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# *HLPF 2020: National CSO reporting & People's Scorecard*

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# Convening national civil society dialogues

- We support approx. 15 national coalitions in VNR parallel reporting per year
- Ensure inclusion of diverse groups, including: age, gender, disability, geography
- Broad national coalitions, eg.
  - Burundi, Malawi, Zambia, Nigeria
  - Kenya, Uganda, India, Nepal
  - Bangladesh, Peru, Kyrgyzstan



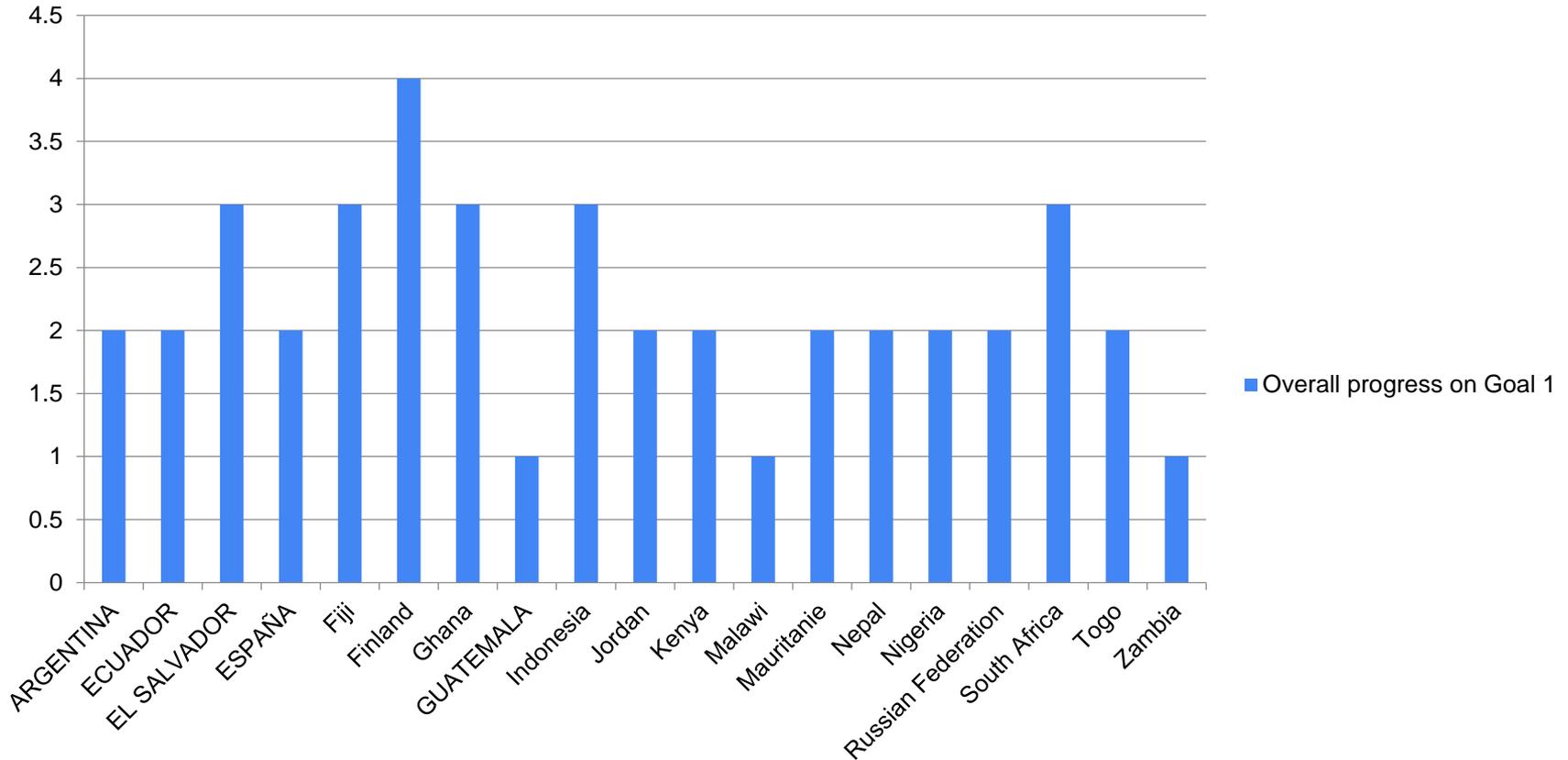
# People's Scorecard approach



- Conduct assessments with civil society partners, using citizen generated evidence and stakeholder insights on the progress of all 17 SDGs
- Consider availability of data as well as potential gaps in evidence, including identifying what official data exists plus cross-reference with local citizen generated data sources where possible
- Look at key Goals and principles and potential clusters around key issues for each country context.

