

The Challenges of Achieving Sustainable Procurement in Hong Kong

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Agenda

Observation of the Challenges:
Large Corporates and SMEs

Sustainable Procurement Charter
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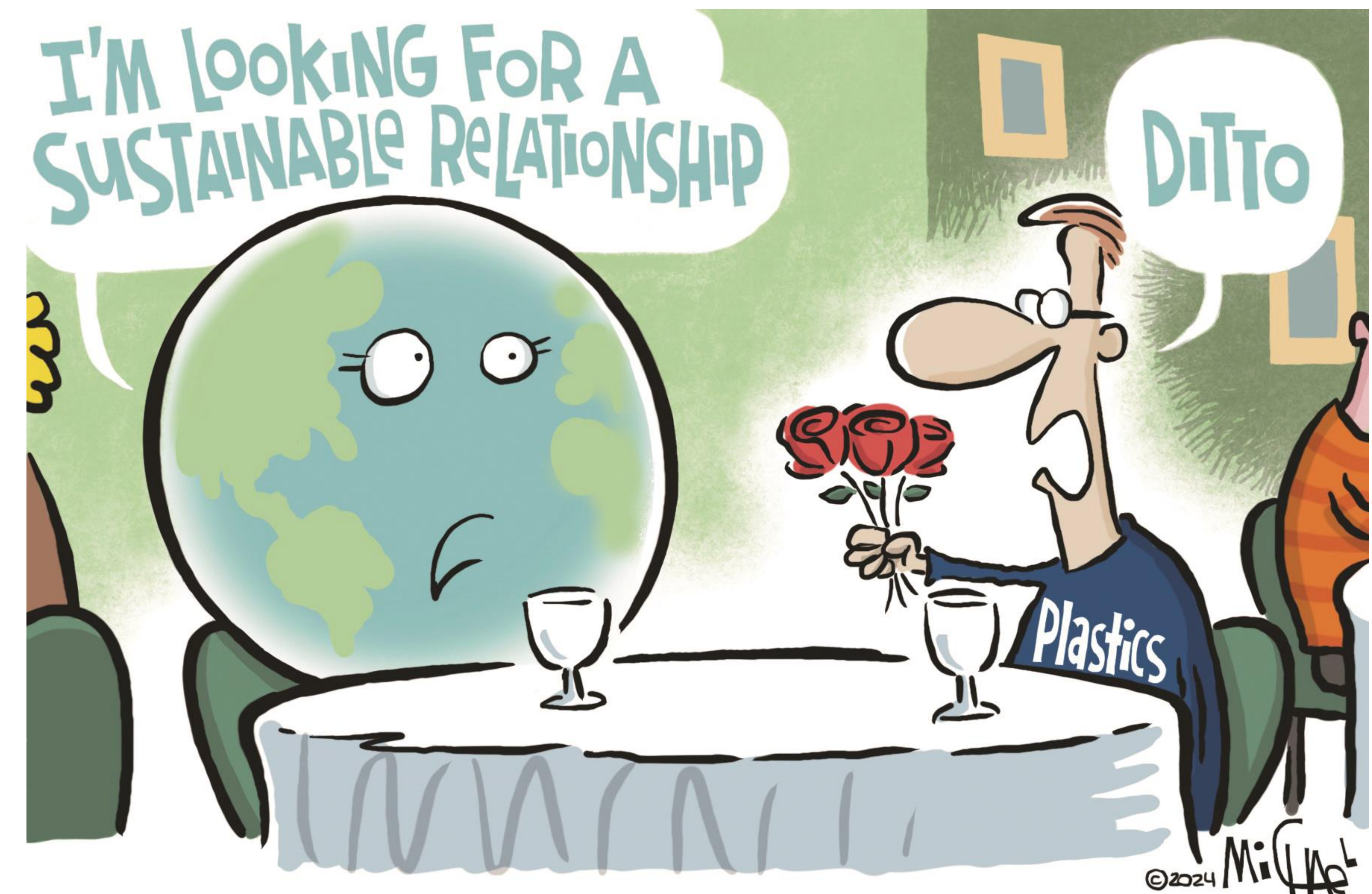
Observation of the Challenges: Large Corporates and SMEs

Lack of Sustainability Talents

- Some may find it difficult to identify ways to enhance sustainability within their procurement processes

