# Inclusive Green Growth Index (IGGI): A New Benchmark for Well-being in Asia and the Pacific

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#### What is Inclusive Green Growth?





Broader access to opportunities



Efficient use of natural resources



#### Global Agreements







# Sustainable Development Goals





#### SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOAL 8

Promote sustained, inclusive and sustainable economic growth, full and productive employment and decent work for all

# Sustainable Development Goals







































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# Example of existing indices



2010

Inclusive Growth Indicators (IGI) - ADB

2014

Quality of Growth Index (QGI) - IMF

2014

Green Growth Indicators (GGI) – ESCAP

2017

Green Growth Indicators (GGI) – OECD

2017

Inclusive Growth and Development Index (IDI) - WEF

# Existing indices are not comprehensive



	IMF	OECD	WEF	ESCAP
<b>Economic Growth</b>				
Economic performance				
External dependency				
Economic sustainability				
<ul> <li>Labor productivity</li> </ul>				
• Employment				
Equity				
• Gender				
• Health				
Basic needs accessibility				
<ul> <li>Poverty and inclusion</li> </ul>				
• Education				
Environment				
• Water				
• Air				
Forest and land use				
• Waste				
Climate change and energy				

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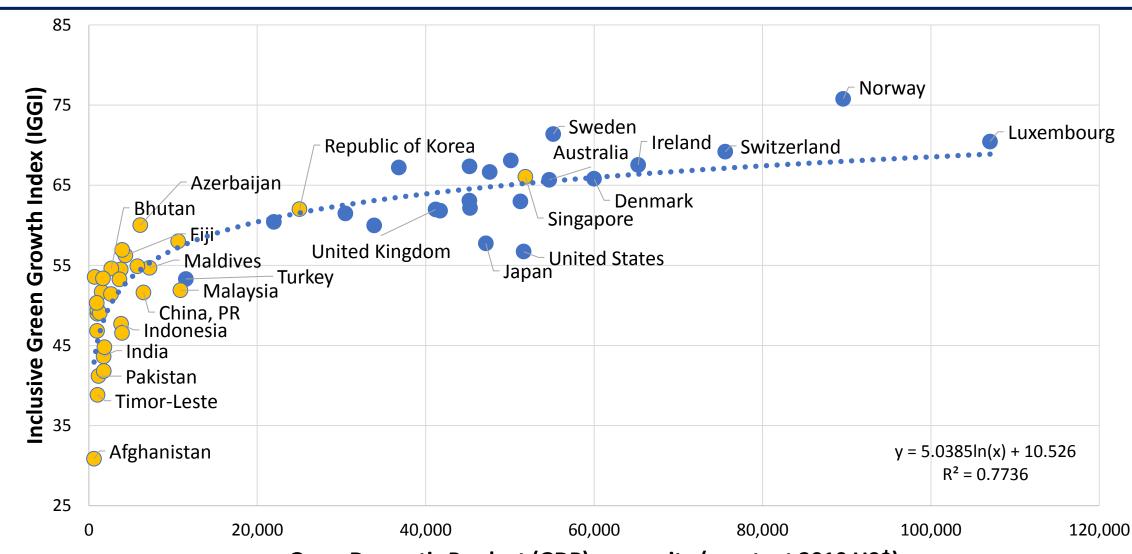
# Inclusive Green Growth Index (IGGI)



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Economic Growth and Sustainability	Social Equity	Environmental Sustainability			
Economic performance	Gender	Water			
Economic dependency	Health	Air			
Economic sustainability	Basic needs accessibility	Forest and land use			
Labor productivity	Poverty and inclusion	Waste			
Employment	Education	Climate change and energy			
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#### IGGI vs. GDP

