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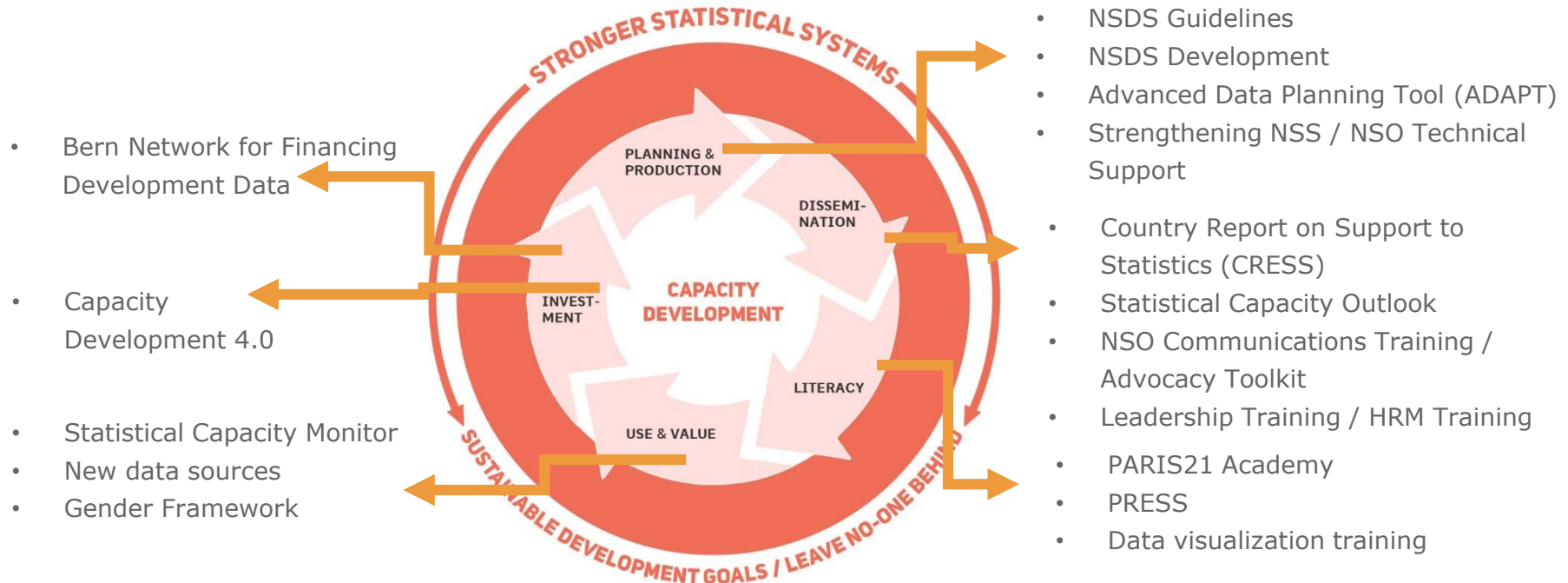
Strengthen statistics and promote the use of robust statistical information by policy makers and citizens with a primary focus on low income countries.

## STRUCTURE

- Around 24 secretariat staff (hosted at the OECD)
- 50 board members
- Africa board membership 2019: Cabo Verde, Somalia, São Tomé and Príncipe, Libya, South Africa
- Executive committee (10 members) provides accountability & guidance



# GOOD POLICY REQUIRES QUALITY DATA



## KEY CHALLENGES FOR NSS CAPACITY NEEDS

- **Every third capacity development programme in Africa fails to meet NSO/NSS needs.**
- **NSS lacks efficient coordination** – coordination is perceived as priority goal in the medium term.
- **Human capacity development remains weak in SSA and dependent on external funding.**
- **Statistical Planning has significantly improved with NSDS development, but limited funding of NSDS implementation remains a challenge.**

# STRENGTHENING NSS CAPACITY TO ADDRESS PRIORITY NEEDS:

## 1. DEFINING A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT : CD4.0

"The process through which a country's national statistical system, its **organisations** and **individuals** obtain, strengthen and maintain their abilities to collect, produce, analyze and disseminate high quality and reliable data to meet users' needs." (PARIS21, 2018)

