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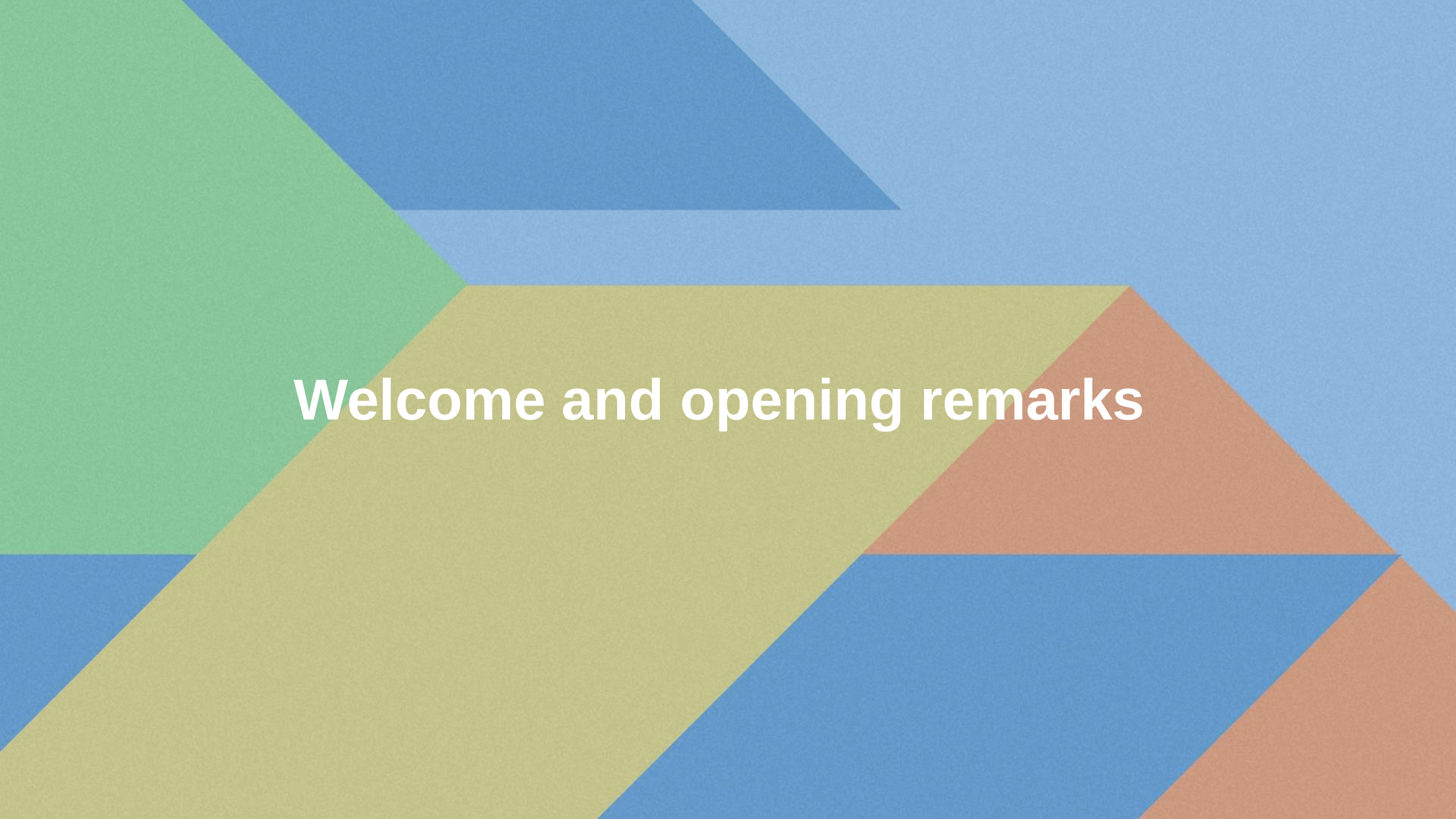
Learning from BTR reviews: Experiences from the in- country review of Guyana's first BTR

