

# Achieving the Paris Agreement: How GCF raises climate ambition and empowers climate action



The goal of the Green Climate Fund (GCF) is to promote a paradigm shift in developing countries towards low-emission, climate-resilient development pathways. GCF supports the implementation and ambition cycle of Nationally Determined Contributions (NDCs) by mobilising the necessary resources and building an investment environment that can help developing countries identify, design and implement transformational climate interventions.



## GCF's Vision

Create an investment environment  
for NDC implementation



Strengthening the  
institutional and human  
capacity



Translating NDCs into  
investment strategies



Developing and  
implementing bankable  
pipelines of transformational  
projects



Identifying sources of  
potential finance and  
project structuring



Strengthening & enabling  
regulatory and policy  
environments



Contributing to the  
structuring and financing of  
key NDC transformative  
projects



Codifying lessons learnt to  
help replicate successful  
project structures



Providing technical support  
to update NDCs and  
investment strategies

## Climate Action Now

### GCF assistance for NDC implementation

#### READINESS SUPPORT

Readiness resources help:

- Enhance capabilities of National Designated Authorities (NDAs)
- Strengthen national entities to undertake investment planning
- Build enabling environments for successful NDC implementation



#### ADAPTATION PLANNING SUPPORT

Strengthen national and local adaptation planning processes which are key building blocks of countries' ongoing efforts



#### FUNDING PROPOSALS

GCF has committed US\$5 billion for the implementation of funding proposals, aligned with initial NDCs



## Looking to the Future

### Supporting increased NDC ambition



Inputs from the GCF Global Programming Conference – GCF's largest gathering of developing country partners – will feed into GCF's 2020-2023 Strategic Plan.



Sectoral guidance on mitigation and adaptation interventions will help countries strengthen their NDCs.



Working with expert partnerships to provide dedicated technical support to at least 30 countries in 2019 and 2020 to strengthen the climate science basis for their investment strategies. Depending on country needs, GCF can provide support to build political will for NDC enhancement and ownership, assess NDC costs and benefits and investment opportunities, improve the clarity, transparency, and understanding of NDCs, etc.

## Your Climate Fund

### Collaborating with partners towards achieving NDCs

Working with other climate funds and partners to coordinate support & enhance complementarity.

Partnering with UN agencies to help countries transform their NDCs into actions.

New areas of partnership are emerging with the NDC Support Programme.



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