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Cover: Arising from the Millennium Declaration, unanimously agreed to by world leaders at the United Nations in 2000, the eight Millennium Development Goals commit developed and developing countries to a new global partnership to achieve a series of timebound targets, with the overarching goal of halving extreme poverty by 2015. UNDP, the UN's global development network, is helping countries achieve these Goals.