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Agenda
2063
The Africa we Want

**Role of SAs in the Implementation of the Agenda 2063: SAI
Tanzania Perspective**

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What is Agenda 2063?



Vision & Origin of the Agenda 2063

Adopted in January 2015 by the African Union (AU), it is the strategic vision for "The Africa We Want," focusing on inclusive growth and sustainable development.

Unlike previous frameworks, the Agenda was derived from extensive consultations across African society and is based on the “**Common African Position**”, ensuring the continent’s unique challenges and priorities are addressed.

- Africa's strategic framework for inclusive and sustainable development.
- Long-term blueprint for transforming Africa over 50 years.



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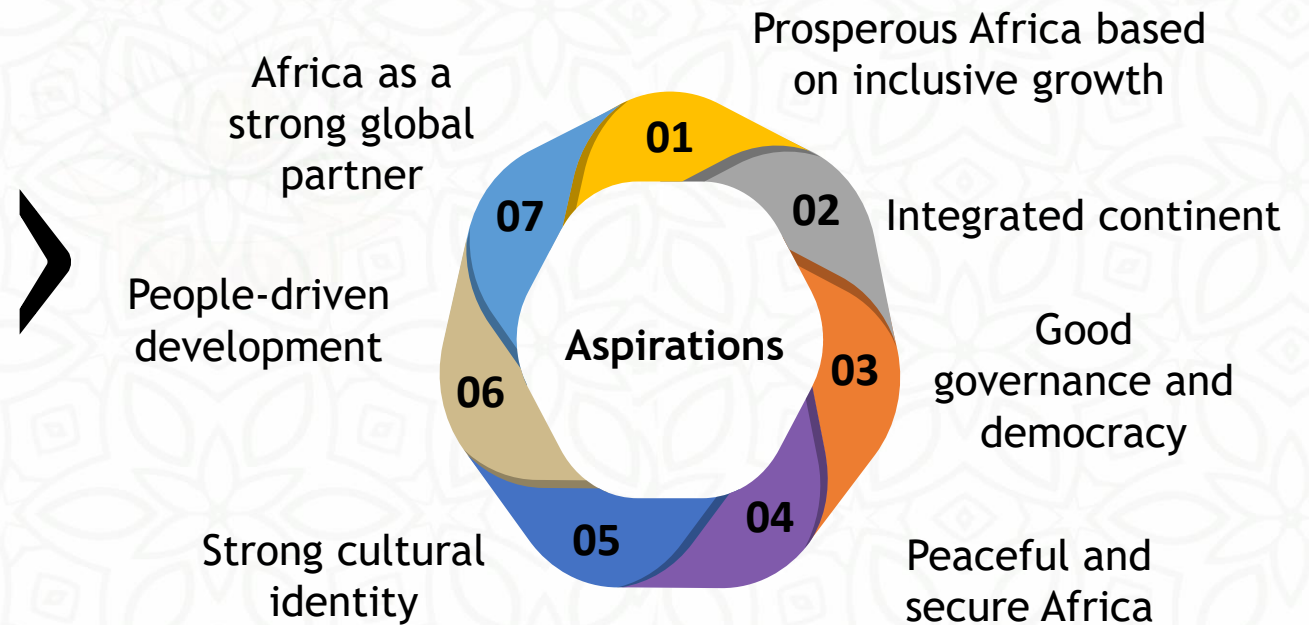
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Understanding Agenda 2063

Structure & Scope of the Agenda 2063

A concrete, implementable framework consisting of 7 Aspirations, 20 Goals, and 39 Priority Areas, each with specific targets and indicators to enable results-based management.

Seven Aspirations of Agenda 2063



Major Roles of SAI in Implementing the Agenda 2063

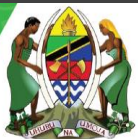
1st Role

Implementation of *Aspiration 3* “An Africa of good governance, democracy, respect for human rights, justice and the rule of law,” establishes the environmental context in which SAls operate

2nd Role

To Audit and report the results of the Audit of Implementation of Agenda 2063

SAls serve as indispensable oversight and assurance providers that assist national governments in the effective, transparent, and economical use of resources to achieve the goals of Agenda 2063.



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Why Audit Agenda 2063?



Role of SAIs

- Independent oversight.
- Carrying out Audit.
- Monitoring government commitments.
- Providing recommendations for improved implementation.

Rationale

- Promote accountability for development commitments.
- Assess preparedness for implementation.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of institutional arrangements.
- Support evidence-based decision making.
- Contribute to achieving national, continental, and global development goals.



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Embedding Agenda 2063 in SAI

Institutional Awareness

Success relies on every member of the SAI having a basic understanding of sustainability issues and their specific role in achieving Agenda 2063.



Mainstreaming Goals

This strategy involves integrating Agenda 2063 and the SDGs into every level of the institution, including its strategic plans, annual operational plans, and internal policies.

Leadership Commitment

Leadership ensures the SAI leads by example, embedding Agenda 2063 and SDGs into its core work and acting as a true contributor to “The Africa We Want.”



