, peace, justice, equality, inclusiveness, gender equality, solidarity, freedom.
- A society ruled by law, free of corruption and nepotism. Equal access to justice, fair judiciary and transparency in the public sector and in employment.
- Offering equal opportunities for education, employment and personal fulfillment, reduction of political influence on social processes, equality of women and men, ensuring equal pay for equal work and to have more women in leadership positions in the social/political/economic life.

## **Infrastructure for 21<sup>st</sup> century**

Citizens want:

- Developed infrastructure for social and sustainable development, construction of new and expansion of existing housing and cultural, sports and recreational facilities.
- Construction of new roads and improvements to existing roads.
- Cities with repaired and clean streets, water running 24 hours a day, electricity bills without VAT, so gas, wood or coal would hardly ever be used, the non-commercial side of Mt. Bjelasnica should be covered in wind power plants.



## **Economic prosperity**

Citizens want:

- Economic prosperity in a country that is socio-economically stable, open for cooperation and investment.
- Investments in technology, innovations, production, restarting industries, development of new sectors (IT, tourism, green economy, “care sector”)
- Investments in entrepreneurship of women and young people in general, which constitutes a key requirement for stemming emigration, ensuring existence and better future, i.e. for sustainable development of BiH
- Strengthening of the economy and economic development through advantages offered by agriculture, primarily by environmentally clean agricultural production.
- Ensuring full employment, with a particular focus on young people and on employment of women.

## **Protection of environment and climate action**

Citizens want:

- Clean water and protection of water and forest resources. Preservation of biodiversity.
- Investment in clean and renewable energy sources.
- Reduction of use of fossil fuels. Electric cars and charging stations
- Trash sorting and recycling and reuse of secondary raw materials as primary ones.
- A country with high environmental standards and citizens who actively participate in protection of environment and have a responsible attitude to nature.
- Sustainable management of natural resources. Adequate regulation in place and enforced, with the goal to protect land, water and air.
- Environmental awareness of adults built on early education of children about environment.

## **Education and health care for 21<sup>st</sup> century**

Citizens want:

- Educated population with open minds and hearts.
- Depolitisation of education.
- Free, quality, inclusive education aligned to world trends. Investments in well-trained and adequately paid teachers.
- Total overhaul or comprehensive adaptation of the educational system for existing and future generations, from content to teaching methods and application of new technologies.
- Obligatory education through the end of secondary school. Formal and informal education, opportunities for lifelong learning.
- Development of practical skills, development of work ethics and critical thinking in young people.
- Universal health care. Modern and strong health care system offering everyone quality treatments and care.
- Healthy and happy citizens and promotion of healthy life styles.

## **Healthy society, quality life and strong communities**

Citizens want:

- Their future in their country, where the quality of life of all is subject of discussion and attention, where there is genuine attention to the population needs. Developed local communities attending to the quality of life of their residents and of every individual.
- Better living conditions. Reduction/eradication of poverty. Progress for every generation. A more advanced society in every sense, unencumbered by politics, nationalism and divisions.
- Strengthening of family as the pillar of a healthy society.
- A society that offers new opportunities, new value systems, which values knowledge and skills, offers a chance of advancement, efficiently uses its resources and offers prospects for development and fulfillment of individual potential of every inhabitant, and that can retain its trained, educated and creative people.

# High level SDG conference 4. April 2017.



- Alati, procesi, data
- Koordinacija i upravni aranžmani



4. konferencija Platforme dijaloga o implementaciji  
ciljeva održivog razvoja u Bosni i Hercegovini  
4<sup>th</sup> Dialogue Platform Conference on Sustainable Development Goals  
Implementation in Bosnia and Herzegovina  
3. april 2017, godine, Parlamentarna skupština BiH, Sarajevo

CILJEVI  
ODRŽIVOG  
RAZVOJA



# Key speakers and panelists

H.E. Ambassador Michael Gerber, Swiss Special Envoy for Global Sustainable Development

H.E. Ambassador Lars Gunnar Wigemark, Head of EU Delegation to BiH and EU Special Representative in BiH

H.E. Christiane Constanze Hohmann, Ambassador of the Federal Republic of Germany in BiH

Ms. Jelena Knezević, Ministry of Sustainable Development and Tourism in Montenegro

Mr. Igor Radojičić, Mayor of Banja Luka

Mr. Amer Kapetanović, Assistant Minister for Bilateral Relations and Economic Diplomacy, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of BiH

Mr. Zoran Zeljko, Director, BiH Directorate for Economic Planning

Mr. Velimir Jukić, Director, Agency for Statistics of BiH

Prof. Dr. Elvir Čizmić, Vice Dean for Research, Doctoral Studies and Projects, University of Sarajevo, School of Economics and Business Sarajevo

