Summary
This report presents the research findings from the “Integrated Delivery Systems for Sustainable Construction” (IDS) research project and doctoral research. The report offers a generic and integrating framework and a prioritised international approach for sustainable construction. The work summarised in this report has shown:

- A good consensus around nested definitions of sustainable development at International and UK levels;
- Consensus around the key objectives for sustainable construction and their related stakeholders, with extraordinary consistency between international environmental experts and UK construction industry representatives;
- A literature synthesis using the Dynamic PSR model, showing that for the top priority objectives the body of knowledge provides only partial coverage of the subject area and in addition the studies individually have variable and only implicit perspectives
- The potential of a more focused and integrated body of knowledge in supporting sustainable development objectives.

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**Application**  
The report offers a generic and integrating framework and a prioritised international approach for sustainable construction. As such it is a basis for further international and national research in sustainable construction.

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