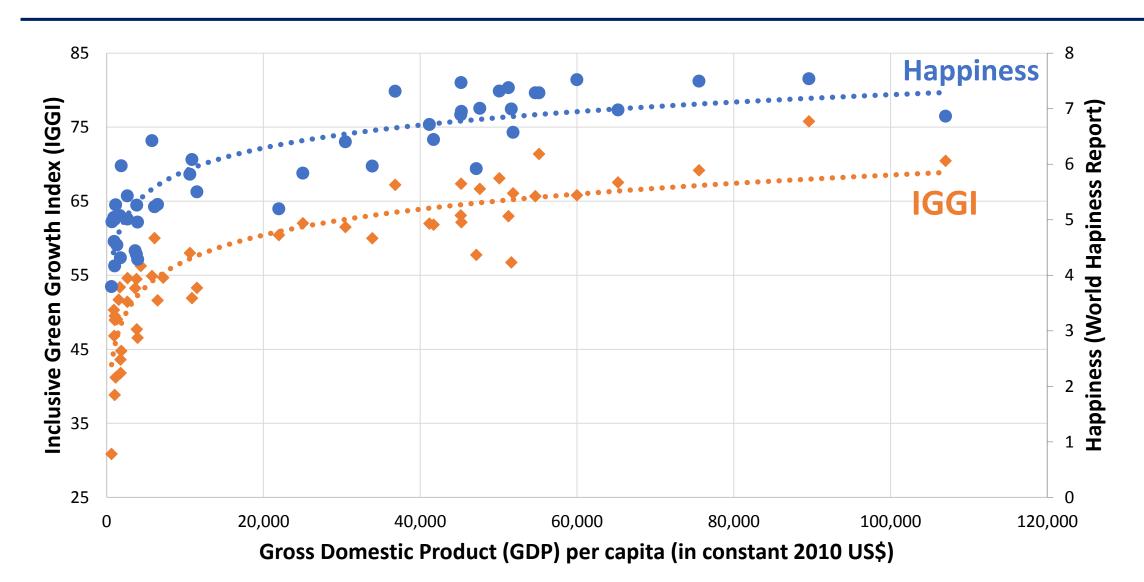




**Gross Domestic Product (GDP) per capita (constant 2010 US\$)** 

# GDP vs IGGI on Indicating Happiness





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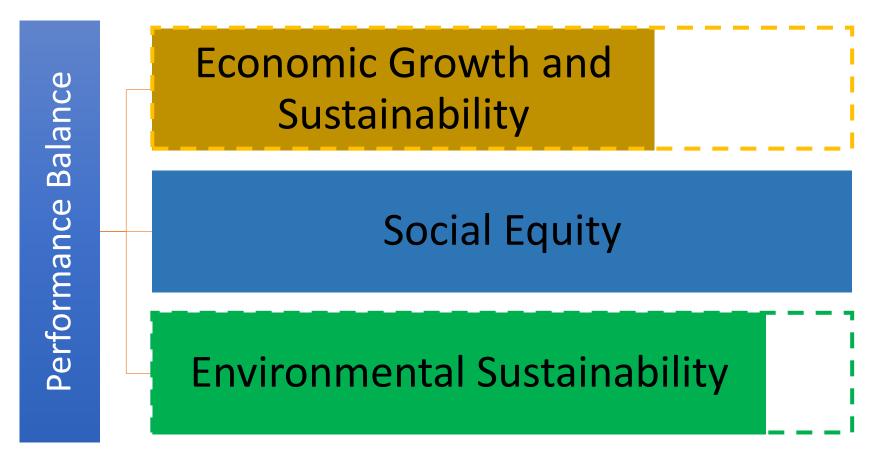


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# Cross-Pillar Balance (CPB)

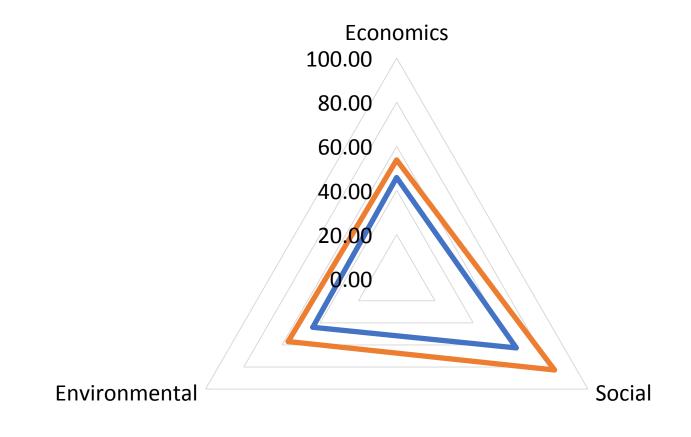


Cross-Pillar Balance = The performance balance between



#### DMCs and Non-DMCs





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DMCs				
Members	IGGI	CPB-IGGI		
Singapore	66.05	67.52		
Korea, Republic of	62.02	50.79		
Azerbaijan	60.02	55.26		
Kazakhstan	58.01	44.31		
Georgia	56.92	49.84		
Fiji	56.25	58.32		
Thailand	54.88	49.20		
Maldives	54.68	51.80		
Bhutan	54.60	60.67		
Armenia	54.48	46.15		