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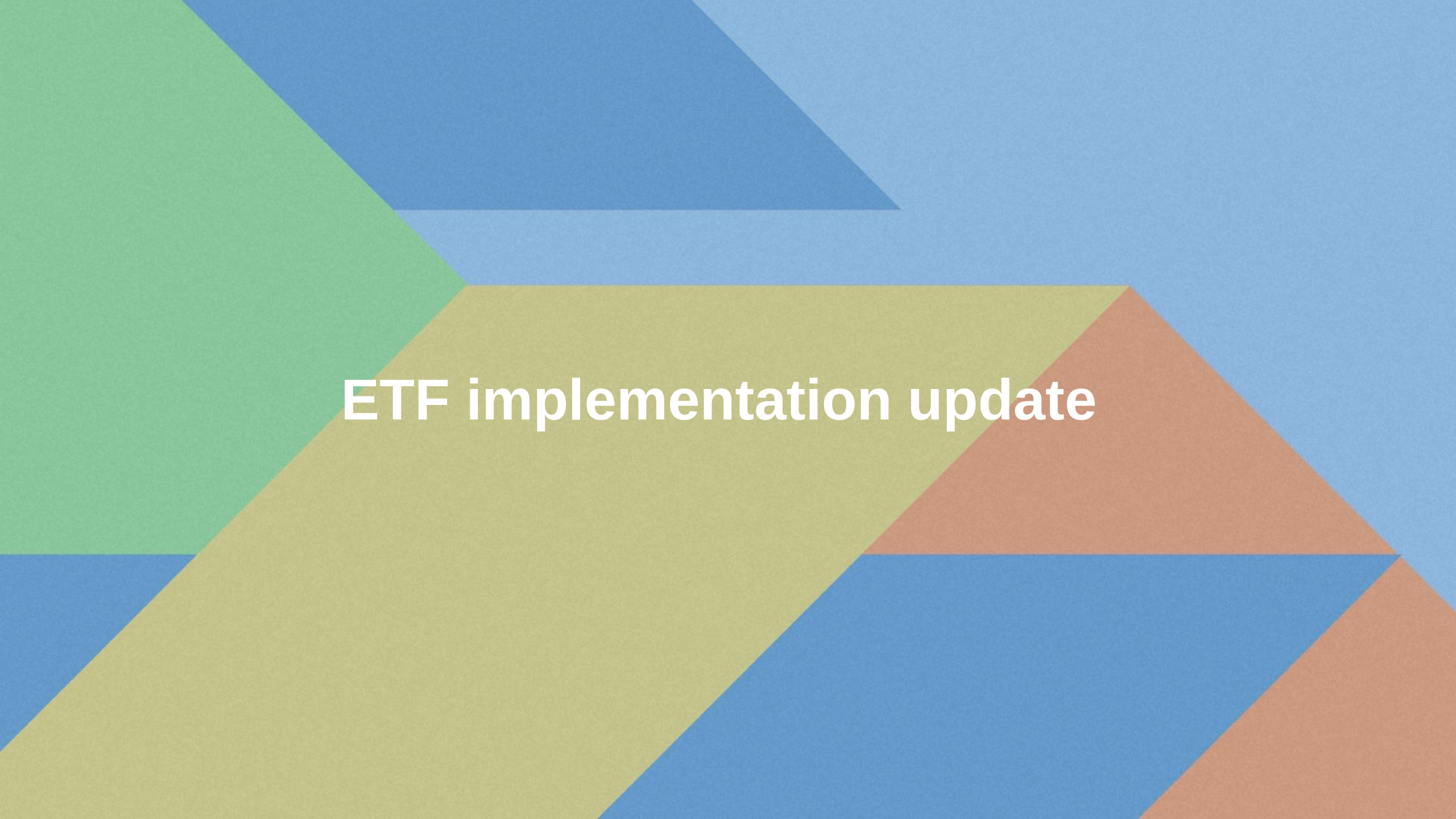
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Welcome and opening remarks



