




Armenia's 3rd Voluntary National Review 2024

ACHIEVING SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT IN
THE MOST UNSUSTAINABLE CONDITIONS

 *Aragats Mountain*



Armenia's path towards building back better and achieving sustainable development, anchored in the Humanitarian-Development-Peace nexus.



The Government
of the Republic
of Armenia

SUSTAINABLE
DEVELOPMENT
GOALS











- A strong democratic state with human rights and rule of law at its heart as a major prerequisite for resilience against multiple challenges and crises
- People-centred, human-rights-based and inclusive approach for building back better and achieving Sustainable Development Goals

HUMANITARIAN

DAMAGED AND DESTROYED INFRASTRUCTURE



					
41.8 km of roads	3.4 km of water and sewerage pipes	2,453 hectares of farming land	1 gas station	40,839 affected people	2,382 temporary evacuated out of which
1.8 km of railways		13 fishfarms	3 hydropower plants		332 still outside their homes
3.3 km of embankments		7 irrigation facilities and systems	1 school 1 kindergarden		
24 road bridges	97 SMEs	1 food laboratory	2 health facilities	327 family houses	
44 pedestrian/ utility bridges	5 industrial facilities		8 hydrological observation points	137 apartments damaged/destroyed	

DEVELOPMENT

The Armenia Transformation Strategy 2050 Mega goals 2030

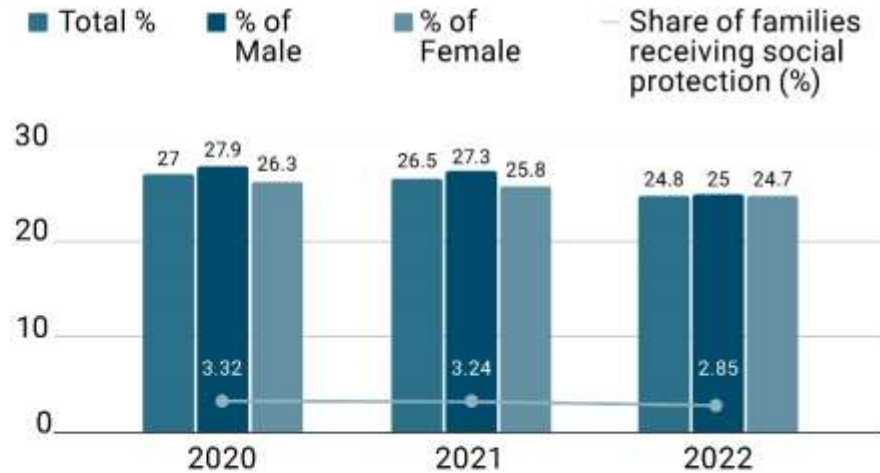
<p>Mega goal 1 Educated and capable nation and citizen</p> <p>SDG 4 9 5</p>	<p>Mega goal 4 Healthy and secure nation and citizen</p> <p>SDG 3 10</p>	<p>Mega goal 7 Mass export of manufactured production</p> <p>SDG 8 9 10</p>	<p>Mega goal 10 Mass repatriation and integration</p> <p>SDG 10 1 4 8 17</p>
<p>Mega goal 2 Protected Armenia</p> <p>SDG 11 16</p>	<p>Mega goal 5 Prosperous family with many children</p> <p>SDG 1 5</p>	<p>Mega goal 8 Clean and green Armenia</p> <p>SDG 7 13 15</p>	<p>Mega goal 11 Globally connected Armenia</p> <p>SDG 9 11</p>
<p>Mega goal 3 Efficient and accountable public governance</p> <p>SDG 16 17</p>	<p>Mega goal 6 Armenia governed by rule of law</p> <p>SDG 16</p>	<p>Mega goal 9 Rational territorial development</p> <p>SDG 11 2 10</p>	<p>Mega goal 12 Productive and responsible farming</p> <p>SDG 2 6 11 12</p>
<p>Mega goal 13 Renewable energy accessible to public</p> <p>SDG 7 13 15</p>	<p>Mega goal 14 Business-attractive Armenia</p> <p>SDG 8 9 16 17</p>	<p>Mega goal 15 Knowledge-base (non-material) Armenia</p> <p>SDG 4 8 9</p>	<p>Mega goal 16 Recognized, respected and hospitable Armenia</p> <p>SDG 4 9 16</p>

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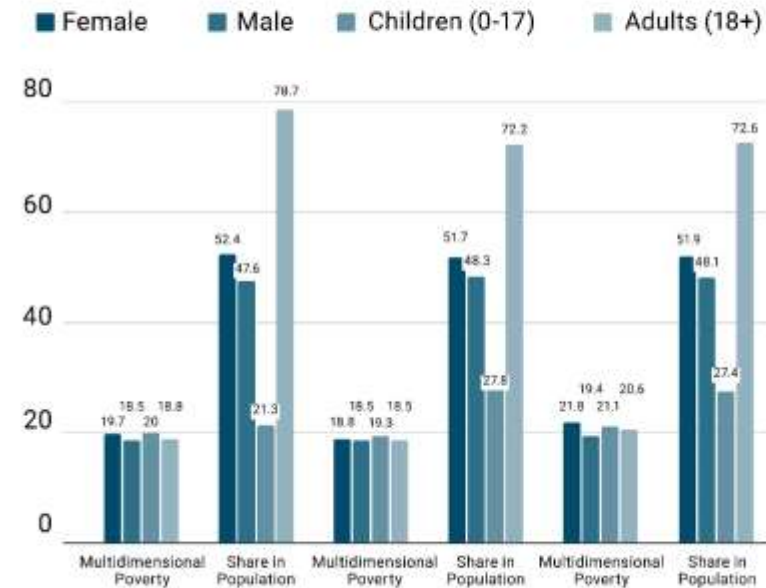
Social inclusion to leave no one behind
 Transformative measures in social protection policy with focus on the most vulnerable
 From social dependency to social graduation

Since 2019, the prevalence of moderate or severe food insecurity decreased from 8.3% in 2019 to 7.1% in 2022, while the prevalence of child malnutrition decreased from 8.5% to 7.5%.

