



# Principle 6: Proposed Work Program and Survey Results

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# Helsinki Principle 6:

## Engagement of Finance Ministries on NDC Planning and Implementation

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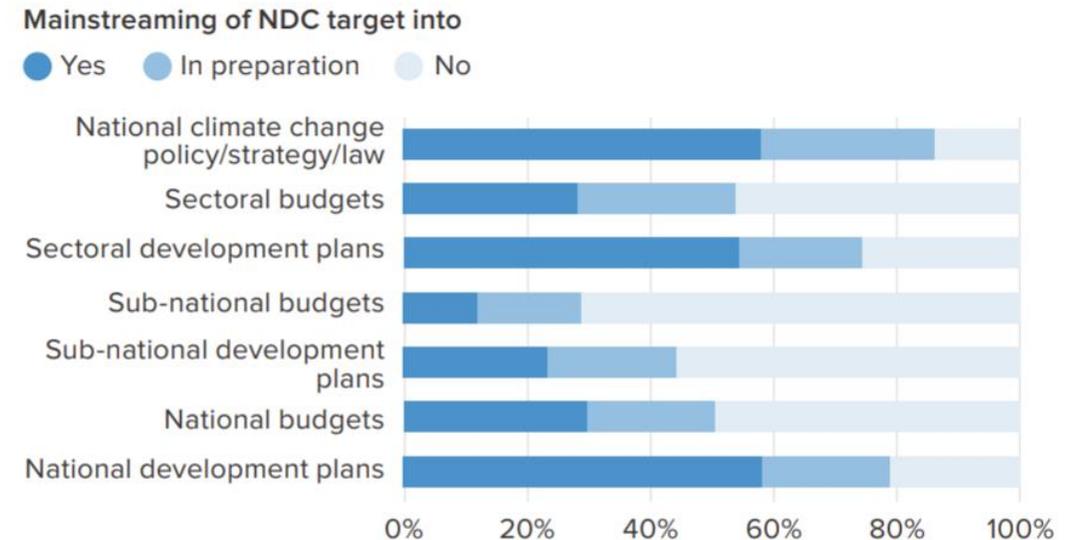
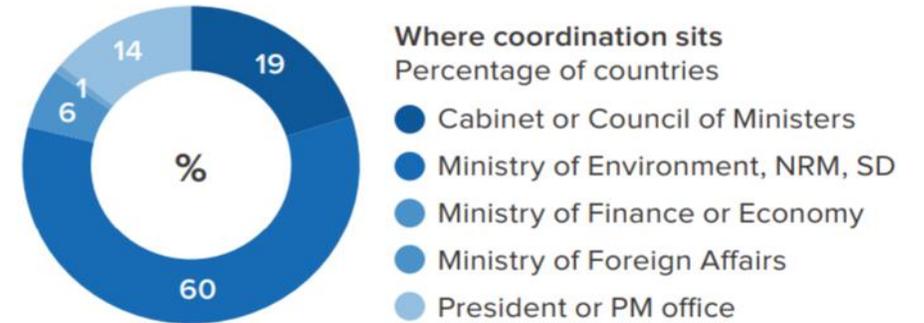
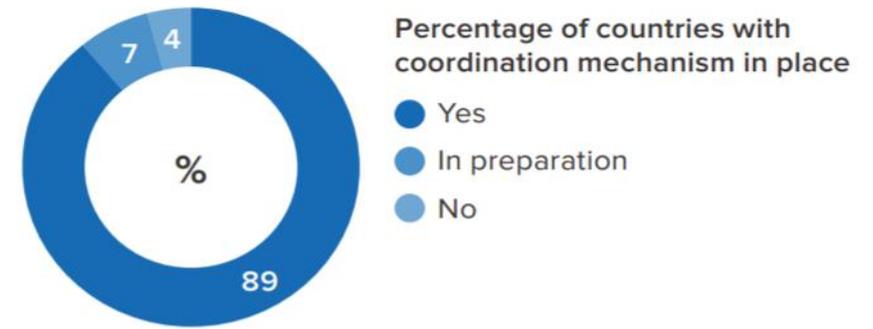
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- taking a leading role in the formulation and update of NDCs or supporting government entities responsible for NDCs;
- working with other ministries and financial institutions to ensure that policies are coordinated, coherent and aligned with the achievement of the NDCs;
- providing technical input relevant to NDC formulation, such as macroeconomic forecasting, least-cost pathways for emissions reduction, and costing guidelines for specific measures;
- supporting the integration of NDC requirements into climate-informed appraisal and analysis of policies and programs sponsored by other ministries; and
- coordinating technical assistance and financing provided by international institutions for NDC preparation and the integration of NDCs in government's policies, programs and procedures.



