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Bridging the Urban-Rural Divide

How to integrate spaces, sectors and actors for sustainable development

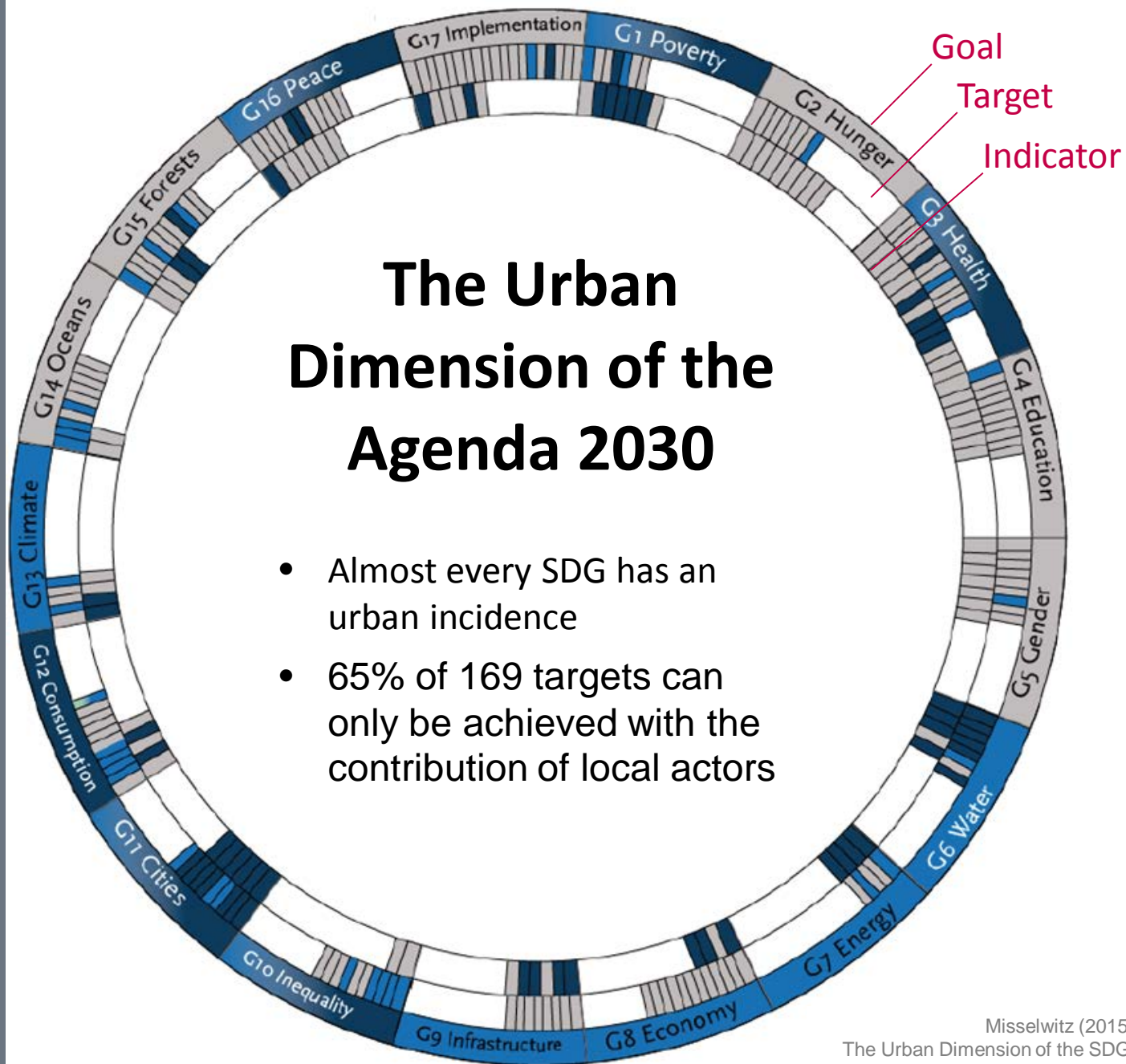


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The Urban Dimension of the Agenda 2030

- Almost every SDG has an urban incidence
- 65% of 169 targets can only be achieved with the contribution of local actors



Relevance of integrated rural-urban development



Cities...

...are home to **54% of the world's population** (by 2050 more than 2/3 of humanity will live in an urban setting);

...are responsible for **over 75 per cent of energy consumption** and energy-related greenhouse gas emissions;

...are home to **almost 900 million people living in informal settlements**;

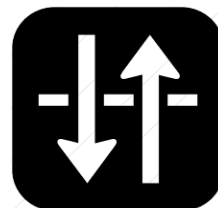
...provide **markets and infrastructure**, as well as a range of **services for human development** such as health services and education facilities;

...rely on **rural areas** for food, water and environmental services.

Policy fields to strengthen Urban-Rural Linkages



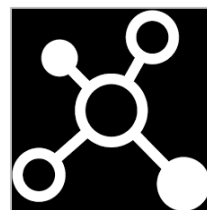
Clear mandates,
adequate resources



Cross-sectoral
approaches



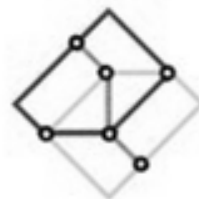
Cooperative
governance
mechanisms



Integrated strategies
for functional
territories



City Region Food
Systems



Inclusive and
sustainable mobility

Example for action:



Transformative
Urban Mobility
INITIATIVE

Supporting the transition towards sustainable urban mobility
in developing countries and emerging economies



- 1. Investment:** mobilize 1 billion USD p.a. to build and modernize urban mobility infrastructure
- 2. Capacity Building:** enable 1.000+ change-makers to implement modern mobility concepts
- 3. Innovation:** support innovative pilot activities in cities worldwide



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