Implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development in Finland
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Finland has a long tradition of sustainable development policies: 1990 >>>>
Implementation of the Agenda2030 in Finland
- Key bodies and mechanisms

**Prime Minister’s Office: Agenda2030 Coordination Secretariat**

**”PMO-hub”**

**Ministry for Foreign Affairs: Secretariat-General of the Development Policy Committee**

**Sustainable Development Coordination Network**: all Government Ministries

**National Commission on Sustainable Development**
Chair: Prime Minister Mr. Juha Sipilä

**Sustainable Development Expert Panel**
Hosted by Finnish Innovation Fund SITRA

**Follow up and review Network**
Chair: Prime Minister’s Office

**Society’s Commitment to Sustainable Development**

**Finnish Development Policy Committee**
Chair: Member of the Parliament Ms. Aila Paloniemi

**National Commission on Sustainable Development**
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Commitment 2050 objectives:

1. Equal prospects for well-being
2. A participatory society for citizens
3. Sustainable work
4. Sustainable local communities
5. A carbon-neutral society
6. An economy that is resource-wise
7. Lifestyles that respect the carrying capacity of nature
8. Decision-making that respects nature

Agenda2030 goals:
Society’s Commitment to Sustainable Development

The idea:
- Great societal transformation
- Long-term visionary framework
- Eight integrated objectives in line with the SDGs
- Operational commitments leading to solutions and innovations for sustainable development
National Plan to implement Agenda 2030 is to be adopted by the end of 2016

Steps towards the Plan:

1. **Institutional setting** and mechanisms have been established
2. **Mapping** in February-March 2016: survey on Ministries’ measures and policies, legislation and implementation of international agreements
4. **Update of the National SD strategy** to be in line with the Agenda2030, April 2016
5. **External gap-analysis** to look into Finland’s readiness to implement the global Agenda2030, ready by July 2016
6. **Participatory working methods** to engage all stakeholders
7. Finland among first countries to report to the UN HLPF in July 2016
8. Follow and review network starts to draw up follow up mechanism (including indicators.)
DATA AVAILABILITY FOR UN INDICATORS – FINLAND

Preliminary assessment

- **DATA AVAILABLE**
- **SPECIAL NEEDS FOR DATA COLLECTION**
- **TO BE EVALUATED SEPARATELY**

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AGENDA 2030 GOALS AND STARTING LEVEL OF FINLAND

Source: 17 Selected Sustainability Indices

Starting level – Finland: EXCELLENT  MODERATE  POOR
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Source:
30 Key Civil Society Organisations in Finland

Starting level – Finland: 
- Excellent
- Moderate
- Poor
Up-to-date information on key social indicators. Each indicator provides information in the form of statistical pictures, tables and analyses.

The service has been implemented as a joint project between Statistics Finland and the Prime Minister's Office in collaboration with a number of information providers.

Findexor.fi - the society at large

Latest updates

National economic trends
15.9.2016

Inflation

Indicators

Economy
Bankruptcies
Construction
Consumer survey
Development by industry
Earned and capital income
Economic growth (GDP)
Foreign trade in national accounts
GDP per capita
General government debt and deficit
Globalisation of entrepreneurship
Imports and exports
Industrial trends
Inflation
National economic trends
Taxation
The value added shares of the sectors of the national economy
Total general government expenditure
Labour market
Income, expenditure and indebtedness
Health
Security
Participation
Population
Education and research
Community structure and transport
Culture
Energy
Environment and natural resources
All indicators
Sustainable development indicators
Well-being indicators in Findexor.fi

Inflation


Annual changes of Consumer Price Index 1980-2016
The cash euro was introduced in Finland on 1 January 2002

Inflation: 0.4 per cent in August

The year-on-year change in consumer prices calculated by Statistics Finland was 0.4 per cent in August. In July, inflation stood at 0.5 per cent. The slight decline in inflation was influenced, for example, by decreases in the consumer prices of liquid fuels and interest rates from one year ago.
Findicator is a comprehensive databank

- Includes approximately 100 indicators of social progress
- Up-to-date and relevant information on important societal issues
- Indicators selected in consultation with user groups and data providers
- Grouped thematically and by policy issue in line with Government Programme
- Provides links to larger information sources, metadata and international reference data