Non-DMCs				
CPB-IGGI	IGGI	Members		
73.97	75.78	Norway		
63.13	71.38	Sweden		
69.17	70.44	Luxembourg		
67.05	69.17	Switzerland		
62.86	68.10	Canada		
68.04	67.53	Ireland		
60.16	67.36	Finland		
60.67	67.22	New Zealand		
56.34	66.66	Austria		
62.03	65.81	Denmark		

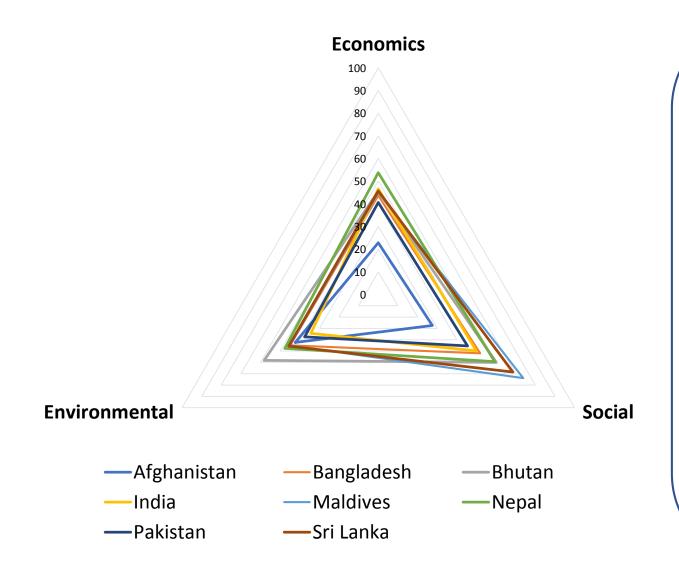
# DMCs in Five Regions



Fact Asia	South Asia	Southeast Asia	The Decific
	South Asia	Southeast Asia	The Pacific
·	Afghanistan	Brunei Darussalam	Cook Islands
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Hong Kong, China	Bangladesh	Cambodia	Fiji
Republic of Korea	Bhutan	Indonesia	Kiribati
Mongolia	India	People's Democratic Republic of Lao	Marshall Islands
Taipei, China	Maldives	Malaysia	Federated States of Micronesia
	Nepal	Myanmar	Nauru
	Pakistan	Philippines	Palau
	Sri Lanka	Singapore	Papua New Guinea
		Thailand	Samoa
		Viet Nam	Solomon Islands
			Timor-Leste
			Tonga
			Tuvalu
			Vanuatu
	Mongolia	People's Republic of China  Hong Kong, China Republic of Korea  Mongolia  Taipei, China  Maldives  Nepal Pakistan	People's Republic of China Hong Kong, China Republic of Korea  Mongolia  Hong Korea  Mongolia  Republic of Korea  Maldives  Nepal People's Democratic Republic of Lao  Nepal Nepal People's Democratic Republic of Lao  Nepal Nepal People's Democratic Republic of Lao  Maldives  Nepal People's Democratic Republic of Lao  Malaysia  Nepal Pakistan Philippines  Sri Lanka Singapore Thailand

# Results by Region: South Asia





- **❖** 4<sup>th</sup> IGGI (47.32)
- **❖** 1<sup>st</sup> CPB-IGGI (54.19)

#### 1st: Social

- Low gender equality
- High accessibility to basic needs

#### 2<sup>nd</sup>: Environmental

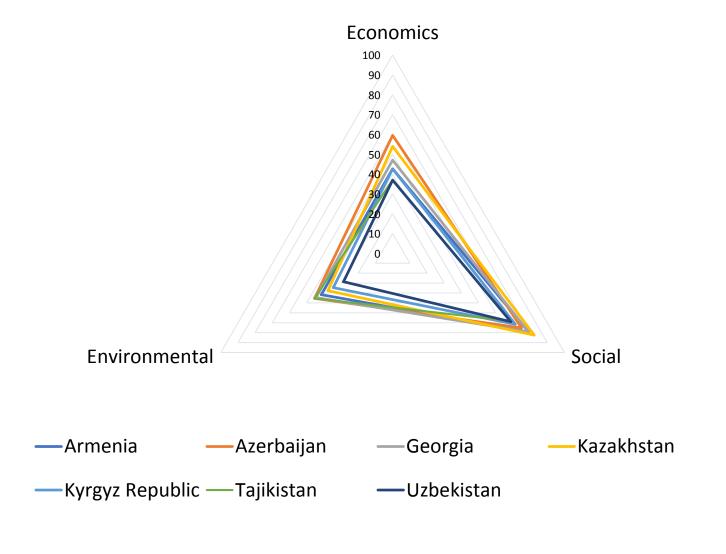
- Bhutan and Nepal: Climate Change
- Maldives: Water productivity