Green Council's Approach: Stakeholder Engagement

- Provide different of levels trainings and seminars



Source: <https://www.plasticsnews.com/viewpoint/2024s-notable-leaders-sustainability-take-plastics-sustainability>

Observation of the Challenges: Large Corporates and SMEs(Con't)



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Suppliers: Challenges in Data Collection

- Suppliers cannot provide sufficient data for corporates to evaluate their sustainable performance
- **Green Council's Approach: Understanding the Data**
- Assist company to understand the criteria of specific requirements for them to communicate with their suppliers on defining data



<https://www.linkedin.com/pulse/things-i-think-make-great-supplier-lorna-perry/>

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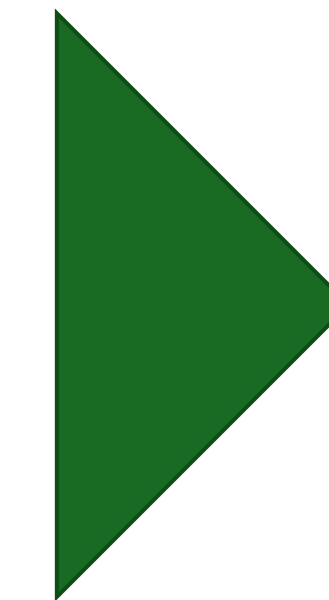


