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➤ UNCTAD's Work in Transport

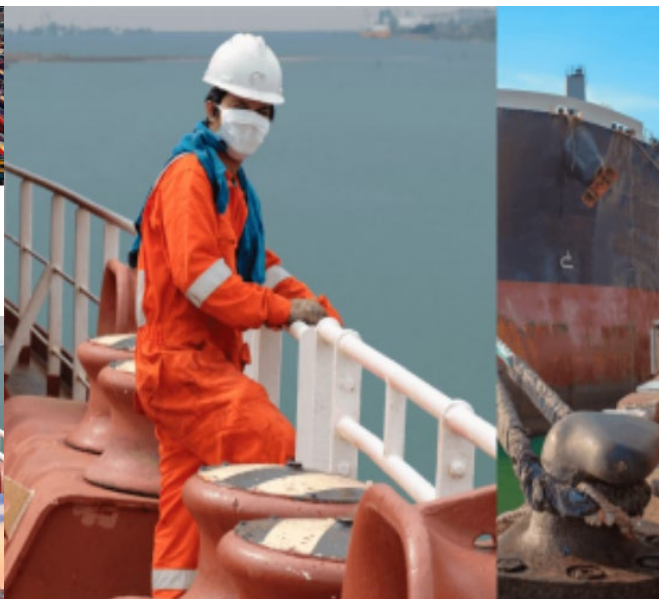
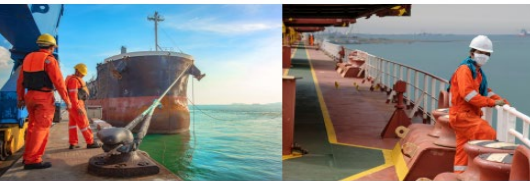
UNCTAD technical assessment tools

► Resilient maritime logistics

- A [guidebook/online platform](#) : capacity building for ports to manage risks and enhance resilience
- A [training course](#) - six modules and focusing on port and maritime supply chain resilience



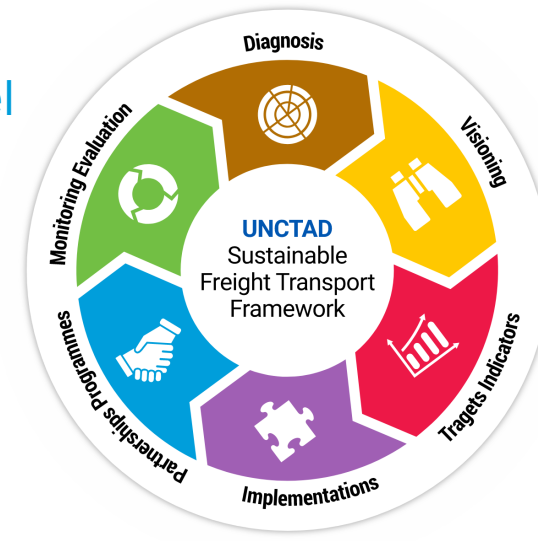
BUILDING CAPACITY TO MANAGE RISKS AND ENHANCE RESILIENCE
A Guidebook for Ports



UNCTAD Course on Ports and Maritime Supply Chain Resilience

► Sustainable Freight Transport

- A [framework](#) providing step-by-step guidance to develop and implement tailored SFT strategies;
 - [and tools](#) to facilitate the implementation of SFT framework
- [SFT methodology and assessment reports](#) - identifying priorities and actions
- [SFT Index](#) to measure and visualize countries' performance in an internationally comparable manner
- [Land Freight Emission Model](#) to calculate air pollutant emissions and carbon emissions from land freight transport



UNCTAD technical assessment tools

► Sustainable Smart Ports

- SSP [methodology](#) and [assessment reports](#) including recommendations and action plan/roadmap for port energy efficiency improvement, sustainable energy promotion, and technology-driven solutions
- Online [SSP platform](#) and relevant [guidance](#) and [training materials](#)
- [Capacity building and training workshops](#) to support in the delivery of at least one priority action from the action plan/roadmap.

► Public Private Partnerships

- [PPPs training module](#) providing guidance on the implementation and lifecycle of PPPs for infrastructure projects and services in the transport sector
- [Capacity building and training workshops](#)



Agenda

Leveraging the energy transition for
improved performance



➤ UNCTAD's maritime transport : knowledge hub and collaboration

Knowledge Hub

- ▶ Statistics and data
- ▶ Maritime profiles
- ▶ Handbook of Statistics
- ▶ SDG Pulse
- ▶ Review of Maritime Transport
- ▶ TTF Newsletter
- ▶ Non-recurrent publications

