

# Regional Climate Week

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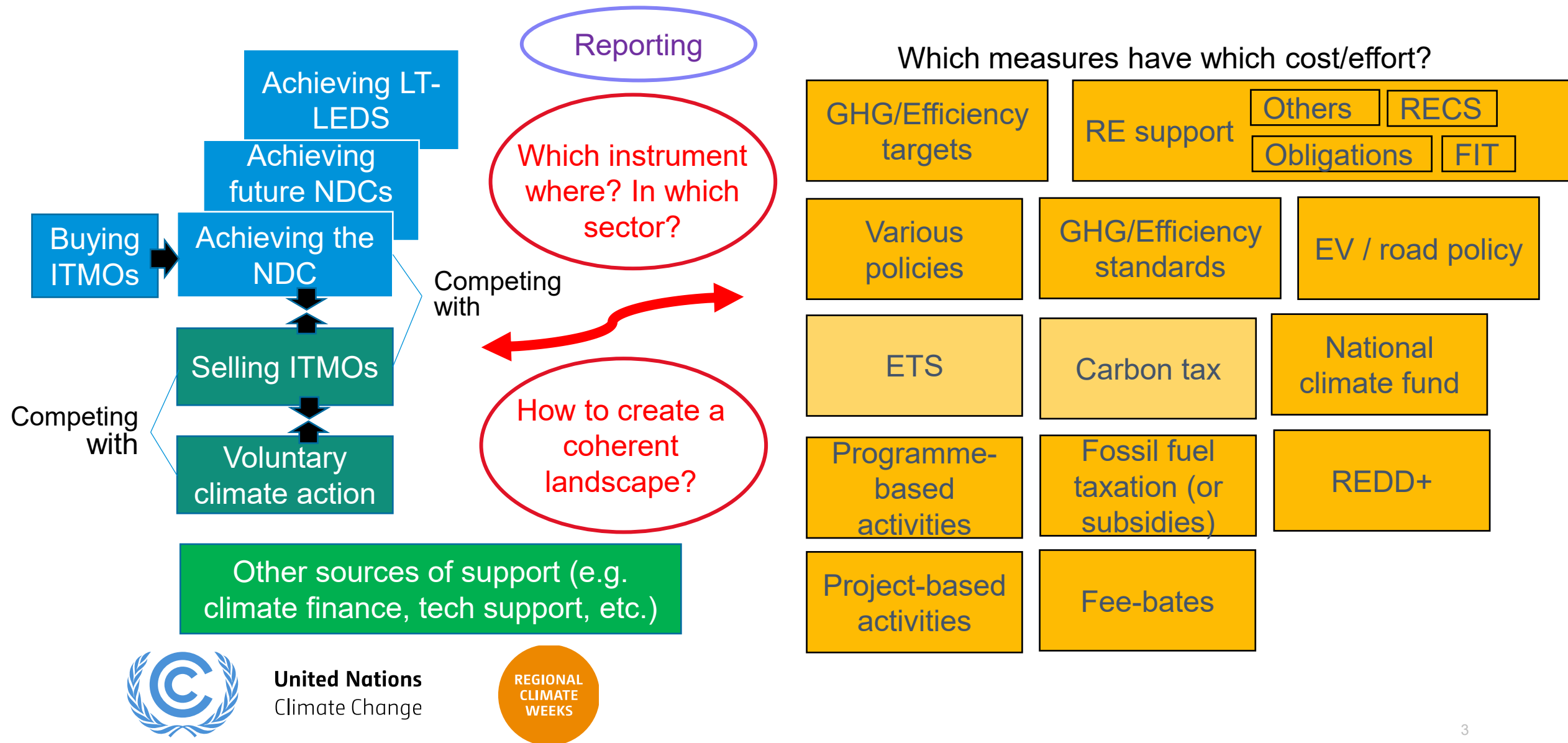
# Landscape of Instruments / Reflections to start with



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## Some key questions

- Which is the relative cost/effort of mobilizing various measures?
  - How can I harvest all-low cost measures?
- Where is the most promising abatement potential in my country (current and future)?
- Which sectors can easily be mobilized with which instruments?
  - What is the nature of the barrier to implementation? Cost? Adequate financing? Technology? Capacity building? Institutional? Lack of mandate? Others?
  - Which instrument fits best?
    - Economic instruments? Which ones? Incentives? Penalties? Both?
    - Mandates?
    - Awareness-raising and support?
  - How is enforcement ensured?

