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Transparency training: building capacities of non-Party stakeholders in preparation for the ETF

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Tell us about you!

- Which region do you come from?
- Which group do you identify with?

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Introduction to transparency and accountability

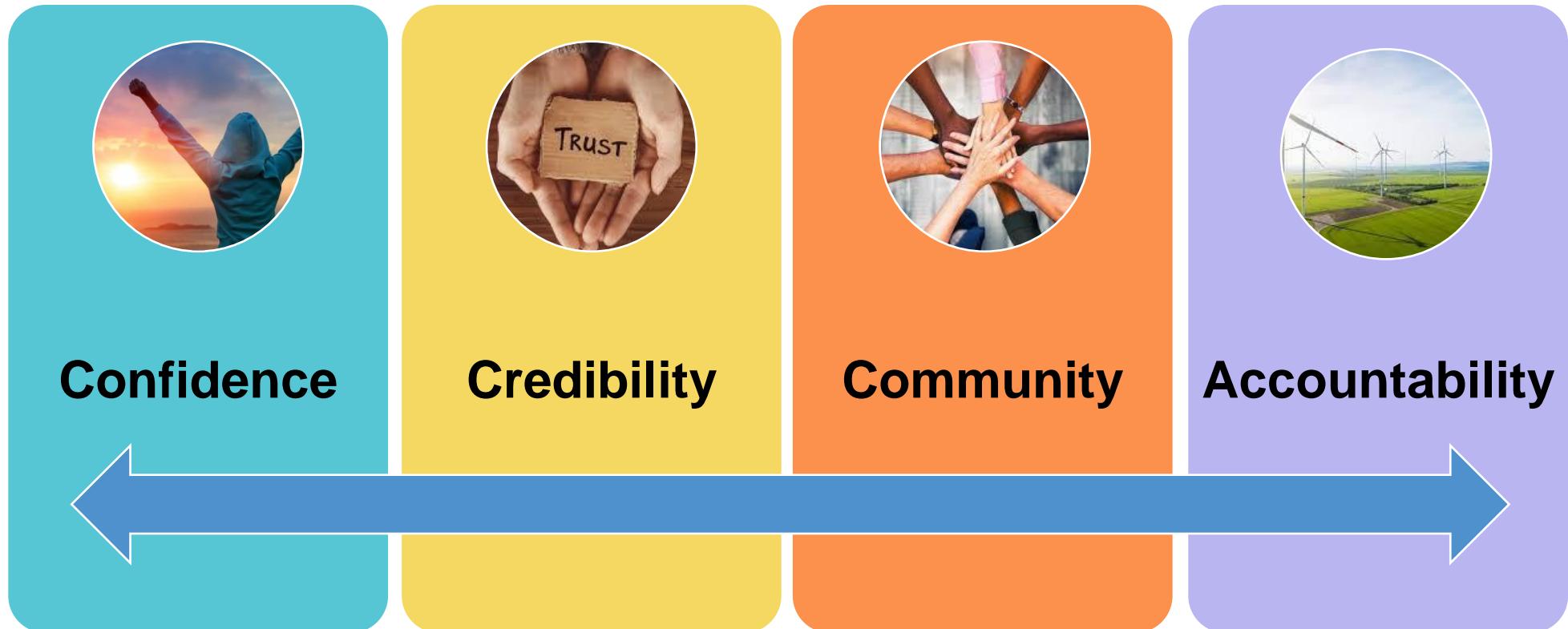
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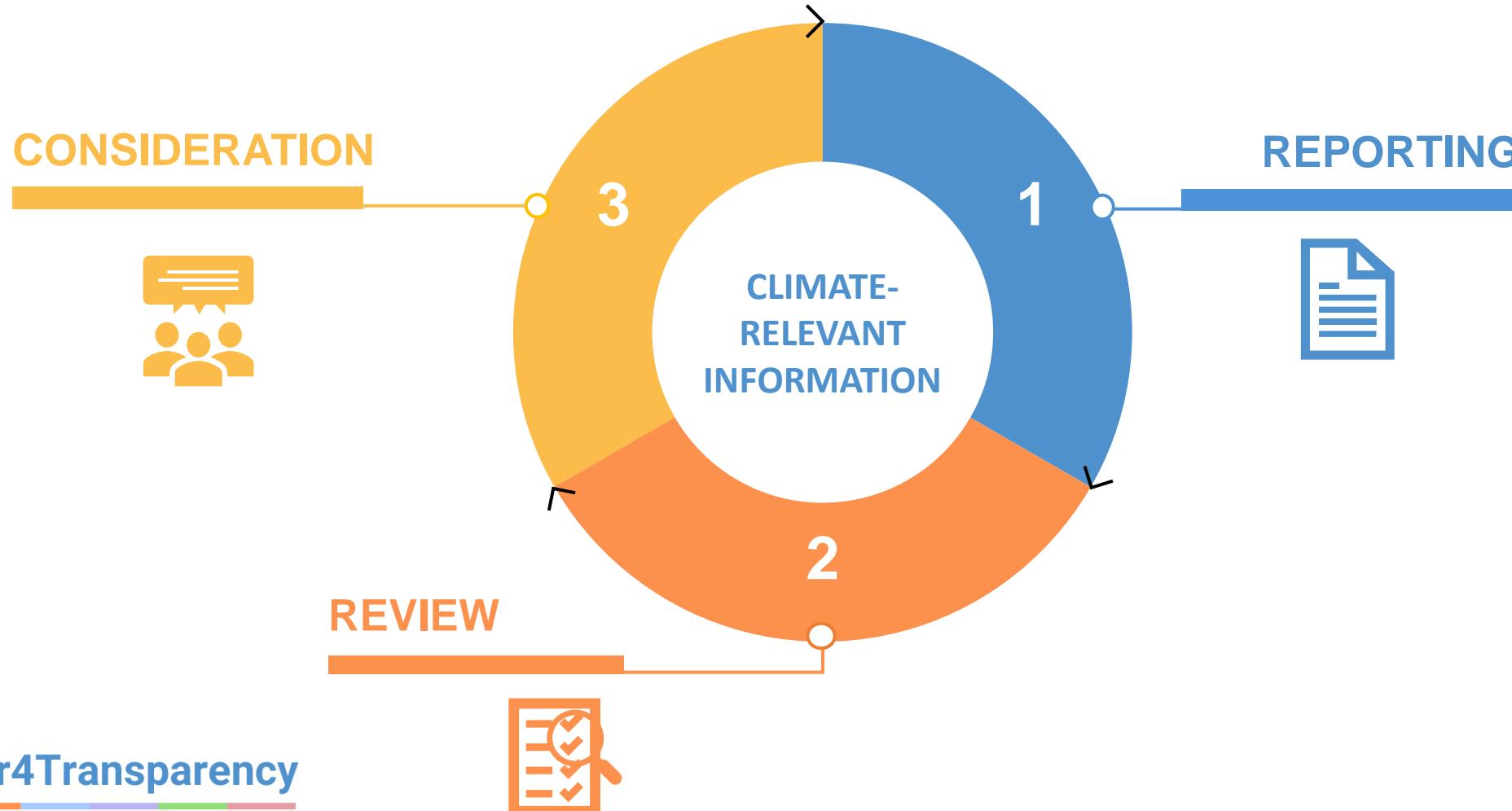


