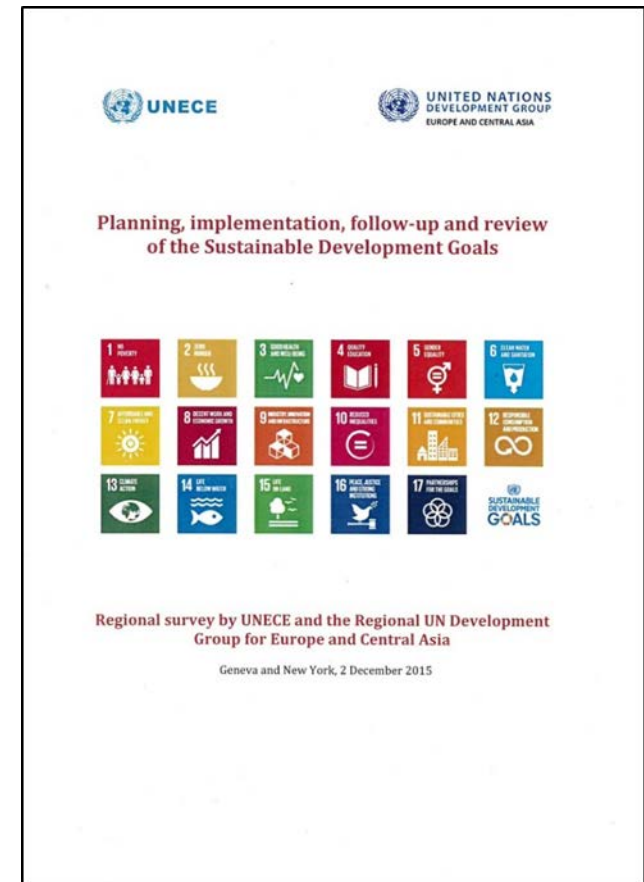


# UNECE/R-UNDG Survey



## Regional Survey on Planning, Implementation, Follow-up and Review of the Sustainable Development Goals

- 38 replies out of 56 countries
- 8 do not wish to have response public
- Survey report;  
[http://www.unece.org/fileadmin/DAM/Regional\\_SDG\\_Survey\\_summary\\_version\\_9\\_May.pdf](http://www.unece.org/fileadmin/DAM/Regional_SDG_Survey_summary_version_9_May.pdf)
- Responses:  
<http://www.unece.org/sustainable-development/sustainable-development/home/regional-sdg-survey.html>



# Policies and governance



- Seeking to build on **existing policy frameworks**; e.g. national sustainable development strategies
- **Review** of policies and strategies in light of Sustainable Development Goals
- **Inter-ministerial** coordination structures in view of integrated agenda
- **‘Whole-of-government’** approaches most often led at highest political level (Head of Government)



# Priorities and participation



- Definition of **national priorities** – but no ‘cherry-picking’
- **Adaptation** of Sustainable Development Goals to national and local realities
- Need for **advocacy** and **awareness** raising
- Involvement of **stakeholders** at all levels
- **UN system**: provider of norms, standards, legal instruments, policy recommendations and expert advice.



