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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

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UN support for MYP in government-led SDG/NDG acceleration

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP in strengthening national policies	■					
MYP in enhancing national SDG financing frameworks	■					
MYP in establishing investment platforms	■					
MYP in SDG localization	⧸					
MYP in SDG follow-up and review	⧸					

Strengthening MYP in UN programmes and projects for SDG/NDG impact

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP in the design or expansion of UN programmes	■					
MYP in the implementing of UN programmes	■					
Supporting youth-led solutions	⧸					
Funding youth-led organizations	⧸					

UN support for MYP in strengthening national institutions

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP for shaping long-term national vision	⧸					
Strengthening national institutions for MYP	■					

UN advocacy for MYP in policymaking and decision-making

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Advocacy for MYP in policymaking and decision-making	■					

UN leadership on MYP

Youth engagement in UNCT Planning Frameworks

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Common Country Analysis	■					
Cooperation Framework Formulation	■					

Youth (groups) engaged by the UNCT

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Broad youth engagement[7]	■					
Young leaders[8]	■					
Youth in the UN	■					
Youth networks[9]	■					

Youth networks

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
At grassroots level	⧸					
Girls and young women	⧸					
Youth with disabilities	■					
Indigenous youth	⧸					
Youth in conflict-affected areas	⧸					
Migrant and refugee youth	■					
LGBTIQ+ youth	⧸					
Youth living with HIV/AIDS	⧸					
Youth of African descent	⧸					

UNCT policies and processes to support MYP

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Meaningful participation guidance	■					
Safe participation	⧸					
Voluntary participation	⧸					
Inclusion and non-discrimination	⧸					
Reserved seats for youth in decision-making	⧸					
Funding for participation	■					
Transparent selection	■					
Clear roles and outcomes	■					
Reciprocal feedback	⧸					
Youth as partners	■					

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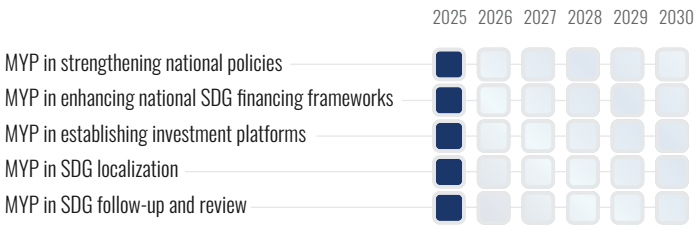

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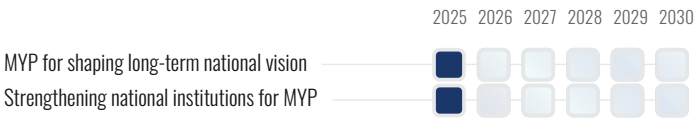

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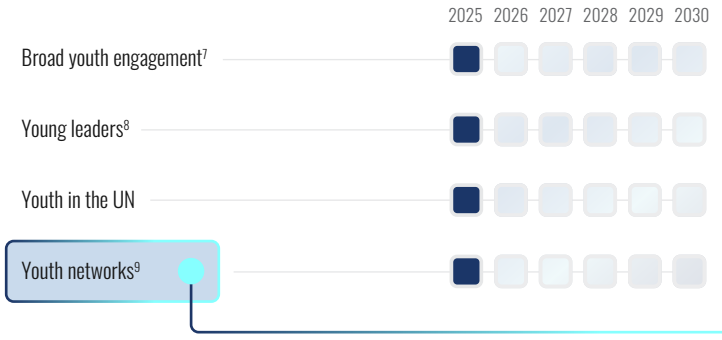

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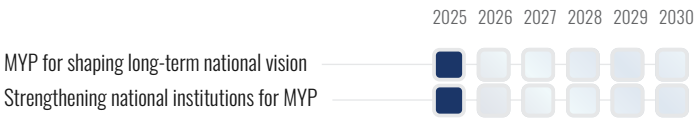

