

# 2015 International Modeling Conference

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09:00-10:00	Registration		
Opening Ceremony			
10:00 ~ 10:20 (‘20)	10:00 ~ 10:10 (‘10)	Opening Speech	* Jeong-Seop Lee (Ministry of Environment, Korea)
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## Session 2

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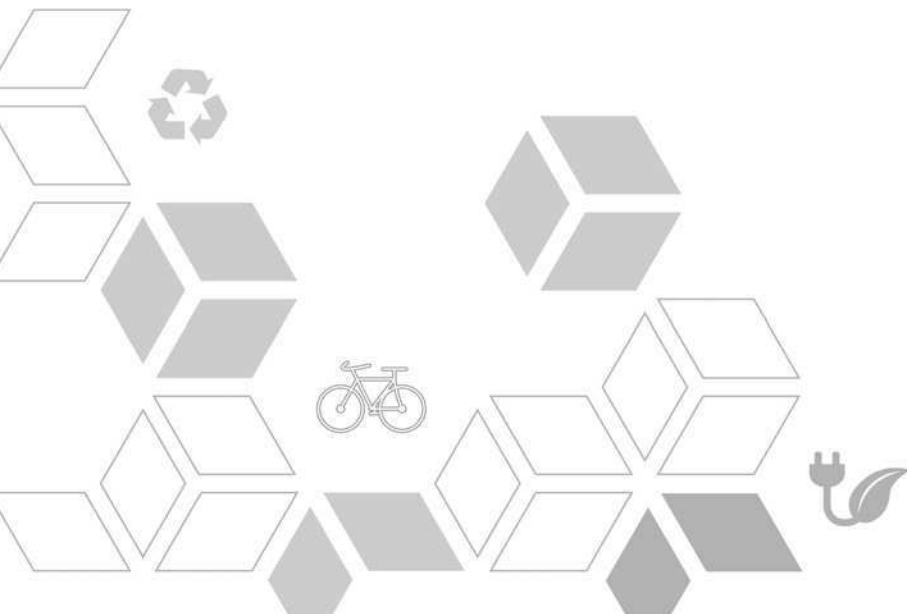
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# 1. Frances Wood

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Eu-path to 2030? UK as a case study







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# EU – path to 2030?






UK as a case study


Frances Wood  
Economic Counsellor  
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## Overview

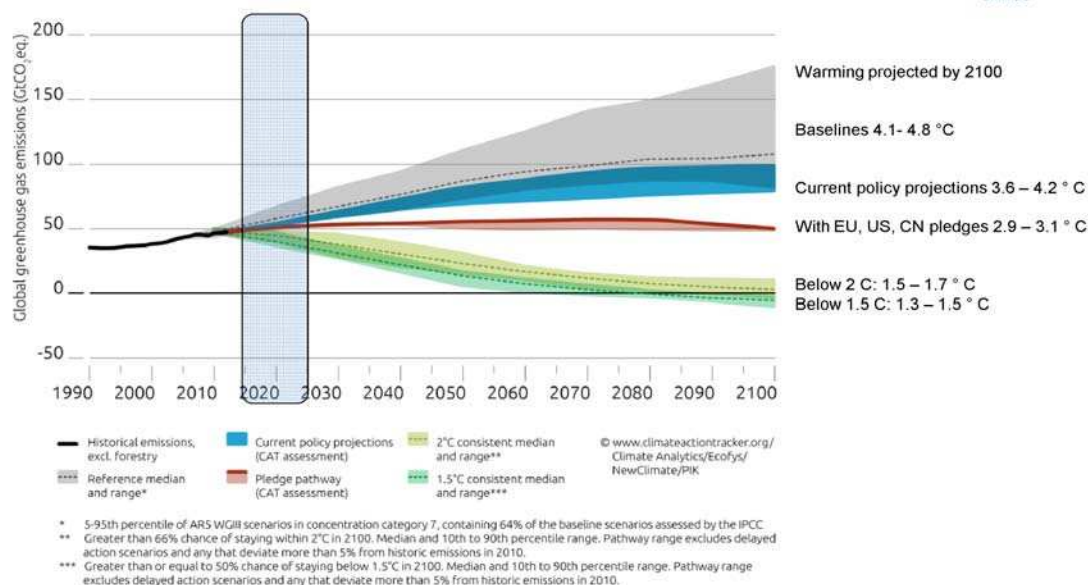


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- > Where are we on 2°C?
- > What is the EU's target?
- > EU Challenges and Opportunities
- > EU's target and is it working?
- > Additional benefits?
- > What is the UK doing?
- > Apart from the obvious, why are we taking action?
- > Role of subsidies
- > What does the EU want from Paris?



## 2°C?



Source: Climate Action Tracker

## EU – challenges and opportunities







## EU's target?

<b>Type</b>	Absolute reduction from base year
<b>Coverage</b>	Economy wide
<b>Scope</b>	CO <sub>2</sub> , methane, nitrous oxide, F-gases
<b>Base year</b>	1990
<b>Period</b>	2021-2030 inclusive
<b>Reduction level</b>	At least 40% in 2030
<b>Agriculture, forestry, other land uses included</b>	Yes
<b>% of Emissions covered</b>	100%
<b>Net Contribution of International Market Based Mechanisms</b>	No contribution from international credits.
<b>Planning process</b>	EUCO Oct.2014; legislative proposals
<b>Fair and ambitious</b>	In-line with transition to a low emissions economy. Consistent with IPCC's assessment of reductions required from developed countries as a group of 80-95% by 2050. EU emissions peaked already.

## Is it working?



### Emissions going down since 1979...

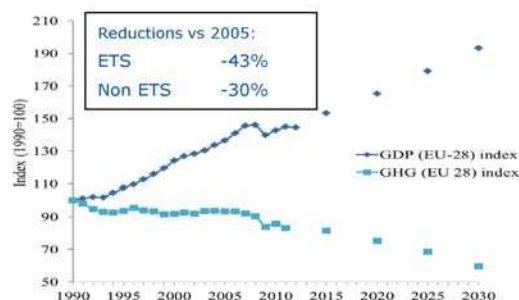
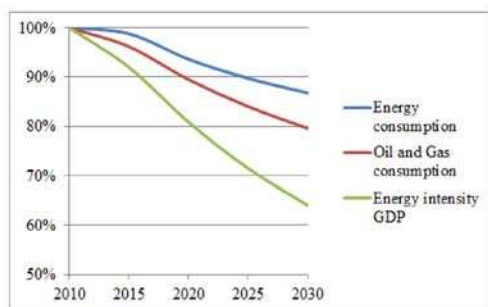


### Emission reductions (EU-28 and Iceland):

- Total emissions (without LULUCF) in 2012 are 21.7% below base year levels
- Projected to be around 24,5% below base year levels in 2020.
- Over the period 2008-2012, the average annual emissions are 18.8% below base year levels

## Additional benefits?

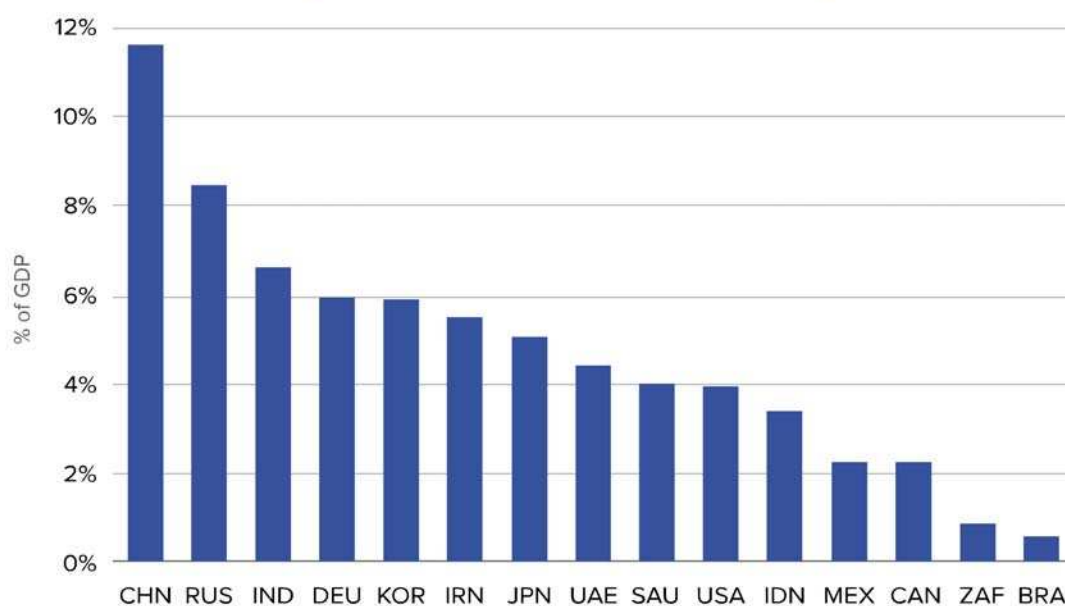
- Decoupling of Gross Domestic Product growth from Greenhouse Gas Emissions will continue



- Fuel savings: additional € 18 billion fuel per year next 2 decades
- Energy security: additional 11% cut in energy imports in 2030
- Innovation: jobs & growth
- Health and air pollution benefits: €7-13.5 billion in 2030

## Additional benefits?

### Economic value of premature deaths from PM2.5 air pollution



Source: New Climate Economy

## What is the UK doing?



- > The UK was the first country in the world (in 2008) to pass a Climate Change Act setting a statutory target for emission reductions (80% reduction by 2050).
- > We have the world's leading financial centre in carbon trading and we were the first country to establish a Green Investment Bank (in 2012) which uses public funds to leverage private sector investment in renewable energy and energy efficiency projects.
- > The UK has delivered groundbreaking Electricity Market Reform with Contracts for Difference and a capacity (peak demand) market (both give certainty to investors).

## What is the UK doing?



- > We are providing nearly £3.8 billion of climate finance over 5 years as part of our commitment to spend 0.7 per cent of our GNI on aid.
- > UK contribution of up to £720m (\$1.2bn) to Green Climate Fund is 12% of total (\$9.7bn) and 3<sup>rd</sup> largest.
- > UK ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in clean-tech investment (behind US and China), invested £1 billion in Carbon Capture and Storage, has more marine energy patents than any other country.
- > UK has 3.7% share of the environmental goods and services sector – 6<sup>th</sup> largest (US 19%, China 13%).

## What is the UK doing?

UK renewable electricity generation has more than doubled since 2010. 18% of British electricity comes from renewables halfway to our goal of 30% of our electricity from renewable sources by 2020.

Currently, there are over half a million installed solar projects in the UK (generating 2.7 GWp) which places the UK firmly in the global top 10 economies for deployed solar.



The UK has more offshore wind capacity than anywhere else and is recognised globally as the best place to invest. We have the largest offshore wind farm in world (London Array). UK is 6<sup>th</sup> largest producer of wind power.

## Apart from the obvious: why take action?

- > **We must all take action to decarbonise economies – the good news is that most of the required action is beneficial for economic growth.**
- > At the Climate Summit **the PM** said, *“We need to give business the certainty it needs to invest in low carbon. That means fighting against the economically and environmentally perverse fossil fuel subsidies which distort free markets and rip off taxpayers. It means championing green free trade, slashing tariffs on things like solar panels. And it means giving business the flexibility to pick the right technologies for their needs. In short we need a framework built on green growth not green tape.”*





## Apart from the obvious: why take action?

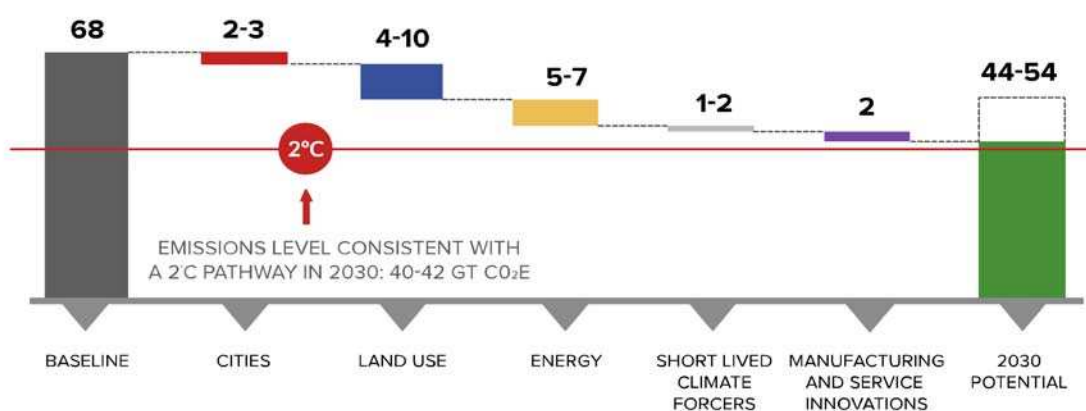
- > Green growth is a massive global opportunity. The green goods and services sector is valued globally at around £4 trillion and has grown consistently at 4-5% pa (including during recession). Could be worth £7-10 by 2030.
- > 92% of UK business leaders think green growth is an opportunity for their own business.
- > The global market in low carbon construction is forecast to grow at 22% pa during this decade.
- > The **New Climate Economy** study provides clear evidence that the transition to a low carbon economy will bring net economic benefits to all countries: new jobs, cleaner air, better health, lower poverty and more energy security.
- > Governments and businesses can simultaneously achieve economic and climate goals by prioritising action across the critical economic systems of cities, land use and energy, by using three key drivers of economic growth: **raising resource productivity, enhancing infrastructure investment and stimulating innovation.**

## Actions with economic benefits could deliver most of the greenhouse gas abatement needed by 2030



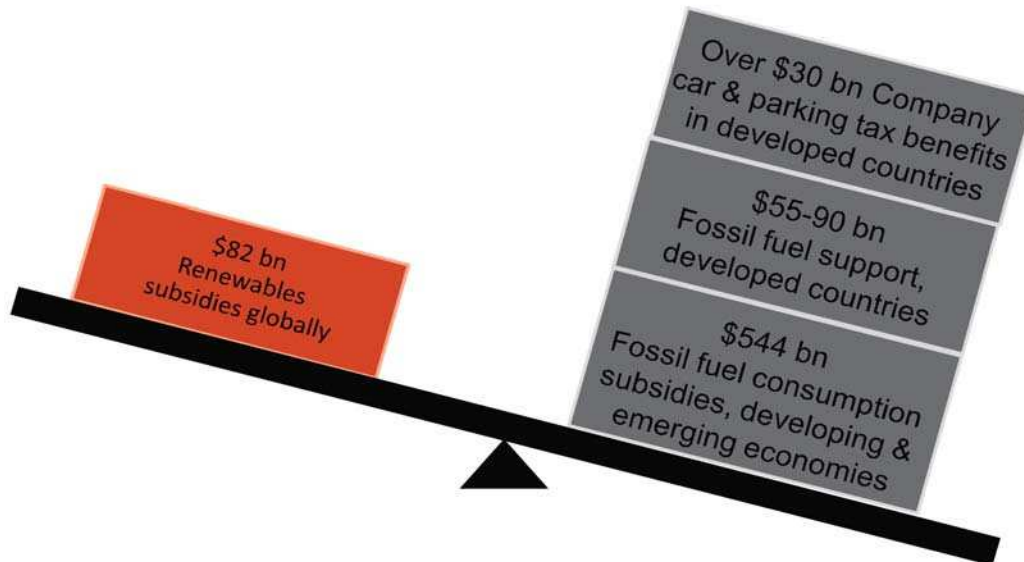
### GHG EMISSIONS AND ABATEMENT POTENTIAL FROM SELECTED MAJOR LEVERS: 2030

Gigatonnes of CO<sub>2</sub> equivalents

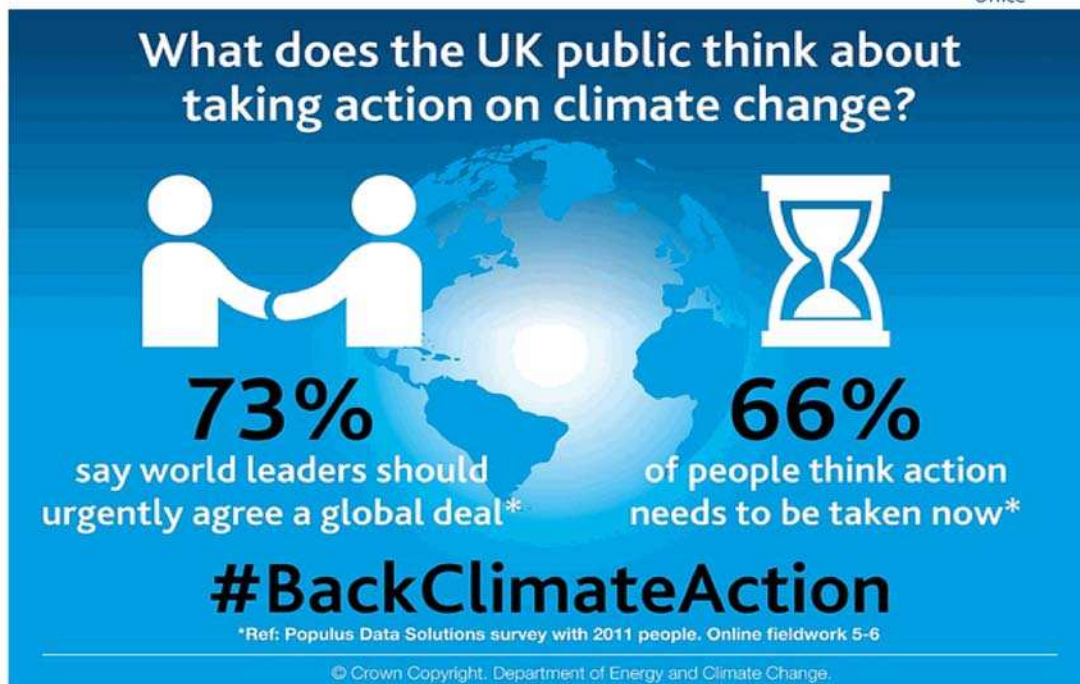


Source: New Climate Economy

## Subsidies?



## Paris?



## The Paris Protocol – a blueprint for tackling global climate change beyond 2020



### EU vision for the Paris protocol

- Long term goal
- Fair, ambitious and legally binding mitigation commitments for all Parties
- Dynamism - 5 yearly reviews to increase ambition
- Robust common rules for transparency and accountability
- Climate resilient sustainable development
- Efficient and effective implementation and cooperation



