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## **Targeted Topics Forum Objectives**

- a) To develop strategies for achieving high-level political support**
- b) To gain practical knowledge on how to mainstream climate change adaptation into sectoral planning**
- c) To identify roles that different actors (sector representatives, national climate change focal points, finance/planning representatives, and bilateral donors) can play and how they can coordinate their actions to support these processes**





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***Coordinating Climate-Resilient  
Development***

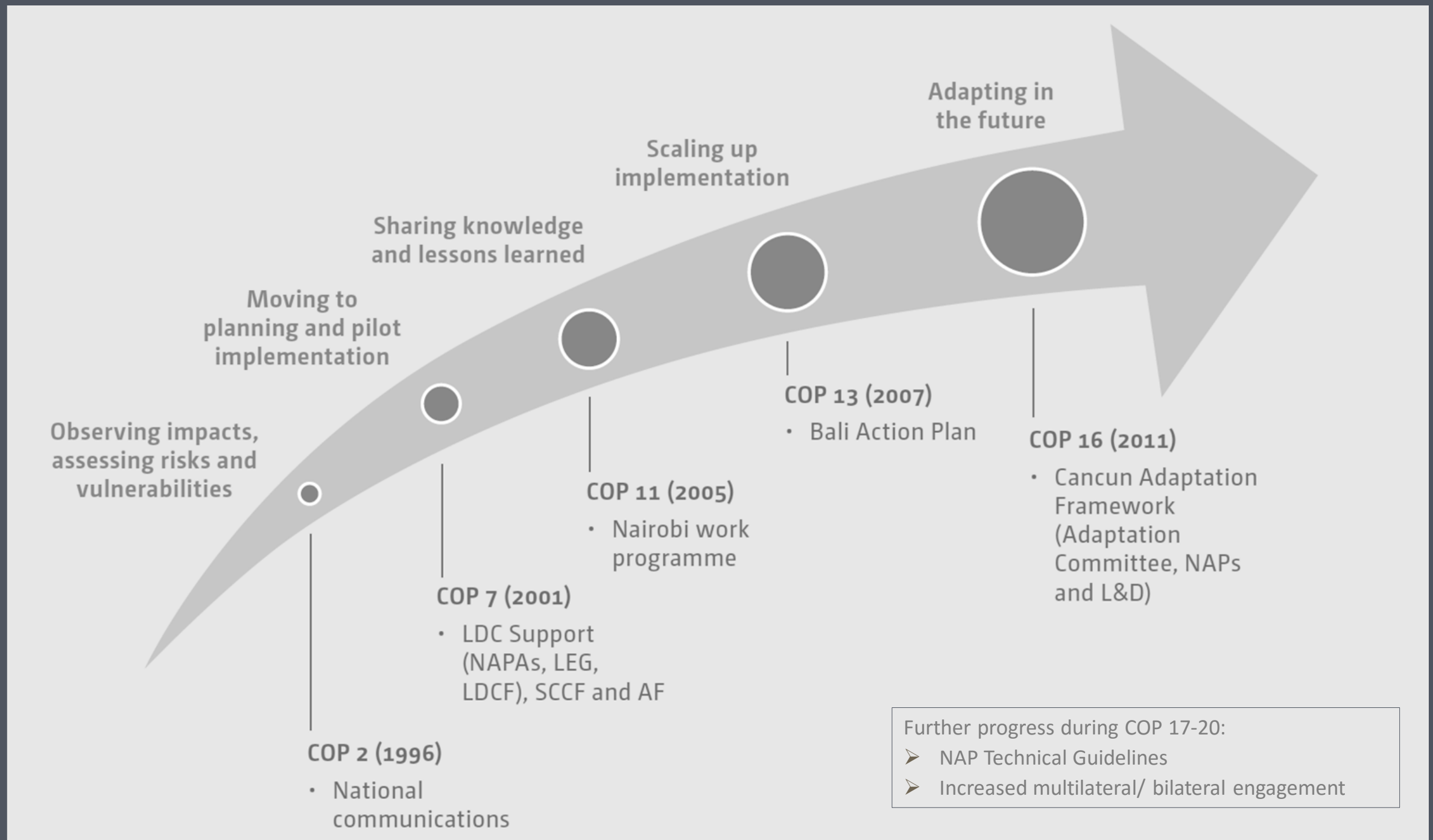
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# Focus on adaptation at UNFCCC over time



# Objectives of the NAP process

- Reduce vulnerability
- Integrate (=mainstream) climate change adaptation into new and existing development planning processes, within all relevant sectors and levels

*UNFCCC, 5/CP.17*

# Characteristics of the NAP process

## **Flexible**

- Non-prescriptive
- Countries select steps and approaches

## **Country-owned, country-driven**

- Driven by national needs and priorities
- National coordinating mechanism and mandate

## **Integrated**

- Mainstream adaptation into development planning and budgets
- Iterative, building on existing efforts, improving coordination
- Transparent, participatory, gender-sensitive

# Network Context & Niche

- National adaptation plan (NAP) process growing in importance

## Adaptation Committee Recommendations:

- Generate interest in, demand for and leadership of the NAP process at the national level
- Make available support for the NAP process better known
- Improve coordination, collaboration and coherence among bilateral and multilateral agencies and institutions





# Goals & Objectives

To enhance bilateral support for the NAP process in developing countries by:

- **Improving coordination and collaboration** among bilateral development partners
- **Supporting enhanced leadership** on adaptation at the national level in developing countries
- **Facilitating learning and exchange** on the NAP process



# 3 Components

## Targeted Topics Forum

- Donors, national policy makers and practitioners discuss challenges and best practices related to the NAP process

## Global donor coordination

- Bilateral donors promote/learn about NAP processes, share experiences, and coordinate with each other

## In-country coordination

- Technical support to strengthen host country leadership and in-country donor coordination for the NAP process





# Structure & Support

- **Steering Committee**  
Brazil, Germany, Jamaica, Japan, Malawi, Peru, Philippines, South Africa, Togo, UK, US
- **Secretariat:** IISD (Switzerland, Canada)
- **Participation:** Global
- **Donors:** Initial support from Germany and US





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