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CLIMATE CHANGE IMPACTS IN VIETNAM

- In the past 50 years, temperature increases by 0.5°C, sea level 20cm
- Stronger floods in the Central and the South
- Less rain in dry season
- Serious droughts
- Stronger typhoon



CLIMATE CHANGE SCENARIOS

- By 2100, temperature may increase by 2-4°C compared to 1980-1999
- Winter temperatures may increase higher than summer temperatures
- Total rainfall in rainy season increase and decrease in dry season
- Sea level may rise about 100cm compared to 1980 -1999







CURRENT CLIMATE CHANGE RELATED POLICIES

Law on Hydrology, Meteorology (2015) Law on Natural
Disaster
Prevention and
Control (2013)

Resolution 24/NQ/TW on responding to CC (2013)

Environment Protection Law 2014

Law on Economical and Efficient Use of Energy (2010)

National Strategy on Disaster Prevention and Control (2007)

National Climate Change Strategy (2011) Green Growth Strategy (2012) Renewable Energy
Development Strategy
(2015)

Priority Adaptation Projects and Programs

Co-benefit Projects and Programs

Priority Mitigation Projects and Programs

ADAPTATION IN VIETNAM CC STRATEGY

Adaptation Objective:

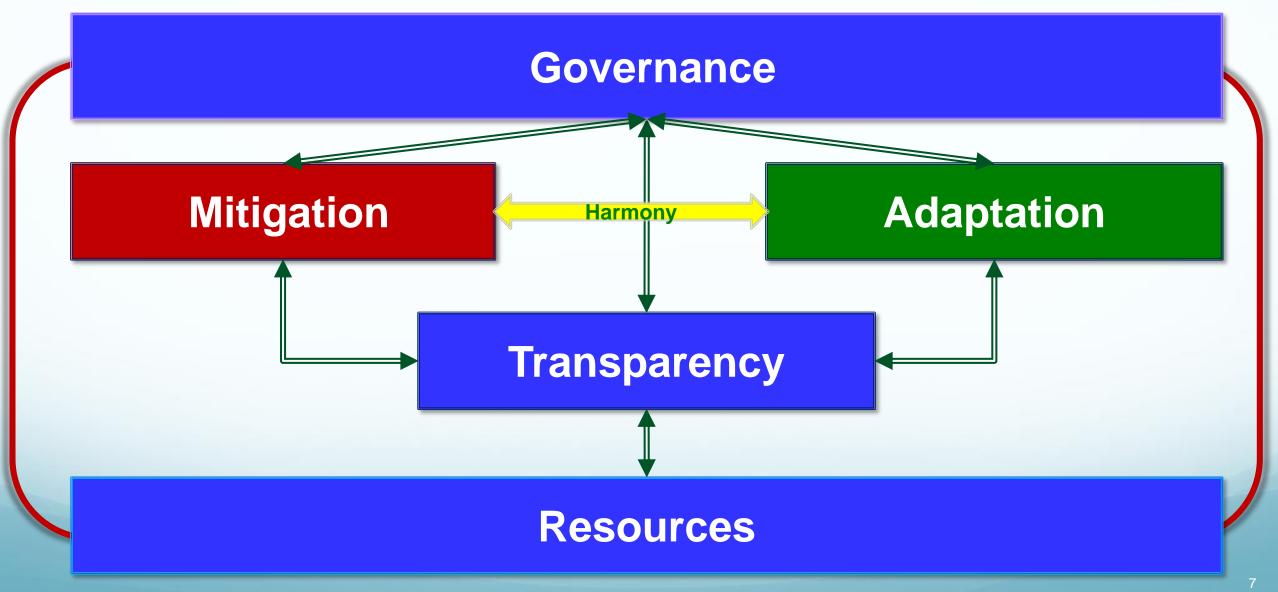
"Ensure food security, energy security, water security, poverty alleviation, gender equality, social security, public health; enhance living standards, conserve natural resources in the context of climate change"

ADAPTATION IN VIETNAM CC STRATEGY

4 of 8 Strategic Tasks relate directly to adaptation:

- Strategic task 1: Proactive disaster preparedness and climate monitoring (Early warning and Disaster risk reduction)
- Strategic task 2: Food and water security
- Strategic task 3: Suitable proactive response actions to sea-level rise in vulnerable areas
- Strategic task 4: Protection and sustainable development of forest, increasing carbon removals and biodiversity conservation

NDC IMPLEMENTATION: 5 KEY COMPONENTS



- Developing Climate Resilient monitoring system & link with MRV
- Support to international reporting, communications, knowledge & experiences sharing

- Developing implementation strategies and action plans
- Sector-based
 enhancement of technical
 capacity to mainstream
 climate resilience in
 water, energy and
 climate-smart agriculture

