

# Global Immunization after 2020

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# What's next after 2020 ?

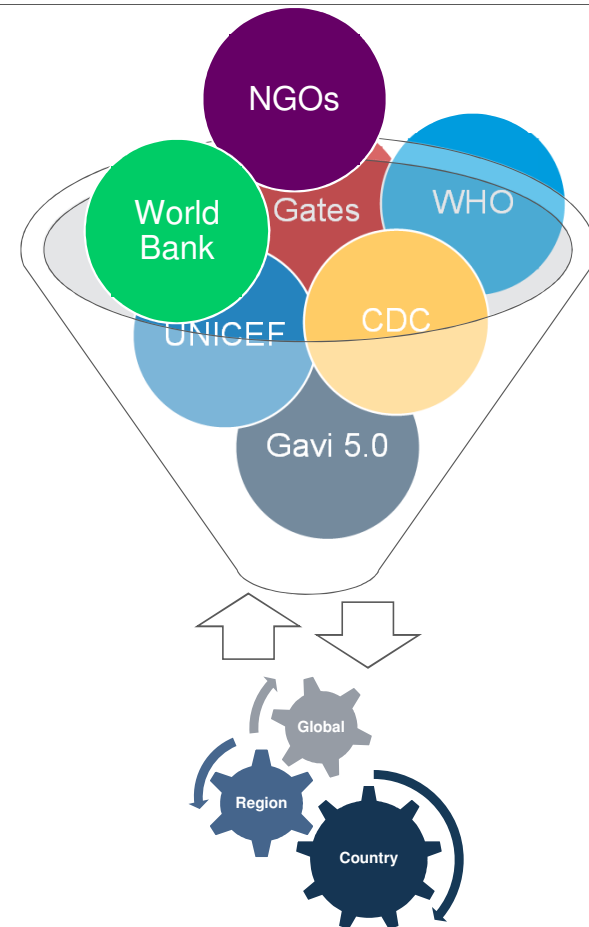


## Partner post-2020 Strategies

Key partner organizations are currently thinking about post-2020 and their strategies for the next decade based on organizational priorities

Donors are planning their next investment strategies and looking for a comprehensive global unifying strategy

