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# CA&T in LAC

Mandate from Forum of Ministers of LAC

(San Jose, 2022; Bridgetown, 2021)

United Nations Environment Assembly

(Nairobi 2022)



# CA&T in LAC

## **Capacity Building Initiative in Transparency- CBIT (GEF-Green Environmental Facility)**

Chile, Peru, Argentina, Costa Rica, Panama, Dominican Republic, Honduras, Antigua & Barbuda and Bahamas.

## **Climate Action Enhancement Package –CAEP (NDC Partnership)**

Mexico, Honduras, Panama, Costa Rica and Chile

## **NDC Action – IKI international Climate Initiative of the German Ministry Of Environment**

Colombia, Argentina and Costa Rica

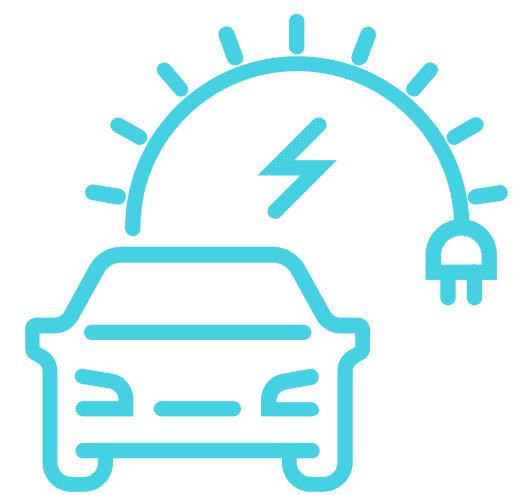
## **GCF - NDC-5 Readiness Support**

Honduras, El Salvador, Guatemala, Nicaragua and Dominican Republic

We implement projects in more than 12 countries in LAC



# What are our projects and actions focusing on?



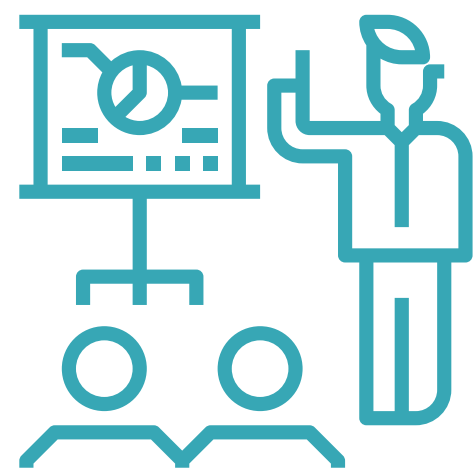
Development of  
Monitoring  
Reporting and  
Verification  
systems for  
mitigation

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Development of  
Measurement &  
Evaluation  
systems for  
adaptation

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Technical  
training,  
capacity  
building

3



Climate Finance  
tracking and  
reporting

4



Institutional and  
legal  
arrangements  
for climate  
transparency

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-Alignment  
LTS with  
NDCs and sector  
indicators.  
-NDC accounting

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At the regional, national and sub-national level.

Over 5 years of experience in South-South cooperation for climate transparency and ambition in the region

# Our goals

## Transparency and Ambition Knowledge

We support decision- making process and actions in transparency to support LAC countries Mainly in:

- Gender and just transition
- Cooperative Approaches and Article 6 (carbon markets and accounting)
- ETF implementation and preparation for Biennale Transparency Report and Global Stock Take, guidelines for the Technical Expert Review

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### Increase impact on climate action

and transparency practices in the region through south / south exchanges.

