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Questions

• How to link SDGs monitoring and reviewing to NSDS processes?
• Which is the impact of SDGs on NSDS processes?
• Future developments and needs: How will NSDS processes change or develop after the SDGs?
Principles for the alignment of the NSDS on SDGs

- **Implementation**: The new goal and target framework needs to be integrated into the national and international strategies, programmes and policies of Switzerland

- **Coordination**: For the implementation of the SDGs, we need a common roof for the processes which have been separated so far, and especially a good coordination between national and international processes
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The long-term view

- The vision defines the long-term perspective
- The goals define priorities for the next generation
- The actions define the priorities for the next legislative period
Objectives of the NSDS 2016-2019

• Avoid having different tracks for SDGs and the national policy for SD
• Define clear goals/targets for SD in Switzerland
• Make a contribution to achieve the SDGs on the global level
• Make sure the NSDS is as much as possible aligned with the future SDG system (monitoring and reviewing)
• Improve the measurement of SD through indicators
• Focus of the action plan on goals/targets for which the need for action is high
• Create an aid to orientation for other actors
• Integrate SDGs as far as possible already now, but a transition phase will be necessary
Implementation of the SDGs through the NSDS

Kurzfristig – bis Ende 2015

International
- Verabschiedung der Post-2015 Agenda

Erarbeitung und Verabschiedung der SNE 2016-19

Transitionsphase – 2016/17

Aufbau von Monitoring- und Reporting

Verankerung der SDGs in den Politiken der Schweiz

Langfristig – ab 2018

National
- Regelmässiger Review Zyklus

Erarbeitung der SNE 2020-24 und SDG Report

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Monitoring & Reviewing: Policy Cycle

SDG Targets / internat. indic. 

SDG Targets / national indic. 

Measuring SD with indicators

System change / outcome

Establish need for action

Implement action plan

NSDS: define need for action and action plan

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How to link SDGs monitoring and reviewing with the NSDS?

• Switzerland is in favour of a strong monitoring and reviewing mechanism on a national level
• National SD indicator system MONET is being adapted right now. The same system will be extended to measure the SDG indicators for Switzerland (MONET+)
• Only one review process every four years, with a report to the UN regarding the SDGs and a report to the national government
• Monitoring and Reviewing reports show the progress and the need for further political action
• The NSDS will give the answers to the obtained results
Further information

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