ETF implementation update

ETF process overview

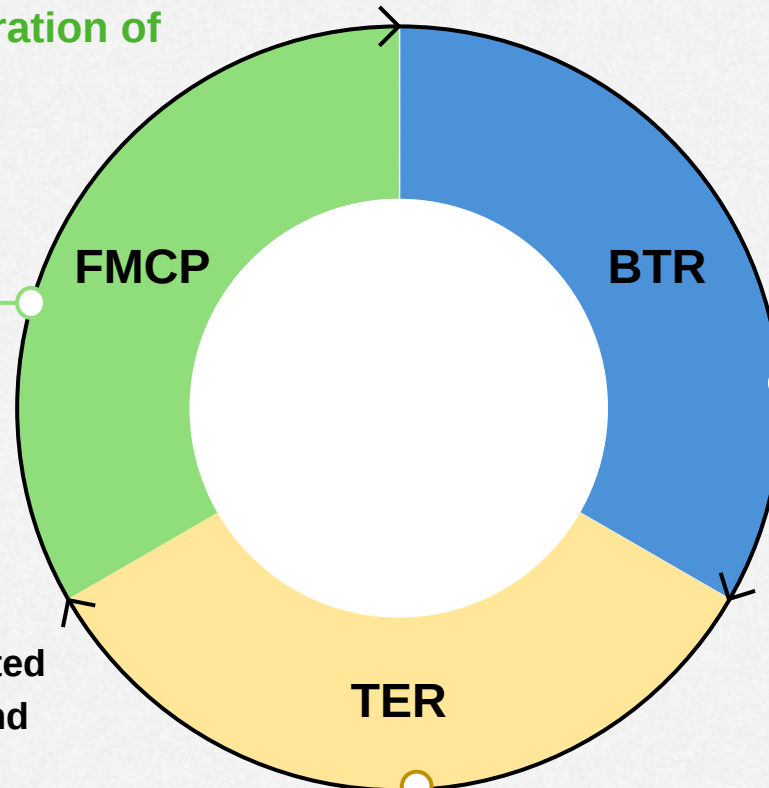
Reporting, review and multilateral consideration

Facilitative Multilateral Consideration of Progress

- Online Q&A
- In session presentation and Q&A (*all shall*)

Technical Expert Review

- Consistency of information reported
- Consideration of progress with and achievement of NDC
- Support provided (*developed shall, and other Parties at their discretion*)
- Identification of improvements
- Identification of capacity building needs



Biennial Transparency Report

- GHG inventory (*all shall*)
- Progress in NDCs (*all shall*)
- Support provided / mobilized (*developed shall*)
- Support needed / received (*developing should*)
- Adaptation (*all should*)

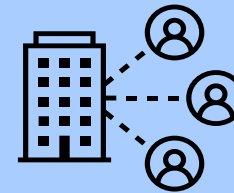
TER format for BTR1

In-country review (ICR)



TERT visits a host country to conduct a review of the Party's submission, interacts with Party's experts in person and observes institutional arrangements firsthand.

