

THE SDGs GEOSPATIAL ROADMAP
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### **Statistical Commission Decision 51/101**

(i) "Encouraged to continue working on a better integration of geospatial and statistical information to better monitor the 2030 Agenda through the working group on geospatial information".

### The perspective of the IAEG-SDG's

The SDG Geospatial Roadmap is a document that can "build the bridge" between statistical and geospatial agents working on the SDGs. The Roadmap aims to realize the untapped transformational potential that geospatial information can bring to the SDGs and complement existing work on the global indicator framework."

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## THE SDGs GEOSPATIAL ROADMAP IT'S VISION AND PURPOSE

### **Vision:**

"To see geospatial and location-based information being recognized and accepted as official data for the SDGs and their global indicators"

### Purpose:

The SDGs Geospatial Roadmap is a living resource that helps communicate, guide and enhance the awareness of geospatial information, Earth Observations, and related data sources, tools and methods, to inform and support the implementation, measurement and monitoring of the SDGs, according to national circumstances.

### How:

The Roadmap outlines how to 'build the bridge' between the statistical and geospatial actors working within the global indicator framework, through three phases:

- 1. Prepare and Plan
- 2. Design, Development and Testing
- 3. Measuring, monitoring and reporting geospatially enabled SDG indicators

For both Users (i.e., Countries) and Providers (i.e., Regional Commissions, SDG Custodian Agencies and other Experts) of the SDGs and their global indicators



### THE SDGs GEOSPATIAL ROADMAP SUBMITTED FOR ADOPTION



Following extensive development by the WGGI the SDGs Geospatial Roadmap is submitted to the Commission for adoption by the IAEG-SDGs

The Roadmap was adopted by the IAEG-SDGs at its 12th meeting in November 2021

The Roadmap is presented to the Commission in English, French and Spanish. Offers/resources to support its translation are greatly appreciated

The Roadmap is also provided in an interactive "Storymap", to support its communication and to interactively 'tell the story' of how countries are using geospatial information for the SDGs

# THANK YOU!