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# Session 1: Landscape of instruments

## Some key questions and points

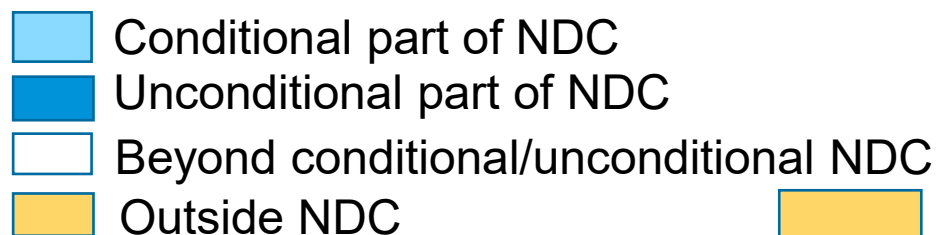
- Which type of support is available? Which is fitting for which area?
- Do I need/want private sector involvement
- What is in the current NDC? What will be in future NDCs?
  - Which sectors/measures should I start mobilizing for future NDCs?
  - Am I on track to achieving my NDC?
- Which other commitments do I have outside my NDC?
- What are the co-benefits of measures?
  - How do I capture them?
- Do I have adequate institutions or need to build them up?
  - Which support is available?



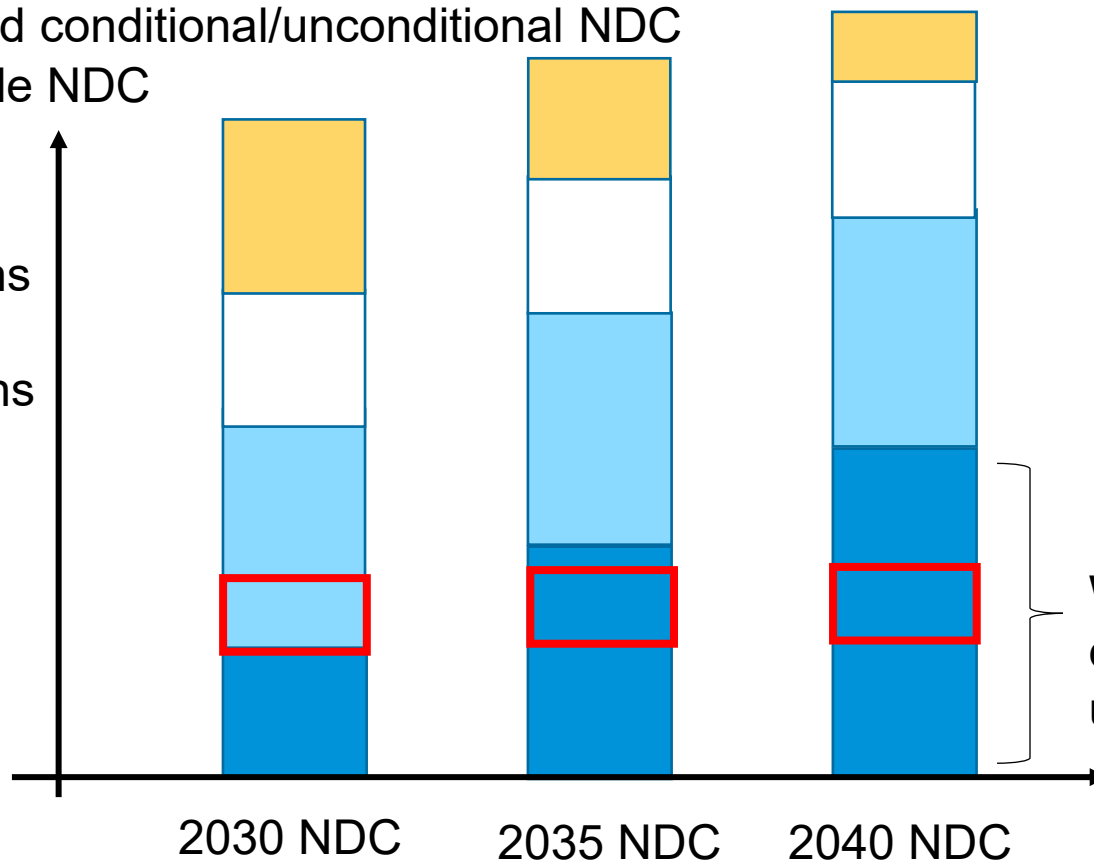
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# Reflection: Where will measures fit?