## The false dilemma



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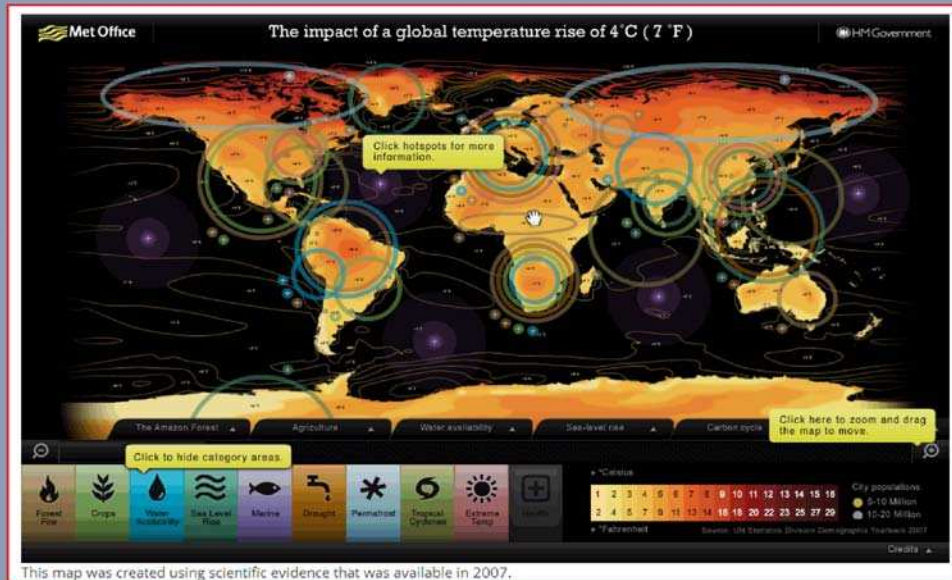
Fighting Climate  
Change

***It is possible to have  
better growth and a better  
climate at the same time***

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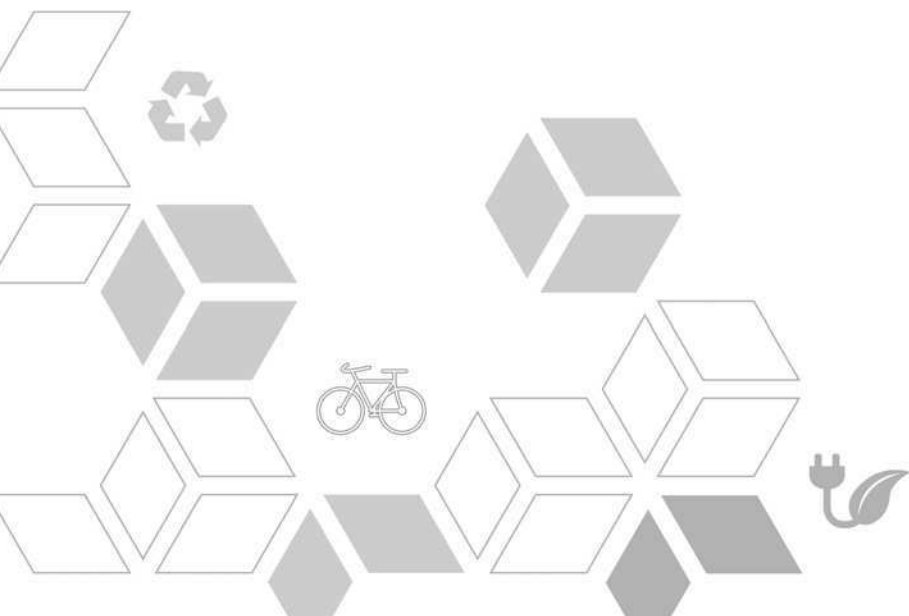
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# 2. David Mitre

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Mexico's experience on Intended Nationally  
Determined Contribution







## Mexico's climate change risks



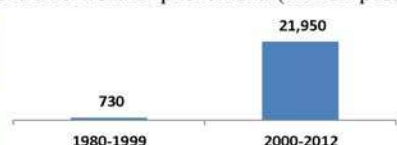
**Mexico's geographical features make it vulnerable to climate change:**  
located between two oceans, latitude, and landscape

**Hurricanes:** *increased its occurrence*, especially those of high intensity (between 1970 and 2009)<sup>1</sup>

**Temperature:** *national average have augmented 0.85°C* showing regional differences; less cooler days and more warm nights (since the 60s)<sup>2</sup>

**Precipitation:** *have diminished*, specially in the southeast region (over the past half century)<sup>3</sup>

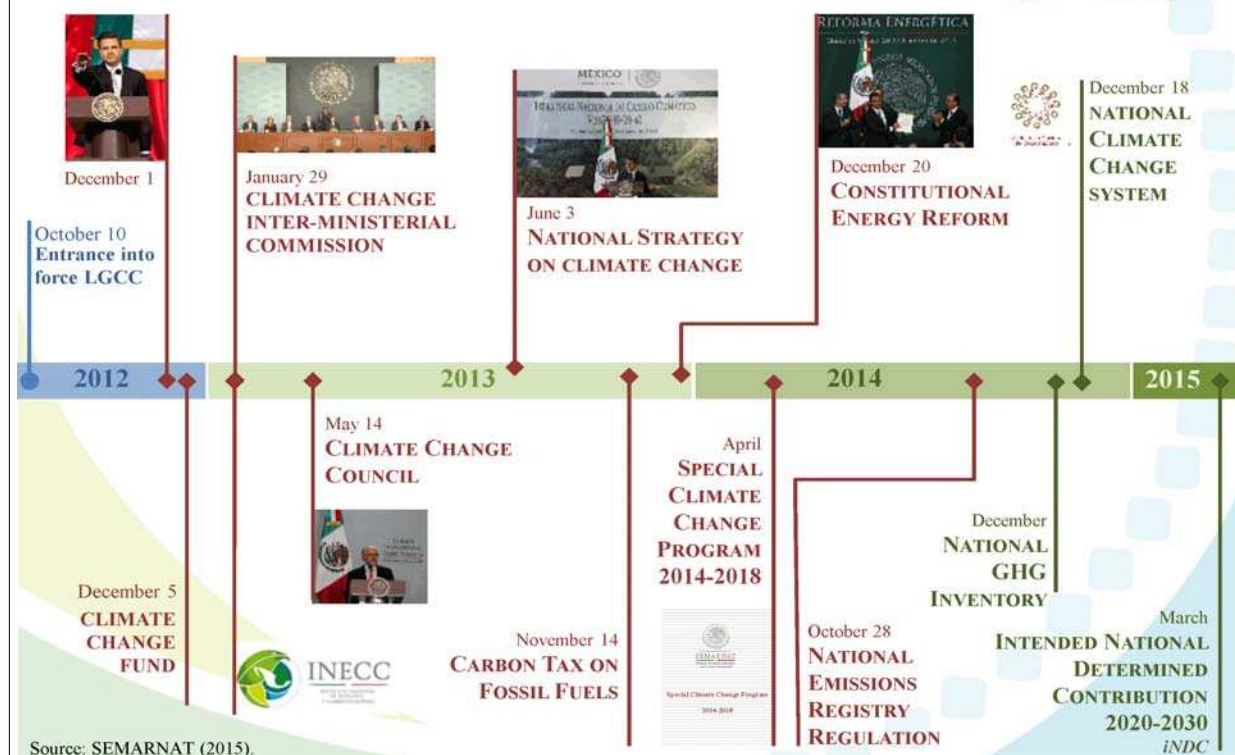
**Average annual economic impacts** caused by extreme weather phenomena (million pesos)<sup>4</sup>



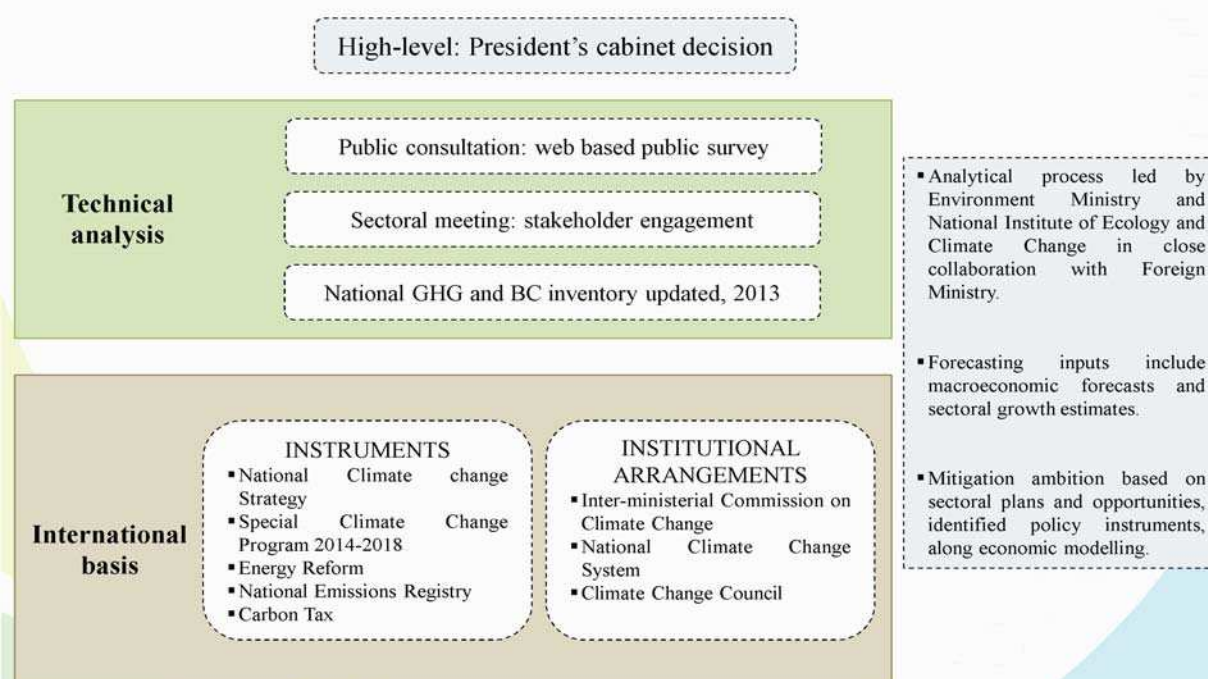
**13% of Mexico's municipalities** are classified as the most vulnerable to climate change<sup>5</sup>, which accounts for:  
26,288.5 km of highways  
5,984 schools  
494 hospitals

Source: /1 CICC (2012). /2-/3 Met Office-INECC (2013). /4 ENCC (2013). /5 PECC (2014).

## Mexico's milestones against climate change



## INDC elaboration process and inputs



Source: SEMARNAT (2015).

## Mexico's INDC highlights



Includes **mitigation of GHG and Black Carbon and adaptation actions** for 2020-2030.

Commitment with a **conditional and unconditional component**, strictly aligned to the objectives and priorities established in the General Law on Climate Change (2012).

For the first time Mexico translate previous **aspirational commitments (GLCC) into mandatory goals**.

The unconditional reduction implies that Mexico will reach a **net emissions peak starting in 2026**, decoupling GHG emissions from economic growth: **emissions intensity per unit of GDP will reduce** by around 40% from 2013 to 2030.

Economy-wide, business as usual scenario, **based on an updated inventory for 2013** with a bottom-up approach.

Source: Gobierno de la República (2015)

## Black carbon: BAU and INDC unconditional goals



**-51% black carbon**

Emissions (thousand of metric tonnes)

2030 Goal

	Baseline				Unconditional
	2013	2020	2025	2030	2030
Transport	47	47	52	58	10
Electricity generation	8	4	4	3	2
Residential and commercial	19	16	15	15	6
Oil and gas	2	3	3	3	3
Industry	35	43	49	56	41
Agriculture and livestock	9	11	12	13	10
Waste	<1	<1	<1	<1	<1
LULUCF	4	4	4	4	4
<b>TOTAL EMISSIONS</b>	<b>125</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>138</b>	<b>152</b>	<b>75</b>

Notes: LULUCF: land use, land use change and forestry. Subtotals do not coincide with the total because of rounding.  
Source: SEMARNAT (2015)



## Greenhouse gases: BAU and INDC unconditional goals



**-22% greenhouse gases**

	Baseline				GHG emissions (MtCO <sub>2</sub> e)
	2013	2020	2025	2030	2030 Goal Unconditional
Transport	174	214	237	266	10
Electricity generation	127	143	181	202	2
Residential and commercial	26	27	27	28	6
Oil and gas	80	123	132	137	3
Industry	115	125	144	165	41
Agriculture and livestock	80	88	90	93	10
Waste	31	40	45	49	<1
<b>SUBTOTAL</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>760</b>	<b>856</b>	<b>941</b>	<b>776</b>
LULUCF	32	32	32	32	-14
<b>TOTAL EMISSIONS</b>	<b>665</b>	<b>792</b>	<b>888</b>	<b>973</b>	<b>762</b>

Notes: LULUCF: land use, land use change and forestry. Subtotals do not coincide with the total because of rounding.  
Source: SEMARNAT (2015)

## Sectoral participation to meet Mexico's contribution (1)



### Energy and Industry

- Generate 35% of clean energy in 2024 and 43% by 2030.
- Substitution of heavy fuels for natural gas, clean energy and biomass in national industry.
- 25% reduction in methane leaks, venting and controlled combustion.
- Control of soot particles in industrial equipment and installations.

### Transport sector

- Standardize the environmental norms and regulations of the NAFTA for existing and new vehicles as well as for locomotives, vessels and mobile machinery for agriculture and construction.
- Provision of ultra-low sulfur gasoline and diesel.
- Increase the vehicle pool using natural gas and access to clean fuel.
- Modernize the vehicle pool and reduce imports of used automobiles.
- Promote multi-modal transport for freight and passengers

Source: SEMARNAT (2015)

## Sectoral participation to meet Mexico's contribution (2)



### Urban sector

- Foster sustainable buildings and cities;
- Promote residential use of solar panels and heaters;
- Methane recovery and use in municipal landfills and water treatment plans.

### Agricultural and forestry sector

- Meet zero deforestation rate target;
- Improve forestry management;
- Drive the sustainable technification of the agriculture and livestock sector;
- Promote the use of biodigesters in livestock farms;
- Enhance recuperation of grasslands

Source: SEMARNAT (2015)

## Conditional goals 2020-2030



**The reductions commitments for short lived climate pollutants and greenhouse gases could increase on a conditional basis.**

- The fulfillment of a global agreement on a scale equivalent to the global climate change challenge that would include (for example): international carbon pricing, climate-weighted levels, technical cooperation, access to low-cost financial resources, and technology transfer.

