## **WORLD EXPO**





# **FACTSHEET**

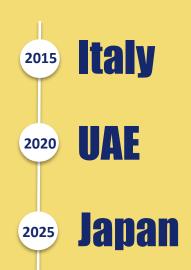
## **BACKGROUND**

1st World Expo 1851 The Great Exhibition London, UK



## ORIGINAL PURPOSE

Help people and nations across the Earth learn by sharing ideas, demonstrating innovation and further paving the path for progress in fields such as technology and architecture.



### EXPO 2020 DUBAI

**173** days



192 nations



**25** million visits



**4.38** sq km



# CONNECTING MINDS, CREATING THE FUTURE

aims to build partnerships and inspire ideas that will forge the world of tomorrow. The three subthemes include:

#### **OPPORTUNITY:**

Unlocking the potential within us

#### **MOBILITY:**

Creating smarter and better connections

#### SUSTAINABILITY: - - - -

Living in balance with the world around us

# USD 33.4 billion

economic boost from 2013 – 31

# 905,200

full-time job-years from 2013 - 31

1.5%

to UAE's GDP



In the legacy phase, more than 80 per cent of the site is planned to be reused or repurposed giving way to District 2020, an integrated urban development that will house the impressive Dubai Exhibition Centre.