

Executive Board Meeting

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Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia

UN-GGIM-AP Work Plan

2019-2020

UN-GGIM-AP Secretariat



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Regional Committee of United Nations
Global Geospatial Information Management
for Asia and the Pacific

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Key Objectives of UN-GGIM-AP

1. Strengthen support and contribute to UN-GGIM global initiatives and agendas such as Integrated Geospatial Information Framework, Integration of Statistical Geospatial Framework, and Proposal to establish a UN Global Geospatial Knowledge Center of Excellence and its operation.
2. Enhance the coordination, cooperation and dialogue among member States on regional/global initiatives on geospatial information management and applications such as Asia-Pacific Plan of Action on Space Applications for Sustainable Development (2018-2030) and GEO's Asia-Oceania Data Hub.
3. Improve capacity of member States through technical assistance, research and promotion of state-of-the-art technologies, best practice and experience on geospatial information management.



Annual Events of UN-GGIM-AP

- a. Support the Plenary meeting of UN-GGIM in NYHQ, 5-9 August 2019
 - UN-GGIM-AP Meeting (7 August 2019, New York, USA)
- b. Plenary Meeting of UN-GGIM-AP (3-5 November 2019, Canberra, Australia) with WG meeting on 3 November 2019
 - In conjunction with Group on Earth Observations (GEO) Ministerial Plenary from 4 to 9 November 2019, Canberra, Australia.
- c. Meetings of the Working Groups
 - WG 1: chaired by Japan
 - WG 2: chaired by the Republic of Korea
 - WG 3: chaired by Indonesia



Upcoming events

- UN-GGIM Strategic Framework on Geospatial Information and Services for Disasters Assessment Survey :
 - Deadline Friday 21 June 2019
- Pacific Earth Observation Coordination Meeting
 - 25 June 2019, Suva, Fiji
- Workshop on the Applications of Global Navigation Satellite Systems
 - 24-28 June 2019, Suva, Fiji
- Workshop on “Improving the use and sharing of geospatial information for resilient and sustainable development in selected pilot countries”
 - 24-26 July 2019, Jakarta, Indonesia
- Master degree study on RS/GIS and GNSS, CSSTEAP
 - 1 August 2019 – 30 April 2020, Dehradun, India
- Series of capacity building and technical support to ASEAN and SAARC countries on land account, drought and crop monitoring, 2019-2020
- Capacity building for Sri Lanka on operationalization of the drought monitoring system
 - 29 July – 2 August 2019, Bangalore, India



Upcoming events

- ASEAN Regional Training Course on Geospatial Big Data Applications for Sustainable Development
 - 5 – 9 August 2019, Chonburi, Thailand
- South East Asia Survey Congress (SEASC) 2019
 - 15-18 August 2019, Darwin, Australia
- 23rd Session of Inter-governmental Consultative Committee of Regional Space Applications Programme (ICC 23 on RESAP)
 - 27-29 August 2019, Bangkok, Thailand
- Committee on Disaster Risk Reduction, with dedicated agenda item on geospatial information
 - 28-30 August 2019, Bangkok, Thailand
- Multi GNSS Asia Steering Committee
 - 26 August 2019, Bangkok, Thailand
- MGA Young Professional & Student Forum
 - 27-29 August 2019, Bangkok, Thailand
- Support capacity building by UN-GGIM Secretariat (under coordination of UNSD)
 - 23 October 2019, Deqing, China



Actions to do in 2019

- Support the regional and global consultation on IGIF
- Organizations chart and call tree of the Global and Asia-Pacific Committee
- Introduction of the UN-GGIM-AP members and their work on UN-GGIM-AP website.
- Improve the service through enhancing the website functions
- Facilitate the events of the WGs
- Support the President and members on UN-GGIM meeting and the Plenary meeting
- Enhance advocacy on the work of UN-GGIM and the regional Committee during the regional intergovernmental events: Commission and committee, publications