**Under these conditions, national reductions in black carbon could increase to 70% and in GHG to 36% by 2030.**

- This would be consistent with the route proposed by the General Law on Climate Change that seeks a 50% reduction in the volume of emissions by 2050 in reference to a year 2000 baseline.

Source: SEMARNAT (2015)

## Some lessons learned and emerging challenges



Methodological assumptions are difficult to communicate in a small text document.

Estimate incremental mitigation and deeper cuts that make a competitive economy.

Include detail actions that support INDC such as sectoral approach, cost-benefit analysis, etc.

Develop the Measuring, Reporting and Verification framework.

Strengthen policies and measures that support economy-wide actions: carbon tax, phase-out subsidies, carbon pricing.

Define finance, technology transfers and capacity building support measures.

Source: SEMARNAT (2015)



**Thank you**

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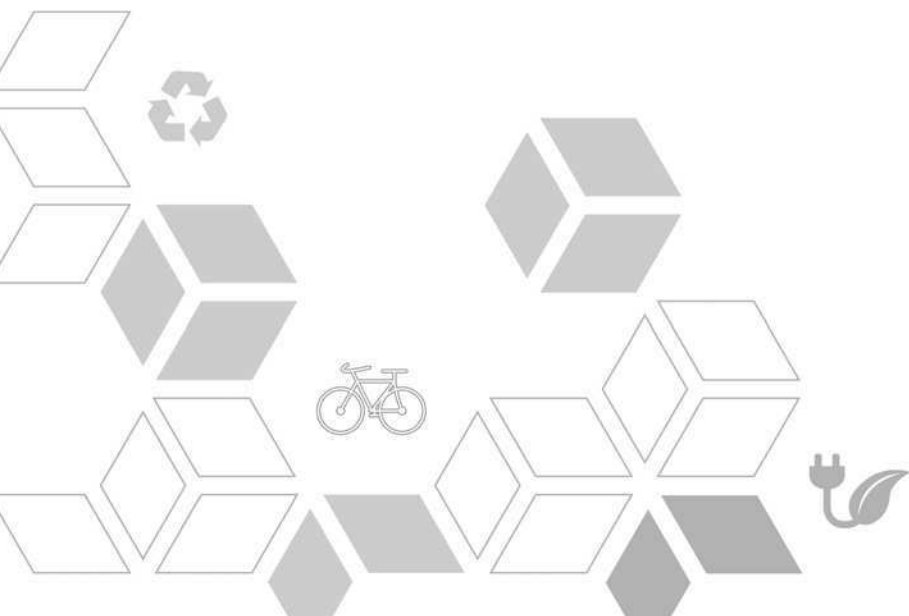
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### 3. Ritu Pantha

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The Effect of Climate Change and Nepal's GHG  
Reduction Initiatives





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## **The Effect of Climate Change and Nepal's GHG Reduction Initiatives**

Ritu Pantha  
Director  
Ministry of Science, Technology and Environment  
Nepal

### **Outline of Presentation**

- **Introduction**
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- **Impact of Climate Change in Nepal**
- **GHG Reduction Initiatives: Policy and strategies**
- **INDC**
- **Nepal's position to UNFCCC**
- **Challenges and Opportunities**
- **Conclusion and Recommendation**

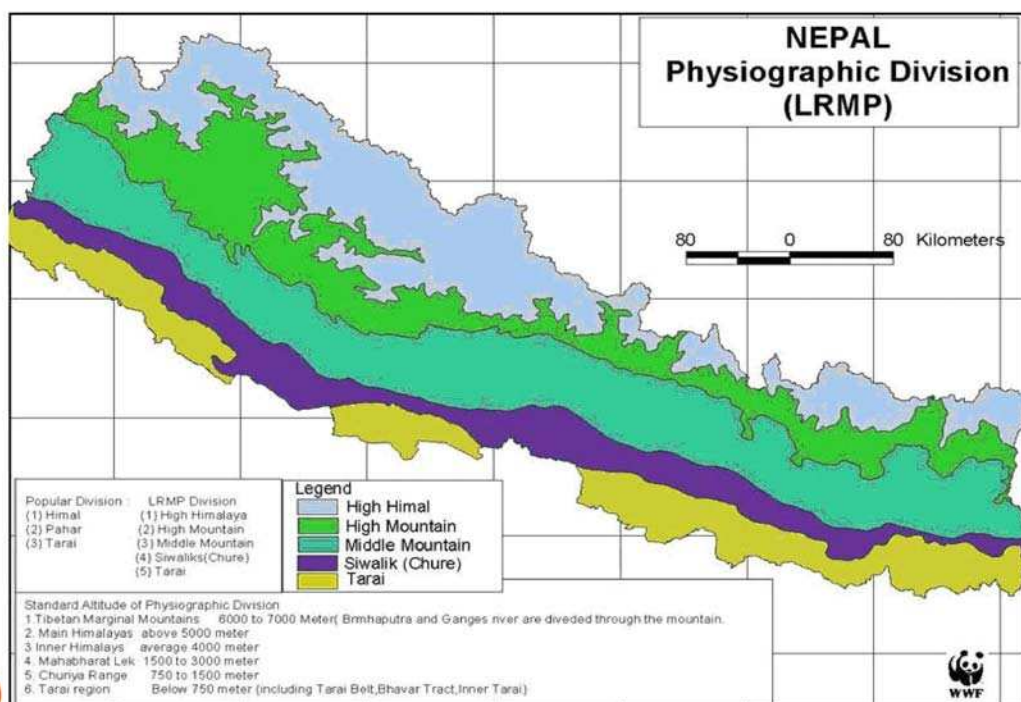
## Introduction

- Nepal is landlocked country having total area of 147, 181sq. km.
- Forest covers approximately 39% of the total area.
- 23.23% of the country has been delineated as national park and conservation areas ([DoFRS 1999a](#)).
- Nepal ranks twenty-fifth globally in biodiversity, with 118 ecosystems, 75 vegetation types and 35 forest types, 5,100 flowering plants, 1,600 species of fungi, and over 460 species of lichen.
- Although Nepal occupies only 0.1 % of the earth's surface, it possesses over 2% of the world's flowering plants, about 9% of the world's birds species and 4% of the world's mammalian species (FAO 1999).



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## Physiographic Zone



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## Climate Change Situation in Nepal

- Nepal is one of the **most vulnerable (4<sup>th</sup>) countries** in terms of climate change.
- Globally Nepal emits only 0.025 percent of total GHG emissions.
- CC impacts both on upland and lowland ecosystem systems, especially threatening the vital biodiversity, water, energy and food Security.
- Rapid melting of glaciers, formation of new supraglacial lakes, expansion of existing lakes, and disappearing of some small lakes have been noticed.



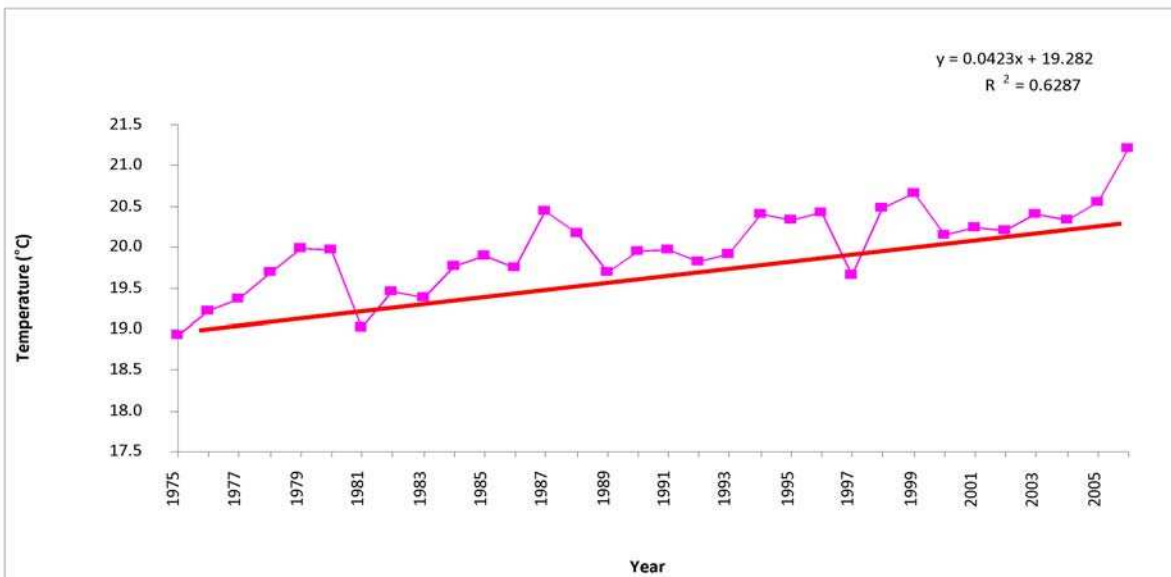
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## Climatic Scenario

- Observed data indicate consistent warming and rise in the maximum temperature at **an annual rate of 0.04-0.06 degree Celsius**.
- Observed warming trend is not uniform across the country.
- Warming is more pronounced in **high altitude regions** compared to the Terai and Siwalik regions.
- There has been increase in average temperature by **1.8°C within 32 years** between 1975 and 2006 in Nepal (Baidya et al., 2008).
- Nepal Responsible for only **0.025 percent of total GHG emissions** in the world.

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## All Nepal Temperature Trend



- All Nepal Temperature is increasing steadily
- About 1.8°C increase from 1975 – 2006

Source: Baidya 2007

## Impacts of Climate Change in Nepal

- IPCC 4th Assessment Report submitted estimates that by 2050 crop yields in South Asia can decrease by up to 30%.
- Increase in pests, diseases and invasive species owing to temperature change affect agricultural productivity resulting in food insecurity and loss of livelihoods.
- Atmospheric CO<sub>2</sub> concentration will reduce Nepal's forest types from 15 to 12, and habitats and ecosystem.
- The adverse impacts on the Himalayas are expected to affect both the upland and lowland systems, especially threatening the vital biodiversity, water, energy and food security.

## Major Climate Change Impacts Identified by the IPCC Relevant for Nepal

- Increase in poverty in low and lower middle income countries, including high mountain states (AR5, WG2, Technical Summary)
- Increase in mountain phenomena such as slope instabilities, mass movement, glacial lake outbursts and increase in hazards due to moraine dammed lakes (AR5, WG2, Chapter 3, Box 3-1)
- Decrease in mountain glaciers<sup>3</sup> (AR5, WG2, Chapter 3, 3.4.3).
- Increase in economic losses from weather- and climate-related events. Decrease in biodiversity in mountain ecosystems given the limited range of population movement of the species. (AR5, WG2, 4.3).
- Greater radioactive effect of deposited soot and, therefore, a bigger impact on snow melt (AR5, WG2, Box 3-1 and Qian et al 2011)

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## GHG Reduction Initiatives : Policy and strategies

- The Climate Change Policy, 2011 states that the Government would formulate and enact [Low Carbon Economic Development Strategy](#).
- [Nepal Development Vision 2030](#) published by National Planning Commission in 2011 states that Nepal will adopt climate-friendly plan and low carbon development approach.
- Nepal has been able to gain some economic benefit from [Clean Development Mechanism](#) under Climate Change Convention for contributing to the emission of greenhouse gas by promoting renewable energy.
- Nepal could benefit much from "REDD+" and [carbon trading](#). Nepal's Concept Paper on the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions from forest sector has been approved recently by Forest Carbon Partnership Facility under the World Bank.

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## National Low Carbon Economic Development Strategy (Draft)

- The most important objective of this Strategy is to make the country independent on clean energy by 2022 and achieve rapid economic growth through green technology by 2030.
- Other objectives of the Strategy are as follows:
  - To develop and promote hydroelectricity and other renewable energies.
  - To emit low carbon in various sectors such as agriculture, forestry, industry, transportation and housing and support the sustainable economic growth by encouraging the development and use of the high energy capacity technologies. Preserve and develop original low carbon technologies, as well.
    - To put emphasis on the use of low carbon technologies in the development of the infrastructures such as building, road, bridge, irrigation, hydropower, etc. and make them climate resilient.
    - To mobilize economic resources from both internal and external sources for climate-friendly economic development.
    - To develop necessary institutional and human resources capacity for the development and spread of low carbon technologies from national to local level.-

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## National Low Carbon Economic Development Strategy (Draft)

- Sectoral Strategies:
  - Energy Sector
  - Agriculture and Livestock
  - Forest Sector
  - Industry Sector
  - Building and Waste
  - Commercial Sector
  - Transport Sector
  - GESI

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## GHG Emission Reduction Initiatives

- Application of renewable energy technology for greenhouse gas emission reduction
- Nepal Biogas Project:
  - Reducing emissions while providing community benefits
- Reducing Emissions from Nepal's Community Managed Forests
- CDM Project/program Clean Development Mechanism Plan

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## INDC

- UNFCCC has invited all Parties to communicate to the secretariat their INDCs "well in advance of COP 21"
- LDCs and SIDS have contributed less to current global emissions.
- The burden of cutting emissions will rest with major economies.
- However to avoid dangerous levels of global warming, all countries will have to play a role. The UN has communicated that contributions towards a global agreement should reflect the 'special circumstances' of these low-emitting countries.

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## INDC

- At present, there is **no formal, standard template** for INDCs.
- Nepal is starting **INDC's reviewing** of the following:
  - National Development Objectives
  - National, subnational and sectoral climate change priorities on both mitigation and adaptation, national and subnational strategies/plans, national legislation
  - Climate variability, which includes trends in averages and extremes of precipitation and temperature
  - Climate impacts, such as drought, flooding, and subsequent social, economic and environmental impacts
  - Budgetary allocations towards climate change activities
  - Previous or existing climate change pledges or commitments (voluntary or legislated) or actions to date

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## Nepal's Position to UNFCCC...

- We seek clarity on **what mechanisms** will be in place to **support LDCs** (Nepal) in the **preparation of intended nationally determined contributions**. While we are willing to take part in the INDCs process, it would be very difficult for us to do this national exercise without timely support.
- We rely on **continued support** and **leadership** in redoubling efforts to close the pre-2020 mitigation gap. Closing this gap is a requirement for the success of the future regime.
- We would like to engage with all parties to explore how to future expand and strengthen the guidelines with a view to adopting a decision on **NAPs implementation**.
- We would like to see **a permanent institutional arrangement** and more resources to be allocated to **capacity building**, which we see extremely important to enable our countries effectively implement the Convention.

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## Challenges

- Lack of scientific data and information related to the science of climate change and its impacts of CC on different geographical and socio economic development sectors limit the use climatic modeling for proper planning and decision making.
- Proper institutional set up, flow of financial resources and technology transfer is crucial for CC mitigation and adaptation.
- Nepal is likely to face constraints in implementing actions imagined in INDCs and certain actions/levels of ambition are likely to be dependent or conditional on the provision of funding from developed countries.
- Nepal is the most climate-vulnerable country and therefore adaptation is likely to be a major focus of national climate change plans.

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## Opportunities

- Demonstrating the plans for economic growth are compatible with low-carbon development pathways and avoiding lock-in to carbon intensive infrastructure.
- Highlighting the adaptation-related co-benefits of mitigation actions, and other co-benefits such as poverty alleviation, improved air quality and health, energy access and security.
- Capturing the mitigation-related co-benefits of planned and potential adaptation activities.
- Encouraging other countries to take equivalent action, thereby increasing global ambition and reducing climate impacts.
- Attracting international support to implement action such as finance, technology transfer and capacity-building.

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## Conclusion and Recommendation

- INDCs are contributions by *all* parties to the UNFCCC to reduce GHG emissions for the global agreement on climate change post 2020 period.
- Based on the understanding that further ambitious emission cuts are needed to stay below 2 degrees global warming.
- INDCs should present a progression beyond current mitigation efforts.
- To generate momentum for implementation, clear policy signals from strong INDCs are much needed.
- Considering Nepal's low emission level and its low capacity to adapt and mitigate, the country's government could consider including in their INDCs potential options that ensure continuous improvement of the regulatory framework currently implemented to support climate action after 2020. These options would include a continuous improvement of the strategies, policies and programmes in sectors relevant for Nepal's GHG emissions development. Based on the sectorial analysis above, more ambitious contributions could be envisaged with further international support.

