



THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA

TANZANIA'S 2026 VOLUNTARY NATIONAL REVIEW

Presentation on the Implementation of the 2030 Agenda
for Sustainable Development

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*“Accelerating sustainable development through evidence-based policies,
strategic investments and partnerships to achieve
the Sustainable Development Goals
and realize Tanzania Development Vision 2050.”*





OVERVIEW OF TANZANIA'S 2026 VNR



Accelerating SDG Implementation Towards 2030



PURPOSE OF TANZANIA'S 2026 VNR

Tanzania's Third Voluntary National Review assesses progress in implementing the 2030 Agenda, identifies remaining challenges, and presents priority actions to accelerate achievement of the Sustainable Development Goals during the remaining four years to 2030.



NO ONE IS LEFT BEHIND

The Review demonstrates how Tanzania is translating the SDGs into national policies, investments and measurable development outcomes.



PRESENTATION FOCUS

Structured around the 2026 High-Level Political Forum (HLPF) thematic review, highlighting progress under:



CLEAN
WATER
AND
SANITATION



AFFORDABLE
AND
CLEAN
ENERGY



INDUSTRY,
INNOVATION
AND
INFRASTRUCTURE



SUSTAINABLE
CITIES
AND
COMMUNICATION



PARTNERSHIPS
FOR
THE GOALS

ALIGNMENT WITH TANZANIA'S NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AGENDA



DEVELOPMENT VISION 2050 (DIRA 2050)

Provides the country's long-term vision for inclusive, competitive and sustainable development



FOURTH FIVE-YEAR DEVELOPMENT PLAN (FYDP IV)

Commenced on 1 July 2026; principal medium-term framework for accelerating SDG implementation during the final phase towards 2030



SDG INTEGRATION

Integrates SDG priorities into national planning, public investment and domestic resource mobilization.



2030 AGENDA FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

Delivering the Sustainable Development Goals and leaving no one behind.



STRATEGIC MESSAGE

“The 2026 VNR marks a transition from reporting progress to accelerating implementation. Through Dira 2050 and FYDP IV, Tanzania has positioned the remaining four years to 2030 as a decisive period for delivering inclusive economic transformation, strengthening resilience, and achieving the Sustainable Development Goals.”

HLPF 2026 FOCUS GOALS

SDGs 6, 7 & 9

Delivering Infrastructure and Basic Services for Transformation



SDG 6

CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION

Rural access to safe water

72.3% 2020 → 85.3% 2025

Regional towns with piped water

72.0% 2015 → 92.5% 2025



Expansion of rural & urban water supply schemes



Investment in climate-resilient water infrastructure





SDG 7

AFFORDABLE AND CLEAN ENERGY

Electricity access

78.4% 2020 → 86.2% 2025

Installed generation capacity

2,100 MW 2015 → 4,504.9 MW 2025



Expansion of transmission and distribution networks



Increased contribution from renewable energy





SDG 9

INDUSTRY, INNOVATION AND INFRASTRUCTURE

Internet users

48% 2020 → 85% 2025

Railway passengers

1.2M 2020 → 4.14M 2025

Air passengers

2.77M 2020 → 8.11M 2025

Maritime freight

17.1M tones 2020 → 29.1M tones 2024



HLPF 2026 FOCUS GOALS

SDGs 11 & 17

Building Resilient Cities and Strong Partnerships



SDG 11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES

PUBLIC TRANSPORT ACCESS



Women

43.2%
2020



53.5%
2025



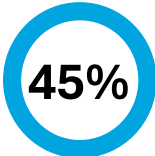
Men

47.5%
2020

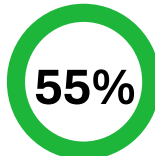


56.2%
2025

SOLID WASTE COLLECTION COVERAGE IN DAR ES SALAAM



2020



2025

CONTINUED INVESTMENTS IN:



Urban
planning



Resilient
transport
systems



Disaster
risk
management



MESSAGE:

Future priorities include affordable housing, integrated urban planning and climate-resilient infrastructure



SDG 17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS

STRONG PARTNERSHIPS DRIVING SDG PROGRESS



824+

Civil Society
Organizations
(CSOs) engaged



1,000+

Private Sector
Organizations
engaged



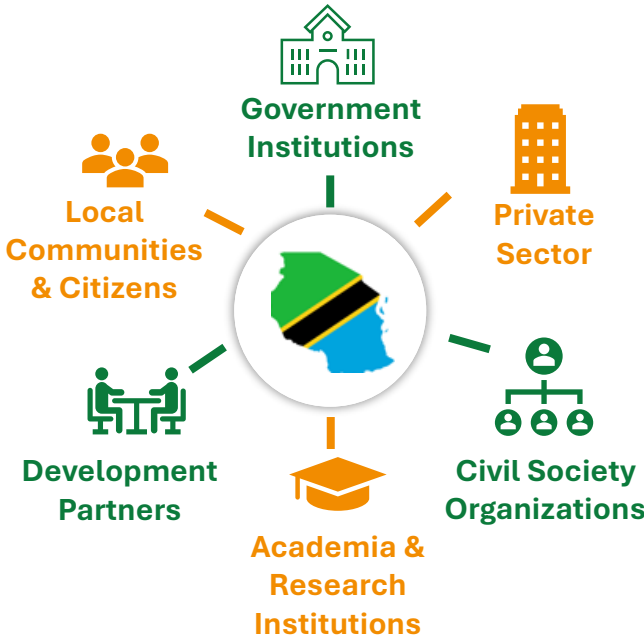
95.7%

New projects
aligned with
national plans and
SDGs



58.3% → 78.0%
(2020/21) (2025/26)