### IMPLEMENTING CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT (CD4.0)

- **Measuring Statistical Capacities**

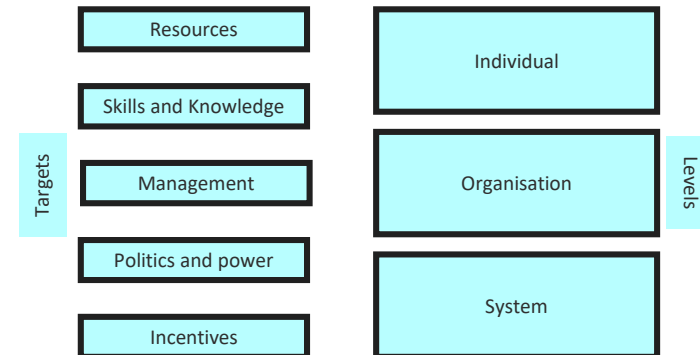
- Flagship Report – Statistical Capacity Development Outlook &
- Statistical Capacity Monitor

- **CD4.0 Guidelines will be launched January 2020**

- PARIS21-UNSD conference 13/14 Jan 2020 in Paris/OECD
- Pilots

### SUPPORTING CHANGE MANAGEMENT TOOL IN A MODERN DATA ECOSYSTEM (CD4.0)

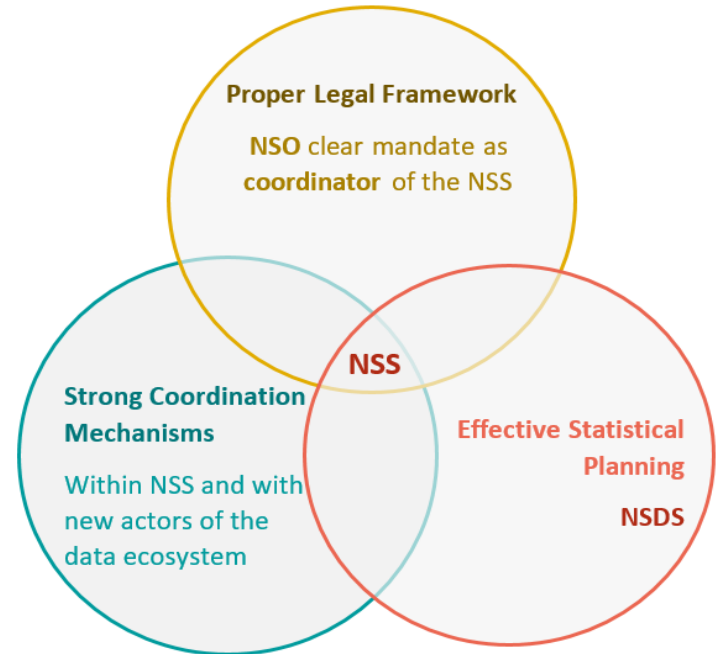
- **Inclusion of new data stakeholders**  
→ New data sources + actors
- **A stronger user integration**  
→ Relevance, efficiency, trust, accountability
- **Holistic statistical capacity development**  
→ Change through 3 levels + 5 targets



## 2. STRENGTHENING NATIONAL STATISTICAL GOVERNANCE, PLANING (NSDS), COORDINAATION, AND FINANCING

- Aligning NSDS to national development plans and international development agendas
- Supporting statistical leadership and management
- Building NSS coordination capacity
- Improving statistical activities coverage and quality
  - Including new data sources and data disaggregation: big data, Citizen Generated Data (CGD), gender statistics, etc.
- Improving Financing Data for development: internal and external funding (donors coordination/collaboration)
  - Country report on support to statistics (CRESS)
  - : **Bern Network on Financing for Development Data** (January 2019)
- Strengthening Partnership, Collaboration and Cooperation with key stakeholders matters for data development

### Enablers of Statistical Coordination





**THANK YOU!**

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