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mechanism in the Post-2020



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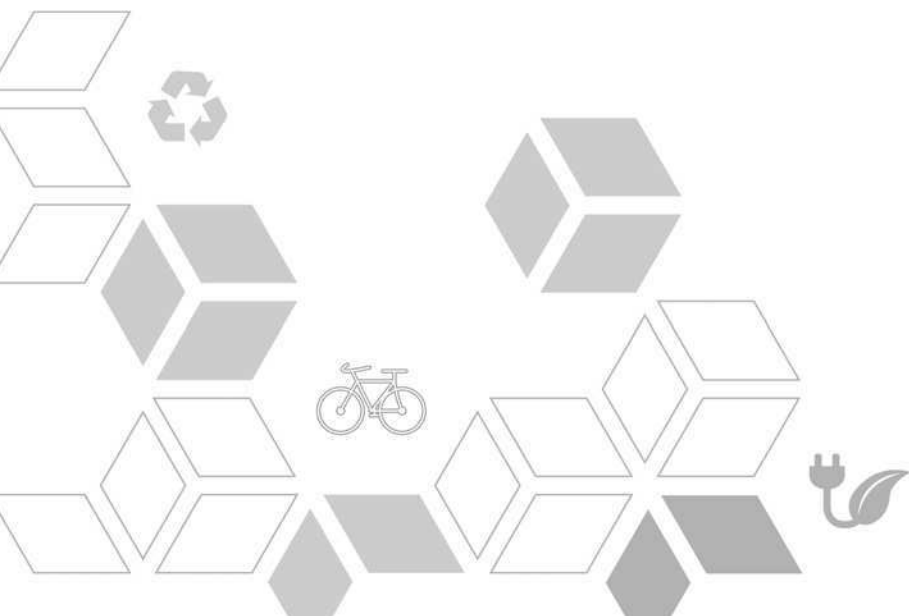
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## ENHANCING TRANSPARENCY FOR THE 2°C TARGET







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## 1. WHY ENHANCING TRANSPARENCY FOR 2°C TARGET ?

### *The Conference of the Parties,*

- 2. "Also decides to launch a process to develop a protocol, another legal instrument or an agreed outcome with legal force under the Convention applicable to all Parties, through a subsidiary body under the Convention hereby established and to be known as the Ad Hoc Working Group on the Durban Platform for Enhanced Action."
- 4. "... at the twenty-first session of the Conference of the Parties and for it to come into effect and be implemented from 2020."
- 5. "... mitigation, adaptation, finance, technology development and transfer, transparency of action and support, and capacity-building, ..."

Source : FCCC/CP/2011/9/Add.1



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## 1. WHY ENHANCING TRANSPARENCY FOR 2°C TARGET ?

- To increase THE COMPARABILITY OF EACH PARTY'S EFFORTS for the achievement of the objective of the Convention (Article 2, UNFCCC) and the Cancun Agreement (Decision 1/CP.16, Para.4)

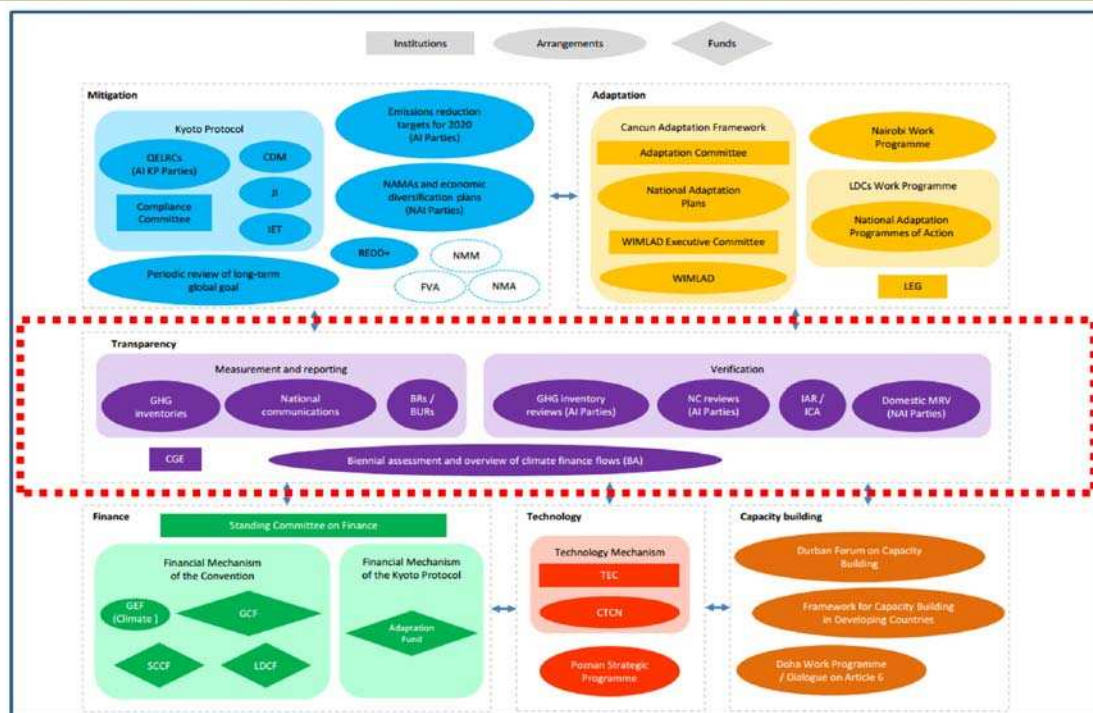


Source : Carbon Brief, Climate Action Tracker (CAT)



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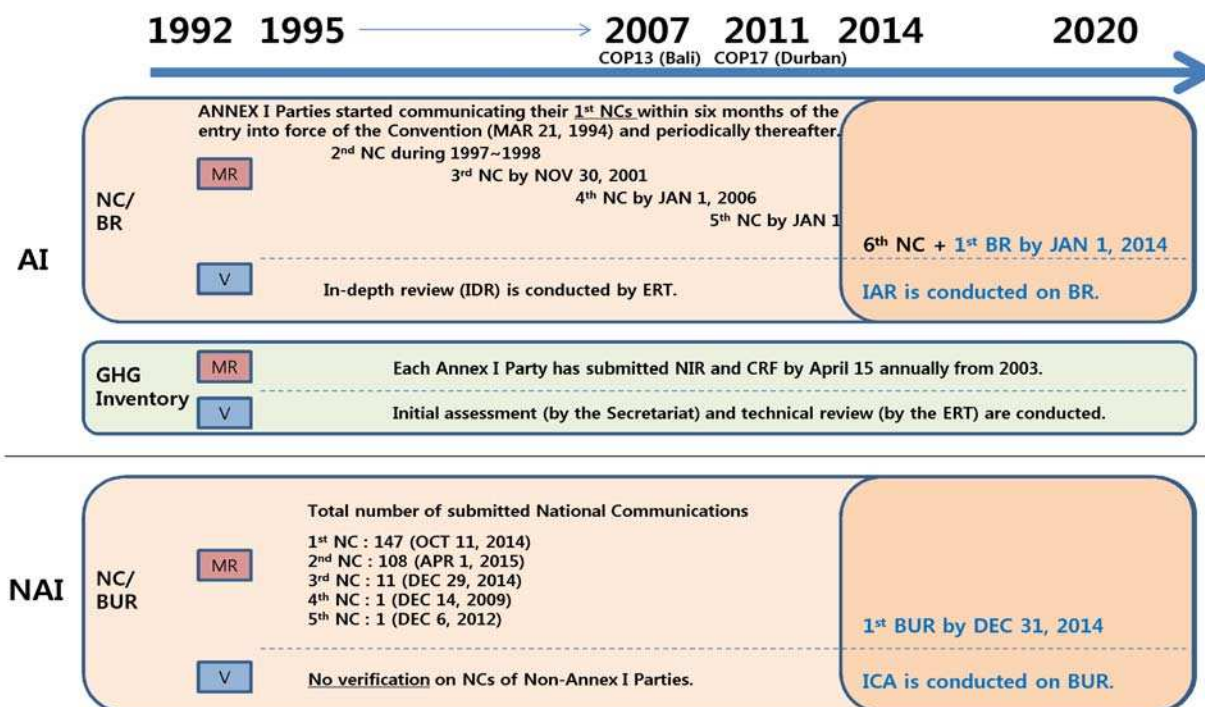


Source : OECD(2014), "Taking Stock of the UNFCCC Process and its Inter-linkages"



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## 2. EXISTING "MRV" FRAMEWORK IN THE UNFCCC



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## 2. EXISTING “MRV” FRAMEWORK IN THE UNFCCC

	BR/IAR	BUR/ICA
Entities	AI (43 Parties)	NAI (153 Parties)
M•R	(1) Information on GHG emissions and trends (2) Quantified economy-wide emission reduction target (3) Progress in achievement of quantified economy-wide emission reduction targets and relevant information (4) Projections (5) Provision of financial, technological and capacity-building support to developing country Parties <i>* BR + Common Tabular Format</i>	(1) Updates of national GHG inventories (2) Mitigation actions (a) Name and description of actions (b) Information on methodologies and assumptions (c) Steps taken or envisaged to achieve that action (d) Progress of implementation of the mitigation actions (e) Information on int'l market mechanism (3) Finance, technology and capacity-building needs and support received <i>* Parties are encouraged to use the CTF.</i>
V	(1) Technical Review (2) Multilateral Assessment (1 <sup>st</sup> MA: 17 countries, 2 <sup>nd</sup> MA: 24 countries)	(1) Technical Analysis (2) Facilitative Sharing of Views (only 13 countries submitted BURs as of March 31, 2015)
1 <sup>st</sup> IAR /ICA	1 <sup>st</sup> round of IAR is completed. (except Belarus, Kazakhstan)	1 <sup>st</sup> round of FSV is planned to be held at SBI 44, in June 2016.

Source : FCCC/CP/2011/9/Add.1, Annex I, III



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## 2. EXISTING “MRV” FRAMEWORK IN THE UNFCCC

### ● Achievements

- **Overall** : “Enhanced” 1<sup>st</sup> ver. (1995-2013) → 2<sup>nd</sup> ver. (2014-)
- **Annex I** : 6<sup>th</sup> NCs, Annual GHG inventories from 2003, 1<sup>st</sup> BRs
- **Non-Annex I** : 1<sup>st</sup> NCs (147 Parties), capacity-building for GHG inventories (ownership), 1<sup>st</sup> BURs (11 Parties)

### ● Limitations

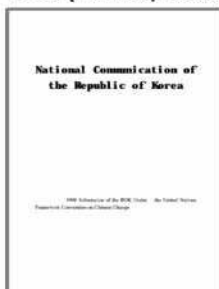
- **Overall** : Only 43 Parties are under mandatory MRV, double counting, uncertainty in Land sector
- **Annex I** : Mitigation effects by sector ← 1<sup>st</sup> IAR (MA)
- **Non-Annex I** : Statistics (activity data), country-Specific EFs, domestic MRV system, domestic experts (inventory/modeling)



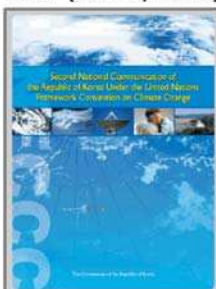
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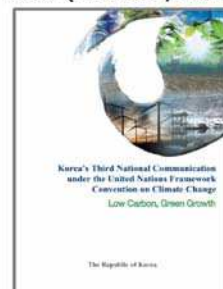
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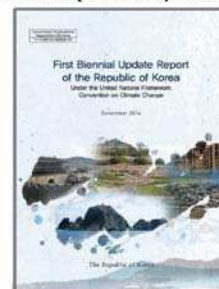
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NIR 2011



NIR 2012



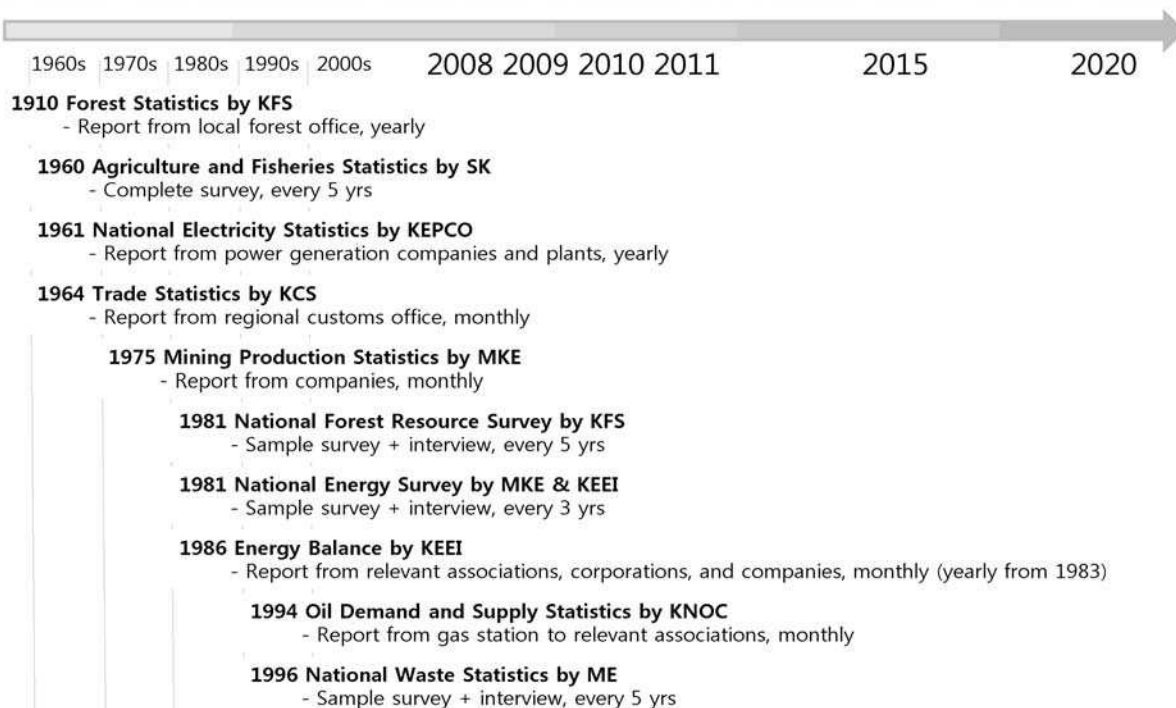
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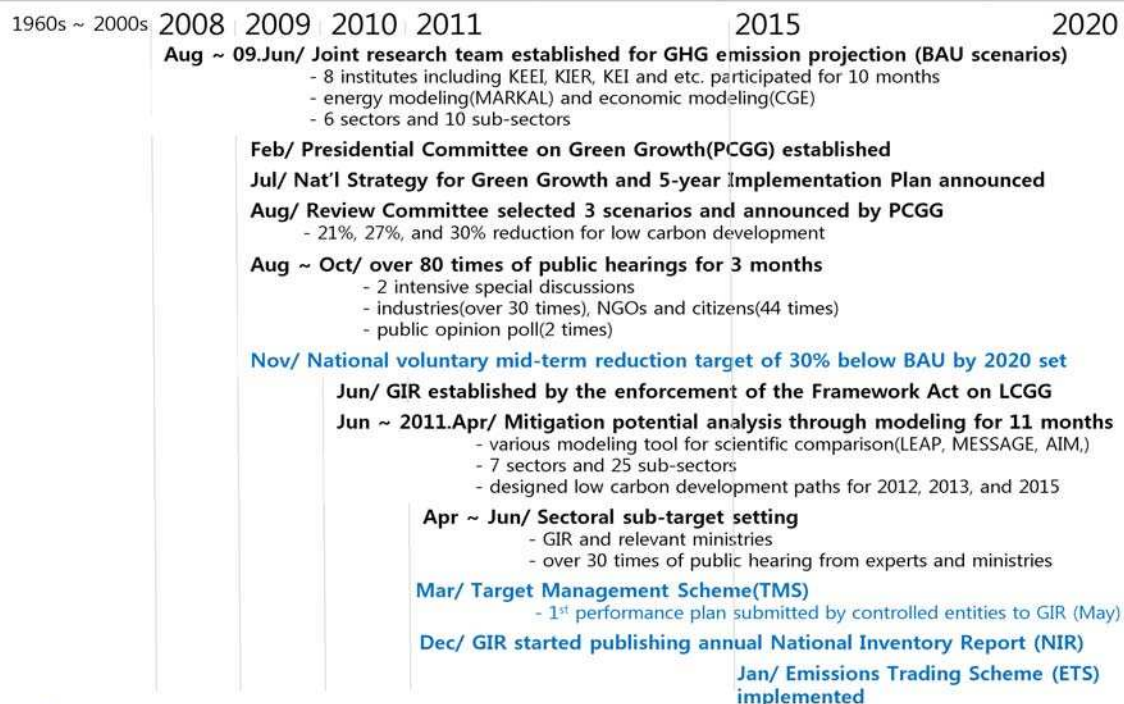


