

Global Partnership for Sustainable Development Data

Better Data. Better Decisions. Better Lives.

At the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development Data, we believe in using the power of data to change minds, policies, and lives for the better. We exist to ensure that data can be put to good use to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals.

We work to make sure that data is accurate, relevant, and representative. And then we create the conditions, systems, and frameworks that unleash the power of data. We champion the use of data in decision-making and share our knowledge so that everyone can benefit from it.

We operate as a network of over 650 private sector, academic and civil society organizations and the governments of more than 30 countries, all committed to increasing access to and use of data to drive decision-making in support of the Sustainable Development Goals. Housed at the United Nations Foundation, our footprint is global, but we focus on where the need and political will is greatest.

We mobilize our network at global, national, and grassroots levels to address three problems:

- how to harness up to date data to ensure decisions are informed by current and changing contexts
- how to safely include and represent all people in data and the data value chain
- how to govern data in an accountable way.

Together we address these problems through:

- creating partnerships to find the best solutions
- strengthening capacities and sharing learnings
- mobilizing politically to create sustained change.