Missing Links: Elements from the 2030 Agenda not yet included in the EGD

The final breakout group discussed the topic of missing links in the EGD. It was moderated by Simon Callewaert from the Federal Institute for Sustainable Development in Belgium. The breakout group concluded that a holistic approach within the EGD is crucial and it needs to rhyme with the concept of sustainable development. A sustainable and social deal without lowering environmental ambitions would be perfect. Secondly, the group discussed the involvement of businesses. The EGD will require massive investments that will open up new business sectors. It is therefore crucial to ensure good business conditions to avoid the creation of new problems. Finally, the breakout group agreed that the EGD needs broad support to create a European sustainability culture, as was proposed by the participants of the Youth Camp. This includes finding new alliances and working together.