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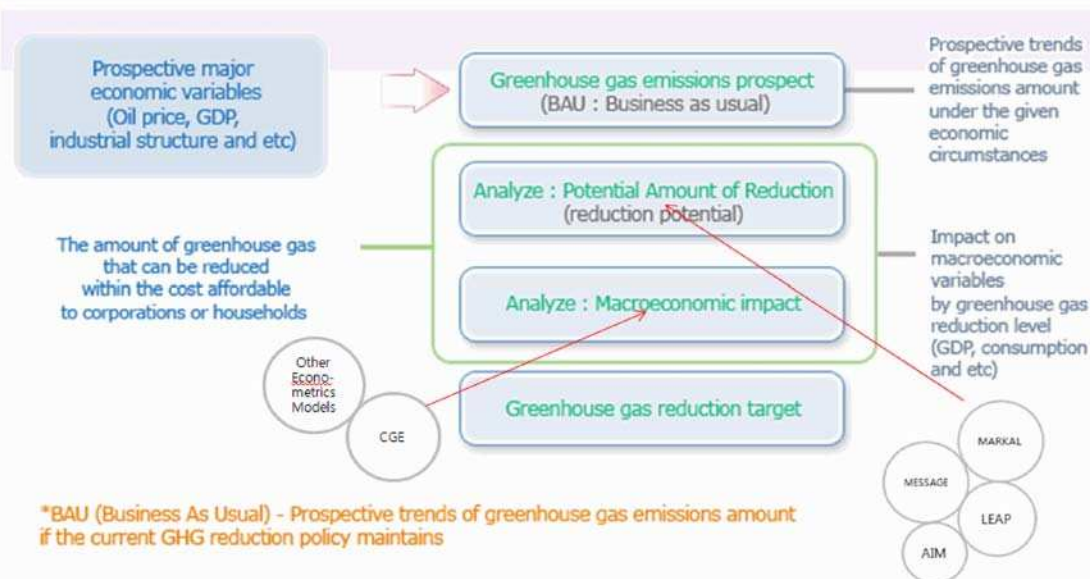
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**"Reliable data and Modeling analysis for GHG reduction target and policies for implementation"**

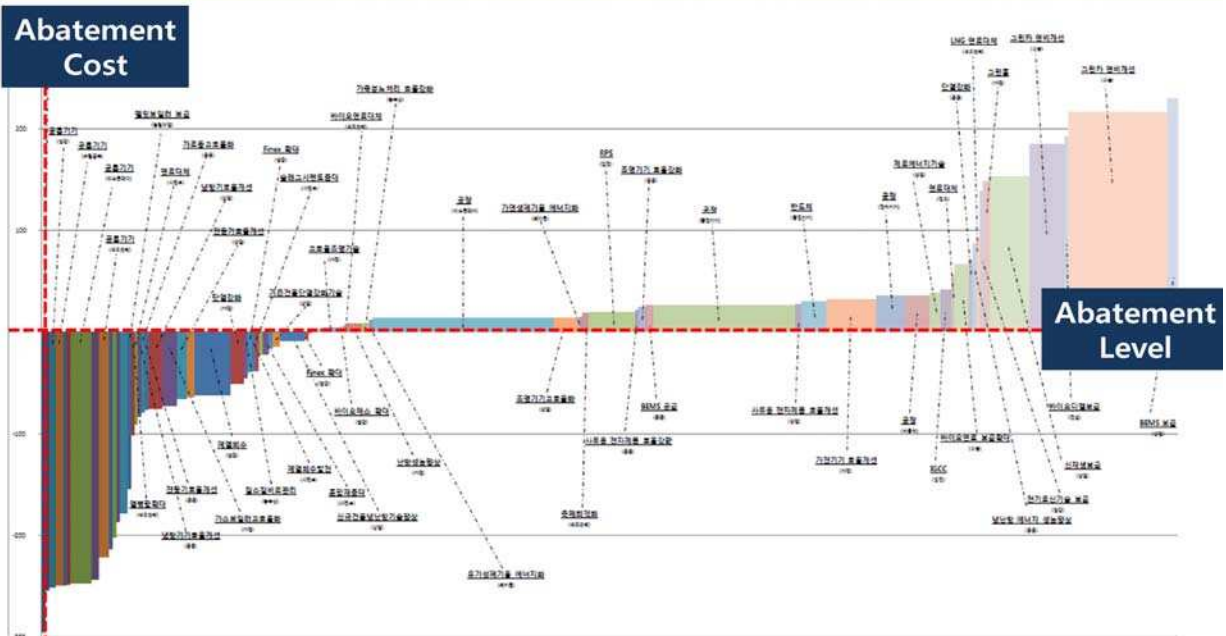


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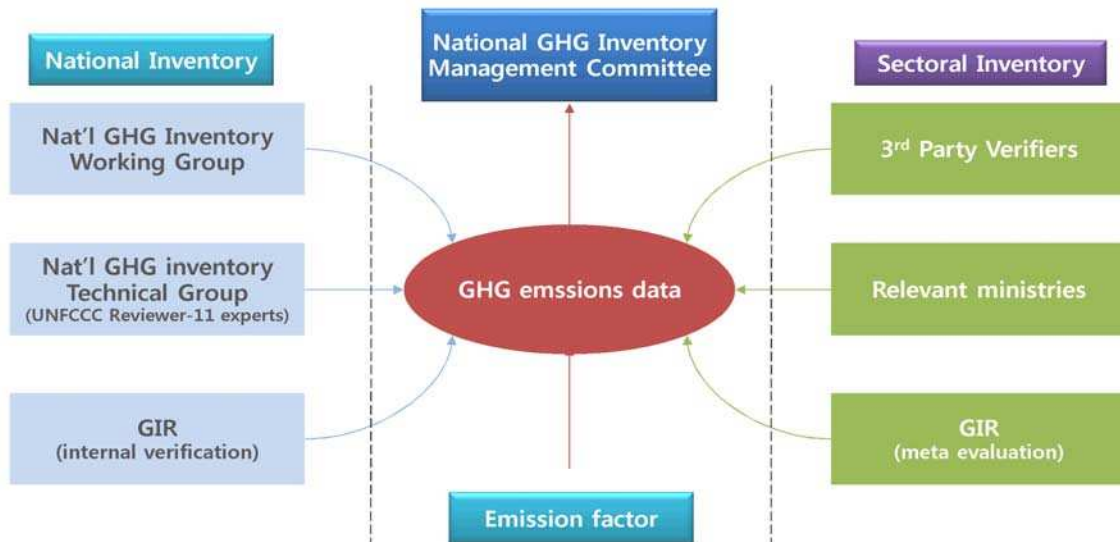


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- Korea operates both the "Top-Down" and "Bottom-Up" MRV systems.



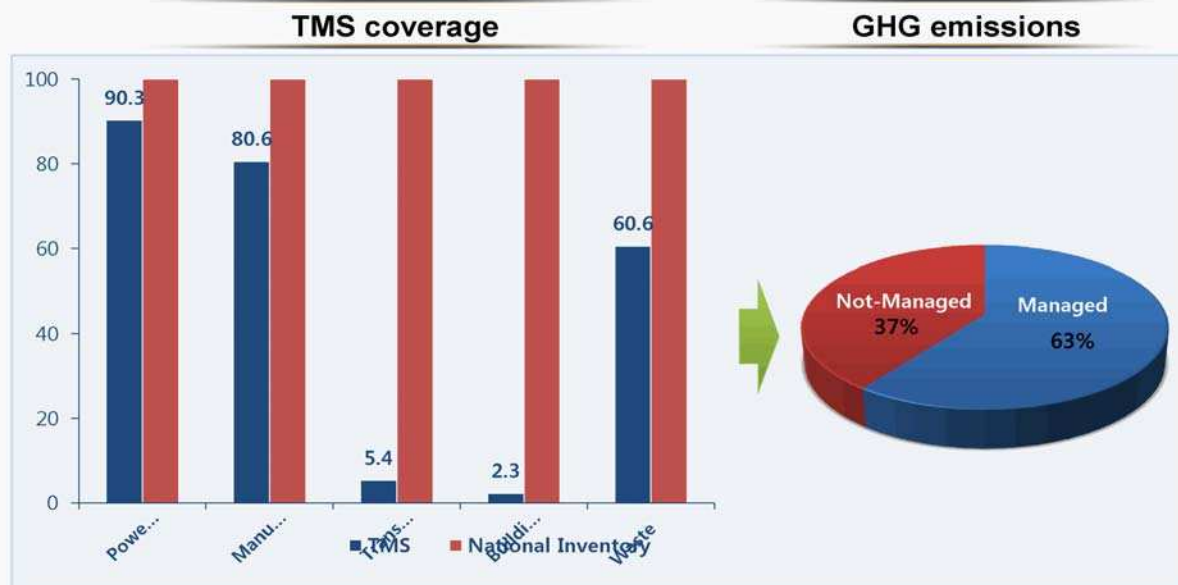
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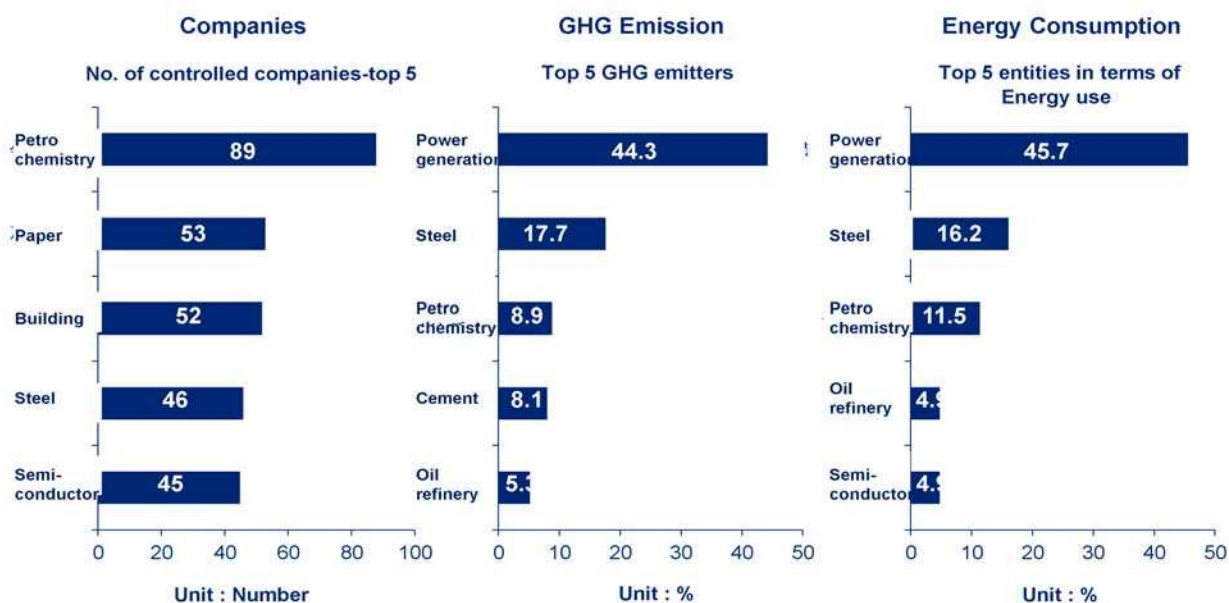


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- About 63% of Korea's GHG emissions covered by the TMS (2012)



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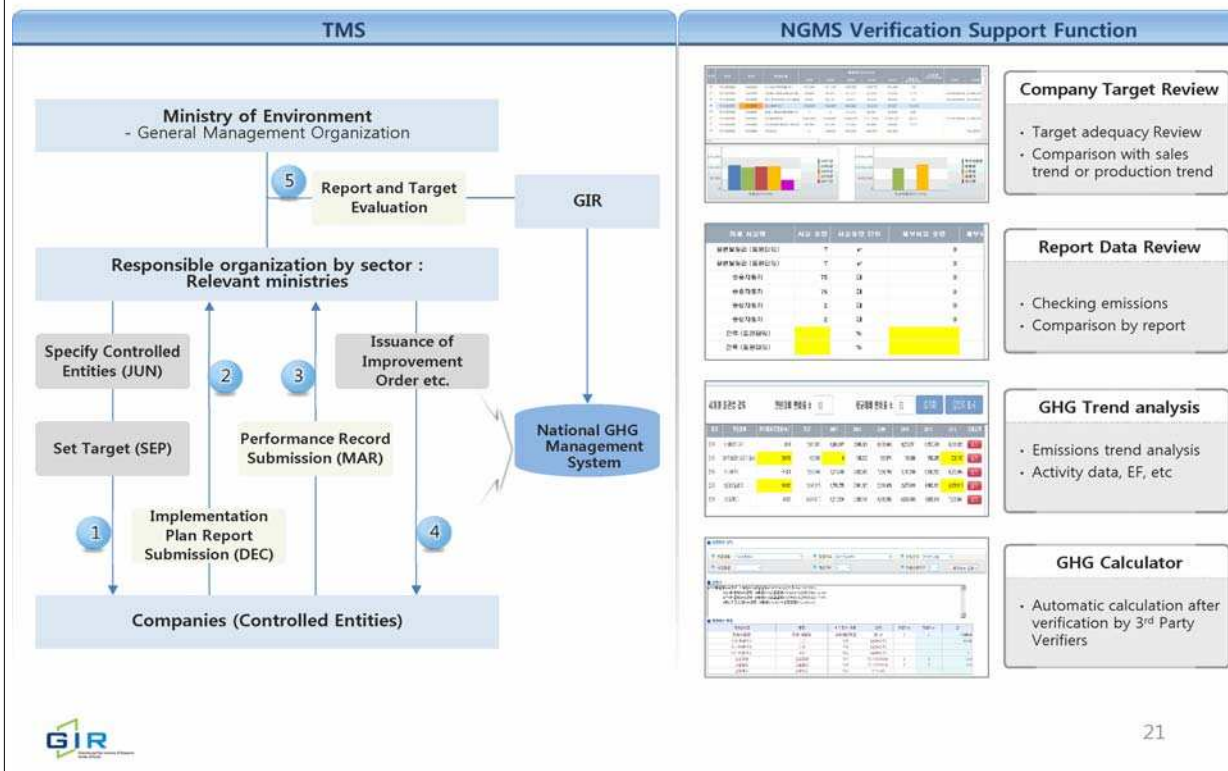


### 3. "KOREAN MRV EXPERIENCE" : LESSONS LEARNED

Phase	Responsible Entities	Description	Date	
Measurement Reporting	Revision of MRV Guidelines	GIR	• Preparing a revised version of MRV Guidelines	January
	Discussion and approval of the revisions	GIR (Working Group, Management Committee)	• Discussing and approving the revisions made in the MRV Guidelines	February
	Announcement of the annual MRV Guidelines	GIR → Relevant ministries	• Distributing the MRV Guidelines	February
	Sectoral measurement and reporting	Agencies in each sector → Relevant ministries → GIR	• Submission of sectoral NIR and CRF • Conducting QA/QC activities and submitting the result report	March–June
Verification	Internal/external verification	GIR	• Verification of the drafts of sectoral NIR, CRF • Preparing the final draft of the NIR and CRF	July–August
Deliberation Approval Publication	Technical review of Technical Group	GIR (Technical Group)	• Conducting technical reviews of data used for calculation of national GHG inventory • Documenting verification and review results in a verification report	September
	Working Group Review	GIR (Working Group)	• Reviewing the final draft of national GHG inventory • Discussing agendas related to quality improvements in the national GHG inventory	October
	Final review and approval	GIR (Management Committee)	• Approving the official version of the annual national GHG inventory	
	Publication	GIR	• Publishing and distributing the national GHG inventory to the public	November

