



SDGs in Focus: Goal 17

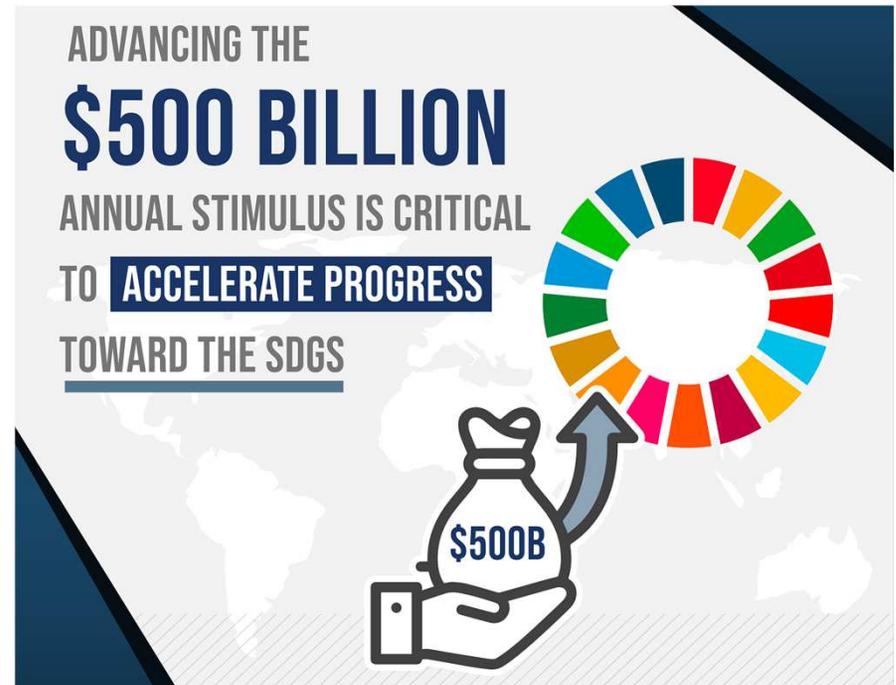
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While gains in ODA and remittances are being made, FDI to developing countries dropped by **7%** in 2023.

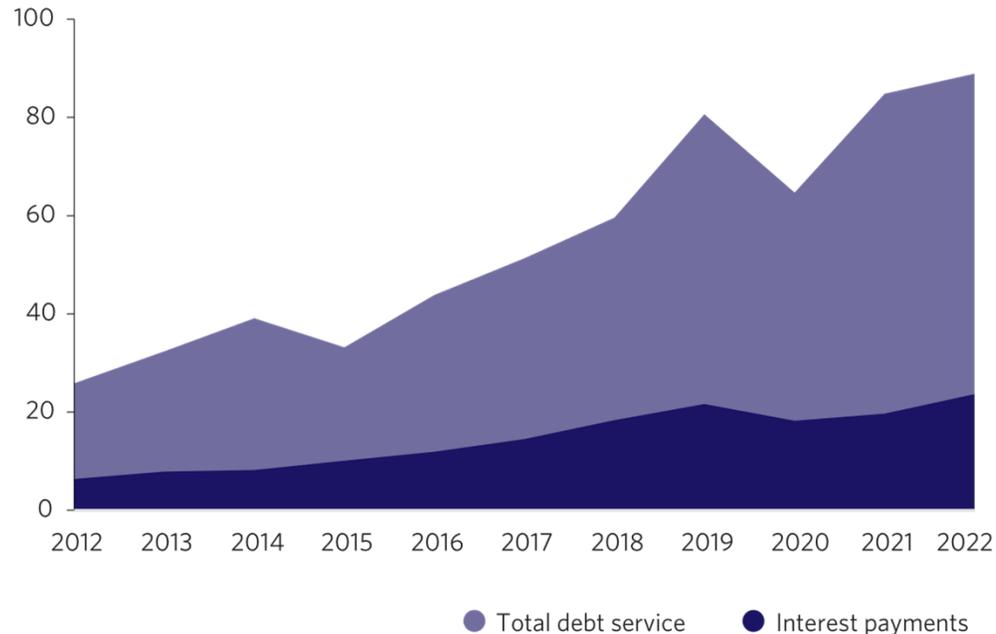
Developing countries face a **\$4 trillion** annual investment gap for the SDGs.





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Total debt service and interest payments on external debt for IDA-eligible countries, 2012–2022 (billions of dollars)



In 2022, the external debt stock of low- and middle-income countries was **\$9 trillion.**

Public and publicly guaranteed debt service payments of these countries hit a record **\$444 billion.**



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Globally, one in three people are still offline in 2023, and fixed broadband remains scarce in low-income countries due to high costs and inadequate infrastructure.

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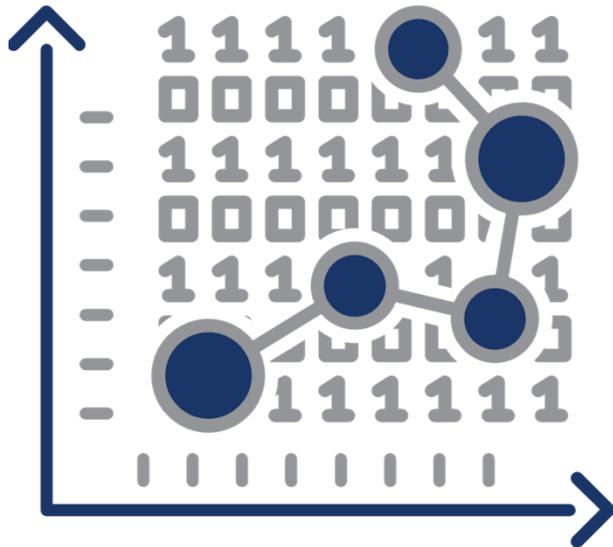
IN 2023

244 MILLION MORE MALE THAN FEMALE USERS





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163 countries implemented national statistical plans, up from 143 in 2019, with **109** fully funded.

In Africa and the LDCs, only a fraction of plans are fully funded, hindered the ability of national statistical offices to collect data.

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The Sustainable Development Goals Report 2024