## Collective post-GVAP Process



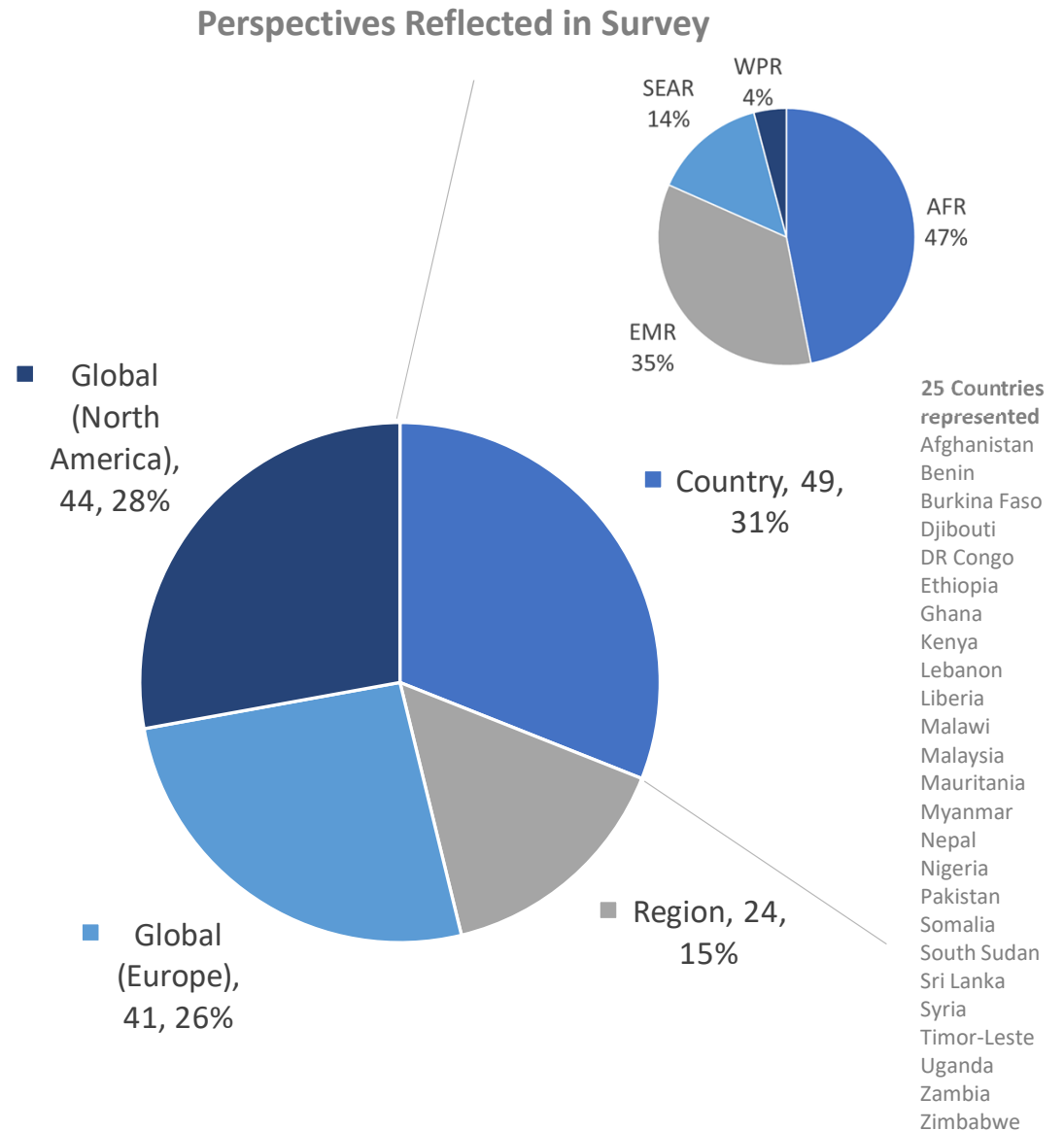
WHO Secretariat has GVAP Agenda item for WHA73 (May 2020) & WHA75 (May 2022)

## WHA71 Announcement – May 2018

- Announcement by ADG (Dr Nono) during WHA71 that WHO agrees to convene a process with all immunization partners and stakeholders to develop the next GVAP
- With the endorsement of GPW13 a day later, WHO has had to prioritize aligning its priorities to this new vision. In addition, the need to wait for the appointments of new IVB leadership meant that a formal process to convene partners & key stakeholders has not started
- Informal processes were launched starting with
  - The review of surveys, meetings, and discussions conducted on GVAP lessons-learned
  - A post-2020 survey conducted around the Global Immunization Meeting (GIM) on 26-28 June in Kigali, Rwanda

