KEY FLAGSHIP PROGRAMS AND OUTCOMES
Program Convergence Budgeting Framework for the SDGs

A. Technical Working Group on Social (TWG-Social)

Background. The TWG-Social of the DBCC-Subcommittee on the SDGs collaboratively formulated a list of flagship programs, which were based on the regressing indicators and those that need acceleration. These indicators fall under SDGs 2 (Zero Hunger) and 5 (Gender Equality), in consideration of their status as Goals that are lagging behind in the recent 2022 Pace of Progress by the PSA. The referenced indicators however, have been updated based on the 2023 Pace of Progress by the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA).*

Social SDGs	Regressing	Needs Acceleration
SDG 2: Zero Hunger	**2.1.1.p1** Meeting 100% recommended energy intake of households **2.2.2** Prevalence of malnutrition	**2.2.s2** Exclusive breastfed children **2.2.1** Prevalence of stunting
SDG 5: Gender Equality	N/A	**5.2.1** Any violence experienced by women and girls **5.3.1** Women who are married or in union before age 15 and before age 18
SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth	N/A	**8.7.1.p1** Children engaged in child labour* **8.8.1** Occupational injuries* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).

Flagship Program. Below is a comprehensive matrix of the list of flagship program(s) lodged under the **TWG on Social,** along with their expected outcomes, goals (i.e., SDG targets), and lead agencies:

OUTCOME(S)	SDG GOAL(S)	FLAGSHIP PROGRAM(S)	LEAD AGENCY
a. Achieved 100% recommended energy intake of households	**Target 2.1:** Ensure access by all people, in particular, the poor and people in vulnerable situations, including infants, to safe, nutritious, and sufficient food all year round	**Integrated Food and Nutrition Security Program**	DSWD *(Through the Enhanced Partnership Against Hunger and Poverty)*
a. Decreased prevalence of triple burden of malnutrition	**Target 2.2:** End all forms of malnutrition, such as stunting, wasting, and obesity		
a. Strengthened local mechanisms for TIP and VAWC; b. Established systems in surveillance, investigation, and rescue to ensure effective and efficient referral/coordination; c. Established effective and functional VAW Desks established; d. Expanded sexuality education; and e. Increased specialized personnel who will attend to victim survivors of TIP and VAWC (essential services).	**Target 5.2:** Eliminate all forms of violence against all women and girls in the public and private spheres, including trafficking and sexual and other types of exploitation	**Strengthening of the Local Committee Against Trafficking and Violence Against Women and their Children**	DILG
a. Increased awareness on the effects of child marriage; b. Ensured access to social services provided by agencies; and	**Target 5.3:** Eliminate all harmful practices, such as child, early, and forced marriage, and female genital mutilation	**Nationwide Anti-Child Marriage Program**	DSWD

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c. Transformed social and behavior change towards child marriage.			

B. Technical Working Group on Economic (TWG-Economic)

Background. The TWG-Economic of the DBCC-Subcommittee on the SDGs formulated a list of flagship programs, which were based on the regressing indicators and those that need acceleration. These indicators fall under SDGs 5 (Gender Equality), 8 (Decent Work and Economic Growth), 9 (Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure), and 10 (Reduced Inequalities) in consideration of their status as Goals that are lagging behind from the recent 2022 Pace of Progress by the PSA. The referenced indicators however, have been updated based on the 2023 Pace of Progress by the PSA.*

Economic SDGs	Regressing	Needs Acceleration
SDG 5: Gender Equality	• **5.5.2** Women in managerial positions	N/A
SDG 8: Decent Work and Economic Growth	• **8.1.1** Real GDP per capita growth • **8.9.1.p1** Tourism GVA to GDP and in growth rate	• **8.5.2** Unemployment rate • **8.9.s1** Employed in tourism out of total employed • **8.10.1** Commercial bank branches and automated teller machines* • **8.10.2** Adults (15 years and older) with bank account* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).
SDG 9: Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure	• **9.2.1** MVA per GDP or per capita	• **9.1.2** Passenger and freight volumes* • **9.2.2** Manufacturing employment to total employment* • **9.5.1** Research and development expenditure as a proportion of GDP

Economic SDGs	Regressing	Needs Acceleration
		• **9.5.2** Researchers (in full-time equivalent) Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).
SDG 10: Reduced Inequalities	• **10.2.1** Population living below 50 percent of median income	• **10.5.1** Financial Soundness Indicators* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).