- Institutional engagement, stakeholder mapping and national-level consultation
- Strategic programming to support adaptation

National Adaptation Plans

Implement

Groundwork

Prepare

Finance

Comprehensive vulnerability assessment

 Identifying, appraising, costing and prioritizing adaptation options

- Developing a strategic approach to climate finance
- Training and support to access climate finance

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- Review and assess all current adaptation plans and actions, to identify
 the gaps and limitations that need to be addressed based on the Paris
 Agreement approach (ref Art.7.5), and informed by lessons from
 other countries.
- Identify low / no regret options [in dialogue with e.g. with certain ministries, localities], based on assessment of effectiveness and costs, e.g. certain dyke construction or Community Based Disaster Risk Management (CBDRM) programmes, that should be reinforced before 2020.
- Propose structural and non-structural measures that should be reinforced before 2020.
- Revise selection criteria of adaptation projects, and use for prioritizing Public Investment Projects on adaptation

MONRE / MARD,
MPI and other
sector ministries,
provinces, VPCC;
DPs, NGOs

National Adaptation Action Plan with low/no regret options based	2016-	MONRE/Line
on assessment of effectiveness and costs	2017	ministries,
		provinces, VPCC;
		DPs, NGOs
 Assess adaptation needs in the post-2020 period, including 	Early	MONRE/Line
vulnerability assessments of social groups, communities, regions,	2018	ministries,
and sectors; compare this with the adaptation component in the		provinces, VPCC;
INDC and other adaptation policy; and use this for adjustment of		development
adaptations policies in the post-2020 period.		partners, NGOs
Assess regional and major urban area / city plans re their adaptation	2017-	MONRE/Line
(planning) needs, e.g. Mekong and Red river, centre of Viet Nam,	early	ministries,
greater HCMC, Hanoi	2018	provinces, VPCC;
		DPs, NGOs

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	•	Review current data and information; identify information and research	2016-	MONRE(IMHEN)/
		gaps; and propose and undertake focus and means for further	2020	GSO, sector
		information gathering and research to inform better adaptation. Share		ministries,
		information better and move to more evidence-based planning, policy-		provinces, VPCC,
		making and decision-making.		DPs, NGOs
	•	Assess the need for a Law on climate change (including regulation to	2018	MONRE/ Natl
		implement the Paris Agreement). (A plan to formulate a climate change		Assembly,
		law in e.g. 2020 may be agreed)		ministries,
				provinces, VPCC,
				DPs, NGOs
	•	Review the Climate Change Strategy and the Green Growth Strategy (to	From	MONRE, MPI /
		2020, with outlook tom 2030), and formulate a new strategy on Climate	secon	other sector
		Change and Green Growth for the period from 2021	d half	ministries
			2018	

•	Review relevant experiences on Loss & Damage in Viet Nam and the	2016-	MARD/ MONRE,
	region, including different forms of risk sharing / risk off setting and	2020	other sector
	develop additional pilots and research on L&D mechanisms (ref. also		ministries,
	Art 8.4 of the Paris Agreement re the topics on which to assess		provinces, VPCC,
	experiences and develop pre-2020 actions)		DPs, NGOs
•	Actively engage with various plans and planning processes in the	2016-	MONRE / sector
	period to 2020, including SEDPs, and ensure mainstreaming of climate	2020	ministries, DPs,
	change adaptation.		NGOs
•	Assess the current climate financing mechanism for addressing	2017-	MPI/MONRE,
	adaptation needs, and propose reinforcement of the financial	2018	MOF, other
	mechanism at the national level. Develop and propose methods to		sector ministries,
	attract private sector adaptation investment.		DPs

•	MRV of adaptation: Use indicators from the INDC, forthcoming SEDP,	2017-	MONRE (IMHEN,
	SDG on CC, and Sendai Framework; and select the appropriate set of	2018	DHMCC)/MARD,
	indictors for outcome (vulnerability) and activity monitoring. Based		MPI (GSO), other
	on this develop MRV technical guidelines, process and institutional		sector ministries,
	set up. Link MRV to planning processes.		development
			partners, NGOs
•	<u>Institutions:</u>	2018-	MONRE (IMHEN,
-	Review the current institutional framework / institutions working on	2019	DHMCC)/GSO,
	climate change.		sector ministries,
-	Strengthen coordination of Government and Development Partners		development
	and of adaptation investment,	_	partners

SUMMARY OF KEY CHALLENGES

- Keep momentum with some revisions of the current efforts on CC adaptation
- Technology development and transfer

 existing and new
- Capacity building for adaptation
 What is new?
- Finance Resources for adaptation -> Public vs Private
- Adaptation actions as contributions to global efforts to respond to CC → MRV for adaptation





THANK YOU

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