

RESULTS of the SURVEY OF SAIs-MEMBERS of the WORKING GROUP REGARDING CONDUCTING OF COOPERATIVE AUDITS

STEP

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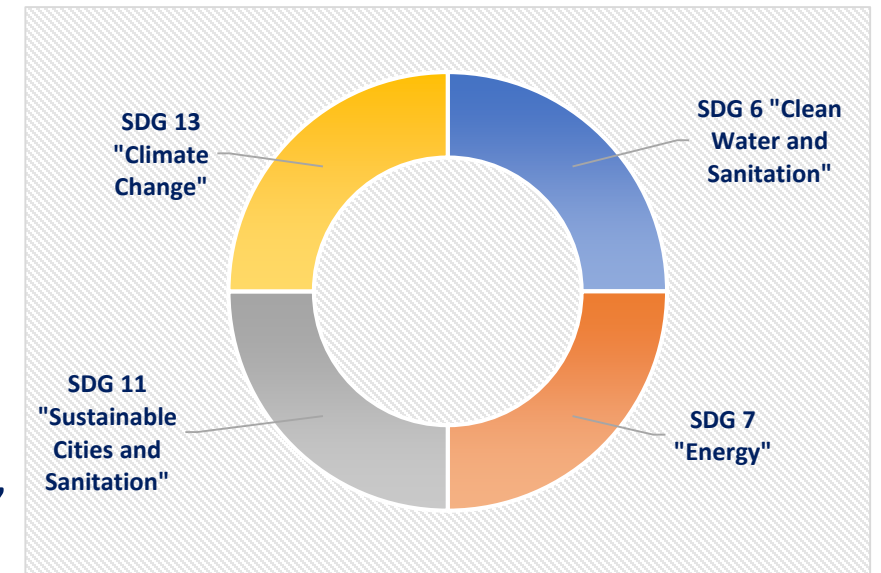
PURPOSE OF THE SURVEY:

to collect information about the efforts of our countries aimed at achieving the Sustainable Development Goals, in particular, **SDG 1 “No poverty”**, **SDG 11 “Make cities inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable”**, and **SDG 13 “Take urgent action to combat climate change and its impacts”** in terms of disasters

SURVEY RESULTS

Working Group
can contribute
to the
achievement of
SDGs by:

- ❑ organizing training and seminars to improve the level of knowledge of auditors who will be involved in conducting audits on these issues;
- ❑ conducting cooperative audits;
- ❑ preparation of manuals, exchange of best practice and experience in conducting such audits (audit matrices, methodological approaches);
- ❑ development of a unified approach to audits in this area, creation of a virtual platform for the exchange of experience between SAIs.



Expectations:

- Ability of SAIs to attract public attention and promote more effective measures from government bodies
- Development of a set of indicators for monitoring the implementation of the SDGs to facilitate parallel monitoring of countries' progress at the level of each participant

Problematic issue:

- SAIs-members have not practical experience in conducting audits to monitor the efforts of governments related implementation of SDGs, or are not able to share such experience at the present time



Separate questionnaire related to the possible cooperative audits:

- existing SAIs' experience in conducting audits in the field of disaster prevention and elimination over the past 3 years;
- interest of SAIs in conducting audits during the next 3 years;
- the most relevant audit topics;
- readiness to coordinate the international cooperative audit;
- additional proposals for cooperation at the multilateral and bilateral levels.

SURVEY RESULTS



- About half of the responded SAIs have conducted audits in the field of disaster prevention and elimination over the past three years
- Most of these audits concerned three stages: prevention/reduction of disaster risks; ensuring preparedness for disasters; emergency response at the national/international level
- Most of responded SAIs expressed interest in cooperative audits in the next 3-year period**

SURVEY RESULTS

Topical audit themes:

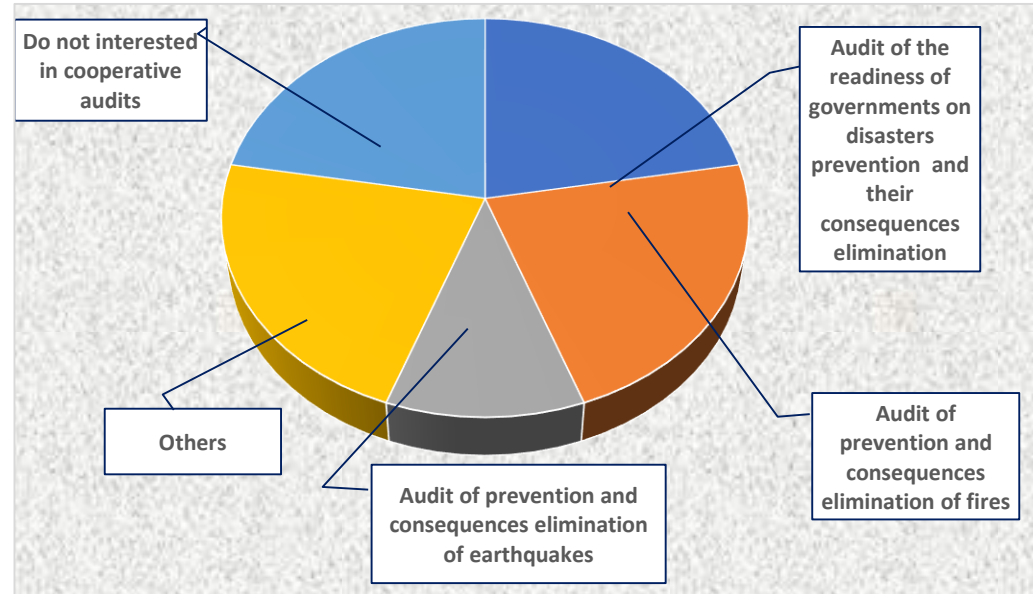
- earthquakes;
- fires;
- floods;
- effectiveness of implementation of the Sendai Disaster Risk Reduction Program 2015–2030;
- water resources and ecosystems;
- audit of waste, obsolete pesticides, land contaminated with pesticides;
- audit of unified emergency call systems at the national level



SURVEY RESULTS

Second survey: possible participation in 4 specific areas

STEP 2



- audit of the readiness of governments to disasters prevention and their consequences elimination (a catastrophe at the choice of each SAI),
- audit of prevention and consequences elimination of fires,
- audit of prevention and consequences elimination of earthquakes,
- others

SURVEY RESULTS

SUGGESTIONS:

- Update the **Common Position** on Cooperation within the International Coordinated Audit on Prevention and Consequences Elimination of **Earthquakes**, and to complete the coordinated audit in 2022



- Prepare a **draft Common Position** for Cooperative Audit on Prevention and Consequences Elimination of **Fires** (conducting audit in 2023)

- Conduct a **multilateral audit** of the readiness of governments to disasters prevention and consequences elimination (**in 2024**). Each of the participating SAIs will prepare materials based on the example of the problem/catastrophe, most topical to its country

GROUP DISCUSSION



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THANK YOU for ATTENTION !



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