Flagship Program. Below is a comprehensive matrix of the list of flagship program(s) lodged under the **TWG on Economic,** along with their expected outcomes, goals (i.e., SDG targets), and lead agencies:

OUTCOME(S)	SDG GOAL(S)	FLAGSHIP PROGRAM(S)	LEAD AGENCY
Main Outcome(s): a. **Digitalization in lagging behind regions improved (DICT)** • Lowered cost of data collection (due to digitalization) • Increased opportunities for work-from-home arrangement b. **Key infrastructure in remote areas established** • Electricity: To cover remote areas not being serviced by DOE	**Target 5.5:** Ensure women's full and effective participation and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making in political, economic and public life **Target 8.1:** Sustain per capita economic growth in accordance with national circumstances **Target 8.5:** Achieve full and productive employment and decent work for all women and men, including for young	**Infrastructure Regional Development** specifically on digitalization for remote areas	DICT

OUTCOME(S)	SDG GOAL(S)	FLAGSHIP PROGRAM(S)	LEAD AGENCY
• Connectivity: To cover remote areas not being serviced by DPWH *Sub-outcome(s):* a. Number R&D and FTE researchers increased (DOST); b. Gender responsiveness in private sector achieved (DOLE & PCW); and c. Disability inclusivity in the workplace achieved (CSC & DOLE).	people and persons with disabilities, and equal pay for work of equal value **Target 8.6:** Substantially reduce the proportion of youth not in employment, education or training **Target 8.10:** Strengthen the capacity of domestic financial institutions to encourage and expand access to banking, insurance and financial services for all **Target 9.5:** Enhance scientific research, upgrade the technological capabilities of industrial sectors **Target 10.2:** Empower and promote the social, economic and political inclusion of all, irrespective of age, sex, disability, race, ethnicity, origin, religion or economic or other status		

C. Technical Working Group on Environment (TWG-Environment)

Background. The TWG-Environment of the DBCC-Subcommittee on the SDGs developed a list of flagship programs based on the regressing goals from the recent 2022 Pace of Progress by the PSA. These include indicators with data that fall under SDGs 6 (Clean Water and Sanitation), 7 (Affordable and Clean Energy), 11 (Sustainable Cities and Communities), and 13 (Climate Action). The referenced indicators however, have been updated based on the 2023 Pace of Progress by the PSA.

Environment SDGs	Regressing	Needs Acceleration
SDG 6: Clean Water and Sanitation	N/A	• **6.5.1.p1** Implementation of programs and projects identified in the Integrated River Basins Master Plans
SDG 7: Affordable and Clean Energy	N/A	• **7.1.1** Access to electricity* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).
SDG 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities	• **11.5.1** Number of deaths and missing person attributed to disaster per 100,000 population *(same with indicator 13.1.1)* • **11.6.2.p1** Highly urbanized and other major urban centers within ambient air quality guidelines.	• **11.b.2** Local Disaster Risk Reduction Strategies* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).
SDG 13: Climate Action	• **13.1.1** Number of deaths and missing person attributed to disaster per 100,000 population	• **13.1.3** Local Disaster Risk Reduction Strategies* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).

Flagship Program. Below is a matrix of the list of flagship program(s) lodged under the **TWG-Environment,** along with their expected outcomes, goals (i.e., SDG targets), and lead agencies:

OUTCOME(S)	SDG GOAL(S)	FLAGSHIP PROGRAM(S)	LEAD AGENCY
a. Increased access to clean water, safe drinking water, and basic sanitation; b. Improved management of river and water ecosystem; c. Improved water quality and availability; d. Enhanced adaptive capacity to respond to landslide and floods, and to secure properties, livelihoods, and investments; e. Increased participation of vulnerable sector, women, children and Indigenous Peoples in LRRM, LCCAP, particularly in needs assessment and community mobilization; and, f. Reduced fatality and property/economic loss and empower Indigenous Peoples and local communities in managing emergency during calamity or disaster.	**Target 6.5:** Implement integrated water resources management at all levels, including through transboundary cooperation as appropriate	**Implementation of the Integrated Water Resource Management Plan** (including Integrated River Basin Master Plan and Integrated Watershed Management Plan)	DENR
a. Zero deaths and missing persons attributed to disaster per 100,000 population; and b. Increased participation of vulnerable sector, women, and children in LRRM, LCCAP, particularly in needs assessment and community mobilization.	**Target 11.5:** Significantly reduce the number of deaths and the number of people affected and substantially decrease the direct economic losses relative to global gross domestic product caused by disasters, including water-	**Reducing Vulnerability in Disaster-Prone Areas**	DND-OCD

