



## Y20 South Africa 2025 Negotiation Schedule

**Duration:** 02 June – 22 August 2025

**Objective:** Develop, negotiate, and adopt the Y20 2025 Outcome Document

**Format:** Hybrid (Virtual & In-Person)

**Participants:** Sherpas/Heads of Delegation (HoDs), Track Delegates, Track chairs, Observers

### Phase 1: Virtual Negotiation Process: 26 May – 21 June 2025

Objective: Build and align elements of the base document prior to in-person meetings

Format: Virtual (Zoom)

#### Week 1: 26–31 May

- 28 May (Wed): Thematic Issue Briefs Circulated to Delegations
- 28 May (Wed): Negotiation Calendar Circulated to Delegates
- 28 May (Wed): Roles and Responsibilities for All Participants
- 31 May (Sat): Launch of Negotiation Process & Orientation for all Delegates

#### Week 2: 2–7 June

- 2 June (Mon): Track 1 Negotiation Session: Climate & Environmental Sustainability – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 3 June (Tue): Track 2 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Economic Growth & Employment – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 4 June (Wed): Track 3 Negotiation Session: AI, Education & Future of Work – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 5 June (Thu): Track 4 Negotiation Session: Youth Engagement & Multilateralism – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 6 June (Fri): Track 5 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Social Development & Inequality – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 7 June (Sat): Cross-Track Coordination Meeting I – 15:00–17:30 SAST

#### Week 3: 9–14 June

- 9 June (Mon): Track 1 Negotiation Session: Climate & Environmental Sustainability – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 10 June (Tue): Track 2 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Economic Growth & Employment – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 11 June (Wed): Track 3 Negotiation Session: AI, Education & Future of Work – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 12 June (Thu): Track 4 Negotiation Session: Youth Engagement & Multilateralism – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 13 June (Fri): Track 5 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Social Development & Inequality – 15:00–17:00 SAST

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**Week 4: 16–21 June**

- 19 June (Thu): Sherpa/Heads of Delegation Briefing
- 21 June (Sat): Circulation of Zero Draft

**Deliverables:**

- Track-specific proposed language
- Bracketed text reflecting differing positions
- Zero Draft Outcome Document

**Phase 2: Pre-Summit (Compilation Draft Negotiation): 17–20 June 2025**

**Format:** Hybrid (In-Person in Pretoria + Online for virtual participants)

**Location:** Pretoria, South Africa

Note: Detailed Pre-Summit schedule to follow separately.

Objective: Line-by-line negotiation and consolidation into Compilation Draft. Deliverable: Compilation Draft Text + 1-Pager Summary of Key Youth Priorities (for G20 Sherpa engagement)

**Phase 3: Finalization of Text & Summit Preparation: 30 June – 2 August 2025**

Format: Virtual (Zoom)

**Week 1: 30 June – 5 July 2025**

- 30 June (Mon): Track 1 Negotiation Session: Climate & Environmental Sustainability – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 1 July (Tue): Track 2 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Economic Growth & Employment – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 2 July (Wed): Track 3 Negotiation Session: AI, Education & Future of Work – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 3 July (Thu): Track 4 Negotiation Session: Youth Engagement & Multilateralism – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 4 July (Fri): Track 5 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Social Development & Inequality – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 5 July (Sat): Sherpa-Level Political Roundtable – 16:00–17:30 SAST

**Week 2: 7 – 12 July 2025**

- 7 July (Mon): Track 1 Negotiation Session: Climate & Environmental Sustainability – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 8 July (Tue): Track 2 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Economic Growth & Employment – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 9 July (Wed): Track 3 Negotiation Session: AI, Education & Future of Work – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 10 July (Thu): Track 4 Negotiation Session: Youth Engagement & Multilateralism – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 11 July (Fri): Track 5 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Social Development & Inequality – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 12 July (Sat): Cross-Track Coordination Meeting I – 15:00–17:30 SAST

**Week 3: 14 – 19 July 2025**

- 14 July (Mon): Track 1 Negotiation Session: Climate & Environmental Sustainability – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 15 July (Tue): Track 2 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Economic Growth & Employment – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 16 July (Wed): Track 3 Negotiation Session: AI, Education & Future of Work – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 17 July (Thu): Track 4 Negotiation Session: Youth Engagement & Multilateralism – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 18 July (Fri): Track 5 Negotiation Session: Inclusive Social Development & Inequality – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 19 July (Sat): Cross-Track Coordination Meeting I – 15:00–17:30 SAST

**Week 4: 21 – 26 July 2025**

- 22 July (Tue): Track Coordination Call – 15:00–17:00 SAST
- 24 July (Thu): Sherpa-Level Political Roundtable – 16:00–17:30 SAST

**Week 5: 28 July – 2 August 2025**

- 29 July (Tue): All-Delegation Review Call – 16:00–18:00 SAST
- 1 August (Fri): Deadline: Draft Y20 Communiqué Submission

**Deliverables:**

- 18 July: Draft 2 for national & stakeholder review
- 29 July: Draft 3 (final negotiated draft)

**Phase 4: Y20 Main Summit (Adoption)**

Dates: 18 – 22 August 2025

Location: South Africa, Johannesburg

Format: In-Person sessions

**Deliverables and outcomes:**

- Closed-door final negotiations
- High-Level Plenary Sessions & Cultural Events
- Final Communiqué submitted for adoption
- Adoption Ceremony of the Final Y20 2025 communique.
- Press Conference & Public Release