#### 3<sup>rd</sup>: Economic

- Low GDP per capita
- Low labor productivity

#### Results by Region: Central Asia





- **❖** 1<sup>st</sup> IGGI (53.43)
- **❖** 4<sup>th</sup> CPB-IGGI (46.10)

1st: Social

- High income equality
- High accessibility to basic needs

2<sup>nd</sup>: Economic

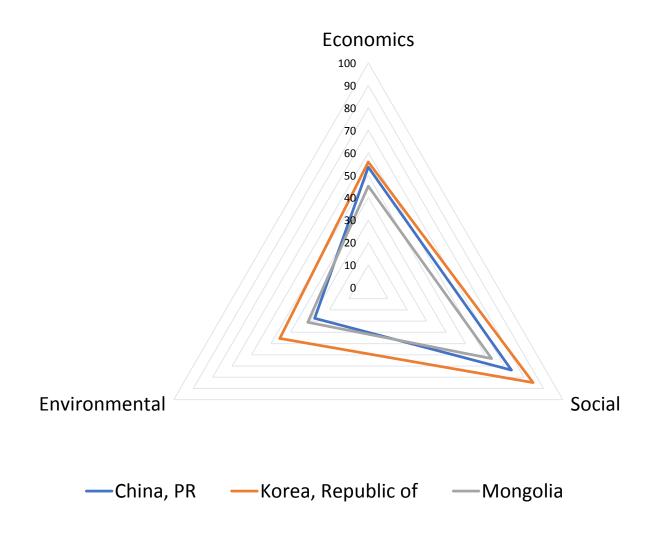
- Low GDP per capita
- Labor productivity

3<sup>rd</sup>: Environmental

- Low water productivity
- High air pollution

# Results by Region: East Asia





- ❖ 2<sup>nd</sup> IGGI (49.08)
- ❖ 5<sup>th</sup> CPB-IGGI (41.10)

1<sup>st</sup>: Social

- High accessibility to basic needs
- High gender balance

2<sup>nd</sup>: Economic

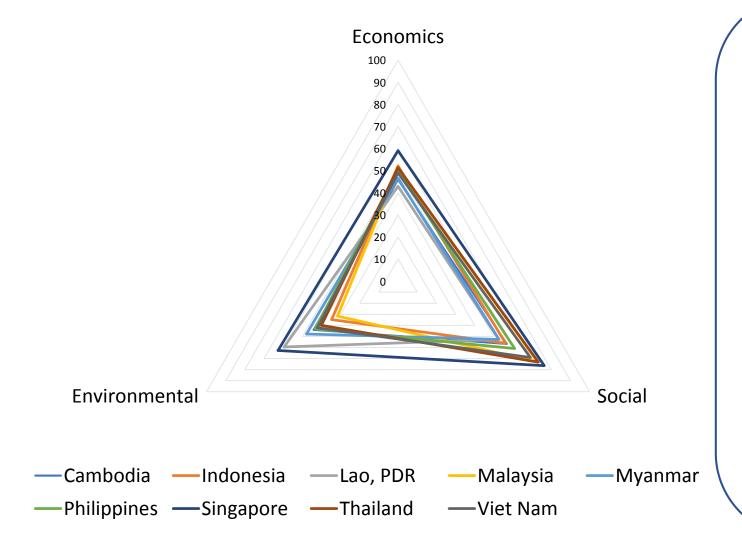
- Low GDP per capita
- Low Labor productivity

3<sup>rd</sup>: Environmental

- High threaten species
- High air pollution

#### Results by Region: Southeast Asia





- **❖** 2<sup>nd</sup> IGGI (51.12)
- **❖** 2<sup>nd</sup> CPB-IGGI (53.39)

1<sup>st</sup>: Social

- High accessibility to basic needs
- Low schooling years

2<sup>nd</sup>: Economic

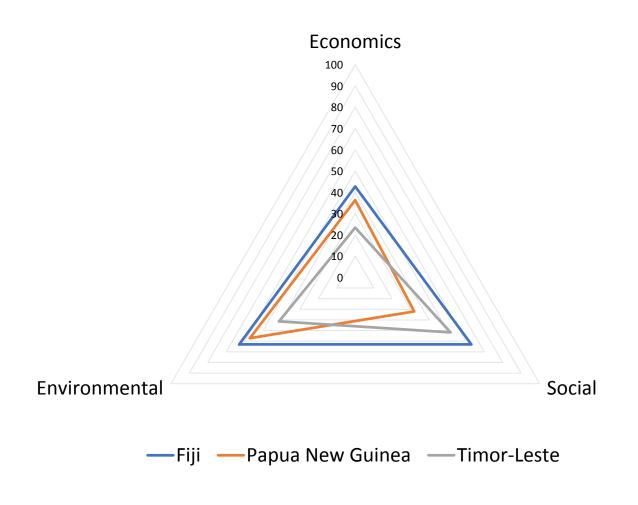
- Low GDP per capita
- Vulnerable to external shocks