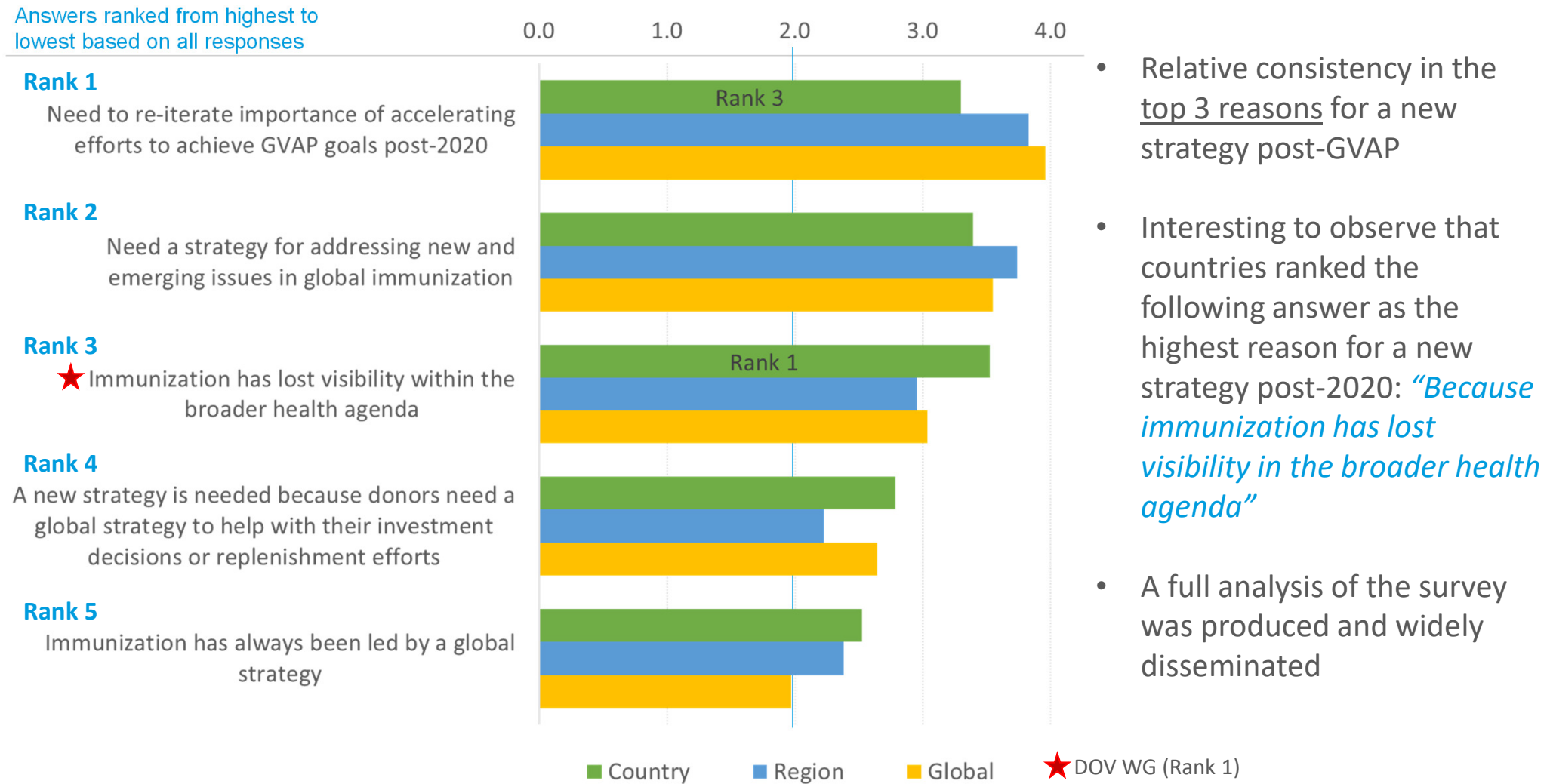
## GIM Survey on post-GVAP

- Informal survey sent to all Global Immunization Meeting participants
- A total of **158 respondents** responded to 10 questions on the why? what? and how? of a post-GVAP strategy
- Good representation of perspective in the responses
  - Countries = 31% of respondents
  - Regions = 15% of respondents



