MULTI-STAKEHOLDER CONSULTATION
ONE STRATEGIC FRAMEWORK FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE GOVERNMENT OF VIET NAM (CF) FOR THE PERIOD 2022 – 2026

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Session 1:
Overview of the CF, OSP evaluation recommendations, 2021 CCA report, identification of CF priorities, and overall ToC
One Strategic Framework for Sustainable Development Cooperation

The four key chapters of the One Strategic Framework:

- Country progress to 2030 Agenda
- UN Support to 2030 Agenda
- Implementation Plan
- Monitoring and Evaluation

CCA

M&E and Learning Plan

TOC & Evaluation

Joint Work Plans
One Strategic Framework for Sustainable Development Cooperation

• Based on the OSP Independent Evaluation recommendations - the One Strategic Framework will:
  • Ensure a robust Theory of Change
  • Emphasize normative, capacity building and awareness raising mandates constituting major comparative advantage of the UN development system
  • Strengthen GOVN and stakeholder engagement
  • Improve governance and management structure
  • Systematic and coherent joint programming and joint programmes with improved GOVN engagement
  • Enhanced monitoring and reporting
One Strategic Framework for Sustainable Development Cooperation

• Signed by the Government of Viet Nam, the UN Resident Coordinator and all engaged UN entities

• Focus on the Common Country Analysis (CCA) that concluded priorities for:
  • Inclusive social development
  • Climate change response and disaster risk management
  • Shared prosperity through economic transformation
  • Governance and access to justice

• A Theory of Change translated development ‘problems’ into development solutions, actions and results for 2022 – 2026.

• All is planned and backed by the resources, policy advocacy and technical capacity of the UN development system in Viet Nam.
### CHANGE PATHWAY OVERVIEW – THEORY OF CHANGE

By 2026 Viet Nam will have **inclusive social development; climate change response, disaster resilience and environmental sustainability; shared prosperity through economic transformation; good governance and access to justice.**

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<td><strong>1.1</strong> The education system in Viet Nam provides gender-responsive, equitable, climate resilient, quality education and learning, which will equip all children, adolescents, youth, and adults with relevant learning, and life, transferrable and digital skills, including during emergencies.</td>
<td><strong>2.1</strong> Enhanced capacity and gender-responsive policies to identify and reduce climate risks, respond to disasters and build resilience of vulnerable populations. <strong>2.2</strong> Accelerated implementation of policies and measures and enhanced awareness and engagement of stakeholders for low carbon development, circular economy, environmental protection and reduced environmental pollution. <strong>2.3</strong> Strengthened institutional capacity and action from all stakeholders for sustainable management and use of natural resources and effective conservation of biodiversity and ecosystems. <strong>2.4</strong> Improved capacity to reduce negative impacts of climate change, environmental degradation on human development.</td>
<td><strong>3.1</strong> Reformed labour market institutions are used for improving labour standards for all types of workers and formalizing informal employment. <strong>3.2</strong> National capacities are strengthened to formulate and implement evidence-based policies and strategies, and enhance enabling ecosystems for inclusive, transformative and sustainable agriculture, industry and service sectors for decent work. <strong>3.3</strong> Sustainable, inclusive and responsible business models and practices including MSMEs and cooperatives are promoted to increase productivity, trade development and innovation, and improve working conditions and compliance, with special focus on economic empowerment of the poor, ethnic minorities and women. <strong>3.4</strong> Strengthened heritage preservation and urban creativity is undertaken to enhance cultural industries and advance sustainable tourism. <strong>3.5</strong> Evidence-based options and mechanisms are promoted to expand public and private finance for achieving SDGs. <strong>3.6</strong> Appropriate technologies, digital tools and platforms are accessible and adopted to facilitate a smooth and inclusive transition to the fourth industrial revolution (IR 4.0).</td>
<td><strong>4.1</strong> The enabling environment is created towards innovative, responsive, accountable and transparent national systems in participation of vulnerable groups in the sustainable development process. <strong>4.2</strong> National institutions and systems are enhanced to strengthen the rule of law, expand access to justice and combat discrimination with a focus on vulnerable groups and in a child, youth and gender sensitive manner in line with international human rights norms and standards. <strong>4.3</strong> The social, institutional and legal environment is enhanced to accelerate the achievement of gender equality, empowerment, participation and decision-making of women and to eliminate all forms of discrimination against women, girls and LGBTIQ persons. <strong>4.4</strong> Socio cultural attitudes and practices, accountability, and legal and policy frameworks are transformed to eliminate gender-based violence and all forms of abuse, exploitation and discrimination against vulnerable groups. <strong>4.5</strong> National legislation, policies and agencies are strengthened to prevent and address trafficking in persons, migrant smuggling, illicit drugs, wildlife trafficking, corruption and money laundering, and equitable access to protection systems is ensured for victims, witnesses and other vulnerable groups, especially migrants, women and children. <strong>4.6</strong> Data and production, analysis and use are strengthened to inform evidence based and rights-based policies, planning, budgeting.</td>
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### Strategic Overview