3<sup>rd</sup>: Environmental

- Low water productivity
- Poor waste management
- High air pollution

#### Results by Region: The Pacific





- ❖ 5<sup>th</sup> IGGI (45.63)
- ❖ 3<sup>rd</sup> CPB-IGGI (47.66)

#### 1st: Environmental

- Low water productivity
- Low air pollution and Co2 emissions per capita

#### 2<sup>nd</sup>: Social

- Low income equality
- Low accessibility to basic needs

#### 3<sup>rd</sup>: Economic

- Low GDP per capita
- Low employment

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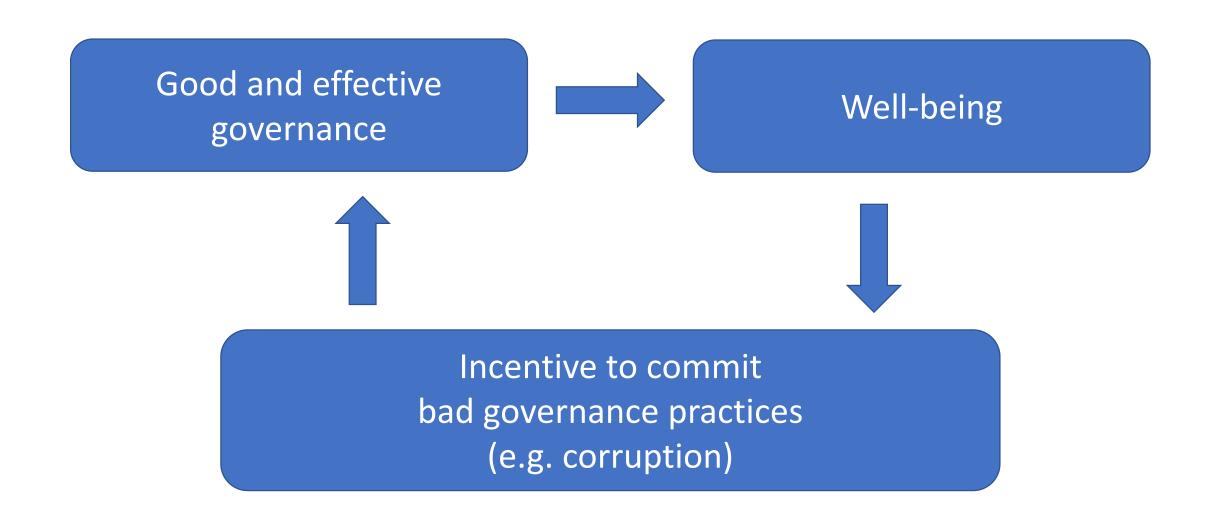
#### **Role of Institutions**



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# Vicious cycle of weak Institutions and Low well-being

