

10th meeting of the Adaptation Committee

Agenda item 5 (b)

Inventory of ongoing work on monitoring and evaluation of adaptation

Inventory of ongoing monitoring and evaluation work of adaptation prepared under the Nairobi work programme on impacts, vulnerability and adaptation to climate change. Note by the secretariat

Bonn, Germany, 13 to 16 September 2016



I: Introduction and background

- ❖ SBSTA 44 requested the activities recommended by the AC (including the inventory of M&E work) to be undertaken under the NWP, which will **strengthen the role of the NWP in providing knowledge support to the work of the AC.**
- ❖ Information presented in **an excel spreadsheet** (e.g. contains description, the name of the responsible government/organization, sector, scale of applicability, and whether or not the tool/framework has been implemented).
- ❖ The inventory derived from:
 - **a review of ongoing M&E work undertaken by countries (at national and subnational levels) and relevant organizations;**
 - **relevant activities undertaken by the AC and the NWP.**



II: Summary

- ❖ **90 examples** of M&E tools and frameworks.
- ❖ **56 tools and frameworks** have evidence of being implemented.
- ❖ Applicability of the tools and frameworks (developed for a particular context) in other countries and regions would **need to be assessed**.
- ❖ **Consideration of the most vulnerable groups** is still not frequently cited in examples reviewed.

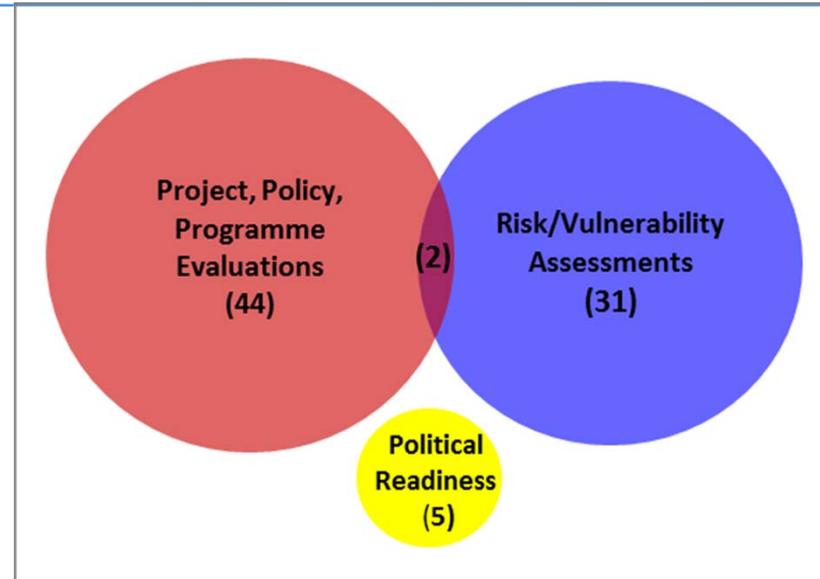


Figure 1. Distribution of M&E tools and frameworks by categories

II: Summary

- ❖ 17 examples provide information on aggregating indicators or other evidence (e.g. from the local or subnational level) to a broader level of adaptation (e.g. at the national level)
- ❖ **41 examples applicable at the national level** (e.g. LEG's Progress Effectiveness and Gaps (PEG) M&E tool for the NAP process)
- ❖ **Recognition of the constraints of financial and other resources** in undertaking comprehensive M&E processes.

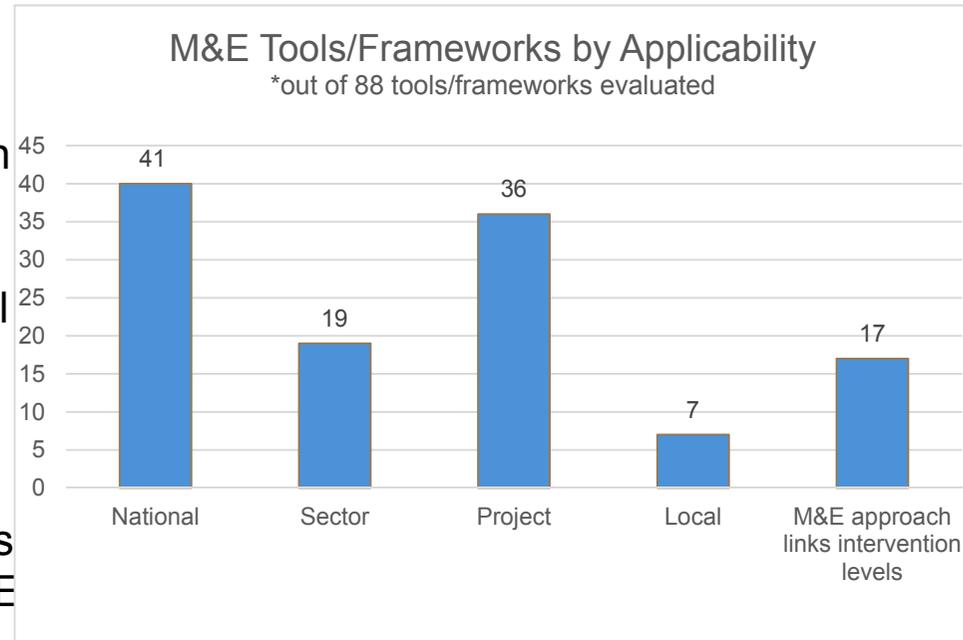


Figure 2. Applicability of M&E tools and frameworks



III: Next Steps

- ❖ Agree on additional work on M&E systems and impact evaluations in 2017.
- ❖ Add **additional existing M&E tools and frameworks** to the inventory (including those referred to in INDCs/NDCs/undertakings and during the TEP-A process).
- ❖ **Further assess the existing M&E tools and approaches**, in particular the ones that link different levels of interventions, including providing information on barriers and gaps to their applicability at the national level
 - as input to the AC's and LEG's work on methodologies for reviewing the adequacy and effectiveness of adaptation and support.
- ❖ Take note of the request for submissions under the NWP, **information on indicators of adaptation and resilience at the national and/or local level or for specific sectors** (by 20 September 2017):
 - Inform the AC meeting in 2018, which aims at **exchanging views on national adaptation goals/indicators and how they relate to indicators/goals for sustainable development and for disaster risk reduction in the context of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015–2030**).
 - Invite the AC and the LEG to consider the submissions so as to inform their work on reviewing the effectiveness and adequacy of adaptation.

