

Linking the SDGs and Agenda 2063 with National Development Planning

Opportunities for Synergy and Collaborative Implementation and Localization



Tailoring the SDGs/Agenda 2063 to the national context:

First Step - Reviewing existing strategies

Scanning the policy landscape

Policies and plans since 2021

Vision 2050, NST 1, NST 2

Subnational and Local plans
Provincial Plans

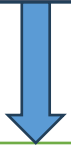
Comparing existing National Goals
and targets with SDGs/Agenda 2063

Gap analysis at Target level

VISION 2050

Pillars: Human development, competitiveness and integration, agriculture for wealth creation, urbanization and agglomeration, accountable and capable state institutions

TARGET: Rwanda is an Upper-Middle Income Country by 2035 and High Income Country by 2050



Sector Strategic Plans

District Development
Plans



Medium-Term Development Plans

NST 1: 2017-2024

Development priorities: Economic transformation, social transformation, and transformational governance

NST 2: 2025 – 2029

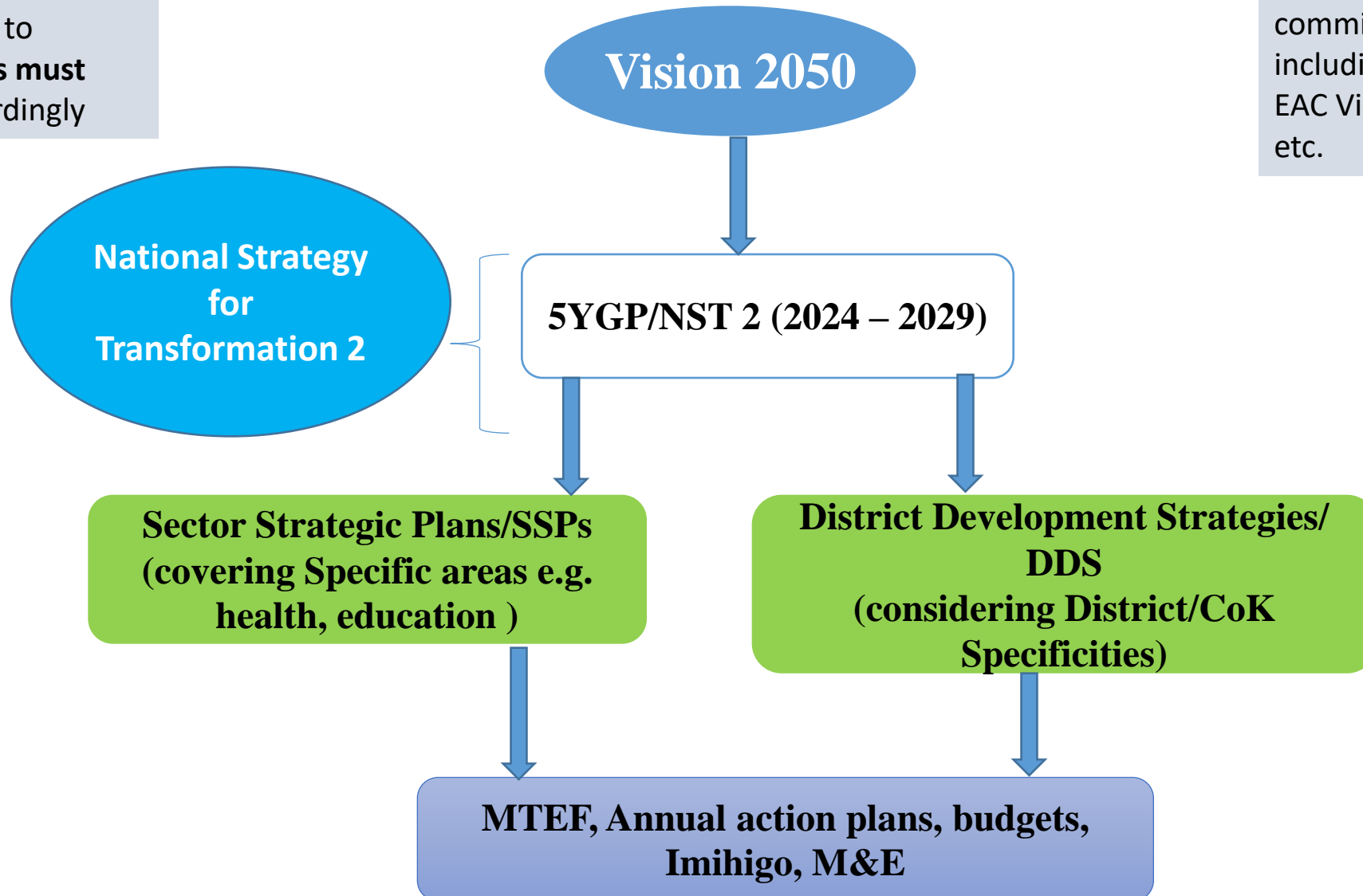
- Achievement of NST1 was affected by a combination of shocks (Covid-19, Disasters and Inflation crisis) and implementation challenges
- NST2 builds on the lessons from the NST1 implementation and continues the drive towards Vision 2050

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Recap of the National Development Planning Framework