**SUSTAINABLE
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Expand from Green to Sustainability



**Hong Kong Green
Purchasing Charter (2008)**

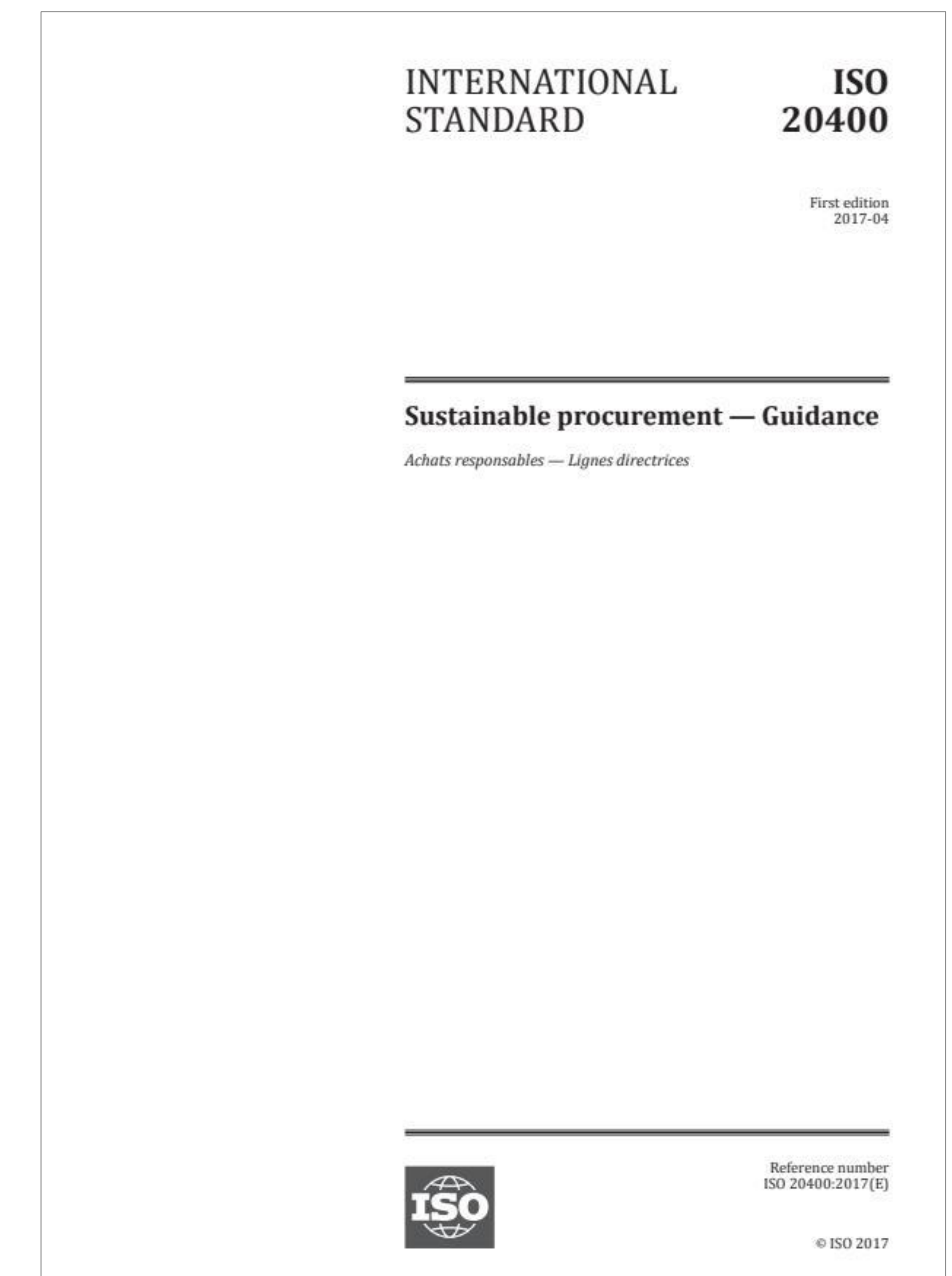


**Sustainable Procurement
Charter (2017)**

Sustainable Procurement Charter



- The Sustainable Procurement Charter was established by the Green Council in 2017 to promote the implementation of sustainable procurement to all organisations in Hong Kong
- Recognised by the United Nations One Planet network as one of the initiatives to support the Sustainable Development Goal 12 “Responsible Consumption and Production”
- Level - 1: Established (No assessment is required.)
- Level - 2: Mature (Completion on Level 1 and 2 criteria.)
- Level - 3: Leading (Completion on Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3 criteria.)



