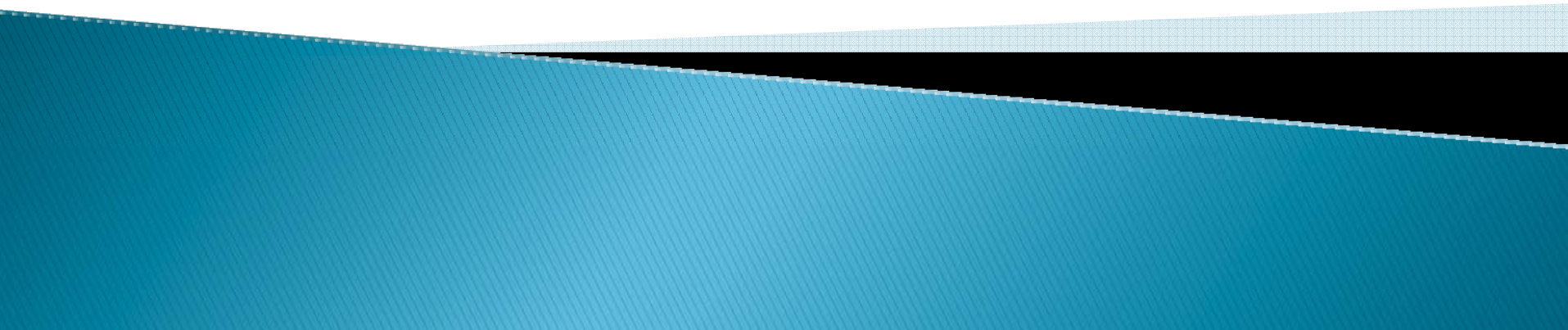


NAP Modalities and Guidelines for LDCs

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Modalities and guidelines for NAP process: some key elements (but not limited to)

Modalities

- ▶ Financial support
 - Immediate/ medium
 - Long term
- ▶ Technical support
- ▶ Institutional arrangements
- ▶ Capacity building
- ▶ Modalities at national level

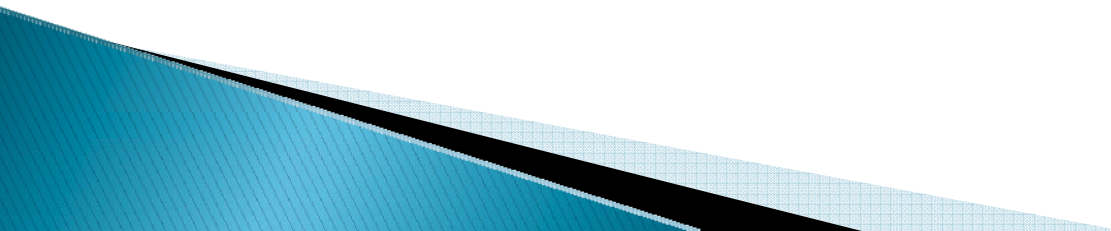
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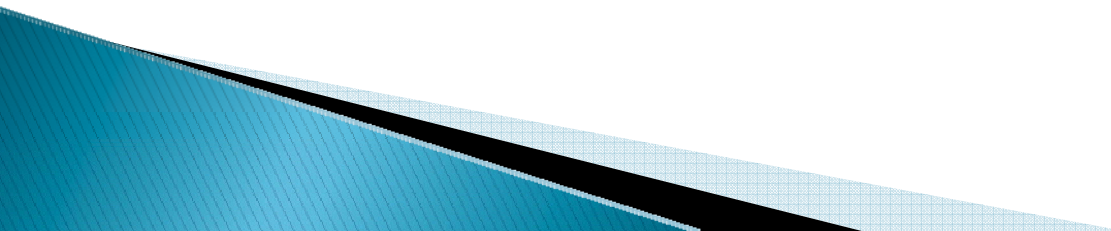
Modalities for NAP Process

▶ Financial support

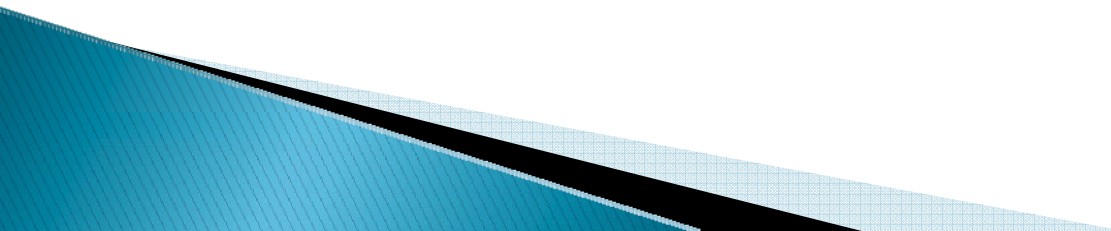
- Financial support will be required for NAPs design, preparation, identification of projects and for project implementation, in particular through programmatic and budget support, rather than just limited to the funding of specific small projects