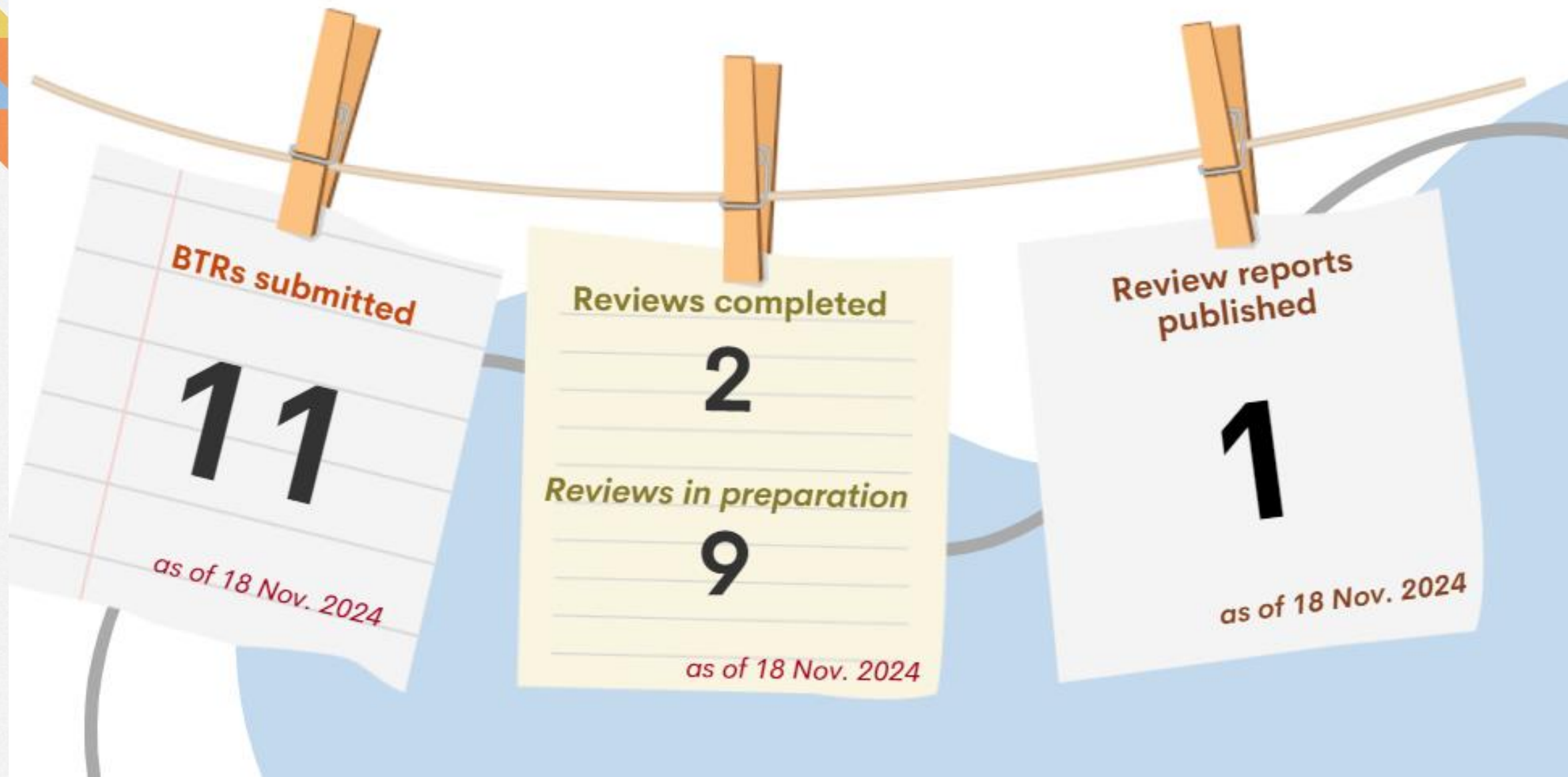
Centralized review (CR)