# Key Challenges for NDC Planning and Implementation

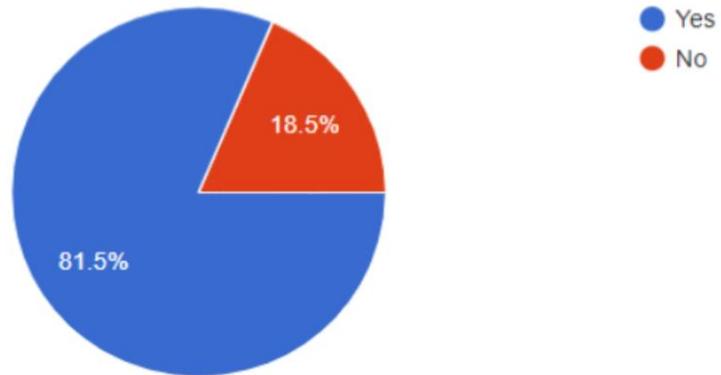
- National Ownership:** Climate policies, including the Nationally Determined Contribution (NDC), traditionally overseen by environment ministries often have limited power and are now getting higher priority. Ministry of Finance can drive a whole of government approach towards low-carbon and climate-resilient development.
- Inter-Ministerial Coordination:** To ensure successful implementation of the NDCs, coordinated efforts are needed to ensure that those commitments are properly mainstreamed into national development plans as well as sectoral plans, and that they are fully costed and captured in the national budgetary processes.
- Access to Climate Finance:** Mobilizing climate finance (e.g. domestic budget, private sector, and international public finance) for NDC implementation will require significant policy and regulatory reforms which involve various national stakeholders, including ministries in charge of finance and budget, development planning.



# Country Survey Results: Overview

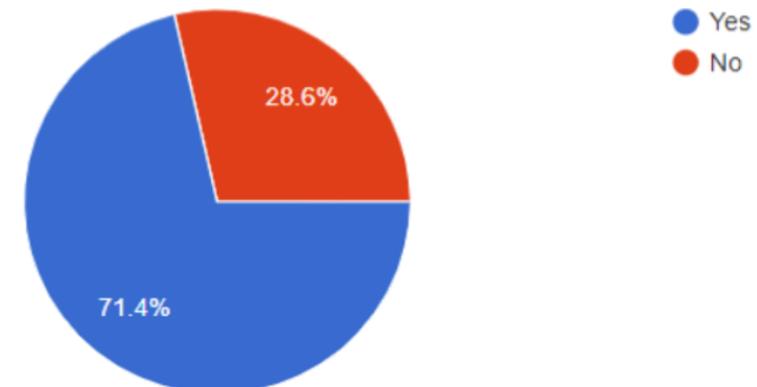
Does the MoF work with other ministries and financial institutions to ensure that policies are coordinated, coherent and aligned with the achievement of the NDC?

27 responses



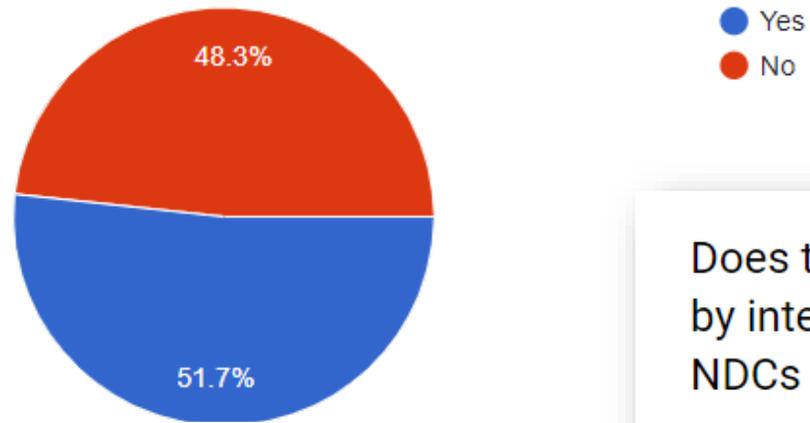
Does the MoF support the integration of NDC requirements into climate-informed appraisal and analysis of policies and programs sponsored by other ministries?