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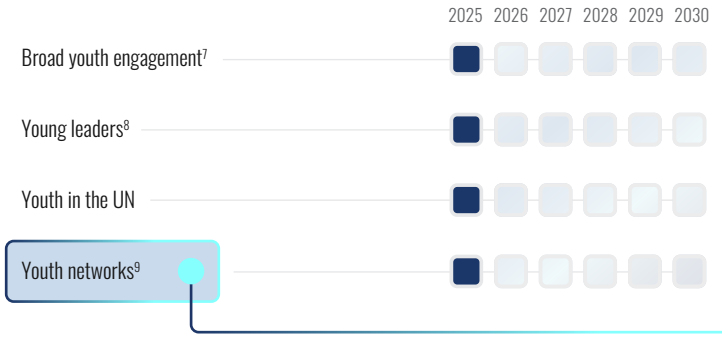

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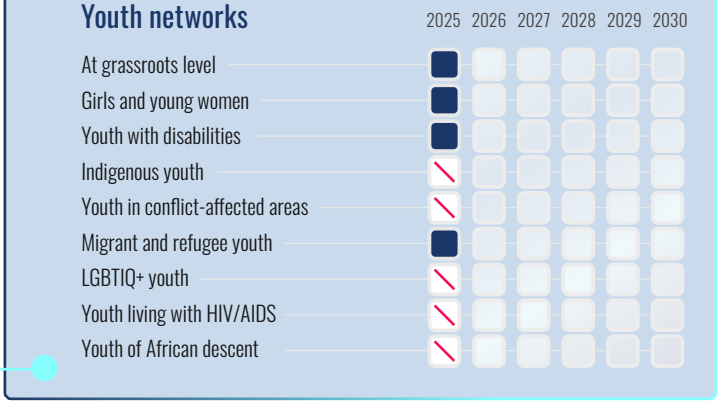

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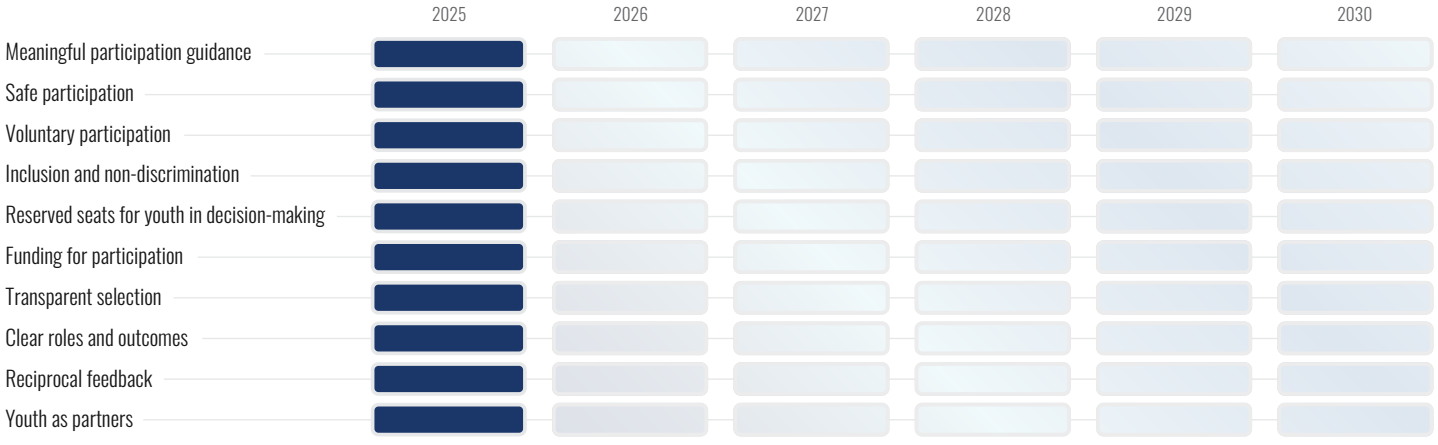

