

# Adaptation under the UNFCCC

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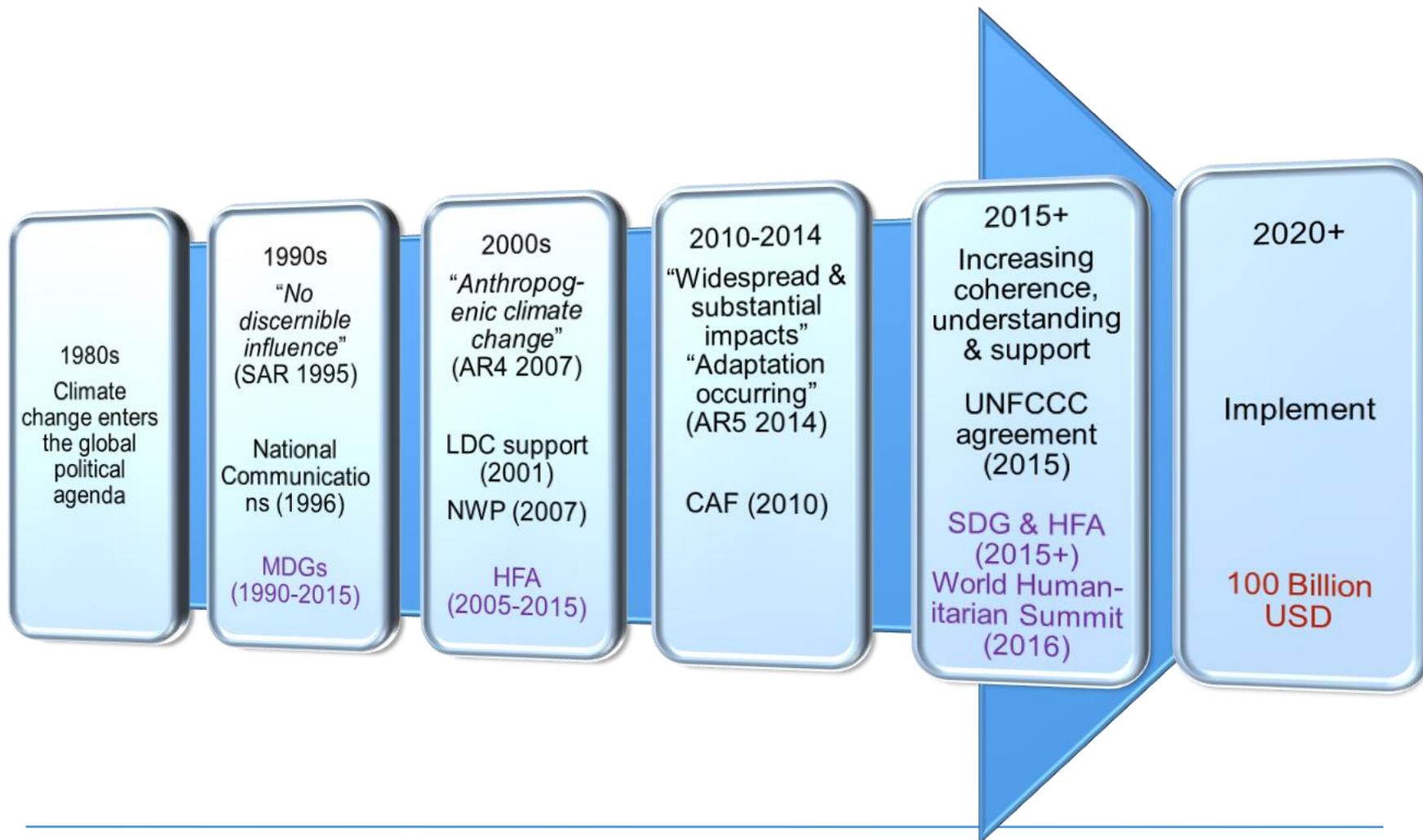
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## Focusing the adaptation agenda



## Evolution of adaptation under the UNFCCC

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**1996**

**Observing impacts, assessing risks and vulnerabilities**

– National communications



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### 2001

#### Moving to planning and pilot implementation

- LDC support (NAPAs, LEG, LDCF)
- SCCF and Adaptation Fund

*NAPAs have been a success story in the UNFCCC process.*

*They have generated awareness and buy-in of adaptation and climate change issues at the highest levels in LDCs*



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**2005**

### **Sharing knowledge and lessons learned**

- Nairobi work programme

*The NWP is evolving as a central knowledge mechanism on adaptation to meet the knowledge needs under the Convention*



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**2007**

### **Scaling up implementation**

- Bali action plan



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**2010**

### **Strengthening institutions**

#### – Cancun Adaptation Framework

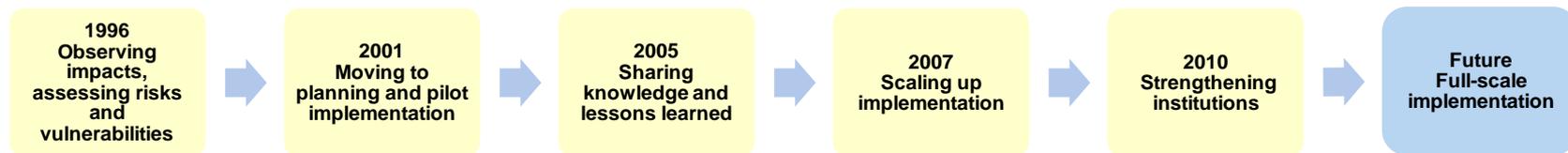
- Adaptation Committee
- National adaptation plans
- Loss and damage

*NAPs are a central mode of national delivery on adaptation*



## Adaptation in the future

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### **2015 Agreement (to come into effect in 2020)**

Expected to provide an additional incentive for adaptation at the national level and help to create absorptive capacity for adaptation finance leading to full-scale implementation.

*Proposals under discussion include a global adaptation goal, nationally determined contributions on adaptation and strengthening of institutional arrangements*



Thank you

