# The SDG Index and Dashboards

How Denmark compares?

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## The Sustainable Development Goals





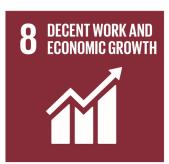


































### Global editions



### Continental editions



SDSN Sustainable

Development Reports

(including SDG Indices)

# Subnational editions (regions and cities)









# Denmark tops the 2019 SDG Index



Rank Country

















Rank	Country	Score	Rank	Country	Score
1	Denmark	85.2	42	Romania	72.7
2	Sweden	85.0	43	Uruguay	72,6
3	Finland	82.8	44	Serbia	72.5
4	France	81.5	45	Argentina	72.4
5	Austria	81.1	46	Ecuador	72,3
6	Germany	81.1	47	Maldives	72.1
7	Czech Republic	80.7	48	Kyrgyz Republic	71.6
8	Norway	80.7	49	Israel	71.5
9	Netherlands	80.4	50	Greece	71.4
10	Estonia	80.2	51	Peru	71.2
11	New Zealand	79.5	52	Uzbekistan	71.1
12	Slovenia	79.4	53	Algeria	71.1
13	United Kingdom	79.4	54	Vietnam	71.1
14	Iceland	79.2	55	Russian Federation	70.9
15	Japan	78.9	56	Cuba	70.8
16	Belgium	78.9	57	Brazil	70.6
17	Switzerland	78.8	58	Iran, Islamic Rep.	70.5
18	Korea, Rep.	78.3	59	Azerbaijan	70,5
19	Ireland	78.2	60	Albania	70.3
20	Canada	77.9	61	Cyprus	70.1
21	Spain	77.8	62	Fiji	70.1
22	Croatia	77.8	63	Tunisia	70.0
23	Belarus	77.4	64	Dominican Republic	69.8
24	Latvia	77.1	65	United Arab Emirates	69.7
25	Hungary	76.9	66	Singapore	69.6
26	Portugal	76.4	67	Colombia	69.6
27	Slovak Republic	76.2	68	Malaysia	69.6
28	Malta	76.1	69	Bosnia and Herzegovina	69.4
29	Poland	75.9	70	North Macedonia	69.4
30	Italy	75.8	71	Tajikistan	69.2
31	Chile	75.6	72	Morocco	69.1
32	Lithuania	75.1	73	Georgia	68.9
33	Costa Rica	75.0	74	Jamaica	68.8
34	Luxembourg	74.8	75	Armenia	68.8
35	United States	74.5	76	Bahrain	68.7
36	Bulgaria	74.5	77	Kazakhstan	68.7
37	Moldova	74.4	78	Mexico	68,5
38	Australia	73.9	79	Turkey	68,5
39	China	73.2	80	Bolivia	68.4
40	Thailand	73.0	81	Jordan	68.1
41	Ukraine	72.8	82	Nicaragua	67.9

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# **But challenges remain**

especially on SDG 2, 12, 13 and 14





#### **▼ OVERALL PERFORMANCE**

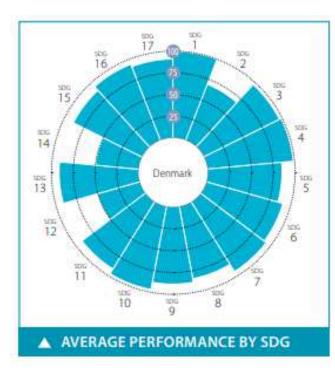
Index score

Regional average score





SDG Global rank 1 (OF 162)