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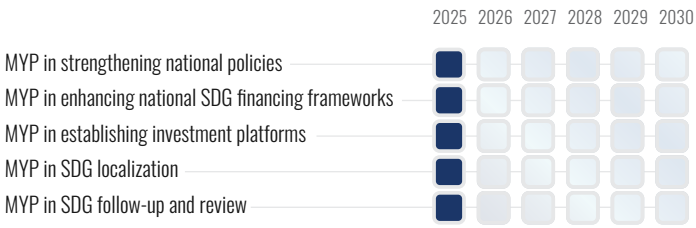

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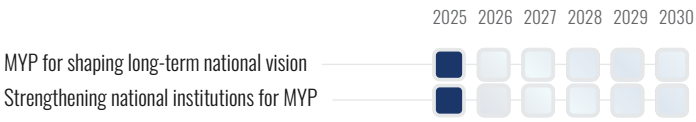

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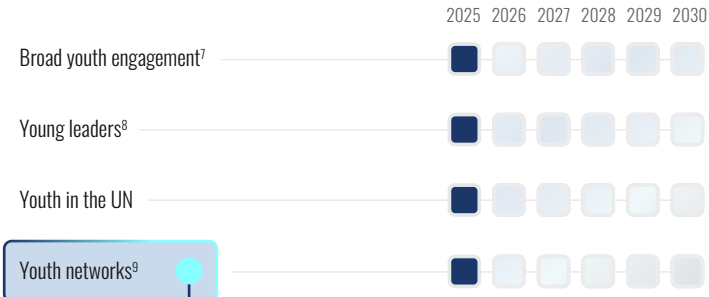

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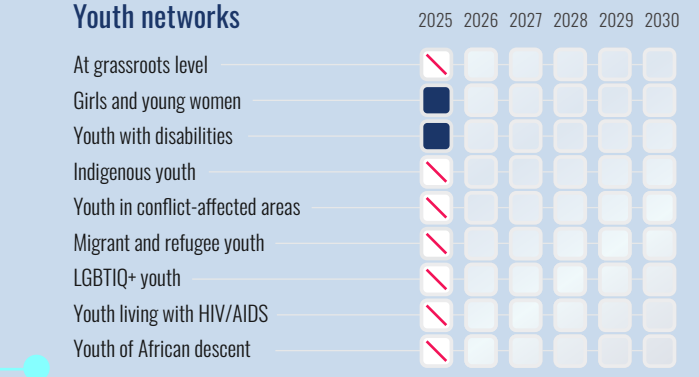

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Lebanon

Highlights on Meaningful Youth Participation (MYP) — Supported | Not supported | To be reported

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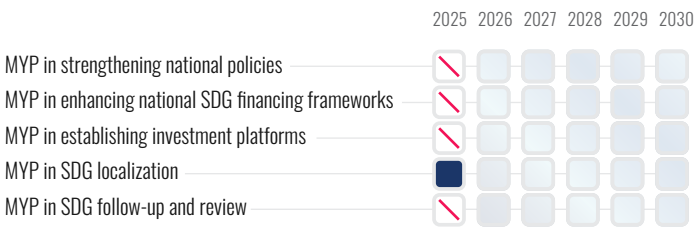

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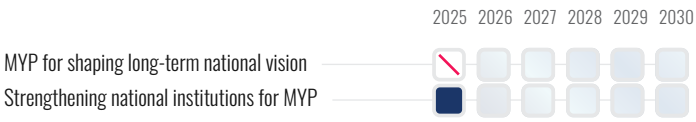

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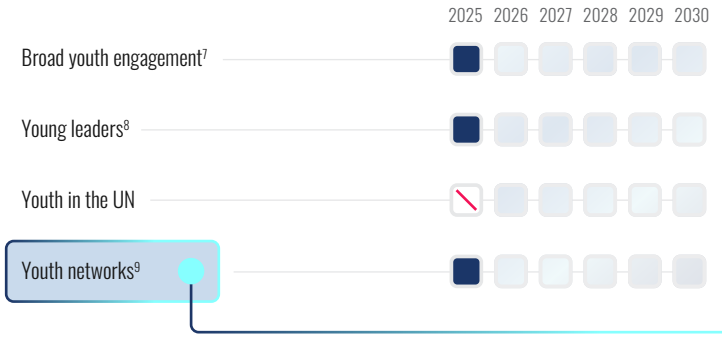