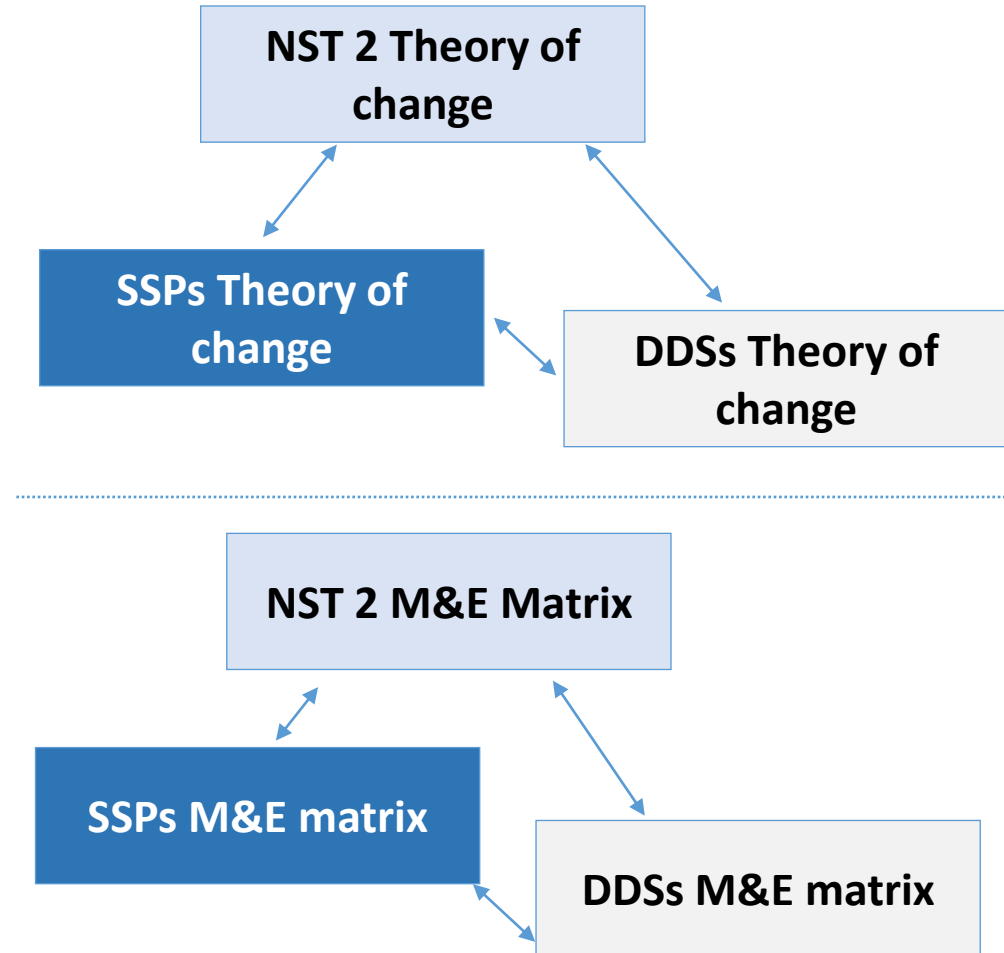
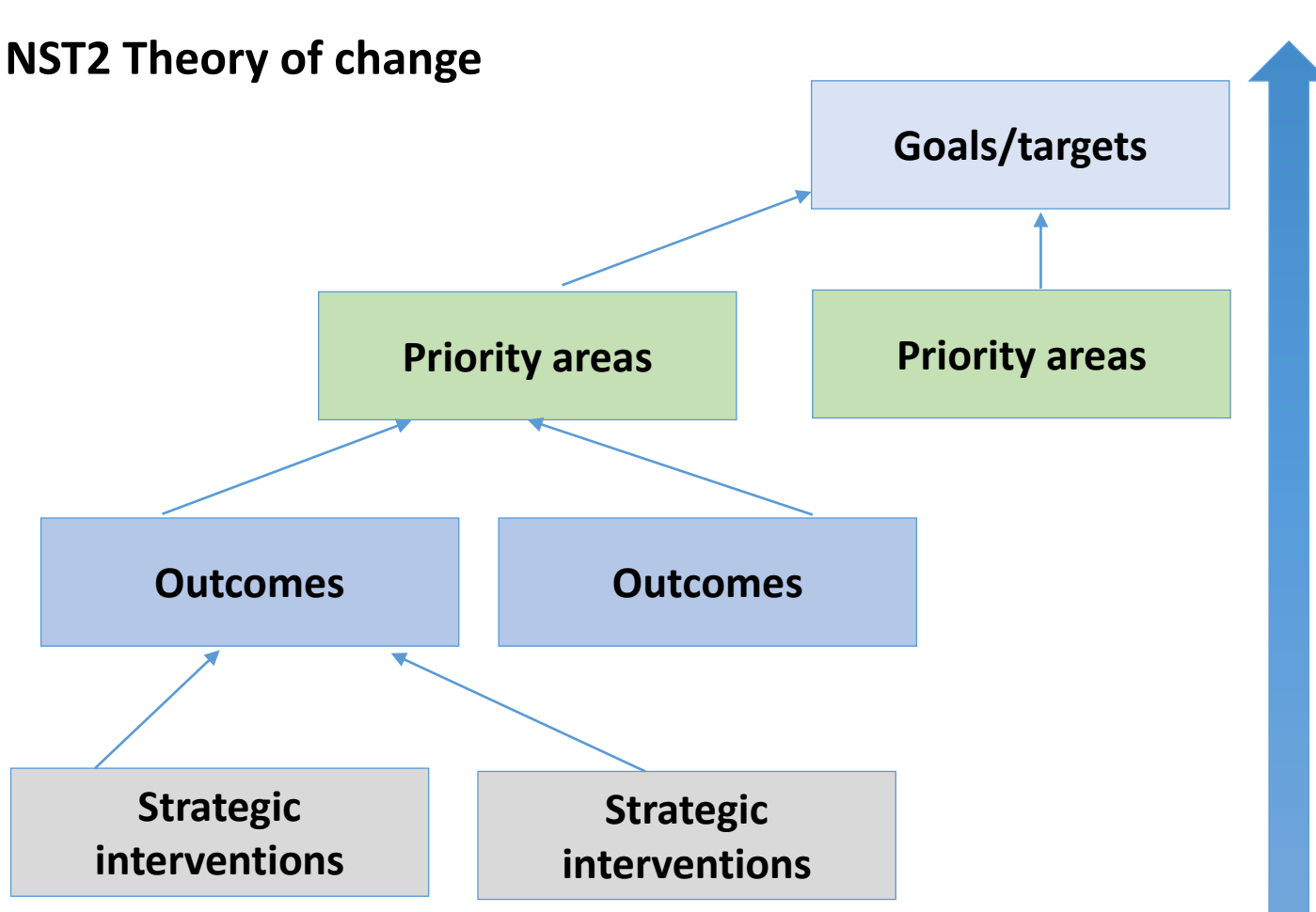
The entire framework is **linked and interdependent**, to succeed **all levels must implement** accordingly

