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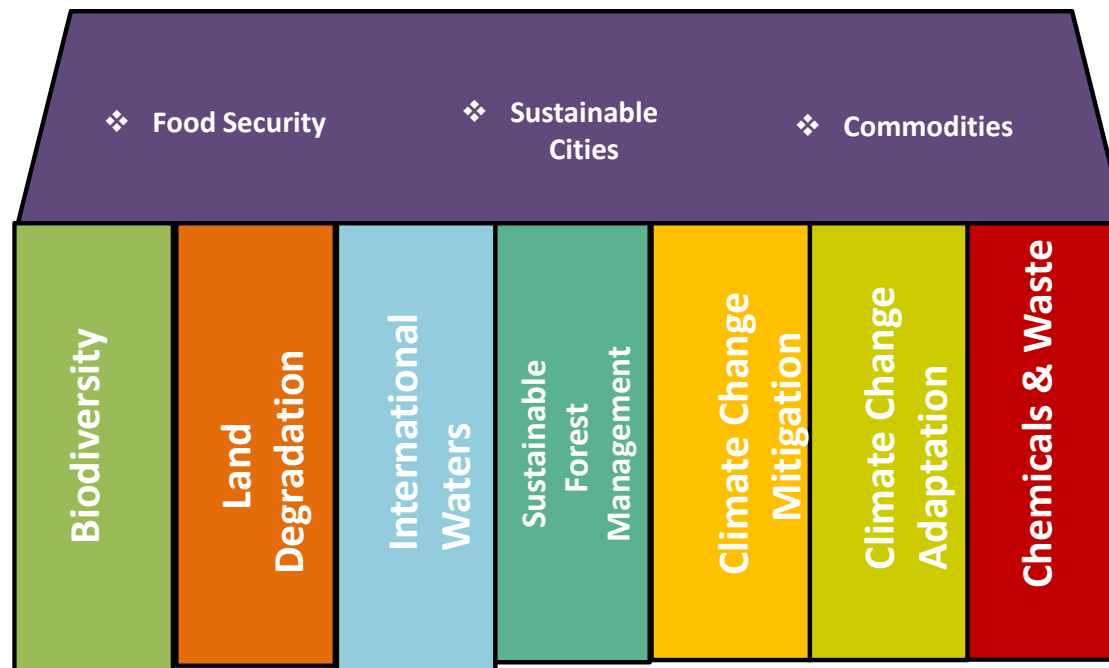
GEF 6 Programming Directions

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GEF 6 Programming Climate Change Mitigation

GEF's Unique Value for Climate Financing

1. Facilitating innovation & technology transfer

Assisting developing countries in defining and implementing mitigation measures towards 2015 agreement

2. Catalyzing systemic impacts through synergistic multi-focal initiatives

3. Building on Convention obligations for reporting & assessments towards mainstreaming



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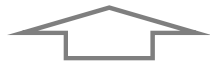
GEF-6 CCM Strategy

Goal: To support developing countries to make transformational shifts towards low emission, resilient development path

Objective 1: Promote innovation, technology transfer, and supportive policies and strategies

Objective 2: Demonstrate mitigation options with systemic impacts

Objective 3: Foster enabling conditions to mainstream mitigation concerns into SD strategies



1. Low carbon technologies and mitigation options

3. Integrated, low-emission urban systems

5. Convention obligations and enabling activities for national planning and mitigation contributions

2. Innovative policy packages and market initiatives

4. Carbon stocks in forests and other land-use, and climate-smart agriculture



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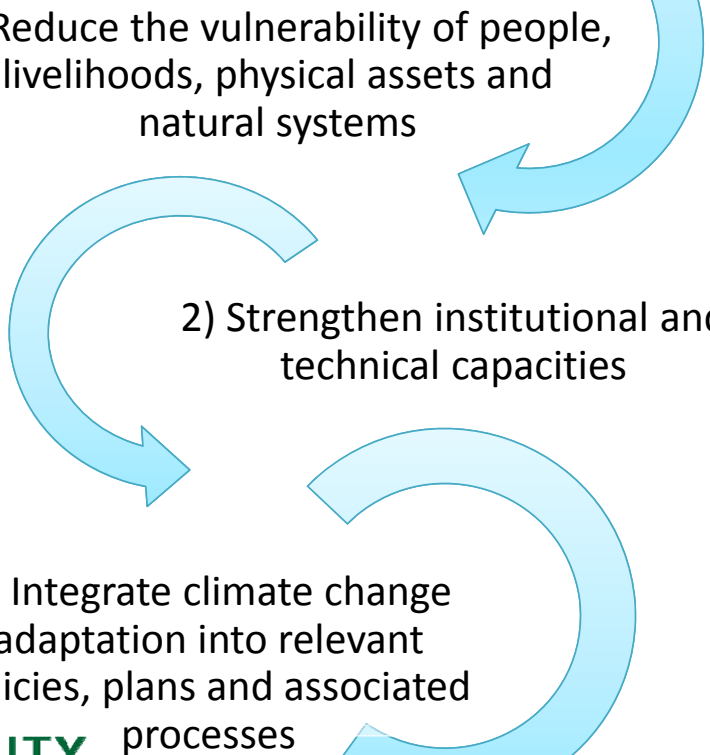
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GEF 6 Programming Climate Change Adaptation

Adaptation Programming Strategy: Goal & Objectives

Goal: “increase resilience to the adverse impacts of climate change in vulnerable developing countries, through both near- and long-term adaptation measures in affected sectors, areas and communities...”

- 1) Reduce the vulnerability of people, livelihoods, physical assets and natural systems
 - 2) Strengthen institutional and technical capacities
 - 3) Integrate climate change adaptation into relevant policies, plans and associated processes
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Adaptation Programming Strategy: 2 Core Pillars & Innovations

Pillars:

- 1) Integrating CCA into relevant policies, plans, programs and decision-making processes
 - Preparation and implementation of NAPAs
- 2) Pursuing initiatives that cut across both adaptation and other GEF focal areas.

Innovations: Private sector engagement & Ecosystem-based Adaptation



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Adaptation Programming Strategy: Thematic Priorities

- Agriculture and food security
- Water resources management
- Coastal zone management
- Infrastructure
- Disaster risk management
- Natural resources management
- Health
- Climate information services
- Climate-resilient urban systems
- Small Island Developing States



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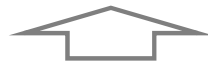
GEF-6 Programming Chemical and Waste

GEF-6 C&W Strategy

Goal: to prevent exposure of humans and environment to harmful C&W of global importance, including POPs, mercury and ODS, through significant reduction in production, use, consumption and emissions/releases of those C&W

Objective 1: Develop the enabling conditions, tools and environment for the sound management of harmful chemicals and wastes

Objective 2: Reduce the prevalence of harmful chemicals and waste and support the implementation of clean alternative technologies/substances



1. New tools and economic approaches for managing harmful chemicals and waste in a sound manner

2. Enabling activities and their integration into sector, national, and global processes



3. Reduction and elimination of POPs

4. Reduction or elimination of emissions and releases of mercury

5. Phase out of ODS in CEITs & Article 5 countries under the Montreal Protocol

6. Regional approaches in LDCs and SIDs



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C & W Innovative Approaches

- Piloting of cleaner production to remove toxics including new POPS and mercury from products – through partnerships with the private sector.
- Removing the barriers for investment of the private sector to manage waste streams.
- Promoting access to finance to small and medium enterprises to allow for investment – particularly in waste recycling, ASGM and other sectors that can generate income but are difficult to invest in due to risk or nature of the sector.



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