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  - Technology
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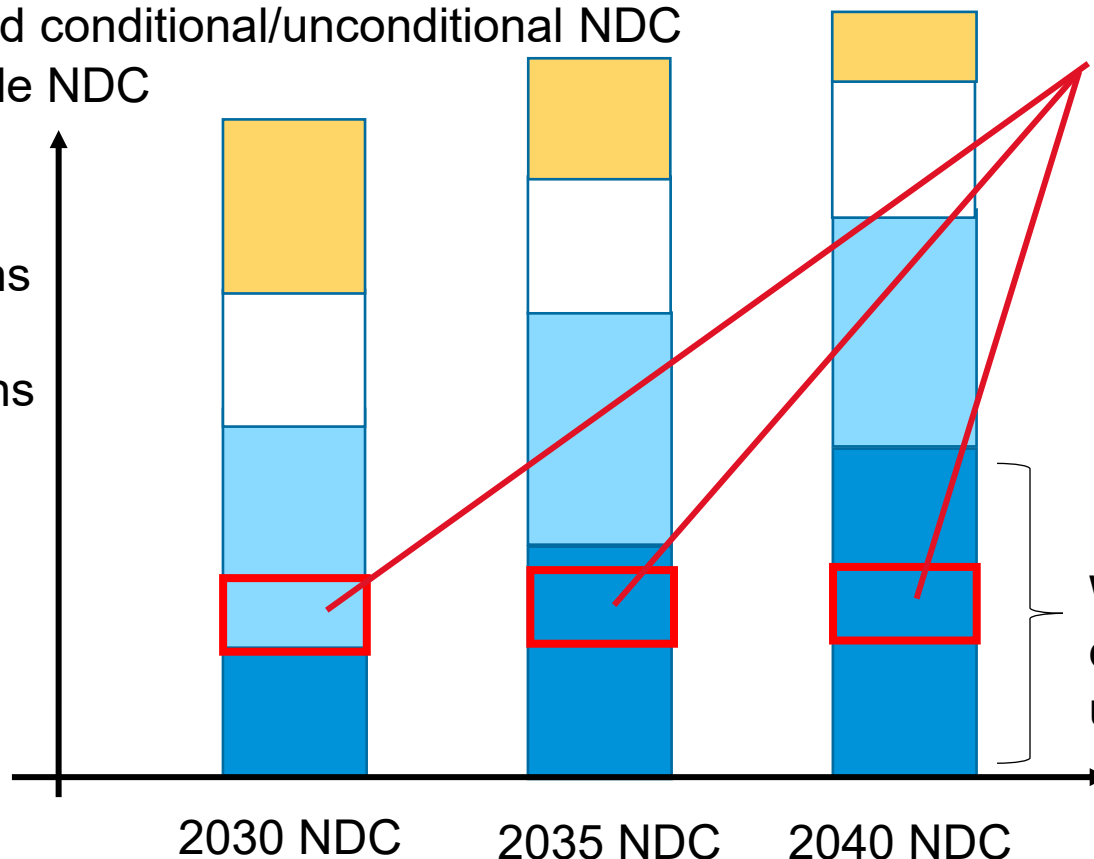
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# Reflection: Where will measures fit?

- Conditional part of NDC
- Unconditional part of NDC
- Beyond conditional/unconditional NDC
- Outside NDC

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Same measure but up to 2030, it is in the conditional part of the NDC and afterwards – part of the unconditional part. What would be wise to do with regard to Article 6?

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- Consideration of tradability
  - Are the outcomes easily identifiable? Can they be MRV'd (Monitored, Reported, Verified)
  - Can the outcomes be easily unitized (turned into units)?
  - Which benefit would the crediting/selling of outcomes bring? Which disadvantages?
  - What do I need to ensure that the selling of outcomes does not endanger the achievement of my current NDC and future NDC? And possibly benefit them?
- How to avoid double counting / double use of outcomes and sources of support?
  - Climate finance
  - Carbon finance
  - Other forms of support



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# Some reflections before starting on carbon pricing

- Do I need to actively discourage the consumption of fossil fuels? (to achieve my current NDC, future NDC and LT-LEDs)
  - Now?
  - In the future? – do I already need to plan for it to avoid “stranded assets” (major list of heavy emitting plants by mid-century?)
    - E.g. in my national planning?
- What are the associated benefits?
- Who can help me?
- What about the cost?
  - What is the net cost?
  - Who bears a cost? Who gets benefits?
  - Which costs can be borne easily / which not? By whom?
  - What are the cost mitigation measures?
  - Can I somehow support the cost through cooperative action under Article 6?



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# Some reflections before starting on cooperative approaches

- What is included in my current NDC?
  - What is in the unconditional part of my NDC (what I will achieve on my own)?
  - What is include in the conditional part of my NDC? Which support will I use?
  - What is outside my NDC? Do I want to mobilize this and how?
- What could be included in my future NDC?
  - Could I credit sell/credit the results now and at a later point end the crediting and count results towards my NDC?
- What could contribute to my LT-LEDs?



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