The Vision integrates international and regional commitments of Rwanda including AU Agenda 2063, EAC Vision 2050, SDGs, etc.

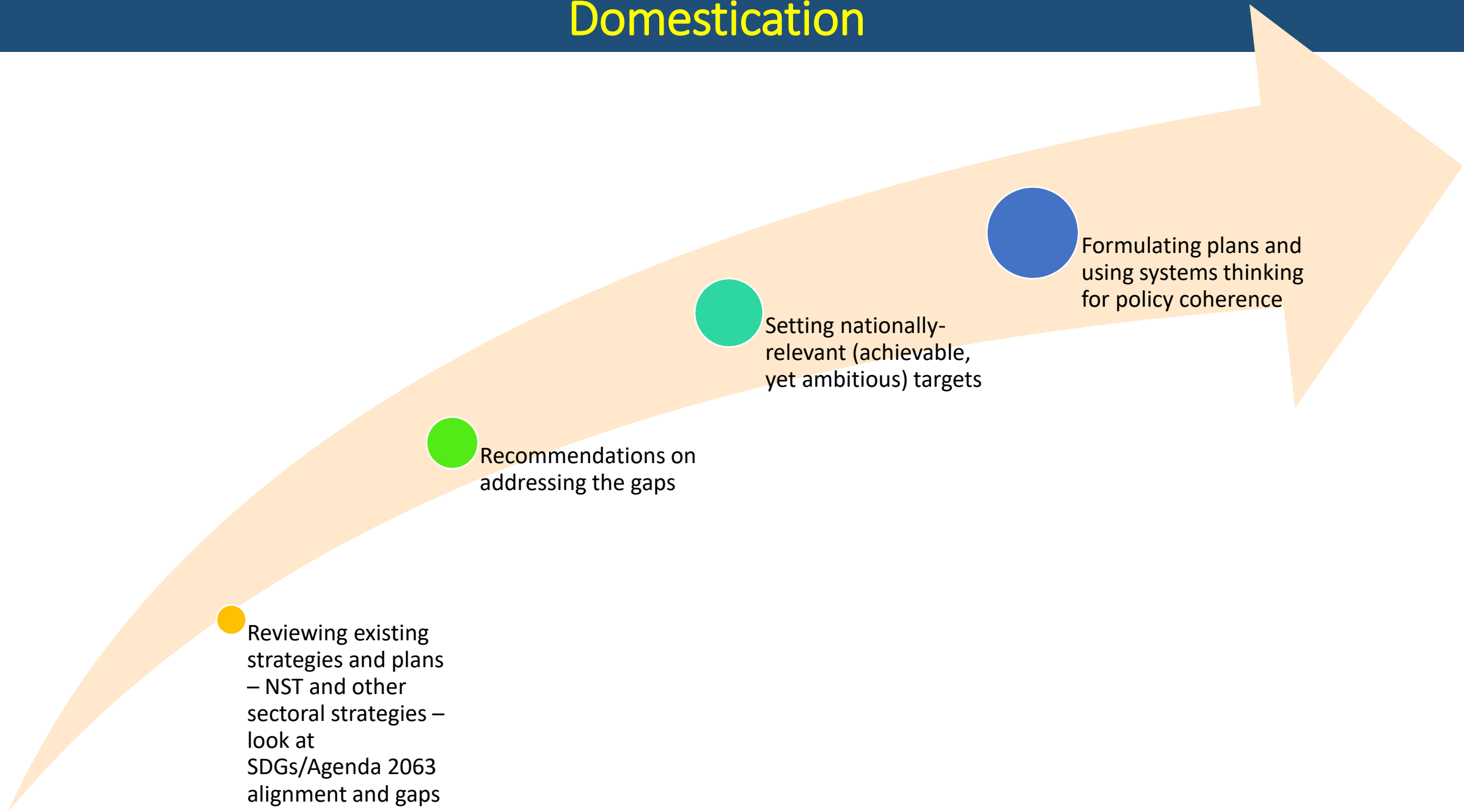


Integrated Framework for planning, M&E for NST2

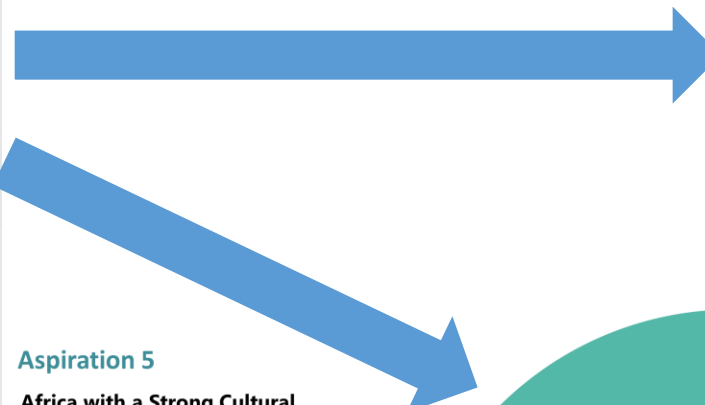
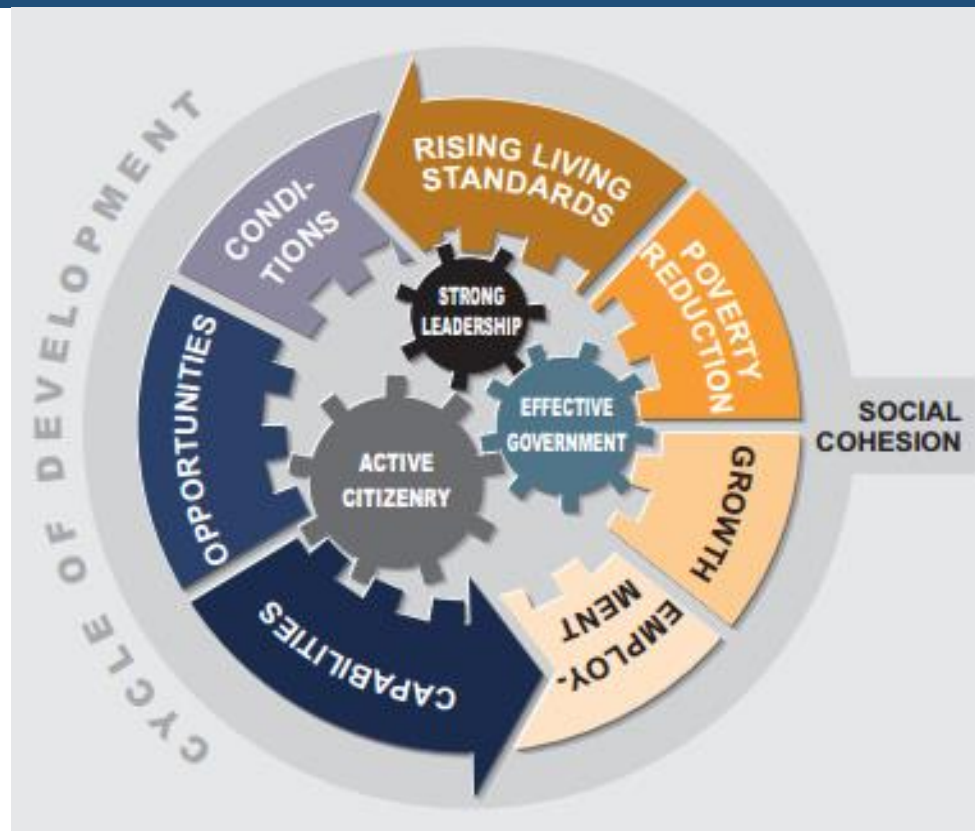
NST2 Theory of change



Adapting SDGs/Agenda 2063 to National and Local Contexts - Domestication



Aligning the NST to the SDGs and Agenda 2063



Aspiration 4

A Peaceful and Secure Africa

Aspiration 3

An Africa of Good Governance, Democracy, Respect for Human Rights, Justice and the Rule of Law

Aspiration 2

