

African Group of Negotiators Intervention on the GGA

As the AGN, we are of the view that decision from CMA 4, which decided to initiate the development of a framework for the global goal on adaptation, with its dimensions and themes referred to in paragraph 10, was a good foundation within which we can build the framework which is ambitious, building on the workshops, for adoption by CM5.

We are of the view that the purpose of the framework is as articulated in para 9 of the x CMA 4, which is to guide the achievement of the global goal on adaptation and the review of overall progress in achieving it with a view to reducing the increasing adverse impacts, risks and vulnerabilities associated with climate change, as well as enhance adaptation action and support.

We believe the framework should be guided by the principles of Common but differentiated Responsibilities and respective capabilities as outlined in the convention, and should be based on and guided by the best available science.

At this session, we are of the view that we should make progress on setting targets, metrics and indicators for the framework as per the decision at CM4, we need to build the basis upon which we will adopt the framework at CMA5.

As stated by the G77 and China, the Africa Group would like to see draft conclusions on the GGA framework that includes targets and indicators, as part of the GGA ambitions outcome, in the form of a framework and we look forward to having substantive discussions moving forward.

Proposed targets

Risks, impacts and vulnerability assessments

Achieve 100% coverage of multi-hazard early warning system and climate information services and response systems by 2027.

Planning

By 2030, 100% of developing countries have been supported to develop national adaptation planning instruments

Implementation

Enhance the adaptive capacity and resilience of the global population to the adverse impacts of climate change by at least 50% by 2030 and by at least 90% by 2050

Enhance resilience and reduce the impacts of climate change by increasing adaptation action and support, by at least 30% by 2030.