

2019 SDG

STATISTICAL INFORMATION FOR 2030 AGENDA IN ITALY

The 2030 Agenda for sustainable development adopted from the UN-Assembly General (*UN Resolution A/RES/70/1, New York*) is built on 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) with the aim to end poverty, protect the planet and ensure prosperity for all.

The Goals of the 2030 Agenda refer to different areas of social, economic and environmental development, which need to be considered in an integrated approach, as well as the processes that may accompany and foster them in a sustainable way, that safeguards the planet and guarantees the well-being of people and an equitable distribution of development over time.

The 17 goals are articulated in 169 targets and the *United Nations Inter Agency Expert Group on SDGs* (UN-IAEG-SDGs) proposed a first list of 244 indicators (232 are different) for their monitoring, which represent the general framework.

Istat, like other national statistical institutes, has the task of constructing the statistical information necessary for monitoring the 2030 Agenda for our Country and contributing to the realization of this global project. Therefore, starting from December 2016, Istat began to make the indicators available for Italy on a six-monthly basis on the information platform dedicated to SDGs, accessible from www.istat.it (<https://www.istat.it/it/benessere-e-sostenibilit%C3%A0/obiettivi-di-sviluppo-sostenibile/gli-indicatori-istat>).

This year, along with the new annual release, the second **SDGs Report 2019**, Statistical information for the 2030 Agenda in Italy (https://www.istat.it/it/files//2019/04/SDGs_2019.pdf), has been published in April 2019 and the English version (https://www.istat.it/it/files//2019/08/SDGs-2019_inglese.pdf) in August 2019. The Reports proposed a further extension of the panorama of indicators.

In application of the "no one left behind" principle, particular attention was paid to expanding possible breakdowns by gender, citizenship, presence of limitations (disability) and territorial level.

In this last **seventh release Istat** produces an updated set of **123 UN-IAEG-SDGs indicators** and, for these, **319 statistical measures**, all available on the website. **125 measure were updated.**

This is a work in continuous evolution, which develop the intrinsic complexity of sustainable development and which takes into account the improvements in the production of statistical measures within the National Statistical System (Sistan) and thanks to synergistic action developed in it, working for a progressive extension of the "mapping" of the indicators proposed by UN-IAEG-SDGs.