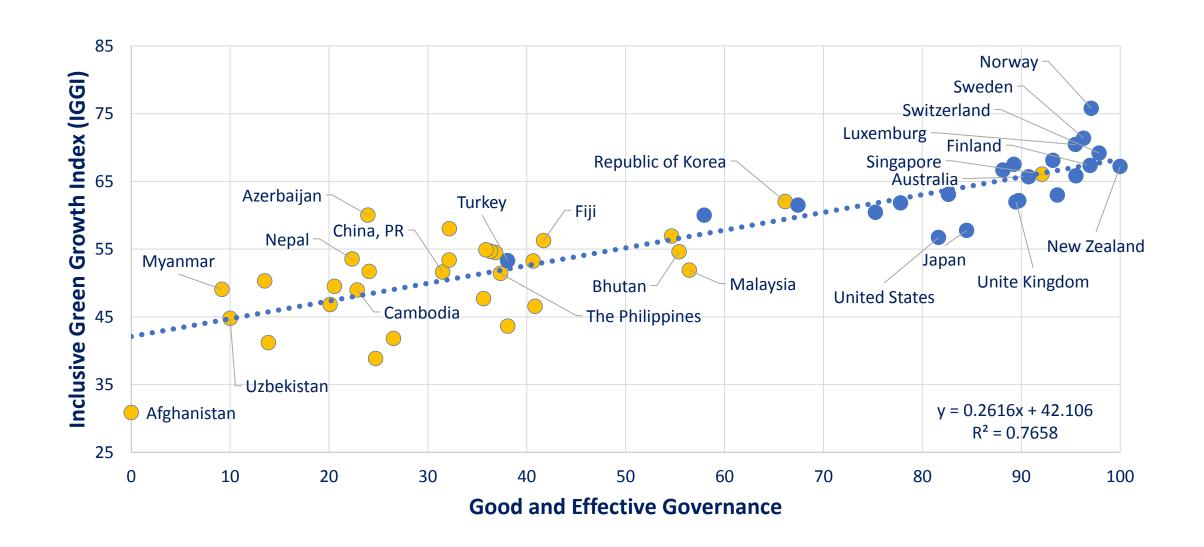




# Institution is an important driver of IGGI

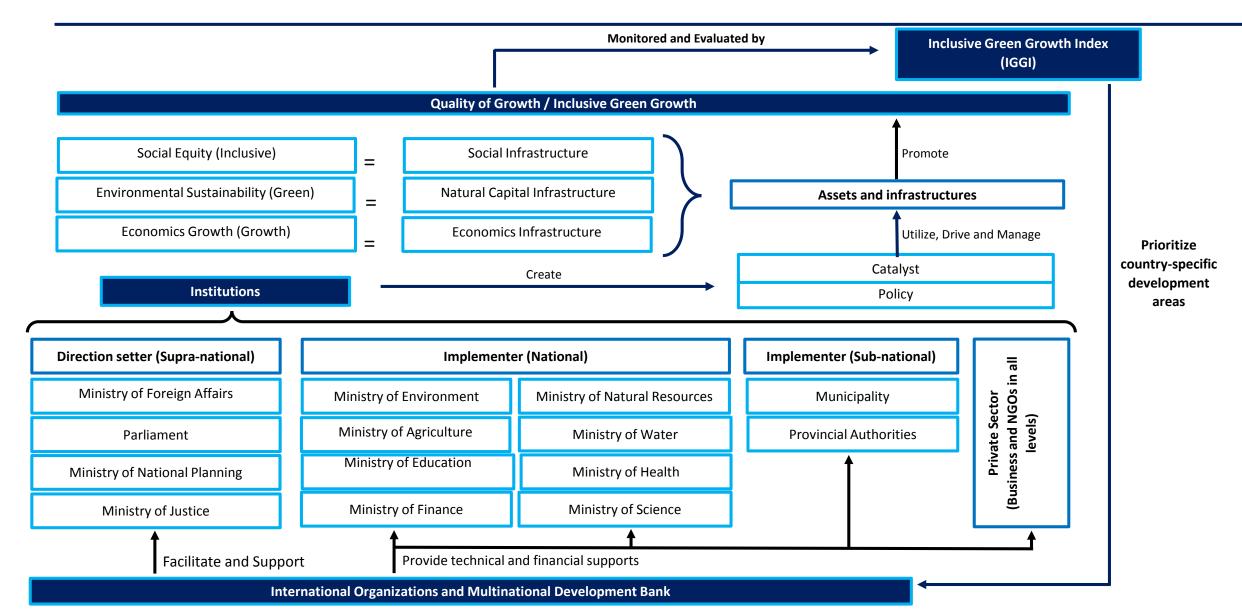






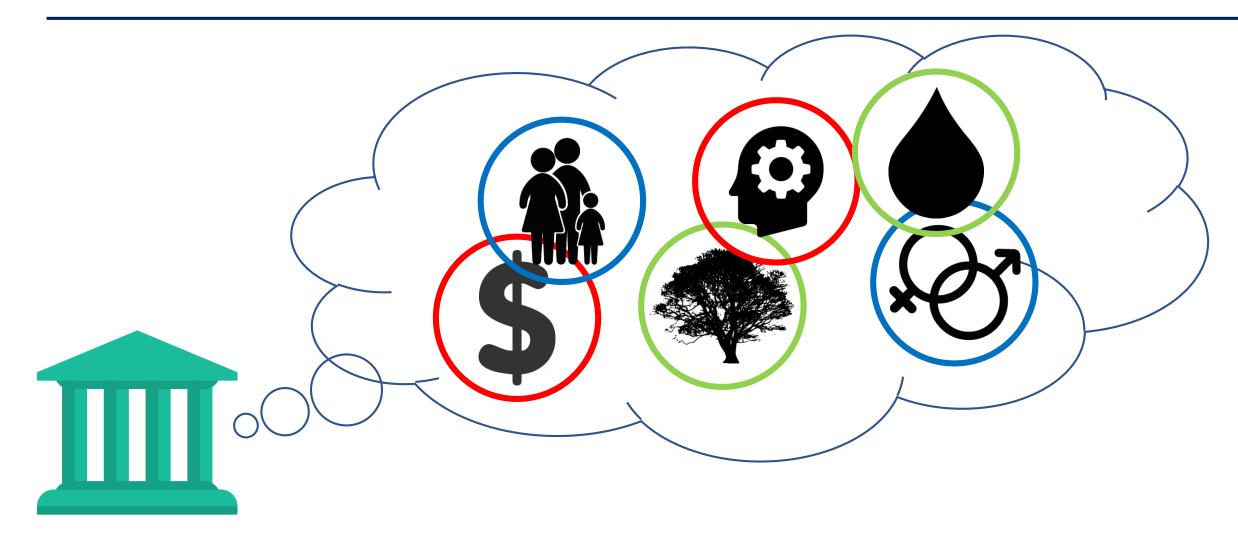
#### IGGI to Support Institutions





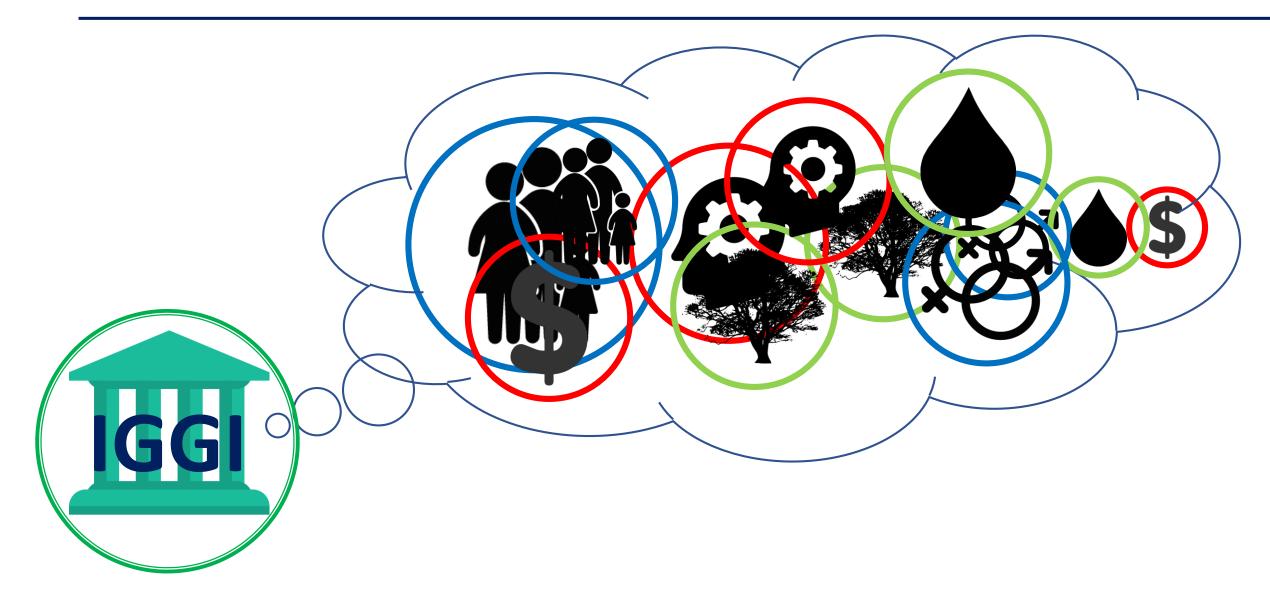
#### IGGI and Institution





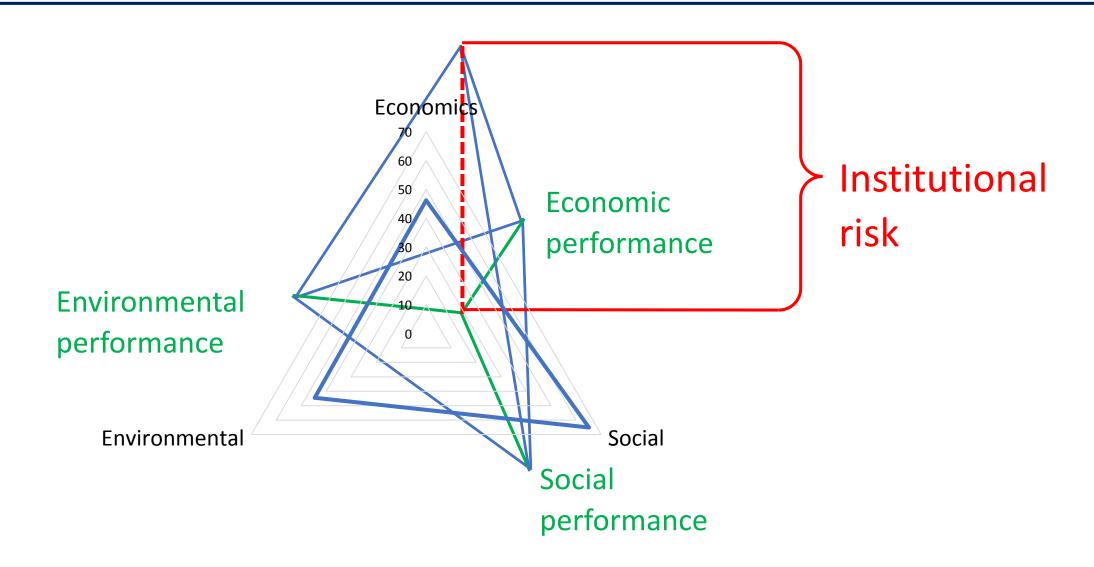