Poverty Level (National Poverty Line) VS Families Receiving Social Support

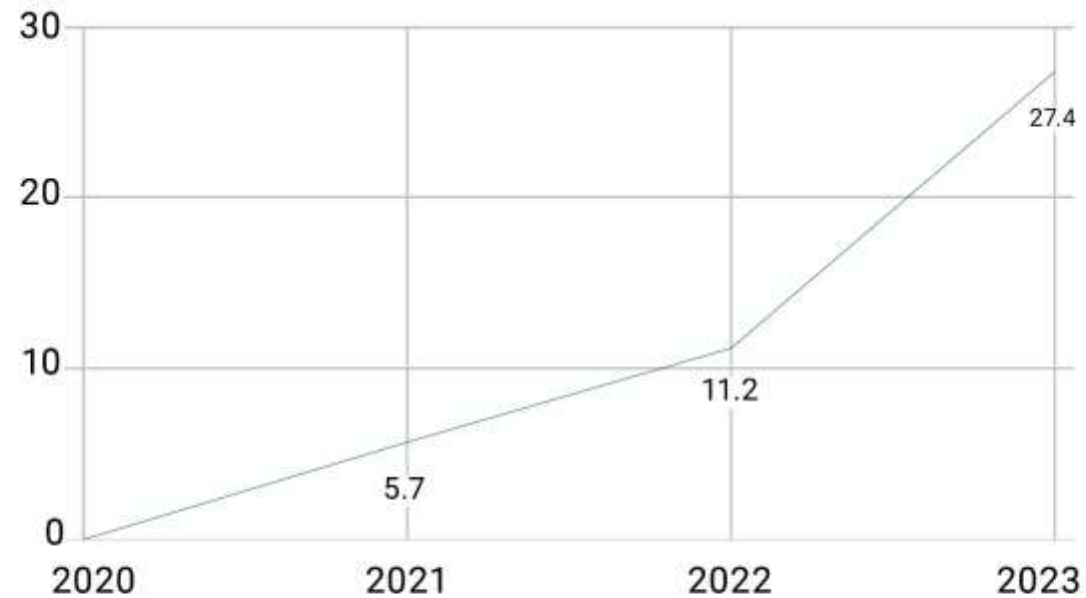


Multidimensional Poverty VS Share in Population (%) - 2020-2022



DEVELOPMENT

Comparative annual increase of overall expenses in sphere of education



Quality and inclusive education as an enabler of human capital development

ENGINEERING FROM SCHOOL TO INDUSTRY

Prioritizing science and technology

The involvement of women in the field of information technologies in Armenia above 40%, almost twice the global average.

52% of scientific research publications authored by women.



DEVELOPMENT

RAPID INTRODUCTION OF RENEWABLES INTO THE ENERGY SYSTEM AS ONE OF THE VIABLE WAYS OF MITIGATING CLIMATE CHANGE

AN AMBITIOUS GOAL TO TRIPLE THE SHARE OF SOLAR ENERGY PRODUCTION TO

at least **15%** or **1.8** billion kWh

BY 2030

INTRODUCTION OF SOLAR ENERGY PLANTS OF

1000
megawatts

THROUGH PUBLIC-PRIVATE PARTNERSHIP

THE ESTIMATES FOR SECTORAL ENERGY EFFICIENCY POTENTIAL IN THE PROGRAMME ON ENERGY SAVING AND RENEWABLE ENERGY FOR

2022-2030:

INDUSTRY:

19 ktoe

TRANSPORT:

744 ktoe

SERVICE SECTOR:

42 ktoe

RESIDENTIAL:

92 ktoe

AGRICULTURE:

34 ktoe

PEACE AT HOME

Sustainable development based on democratic institutions, human rights, gender equality and independent judiciary

Ambitious democratic reforms agenda aimed at

- Ensuring good governance, rule of law,
- Upholding and promoting human rights and fundamental freedoms
- Strengthening the judicial system
- Fighting against corruption

PEACE AT HOME

- The Strategy on Human Rights Protection and its Action Plans as an overarching framework for mainstreaming human rights in Government policies.
- The establishment of the Corruption Prevention Commission, the Anti-Corruption Committee and the Anti-Corruption Court are at the core of zero tolerance towards corruption.
- Strategies for Judicial and Legal Reform for 2022–2026 envisaging 12 strategic goals and 41 strategic directions.
- The new Criminal and Criminal Procedure Codes of the Republic of Armenia envisioning a paradigm shift from punitive to restorative justice.

PEACE AT HOME

Women empowerment

Women in leadership positions



10 Ministers
and Vice-Ministers



Prosecutor-General and Chief
of Foreign Intelligence Service



36% Members
of Parliament



29% Members of
Community Councils

Fostering sound implementation of Women Peace and Security agenda



Increasing women's participation
in Armed Forces



Advancing participation of women in
UN peacekeeping missions
to reach UN-established threshold of 15%



As part of police reforms ensuring
30% participation of women
in the Patrol Service

PEACE IN THE REGION

Establishing peace and stability and fostering prosperity in the South Caucasus is a top priority for Armenia
Just, lasting and dignified peace is crucial for implementation of the 2030 Agenda for sustainable development.

