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# Towards a National Adaptation Plan (NAP) for Zambia Lessons from the on-going process

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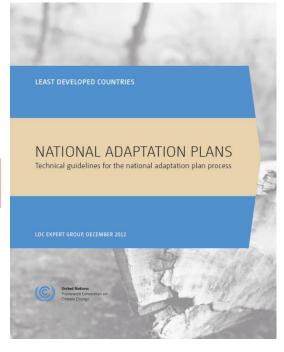
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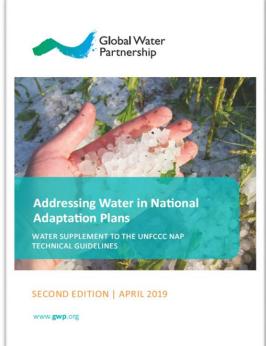
# National Adaptation Planning (NAP)

Out of **153** developing countries

**91** have initiated the process to formulate and implement NAPs

Global goal for all countries to have a NAP by 2020-end



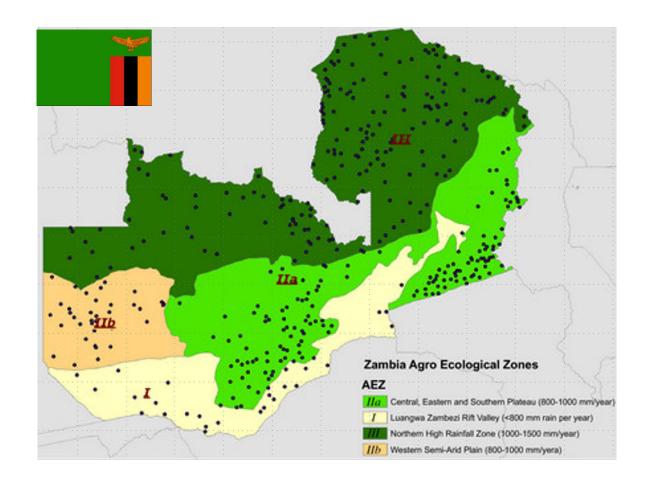






Year submitted	Countries
2015	Burkina Faso, Cameroon
2016	Brazil, Sri Lanka, State of Palestine, Sudan
2017	Chile, Kenya
2018	Colombia, Fiji, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent & the Grenadines, Togo
2019	Ethiopia, Grenada, Guatemala, Uruguay
2020	Kiribati, Paraguay, Surinam,

# Zambia National Adaptation Planning



#### 1. Multi-stakeholder process: initiating the NAP process

#### **Stock-taking exercise**

- Review of relevant policies, strategies, plans, programs
- Review of CC institutional arrangements
- Stakeholder analysis and understanding roles of key stakeholders



#### Stakeholder consultations

NAP process launching workshop (2014)

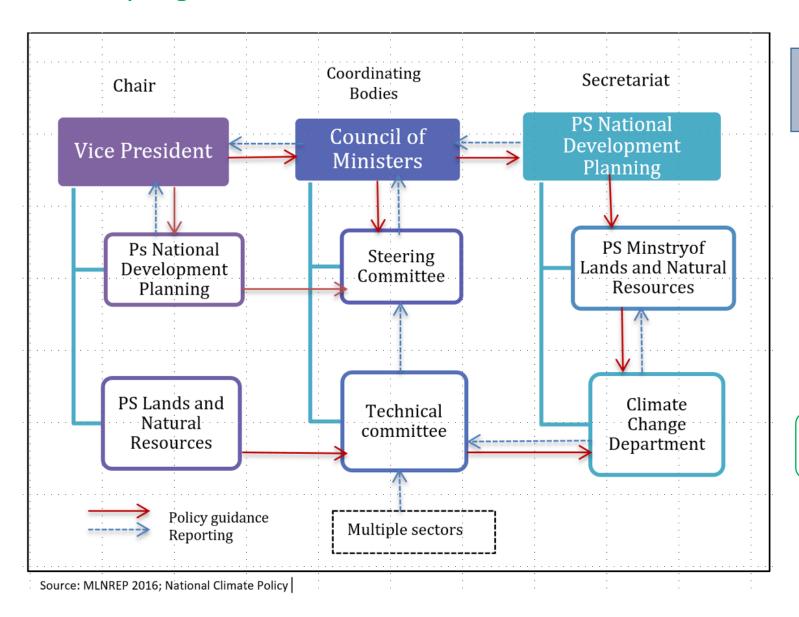
(NCCRS (2014); NDC(2015); NPCC(2016)