# Monitoring and review

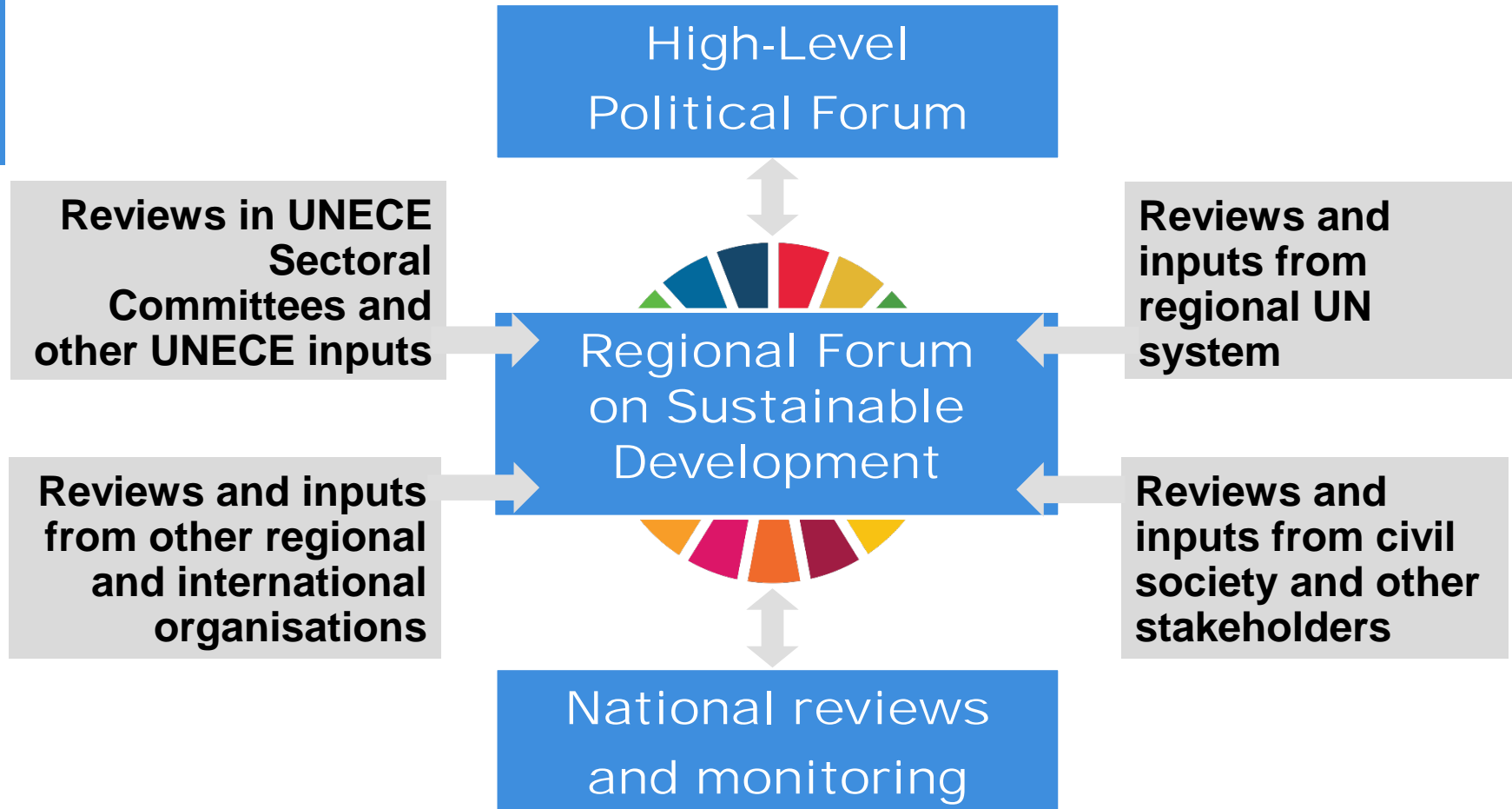


- Need for good quality **data**
- **Disaggregation** 'to leave no one behind'
- Mechanisms for **review** not fully defined, but need for transparent, inclusive, participatory process
- Importance of **indicators**
- **Guidelines** on common reporting welcome



# Regional Follow-up and Review

Geneva, 25 April 2017



# Regional Forum on Sustainable Development

Geneva, 25 April 2017



- Back-to-back with **UNECE Anniversary session**



- Functions of **regional reviews**:
  - Peer learning and exchange of best practices
  - Identify regional trends
  - Address transboundary issues
- **Policy Segment** on “**The Second Year of the SDGs in the Region – Knowing Where We Stand and Moving on to Prosperity and Well-being for All**”
- **Regional Round Tables** for peer learning:
  - Nationalization and localization of SDGs
  - Subregional cooperation for SDG implementation
  - Data and monitoring