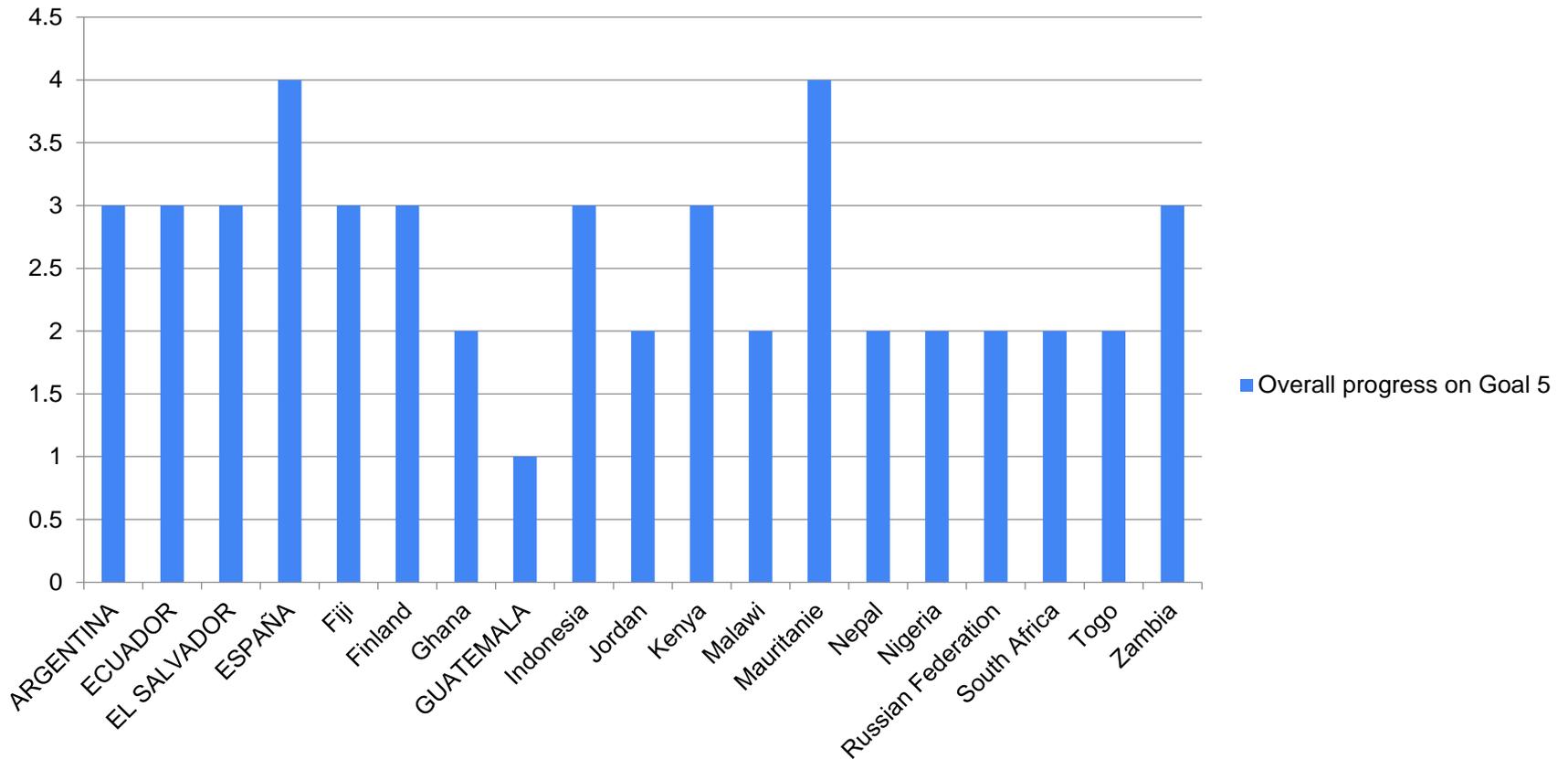
# Analysis: Goal 1

## Overall progress on Goal 1



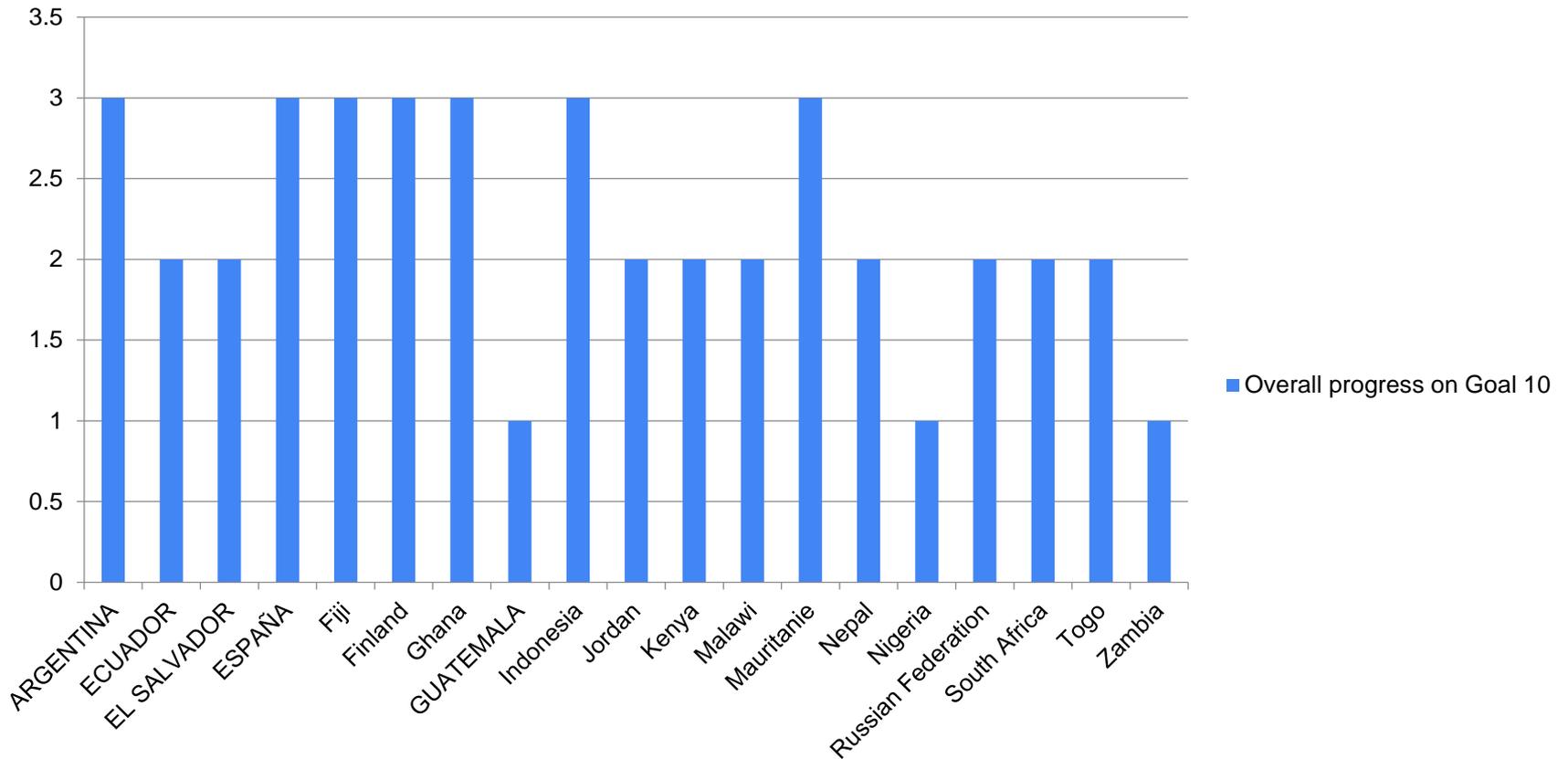
# Analysis: Goal 5

