

ITU's Strategic and Financial Plans 2028-2031

Briefing to Sector Advisory Groups

RAG 33rd Meeting

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Updates from the CWG-SFP 2028-2031 last meeting (12-14 January 2026)

The meeting agreed on new Targets to fully reflect the scope of the two goals:

Targets for Goal 1: Universal Connectivity – by 2031:
1.1: Universal broadband coverage
1.2: Affordable connectivity for all
1.3: Universal access to Internet-enabled devices
1.4: Improved cybersecurity preparedness of countries
1.5: Resilient networks
1.6: Avoidance of harmful interference
1.7: Interoperability standards adoption
Targets for Goal 2: Sustainable Digital Transformation – by 2031:
2.1: Universal Internet use (all gaps)
2.2: Digital skills for all
2.3: Universal Internet access in schools
2.4: Universal business/industry use of the Internet
2.5: ICT environmental impact
2.6: Inclusive digital innovation
2.7: Space for development

CWG-SFP proposed elevating this element from the Outcome level to the Target level and **invites the RAG to assess the proposal and, if accepted, to propose the corresponding target indicator/s.**

CWG-SFP proposed this **new** Target with the following two indicators:

- **Satellite broadband subscriptions** (already collected by ITU Statistics)
- **Countries with satellite-to-cellphone partnerships, by status** (maintained by Global mobile Suppliers Association (GSA))

and **invites RAG to assess the proposal.**

RAG is also invited to confirm the Outcomes related to its work, together with its corresponding indicators:

Outcome	Outcome indicators
1) Radio-frequency spectrum and orbit resources are used efficiently, economically, rationally and equitably	– Number of frequency assignments to space services that have been recorded in the MIFR under No. 11.31 only, on a yearly basis
<i>a) Space services</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For geostationary satellite networks
<i>b) Terrestrial services</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For non-geostationary satellite systems
	– Number of frequency assignments to space services that have been recorded in the MIFR under Nos. 11.31, 11.32 or 11.32A, on a yearly basis
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For geostationary satellite networks
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For non-geostationary satellite systems
	– Number of frequency assignments to space services that have been recorded in the MIFR under No. 11.41, on a yearly basis
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For geostationary satellite networks
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For non-geostationary satellite systems
	– Number of frequency assignments to space services that have been recorded in the MIFR under No. 4.4, on a yearly basis
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For geostationary satellite networks
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For non-geostationary satellite systems
	– Number of frequency assignments to space services that have been suppressed from the MIFR:
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due to non-conformity with the RR
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At the initiative of notifying Administration
	– Number of countries having terrestrial assignments recorded in the MIFR in the last four-year period
	– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services non-planned and not subject to coordination) that have been recorded in the MIFR under No. 11.31, on a yearly basis
	- Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services non-planned and subject to coordination) that have been recorded in the MIFR under Nos. 11.31 and 11.32, on a yearly basis
	– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services planned) that have been recorded in the MIFR under Nos. 11.31 and 11.34, on a yearly basis

<p>1) Radio-frequency spectrum and orbit resources are used efficiently, economically, rationally and equitably</p>	<p>– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services) that have been recorded in the MIFR under No. 4.4, on a yearly basis</p>
<p><i>a) Space services</i></p>	<p>– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services) that have been suppressed from the MIFR:</p>
<p><i>b) Terrestrial services</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due to non-conformity with the RR • At the initiative of notifying Administration
	<p>– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services non-planned and subject to coordination) that have been recorded in the MIFR under Nos. 11.31 and 11.32, on a yearly basis</p>
	<p>– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services planned) that have been recorded in the MIFR under Nos. 11.31 and 11.34, on a yearly basis</p>
	<p>– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services) that have been recorded in the MIFR under No. 4.4, on a yearly basis</p>
	<p>– Number of frequency assignments (terrestrial services) that have been suppressed from the MIFR:</p>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Due to non-conformity with the RR • At the initiative of notifying Administration
<p>2) Avoidance of causing harmful interference</p>	<p>– Number of cases of harmful interference (to frequency assignments pertaining to space services) reported to the BR in the one year of the reporting period</p>
<p><i>a) To space services</i></p>	<p>– Number of cases of harmful interference (to frequency assignments pertaining to space services) reported to the BR that are pending resolution</p>
<p><i>b) To terrestrial services</i></p>	<p>– Number of cases of harmful interference (to assignments pertaining to terrestrial services) reported to the BR in the one year of the reporting period</p>
	<p>– Number of cases of harmful interference (to assignments pertaining to terrestrial services) reported to the BR that are pending resolution</p>
<p>3) Enhanced application of ITU-R recommendations, including those dealing with propagation modelling, used for efficient spectrum management, as well as for sharing and compatibility</p>	<p>- Number of ITU-R recommendations, reports, and handbooks approved and published, in force</p>
	<p>- Number of ITU-R recommendations, reports, and handbooks approved and published, per year</p>

Proposed to be elevated to the level of Target