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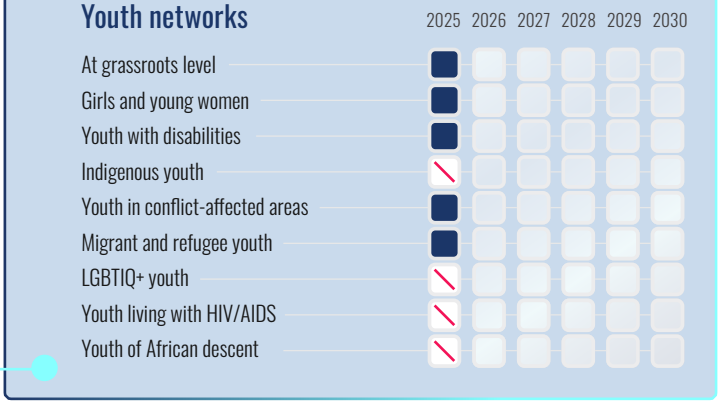

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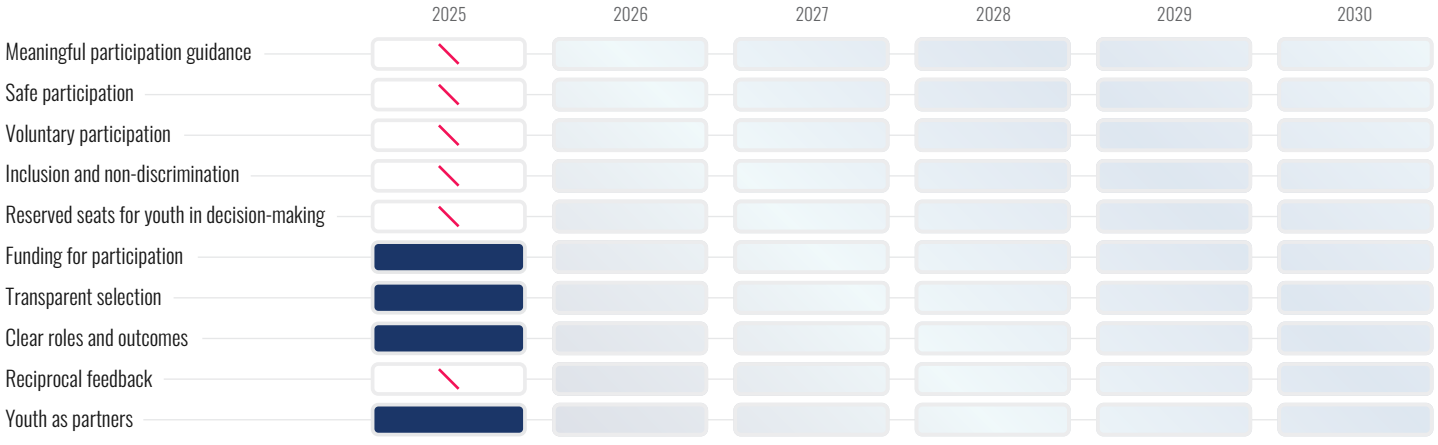

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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

Palestine

How to read Key Performance Areas (KPAs): FOR youth | WITH youth

How to read scores: At milestone | Moving forward | Getting ready

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Section-I: Youth-inclusive SDG/NDG[2] acceleration								
KPA1 - Strengthen efforts to accelerate SDGs/NDGs with and for youth								
To what extent has the UNCT **integrated youth priorities** in SDG/NDG acceleration efforts?	Q1.1a	●						
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Section-II: Youth empowerment and engagement								
KPA3 - Build knowledge and capacities for youth-inclusive SDG/NDG acceleration								
To what extent did the UNCT strengthen the knowledge and capacities of key stakeholders for **integrating youth priorities?**	Q3.1a	●						
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KPA5 - Support young talent (≤35 years) across the UN								
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To what extent have key UNCT **planning, implementation and reporting** frameworks included youth?	Q7.1	●						
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To what extent have youth been engaged in the **Cooperation Framework Processes** (CCA,CF)?	C Series[5]	●						
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Palestine