Budget self-
reliance



PROGRESS ACROSS THE REMAINING SDGs

Broad-based improvements supporting Sustainable Development

Selected achievements (2020–2025)

No Poverty

National basic needs poverty rate

26.4% → 24.9%

2020 2025

▼ 1.5 pp

Zero Hunger

Prevalence of undernourishment

23.0% → 16.1%

2020 2024

▼ 6.9 pp

Quality Education

Completion rate (Primary Education)

87.1% → 94.1%

2020 2025

▲ 7.0 pp

Good Health and Well-being

Maternal mortality (per 100,000 live births)

556 → 104

2020 2025

▼ 81%

Gender Equality

Proportion of seats held by women in Parliament

36.8% → 39.3%

2020 2025

▲ 2.5 pp

Climate Action

Share of investment with climate focus

16% → 26%

2020 2025

▲ 10 pp



SDG PROGRESS: GLOBAL CONTEXT AND TANZANIA VNR PERFORMANCE

GLOBAL TARGET PROGRESS

(Out of 139 assessable targets)



ON TRACK

15-18% of targets are meeting the trajectory required for 2030.



MODERATE PROGRESS

17-21% of targets are moving forward, but at an insufficient pace.



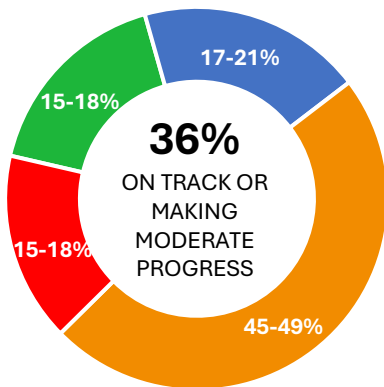
MARGINAL/NO PROGRESS

45-49% of targets are showing little to no movement.



STALLED/REGRESSING

15-18% of targets have slipped below their 2015 baseline.



TANZANIA'S VNR PERFORMANCE



4 of 17 goals - 23.5%

SDGs 3, 6, 7 and 17



9 of 17 goals - 52.9%

SDGs 1, 2, 4, 5, 8, 9, 11, 13 and 16



Reflected partly within
Tanzania's mixed - **11.8%**
progress goals
SDGs 14 and 15



2 of 17 goals - 11.8%

SDGs 10 and 12

COMPARATIVE ASSESSMENT



Tanzania's strongest gains are in health, water, electricity, infrastructure connectivity, digital access and domestic resource mobilization



These goals are moving in a positive direction, but progress remains uneven, slow or insufficiently inclusive



Marine ecosystems, biodiversity, forests and land systems are stagnating or deteriorating consistent with the wider global environmental emergency



SDGs 10 and 12 cannot yet be assessed comprehensively. Assessment constrained by data gaps

TANZANIA'S OVERALL PICTURE



4

On Track
(23.5%)

9

Moderate or
Improving
(52.9%)

2

Marginal or
no progress
(11.8%)

2

Stalled or
regressing
(11.8%)

TRANSFORMATION THROUGH INFRASTRUCTURE

Investing Today for a Prosperous and Sustainable Tomorrow



The strategic challenge is no longer expanding infrastructure alone – it is converting it to;



REMAINING CHALLENGES & STRATEGIES

Addressing gaps. Accelerating action. Delivering results.

REMAINING CHALLENGES

- 1  Poverty reduction remains gradual
- 2  Manufacturing share of GDP requires acceleration
- 3  Rapid urbanization & infrastructure gaps
- 4  Climate change and environmental degradation
- 5  Youth employment and productivity requires further investment



CATCHING UP STRATEGIES (Medium Term Framework - FYDP IV) Driven by Inclusive, Sustainable and Resilient Development)

- 1  Expansion of economic opportunities
- 2  Job creation
- 3  Strengthening high impact value chains

OUR ACCELERATION PRIORITIES – DRIVING SUSTAINABLE TRANSFORMATION



Industrial transformation



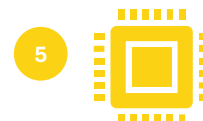
Agricultural modernization



Blue Economy



Climate resilience



Digital transformation



Skills development



Domestic resource mobilization

TANZANIA'S CALL TO ACTION

Accelerating the SDGs through Partnership

 **TANZANIA REMAINS COMMITTED TO:**

-  Strengthening implementation under FYDP IV and Dira 2050
-  Mobilizing domestic resources
-  Expanding private sector investment
-  Promoting innovation and digital transformation
-  Leaving no one behind



 **TANZANIA CALLS FOR STRENGTHENED GLOBAL SUPPORT THROUGH:**

-  Affordable development finance
-  Climate finance
-  Technology transfer
-  Capacity building
-  Fair international trade
-  Stronger multilateral partnerships

CLOSING MESSAGE

“Together, through partnerships, innovation and inclusive economic transformation, Tanzania remains committed to accelerating the Sustainable Development Goals and building a prosperous, resilient and sustainable future for all. ”