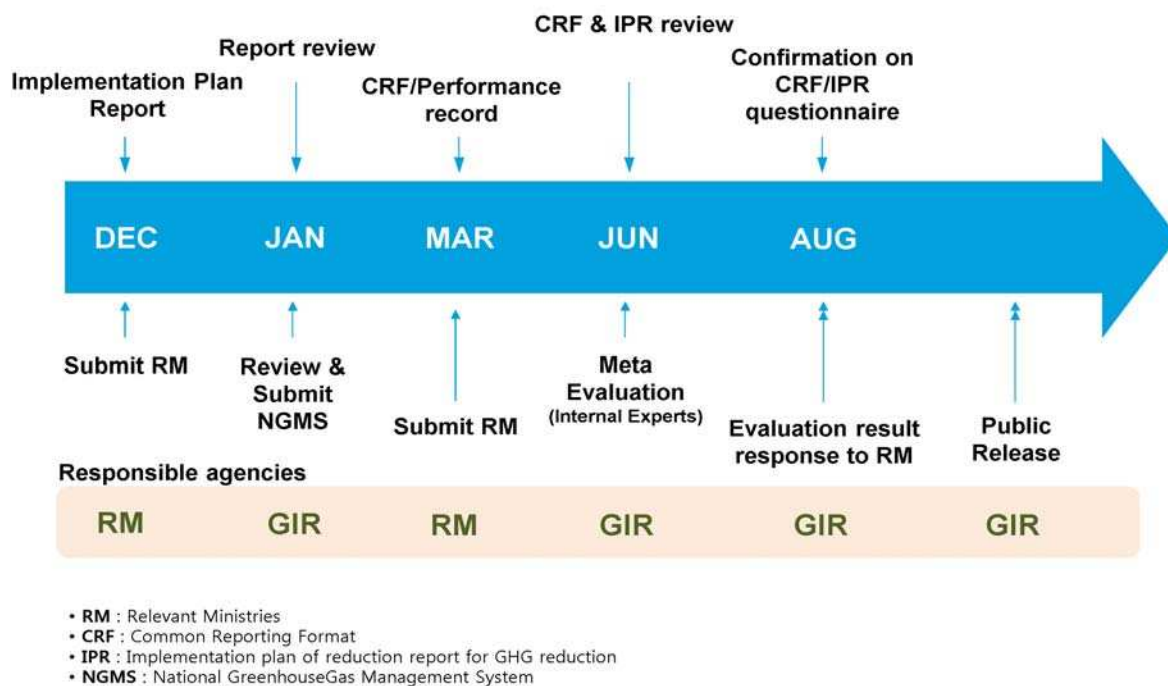


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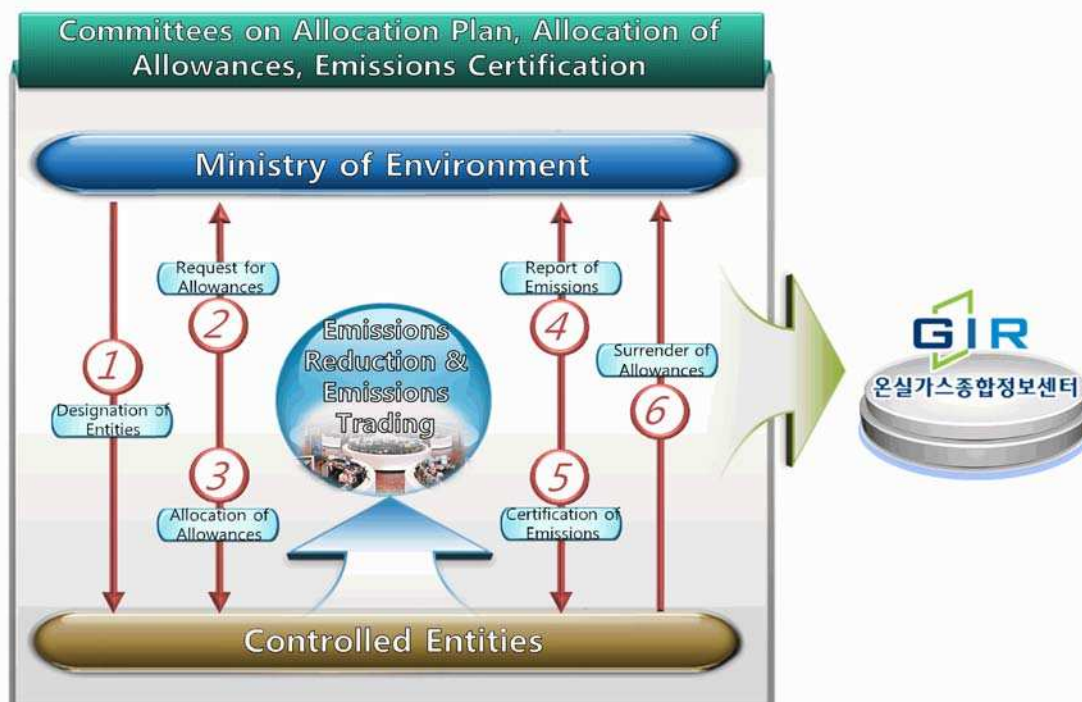
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Sectors affected	Name of mitigation action	GHG (s) affected	Objectives	Description of mitigation actions	Type of instrument	Implementing ministry	Status of implementation	Start year and month of implementation	Performance indicator(s)
All Sectors	Greenhouse gas & energy target management system (GHG & Energy TMS)	CO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>4</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O	GHG and energy reduction	o To regulate GHG emissions and the energy consumption of business entities emitting large amounts of GHGs in order to achieve national mid-and long-term GHG reduction targets and to reduce energy consumption	Policy	Ministry of Environment	Implemented	2010.4	The amount of GHG emission reduction
	Emissions Trading Scheme (ETS)	CO <sub>2</sub> CH <sub>4</sub> N <sub>2</sub> O	GHG and energy reduction	o To set the total amount of GHG emission permits for each company and to compel it to achieve GHG emission reduction targets through emission permits trading alongside its own GHG reduction efforts.	Policy	Ministry of Environment	Planned	2015	The amount of GHG emission reduction
Energy transformation	New & renewable energy supply expansion and industry fostering	CO <sub>2</sub>	Contributing to the creation of new & renewable energy markets by encouraging GHG emission reductions and by creating a stable investment environment where companies can invest in new & renewable energy industries	o To enforce FIT(2002~2011) and RPS(from 2012) in order to require power generation companies possessing more than certain amount of power generation facilities (500 thousand kW) to supply new & renewable energy of more than a certain percentage of the total power generation. o To expand new & renewable energy supplies and create a supply base of newly developed technologies through a project to subsidize a portion of installation costs for new & renewable energy projects, including houses (1 million Green homes), buildings (general supply), regions (regional supply), etc. o To make domestic technical standards for new and renewable energy equipment in compliance with international standards and to bring national standards in line with international standards as a COSD*(designated in 2009) * Cooperation Organization for Standards Development (COSD): the organization is accredited by the Korean Agency for Technology and Standards for its ability to develop KS standards for each specialized sector	Policy	Ministry of Trade, Industry, and Energy	Implemented	Informed separately	Power supplied by New and Renewable Energy (TOE)

Source : 1<sup>st</sup> Biennial Update Report (BUR), Republic of Korea, 2014



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## 4. PROGRESS FROM LIMA, GENEVA TO PARIS

### Section I : Transparency of actions and support

- **[General]** para.140~146
  - Purpose, Scope, Type of system(Single/Common, Applicable to all/CBDR•RC)
- **[Commitments]** para.147~150
  - Contents (QEWERTs & policies and actions, adaptation, provision of supports, etc.)
- **[Rules and Modalities]** para.151~160
  - Accounting methodologies(IPCC guidelines, common metrics, the use of market mechanisms, land sector), MRV of support, guidelines development by a governing body, templates

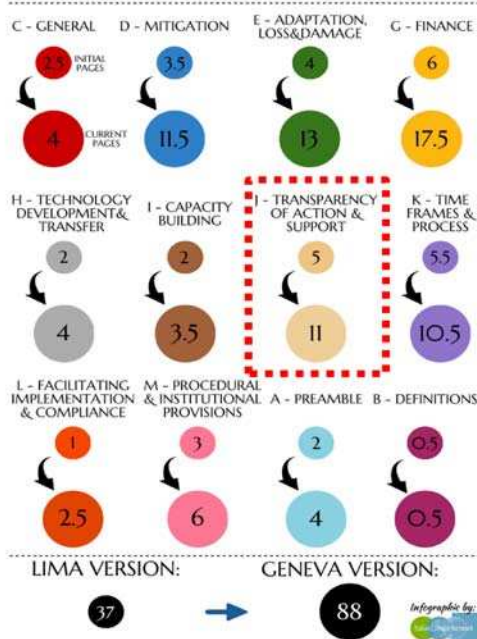
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## 4. PROGRESS FROM LIMA, GENEVA TO PARIS

### HOW IS THE TEXT CHANGING?



Source : adoptanegotiator.org/adp-how-is-the-text-changing

Source : FCCC/ADP/2015/1



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## 4. PROGRESS FROM LIMA, GENEVA TO PARIS

1992 CONVENTION	1997 KP	2015 DRAFT TEXT (based on Geneva Text)
<p><b>Article 12 – Communication of information related to implementation</b></p> <p>Para. 1 Elements of communication for each Party : ① National inventory, ② General description of implementation, ③ Other information</p> <p>Para. 2 Annex I Parties' elements of Communication : ① Detailed description of policies and measures adopted for QEWERTs for 2020, ② Specific estimate of the policies and measures</p> <p>Para. 3 Annex II Parties' elements of Communication : ① financial support, ② adaptation assistance, ③ environmentally sound technologies and know-how transfer</p> <p>Para. 5 Period</p> <p>Para. 10 Publication (sharing)</p>	<p><b>Article 5</b></p> <p>Para. 1 National system establishment</p> <p>Para. 2 Accounting Methodology</p> <p>Para. 3 Metrics</p> <p><b>Article 7</b></p> <p>Para. 1 Annual inventory submission</p> <p>Para. 2 Demonstration of compliance with its commitments under the Protocol in national Communication</p> <p>Para. 4 Adoption and periodic review of guidelines</p> <p><b>Article 8</b></p> <p>Para. 1-6 Review by expert review teams</p>	<p><b>Section D – Mitigation</b></p> <p>Para. 39 Market mechanisms; land use; accounting</p> <p>Para. 49 Accounting rules</p> <p><b>Section E – Adaptation and loss and damage</b></p> <p>Para. 54.2 Reporting on adaptation</p> <p>Para. 57 Monitoring and evaluation</p> <p><b>Section F – Finance</b></p> <p>Para. 88 MRV of support mechanism</p> <p><b>Section I – Transparency of action and support</b></p> <p>Para. 141 ~ 157 Objective, Architecture, Scope, Metrics, Rules &amp; Modalities, Accounting Rules</p>
1 Article 10 Para.	3 Articles 13 Para.	4 Sections 22 Para.



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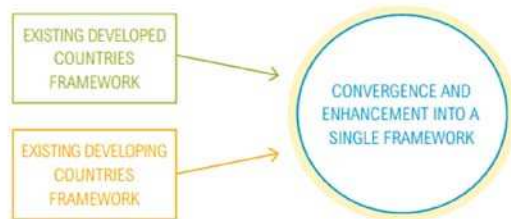
- **(Type)** SINGLE vs. COMMON vs. SELF-DIFFERENTIATION?
  - Common with flexibility (but how flexible?)
  - Degree of self-differentiation for Transparency Framework?
- **(Scope)** Only Mitigation? or Adaptation, MOIs ?
  - MRV for Adaptation? or Capacity-Building?
- **(Key Elements)** “Paris Core Agreement” vs. COP decisions
  - “unpacking and “repacking” without losing any substance, and maintaining the respective positions of Parties
  - specific modalities on reporting/verification process (frequency, format), guideline development, accounting methodologies, etc..



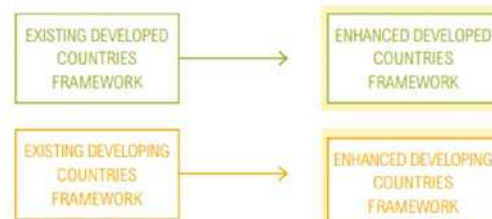
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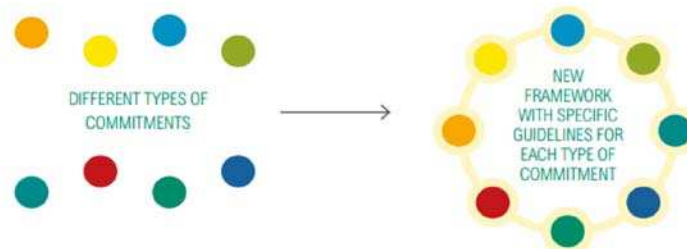
Option 1: Converging MRV Framework



Option 2: Parallel Improvement MRV Framework



Option 3:  
MRV Framework for  
Different Commitments



Source : ACT 2015, Working Paper (2014), "Improving Transparency and Accountability in the Post-2020 Climate Regime : A Fair Way Forward"

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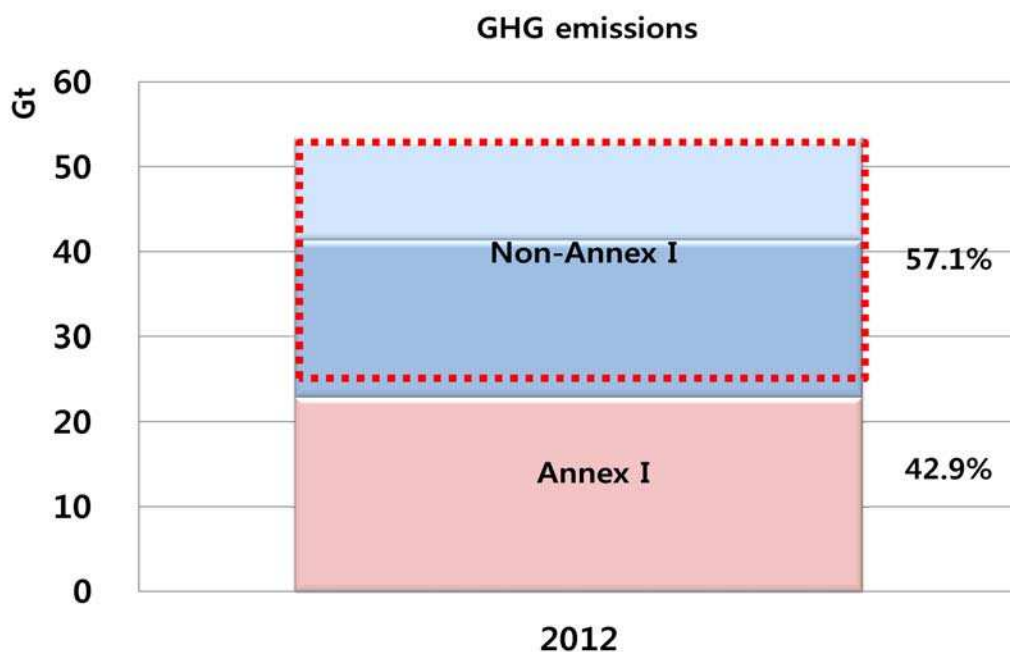
- Will **"APPLICABLE TO ALL PARTIES"** principle end  
The existing binary division between Annex I and Non-Annex I countries?
- How should **"COMMON BUT DIFFERENTIATED RESPONSIBILITY AND RESPECTIVE CAPABILITY (CBDR/RC)"** principle be applied in a legally binding agreement?



## 5. CHALLENGES UP TO 2020

- Continuing negotiations on designing specific rules and modalities to be decided in the future COP meetings before 2020
- As complying with the IAR/ICA, preparing domestic MRV systems at the “minimum requirement level” by 2020

## 5. CHALLENGES UP TO 2020



Source : Emission Database for Global Atmospheric Research (EDGAR)



## 5. CHALLENGES UP TO 2020

### | GHG Training Program

"A 3-4 weeks intensive education course of GHG inventory compilation and modeling analysis. This program invites government officials, young graduate-level students, or researchers from all over developing countries every Summer to South Korea."

1<sup>st</sup> program : 44 trainees from 21 countries completed, 2011

2<sup>nd</sup> program : 42 trainees from 22 countries completed, 2012

3<sup>rd</sup> program : 38 trainees from 28 countries completed, 2013

4<sup>th</sup> program : 34 trainees from 29 countries completed, 2014

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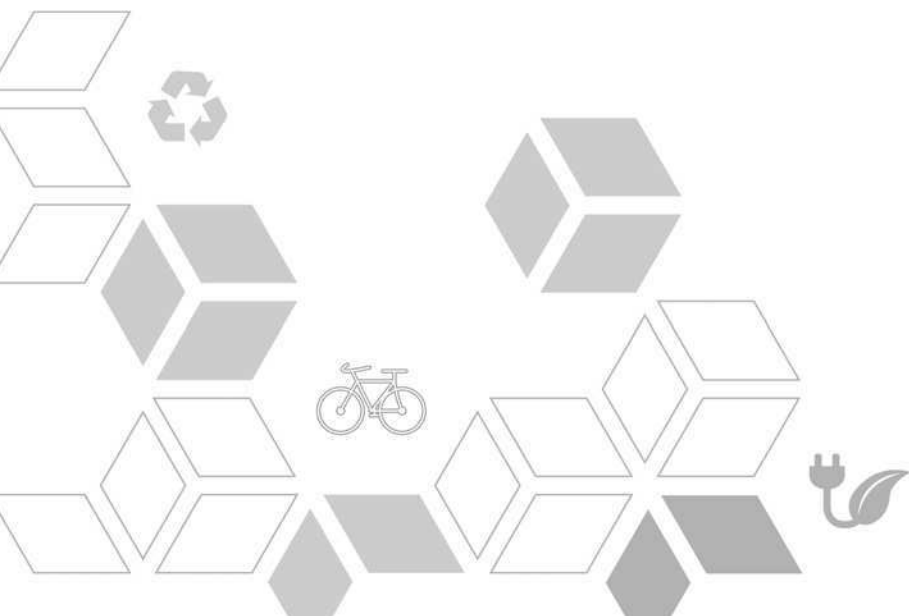
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MRV of GHG emissions for Key enterprises in  
China-System & Features









# MRV of GHG emissions for Key enterprises in China—System & Features

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# I. System Design of MRV

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## Work Program for GHG Emission Control in the 12th Five-Year Plan

### Accelerate system building of GHG accounting and reporting

#### 1. Basic Statistics System

For GHGs, Build Statistics System which covers energy activities, industry progresses, agriculture, forestry and waste disposal

Strengthen Energy Statistics.