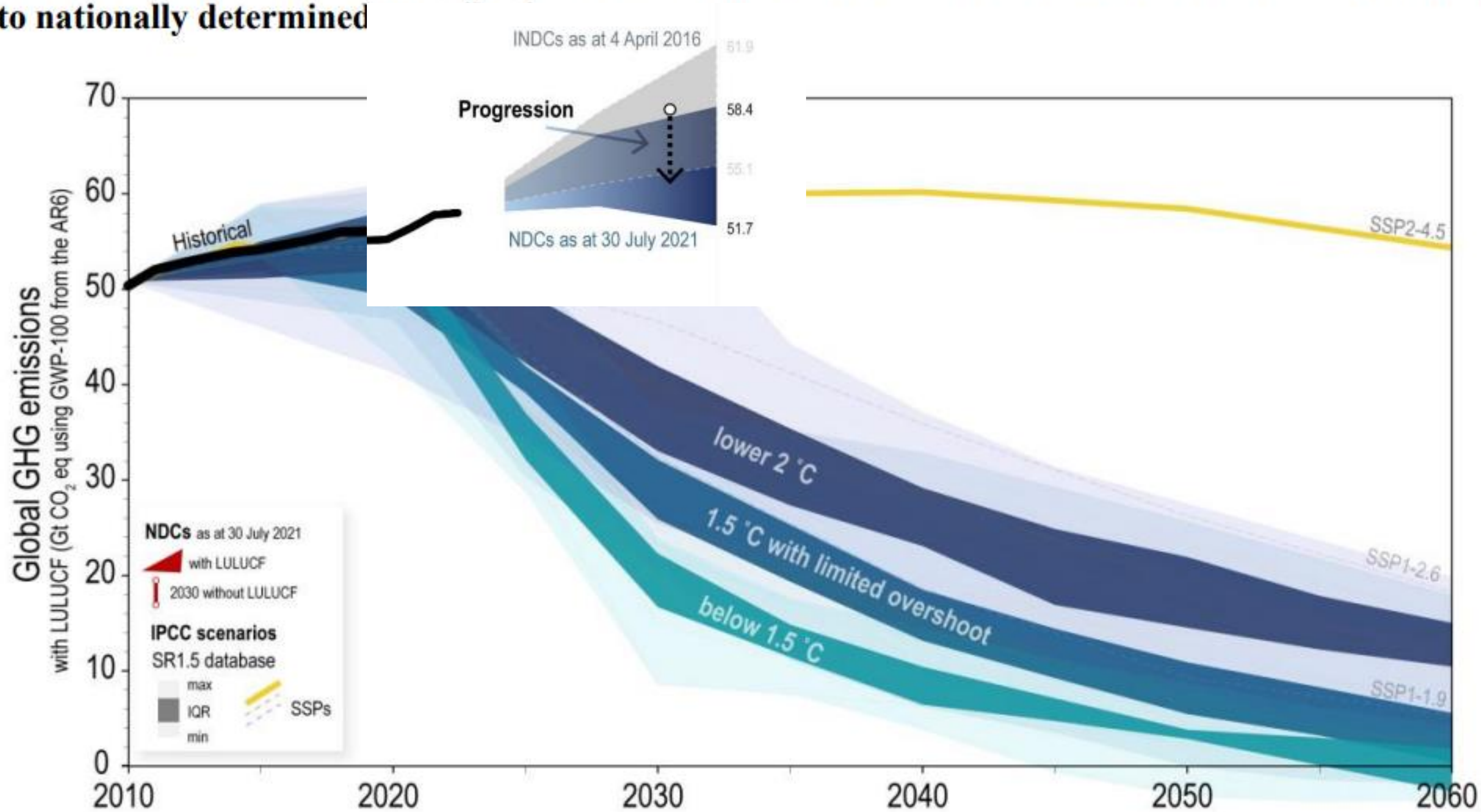
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### Strengthen relationships