An Integrated Continent Politically united and based on the ideals of Pan Africanism and the vision of African Renaissance

Aspiration 1

A Prosperous Africa, based on Inclusive Growth and Sustainable Development

Aspiration 5

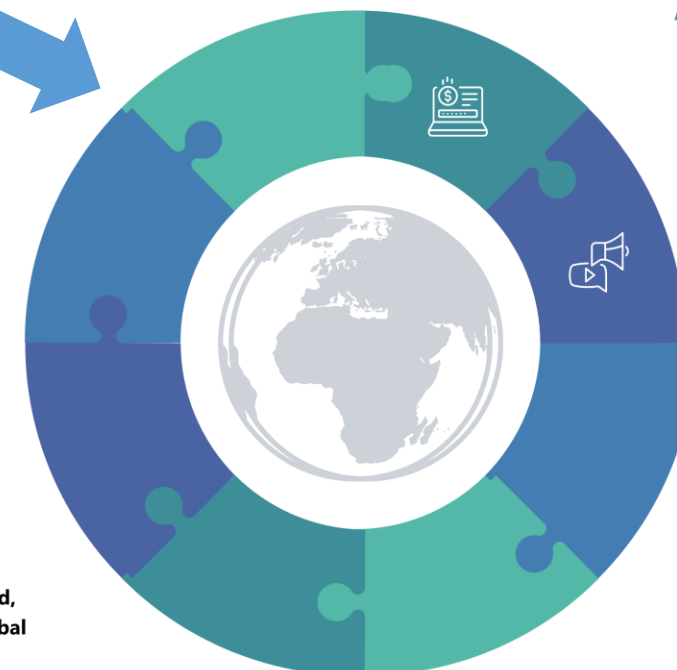
Africa with a Strong Cultural Identity Common Heritage, Values and Ethics

Aspiration 6

An Africa Whose Development is people driven, relying on the potential offered by African People, especially its Women and Youth, and caring for Children

Aspiration 7

An Africa as A Strong, United, Resilient and Influential Global Player and Partner



Key Questions - Does the NDP adhere to the HLP's 6 Contours of Agenda 2030 for Sustainable Development....?