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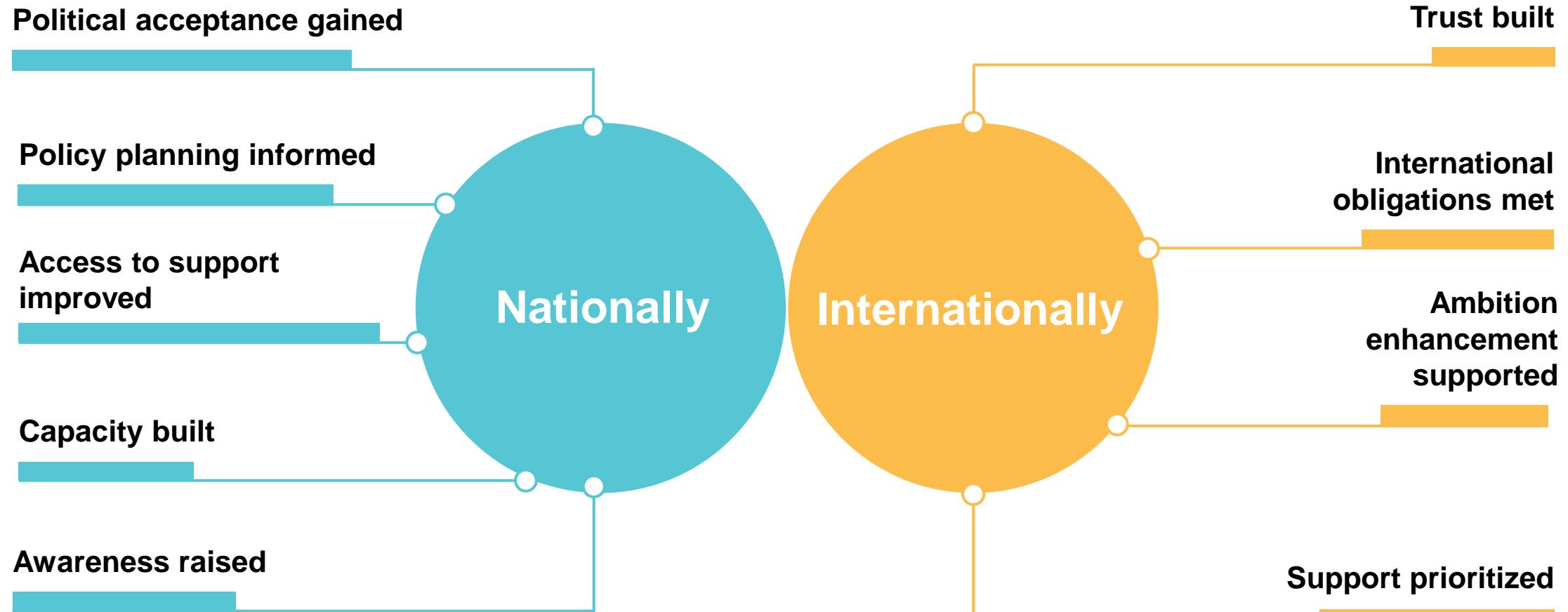
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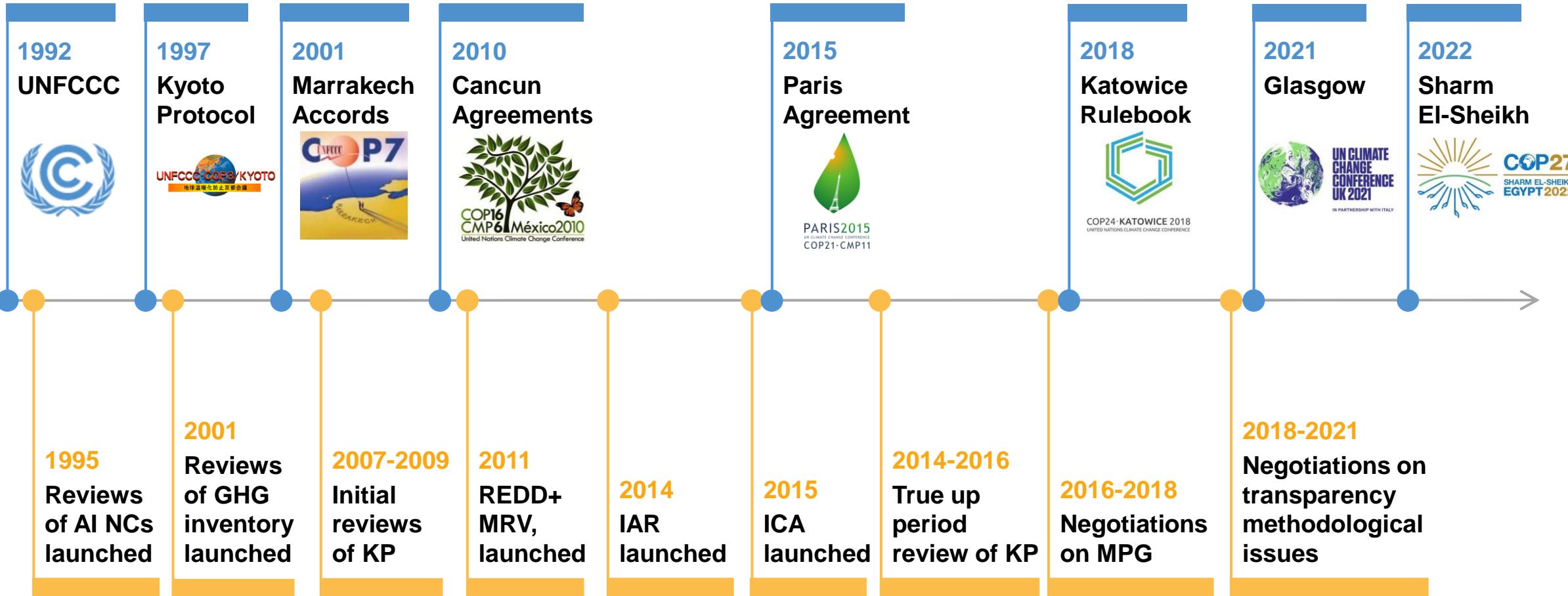
Transparency in Practice