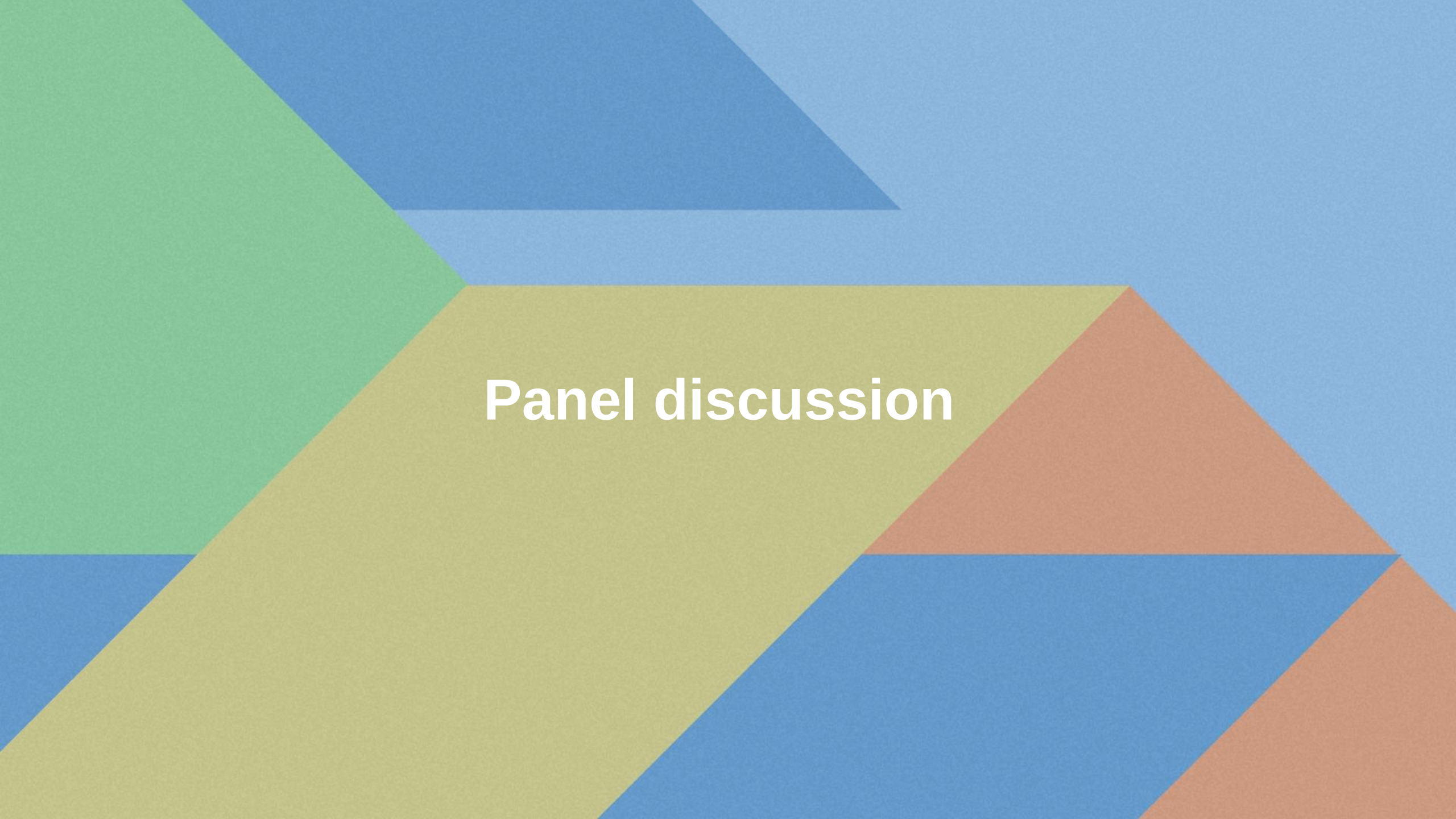


TERT convenes in one location and reviews the BTRs of multiple Parties' submissions, interacts with Party's experts remotely. For BTR1, developing country Parties that need it in the light of their capacities have the flexibility to choose to undergo a CR.

LDCs and SIDS may choose to participate in the same CR as a group

TER for BTR1 (as of 18 Nov. 2024)





Panel discussion

Guiding Questions for Guyana

1. What is your experience with the BTR review? Can you share a challenge and/or an opportunity from the BTR review which could be insightful for others?
2. How could Guyana benefit from the BTR review, e.g. how could the review inform Guyana's national climate action and policy development?

Guiding Questions for TERT members

1. Being a review expert, what's your experience with Guyana's BTR review? How was it different from your previous review experience?
2. Drawing from your review experience, can you share some key lessons learned that could be helpful to the fellow review experts?

Q&A and wrap up





Key takeaways

- The implementation of the ETF is resource intensive, and hence needs dedicated efforts and resources both at the national and the international levels.
- The UNFCCC secretariat is diligently working and is on track with the implementation of the Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF). The COP29 Presidency is collaborating closely with the secretariat to support Parties in delivering their first BTRs by the end of this year. These reports are crucial for tracking progress and building trust and confidence among all Parties.
- The review process validates the credibility of climate information, enhances confidence, and increases domestic capacity for data analysis and policy decisions. It aids in identifying gaps, challenges, and areas of improvement, while also strengthening institutions and fostering a culture of mutual learning and support.



