

Transforming adaptation and support for adaptation through the formulation and implementation of NAPs

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The NAP Expo is an annual outreach event organized by the Least Developed Countries Expert Group (LEG) under the UNFCCC, in collaboration with various bodies and organizations, to promote exchange of experiences and foster partnerships between a wide range of actors and stakeholders on how to advance National Adaptation Plans (NAPs).

The NAP Expo 2022 is the seventh global NAP Expo since 2013. It brings together a diversity of participants from Parties and Non-Party Stakeholders.

NAP EXPO 2022 objectives



To facilitate the interaction between country NAP teams and providers of support to enhance access to financing for NAPs



To create an interactive global forum on NAPs for countries to share experience, best practices and lessons learned, in advancing the formulation and implementation of NAPs



To serve as the global platform to advance technical and practical measures towards the production of NAPs by each country, and the implementation of policies, projects and programmes associated with the NAPs

LEG Vision for 2022- 2023



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Policymakers motivated to make efforts for advancing the formulation and implementation of NAPs

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All the LDCs having in place national structures and systems for ensuring a successful process to formulate and implement NAPs

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All the LDCs having submitted a NAP by the end of 2022 or soon thereafter

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Use of the NAP to guide and drive integration of climate change considerations in development planning including processes such as national budgets

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All the LDCs implementing specific adaptation actions identified in their NAPs, using funding from the GCF and other sources

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Coherent and complementary activities in formulating and implementing NAPs

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The LDCs' adaptation strategies and actions being well integrated with national development efforts, including in the context of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development

Two objectives of the process to formulate and implement National Adaptation Plans



To reduce vulnerability to the impacts of climate change by building adaptive capacity and resilience;



To facilitate the integration of climate change adaptation, in a coherent manner, into relevant new and existing policies, programmes and activities, in particular development planning processes and strategies, within all relevant sectors and at different levels, as appropriate.

The **NAP** and the underlying process



The process of supporting the work on adaptation, vertically integrated from observations and research, analysis, assessments, priority setting, plans and their implementation, then reporting, monitoring and review. These are ongoing and long-term activities, and include activities to enable them (stocktaking, identifying gaps and obstacles, addressing those gaps, etc.).



The NAP, the plan, which is a statement of what is known and prioritized for a given time slice – to inform implementation, monitoring and evaluation, and many other uses as explained below. The NAP formulated and communicated should thus give details about the process, and also include information about how the process will be continued and supported, to lead to more and better plans the next time slice – in an iterative manner;

Characteristics of a NAP ready for implementation



- The NAP should show recent trends in climate changes to help identify baseline conditions, and should describe an envisioned climate future changes for the country, which guided vulnerability and risk assessments
- The NAP should show clear prioritization of actions to be implemented, taking into account that resources will always be limited (funding and also human capacity to pursue project development and implementation)
- Timeline of activities to be implemented taking into account other planned/priority activities in the country
- How projects fit in the bigger picture of adaptation for the country, including sustainable development plans for the country (local to national; how projects aggregate to a higher objective, or just independent ideas to address unconnected factors)
- Lessons learned, barriers, risk factors - including those based on similar projects

Characteristics of a NAP ready for implementation



- Indicate the adaptation need (additionality over ongoing development efforts) in terms of costs and other resources needed

- Where possible, indicate costs for each activity/project

- Show clear timeframes for priority activities

- For medium- to long-term strategies, show clear alignment to an envisioned future climate scenario, and also reference to the <2 degrees of the PA

Broad framing of implementation covering 3 main actions



Concrete projects that address specific problem/aim to achieve a specific goal



Capacity-building/capacity-development/readiness for implementation



The ongoing process to support the formulation and implementation of NAPs





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Thank you for your attention.

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