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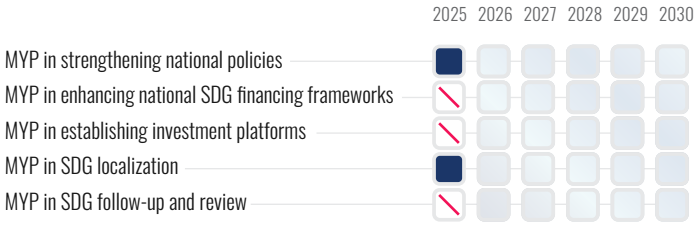

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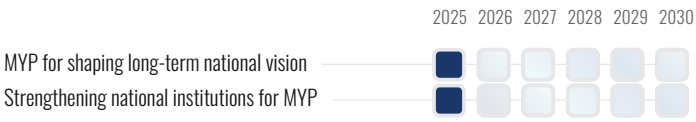

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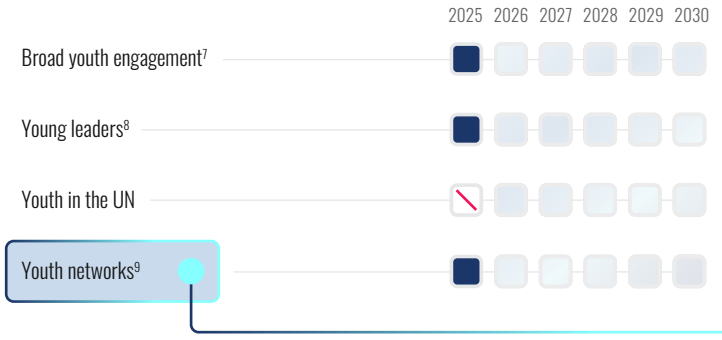

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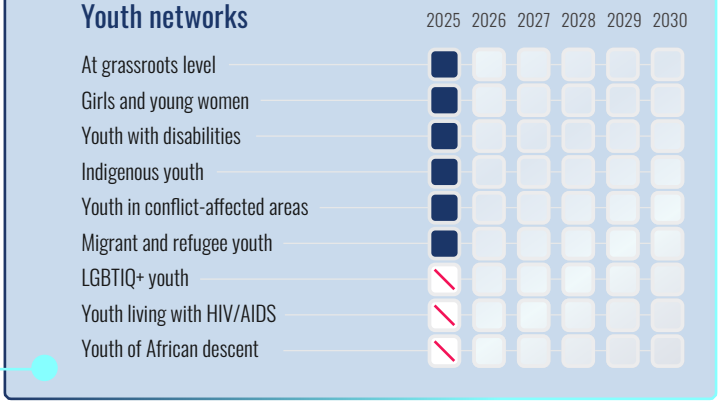

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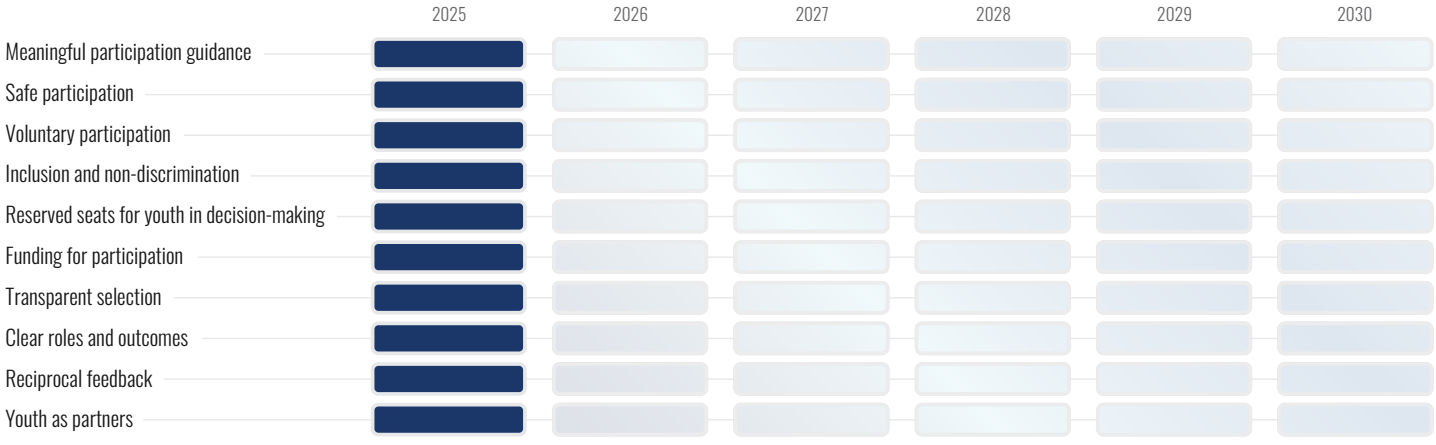