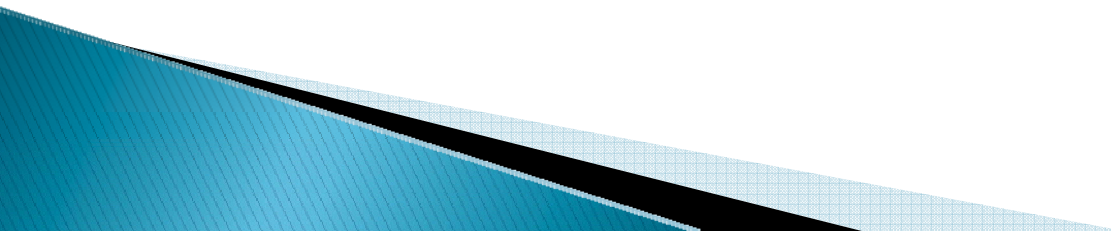
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- ▶ *Immediate financial support:*
 - ▶ Arrangements through existing funds such as the LDCF, SCCF with access through the GEF agency model or direct access
 - ▶ Funding through a global programme such as the NCSP funded through the existing funds
 - ▶ Bilateral support
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Modalities for NAP Process

- ▶ *Long term finance*
 - ▶ Long-term finance for LDCs should be arranged through:
 - The Green Climate fund
 - The LDCF and SCCF
 - Adaptation Fund
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Modalities for NAP Process

- ▶ Modalities to enhance technical support
Enhanced technical support is needed through out the NAP process.
 - ▶ Technical support is needed to enhance understanding current as well as future vulnerability, identifying appropriate adaptation action and implementing such actions.
 - ▶ national teams for implementing the NAP process (formulation and implementing of medium and long-term)
 - ▶ National and sub-national committees
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Modalities for NAP Process

► Capacity Building

Capacity is needed to deal with current as well as future vulnerability and identifying appropriate adaptation action and implementing such actions.

Strengthening of national capacities and expertise (e.g building in-country, permanent teams of experts etc).

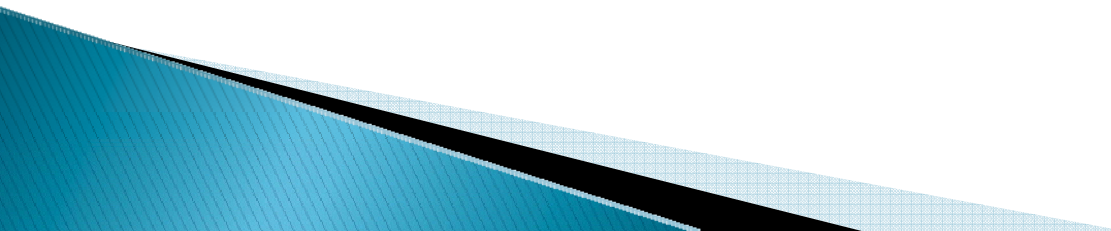
Strengthening institutions at various levels, focal points and national coordination bodies and organisations for planning and implementing medium and long-term planning.

Strengthening networks, communication education, training and public awareness

Opportunities to build national, local and civil society capacity.

