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[Section E - Adaptation and loss and damage]

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Main observations:

- The facilitated group on adaptation and loss and damage met today from 10:00 to 11:30. Parties continued work with an interactive discussion similar to that in the second meeting of the facilitated group, held on 1 September, considering issues related to collective and individual commitments / contributions / actions by Parties, communication and means of implementation.
- Regarding commitments / contributions / actions, Parties discussed the principles, scope and characteristics of individual commitments, and the linkages to collective commitments. There was also an exchange of views on the characteristics of communication and reporting. Parties further considered the linkages of commitments / contributions / actions, communications and reporting to means of implementation, and requests were made for joint consideration of the issue of adaptation finance.
- Parties agreed to undertake further work in informal meetings (spin-off groups). An informal meeting on what countries do on adaptation including communication, facilitated by Mr. Julio Cordano will take place on Thursday, 3 September, from 15:00 to 16:30. On the same day, an informal meeting on what countries do on adaptation support, facilitated by Mr. Gottfried von Gemmingen will also be held.