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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

Saudi Arabia

How to read Key Performance Areas (KPAs): FOR youth | WITH youth

How to read scores: At milestone | Moving forward | Getting ready

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		Years (Baseline: 2020) %	2020 4%	2021 19%	2022 4%	2023 19%	2024 23%
	Scorecard Q#	Year 2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Section-I: Youth-inclusive SDG/NDG[2] acceleration							
KPA1 - Strengthen efforts to accelerate SDGs/NDGs with and for youth							
To what extent has the UNCT **integrated youth priorities** in SDG/NDG acceleration efforts?	Q1.1a						
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To what extent did the UNCT support the government in **strengthening structures and systems[3] for MYP[4]?**	Q7.2						
KPA2 - Advance youth-inclusive UN programmes for SDG/NDG impact							
To what extent did the UNCT advance **youth inclusion in UN programmes** and projects for SDG/NDG impact?	Q2.1						
Section-II: Youth empowerment and engagement							
KPA3 - Build knowledge and capacities for youth-inclusive SDG/NDG acceleration							
To what extent did the UNCT strengthen the knowledge and capacities of key stakeholders for **integrating youth priorities?**	Q3.1a						
To what extent did the UNCT strengthen the knowledge and capacities of key stakeholders for **facilitating MYP?**	Q3.1b						
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KPA4 - Promote advocacy, outreach and communication with and for youth							
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Section-III: UN workforce transformation							
KPA5 - Support young talent (≤35 years) across the UN							
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Section-IV: Accountability, transparency and coherence of UN youth efforts							
KPA7 - Improve coherence of youth efforts in the UN							
To what extent did the UNCT have **mechanisms in place to ensure coherence** of youth efforts?	Q6.1						
KPA8 - Ensure accountability and transparency in UN work with and for youth							
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To what extent have youth been engaged in the **Cooperation Framework Processes** (CCA,CF)?	C Series[5]						
To what extent did the UNCT **engage with youth** (groups)?	Q7.3						
To what extent did the UNCT have in place **policies and processes to support MYP?**	Q7.4						

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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

Saudi Arabia

Highlights on Meaningful Youth Participation (MYP) — Supported | Not supported | To be reported

UN support for MYP in national efforts to accelerate SDGs/NDGs[6]

UN support for MYP in government-led SDG/NDG acceleration

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP in strengthening national policies	Not supported					
MYP in enhancing national SDG financing frameworks	Not supported					
MYP in establishing investment platforms	Not supported					
MYP in SDG localization	Not supported					
MYP in SDG follow-up and review	Not supported					

Strengthening MYP in UN programmes and projects for SDG/NDG impact

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP in the design or expansion of UN programmes	Not supported					
MYP in the implementing of UN programmes	Supported					
Supporting youth-led solutions	Not supported					
Funding youth-led organizations	Not supported					

UN support for MYP in strengthening national institutions

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP for shaping long-term national vision	Not supported					
Strengthening national institutions for MYP	Not supported					

UN advocacy for MYP in policymaking and decision-making

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Advocacy for MYP in policymaking and decision-making	Not supported					

UN leadership on MYP

Youth engagement in UNCT Planning Frameworks

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Common Country Analysis	Not supported					
Cooperation Framework Formulation	Not supported					

