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NEW DEDICATED ANNUAL PUBLICATION BY ELSTAT "GREECE: SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS 2030"

The Hellenic Statistical Authority (ELSTAT) informs users about its **new publication**, **"Greece: Sustainable Development Goals 2030»**, which aims to present and highlight the latest statistics on Greece as regards the sustainable development indicators compiled, mainly, by ELSTAT, in the context of the United Nations (UN) 2030 Agenda. The solid foundation for the successful implementation of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) in the adoption of policies, actions, programmes and strategies, both at national and international level, is access to reliable, sound and comparable statistics.

ELSTAT, as the coordinator of the Hellenic Statistical System (ELSS) and responsible for the statistical coordination of the SDGs in Greece, develops, produces and disseminates the official statistics of Greece, covering all areas of public and private activity. By actively participating in all actions and meetings of the international statistical community and in continuous communication with the Custodian Agencies responsible for monitoring the quantitative indicators of the SDGs, ELSTAT takes part in the exploration of new data sources and surveys and the development of methodological standards and principles to ensure comparability and standardisation of official statistics. At the same time, ELSTAT plays a key role in shaping and monitoring the National Set of Indicators for Greece, while systematically compiling and presenting the national statistical findings to the international community and in particular to the UN.

The publication presents in a clear and comprehensive manner, using modern visualisation tools, tables and graphs, the main national indicators that monitor the progress of the implementation of each of the seventeen SDGs in recent years. This includes data on the eradication of poverty and hunger, the promotion of education, the health and well-being of the population, gender equality, the sustainable use of natural resources, the protection of the environment and the continuous, sustainable and inclusive economic growth.

The publication "Greece: Sustainable Development Goals, 2030" will be updated with the latest available data on **the first Wednesday of June**, on a yearly basis. Please note, however, that the latest available data for each national indicator in each SDG are readily made available on the portal of ELSTAT.

More information about the new publication: <u>https://www.statistics.gr/en/sust-devel-goals</u> More information on the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs): <u>https://www.statistics.gr/en/sdgs</u>