Mr. Edin Mehić, Co-Founder of Networks

# Institutional set-up

## Technical level

- BiH Directorate for Economic Planning appointed by the BiH Council of Ministers to spearhead SDG process in BiH in late March 2017
- RS Ministry of Economic Relations and Regional Cooperation nominated by the RS Government to lead the SDGs in RS in September 2017
- FBiH Planning Institute most likely partner in FBiH – official nomination pending

Advisory level / SDG Advisory body – in process of agreement (envisaged to include institutions, academia, NGO, private sector)

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**Localisation of the SDGs** – Bijeljina Municipality a pioneer in aligning municipal strategic plan with the SDGs

Strong support from the EU Delegation for SDGs secured as well as from two key donors, Switzerland and Sweden – intention is to reduce burden to institutions by bringing together SDG and EU accession requirements

# **Technical support to BiH institutions by the UN in BiH**

## All existing strategies and action plans at BiH, entities and cantonal level are mapped against SDGs and targets, international conventions, BiH reform agenda and EU Acquis chapters and are available in LOC and ENG

### Strategije/planovi mapirani prema Ciljevima održivog razvoja

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<http://zamisli2030.ba/en/dms/>.

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ANALITIKA

Nivo vlasti	BiH	Entitet / <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Kantoni (s <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	EU poglavlja o pregovorima / Akvizicija i BiH agenda o reformi	UN konvencije i druge međunarodne obaveze	Svjetska banka	Partneri <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>
Cilj/podcilj <input type="checkbox"/>							
<b>1 SVIJET BEZ SIROMASTVA</b>	Nacionalni ekonomski program reforme 2015	Strategija razvoja Brčko Disktrikta BiH	Strategija razvoja ključni strateško-	Evropska politika susjedstva i pregovora	Međunarodna organizacija rada	Svjetska banka - partnerstvo Bosne i	UN



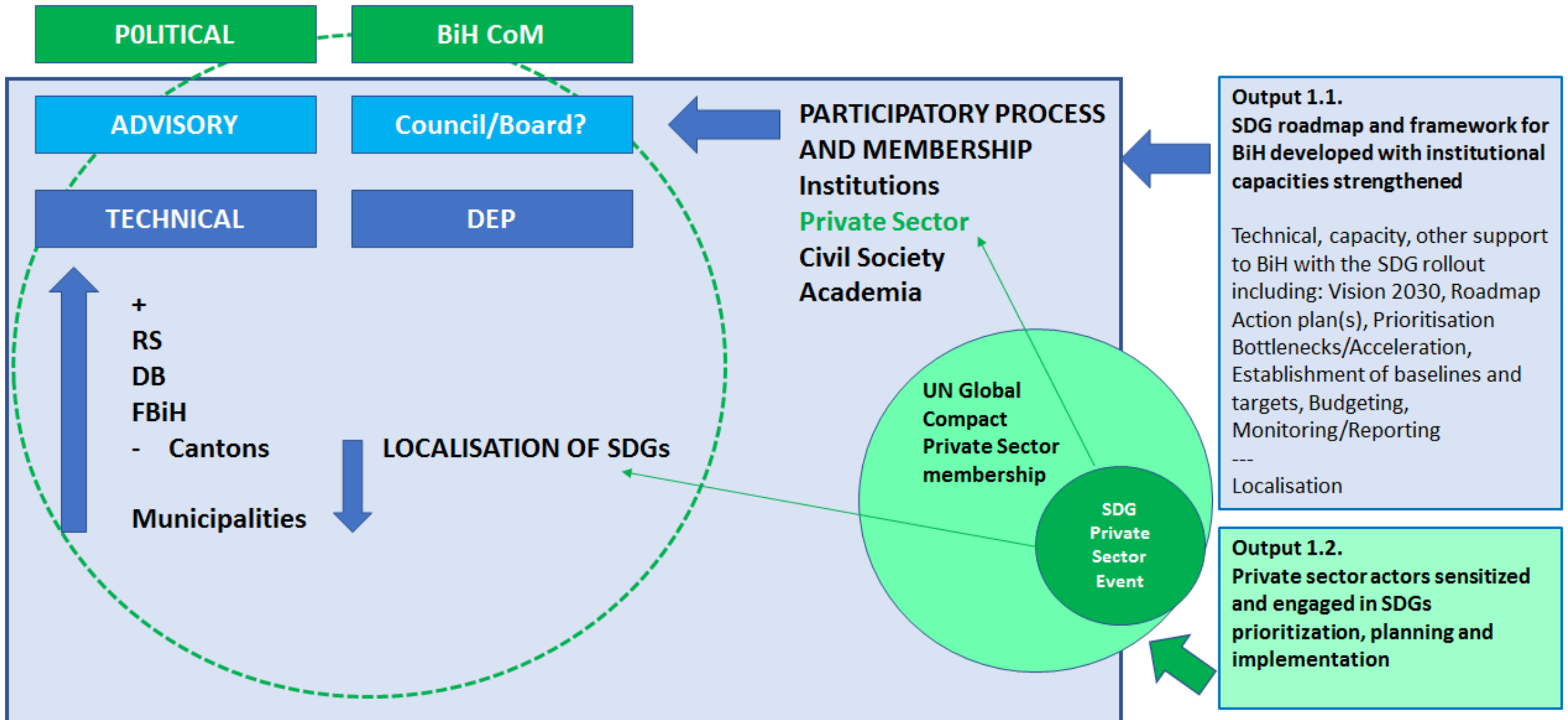
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# Initial linking of EU Acquis chapters and the SDGs

