

Sub-national/Community level

- **How can we overcome obstacles to adaptation related to water resources**
  - ✓ knowledge transfer (e.g. technology)
  - ✓ institutional capacity and good governance
  - ✓ Effective coordination between central and LGI
  - ✓ Common understanding and common goal between communities and policy makers
  - ✓ Bottom up approach and trust building between communities and policy making process
  - ✓ Communicating information/interpretation of information
  - ✓ Quality data collection, management, analysis and interpretation for community use
  - ✓ IWRM approach for adaptation

- **How can indigenous and traditional knowledge be most effectively leveraged for resilient water management?**
  - ✓ include and integrate the local knowledge/practices in water management options/plans
  - ✓ Identify indigenous technology , traditional uses and customs for water conservation/management, developing adaptation strategy
  - ✓ Direct involvement of communities in water management
  - ✓ Integration of indigenous knowledge and scientific knowledge
  - ✓ consultation with communities for water management

- **How can gender perspectives be most effectively integrated in adaptation practice?**
  - ✓ gender balanced participation in planning and designing
  - ✓ Involvement of women in the process of implementation
  - ✓ Empowerment of women-creating position of women in the society
  - ✓ Educating women

- **How could the NWP contribute to enable effective adaptation across and between local/indigenous, national and transboundary/regional levels, including promoting further actions under the SBSTA**
  - ✓ NWP as platform for knowledge sharing
  - ✓ collection of successful cases on adaptation (science and evidence based)
  - ✓ Strengthen its profile “Library of Adaptation”