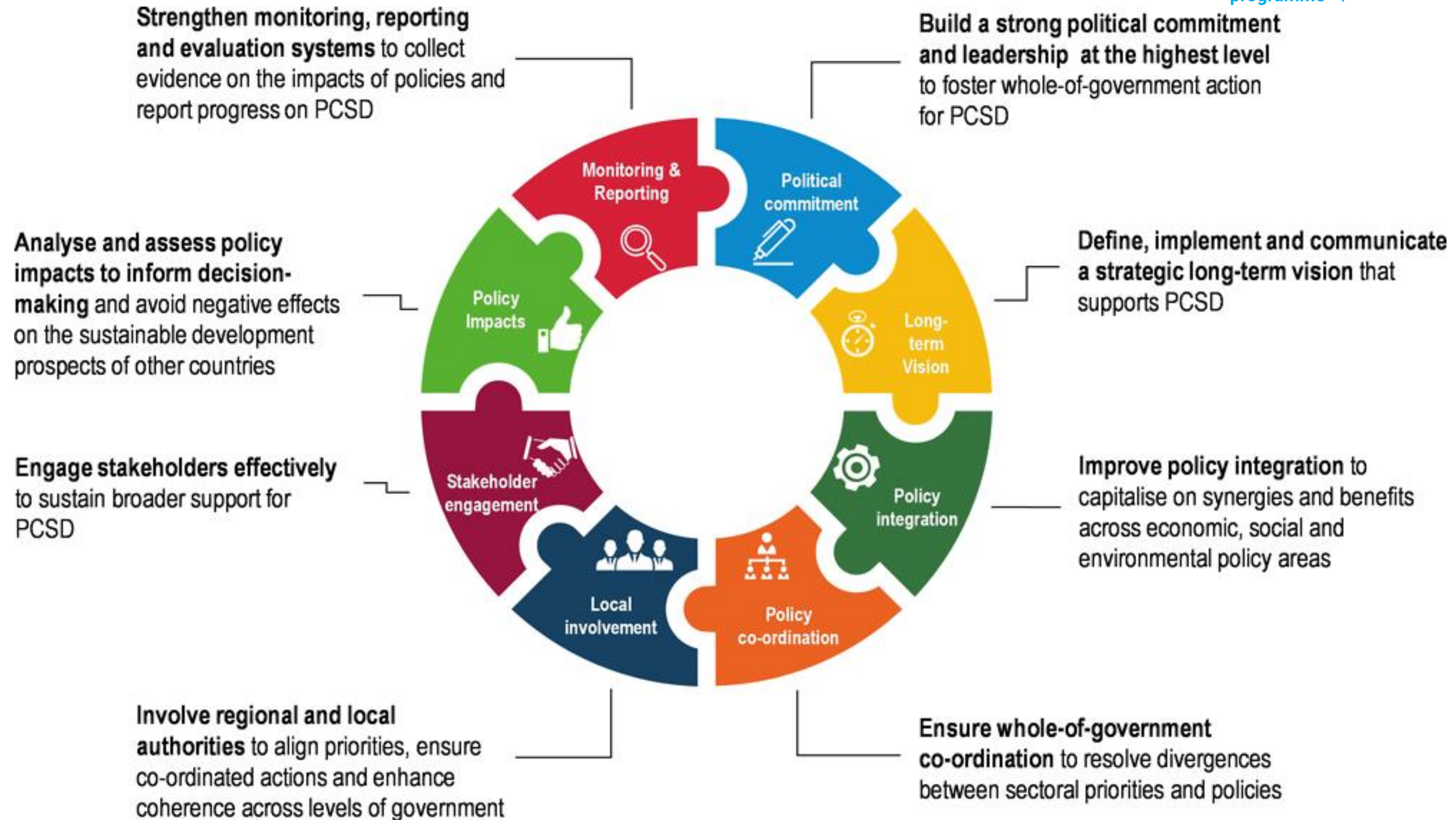
with collaborating agencies and implementing partners (universities, think tanks research centers) to enhance clarity and understanding of climate policy in LAC.



Figure 9  
**Comparison of global emissions under scenarios assessed in the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change Special Report on Global Warming of 1.5 °C with total global emissions according to nationally determined**



