

# NAPs and Related Support

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## Progress of LDCs on NAPs

- 125 out of 154 developing countries are undertaking the process to formulate and implement NAPs;
- 20 countries, of which 5 are LDCs, had completed preparation of their first NAPs and had shared them on NAP Central;
- 85 countries have submitted 88 proposals to the GCF Readiness for NAP formulation; of which 56 are now being supported;
- 31 % of LDCs have yet to prepare or submit proposals for accessing funding from the GCF for formulating and implementing NAPs;
- 7 proposals from LDCs have been approved to implement priority projects and programmes identified in NAPs, totaling 464 million USD;
- LDCs and other countries are gradually developing capacity for direct access by accrediting national and regional implementing entities/delivery partners.
- 18 out of 20 NAPs explicitly mention “gender” and “women”.

*Source:* UNFCCC (2020). *Progress in the process to formulate and implement national adaptation plans. Note by the secretariat. Available at <https://unfccc.int/node/747>.*

# **Key linkages of NAPs and LDC Vision**

- LDC Vision is guided by our desire to redefine relationships between LDCs, donors and wider development partners, so we can work together more effectively to strengthen our own delivery systems and ensure high quality climate response.
- We aim to build the institutional systems and capabilities we need for long-term transformative changes. To achieve this, we will develop delivery mechanisms that are flexible and forward-looking; that help us implement our Climate Action Plans including our NDCs and NAPs and that strengthen our institutions to be agile and responsive to changing circumstances, needs and new knowledge as they arise; that are designed according to the principles of subsidiarity, and that are transparent and open, with predictable but flexible budgets rather than for prescribed activities. We want these mechanisms to be vertically integrated within our systems and structures while also enabling horizontal collaboration across different sectors.

# Key Suggestions

- The LDC vision and the initiatives should note replicate work being undertaken by other initiatives operating in country or at the international level, but rather ensure the delivery support provided respond to these and look at opportunities to support such initiatives better in terms of strengthening overall climate coordination, planning, and building of systems and structures in country to deliver on these climate in.
- working together better, through strengthened dialogues and more coordinated approaches, joining the dots with existing initiatives and sharing lessons and approaches, we can ensure the most vulnerable countries and communities receive the climate support they urgently need.
- Looking at the progress we are making in formulating our NAPs, significant effort and energy needs to be redirected to ensure effective delivery of our national plans and priorities.

Thank you!