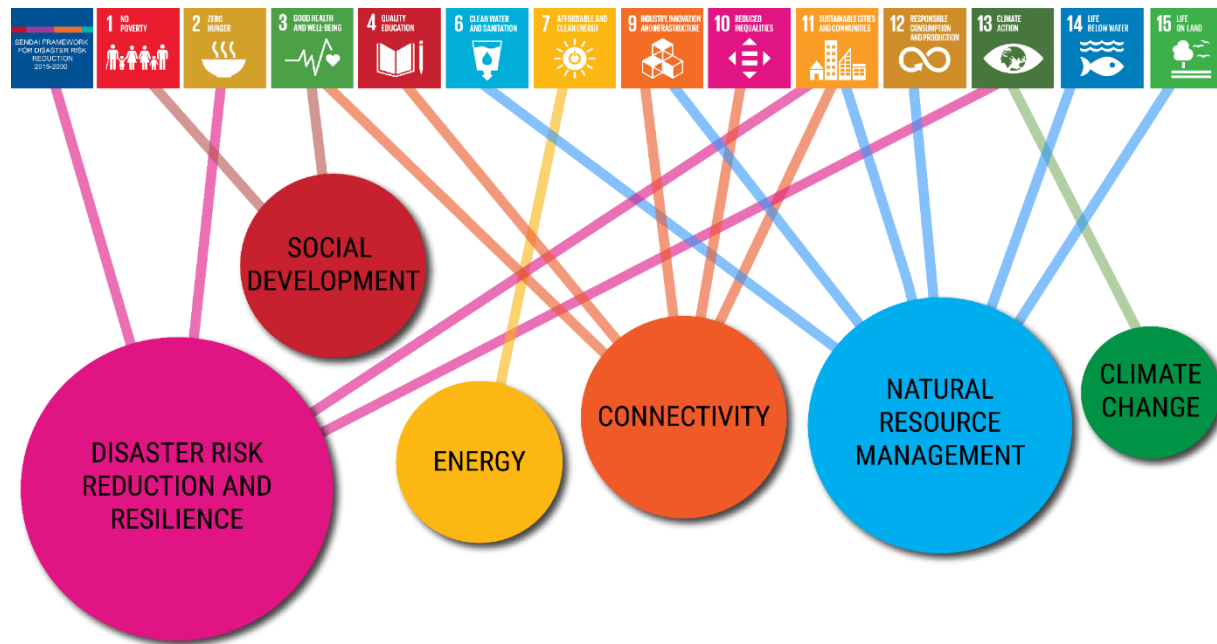


Proposed events 2020

- Meetings of the WGs in 2020
 - WG₁
 - WG₂
 - WG₃
- Joint meetings with UNSD on coordination and implementation of the Integrated Geospatial Information Framework (IGIF) Strategy, in Bangkok, Thailand
- Publications on geospatial information applications in Asia and the Pacific by ESCAP in November 2020
- Joint training and capacity building with UNSD and others
- 9th Plenary Meeting of the UN-GGIM-AP
- Country level events