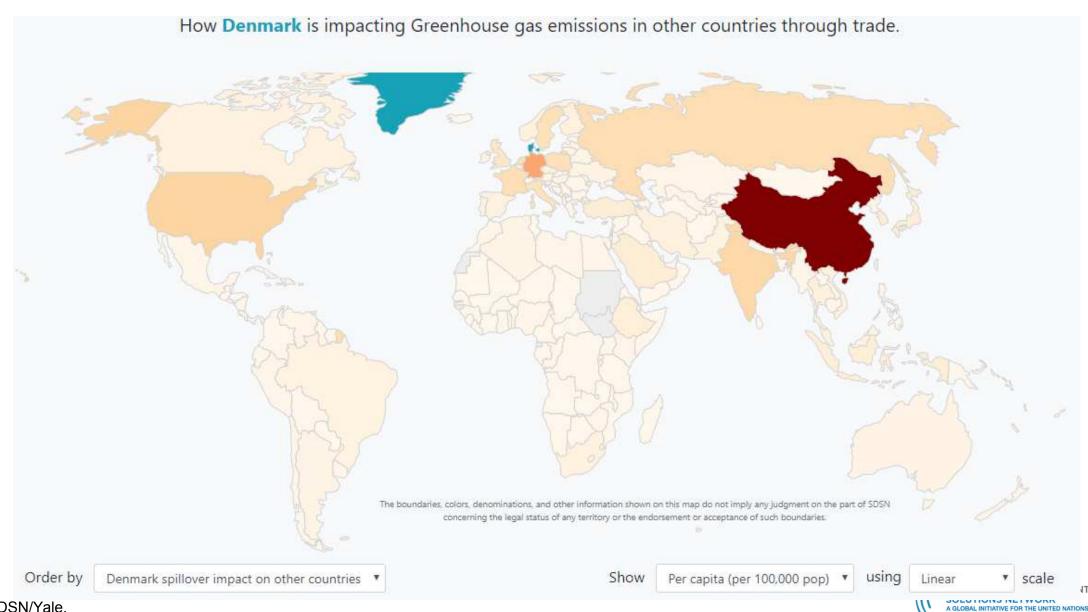
## Denmark generates negative spillover effects

- Environmental spillovers cover international spillover effects related to the use of natural resources and pollution. Environmental spillovers can be generated in two ways: i) transboundary effects embodied in trade; ii) direct cross-border flows in air and water.
- Spillovers related to the economy, finance, and governance cover international development finance (e.g. ODA), unfair tax competition, banking secrecy, and international labor standards
- **Security spillovers** include negative externalities, such as the trade in arms, particularly in small arms (Adeniyi 2017) and organized international crime, which can have a destabilizing impact on poor countries.

#### **▼ SPILLOVER INDEX**

100 (best) to 0 (worst)





SDSN/Yale, spillovers.environmentalimpact.global

### **Six SDG Transformations**

#### Leave No One Behind





1. Education, Gender & Inequality

5. SustainableCities andCommunities





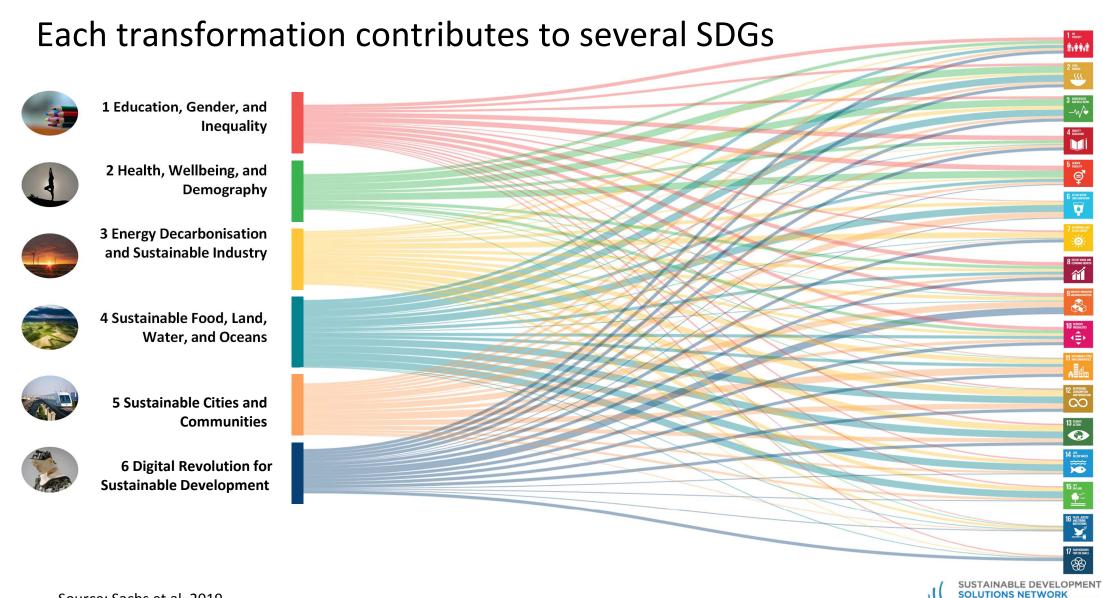
2. Health, Wellbeing & Demography

4. Sustainable Food, Land, Water & Oceans



3. Energy
Decarbonisation and
Sustainable Industry

Circularity and Decoupling



Source: Sachs et al. 2019

### Priority transformations for the European Union

- European Green Deal
  - Energy decarbonization
  - Sustainable land-use and food systems
  - Circular economy
- 2. Sustainable Europe Investment Plan and budget
- 3. Skills and education