Leave No One Behind

Put Sustainable Development at the Core of all Development Programmes

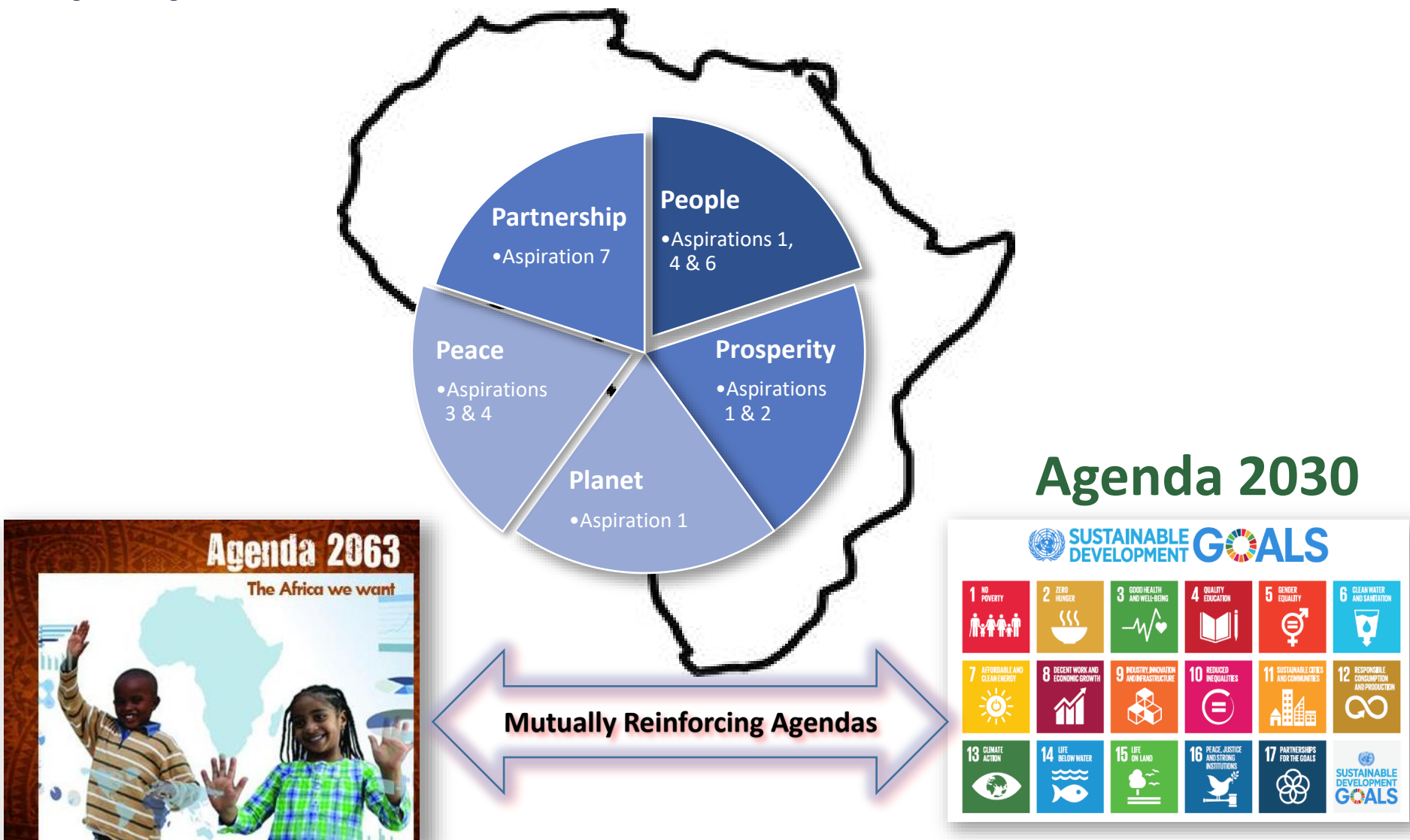
Integrating Social, Economic and Environmental dimensions of sustainability in all areas of human endeavor

Transforming economies for growth and inclusive growth

Building peace and effective, open and accountable institutions for all

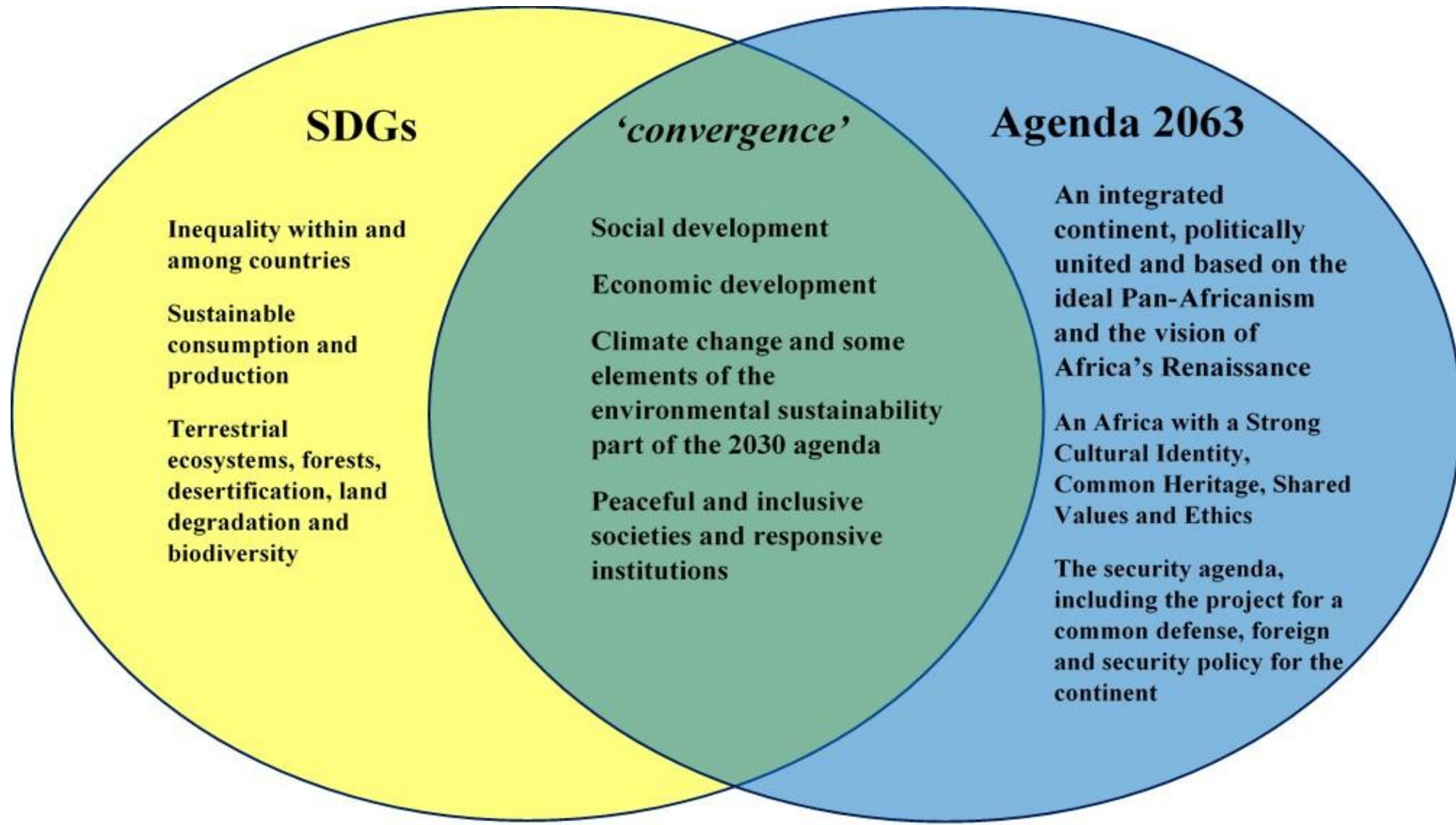
Forging a new partnership for development