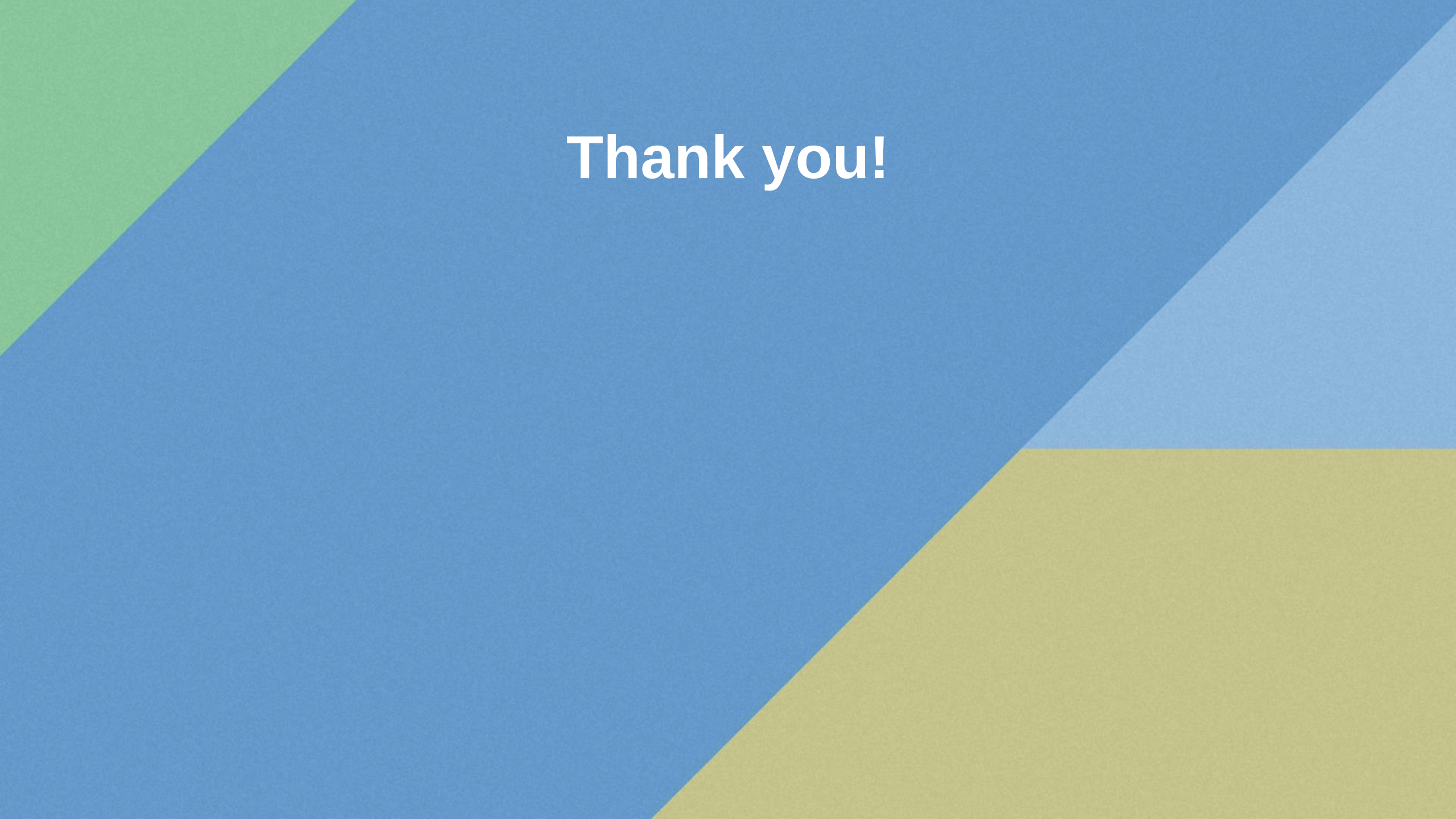
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