28 responses



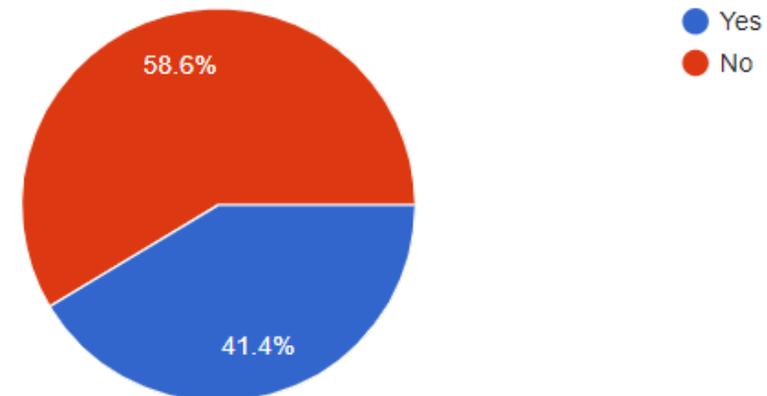
Does the MoF provide technical input relevant to NDC formulation, such as macroeconomic forecasting, least-cost pathways for emissions reduction, and costing guidelines for specific measures?

29 responses



Does the MoF coordinate technical assistance and financing provided by international institutions for NDC preparation and the integration of NDCs in government's policies, programs and procedures?

29 responses



# Country Survey Results: Details

No.	Country	Take a leading role in the formulation and update of NDC	Work with line ministries and financial institutions to ensure that climate policies are coordinated and coherent	Provide technical inputs relevant to NDC formulation (e.g. macroeconomic forecasting, least-cost pathways for emissions reduction, and costing guidelines)	Support the integration of NDC requirements into climate-informed appraisal and analysis of policies and programs	Coordinate technical assistance and financing provided by international institutions for NDC preparation and the integration of NDCs in policies, programs and procedures
1	Austria	No	N/A	N/A	N/A	Yes
2	Canada	No	No	No	Yes	No
3	Colombia	No	Yes	Yes	No	Yes
4	Cote d'Ivoire	No	No	No	Yes	Yes
5	Cyprus	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
6	Denmark	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
7	Dominican Republic	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
8	Equatorial Guinea	Yes	Yes	No	No	No
9	Fiji	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
10	Finland	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
11	France	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
12	Germany	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
13	Guatemala	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
14	Iceland	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
15	Indonesia	No	No	No	No	No
16	Ireland	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
17	Kenya	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
18	Latvia	No	N/A	No	No	No
19	Luxembourg	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
20	Mexico	Yes	Yes	No	No	Yes
21	Netherlands	No	Yes	No	N/A	N/A
22	Norway	Yes	N/A	Yes	Yes	No
23	Paraguay	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
24	Philippines	No	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
25	Poland	No	No	No	No	No
26	Portugal	No	Yes	No	Yes	No
27	Spain	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
28	Switzerland	No	No	No	No	No
29	Uganda	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
30	UK	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	No

# Work Program (2019-2020)

Focus Area	Targets	Inputs	Institutions	Timeline
Stock Taking and Baseline Establishment	Identify roles, responsibilities, and additional capacities of FMs in the NDC development process.	<b>Event:</b> The 17th African Ministerial Conference on the Environment (Durban, Nov 11-15, 2019)	WB, NDCP, UNEP	2019
		<b>Event:</b> The 3rd Sherpas Meeting (London, Nov 18-19, 2019)	All	2019
		<b>Event:</b> Action Plan Launch at COP25 (Madrid, Dec 9, 2019)	All	2019
Institutional frameworks and coordination mechanisms	Enable the integration of NDCs into economic policies, strategies, and action plans.	<b>Stock Taking Report:</b> <b>Event:</b>	NDCP, WBG, IADB	2020
Coordination	Facilitate the communication of NDC support requests from FMs (demands) to the institutional partners of the Coalition (supplies) on all Principles.	<b>Report:</b>	NDCP, WBG	2020
Knowledge Sharing and Peer Exchange	Establish a working group of FM technical staffs to exchange knowledge and experiences.	<b>Event:</b>	All	2020
	Share tools, resources, good practices, and expertise with a view toward trial implementation and adoption.	<b>Event:</b>	All	2020

## Discussion

- What do you think are the most impactful entry points for Finance Ministries to be involved throughout the NDC process?
- What are the lessons learnt from your country to mainstream climate change into national development planning?
- Are you willing to participate in the discussion and activities of working group for Principle 6?
- What are your preferred means for the working group to convene peer exchange (e.g. technical workshop, webinar, in-depth country survey)?