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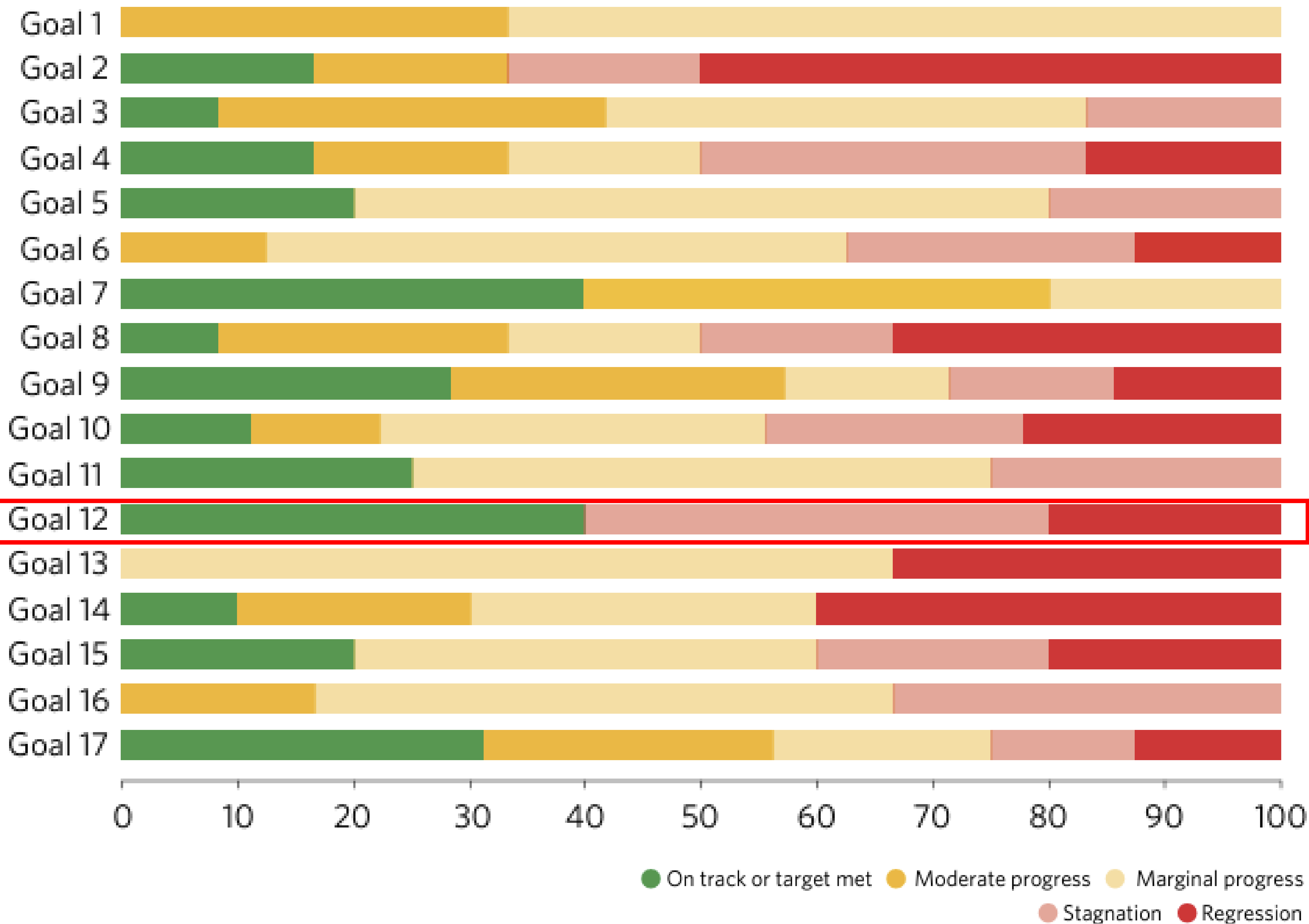
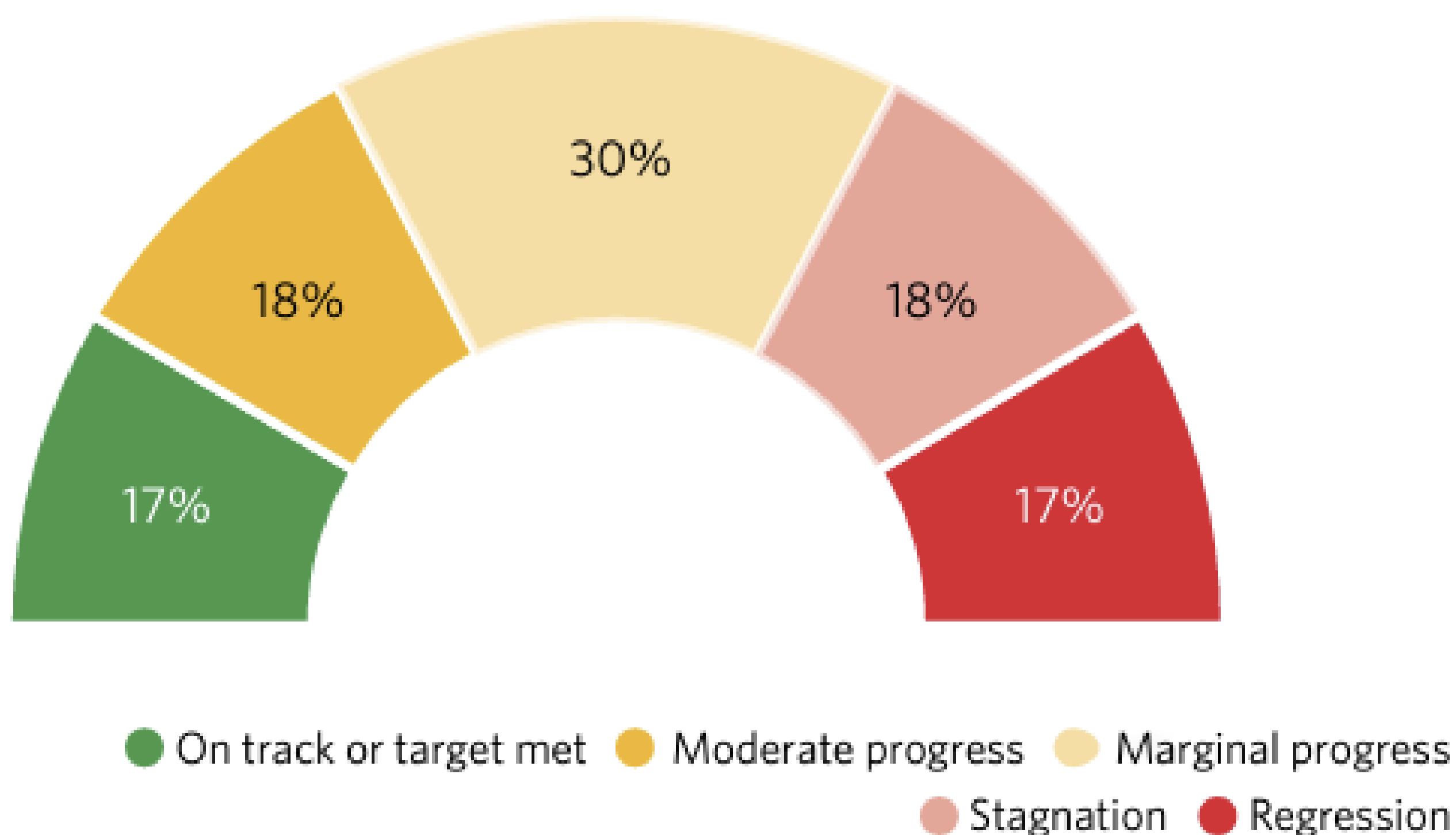
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Overall progress across targets based on 2015–2024 global aggregate data