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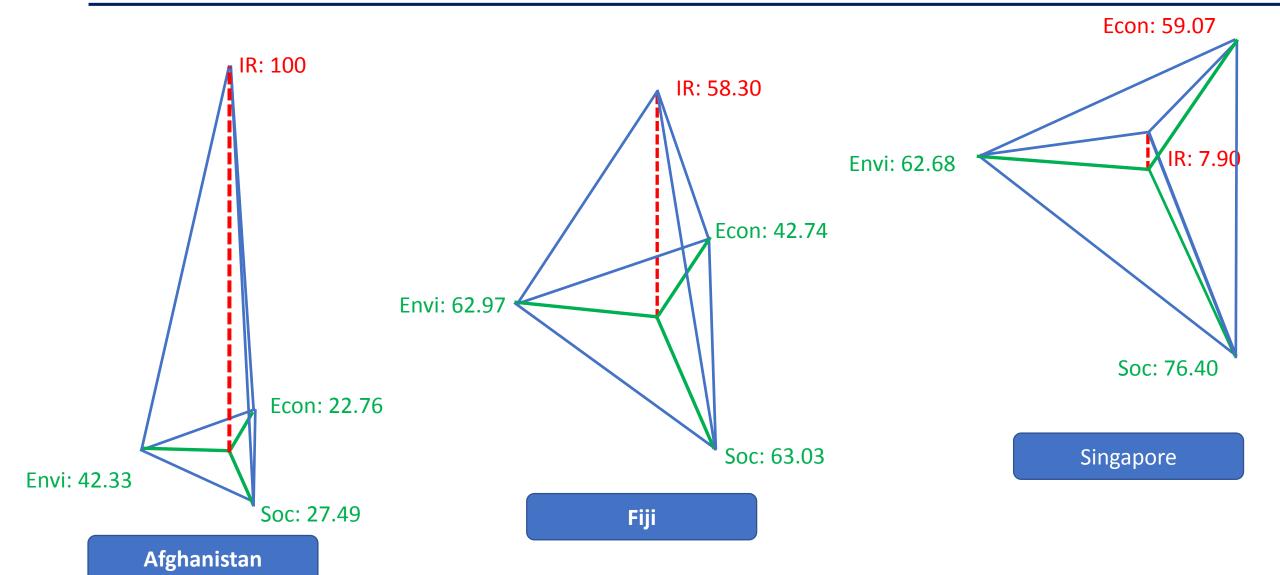
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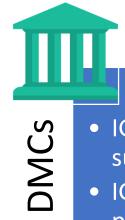
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Institutions

- IGGI identifies sustainability gaps
- IGGI enables priority setting
- Enables collaboration & Nexus approaches
- Improves service delivery



# Academia

- Consensus on IGGI data and methodology
- Research on closing IGGI data gaps
- Research on nexus areas



# **MDBs**

- Adopt IGGI for upstream assessment
- Strengthen country dialogue CPS and CDS
- Identify & Assess sustainable gaps
- Advise on Resource reallocation

#### Conclusion







# IGGI for Well-being in Asia and the Pacific