Two Agendas for Africa?

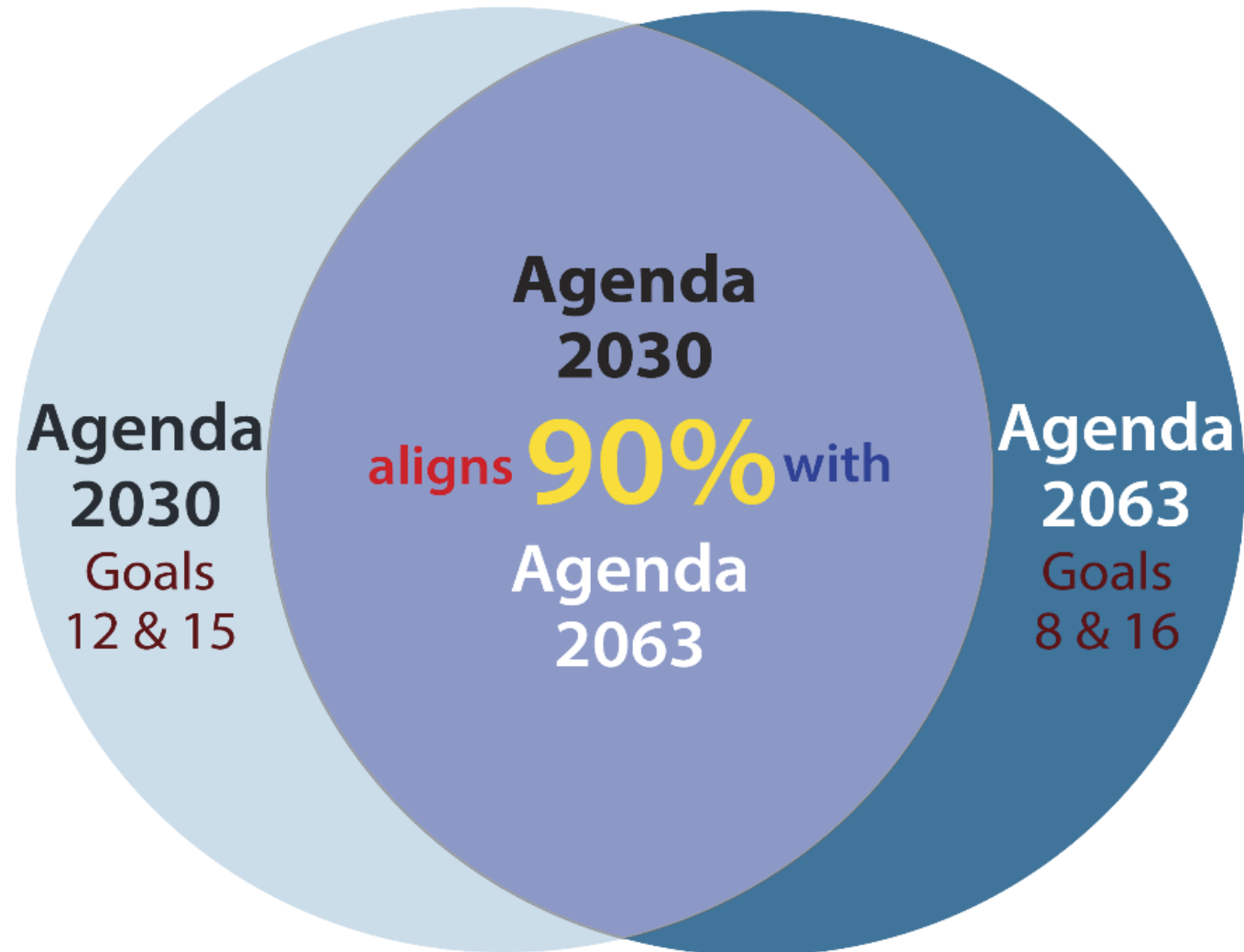


Agenda 2063 – Agenda 2030 Nexus

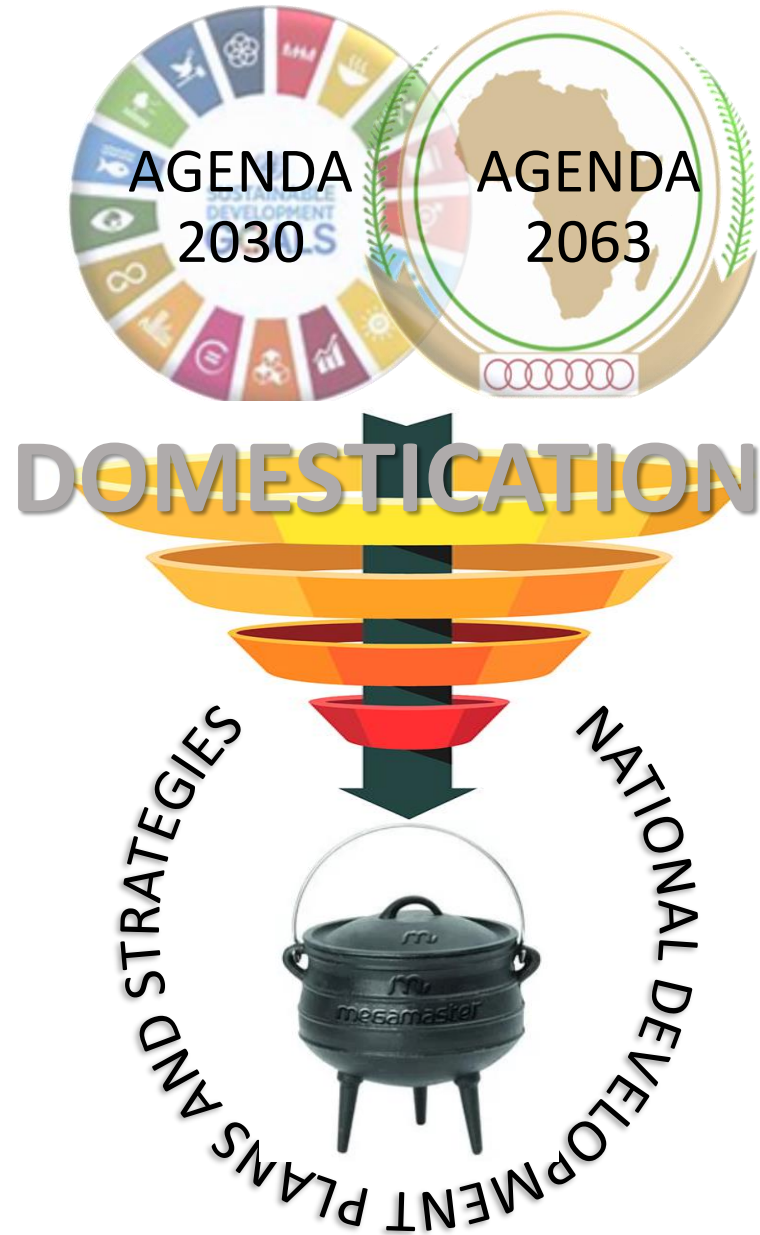
Agenda 2063	2030 Agenda
7 Aspirations	17 Goals
20 Goals	169 Targets
39 Priority Areas	231 Indicators
256 Targets and +248 Indicators	



Convergence between Agenda 2030 and Agenda 2063



“Vision without action is merely a dream. Action without vision just passes the time. Vision with action can change the world” – Joel Barker



ACTION



Alignment (Rapid Integrated Assessment) Matrix

Rows → SDGs Targets 169 / 39 AU Agenda 2063 Priorities

Columns → NST Chapters

Intersection of rows and columns – relevant NST “Priorities”

One priority can contribute/respond to several SDG Targets / Agenda 2063 Priorities –
Priorities not unique to one target / Priority – hence some appear in multiple SDGs/ AU 2063

CRITERIA and DESCRIPTION	GREEN – Strong potential Impact of NDP Objective on SDG Target/ Agenda 2063 Priority	YELLOW – Moderate potential impact of NDP Objective on SDG Target /Agenda 2063 Priority	RED – Weak or no potential impact on NDP Objective on SDG Target/ Agenda 2063
Impact of NDP Objective on SDG Target /AU 2063 Priority – incremental impact ratio	Can potentially contribute to a large proportion of SDG Target/ Agenda 2063 by 2030	Limited to moderate potential for additional impact to SDG target/ Agenda 2063	No potential for additional impact
Magnitude of impact – Target population including vulnerable groups and the least well-off	Majority of impact focused on vulnerable groups and the least well-off	Limited impact on vulnerable groups and the least well-off	Little or no impact on vulnerable groups and the least well-off
Speed of Impact – Length of time to realize the NDP Objective’s impact	Full impact realized within the MTSF cycle – 5 years	Partial impact will take more than 5 years to be realized	Impact will not be realized before 2030