**Desired Changes/Impact**

- Freedom from poverty in all its dimensions.
- People empowered to reach their full potential
- Safer and cleaner environment
- Human rights fulfilled and no one left behind
- Sustainable, inclusive, gender responsive economic transformation
- Enhanced productivity, competitiveness and decent work
- Safe, just and inclusive society
- Strengthened rule of law
- Freedom from all forms of violence

**Priorities**

- Inclusive Social Development
- Climate Change Response, Disaster Resilience & Environmental Sustainability
- Shared Prosperity through Economic Transformation
- Governance and Access to Justice

**Outcomes**

1. By 2026, people in Viet Nam, especially those at risk of being left behind, will benefit from inclusive, gender responsive, disability-sensitive, equitable, affordable and quality social services and social protection systems, will be free from poverty in all its dimensions and will be empowered to reach their full potential

2. By 2026, people in Viet Nam, especially those at risk of being left behind, will benefit from and contribute to safer and cleaner environment resulting from Viet Nam’s effective mitigation and adaptation to climate change, disaster risk reduction and resilience building, promotion of circular economy, the provision of clean and renewable energy, and the sustainable management of natural resources

3. By 2026, people in Viet Nam, especially those at risk of being left behind, will contribute to and benefit equitably from more sustainable, inclusive and gender-responsive economic transformation based on innovation, entrepreneurship, enhanced productivity, competitiveness, and decent work

4. By 2026, people in Viet Nam, especially those at risk of being left behind, will have benefited from and have contributed to a more just, safe and inclusive society based on improved governance, more responsive institutions, strengthened rule of law and the protection of and respect for human rights, gender equality and freedom from all forms of violence and discrimination in line with international standards.

**Guiding Principles**

- Gender equality and women’s empowerment
- Youth and women’s empowerment
- Resilience/Risk mitigation
- Leaving No One Behind
- Human Rights
- Sustainability
- Social Cohesion
- Conflict sensitivity
- Human Security

**Cross-cutting**

- Human Rights
- Equity and Inclusivity
- Gender Equality
- Climate change
- Humanitarian and Pandemic Response

**Enablers**

- Strategic innovation
- Digitisation
- Data and evidence generation
- Financing and budgeting
- Capacity building
- Accountability and participation
- Partnerships

**Risks**

- COVID-19
- Climate Change
- Reduced political will
- Changed government systems
- Reduced or limited financial investment
- Limited verifiable data
- Restrictions on public participation and fundamental rights

**Demographic Focus**

- Children
- Youth
- Women
- Elderly

**LNOB**

- Ethnic Minorities
- Stateless Persons
- Persons with Disabilities
- Migrants
- People Living in disaster prone areas
- LGBTQI People
- People affected by HIV