## Overall progress on Goal 5



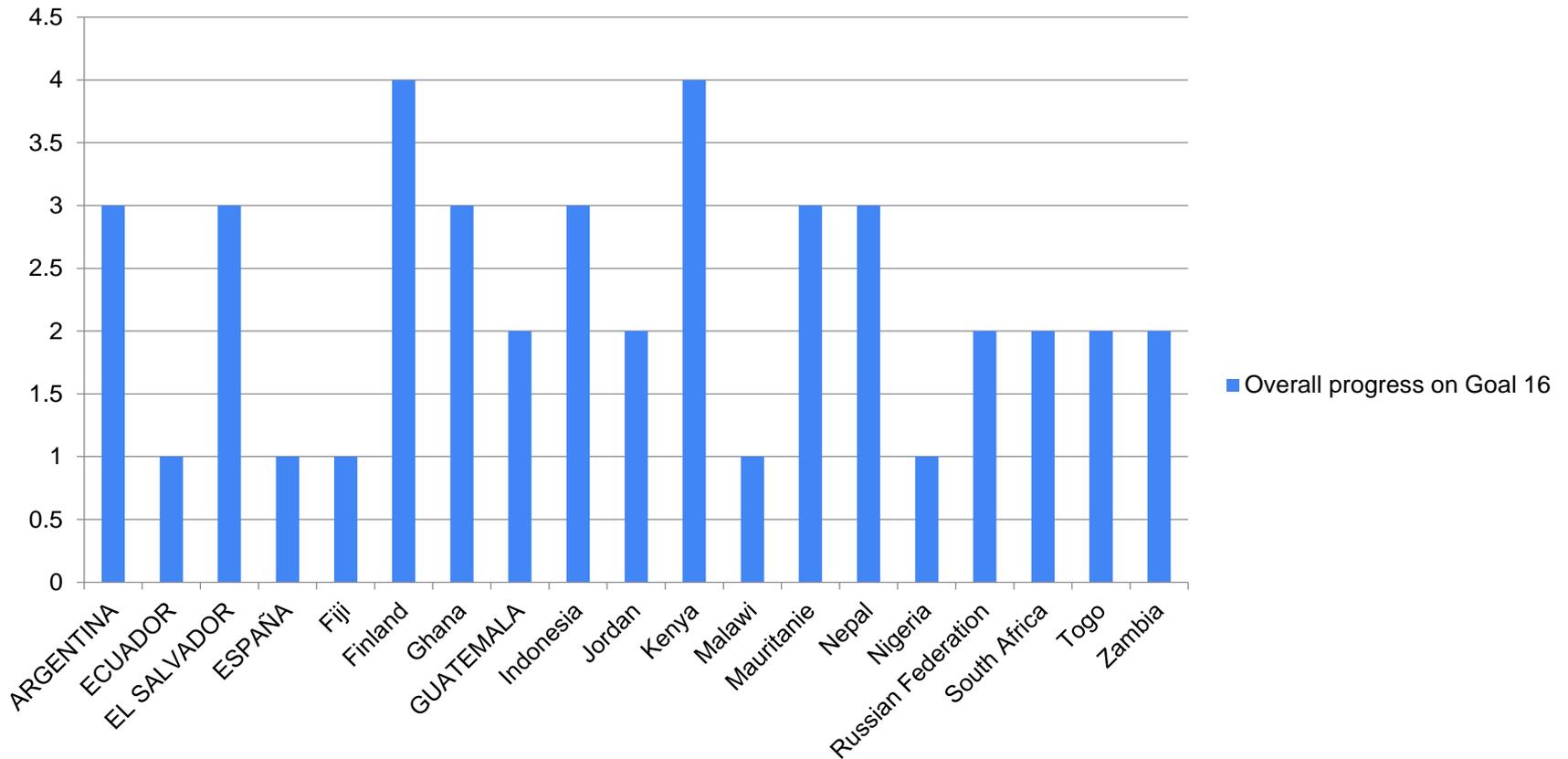
# Analysis: Goal 10

## Overall progress on Goal 10



# Analysis: Goal 16

## Overall progress on Goal 16





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Check out our full list of CSO reports:  
<https://action4sd.org/resources-toolkits/>

