

SDG indicator 17.3.1

Measuring South-South Cooperation

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➤ Now, we have the Framework!

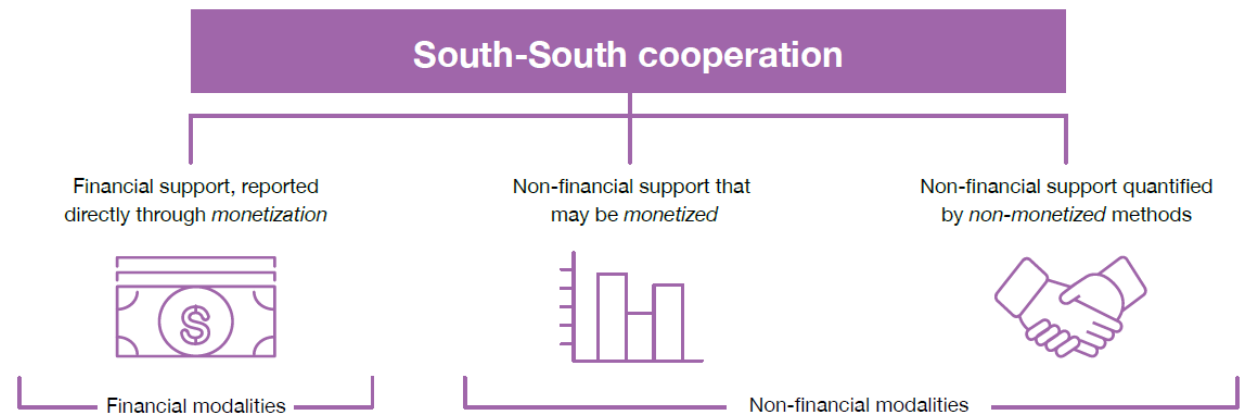
- **South-South cooperation** is political, economic, social, cultural, environmental, and technical

Working globally

Growing interest

South-South data

- ▶ Framework (2022)
- ▶ Manual (2024)
- ▶ Reporting (plan 2025)



➤ Support developing countries

- Developing economies **seeking assistance to collect and report South-South data**

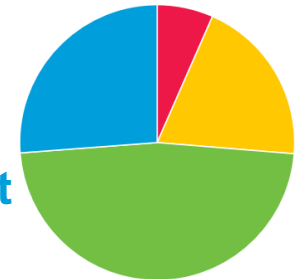
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- ▶ UNCTAD with UN Regional Commissions and other partners
- ▶ Experts ask for harmonized tools, analysis, reporting

75% countries
interested to
report data soon
but **need support**



- Longer term (after 5 years) (6.6%)
- Medium term (3-5 years) (19.7%)
- Near future (1-2 years) (47.5%)
- Now, as soon as possible (26.2%)

Source: UNCTAD.

➤ Reporting to SDG indicator 17.3.1

- Comprehensive, comparable, interoperable



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Co-custodians UNCTAD and IFT

South-South and North-South
cooperation **complement** each
other

- ▶ Showcasing **contributions of global South** to development progress
- ▶ **Strategic tool** for development



 <https://stats.unctad.org/measuringSSC>