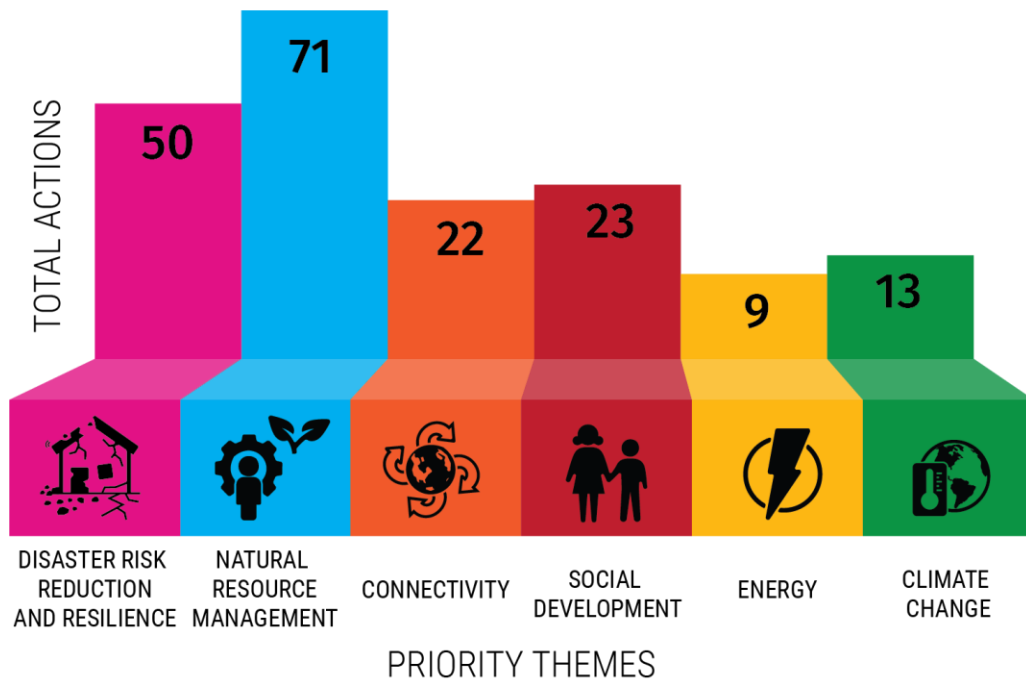


Asia-Pacific Plan of Action on Space Applications for Sustainable Development (2018-2030)

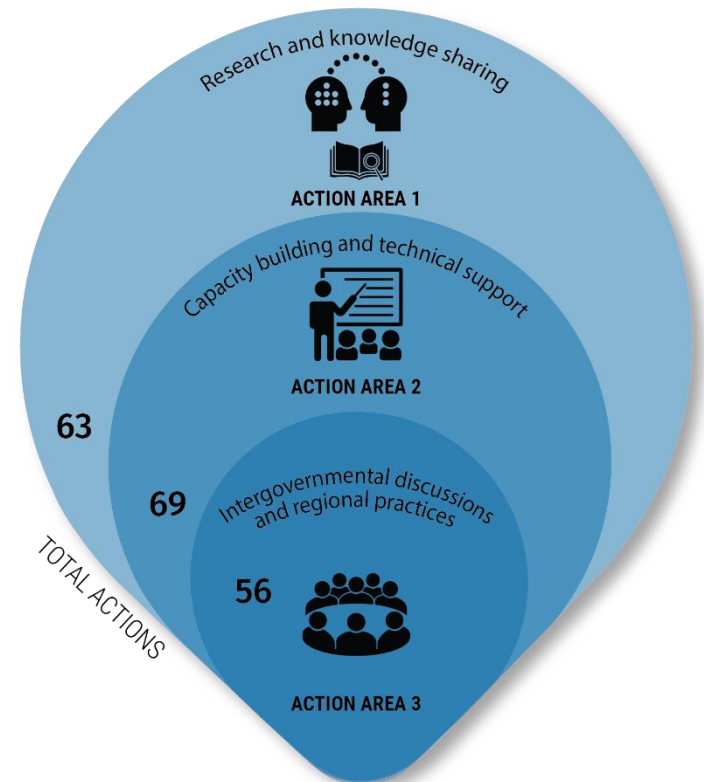


- Adopted by member States through a resolution during the 75th session of the ESCAP Commission in May 2019.
- 188 actions in six thematic areas, regionally-coordinated, inclusive and country-needs driven blueprint
- for 14 Goals of SDGs and Sendai Framework for DRR: where space applications can significantly contribute to global framework
- 37 Targets: as prioritized by the space community for the Asia-Pacific region





IMPLEMENTATION MODALITIES



Purpose of the Plan of Action

- Leveraging **innovations in digitization**, cloud computing, artificial intelligence, big data and IoT
- Engaging **end-users in multiple sectors** including youth and the private sector
- Bridging **national demands**/end users with **regional information/service providers**
- Strengthening implementation through **enhanced partnership** with global stakeholders
- Guiding national sustainable development and **stimulating regional cooperation** in support of global initiatives
- Contributing to **global agendas**, such as the UNISPACE+50 and the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, UN-GGIM and SFDRR





Thank you



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