#### 2. Accounting and reporting

Design MRG for industries and enterprises

Building GHG emission data system

Compiling national and provincial GHG inventory

Building accounting and reporting system in national, local and enterprises level

Building direct reporting system for Key enterprises.

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## Main Progress – National Level

On Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> 2013, NDRC published Guidelines for Accounting and Reporting GHG Emissions for **10** sectors

- Power generation
- Power grid
- Cement
- Ceramics
- Glass Plate
- Aluminum
- Magnesium
- Chemical
- Iron & Steel
- Aviation

On 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2014, NDRC published Guidelines for Accounting and Reporting GHG Emissions for **4** sectors

- Oil & gas production
- Coal production
- Independent coking
- Petrochemical

Other **10** guidelines are to be released quite soon

- Mining, Transportation, Building
- Machinery manufacturing, Electronics manufacturing
- Food Tabaco and beverage
- Non-ferrous metal, Paper making
- Fluorine Chemistry
- Other industries



## Main Progress – National Level

On 13<sup>th</sup>. Jan. 2014, NDRC required entities whose emissions reach 13000 tCO<sub>2</sub>e or total energy consumption 5000Mtce to report emissions .

### (1) Entities Report.

Report GHG emissions to provincial department who are in charge of climate change by Mar.30<sup>th</sup>.

### (2) Verification of provincial CA

Provincial CA organize review and verification of GHG emissions in 3 months

Require those unqualified rectify and report again in limited time.

### (3) Summarization and report by provincial CA

Summarize the qualified report data which passed the verification assessment and

Report to NDRC before 30<sup>th</sup> June



## Main Progress –Local Pilots

### Covered sectors and entities

Pilots	Covered Sectors	Criteria for covered Entities	Amounts for covered Entities
Shenzhen	Industries (e.g. Electronic , water supplies, Manufacturing Industry), Building	Industries: 5,000 tCO <sub>2</sub> (3000 t after 2014) 20,000sqm( Public Building) 10000sqm(Institution Building)	Industries: 635 Buildings: 197
Shanghai	Industry: Power, Iron & steel, Petrochemical, Chemical, Non-ferrous metal, Building materials, Textile, Paper making, etc. Service: Aviation, Port, Airport, Railways, Commerce, Hotels, Finance	20,000 tCO <sub>2</sub> (industry) / 10,000 tCO <sub>2</sub> (other)	191
Beijing	Non industry: Power, Heat, Cement, Petrochemical, Other Industries and Service	10,000 tCO <sub>2</sub>	490
Guangdong	Power, Cement, Iron & steel, Petrochemical (After 2014 included other industries sector, Hotel, Commerce, Finance, public institution)	20,000 tCO <sub>2</sub> After 2014: 10,000 tCO <sub>2</sub> (industry) / 5,000 tCO <sub>2</sub> (other)	242 (including 40 new entities)
Tianjin	Power & heat, Iron & steel, Chemical, Petrochemical, Oil & gas production	20,000 tCO <sub>2</sub>	114
Hubei	Power, Iron & steel, Petrochemical, Chemical, Cement, Vehicle manufacturing, Non-ferrous metal, Glass, paper making, Health(化纤、食品饮料)	60,000 tce consumption	138
Chongqing	Power, Aluminum , Ferroalloy, Calcium carbide, Caustic soda, Cement, Iron & steel	20,000 tCO <sub>2</sub>	242

## Main Progress –Local Pilots

### Deadline for GHG Reporting and Verification

Pilots	Submit Monitoring Plan	Initial Emission report submission	Verification report submission
Shenzhen	-	Before 31 March	Before 30 April
Shanghai	Before 31 December	Before 31 March	Before 30 April
Beijing	-	End of February	Before 30 April
Guangdong	-	Before 30 March	Before 30 April
Tianjin	Before 30 November	Before 30 April	
Hubei	End of September	End of February	Before 30 April
Chongqing		Before 20 February	



## II. Key Features of MRV

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### M&R Guideline in the national level

- Characteristic for published guidelines
  - Legal Person
  - All emissions in relation to production activity (Direct and Indirect emissions)
  - 6 type of GHGs (CO<sub>2</sub>、CH<sub>4</sub>、N<sub>2</sub>O、HFCs、PFCs、SF<sub>6</sub>)
  - Accounting methodology easy to use, high applicability

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## MRV Systems of Pilots in China

### Comparison of MRV Factors of Pilots

	Accounting boundary	Category of GHG emissions	Category of GHGs	Accounting method
<b>Shenzhen</b>	Organizational boundary	Direct emissions: Combustion emissions(stationary + mobile) industries process emissions Indirect emissions: purchased electricity, heat, cold, steam	CO <sub>2</sub> (CH <sub>4</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> O, HFCs, PFCs, SF <sub>6</sub> )	Calculation & measurement
<b>Shanghai</b>	Legal Person, Related to the production and operation activities	Direct emissions: Combustion emissions(stationary + mobile) industries process emissions Indirect emissions: purchased electricity, heat	CO <sub>2</sub>	Calculation & measurement
<b>Beijing</b>	Legal Person, Related to the production and operation activities	Direct emissions: Combustion emissions (stationary) 、 industries process emissions, waste treatment Indirect emissions: purchased electricity	CO <sub>2</sub>	Calculation & measurement

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<b>Tianjin</b>	Legal Person	Direct emissions: Combustion emissions(stationary + mobile) industries process emissions Indirect emissions: purchased electricity, heat	CO <sub>2</sub>	Calculation & measurement
<b>Hubei</b>	Organizational boundary	Direct emissions: Combustion emissions(stationary + mobile) industries process emissions Indirect emissions: purchased electricity	CO <sub>2</sub>	Calculation & measurement
<b>Chongqing</b>	Legal Person	Direct emissions: Combustion emissions(stationary + mobile) industries process emissions Indirect emissions: purchased electricity, heat Special emissions: energy output, captured and transferred emissions	CO <sub>2</sub> (CH <sub>4</sub> , N <sub>2</sub> O, HFCs, PFCs, SF <sub>6</sub> )	Calculation & measurement



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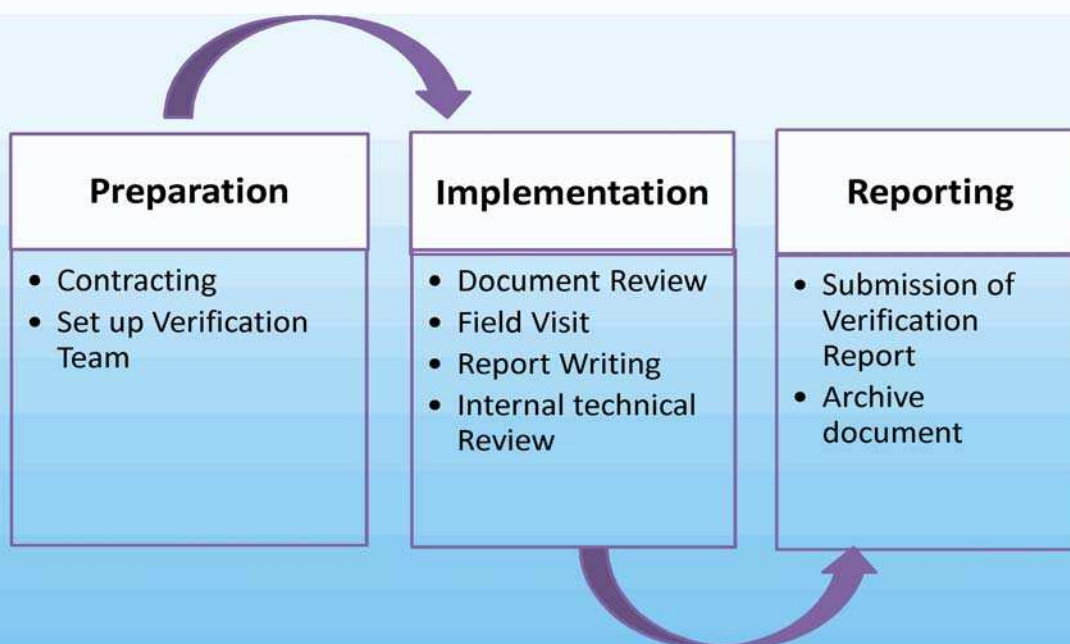
### Verification Institutions

Pilots	Number of Verifiers
Beijing	19
Tianjin	4
Shanghai	10
Guangdong	16
Shenzhen	21
Hubei	3
Chongqing	11

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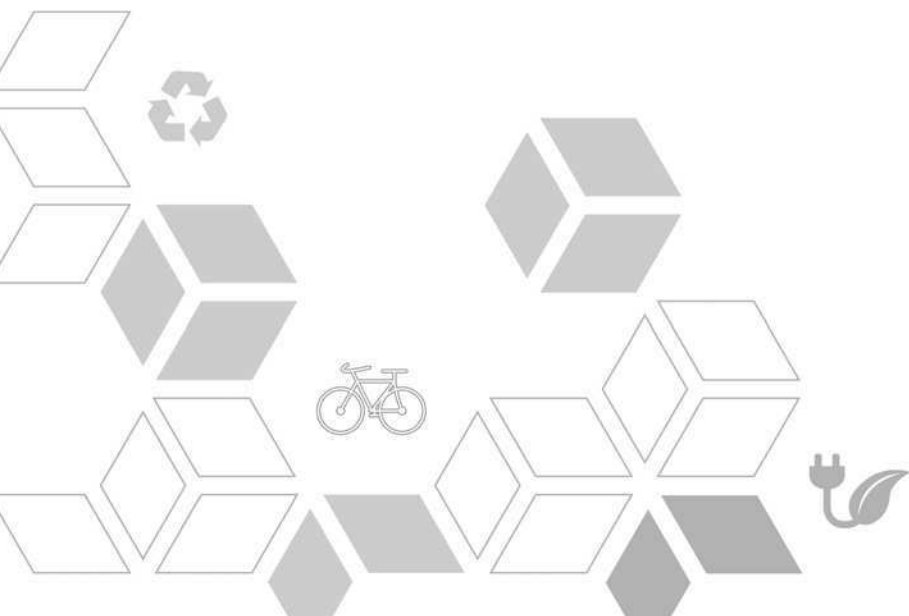
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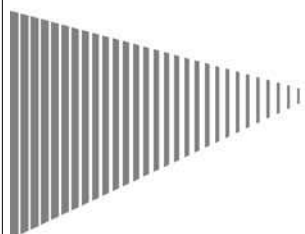
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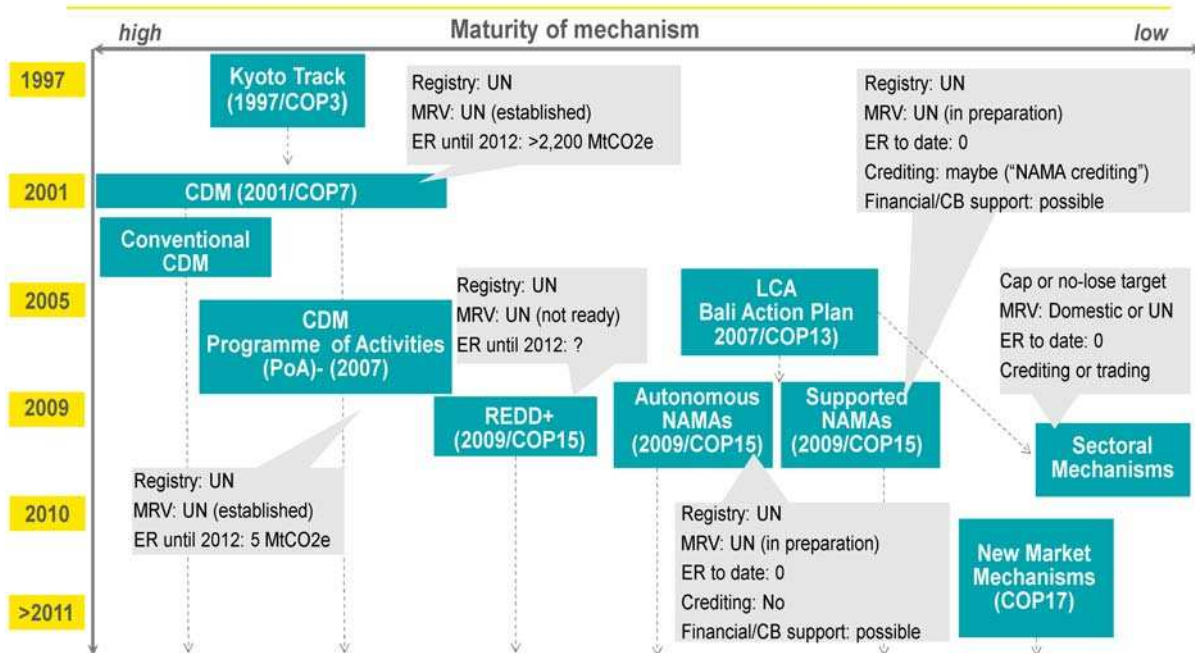
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## Evolution of market and non-market mechanisms

### Evolution of market and non-market mechanisms under the UNFCCC



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Source: Perspectives Analysis; UNEP Risoe 2012





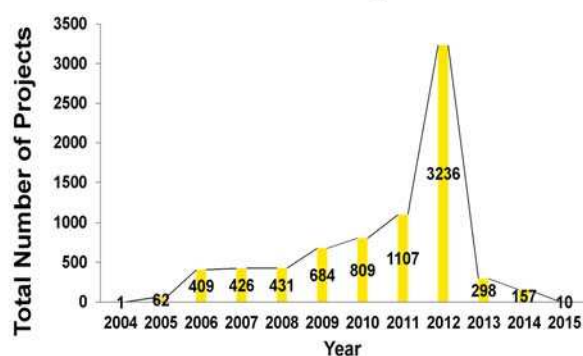
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## CDM market

## Trends of CDM project registration and issuance of CERs globally

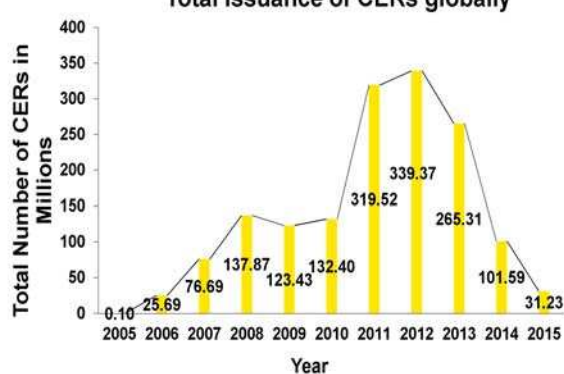
No. of registrations and issuances have dropped significantly due to reduced CER demand and increased procedural stringency

