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# NATIONAL ADAPTATION PLAN (NAP) APPROACH:

A participatory, iterative, and sectoral approach aiming at reaching effective gender-responsive management of climate adaptation

Ecuador's NAP process was a collaborative effort led by the Ministry of Environment, Water, and Ecological Transition. Over the course of 4 years, more than 2,000 stakeholders from various sectors engaged in the process with the goal of developing a comprehensive strategy that integrates adaptation into territorial planning and development at both national and local levels. Developed with support from the United Nations Development Program and the Green Climate Fund, the resulting NAP document covers the 2023–2027 period with a clear vision of achieving climate justice and protecting ecosystems and livelihoods.

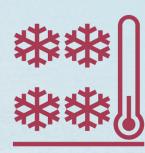
## **Key Climate Change Impacts**



Sea level rise



**Droughts** 



More frequent frosts



**Vector-borne** diseases



Increased temperatures



Rainfall variation

### **Priority Sectors for Adaptation**



Water heritage



**Productive and** strategic sectors



Human settlements



Food sovereignty, agriculture, livestock, and fisheries



Health



Natural heritage

### **NAP Process Milestones**

2019

2021

2023

kickoff

NAP process Creation of the Submission of the Launch of the Interinstitutional Committee on

**Climate Change** 

first Nationally **Determined** Contributions

digital platform on adaptation to climate change

Ecuador's **National Climate Finance** into effect

**Ecuador's System** of Climate Risk and **Projections Information,** Strategy came Climate Change Adaptation **Measures and Vulnerability** Indicators went online

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The NAP Global Network supports developing countries in advancing their NAP processes to help accelerate climate change adaptation efforts around the world. This poster is part of a series highlighting lessons emerging about the NAP process.







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