

HARNESSING gender equality within NDC Process for accelerating developmental outcomes

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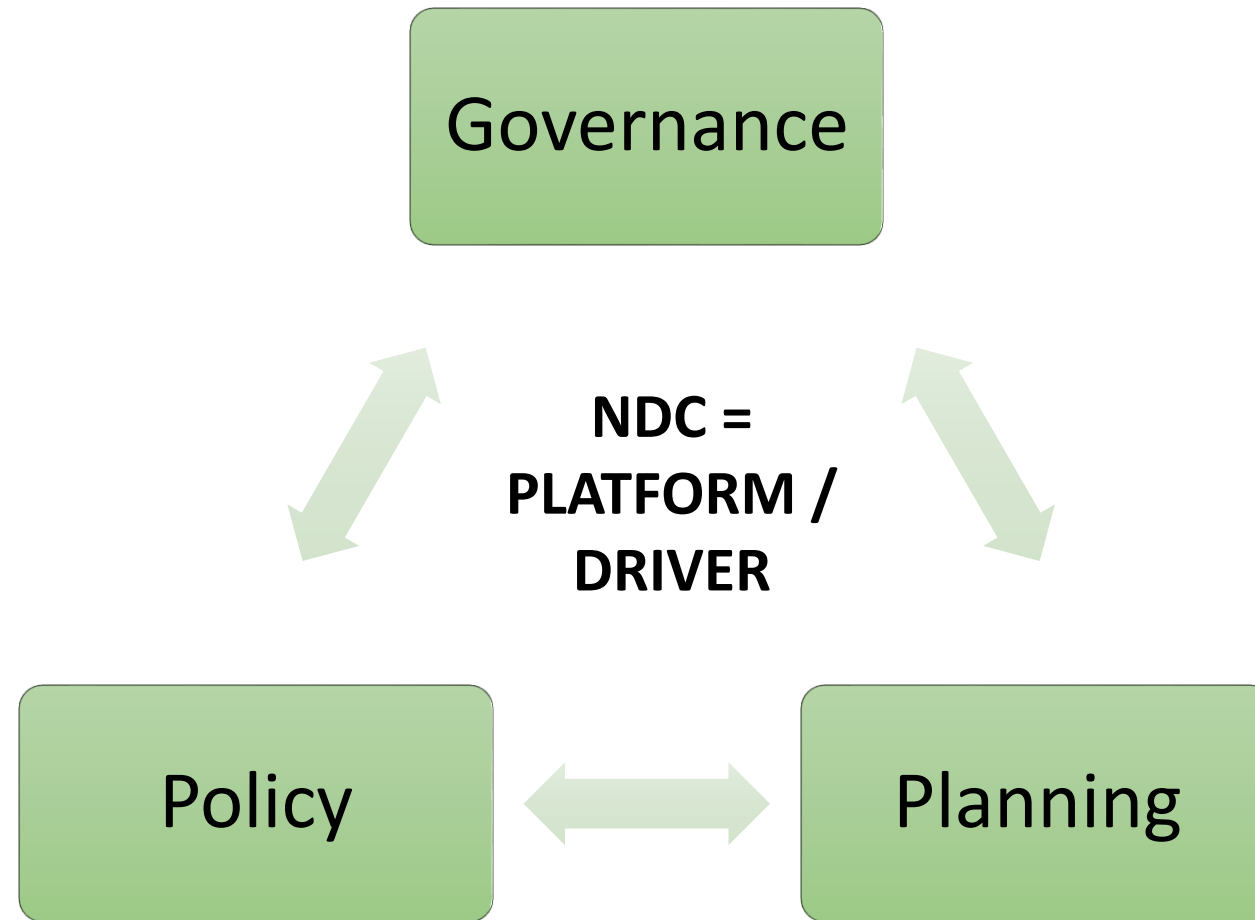
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Multidimensional, integrated approach ensures gender equality is considered systematically and in a mutually reinforcing manner

Dual leadership

1. *Climate change unit/Ministry of Environment*
2. *National gender institution*



Gender analysis

Relation to the Gender Action Plan's priority areas	Relation to outputs of Global Project Document	Programme support
<p>Fits with all priority areas, particularly E: monitoring and reporting</p> <p>-E1a: Information on the differentiated impacts of climate change on women and men, with special attention paid to local communities and indigenous peoples</p>	<p>Output 3: Evidence-based design and planning of mitigation actions delivered</p> <p>- 3.2: Gender analysis conducted</p>	<p>The gender analysis helps countries to 1) better understand the gender differentiated impacts of climate change within key climate sectors 2)engage stakeholders to inform climate policies 3)examine opportunities for policy articulation to better integrate gender within NDCs</p>

Governance

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<p>Priority area A: capacity-building, knowledge sharing and communication</p> <p>A.1 Enhance the capacity to develop gender-responsive policies, plans and programmes on adaptation, mitigation, etc.</p> <p>Priority area B: gender balance, participation and women's leadership</p> <p>B.4 Facilitate, develop and implement training programmes targeting women</p> <p>Priority Area D: gender-responsive implementation& means of implementation</p> <p>D.3 Strengthen the capacity of gender mechanisms (for parliamentarians, NGOs and CSO), for the integration of gender-responsive budgeting into climate finance, access and delivery through training, technical papers & tools</p> <p>Priority area E: monitoring and reporting</p> <p>E1b: Integration of gender considerations into adaptation, mitigation, capacity-building, Action for Climate Empowerment, technology and finance policies, plans and actions</p>	<p>Output 1: Leadership strengthened & championed to promote ambitious climate change vision</p> <p>Output 2: Integrated governance enhanced to deliver NDC outcomes</p>	<p>The programme is assisting countries in strengthening their institutional capacities and enhancing coordination mechanisms to mainstream gender in order to deliver gender-responsive mitigation and adaptation policies.</p>

Planning

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Priority area E: monitoring and reporting -E1b: Integration of gender considerations into adaptation, mitigation, capacity-building, Action for Climate Empowerment, technology and finance policies, plans and actions	Output 3: Evidence-based design and planning of mitigation actions delivered Output 2: Integrated governance enhanced to deliver NDC outcomes In particular, 2.3- Monitoring and transparency systems for NDC implementation enhanced	Supporting countries in mainstreaming gender within planning process to ensure women's needs and contributions are considered across the planning and execution cycle of climate change policies and projects, including the monitoring and transparency systems.

Policy

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Priority area E: monitoring and reporting - E1b: Integration of gender considerations into adaptation, mitigation, capacity-building, Action for Climate Empowerment, technology and finance policies, plans and actions	Output 3: Evidence-based design and planning of mitigation actions delivered Output 4, particularly 4.2: Gender-responsive sustainable finance mechanisms established to scale up NDC mitigation action	Countries are designing or enhancing their mitigation and adaptation instruments to integrate gender considerations (NAPs, NAMAs, NCs and BURs).

NDC Regional Dialogues

- UNDP NDC SP and UNFCCC have co-organized NDC Regional dialogues in the Pacific, Eastern Europe, Caucasus and Central Asia, Latin America, Caribbean, Africa and Asia & Arab States
- The UNFCCC gender team participated in the Dialogues in Asia, Arab States and the Caribbean, this was possible through funding received for the UNFCCC Gender Action Plan
- Incorporation of gender equality aspects have been through:
 - Standalone sessions on gender
 - Participation of “gender voices” who are encouraged to bring out a gender lens throughout the dialogue by offering differing perspectives, asking questions and sharing examples
- There has been an increase in female participation in these dialogues from 37% in 2017 to 49% in 2018.

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