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## Teachers' indicators: what are the challenges going forward

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# Outline

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- What indicators can be produced?
- What data sources are used?
- Challenges
- Agenda forward to work with Member States

# What indicators can be produced?

Indicator	Definition
4.c.1	Proportion of teachers with the <b>minimum required qualifications</b> , by education level
4.c.2	Pupil-trained teacher ratio by education level
4.c.3	Percentage of teachers <b>qualified according to national standards by education level</b> and type of institution
4.c.4	Pupil-qualified teacher ratio by education level
4.c.5	Average teacher salary relative to other professions requiring a comparable level of qualification
4.c.6	Teacher attrition rate by education level
4.c.7	Percentage of teachers who received in-service training in the last 12 months by type of training

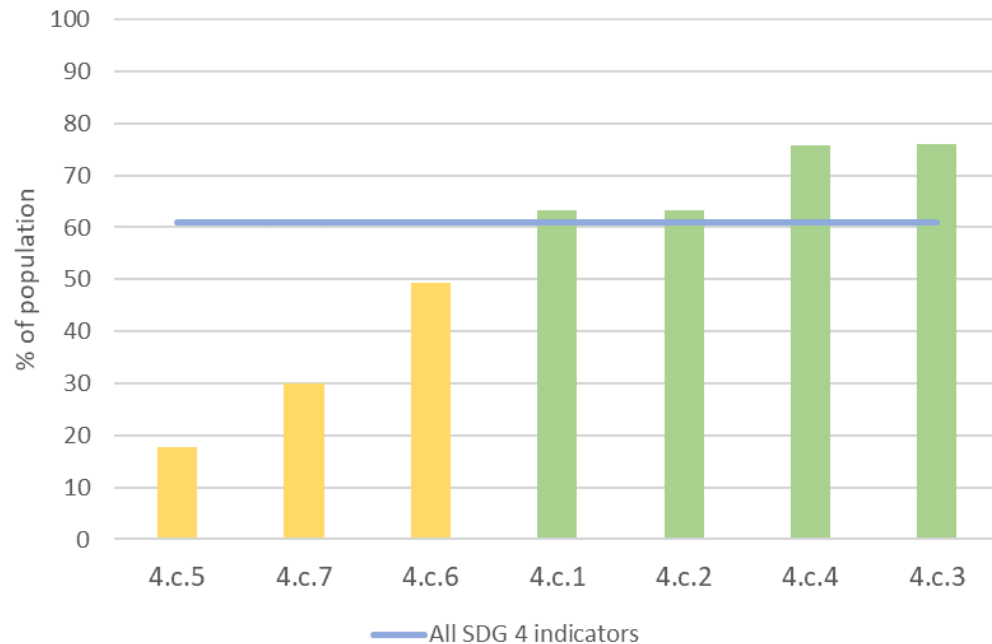
# What data sources are used?

Indicator	Data sources (link to metadata documents)
4.c.1 (minimum required qualifications)	<a href="#">UIS country survey</a>
4.c.2 (pupil trained-teacher ratio)	<a href="#">UIS country survey</a>
4.c.3 (qualified according to national standards)	<a href="#">UIS country survey</a>
4.c.4 (pupil-qualified teacher ratio)	<a href="#">UIS country survey</a>
4.c.5 (relative salaries)	<a href="#">OECD; UIS country survey for salaries, ILO data for comparator salaries</a>
4.c.6 (teacher attrition rate)	<a href="#">UIS country survey</a>
4.c.7 (recent in-service training)	<a href="#">International learning assessments</a>

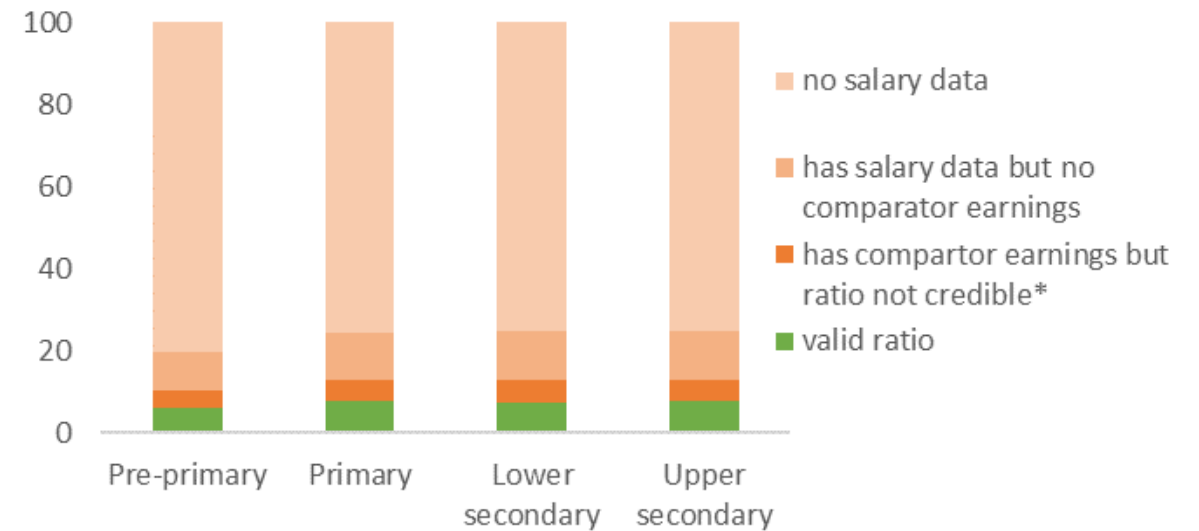
# Challenges

## Low coverage

**Coverage of SDG 4 indicators produced in terms of % of population.**



**Teacher salary data classification (percent of countries without OECD teacher salary data)**  
Not reported salary data main reason for low coverage of 4.c.5



\*Ratios greater than 3 or less than 1/3 were defined as not credible

# Agenda forward to work with Member States

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## Finalize the revision of the SDG framework

- Revise the indicator framework related to teacher preparedness
- Revise the indicator framework related to attracting and retaining teachers
- Implement ISCED-T
- Agree on global definitions for qualified and trained teacher

## Improve data collection through better capacity building and innovation

- Update and review data collection instruments and strategy
- Define guidelines for country's data collection

## Extend the link between 4.C framework and evidence-base on teacher training

- Build and maintain UIS knowledge-base on best-practice for teacher education
- Extend the teaching requirements and ISCED-T data collection to include key characteristics of teacher training

# Thank you

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