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Linkages Between Agenda 2063, Agenda 2030 and Audits Conducted

Agenda 2063: Aligning African Aspirations with SDGs and Accountability

ASPIRATION 1: A Prosperous Africa

Focus: Climate, Environment, and Economic Growth



Critical Environmental and Labor Audits

- Climate Change Adaptation Actions (Tanzania)
- Management of Strategic Grain Reserves
- Occupational Safety
- Workers Compensation Services

ASPIRATION 2: An Integrated Continent (Infrastructure Focus)

Alignment with SDG 9: Industry, Innovation, and Infrastructure

Logistics and Digital Governance Audits

- Management of Weighbridge Operations
- Research and Innovation Activities
- Cost-effectiveness/planning of Government ICT Systems

ASPIRATION 3: People-driven Development (Social Focus)

Alignment with SDGs 1, 3, 4, and 5



Critical Social Sector Audits

- Maternal Healthcare
- Traditional/Alternative Medicine
- Technical Education
- Higher Education Loan Repayment
- Measures to Eliminate Violence Against Women and Children

ASPIRATION 4: Good Governance and a Peaceful Africa

Alignment with SDG 16: Peace, Justice, and Strong Institutions



Governance and Justice System Audits

- Legal Aid accessibility
- Birth and Death Certificate issuance
- Prisoner Rehabilitation
- Management of case backlogs in the justice system

ASPIRATION 5: People-driven Development (Gender Focus)

Alignment with SDG 5: Gender Equality



Gender-Focused Audits

- Performance Audit Report on Measures for Eliminating Violence Against Women and Children in Tanzania

ASPIRATION 6: An Integrated Continent (Urban Focus)

Alignment with SDG 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities



Urban Development Audits

- Urban Transport Services in major cities
- Regularization of Unplanned Settlements
- Management of Town Planning

ASPIRATION 7: Africa as a Strong Global Partner

Alignment with SDG 17: Partnerships for the Goals



Global Partnership Implementation Audits

- Performance Audit Report on the Implementation of Sustainable Development Goals

Key Message

- The two agendas are complementary.
- Approximately 90% of Agenda 2063 indicators align with SDGs.
- Countries can implement both agendas through integrated planning, budgeting, monitoring, and reporting systems.

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Focus of the Agenda 2063 Audit

In Auditing Agenda 2063, the SAI may focus on 2 main aspects

Aspect 1: Auditing the Government domestication of the Agenda 2063



Aspect 2: Auditing the Implementation of the Agenda 2063



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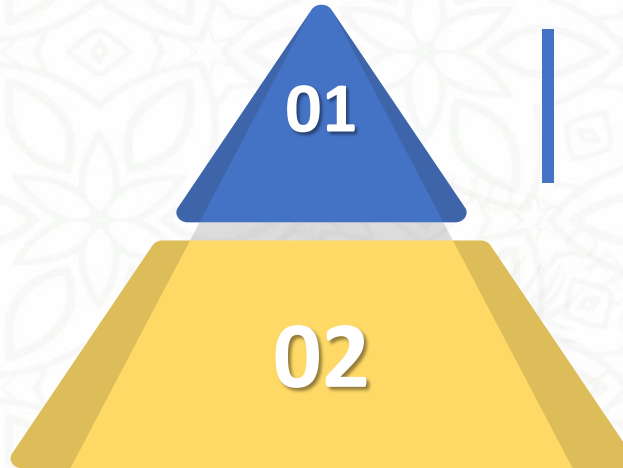
Auditing the Government Domestication of the Agenda 2063

Audit Objective

Assess the extent to which the Government has domesticated and integrated Agenda 2063 into national planning and implementation frameworks.

Areas Assessed

- Policy alignment.
- National development plans.
- Sector strategic plans.
- Institutional coordination mechanisms.
- Monitoring and evaluation systems.
- Financing arrangements.



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Critical Focus Areas during the Audit of the Implementation of the Agenda 2063

a) *Policy Integration*

- Explicitly align national plans with Agenda 2063 targets.

b) *Coordination*

- Clarify institutional responsibilities.
- Establish stronger coordination mechanisms



c) *Monitoring Systems*

- Develop integrated indicators.
- Improve data collection and reporting.

d) *Financing*

- Align budgeting with Agenda 2063 priorities.
- Strengthen domestic resource mobilization.



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Considerations when Auditing the Government Domestication of the Agenda 2063

Audit Questions

1. Has Agenda 2063 been adequately integrated into national development frameworks?
2. Are institutional arrangements effective?
3. Are monitoring and reporting mechanisms adequate?
4. Are sufficient resources allocated for the implementation of the Agenda 2063?



Audit Criteria

- Agenda 2063 Framework.
- National Development Vision.
- National Five-Year Development Plan.
- Sector Policies and Strategies.
- African Union Implementation Guidelines.



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Auditing the Implementation of Agenda 2063

Policy and Planning Alignment

Agenda 2063 integrated into national development frameworks.

Issues to observe

- National priorities reflect Agenda 2063 aspirations.
- Strategic plans are explicitly linked with Agenda 2063 aspirations.
- Awareness among implementing entities.

Outcome

Alignment may improve coordination implementation and reporting.