- Orientation meeting on the NAP process for planners in government ministries & agencies
- National stakeholders' consultation workshop (2017)
  - Reviewed Zambia's climate change framework
  - Developed a NAP roadmap
  - Defined roles of stakeholders in the NAP process: Three Key Institutions: NDA (Ministry of Development Planning), CC Focal Point-Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources and Ministry of Water
  - Identified relevant national level processes (anchoring with the 7<sup>th</sup> National Development Plan-NDP-up to 2021)
  - ensured ownership of the process by Government
  - Agreed to mobilize resources for NAP process targeting the GCF
  - Increased understanding of the GCF process and the requirements to access GCF resources for NAP

#### 2. Institutional and Policy alignment: NAP-NDC-SDGs

NAP
coordination
aligned with
the Zambia's
Climate
Change
Institutional
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NAP aligned with the NDC and SDGs (Development Plan)

7<sup>th</sup> NDP, SDG

Climate policy, Strategy, NDC

NAP, Climate Programs/Projects

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#### 3. Builds on Zambia's Institutional and Policy framework for climate change

- National Adaptation Plan of Action (NAPA, 2007).
- National Climate Change Response Strategy (NCCRS, 2014)
- Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC, 2015),
- National Policy on Climate Change (NPCC, 2016),



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## 4. A comprehensive NAP for Zambia

#### Prosperous, Climate Resilient, and Green Economy (Vision 2030)

Climate change vulnerabilities reduced, adaptive capacity built, and resilience improved in Zambia's economic systems, livelihoods, and ecosystems

#### How will NAP contribute to the vision? By having

- 1) National development policies, strategies, plans, programs and budget processes which are climate-responsive...adaptive to CC
- 2) by accelerating implementation of climate change actions...better coordination, strong capacities, prioritized actions and resources

Institutional coordination and collaboration for adaptation planning strengthened

(1. Getting Organized)

A system of integrating climate change adaptation into plans and budgets established

(2. Planning)

Prioritized adaptation actions for sectors and geographic areas developed

(3. Prioritizing Actions)

Capacity for implementing NAP strengthened

(4. Capacity for Actions)

Strategy for mobilizing financial & other resources for NAP implementation developed

(5. Resources for Actions)

Capacities and mechanisms for coordinating CCA

tools for reporting, monitoring and reviewing CCA plans

A NAP communicati on strategy Tools for integrating CCA into plans and budgets

Capacities of Planning and Budget Units to integrate CCA into plans & budgets

CCA integrated in reviewing and implementing the **7NDP** 

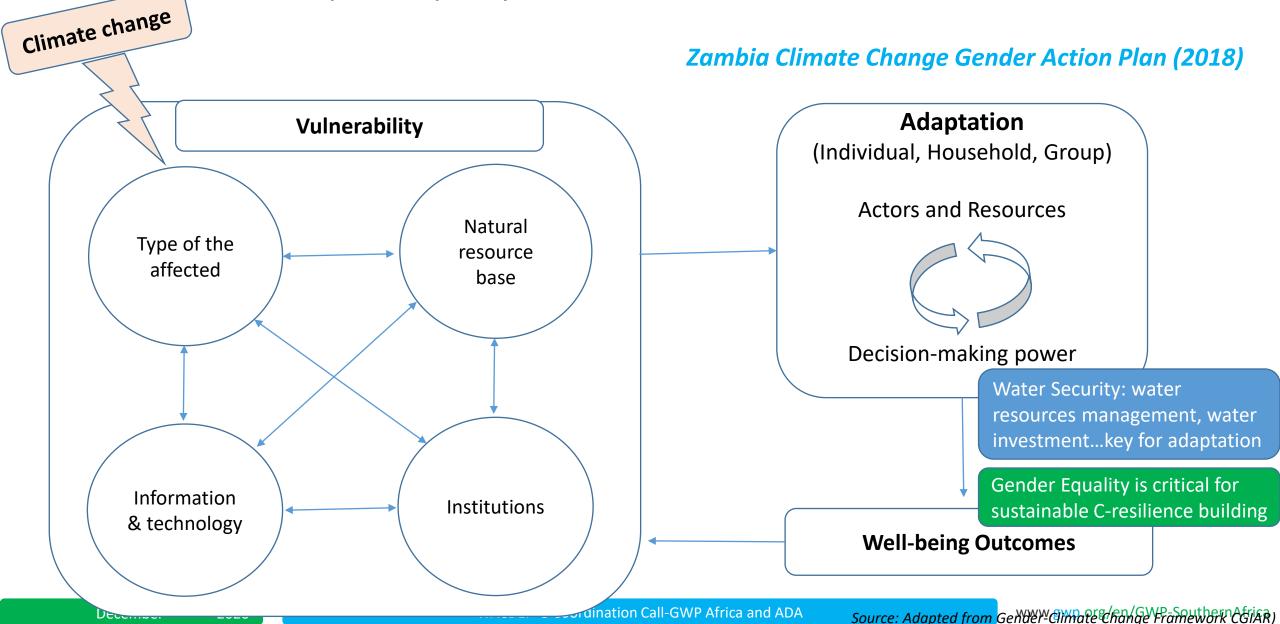
Knowledge base for adaptation planning Tools & capacities for CCA options appraisal & prioritization