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# THE SDG ACCOUNTABILITY HANDBOOK



- Capacity Building resource that seeks to support national-level civil society to:
  - Hold their government accountable for 2030 Agenda promises,
  - Better understand specific approaches to hold governments accountable for the SDGs
  - Guide civil society through the practical steps they can take to improve accountability for the 2030 Agenda in their country
- Features a variety of distinct approaches civil society can use to monitor and follow-up on SDG implementation, as well as country-specific case studies and key resources



Explore the Handbook →

[www.sdgaccountability.org](http://www.sdgaccountability.org)

# SPOTLIGHT REPORTING



- Complementary to VNR Reports to provide critical assessments, data and feedback and recommendations for further action
- Can take different forms with varying methodologies and approaches
- Often compiled by coalitions of civil society, and can provide an efficient mechanism for governments to engage with stakeholders

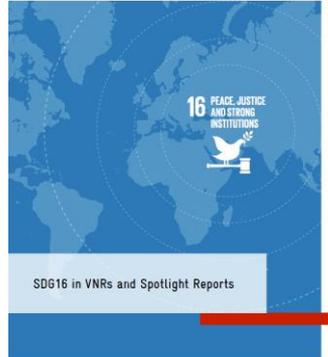
## Resources for Spotlight Reporting:

- TAP Network Guidelines for Civil Society Spotlight Reporting
  - [www.tapnetwork2030.org/sdg16reporting](http://www.tapnetwork2030.org/sdg16reporting)
- SDG Accountability Handbook Guidance on Spotlight Reporting
  - <https://bit.ly/spotlightreporting>
- TAP Network/GIZ Report on "SDG16 in VNRs and Spotlight Reports"
  - <https://bit.ly/SDG16ReportingAnalysis2020>
- “Empowering Civil Society for National Reporting and Action on SDG16”
  - [www.tapnetwork2030.org/empowermentreport](http://www.tapnetwork2030.org/empowermentreport)



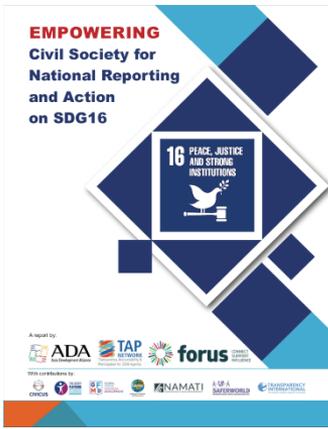
**What is it?**  
Civil society groups can contribute to a transparent monitoring process of the progress of all 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) by publishing their own reports. These reports can be used to complement national reports or "shadow reports".

**Why is it important?**  
Through civil society participation in monitoring SDGs, and using the information, feedback or evidence to complement the national report, the transparency and accountability of the government is enhanced. This can lead to more effective implementation of the SDGs.



Reporting on Progress, Reflecting on Inclusive Accountability Measures and Recommendations for going ahead

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Campaign for a  
**DECADE OF  
ACCOUNTABILITY  
FOR THE SDGs**

## Share your insights into the Global SDG Accountability Survey through 31 July 2020:

- In English:  
<https://bit.ly/SDGaccountabilitySurvey>
- En Español:  
<https://bit.ly/SDGaccountabilityEsp>
- En Français:  
<https://bit.ly/SDGaccountabilityFra>
- بالعربية: <https://bit.ly/SDGaccountabilityAra>

- Multi-stakeholder campaign to advance accountability for the 2030 Agenda and the SDGs
- Complementary to the "Decade of Action" committed to by Member States at 2019 SDGs Summit
- **Global SDG Accountability Survey** still open for inputs through 31 July 2020
- First-of-its-kind "**Global SDG Accountability Report**" launch in late 2020
- "**Supporting a Decade of Accountability for the SDGs**" 2020 HLPF Side-Event
  - Thursday, 16 July 2020, 7:30 - 9:00 ET / 11:30 - 13:00 GMT
  - Register at [www.sdgaccountability.org/hlpf-side-event](http://www.sdgaccountability.org/hlpf-side-event)

Find out more about the Campaign at

[www.sdgaccountability.org/decade](http://www.sdgaccountability.org/decade)