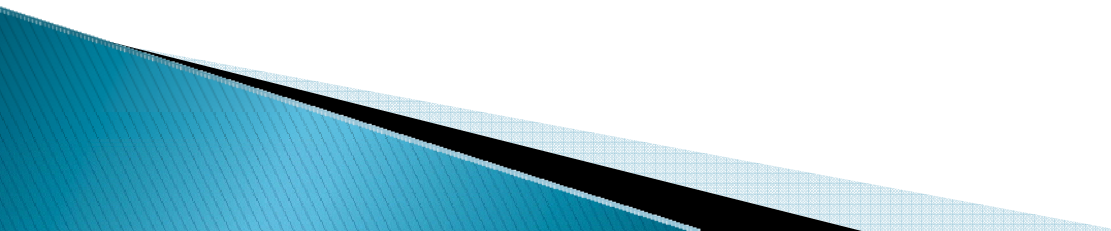


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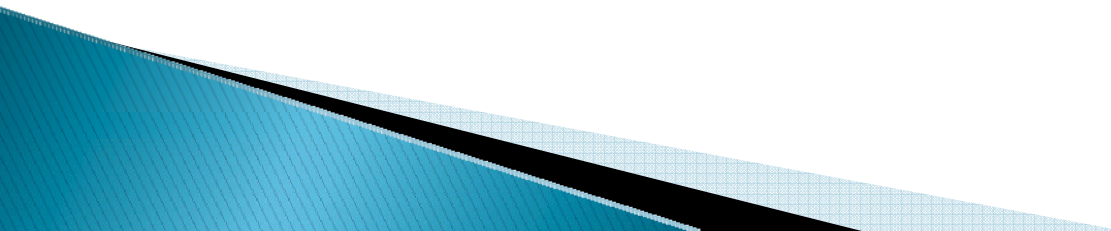
- ▶ **Capacity building cont'd...**
 - ▶ **Improvement of climate-related research and systematic observation for climate data collection, archiving, analysis and modeling in order to improve climatic-related data and information.**
 - ▶ **Capacity building support should be implemented through various means such as through workshops/training.**
 - ▶ **Capacity building for application of new approaches such as programmatic approaches, and in stronger integration of:**
 - ▶ **Gender in adaptation**
 - ▶ **Adaptation in development planning**
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Modalities for NAP Process

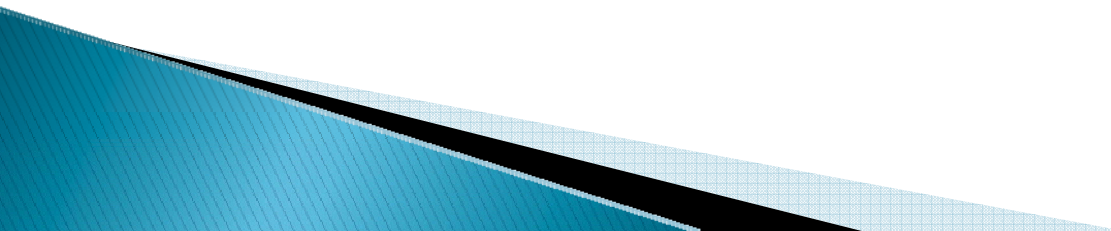
- ▶ Institutional arrangements
- ▶ Support for improvement of coherence and synergy among national-level institutions, with a view to enhancing work on the full range of adaptation actions from planning to implementation.



Modalities for NAP Process

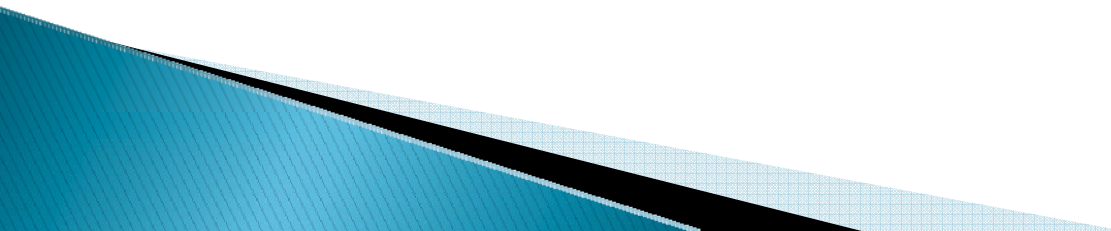
- ▶ *Existing supporting bodies and mechanism for NAP process:*
 - ▶ Adaptation committee and the LDC Expert Group should be two key bodies to provide technical support and capacity building for preparation and implementation of NAPs
 - Adaptation committee provides support for the development of strategic priorities, policies and guidelines on how adaptation should be supported under the conventions (principles and provisions of conventions in fulfilment of Art. 4.4 and Art. 4.9)
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Modalities for NAP Process

- ▶ *Existing supporting bodies and mechanism for NAP process: cont'd...*
 - ▶ The LEG would provide direct and practical support in the development and implementation of adaptation activities, including specific approaches for the NAPs, in addition to NAPAs.
 - ▶ LEG should therefore be at the top of providing capacity to LDCs in the work, while Adaptation committee provides support in harmonising needs under the convention between different provisions and bodies in a position to do so.
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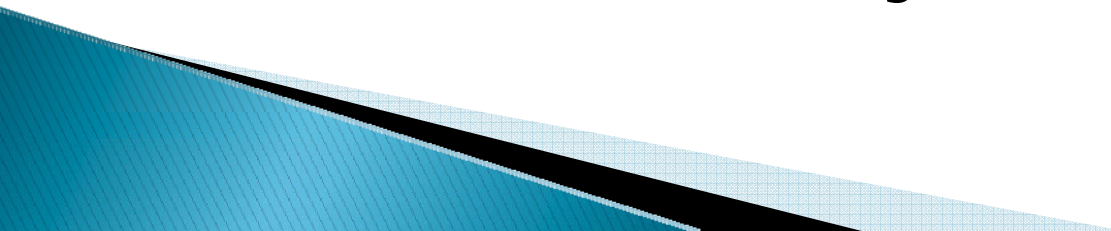
Modalities for NAP process