# Q1 – Why do you think a new strategy is needed?

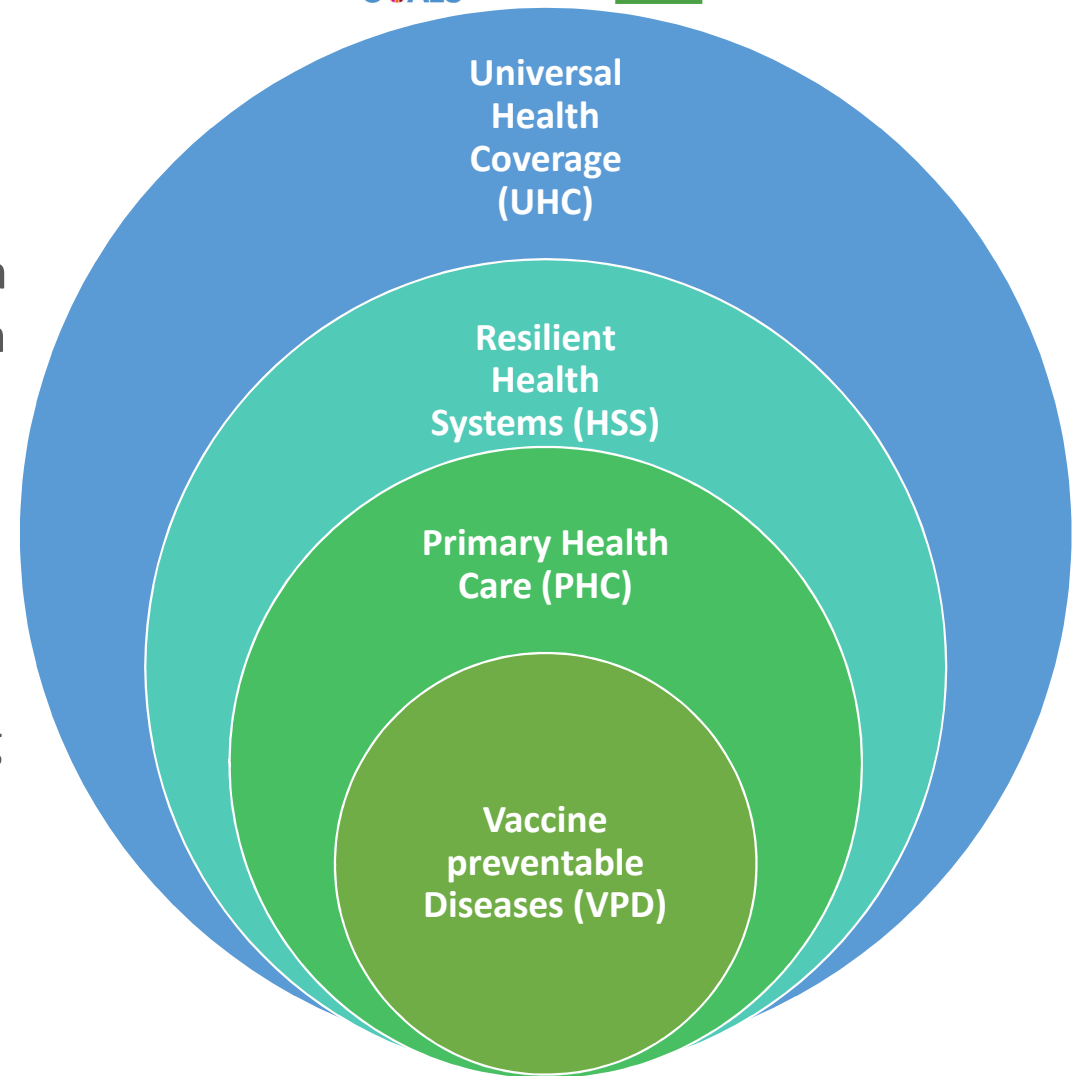
Answers ranked from highest to lowest based on all responses



# Survey Take Away (1)

## The keys objective of a post-GVAP strategy would be to:

1. Re-position immunizations central role in contributing to the broader global health agenda imperatives (PHC, UHC, SDG by 2030)
2. Build from the lessons learned from the current GVAP to identify innovative approaches and partnerships to sustain and accelerate efforts to achieve existing GVAP goals.
3. Set directions for addressing new and emerging priorities for the coming decade including risks and assumptions