Institutional Arrangements

Coordination mechanisms exist and fully effective.

Issues to observe

- Roles and responsibilities are clearly defined.
- Sufficiency coordination among institutions.
- Adequate follow-up on the implementation progress.

Outcome

Avoid duplication and fragmented implementation.



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Monitoring and Reporting

Monitoring systems are sufficient to track Agenda 2063 indicators.

Issues to observe

- Indicators are supported by baseline data
- Strong integration of Agenda 2063 indicators into national M&E systems
- Consistent reporting mechanisms

Outcome

Easy measuring progress toward Agenda 2063 aspirations



Financing

Financing arrangements are fully aligned with the priorities of Agenda 2063.

Issues to observe

- Budget allocations are linked to Agenda 2063 targets
- Limited dependence on development partner funding
- Resource mobilisation strategies in place

Outcome

Potential success in the implementation



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Anticipated Improvements After the Audit

Start developing plans for increasing awareness of Agenda 2063

Increasing attention within the Office during audits by systematically integrating Agenda 2063 indicators in the evaluation process

Carry out efforts to align planning documents with Agenda 2063

Introduction of Initiatives to strengthen monitoring and reporting of Agenda 2063

Efforts to enhance Coordination among Stakeholders



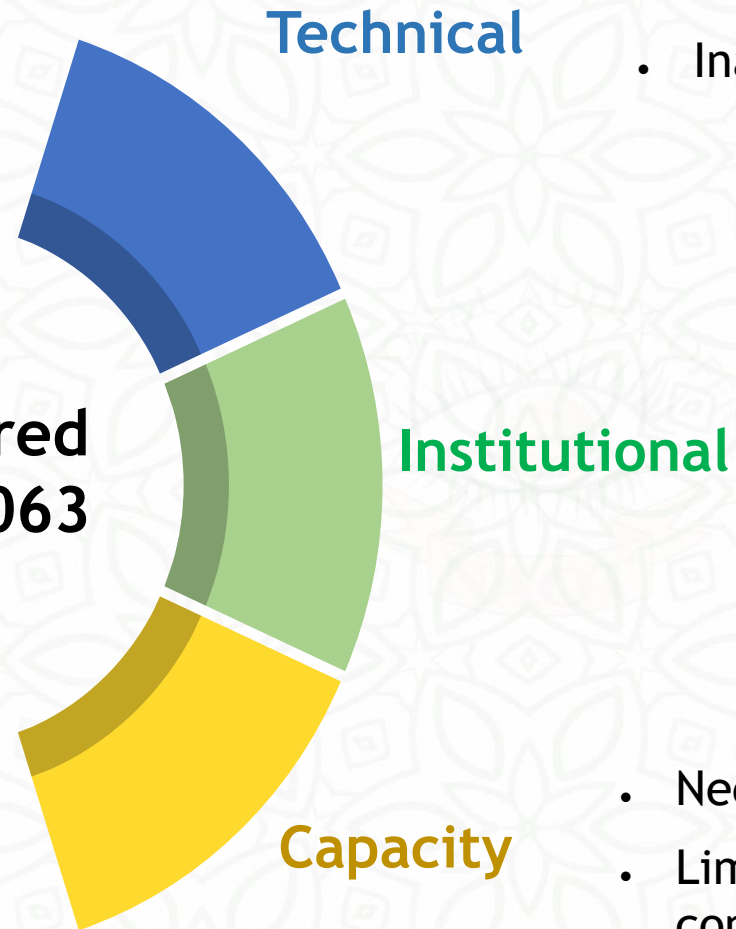
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Challenges encountered in Auditing Agenda 2063



- Complexity of Agenda 2063 indicators.
- Inadequate data quality.
- Limited stakeholder awareness.
- Cross-sectoral nature of the agenda.
- Need for specialised audit skills.
- Limited resources for conducting comprehensive audits



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Lessons Learned

Goals are interdependent and interconnected; therefore, auditing them in isolation (silos) is ineffective.

SAIs must rapidly upgrade their technical skills.

Continuous capacity building is necessary

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Early stakeholder engagement is essential

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Collaboration with planning and statistics institutions is critical

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Audits of Agenda 2063 require multidisciplinary teams

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Future Roles of SAIs in Auditing the Implementation of Agenda 2063

Share experiences across African
SAIs

Maintaining continuous
stakeholders
collaboration

Continuous efforts on Capacity
building to Auditors



Conduct regular compliance and performance audits

Integration of Agenda 2063 goals into SAI's
strategic, operational, and audit plans

Promote accountability and transparency of the
strategic vision for *"The Africa We Want"*



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Conclusion

- In conclusion we have examined the role of SAs in auditing the implementation of Agenda 2063. Through independent audit, SAs can play a critical role in strengthening accountability and accelerating Africa's progress toward achieving the aspirations of Agenda 2063.
- We have seen that the implementation of the auditing Agenda strengthen accountability while impact measurement demonstrate the value of our work
- As we move forward let us apply these practices consistently to increase our audits contribute to tangible improvement in public sector performance, and most important importantly, achieve the strategic vision for the Africa we want focusing on inclusive growth and sustainable development.



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Thank You for Listening



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