MAP 2.0
Measures of Australia’s Progress
Consultation and Feedback
Today’s session

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<td><strong>General questions</strong></td>
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<td><strong>Refine</strong> aspirations</td>
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What is progress?

Gross Domestic Product (GDP) per capita

$70,000


GDP per capita: chain volume measures
A potted history ...
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# MAP 2010

## Society
- Health
- Education & training
- Work
- Crime
- Family, community & social cohesion
- Democracy, governance & citizenship

## Economy
- National income
- National wealth
- Household economic wellbeing
- Housing
- Productivity

## Environment
- Biodiversity
- Land
- Inland waters
- Oceans & estuaries
- Atmosphere
- Waste

### Legend
- ✔️ Progress has generally been made in this headline indicator compared with ten years ago
- ❌ This headline indicator has generally regressed compared with ten years ago
- ≈ There has been no significant movement in this headline indicator compared with ten years ago
- Projected
- There is either no headline indicator for this area of progress or no time series

*Australian Bureau of Statistics*
Net greenhouse gas emissions (a)

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(a) Excludes emissions from ‘Land used, land use change and forestry’.
Indicator projects around the world

Canada
National
- Well-being Measurement Act 2001
- Canadian Index of Wellbeing
- Environment and Sustainable Development Indicators
Regional
- Community Accounts
- Genuine Progress Index for Atlantic Canada
- British Columbia Atlas of Wellbeing
- Alberta Measuring Up

USA
National
- State of the USA
- Global Progress Foundation
- American Human Development Project
Regional
- Jacksonville Community Council Inc. - Community Indicators project
- Boston Indicators Project
- King County AIDS Health Commission
- Community Assessment Project of Santa Cruz County
- Central Texas Neighborhood Indicators Project
- Indicators Northwest
- Virginia Perman
- Truckee Meadows Tomorrow Quality of Life Indicators
- Orange County Community Indicators
- Long Island Index
- Silicon Valley Index
- Arizona Indicators
- Maine Measures of Growth in Focus
- Oregon Benchmarks
- Sustainable Seattle
- Umpqua Tuscan Vista Program

European Union
- Beyond GDP
- Common Indicators - Employment, Social Affairs and Equal Opportunity
- European Commission
- Europe 2020 - Eurostat

Ireland
- Measuring Ireland's Progress

France
- Senate Commission
- FAIR

Spain
- Social Barometer of Spain

Mexico
- Medias de Progreso de las Sociedades - Una Perspectiva desde Mexico

Brazil
- Portal CQM

Norway
- Municipal Fact Sheet

Denmark
- Sustainable Development Indicators based on National Accounts

Germany
- Happiness Index - German government
- Social Indicators Monitor

Switzerland
- MONET Indicator System
- Swiss Indicators

Italy
- Measuring the Progress of Italian Society
- Territorial Indicators

India
- India Development Indicators

Israel
- Israel's Progress Index

Turkey
- Turkey by Numbers

China
- Hong Kong Quality of Life Index

South Korea
- The Social Survey

Philippines
- Social Weather Stations

New Zealand
- Measuring progress using a sustainable development approach
- Quality of Life
- The Social Report

Worldwide
- World Development Indicators - World Bank
- Human Development Report - United Nations
- The Global Project on Measuring the Progress of Societies - UNESCO
- Gallup World Poll
- Caucasus
- Community Indicators Consortium
- The Global Peace Index
- Your Better Life Index - OECD
Where are we now?

- Growing interest in broad measures of wellbeing
- International pressure for change
- Fast growing, diverse, wave of national interest
- A changed social context

“... continues to be one of the most important and challenging tasks that a national statistical agency undertakes.”

Brian Pink, Australian Statistician, 2010
How is the ABS responding?

• Ground truth the MAP approach
• A national conversation: what matters to Australians?
• Encourage coordination
• Provide statistical leadership

“... generate a national and global dialogue on what we care about
... and whether this is reflected in our metrics”

Joseph Stiglitz, Melbourne, 2010
Statistical frameworks
A simple working model
What do we mean by “Australia”

Australia

Society

The economy

The environment

Governance

The Australian public

GOALS

MEASURES

The ABS

MAP 2.0

Australian Bureau of Statistics
Focusing on aspirations

Society
The economy
The environment
Governance

National aspirations

MAP 2.0
Some aspirations implicit in MAP

Aspirations underlying MAP indicators

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<td>Equity of opportunity to enhance material living standards</td>
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<td>Access to shelter, security, privacy and assets provided by housing</td>
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<td>Families and communities that support their members and are inclusive</td>
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<td>Low levels of crime and high feelings of safety</td>
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<td>Access to services such as transport and communication technology</td>
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<td>Participation of citizens in community and civic life</td>
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<td>Effective, equitable distribution of income and wealth among Australians</td>
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<td>A fair and effective judicial system</td>
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<td>Healthy native species and habitats, and sustainable biodiversity</td>
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What do you think are important aspirations for national progress?

- Life satisfaction?
- Job satisfaction?
- Connection with family and friends?
- Clean air?
- Low unemployment?
- Economic security?
- Clean rivers?
- Affordable housing?
- Long, healthy life?
- Low levels of crime?
- A healthy democracy?
- A growing economy?
- Adequate income?
### A checklist of ideas

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What happens next?

- This material will contribute to creating MAP 2.0
- 4\textsuperscript{th} World Forum: measuring the progress of societies, 2012
- MAP 2013 – A new era of statistics
- Contribute via blog, submission, your RO, our summit

“... an opportunity and a duty to rethink what progress really means and to build stronger and more inclusive visions of our societies””

3\textsuperscript{rd} OECD World Forum, Angelo Guirra, Secretary General, OECD, 2009
Thank you

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