# Policy coherence

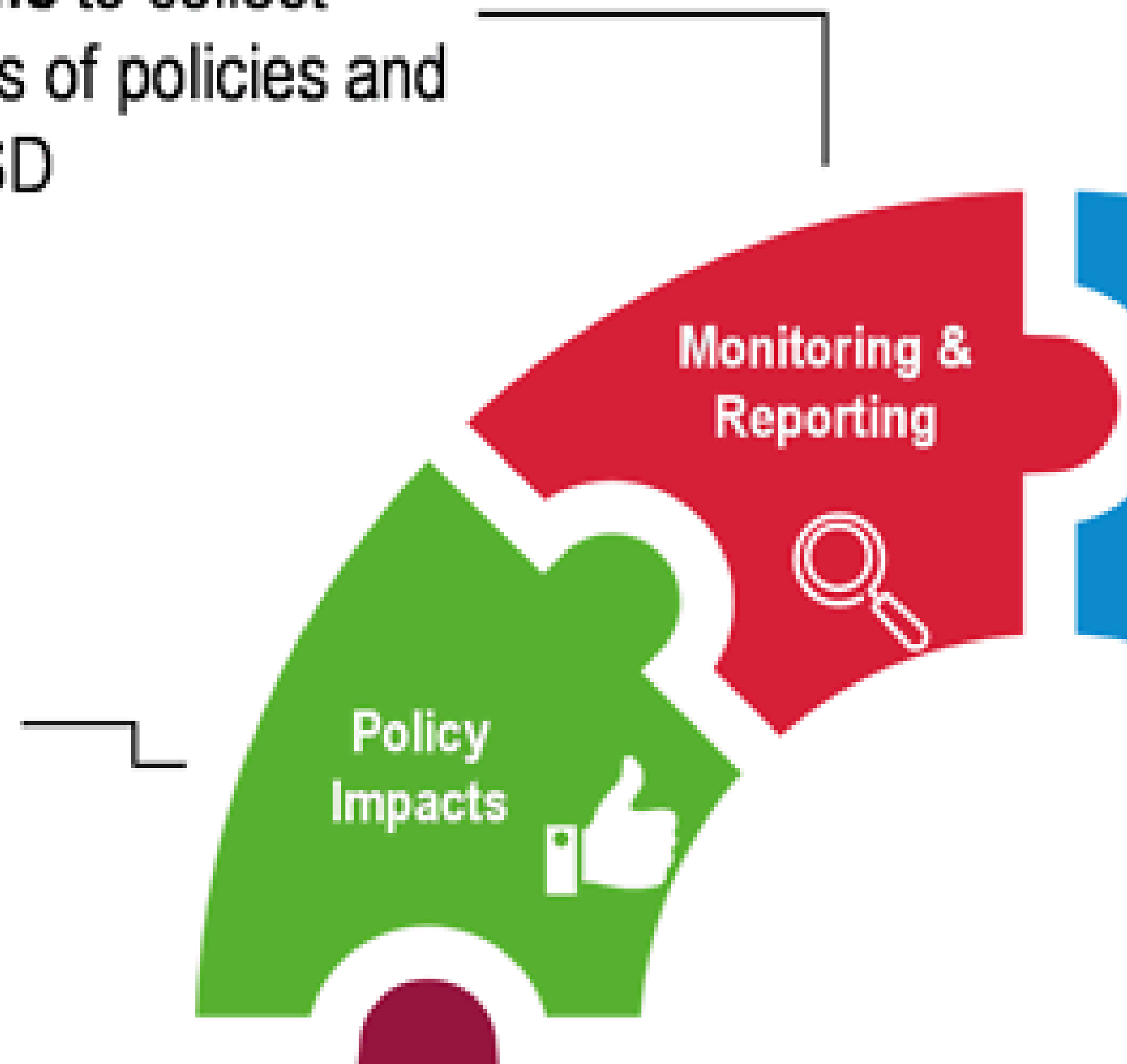


Source: Adapted from OECD (2018[2]), Policy Coherence for Sustainable Development 2018: Towards Sustainable and Resilient Societies, <https://dx.doi.org/10.1787/9789264301061-en>.

# Policy coherence – MRV/M&E and accounting rules

**Strengthen monitoring, reporting and evaluation systems to collect evidence on the impacts of policies and report progress on PCSD**

**Analyse and assess policy impacts to inform decision-making and avoid negative effects on the sustainable development prospects of other countries**