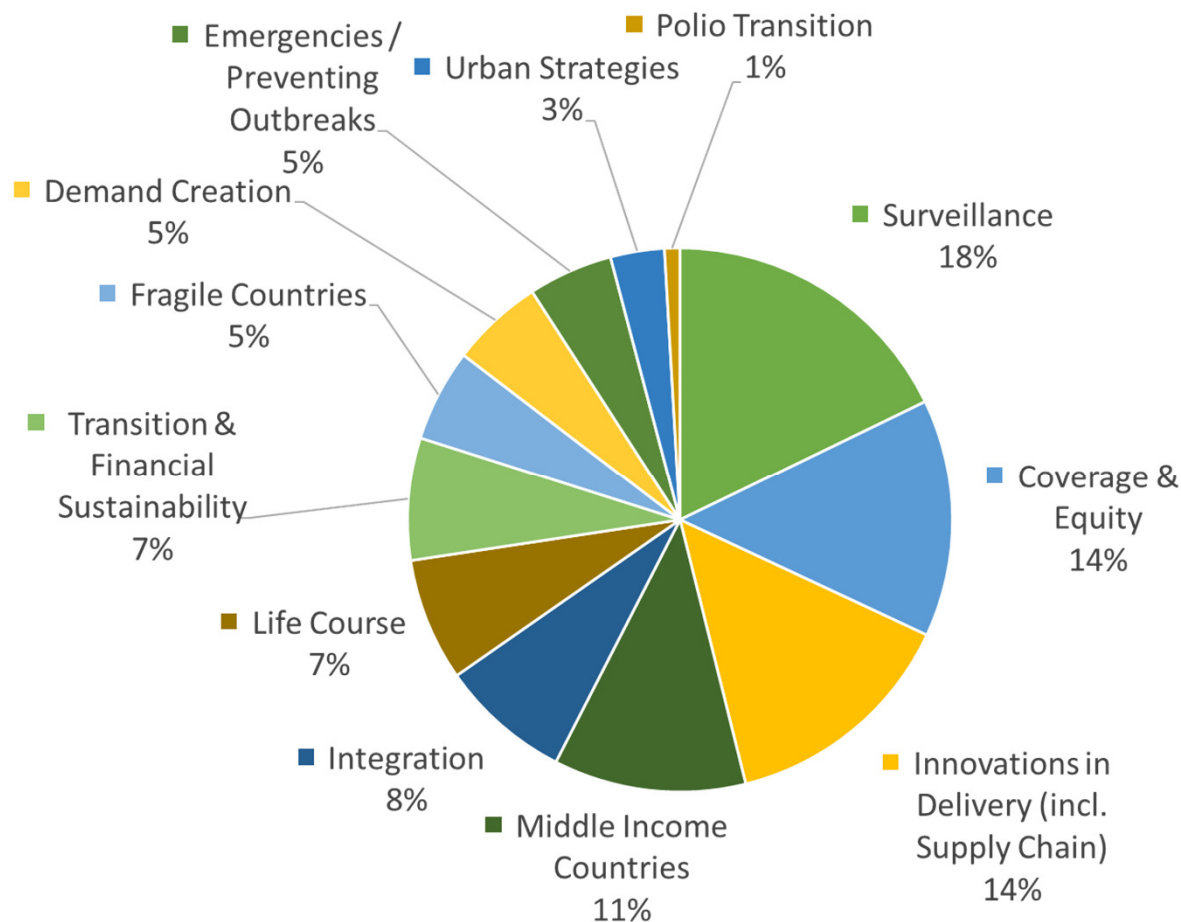
## Survey Take Away (2)

### Main thrust of a post-GVAP strategy should be on:

- Raising routine vaccination coverage and with quality services
- Reaching the unimmunized irrespective of where they are
- Sustaining existing gains with population growth, rising urbanization, increasing migration, and the growing number of fragile states
- Finding new approaches to reduce critical immunization gaps in all countries
- Expanding immunization along the lifecourse including integrating with other health interventions
- Building national ownership for sustainable programmes especially in the context of transition from global initiatives



## Q7 – What sub-strategies are needed?



Three quarters (75%) of those responding “Yes” to this question indicated that sub-strategies were needed for

1. Surveillance
2. Coverage & equity
3. Innovations in delivery
4. Middle income countries
5. Integration and lifecourse
6. Transition & financial sustainability