OUTCOME(S)	SDG GOAL(S)	FLAGSHIP PROGRAM(S)	LEAD AGENCY
	related disasters, with a focus on protecting the poor and people in vulnerable situations		
a. Maximized urban green spaces in highly urbanized cities; b. Sustainable urban agriculture promoted; c. Innovative solutions for efficient transport implemented; and d. Increased waste resource recovery.	**Target 11.6:** Reduce the adverse per capita environmental impact of cities, including by paying special attention to air quality and municipal and other waste management	**Creation of Green, Open, and Public Spaces**	DHSUD

D. Technical Working Group on Peace, Security, and Governance (PSG) (TWG-PSG)

Background. The TWG-PSG of the DBCC-Subcommittee on the SDGs monitors SDGs 5 (Gender Equality), 16 (Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions), and 17 (Partnerships for the Goals). The status of Goals 16 and 17 are on track while Goal 5 is regressing based on the 2022 2nd Round of Progress by the PSA. In formulating the list of flagship programs of the TWG, the members agreed to look at other regressing indicators, those that need acceleration, and indicators mainstreamed in the Philippine Development Plan (PDP) 2023-2028. The referenced indicators have been updated based on the 2023 Pace of Progress by the PSA.

PSG SDGs	Regressing	Needs Acceleration
SDG 5: Gender Equality	• **5.5.1** Seats held by women in national parliaments and local governments	N/A
SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions	• **16.9.1** Children registered with a civil authority	• **16.5.1.p1** Bribe to government official • **16.7.1.p1** National and local positions compared to national distributions* Note:

PSG SDGs	Regressing	Needs Acceleration
		* Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).
SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals	N/A	• **17.1.1** Government revenue (budgetary central government)* • **17.19.s1** Birth and death registration rate* Note: * Lagging indicators are based on the 2023 Pace of Progress (as of the SC-SDG First Semester Meeting on June 4, 2024 - unofficial).

Below are additional focus SDGs, PDP-mainstreamed indicators, and other SDG indicators that the TWG-PSG decided to also focus on:

PSG SDGs	PDP Mainstreamed	Other SDG Indicators
SDG 9: Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure	• 9.2.1: Manufacturing value added as a proportion of gross domestic product and per capita	• 9.2.2: Manufacturing employment as a proportion of total employment
SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions	• 16.10.2: The Philippines adopts and implements constitutional, statutory and/or policy guarantees for public access to information • 16.7: Ensure responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at all levels (*SDG Target related to PDP strategy*)	• 16.6.1: Primary government expenditures as a proportion of original approved budget
SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals	N/A	• 17.18.3: National statistics plan that is fully funded and under implementation

Flagship Program. Below is a matrix of the list of flagship program(s) lodged under the **TWG-PSG,** along with their expected outcomes, goals (i.e., SDG targets), and lead agencies:

OUTCOME(S)	SDG GOAL(S)	FLAGSHIP PROGRAM(S)	LEAD AGENCY
a. Improved country's ability to secure its sovereignty and territorial integrity; and b. Established local defense industry that would generate revenue and employment for the government.	**Target 16.6:** Develop effective, accountable and transparent institutions at all levels	**Establish the Defense Industry in the Philippines**	DND
	Target 9.2: Promote inclusive and sustainable industrialization and, by 2030, significantly raise industry's share of employment and gross domestic product, in line with national circumstances, and double its share in least developed countries		
a. Improved government infrastructure facilities; b. Digitalized government transactions, and c. Established secure ICT systems.	**Target 16.5:** Substantially reduce corruption and bribery in all their forms	**Modernize Government Processes, Systems and Infrastructure**	DICT
	Target 16.10: Ensure public access to information, and protect fundamental freedoms, in accordance with national legislation and international agreements		
a. Improved monitoring and evaluation of activities and programs of the agencies	**Target 17.18:** Enhance capacity-building support to developing countries,	**Strengthen Statistical Capacity of Government Offices**	PSA

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	including for least developed countries and small island developing States, to increase significantly the availability of high-quality, timely and reliable data disaggregated by income, gender, age, race, ethnicity, migratory status, disability, geographic location and other characteristics relevant in national contexts		
a. Established participatory governance mechanisms; and b. Increased inclusive public participation in government programs, with representation from various vulnerable sectors.	**Target 16.7:** Ensure responsive, inclusive, participatory and representative decision-making at all levels	**Establishment of Local Participatory Governance and Social Reform Mechanisms**	NAPC