Prioritized
CCA actions
with
implementatio
n strategies

Capacitated sectors+ for implementing NAP

Resource mobilization, for NAP and **NDC** implementation

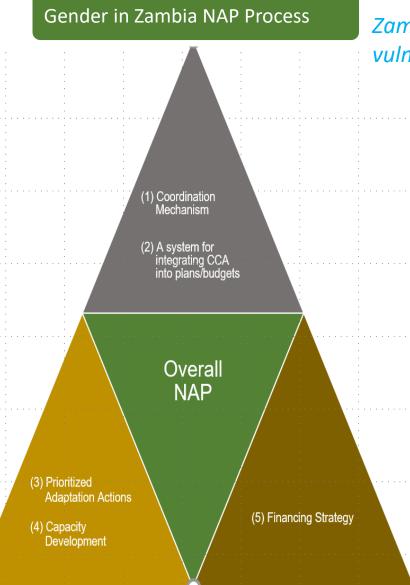
# 4. A comprehensive NAP for Zambia: Gender Differences in vulnerability and adaptive capacity considered



### 5. A phased approach- an overall NAP followed by Sectoral NAP-Water

Phase 1: overall NAP

The overarching NAP framework will enable long term strategic planning and coordination of adaptation in line with National Development Planning processes and foster coherence and synergies with sectoral NAP planning processes



Zambia NAP considers gender differences in vulnerability and adaptive capacity

Phase 2 Water NAP

Sectoral NAP (Water+)

Recognising 'water as a connector', essential to all sectors, a Water NAP will serve as an important pathway for building resilience and strengthen synergies with the watersensitive sectoral plans in Zambia such as health and agriculture

#### 6. Some Lessons so far...

- Ownership of the NAP process by Government
  - National Development Planning (Development Plans-SDGs, Budgets)
  - Ministry of Lands and Natural Resources (UNFCCC Focal Point-NDCs)
  - Ministry of Water (Water for sustainable development and climate resilience)
- Anchoring the NAP process with a higher level national process
  - Zambia 7<sup>th</sup> National Development Plan was a key process.
  - NAP to define how to integrate CC adaptation and water security into the NDPs
- A comprehensive NAP (climate resilient long-term plans and prioritized adaptation actions; financing strategy; gender differences, private sector role, etc)
- NAP coordination structure within the National CC Coordination System
- Multi-stakeholder participatory process
- Collaboration between Zambian Government and partners (eg GWP) in mobilizing resource for NAP process



#### 7. Conclusion

#### **Zambian NAP is expected to:**

- strengthen systems for integrating climate change adaptation into planning and budget
  - processes
- develop prioritized adaptation actions with financing strategies

#### This will enable Zambia to:

 systematically advance implementation of priority adaptation actions contributing to the implementation of Zambia's NDC and National Development Plans

Looking forward to a successful planning process!

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# Thank You

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