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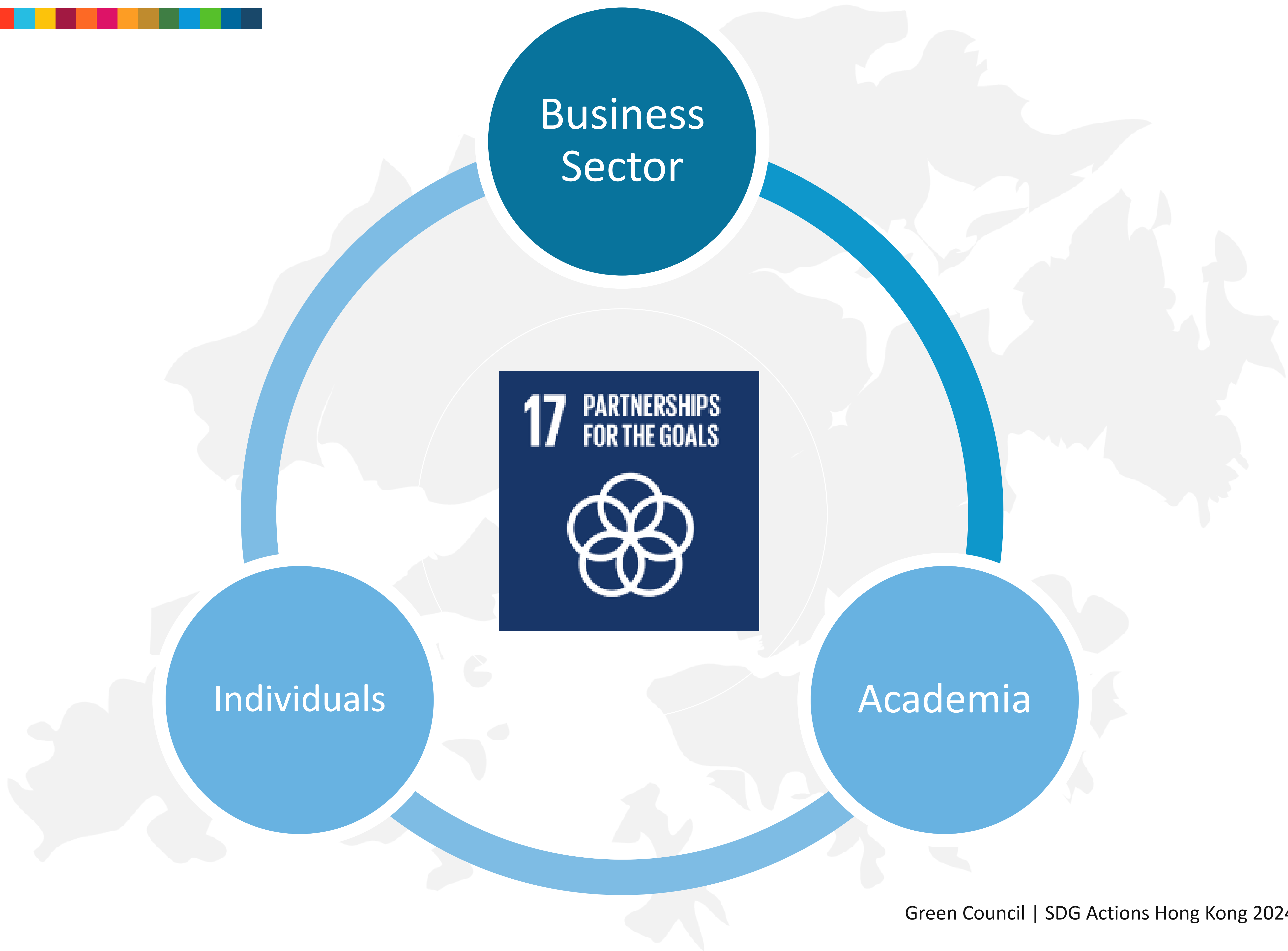
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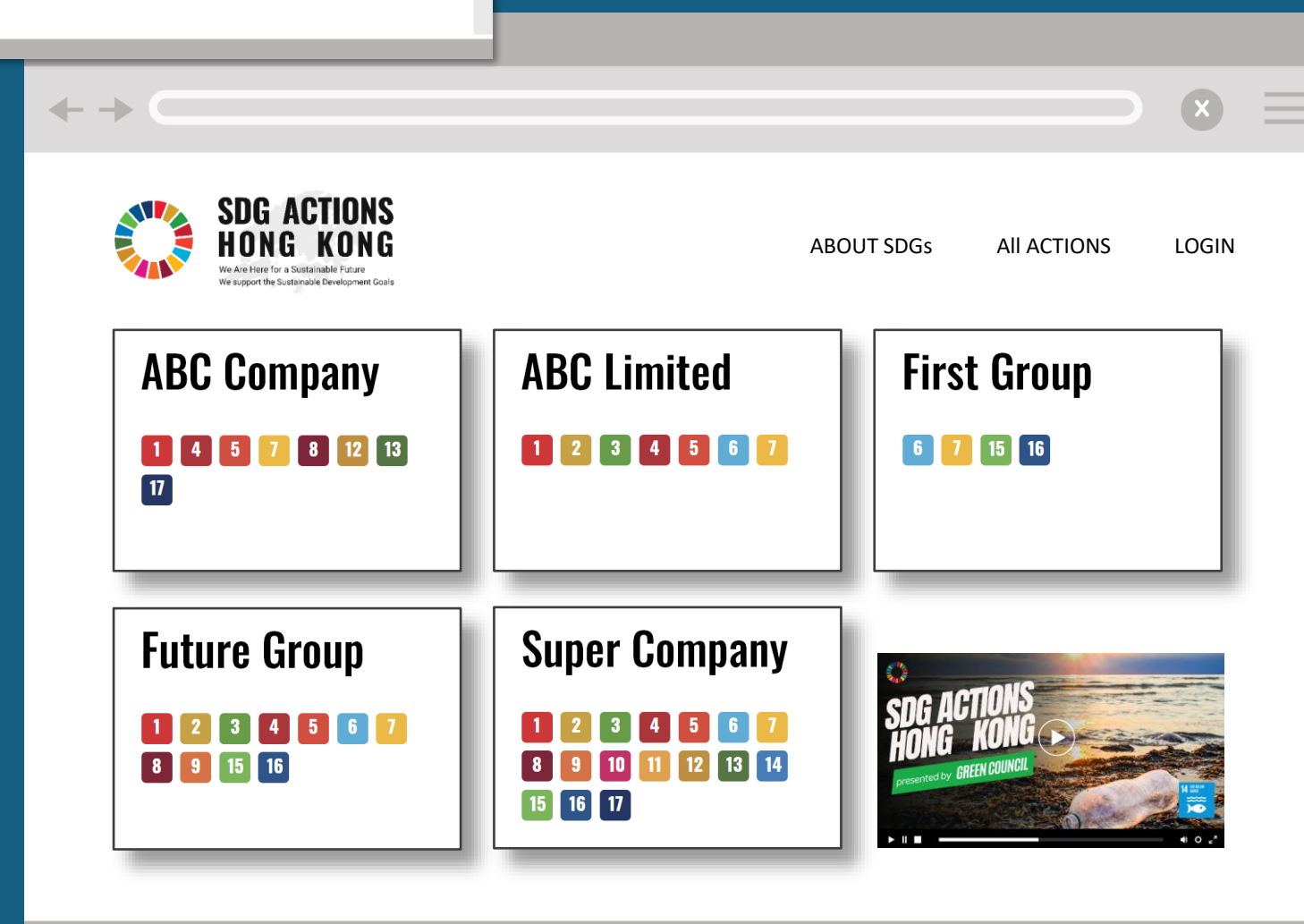
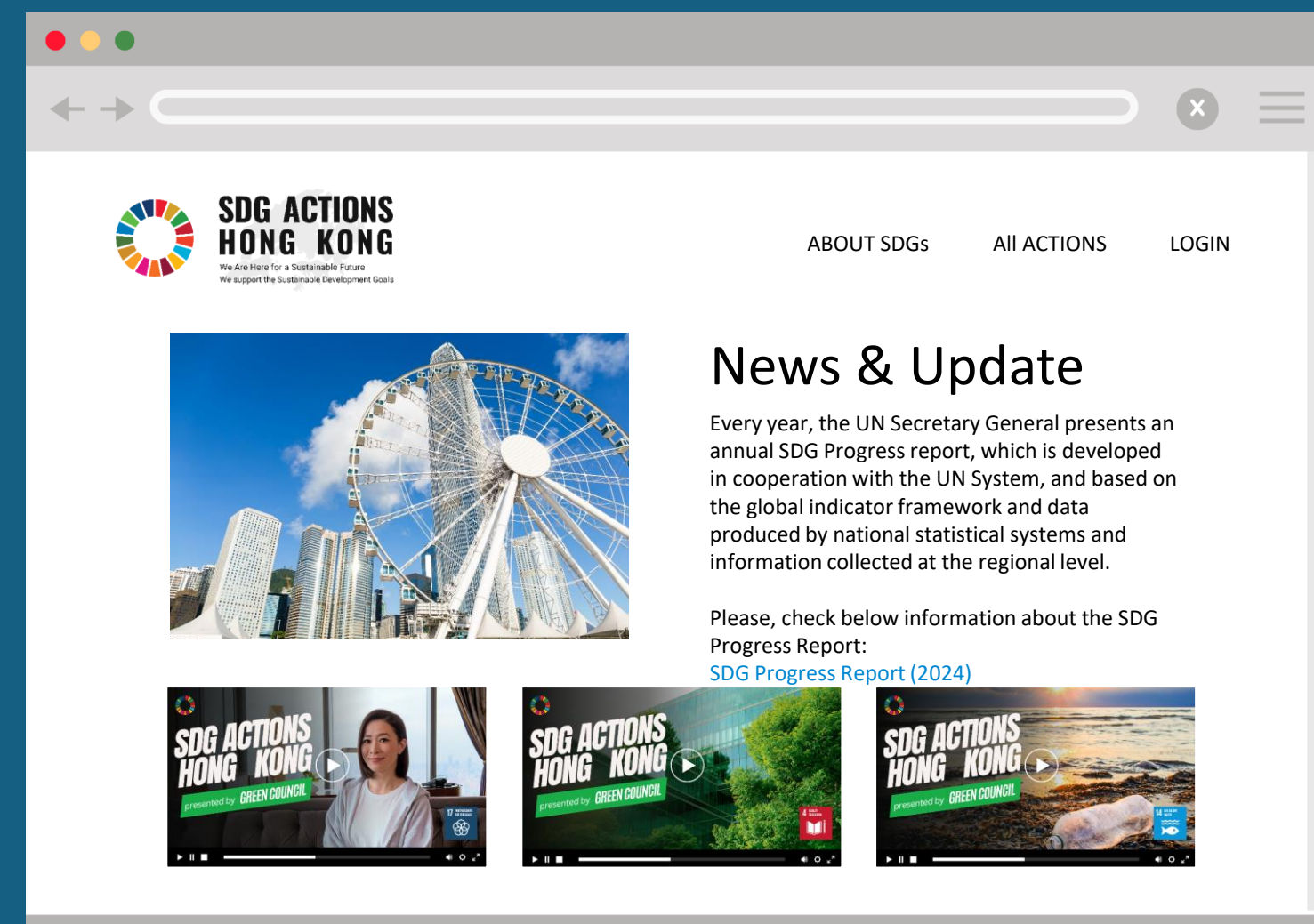


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1st Phase Enablement “Know and Grow”



2nd Phase Engagement “Share and Care”

3rd Phase Enhancement “Inspire and Aspire”

Thank you !

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