## Survey Take Away (3)

### Key principles for developing a post-GVAP strategy :

- More **bottom-up development** than GVAP
- Have more of a **health systems perspective** where immunization drives PHC (use disease specific focus more as measurement)
- **Focus on implementation** with a common approach on how to drive change in countries
- Clarify **accountabilities of main partners** and focus on **effective partnerships** in driving change over the next decade
- Involve **non-immunization and non-traditional partners** in its development

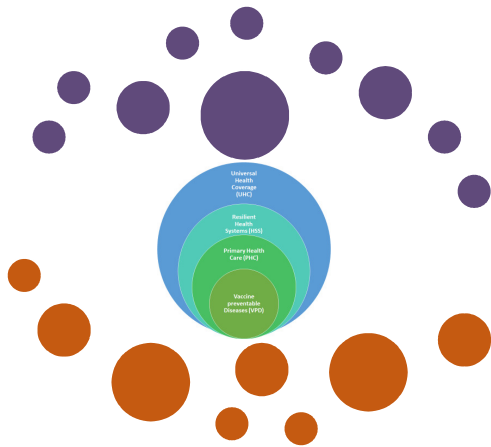


Are we moving from the  
**Decade of Vaccines** to the  
**Decade of Immunizations?**

# Post-GVAP Concept Note

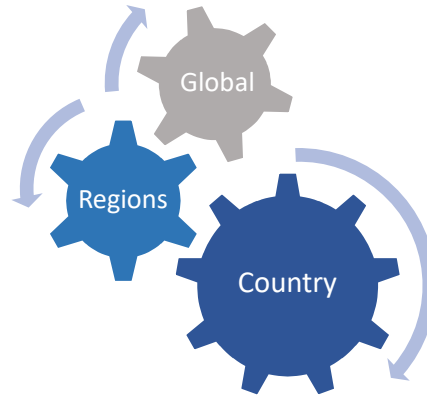
Developed based on the post-GVAP survey findings

Accelerating effort to complete the unfinished mandate from GVAP



Addressing new and emerging priorities for global immunization

“WHY” & “WHAT” ?



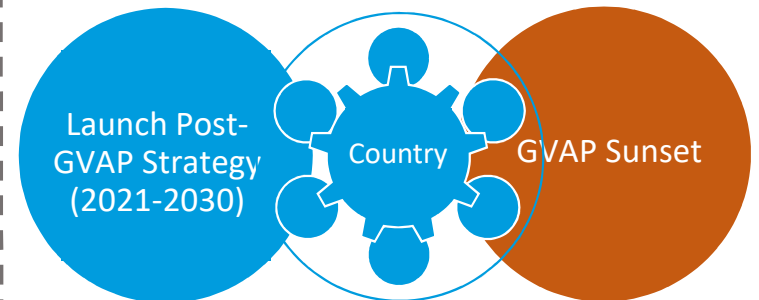
Global, regional and country approaches to drive change

“WHO” & “HOW” ?