Collaboration with South Korea

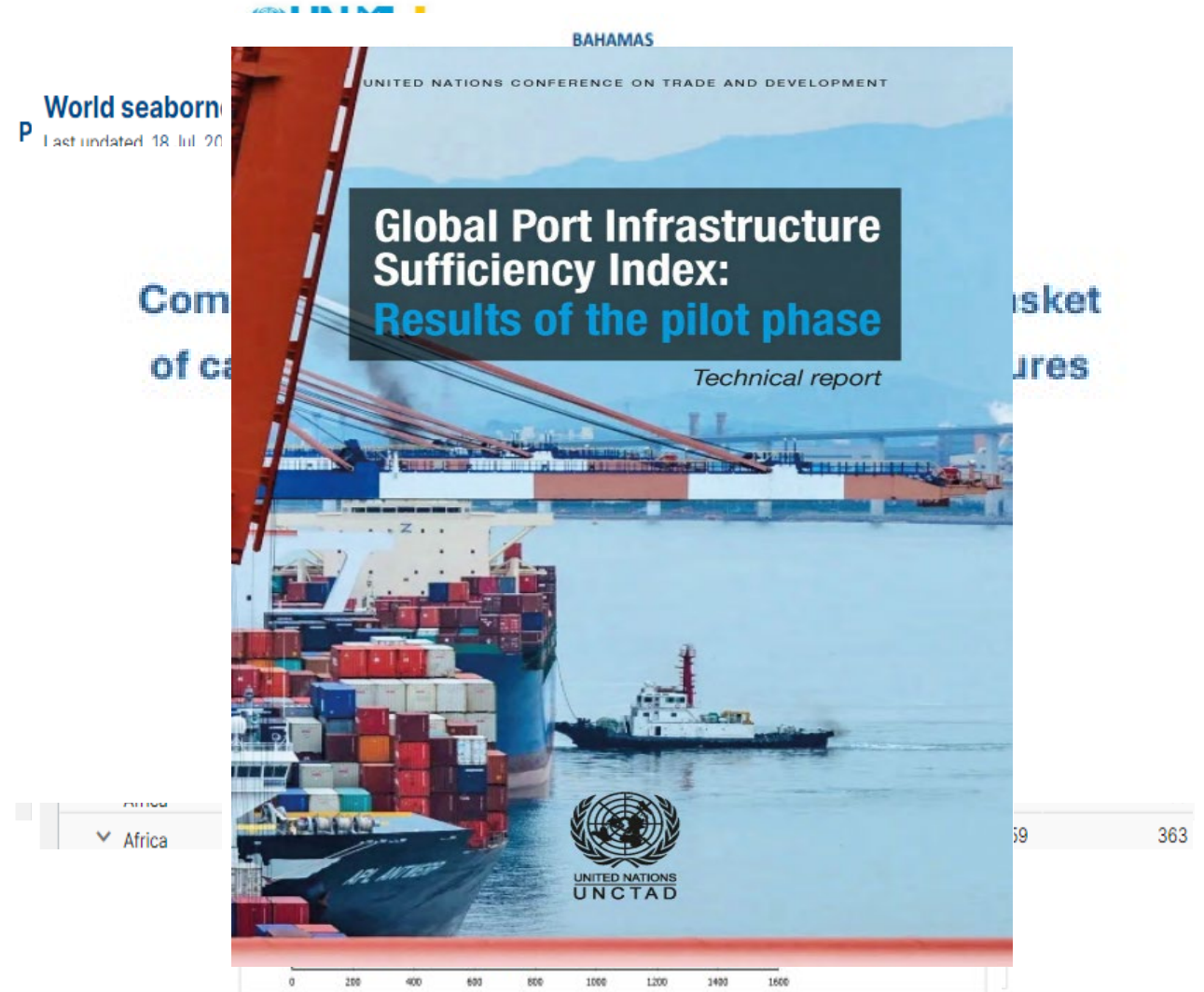
Global Port Infrastructure Sufficiency Index (GPISI)

Publication setting out the main findings generated by the GPIS pilot phase across 50 global container terminals and ports

Collaboration with IMO

Assessing the impact on States of shipping decarbonization measures

Comprehensive impact assessment of the basket of candidate mid-term GHG reduction measures.



➤ UNCTAD's current projects in sustainable and resilient freight transport and logistics

Sustainable freight transport (SFT) Assessment

- ▶ Angola (road, rail, maritime and corridors)
- ▶ Fiji

Capacity-Building on Public-Private Partnerships in Zambia

- ▶ Two Workshops - 129 participants (40% women)
- ▶ One high level meeting with the PPP Council of Ministers of Zambia

Building Sustainable Smart Ports (SSP)

- ▶ SSP Assessment and action plan for Mauritius, Ghana, Morocco
- ▶ Capacity building and training (e.g., ISO training on energy efficiency standards & awareness-raising)

Sustainable and Resilient Maritime Transport and Logistics for Food Security (2024-2027)

- ▶ Harnessing trade policy and transport and logistics to build sustainable and resilient food supply chains: Barbados, Trinidad and Tobago, Lebanon, and Morocco (interdivisional cooperation)
- ▶ National and regional assessments, capacity-building & regional collaboration.



Thank you