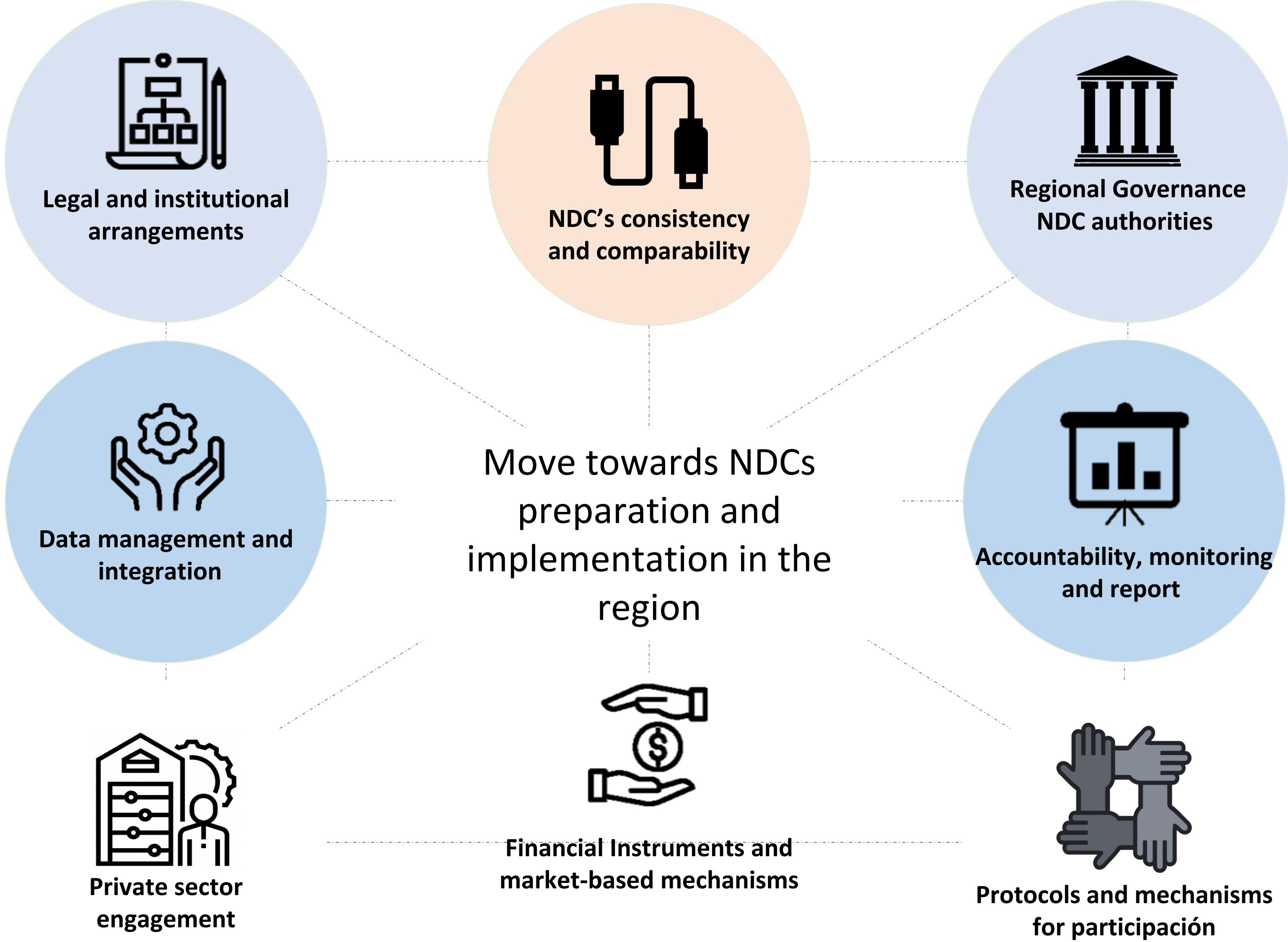


Transparency in public policy

Monitoring Reporting  
Verification – Measurement &  
Evaluation  
Assessment and Indicators



# Strategic elements for implementation of NDC's



# Roles and responsibilities of NDCs Authorities

Reporting capacities and infrastructure to understand past, present and future information

- **Past information:** historical emissions and reference information.
  - **Initial report** (ex ante): describe the authorization, arrangements, describes programmes, emissions and mitigation actions.
  - **Annual information** (Article 6 database): report information about quantities, metrics and responsible. Real time data management.
  - **Regular information** (BURs- BTRs): Qualitative and quantitative information, including corresponding adjustments.
  - **Accounting rules** and NDCs-LTS linkages are key part to understand additionality, permanence **and adaptation contribution** of mitigation actions.

## National Attestation/National Authorization/National Reporting

# Roles and responsibilities of NDCs Authorities

- 1. Governance and institutional arrangements** (NDC Compliance, CORSIA, Art 6, VCM, Domestic Markets)
- 2. Accounting and metrics** (baselines, FREL-avoided emissions, suppressed demand, CDM, REDD+) → Avoid double counting.
- 3. Legal framework, roles and responsibilities** (NDCs, ownership, safeguards, benefits-distribution mechanisms) → Legal additionality, social and environmental impacts
  - **Climate finance** (financial flows, support for public policy implementation and solve other crisis like biodiversity loss and pollution)
- 4. Permanence, additionality and environmental integrity** (standards, crediting periods, NDC timeframes) → Avoid double claiming.

**Common understanding of compliance, environmental integrity,  
additionality and permanence**

**Adaptation Action, Corresponding Adjustments and Emissions Balance**

# Thank you

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