Youth (groups) engaged by the UNCT

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Broad youth engagement[7]	Supported					
Young leaders[8]	Not supported					
Youth in the UN	Supported					
Youth networks[9]	Supported					

Youth networks

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
At grassroots level	Not supported					
Girls and young women	Not supported					
Youth with disabilities	Not supported					
Indigenous youth	Not supported					
Youth in conflict-affected areas	Not supported					
Migrant and refugee youth	Not supported					
LGBTIQ+ youth	Not supported					
Youth living with HIV/AIDS	Not supported					
Youth of African descent	Not supported					

UNCT policies and processes to support MYP

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Meaningful participation guidance	Not supported					
Safe participation	Not supported					
Voluntary participation	Not supported					
Inclusion and non-discrimination	Not supported					
Reserved seats for youth in decision-making	Not supported					
Funding for participation	Not supported					
Transparent selection	Not supported					
Clear roles and outcomes	Not supported					
Reciprocal feedback	Not supported					
Youth as partners	Not supported					

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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

Syria

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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

Syria

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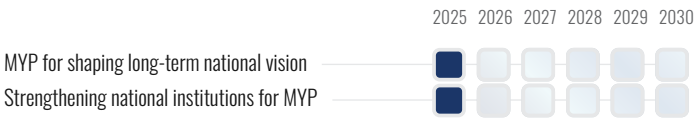

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United Arab Emirates

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To what extent did the UNCT support the government in **strengthening structures and systems[3] for MYP[4]?**	Q7.2	Moving forward					
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DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

United Arab Emirates

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UN support for MYP in government-led SDG/NDG acceleration

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MYP in strengthening national policies	Not supported					
MYP in enhancing national SDG financing frameworks	Not supported					
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MYP in SDG follow-up and review	Not supported					

Strengthening MYP in UN programmes and projects for SDG/NDG impact

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MYP for shaping long-term national vision	Not supported					
Strengthening national institutions for MYP	Supported					

UN advocacy for MYP in policymaking and decision-making

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Advocacy for MYP in policymaking and decision-making	Not supported					

UN leadership on MYP

Youth engagement in UNCT Planning Frameworks

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Common Country Analysis	Supported					
Cooperation Framework Formulation	Supported					

Youth (groups) engaged by the UNCT

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Broad youth engagement[7]	Supported					
Young leaders[8]	Not supported					
Youth in the UN	Supported					
Youth networks[9]	Supported					

Youth networks

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At grassroots level	Not supported					
Girls and young women	Not supported					
Youth with disabilities	Not supported					
Indigenous youth	Not supported					
Youth in conflict-affected areas	Not supported					
Migrant and refugee youth	Not supported					
LGBTIQ+ youth	Not supported					
Youth living with HIV/AIDS	Not supported					
Youth of African descent	Not supported					

UNCT policies and processes to support MYP

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Meaningful participation guidance	Not supported					
Safe participation	Not supported					
Voluntary participation	Not supported					
Inclusion and non-discrimination	Not supported					
Reserved seats for youth in decision-making	Not supported					
Funding for participation	Not supported					
Transparent selection	Not supported					
Clear roles and outcomes	Not supported					
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UNCT SNAPSHOT SERIES

DEVELOPMENT COORDINATION OFFICE (DCO) REGION[1]: ARAB STATES

Yemen

How to read Key Performance Areas (KPAs): FOR youth | WITH youth

How to read scores: At milestone | Moving forward | Getting ready

Youth2030 Phase 1 — For detailed KPI scoring criteria, see the Youth2030 Phase 1 UNCT Scorecard ↗

Youth2030 Phase 2 — For detailed KPA scoring criteria, see the Youth2030 Phase 2 UNCT Scorecard ↗

% of Phase 1 and Phase 2 are not directly comparable: focus areas, structure and scoring were revised. ↗

