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The Status of the Sustainable Development Goals: Achievements and Expectations

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Since its adoption in September 2015, the 2030 Agenda has laid the foundations for model of shared prosperity for a sustainable world in which all people can lead a peaceful and prosperous life freely and on a healthy planet. There is a less than a decade until we reach 2030, in the midst of a difficult pandemic that is laying bare the deep inequalities affecting not only our health, but also our quality of life and the economy of the countries, among other issues. It will depend on us whether this situation leads us to the point of no return or, on the contrary, whether it represents an incentive to achieve the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by the established date.

- Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) implementation
- 2030 Agenda

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