Total Number of CDM Projects Registered Globally



Total Number of Projects Registered Globally = **7619**

Total Issuance of CERs globally



Total Issuance of CERs in Millions Globally = **1553.2**

Source: CDM Database, UNFCCC

\*All figures till March 2015

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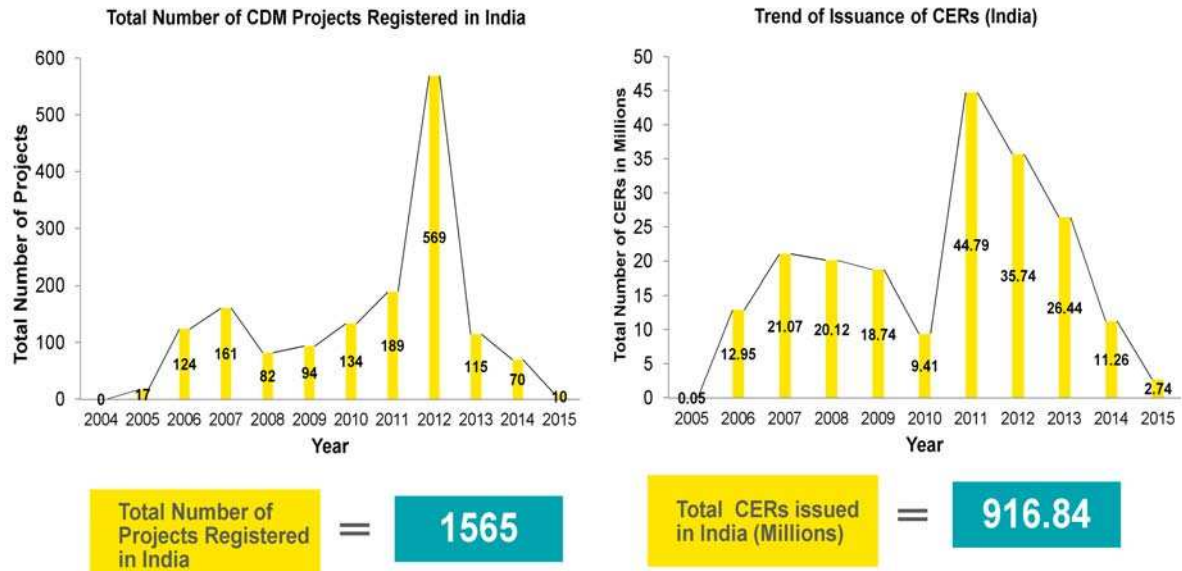
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## Trend of CDM Registrations and Issuance of CERs (India)

Global trend is reflected for India



Source: CDM Database, UNFCCC

\*All figures till March 2015



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## Areas to further enhance transparency in the CDM process

CDM was designed with the intention of ensuring perfect transparency during the validation and registration process. However, CDM projects have always been plagued by transparency issues. Few steps may be taken to further enhance transparency in the system:

- ▶ To combat this, the project regulators at UNFCCC have added additional layers of scrutiny before project approval. Many projects could not get through the registration stage and were rejected.
- ▶ Transparency to be increased for the stakeholder consultation process so that project developers have to ensure that all stakeholders are informed about the project. It needs to be ensured that all affected stakeholders are consulted.
- ▶ There should be provision for stakeholders to raise grievances on sustainability aspects even after the project activity is registered
- ▶ Provision to be made for checking if the project conforms to the sustainability parameters as given in the PDD at the verification stage. Presently, Verification entails checking only parameters for calculation of GHG emission reduction.
- ▶ More stringency to be introduced for Host Country Approval stage



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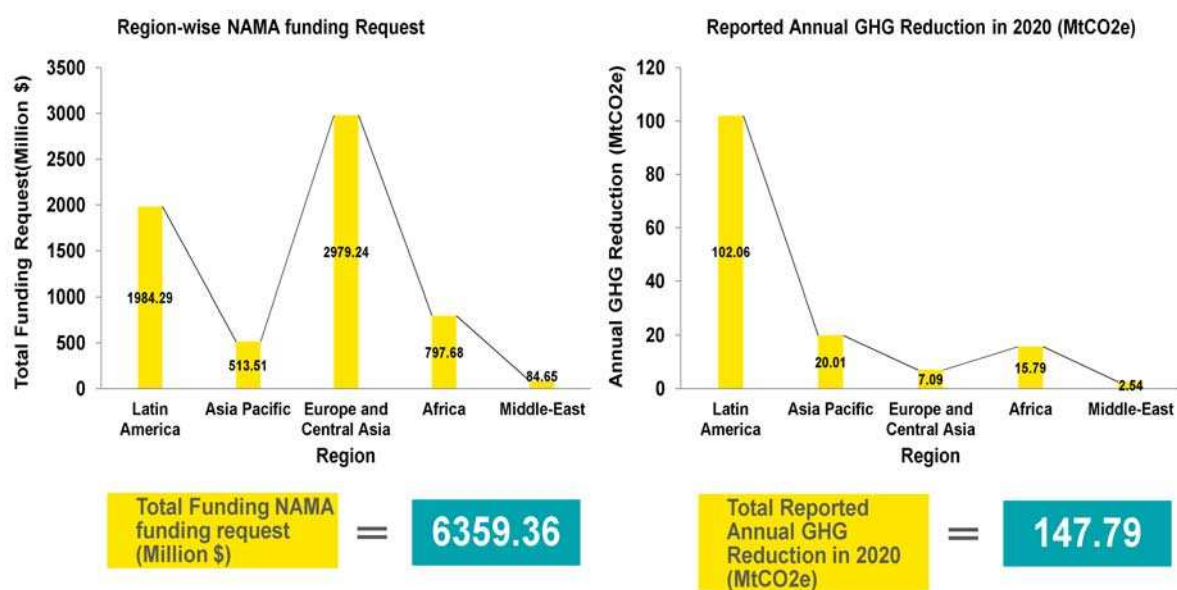
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## NAMA and MRV

### Level of NAMA funding and corresponding GHG emission



Source: NAMA Registry, UNFCCC

\*All figures till June 2015

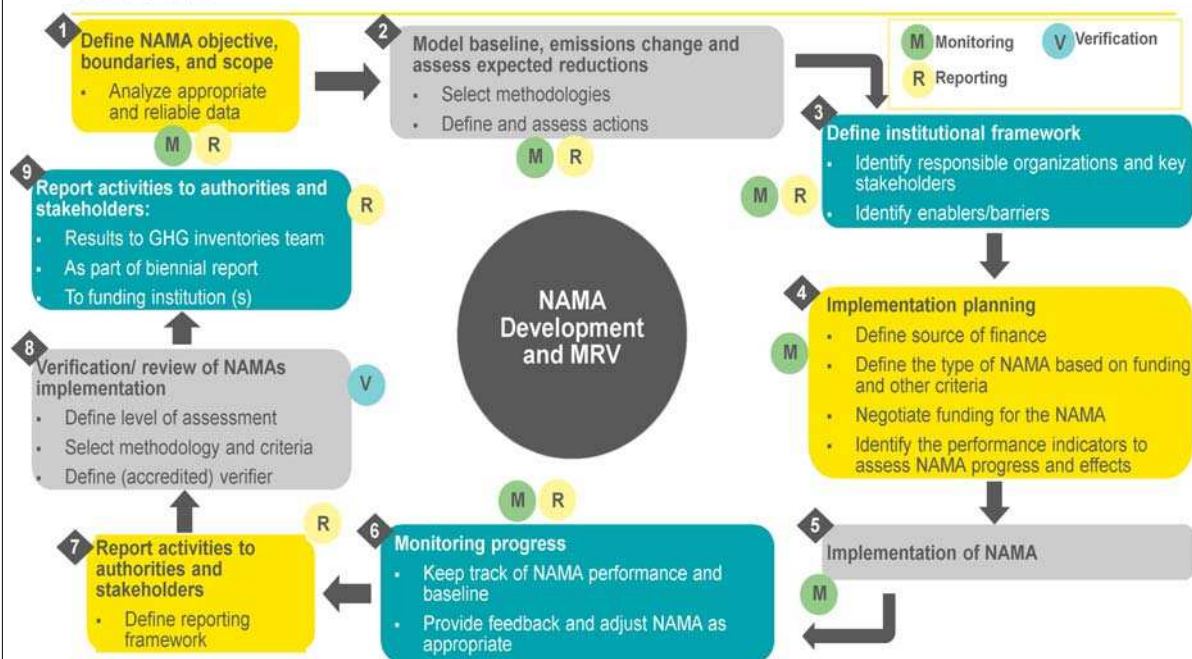
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## Process of NAMA baseline setting, preparation, implementation and MRV



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Source: Gap Analysis Report (EU/GIZ)

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## Enhancement of transparency for different NAMA types

Example NAMA	Quantitative Financial metrics	Quantitative Process metrics	Qualitative Process metrics	Quantitative Technical metrics	Transparency issues
Capacity development NAMA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donor investment and recipient fund allocation for capacity development</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establishment of data and record keeping systems at national level</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quality of data system</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- How to ensure quality of the data system- no standardized definition</li> </ul>
Building energy efficiency	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donor investment and recipient fund allocation for retrofitting of buildings</li> <li>Cost of retrofitting office buildings per square metre</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Number of buildings with energy management systems implemented</li> <li>Number of energy efficient devices Installed</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assessment of behaviour-based energy management outcomes following training</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Reduction in energy use in buildings with an implemented energy management system</li> <li>Recording "power" of the device installed (as per CDM methodology)</li> <li>Metering "energy use" of an appropriate sample of the devices installed (as per CDM methodology)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Fixing the baseline needs to be done transparently and accurately using models</li> </ul>

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## NAMAs and metrics (contd.)

Example NAMA	Quantitative Financial metrics	Quantitative Process metrics	Qualitative Process metrics	Quantitative Technical metrics	Transparency issues
Sectoral emissions reductions programme	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donor investment and recipient fund allocation for technology diffusion</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Establishment of sectoral inventory including baseline and reporting systems</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Quality of sectoral inventory including baseline and reporting systems</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Estimated reduced avoided emissions (tCO<sub>2</sub> eq) at the facility level</li> <li>Estimated reduced avoided emissions (tCO<sub>2</sub> eq) at the sector level</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Fixing the baseline needs to be done transparently and accurately</li> <li>-Implementation of MRV systems to be done by Govt authorities</li> </ul>

Source: A Primer on MRV for NAMA, UNEP RISO Centre

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## NAMA and transparency issues

- Although the concept of monitoring and evaluation is not new to most developing countries, MRV of NAMAs will require new capacities and knowledge
- In addition to complying with UNFCCC and funder requirements, host countries would expect to use MRV to track progress towards domestic objectives
- MRV of the actions receiving support and their outcomes in terms of emission reductions are a priority for most funders in order to assess effectiveness of support
- However, attempting to link emission reductions with specific activities funded by multiple sources raises a number of issues, since emission reductions resulting from those activities could overlap
- Transparency on the use and impact of (public) funds is a key objective of MRV.
- The principle of accountability in case of non-performance still needs to be refined through practice and experience sharing, especially with regards to result-based approaches
- More clarity is expected from funders on the ideal level of transparency that reporting and verification processes should achieve
- Lack of standardisation of reporting formats can pose challenges especially with regards to the coherence of information reported through various channels

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## Key areas to improve transparency in MRV systems

- ▶ All data and methodologies used should be clearly explained and appropriately documented in the report, so that anyone can verify their correctness.
- ▶ Reporting should include all relevant information to enable readers to replicate the impact results that are arrived at in the report.
- ▶ QA/QC to be introduced to improve the MRV system over time by providing feedback on measurement methods and procedures and improvements in reporting
- ▶ For setting baseline, different models may be used. To assess the impact of NAMA, models such as CGE or MARKAL may be used.
- ▶ Transparency in stakeholder engagement and consultations
- ▶ Baseline for NAMAs on capacity building need to be fixed using international indices such as Transparency International which give an indication of the institutional capacities of a country.

## Criteria for attracting international investors as potential NAMA financier: A robust MRV design

Governance	Policy coherence	Robust and pragmatic MRV	"Bankable" proposals
Good leadership by lead agency (national champion)	Building on existing sector policy, but Strengthens ambition	Availability of data or credible plan for sourcing	How will funds be deployed, how much and over what period
Evidence of strong partnerships		Solid baseline, credible statement of the counterfactual	Leveraging impact of donor funds
Coordination e.g. Inter-ministerial committees	Clearly linked with national climate developmental policies & priorities	Clear and measureable indicators/ parameters	Cost of financing
Role of private sector	Potential for scale up and replicability	Full set of metrics, including GHG & co-benefits	Performance based?
			Overcoming financial barriers

## Case studies of how developing countries attempting to meet transparency requirements for CDM/NAMA

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INDIA

- ▶ The public consultation phase of registration is often held nominally without properly seeking feedback from local communities
- ▶ The GoI has asked the NCDMA to meet more frequently for issuing HCA and to delist projects where the developers take more than 3 months to submit requisite documents (this has the dual function of preventing easy forgery of documents and reducing delays)
- ▶ Government documents to validate certain baseline facts and figures are provided by GovT officials after robust scrutiny

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BANGLADESH

- ▶ Supported NAMA in the steel sector (Implementation of heat recovery system in identified pilot sites)
- ▶ Reporting of co-benefits is not clear
- ▶ For the MRV system, at present only the steel mill is involved. Data should be gathered by the national authorities with the mandate to monitor, report, verify and enforce. Using the existing structures this fits best with DOE.
- ▶ If a third party verify is needed this could be done by the World Steel Association as they have an already established infrastructure.

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## Case studies of how developing countries attempting to meet transparency requirements for NAMA/MRV

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CHILE

- ▶ Facilitates decision-making and national planning
- ▶ The country is implementing a national registry of all domestic and supported mitigation actions
- ▶ The registry will track basic information on each action with a consistent methodology that will allow Chile to fulfil international reporting requirements

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TUNISIA

- ▶ Capacity building of service providers is necessary to ensure proper installation and functioning of technologies
- ▶ Besides, a communication programme is also needed to advertise access to a subsidy/loan programme
- ▶ If different funding sources were to finance the capacity building component of the NAMA, outreach activities and technology installation, it will prove challenging to associate the emission reductions with each specific source of support

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INDONESIA

- ▶ In order to allow each province to internally monitor and report back to the national level, Indonesia is designing a national monitoring, evaluation and reporting framework
- ▶ MRV system will build on existing practices rather than create parallel processes
- ▶ This will also facilitate MRV of the delivery and use of international support at both the national and provincial levels

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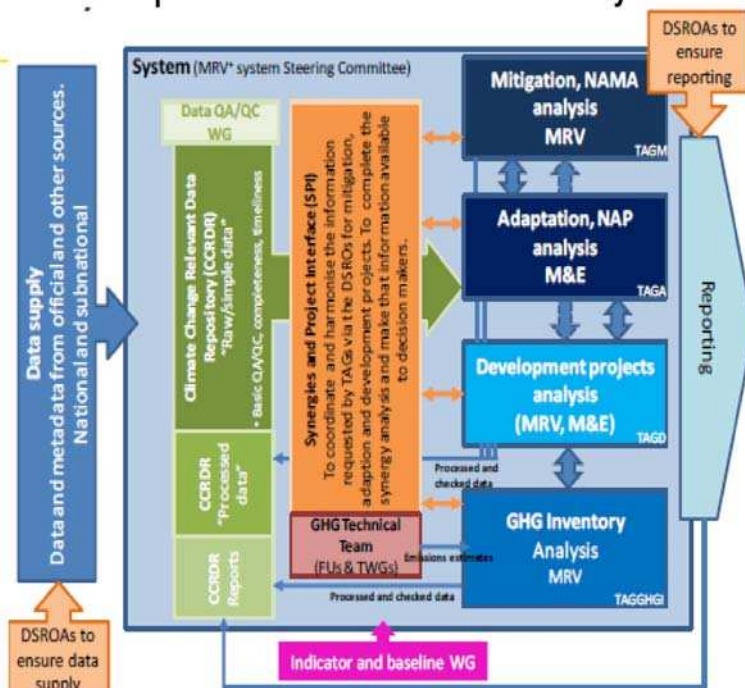
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## Developing a Robust and Transparent MRV of NAMAs: Kenya MRV+ case study

- MRV+ system designed to cover mitigation actions, adaptation actions and development actions
- Central to system is a climate change relevant data repository, where all data is stored (raw data, processed data and final reports)
- Data requirements decided through Data Supply Reporting Obligation Agreements
- Raw data processed by the respective Technical Analysis Group (e.g. for mitigation, adaptation, development and GHG inventory)



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## Key conclusions

- ▶ Implementation of MRV systems by Govt authorities- Suitable Institution Arrangement in place
- ▶ Consultations with local stakeholders, statutory authorities, regional/national/global entities
- ▶ Cross-sectional approaches, e.g. by using policy and control groups, which are equivalent in all respects except for the existence of the NAMA (method applicable for ex-post assessment only).
- ▶ Suitable methods for modeling cause-effect relationships and establishing impact hypotheses on the effects of NAMA
- ▶ Reports to clearly include
  - ▶ Description of process of preparing the inventory
  - ▶ GHG emissions by category and trends by type of gas
  - ▶ Information on indirect GHG
  - ▶ Key Sources (including brief description of methodology)
  - ▶ Level of uncertainty

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