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GEF Workshop for Asian LDCs

Day 2 September 20 (Wednesday)

AGENDA



- REFLECTIONS FROM DAY 1
- CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACT IN PROJECT DESIGN
- COUNTRY PROJECT CONCEPT DEVELOPMENT (COUNTRIES ONLY)
- LUNCH
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- BREAK
- INSIGHTS FROM GEF STAP
- LEARNING STATIONS
- BREAK
- INFORMATION ON FIELD TRIP

Reflection from Day 1



For materials from Day 1, please check: https://www.thegef.org/events/regional-programming-and-strategy-workshopasian-least-developed-countries





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Designing Impactful Projects with Climate Rationale

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A Common Practice...



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What is the problem?

Let's ask the right questions



Why Climate Adaptation by Design Needs Clear Climate Adaptation Rationale



FOCUS on climate problem



COST-EFFECTIVE interventions



IMPACT for climate adaptation



MALADAPTION RISK avoidance

The Starting Point

For designing impactful projects with a strong climate adaptation rationale

WHAT IS THE CLIMATE PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED?

Climate problem **now AND** in the **future**? Climate hazards AND impacts of those hazards?

Elements of Climate Adaptation by Design

Climate risks

CLIMATE HAZARDS

(e.g. increased heat, variable rainfall; sea level rise, etc)

Scenarios considering trends and variability of hazards using existing data ideally for 2 scenarios to 2050)

CLIMATE IMPACTS

(e.g. crop failure, infrastructure damage, coastal flooding, etc)

Types and scale of current and expected impacts from the hazards

SOLUTIONS

(e.g. Project outcomes, outputs, activities)

Addressing impacts on the target population (considering cost/benefits and financial & physical sustainability)

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Monitor effectiveness of the strategy and **adjust accordingly**.

Additional Considerations

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Solutions aim to address vulnerability: SENSITIVITY EXPOSURE



+ EXACERBATING FACTORS

Sources of Climate Data

Country documents	Examples of ope	en-source data
Adaptation Communications	Climate Information	https://climateinformation.org
 to the UNFCCC National Communications 	Costing Nature	<u>http://www1.policysupport.org/</u> <u>cgi-bin/ecoengine/start.</u> <u>cgi?project=costingnature</u>
to the UNFCCC	Climate Scenarios	https://climatescenarios.org/
National Adaptation Plans	Copernicus Climate Data Store	https://cds.climate.copernicus.eu/cdsapp#!/home
National Adaptation Programmes of Action	IPCC Interactive Atlas	https://interactive-atlas.ipcc.ch/
Meteorological Services reports Others	IRI/LDEO Climate Data Library	http://iridl.ldeo.columbia.edu/
• Omers	Shared Socioeconomic Pathways Database	<u>https://tntcat.iiasa.ac.at/SspDb/dsd?Action=</u> <u>htmlpage&page=20</u>
	WMO Climate Data Catalogue	<u>https://climatedata-catalogue.wmo.int/</u> <u>assessed-datasets</u>
	World Bank Climate Change Knowledge Portal	https://climateknowledgeportal.worldbank.org/
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Getting Started

STEP 1

For

example:

STEP 2

DEFINE THE CLIMATE PROBLEM

Risks of climate hazards and its impacts

Climate hazards

Increased intensity and variability of rainfall + temperature expected to increase by 2050

Climate impacts

...expected to decrease food production (crop types, how much, where)

DESIGN THE SOLUTION

Directly address the climate impacts

Transition to drought and flood resilient practices (what practices, where, who)

SUSTAINABLE SOLUTIONS

ACCESS TO CAPITAL TRAINING **POST-HARVEST TECHNOLOGIES** Institutionally Financially sustainable sustainable Cost effective SME development for Micro lending for Ministry of Agriculture and producers to transition local farmers cooperatives post-harvest storage training farmers in drought and transportation to production practices and flood resistant to avoid loss that are drought and flood resilient of produce technologies.

Published Guidance

BY the GEF Scientific and Technical Advisory Panel (STAP)

https://stapgef.org/sites /default/files/2022-08/56067%20Decision %20Tree%20paper%2 0-%20web.pdf



ADAPTATION BY DESIGN



DESIGNING IMPACTFUL PROJECTS WITH CLIMATE ADAPTATION RATIONALE p .

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Insights from the GEF Scientific and Technical **Advisory Panel (STAP)**



SCIENTIFIC AND TECHNICAL ADVISORY PANEL

Provides independent advice to the Global Environment Facility

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Learning Stations



Objectives

- Share key lessons learned;
- Exchanges of experiences in preparing and implementing the GEF Projects

Set-up

Learning Station 1: Project Name: Reducing Ο Climate Change-induced Risks and Vulnerabilities from Glacial Lake Outburst in the Punakha-Wangdi and Chamkhar Valley in Bhutan Agency: UNDP Group Group Learning Station 2 Project Name: Strengthening Agroclimatic Monitoring and Information Systems to Improve Adaptation to Climate Change and Food Security in Lao PDR Agency: FAO

Group 1: Bangladesh, Bhutan and Nepal <Facilitator: Rawleston Moore, GEFSEC >

- $\,\circ\,\,$ Group 2: Lao PDR and Cambodia <Sano, GEF CSO Network >
 - Each group will move from one Learning Station to the next in 30 min. (Presenters and facilitators will stay in a same learning station and groups will move next stations.)
 - Each Learning Station has 10 min presentation about project overview and 20 min Q&A and discussion about the projects, their key benefits, and lessons learned.
 - For example, Group 1 starts from Learning Station 1, and move to Learning Station 2 after 30 min.
 - Presenters will make two same presentations and Q&A and discussion for two different groups, Group 1 -2.





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