

GOAL 13. TAKE URGENT ACTION TO COMBAT CLIMATE CHANGE AND ITS IMPACTS

Goal 13 Proposed Targetsⁱ:

13.1 strengthen resilience and adaptive capacity to climate related hazards and natural disasters in all countries

13.2 integrate climate change measures into national policies, strategies, and planning

13.3 improve education, awareness raising and human and institutional capacity on climate change mitigation, adaptation, impact reduction, and early warning

13.a implement the commitment undertaken by developed country Parties to the UNFCCC to a goal of mobilizing jointly USD100 billion annually by 2020 from all sources to address the needs of developing countries in the context of meaningful mitigation actions and transparency on implementation and fully operationalize the Green Climate Fund through its capitalization as soon as possible

13.b Promote mechanisms for raising capacities for effective climate change related planning and management, in LDCs, including focusing on women, youth, local and marginalized communities



A healthy climate is a healthy economy.
TAKE CLIMATE ACTION.

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MDG Progress on Water Managementⁱⁱ:

Target 7.A: Integrate the principles of sustainable development into country policies and programmes and reverse the loss of environmental resources

- Forests are a safety net for the poor, but they continue to disappear at an alarming rate.
- Global emissions of carbon dioxide (CO₂) have increased by more than 50 percent since 1990.
- In the 26 years since the adoption of the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, there has been a reduction of over 98 per cent in the consumption of ozone-depleting substances.
- Afforestation and the natural expansion of forests have reduced the net loss of forest from an average of 8.3 million hectares annually in the 1990s to an average of 5.2 million hectares annually between 2000 and 2010.

ⁱ United Nations Open Working Group. *Outcome Document – Open Working Group on Sustainable Development Goals*. July 2014.

ⁱⁱ United Nations. MDG Momentum. <http://www.un.org/millenniumgoals/mdgmomentum.shtml>