# 2 year project SDG roll-out support and engagement of the private sector with SDGs is initiated

**Outcome: Private and public sector partners prepared for implementation of SDGs in BiH**

SDG 'organizational' structure



# Some of the tools that will be offered to BiH institutions through the SDG project support and UN MAPS (Mainstreaming, Acceleration and Policy Support) approach



## Available SDG tools and guidelines



### MAINSTREAMING

Landing the SDG agenda at the national and local levels: integration into national and sub-national plans for development; and into budget allocations



### ACCELERATION

Focus on priority areas defined by respective countries  
Synergies between SDGs  
Cross-sectoral approaches and interlinkages



### POLICY SUPPORT

Expertise to offer public policy options

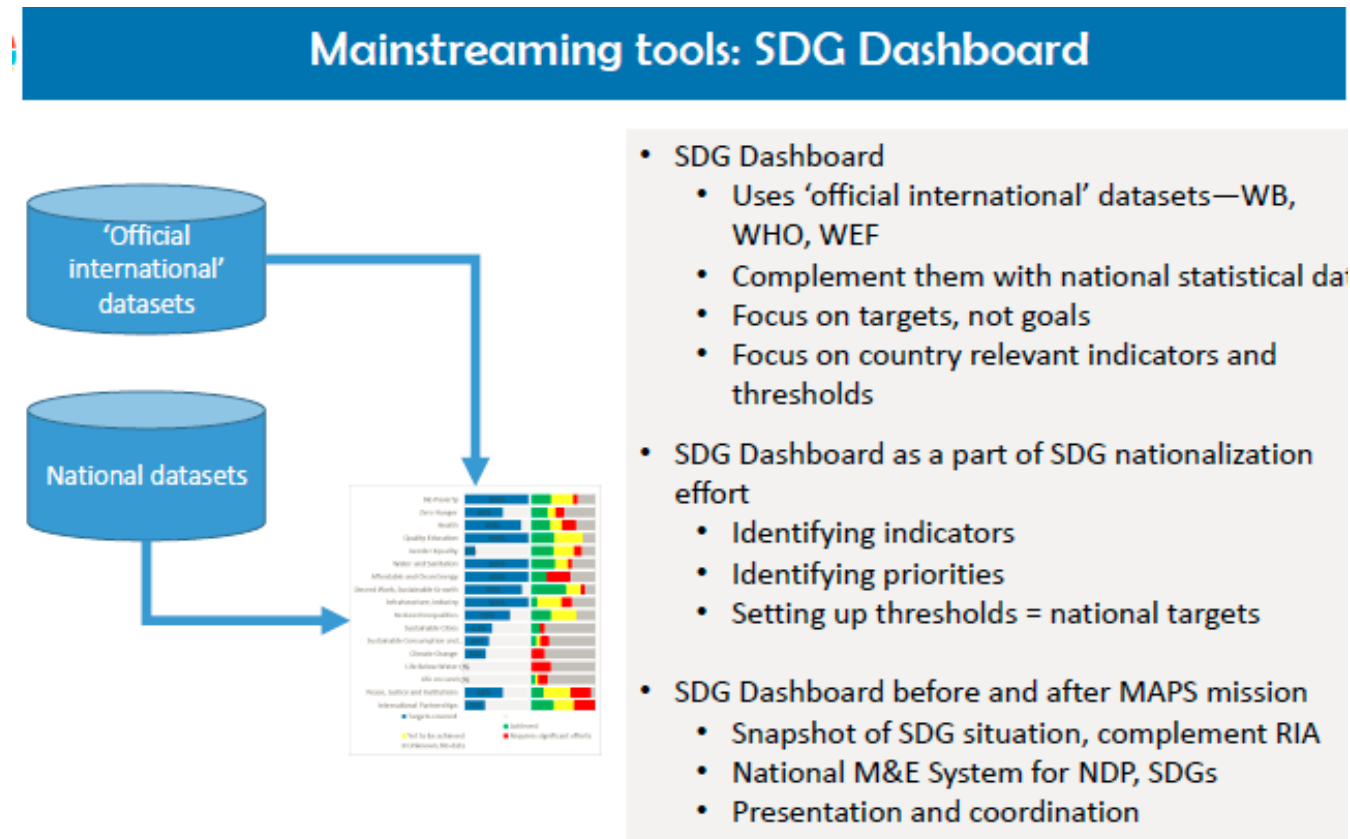
- Rapid Integration Assessment (RIA)
  - Guidance for Private Sector engagement for MAPS
  - SDG Dashboard
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- SDG modeling, (econometric modeling and simulations, International Futures)
  - SDG bottle-neck analysis
  - Multidimensional Poverty Risk Analysis
  - COMBOS (SDG goals interaction, an SDG cluster approach)
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- A Parliamentary Handbook for SDG implementation
  - Roadmap for localizing SDGs
  - Guidelines to support country reporting on SDGs
  - Guidance note on risk-informed development for MAPS mis:
  - Guidance note: Data for SDGs