WHA73  
May 2020

Regional  
Committees  
2021 or sooner

WHA75  
May 2022



High-Level  
Global  
Immunization  
Strategy

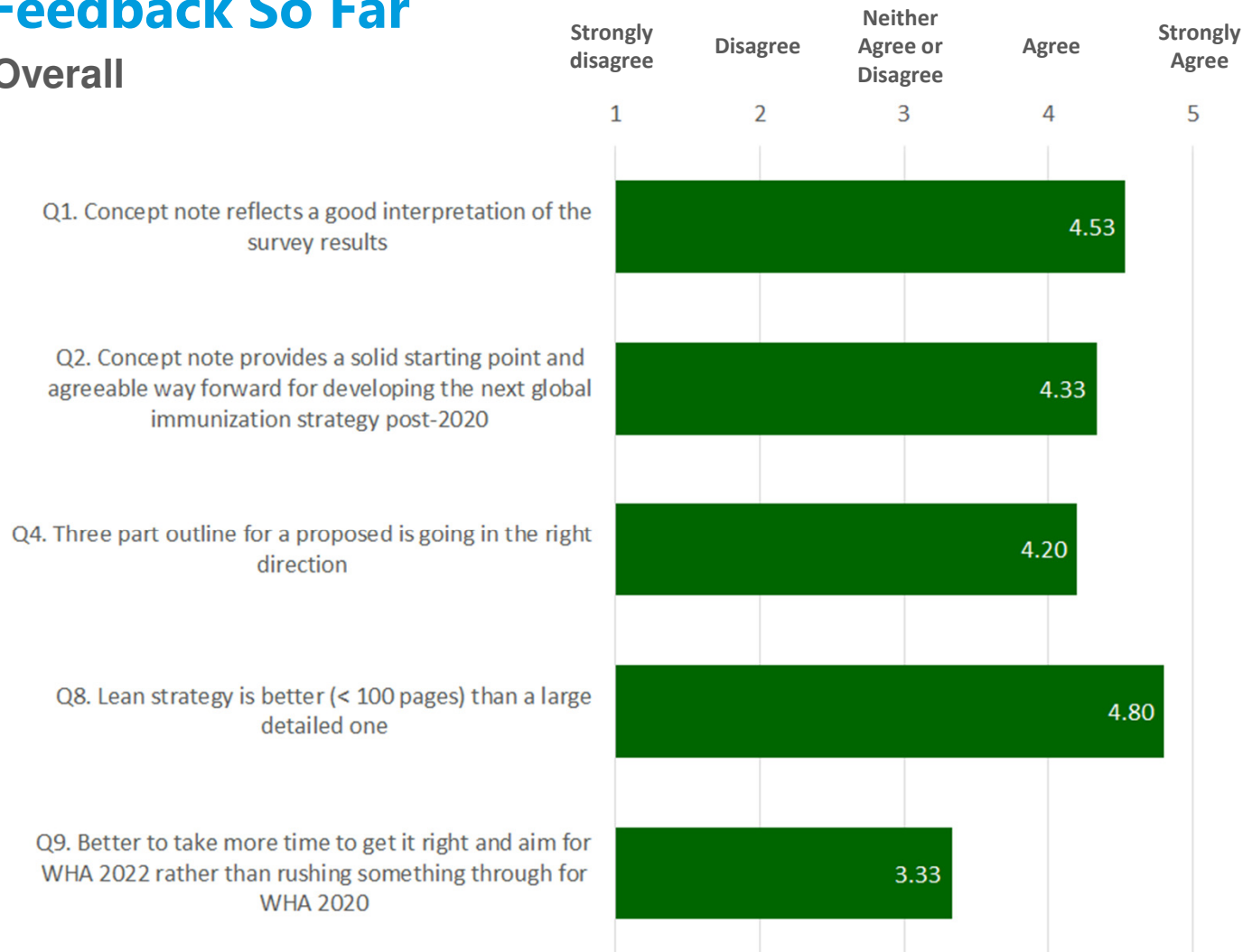
post-RVAP Strategies  
developed with  
country approaches  
to drive change

Final GVAP  
report to  
present to  
WHA

“WHEN” ?

## Feedback So Far

### Overall



Positive feedback communicated directly to ADG from CDC, Gavi, UNICEF, USAID, and Save the Children

Online feedback indicates that concept note appears to be going in the right direction in terms of the:

1. Objectives
2. Structure
3. Process
4. Guiding principles
5. Timelines

## Next Steps

### **November 2018 - Formal Launch of Partner Engagement by WHO**

- Deputy Director General (DDG) of Programmes (Dr Soumya) to engagement heads of main partner agencies in a conference call.

### **March 2019 – Partner Post-GVAP Consultation**

- Dates likely March (Week 12 in Geneva)
- 3 day consultation with high-level 1<sup>st</sup> day (with Dr Soumya and Dr Nono)
- Participants (< 80) need to include :
  - Leadership from bilateral and multilateral agencies
  - Key health & immunization partnerships
  - WHO donor representatives
  - Regional representatives including possible RITAG chairs
  - Country representatives (Immunization, Maternal Health and key non health stakeholders)
  - CSO representatives
  - SAGE representatives
  - Industry representatives

### **April 2019 – Update to SAGE**

# Thank You

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