		Years (Baseline: 2020) %	2020 11%	2021 19%	2022 42%	2023 12%	2024 15%
	Scorecard Q#	Year 2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
Section-I: Youth-inclusive SDG/NDG[2] acceleration							
KPA1 - Strengthen efforts to accelerate SDGs/NDGs with and for youth							
To what extent has the UNCT **integrated youth priorities** in SDG/NDG acceleration efforts?	Q1.1a	Moving forward					
To what extent has the UNCT **facilitated youth participation** in SDG/NDG acceleration efforts?	Q1.1b	Moving forward					
To what extent did the UNCT support the government in **strengthening structures and systems[3] for MYP[4]?**	Q7.2	Moving forward					
KPA2 - Advance youth-inclusive UN programmes for SDG/NDG impact							
To what extent did the UNCT advance **youth inclusion in UN programmes** and projects for SDG/NDG impact?	Q2.1	At milestone					
Section-II: Youth empowerment and engagement							
KPA3 - Build knowledge and capacities for youth-inclusive SDG/NDG acceleration							
To what extent did the UNCT strengthen the knowledge and capacities of key stakeholders for **integrating youth priorities?**	Q3.1a	At milestone					
To what extent did the UNCT strengthen the knowledge and capacities of key stakeholders for **facilitating MYP?**	Q3.1b	Getting ready					
To what extent did the UNCT strengthen the knowledge and capacities of key stakeholders for **investing in youth-led solutions?**	Q3.1c	Moving forward					
KPA4 - Promote advocacy, outreach and communication with and for youth							
To what extent did the UNCT undertake **outreach, advocacy, or communication** efforts to advance youth issues?	Q4.1	Moving forward					
Section-III: UN workforce transformation							
KPA5 - Support young talent (≤35 years) across the UN							
To what extent did the UNCT undertake efforts to **attract, recruit, and/or retain** young talent?	Q5.1a	Getting ready					
KPA6 - Enhance UN internship programmes							
To what extent did the UNCT undertake efforts to **expand opportunities and improve internship programmes?**	Q5.1b	Getting ready					
Section-IV: Accountability, transparency and coherence of UN youth efforts							
KPA7 - Improve coherence of youth efforts in the UN							
To what extent did the UNCT have **mechanisms in place to ensure coherence** of youth efforts?	Q6.1	Moving forward					
KPA8 - Ensure accountability and transparency in UN work with and for youth							
To what extent have key UNCT **planning, implementation and reporting** frameworks included youth?	Q7.1	Moving forward					
To what extent was the **proportion of allocated funding** for youth priorities **spent**?	Q7.1b(1)	Getting ready					
To what extent have youth been engaged in the **Cooperation Framework Processes** (CCA,CF)?	C Series[5]	Getting ready					
To what extent did the UNCT **engage with youth** (groups)?	Q7.3	At milestone					
To what extent did the UNCT have in place **policies and processes to support MYP?**	Q7.4	Getting ready					

[1] Includes five regions of DCO: Africa, Arab States, Asia-Pacific, Europe and Central Asia, Latin America and the Caribbean
[2] Sustainable Development Goal/National Development Goal
[3] Including beyond 2030
[4] Meaningful Youth Participation (MYP)
[5] Results from programmatic survey: C.1.4.1 and C.1.7.1

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UNCT SNAPSHOT SERIES

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Yemen

Highlights on Meaningful Youth Participation (MYP) — Supported | Not supported | To be reported

UN support for MYP in national efforts to accelerate SDGs/NDGs[6]

UN support for MYP in government-led SDG/NDG acceleration

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MYP in strengthening national policies	Not supported					
MYP in enhancing national SDG financing frameworks	Not supported					
MYP in establishing investment platforms	Not supported					
MYP in SDG localization	Supported					
MYP in SDG follow-up and review	Supported					

Strengthening MYP in UN programmes and projects for SDG/NDG impact

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP in the design or expansion of UN programmes	Not supported					
MYP in the implementing of UN programmes	Not supported					
Supporting youth-led solutions	Not supported					
Funding youth-led organizations	Not supported					

UN support for MYP in strengthening national institutions

	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030
MYP for shaping long-term national vision	Supported					
Strengthening national institutions for MYP	Not supported					

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