



B20 POLICY ACHIEVEMENTS

**ASSESSMENT OF ALIGNMENT WITH THE ANTALYA G20
LEADERS' COMMUNIQUE**

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What has achieved in the policy front?

- 1. Out of B20's 19 recommendations submitted, 14 were directly or indirectly reflected in the Antalya G20 Leaders' Communique**
- 2. B20 supported World SME Forum (WSF) became the first private-led entity welcomed by the G20 Leaders' Communique**
- 3. World SME Forum acknowledged as a global body to facilitate the contributions of SMEs to growth and employment.**
- 4. Digital economy and Internet issues covered for the first time in the G20 Leaders' Communique**
- 5. 4 of 5 B20 Energy recommendations are reflected in the G20 Leaders' Communique**

ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE «SMEs & ENTR.» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
Preamble	The B20 advocates that the G20 formally endorse the World SME Forum .	10	...we welcome the establishment of the private sector-led World SME Forum , a new initiative that will serve as a global body to facilitate the contributions of SMEs to growth and employment.
11	Make data on SME creditworthiness more transparent and available so that various finance tools that reduce risk associated with SME lending can be used effectively.	10	We have placed a special focus on promoting long-term financing for SMEs, and we welcome the Joint Action Plan on SME Financing, the G20/OECD High-Level Principles on SME Financing as guidance.
12	Broaden and deepen SMEs' access to alternative financing by supporting and harmonizing policies, regulations, and standards.		
13	Provide support to SMEs to comply with international standards and improve their access to international markets through capacity-building and technical assistance programs	11	We support policies that allow firms of all sizes, particularly SMEs, in countries at all levels of economic development to participate in and take full advantage of GVCs and encourage greater participation and value addition by developing countries.

ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE «TRADE» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
1	Ratify and implement the Trade Facilitation Agreement.	12	We will also need to increase our efforts to implement all the elements of the Bali Package, including ... the prompt ratification and implementation of the Trade Facilitation Agreement.
17	Reaffirm their commitment to a standstill on protectionism and roll back existing protectionist measures, especially non-tariff barriers, including localization barriers to trade.	11	We further reaffirm our longstanding commitment to standstill and rollback on protectionist measures

ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE «FINANCE» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
2	Finalize and improve the implementation of the global financial reform agenda.	13	...we have completed further core elements of the financial reform agenda. In particular, as a key step towards ending too-big-to-fail, we have finalized the common international standard on total-loss-absorbing-capacity (TLAC) for global systemically important banks...
3	Reiterate the need for regulatory consistency and improve the consultation process in the financial reform agenda.	14	Going forward, we are committed to full and consistent implementation of the global financial regulatory framework in line with the agreed timelines, and will continue to monitor and address uneven implementation across jurisdictions.

ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE «INFRA. & INV.» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
6	Develop country-specific infrastructure investment strategies linked to G20 growth aspirations.	9	We have developed ambitious country-specific investment strategies, which bring together concrete policies and actions
7	Improve the infrastructure investment ecosystem to facilitate the development of infrastructure as an asset class	10	We have developed guidelines and best practices for public-private-partnership (PPP) models. We also considered alternative financing structures, including asset-based financing, and simple and transparent securitization.
5	... promote greater transparency and harmony in taxation related to FDI	15	...we endorse the package of measures developed under the ambitious G20/OECD Base Erosion and Profit Shifting (BEPS) project.

ACHIEVEMENTS IN «EMPLOYMENT» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
8	Develop and finance programs aimed at reducing skills mismatches, in particular technical, managerial, and entrepreneurial skills.	7	We are focused on promoting more and better quality jobs in line with our G20 Framework on Promoting Quality Jobs and on improving and investing in skills through our G20 Skills Strategy.
10	Increase youth employment and female labor-force participation.	7	We are determined to support the better integration of our young people into the labour market including through the promotion of entrepreneurship. ...we agree to the G20 goal of reducing the share of young people who are most at risk of being permanently left behind in the labour market by 15% by 2025 in G20 countries.



ACHIEVEMENTS IN «ANTI-CORRUPTION» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
4	Implement the G20 High-Level Principles on Beneficial Ownership Transparency	16	...we remain committed to building a global culture of intolerance towards corruption through effectively implementing the 2015-2016 G20 Anti-Corruption Action Plan. We endorse the G20 High-Level Principles on Integrity and Transparency in the Private Sector.
Preamble	The G20 should acknowledge the importance of improved transparency, principled business practices, and good governance	10	To help ensure a strong corporate governance framework that will support private investment, we endorse the G20/OECD Principles of Corporate Governance.

ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE «DIGITAL» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communique
15	Improve the global trade system for the emerging digital economy	26	We acknowledge that threats to the security of and in the use of ICTs, risk undermining our collective ability to use the Internet to bolster economic growth and development around the world. We commit ourselves to bridge the digital divide.
Digital Preamble	The need to bridge the digital divide to increase the consequent positive socioeconomic impact on businesses and citizens		
Digital Preamble	The necessity of fostering digital trust in an era that has witnessed an explosion in collection and usage of personal data to stimulate innovation	26	We affirm that no country should conduct or support ICT-enabled theft of intellectual property, including trade secrets or other confidential business information, with the intent of providing competitive advantages to companies or commercial sectors.



ACHIEVEMENTS IN THE «ENERGY» FRONT

#	Extract from the B20 Policy Proposals	#	Extract from the G20 Communiqué
Energy 1	Improve environment to encourage long-term investment in energy	23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We will continue to promote transparent, competitive and well-functioning energy markets, including gas markets. - We reaffirm our commitment to rationalise and phase-out inefficient fossil fuel subsidies that encourage wasteful consumption, over the medium term, recognising the need to support the poor.
Energy 3	Increase energy efficiency	23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We recognize that actions on energy, including improving energy efficiency... will be important in tackling climate change and its effects.
Energy 4	Stimulate investment in sustainable energy and new technologies	23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We recognize that actions on energy, including ... increasing investments in clean energy technologies and supporting related research and development activities will be important in tackling climate change and its effects. - We endorse the G20 Toolkit of Voluntary Options for Renewable Energy Deployment.
Energy 5	Enhance energy security and improve energy access for all	20, 22, 23	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - We endorse the G20 Energy Access Action Plan. - We stress the importance of diversification of energy sources and continued investments for increased energy security.