▶ At national level

- Modalities for measuring support available throughout the process.
 - Systems for monitoring and evaluation.
 - Enhancement and or creation of enabling national policies and legislatures.
 - Improvement of national centres of research and systematic observation, vulnerability and adaptation assessments, decision-making and policy development
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Modalities for NAP process


▶ At national level cont'd...

- Systematic collaboration among all stakeholders.
 - Modalities for updating plans to enable an iterative process that is responsive to long-term climate change and variability.
 - General assistance on frameworks and guidance regarding national processes to promote consistencies with regard to scope, coordination to climate change strategies with other national plans, adherence to principles included in Cancun Agreements (inclu. Para 12).
 - Definition of strategic prioritization for LDCs to access financial support, technology and capacity building for short- medium and long term adaptation.
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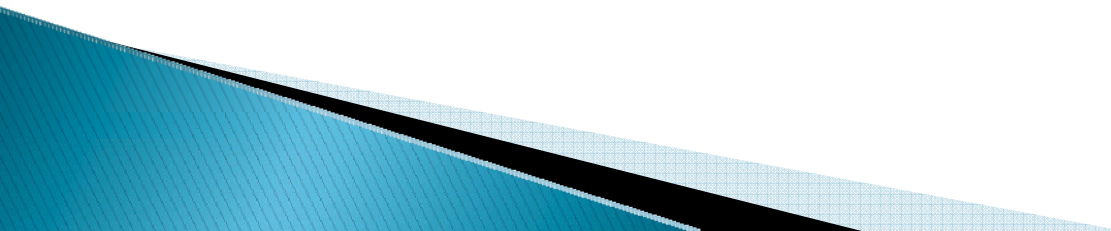
Guidelines for NAP Process

LDCs view the NAP structure to be similar to the of NAPA structures but with a special focus on the medium and longer term adaptation planning and implementation.

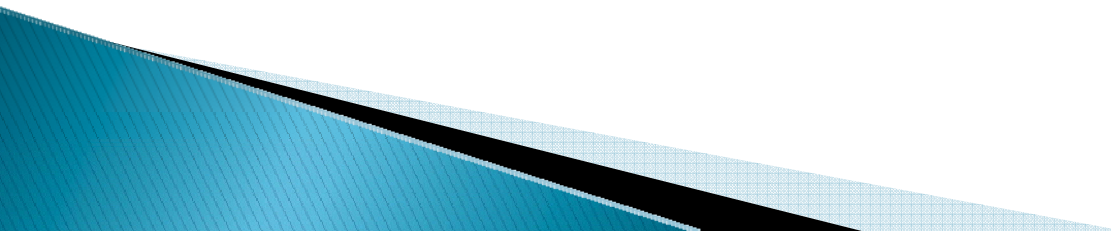
It should also be noted that medium and long term planning and their implementation will require larger and more consistent funding and other support (Focus on Article 18 of the Cancun Agreements)



Guidelines for NAP Process

- ▶ A process for establishment of multidisciplinary teams at national level
 - ▶ Synthesis of necessary information, analysis and modelling
 - ▶ Vulnerability and adaptation assessment
 - ▶ Approaches for stakeholder and public consultations
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Guidelines for NAP Process

- ▶ Approaches for identification of adaptation activities, including nationally defined themes and sectors
 - ▶ Harmonization of identified adaptation activities
 - ▶ Development of identified adaptation activities into project and or programmes
 - ▶ Developing an implementation strategy
 - ▶ How to integrate adaptation into development planning and other planning processes
 - ▶ Developing a monitoring and evaluation strategy
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How do we launch the NAP?

- ▶ Facilitate launch of the NAP process in LDCs through interim funding arrangements.
 - ▶ Harmonise support to LDC for the policy and technical process of the NAP through for example a 'global support programme' comprising of the LEG, Implementing Agencies, CGE, NWP.
 - ▶ Request the LEG to do training
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