In process

# Next steps

- Capacity support to planning institutions in BiH
- RIA (Rapid Integrated Assessment) training conducted with BiH, RS and FBiH planning and statistical institutions, actual RIA work assessing at the indicator level at least 60 strategies at different levels planned for the next quarter
- Institutional partners to be supported to develop SDG Roadmap for BiH
- Establish Advisory body
- Support institutions in promotion and advocacy with BiH institutions including parliaments
- Conduct of SDG Dashboard exercise



**Identifying data and policy gaps, preparing baselines for scenario building, prioritization, action planning and financing the SDGs in BiH**

# Gearing BiH to report in 2019 on the SDGs at the High Level Forum

The screenshot shows a web browser window displaying the Sustainable Development Knowledge Platform website. The browser's address bar shows the URL <https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/hlpf>. The website header includes the United Nations logo and the text "SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT KNOWLEDGE PLATFORM". Below the header is a navigation menu with options: HOME, HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM, STATES, SDGS, TOPICS, UN SYSTEM, STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT, PARTNERSHIPS, RESOURCES, and ABOUT. The main content area features a large circular logo composed of 17 colored segments, representing the Sustainable Development Goals, next to the title "HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT". Below the title is the subtitle "UNITED NATIONS CENTRAL PLATFORM FOR FOLLOW-UP AND REVIEW OF THE 2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT AND THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS". The page is divided into three main columns. The left column is titled "HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM 2017" and contains text about the meeting dates (10-19 July 2017) and the theme "Eradicating poverty and promoting prosperity in a changing world". It also lists three goals: Goal 1 (End poverty), Goal 2 (End hunger), and Goal 3 (Ensure healthy lives). The middle column is titled "LATEST" and lists several resolutions and reports, including A/RES/70/299, E/HLPF/2016/8, E/HLS/2016/1, and E/2016/75. The right column features a photo of a meeting and a tweet from Alberto Natta (@AlbertoNatta) dated 19 July 2016, mentioning the UN chief's report on tracking Sustainable Development Goals.

https://sustainabledevelopment.un.org/hlpf High-level Political Forum ... X

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 **HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT**

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**HIGH-LEVEL POLITICAL FORUM 2017**

The meeting of the high-level political forum on sustainable development in 2017 convened under the auspices of the Economic and Social Council, will be held from Monday, 10 July, to Wednesday, 19 July 2017; including the three-day ministerial meeting of the forum from Monday, 17 July, to Wednesday, 19 July 2017.

The theme will be "*Eradicating poverty and promoting prosperity in a changing world*". The set of goals to be reviewed in depth will be the following, including Goal 17. Strengthen the means of implementation and revitalize the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development, that will be considered each year:

- **Goal 1.** End poverty in all its forms everywhere
- **Goal 2.** End hunger, achieve food security and improved nutrition and promote sustainable agriculture
- **Goal 3.** Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages

**10 - 19 JULY 2017**  
**NEW YORK**

Theme: *Eradicating poverty and promoting prosperity in a changing world*

**LATEST**

- A/RES/70/299 - Follow-up and review of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development at the global level
- E/HLPF/2016/8 - Report of HLPF at its 2016 session
- E/HLS/2016/1 - Ministerial declaration of the 2016 HLPF
- E/2016/75 - Progress towards the Sustainable Development Goals
- President's summary of the High-Level

**[19 July 2016] UN chief launches first report to track Sustainable Development Goals**

**#HLPF**

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#Morocco and #Egypt sharing their experience on National Voluntary Review on #SDGs progress. #data4development #HLPF

# Key challenges

Challenges are many, but these would be the top three...

Development, and sustainable development in particular not in focus  
– no development strategy since 2007

Political discourse is dominating all spheres of public life for the past two decades

No strong culture of strategic planning or evidence based planning

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Thank you for your attention!



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