ASEAN GEOSPATIAL CHALLENGE 2026
IMPORTANT NOTES FOR PARTICIPANTS

Submission Guidelines

1. Participating teams are to submit a) 1 presentation slides and b) 1 video clip that describes your project. Please ensure that your submission adheres to the guidelines stated below.

2. Presentation Slides Submission:
    a. The presentation slides submission will be used as visuals to present your project to the judges.
    b. The content should be clear, concise and effectively communicate the detailing your solution, problem statement, methodology, impact, and alignment with the UN Sustainable Development Goals.
    c. The number of slides, style (use of infographic, charts, pictures) and content are left to the discretion of the team. The slides should cater to a 10-minute live presentation.
    d. The submission format should be in either pptx or pdf.

3. Video Clip Submission:
    a. The content should summarise the project as a whole, with an emphasis on conveying the message of the project in an engaging, bite-size manner.
    b. The video clip should not exceed 2 minutes (120 seconds), including any introduction or credits.
    c. The orientation of the video clip should be landscape, in .mp4 or .mov HD format.
    d. Music and/or audio used must be royalty-free music or music specifically licensed for creative commons use is permitted. Proper attribution and credit must be given to all creators and licenses of the music.
    e. If copyrighted material (eg: images, charts, video clips) is used, prior written consent must be obtained from the right holder; and for the derived video clip to be used for publicity purposes by the Singapore Land Authority.
    f. Informed consent must be obtained for the appearance of any person in the video.

4. Each team is to submit the following documents to their respective National Geospatial Agency:

Documents to be submitted	Submission Details
Team Composition	To submit one per team
Team Photo	Group photo of all team members (.jpeg, .jpg, .png formats only)
Declaration Form on the Originality of Work	Duly completed and signed as a team (.doc, .docx formats only)
Presentation Slides	To submit one per team (.pptx, .pdf formats only) If the file size is too large to be sent via email, team should upload to a file hosting site (eg: Google Drive) and allow anyone with the link to access the file.
Video Clip	To submit one per team (.mp4, .mov formats only) If the file size is too large to be sent via email, team should upload to a file hosting site (eg: Google Drive) and allow anyone with the link to access the file.

Rules and Regulations

1. The submitted project should evidently showcase the use of geospatial technology and information to support nations in achieving their Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs). Details about the SDGs, set out by the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (Figure 1), can be found here.

2. Teams can determine their own challenge statement. The chosen challenge statement should support the SDGs. Teams are encouraged to tap on the additional resources contributed by the challenge partners (if any) for their project.

3. Each team is required to work on only ONE challenge statement and submit ONE *Presentation Slides and* ONE *Video Clip*. Participants should adhere to the guidelines as far as possible.

4. Each team must consist a minimum of TWO, to a maximum of FOUR participants. Participants can come from different educational institutions.

5. Each team must nominate a student representative to represent the team for purposes of communication with the Organiser on all matters relating to AGC 26.

6. Participants are only allowed to participate in ONE project submission.

7. AGC 26 is open to all students who are enrolled on a full-time basis at an Institute of Higher Learning (Tertiary Institution or its equivalent) only.

8. The submitted project must be the team's original work and has not been previously submitted in another competition or published for any commercial purposes.

9. The team should own or procure the intellectual property rights (including copyright) subsisting in the Background IP and Foreground IP in their submitted projects, or they have the necessary authorisations, permissions and licences for the use of any Background IP and/or Foreground IP owned by third-parties. For more information, please refer to the Terms & Conditions.

10. Participants are encouraged to familiarise themselves with the judging criteria when working on their project submission.

11. Winners of AGC 26 will be announced and contacted via email.

12. Participants should adhere to all Terms & Conditions stated under AGC 26.

13. The Organiser reserves the right to disqualify any participant or teams who are found not adhering to the Rules and Regulations of AGC 26.
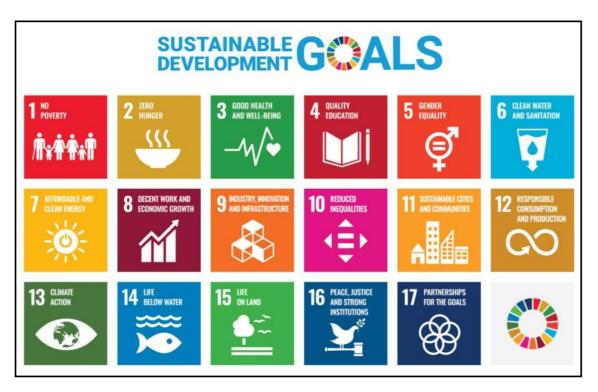

Figure 1: Sustainable Development Goals
Source: United Nations Department of Economic and Social Affairs (2020)

Judging Criteria

20%   **Challenge Statement and Relevance**
- How well does the challenge statement support the SDGs?
- How well has the team demonstrated the relevance of their project?

40%   **Application of Geospatial Technology**
- How has the proposed solution addressed the challenge statement?
- How effective is geospatial technology used in the proposed solution?

20%   **Communication and Storytelling**
- How clear is the message/outcome of the project delivered?
- How effective are the use of geospatial visuals in the video and slides?

20%   **Creativity and Originality**
- How innovative is the proposed solution's use of geospatial technology?
- Is there evidence of creative thought in the use of visuals in the video and slides?

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For clarification, please email geoworks@sla.gov.sg