



Presentation

Experience and promising practices implementing Agenda 2063 and 2030 Agenda, including localizing the SDGs - The Case of Botswana

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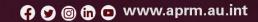




Introduction – Progress on the domestication process of Agenda 2030 and 2063 in Botswana

- Botswana has made significant strides in the domestication of the Agenda 2030 and Africa Agenda 2063.
- The convergence of the two agendas is recognized and hence all the processes of the 2030 Agenda and its underlying Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) entail Agenda 2063.
- A National SDGs Roadmap has been developed to guide implementation of the SDGs.
- The Roadmap has guided the development of strategic initiatives towards implementation of the SDGs
- The constituted coordinating structures are; Parliamentary Special Select Committee on SDGs, Joint National Steering Committee (JSC) on SDGs, Technical Task Force and SDG Focal Points within Line Ministries.





Introduction continued....



- The 2022 Voluntary National Review (VNR) Report was crafted through an inclusive undertaking. The VNR process entailed stakeholder consultations across the country.
- Work continues to integrate the two agendas into the countries National Agenda through the assistance of Development Partners.
- Despite the above progress, more still needs to be done to integrate and capacitate stakeholders on the two agendas and ensure their localization.
- Of note is the fact that only about 35% of indicators have data and the rest are difficult to report on due to data challenges (no baselines and targets)





Has Botswana adopted a Whole of Government Approach in managing the Process?

- Inclusive participation and effective stakeholder engagement in implementing the 2030 Agenda and Agenda 2063 is being followed.
- Botswana follows a thematic working group approach in planning and implementation. This approach brings all players – Government, Private Sector, Development Partners, Civil society etc to ensure that no one is left behind.
- The **JSC** on SDGs also has representations from Government, Private sector, Civil Society Organizations, Development Partners, Youth groups, Media, Trade unions etc in the spirit of leaving no one behind.





What can Botswana offer to other Countries? - Alignment of the Botswana Vision 2036 with SDG Pillars







ALIGNMENT IS KEY TOWARDS EFFECTIVE IMPLEMENTATION, MONITORING & REPORTING INCLUDING EVALUATING THE NATIONAL AGENDA, SDGs AND AGENDA 2063

Results, targets, and indicators **Vision, Plans, and Strategies** Cascading downwards Upwards contribution to higher level results Vision 2036 Vision 2036 indicators SDGs, Agenda 2063 and targets National Development NDP level Plan Indicators and targets SDGs, Agenda 2063 Ministry/Entity Strategic Ministry/Entity Plans Indicators and targets Local plans SDGs, Agenda 2063 informed by higher level contributing Vision and to higher District/Urban level results District/Urban level **Development Plans** Indicators and targets SDGs, Agenda 2063



Example: Alignment from Human & Social Development Vision Pillar and SDG GOAL 3

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	OUTCOMES	INDICATORS	
High Level Outcome (Vision 2036)	Long and Healthy Lives	Life expectancy at birth	
SDG GOAL 3 Target 3.2	Ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages	3.2.1 Under 5 mortality rate	
Outcome – KPIs (NDP 11/TWG- Social Upliftment)	Decreased under five (5) mortality	 Percentage of under 5 children who are underweight (malnourished) (MOHW) related to SDG 2 % of Vulnerable Groups Receiving Food Rations (MLGR&D) related to SDG 1 % of the Population with Access to Improved Sanitation (MLWS) related to SDG 6 % Compliance of Wastewater discharge facilities to BOS 93:2012 (MLWS) % Compliance to Drinking Water Standard (BOS 32) (MLWS) related to SDG 6 Number of children accessing child protection services (MLGRD) % of households with habitable basic shelter (MIH) related to SDG 11 Proportion of population below minimum level of dietary energy consumption (MOA) related to SDG 2 	
Ministry of Health and Wellness	Strengthen Prevention Interventions	 Immunization coverage Diarrhea case fatality Vitamin A (VA) supplementation coverage Child Welfare Clinics Attendance Rate 	







Botswana's SDGs Road Map



Ownership, Leadership & Coordination

- Everybody needs to be on board
- Localization and implementation of SDGs and Agenda 2063
- Clarification of roles and responsibilities across all stakeholders
- Political Leaders should champion the process and ensure accountability for results



Integration:
Planning &
Implementation

- Keep focus on basics of public sector management to strengthen planning, implementation and performance
- Integration of SDGs and Agenda 2063 in the existing public sector management structures has a much greater impact on implementation



Advocacy, Sensitization and Awareness

- Raising public awareness on the 2030 Agenda and SDGs is critical.
- Mobilising, empowering and engaging people through participatory process to give them a voice in the implementation of the SDGs.



Data, Monitoring
Reporting, Evaluation
& Research

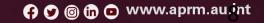
- Availability of timely and reliable disaggregated data is critical for effective monitoring and evaluation
- Indicators should have data available with the required frequency
- Research is vital to produce knowledge products that will inform evidencebased policy making and implementation of SDGs



Strengthening the SDGs Institutional Mechanisms

- Sustained capacity building of all players and institutions spearheading the SDG Agenda is vital
- Build capacity for gathering and analyzing data
- Build capacity for conducting and using research & evaluations
- Build capacity on indicator development, definition and target setting





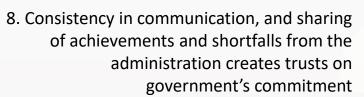


CONCLUSION: A Structured & Methodological Approach to Implementing the National Agenda, SDGs & Agenda 2063 to Achieve Results is key...

1. Alignment of all International Agenda

with the national vision, plans and strategies.
Anchoring targets, goals and KPIs onto the nation's aspirations

Align



2. **Focus** resources and priorities in areas with the highest impact in the shortest time frame to gather momentum

- 7. Audit and evaluate performance periodically to ensure transparency and accountability is established.
- Monitor

 Prioritise

 3. Create a winning coalition with the senior leadership and the public to gain support for transformation as we implement
- 6. Operationalizing these agendas requires active engagements in innovative problem solving, coordination with all stakeholders to build trust and capacity.

4. Commit political leadership onto the National, SDGs and Agenda 2063 and ensure support from the administration on resource allocation.

5. Establish a common platform and standard of measurement across government on targets vs results.

Deliver





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