



THE WAY FORWARD

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SUSTAINABILITY STRATEGIES: DEFINITIONS

- Not always NSDS or NCSD
- Should link economic, environmental and social
- Should go beyond environment
- Should connect to budgets
- Should build on existing plans

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PROMOTING CO-OPERATION AMONG “NSDS” PARTNERS

- **Policy integration** -- promote the development of sustainable development strategies at country level
- **Capacity-building** – enhance country capacity to develop and implement NSDS
- **Financial planning** – integrate with national planning and budgeting frameworks (PRS)
- **Environmental awareness** – ensure attention to environmental variables

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- **Social awareness** -- ensure attention to social variables
- **Impact assessment** – develop sustainability assessment methodologies
- **Indicators and targets** – upgrade national statistical systems and SD indicators
- **Transparency and participation** – promote multi-stakeholder participation
- **Monitoring and evaluation** – initiate joint monitoring and peer reviews
- **Reporting** – link reporting on NSDS plans and PRS, MDG, etc.

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WORKSHOP RECOMMENDATIONS

- Build on planning mechanisms to develop NSDS
- Extend peer reviews and shared learning
- Strengthen co-operation among IOs
- Develop networks of practitioners to share good practices on NSDS
- Expand role of stakeholders
- Follow-up Asia/Pacific workshop with OECD/UN workshop in Latin America