



Adaptation in the 2015 Agreement

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- *Raising profile on adaptation*
- *Parity between mitigation and adaptation*
- *Adaptation needs to be addressed with the same urgency as mitigation*



Global Goal / longterm vision

Qualitative Goal:

convergence around the ideas of :

.....to reduce vulnerability, increase resilience and adaptive capacity, to enable climate resilient sustainable development

Quantitative Goal:

**determined by mitigation ambition, adaptation needs and costs;
Assessment of adequacy of support**



Commitments

- **All Parties need to undertake adaptation action!**
- **Flexibility on what countries do**
 - national adaptation planning process
 - Cooperation (info sharing, strengthening institutions)
 - Communication tools (new vehicle vs existing vehicle)
 - how often to communicate
- **Support**



Institutional Arrangements

Build on and strengthen existing institutions!

- **How to anchor them?**
 - List all relevant institutions
 - General reference
- **Are new arrangements needed?**
 - Registry to "house" adaptation communications
 - knowledge platforms
 - High level session on adaptation versus Global Stocktake
- **Comprehensive review of all adaptation relevant institutions in 2017?**



"Loss and damage"

associated with the impacts of climate change

"Recognition and Permanence"

- **Preamble, agreement, decision?**
- **Separate from adaptation?**
- **New International Mechanism versus Warsaw International Mechanism for Loss and Damage**

**Thank you very much for
your attention!**