NST – SDG – Agenda 2063 ALIGNMENT

National Development Plan Priorities																
SDGs and targets or Agenda 2063 Priorities	Target	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
	1.1	Green	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Green	Red	Red	Yellow	Green	Green	Red	Red	Red	Red	Green
	1.2	Green	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
	1.3	Green	Yellow	Green	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red
	1.4	Green	Yellow	Yellow	Red	Green	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red
	1.5	Red	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
	1.a	Yellow	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Red	Yellow	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
	1.b	Red	Red	Red	Green	Green	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
	1.c	Green	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red	Red
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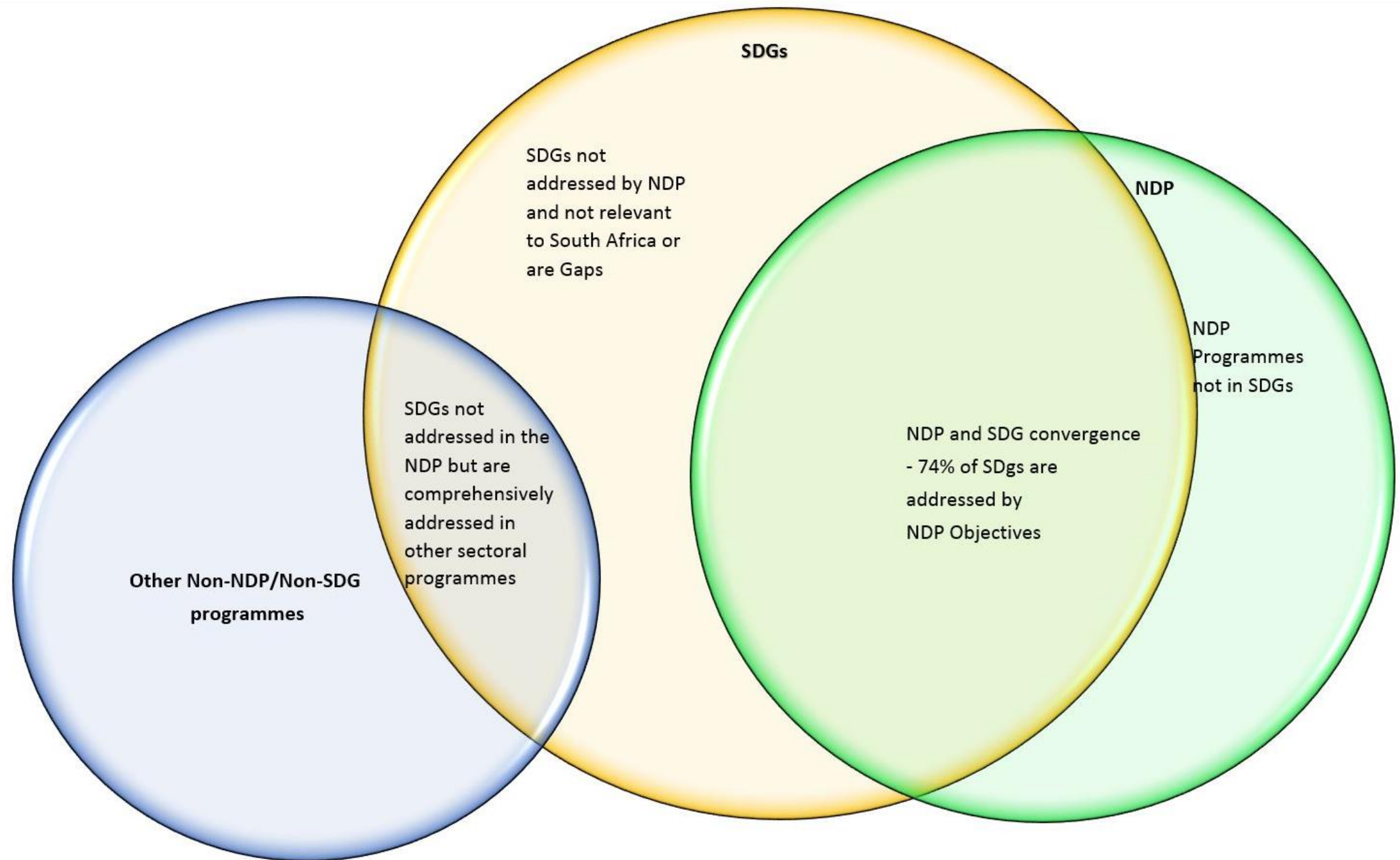
Direct/Strong Alignment

Indirect/Weak Alignment

No links between NDP and SDGs

Typology of NDP programmes

1. NDP programmes which directly or indirectly address aspects of SDGs/ Agenda 2063 as defined by the criteria above – green → yellow → Red
 2. NDP programmes not addressing any SDG targets/Agenda 2063 Priorities
 3. SDG targets / Agenda 2063 priorities not addressed in the NDP, and are not relevant nor applicable to South Africa
 4. SDG targets / Agenda 2063 priorities not addressed in the NDP, but are comprehensively addressed in other sectoral programmes
 5. Other programmes which are neither found in the NDP or the SDGs / Agenda 2063 priorities – (*Not the focus of this analysis*)
 6. Overarching programmes – common/essential to all SDGs
- *This analysis focusses on category 3 and 4 above.....*



Gap Analysis

- NST developed to respond to issues identified in Vision 2050
- Elements of SDGs left out of the NST because:-
 1. SDG targets not a priority nor relevant for Rwanda
 2. SDG targets a priority for Rwanda, but are being dealt with outside the NST
 3. NST Priorities are critical to Rwanda but not reflected in the SDG framework
- NST Objectives which are high level and apply to all SDG targets – GDP growth, Security, Anticorruption, ICT, etc.

Next Steps

- Alignment is a first step in the domestication process
- Extend mapping to non-state actors – all stakeholders.
- Multiplier analysis – which actions will have the greatest impact on SDGs and Agenda 2063?
- Modelling the NST/Economy – Determination of pivotal sectors/NST objectives
- Sub-national level – what is being implemented – who is involved in implementation
- Align sub-national programmes to SDGs and Agenda 2063
- SDG achievement depends on implementation of national and sub-national programmes
- Foresight? Where will Rwanda be 30 – 50 years from now? How do we prepare?
- Coordination mechanisms? Who keeps all this together?
- Prioritisation and sequencing – what to do first
- Capacity needs assessments – capacity to do what? Capacity for whom?

Thank you