Benefits of Transparency



Building Transparency: Key Milestones



Key achievements



Share your views!

- **What does climate transparency mean to you? (in one word)**
- **In your country/area of work, what are the top co-benefits climate transparency can bring?**
- **What are the two top challenges for implementing strong climate transparency in your country/area of work?**

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The Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF)

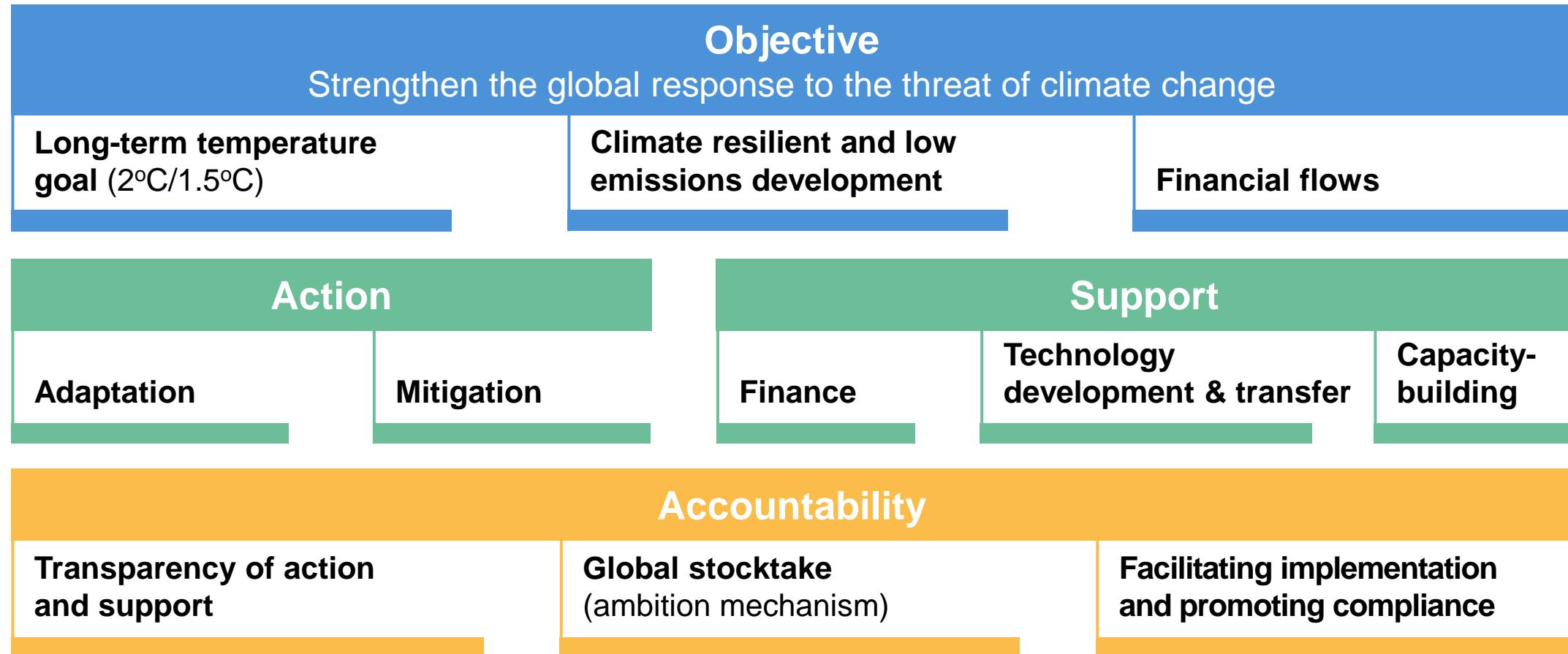
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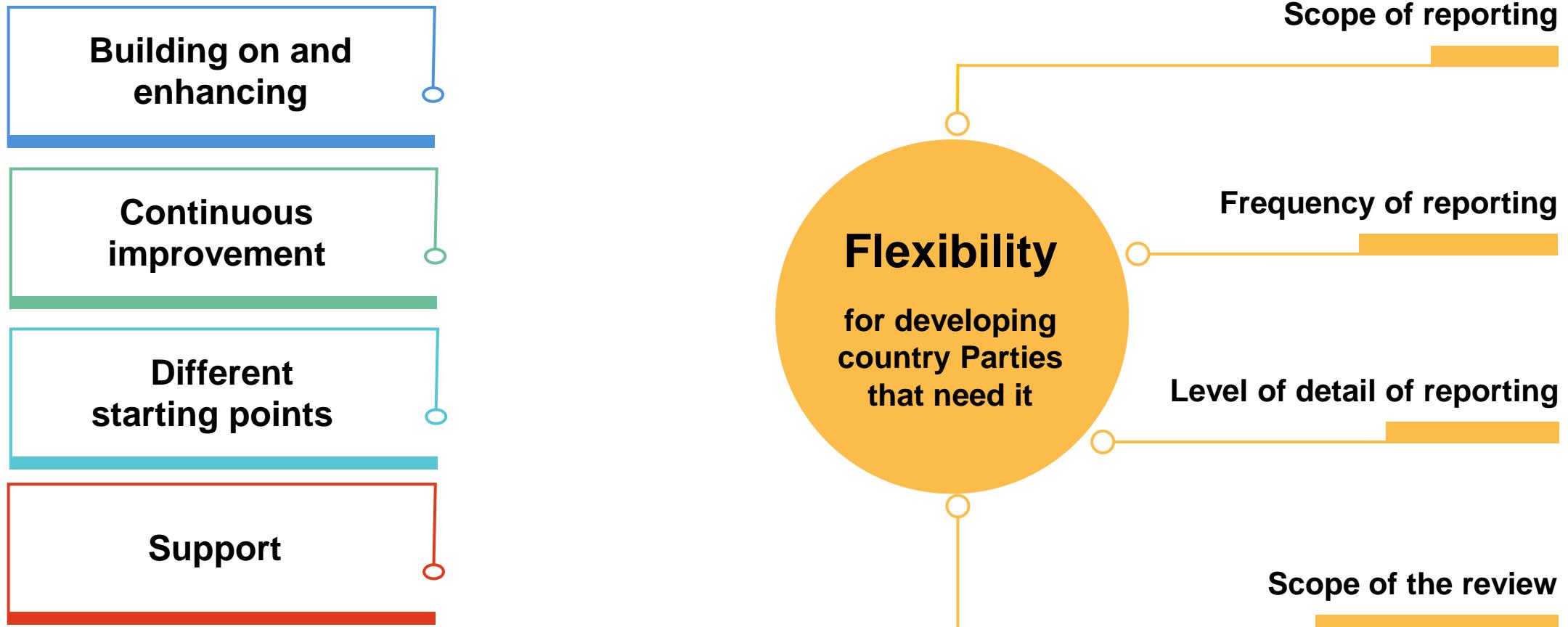


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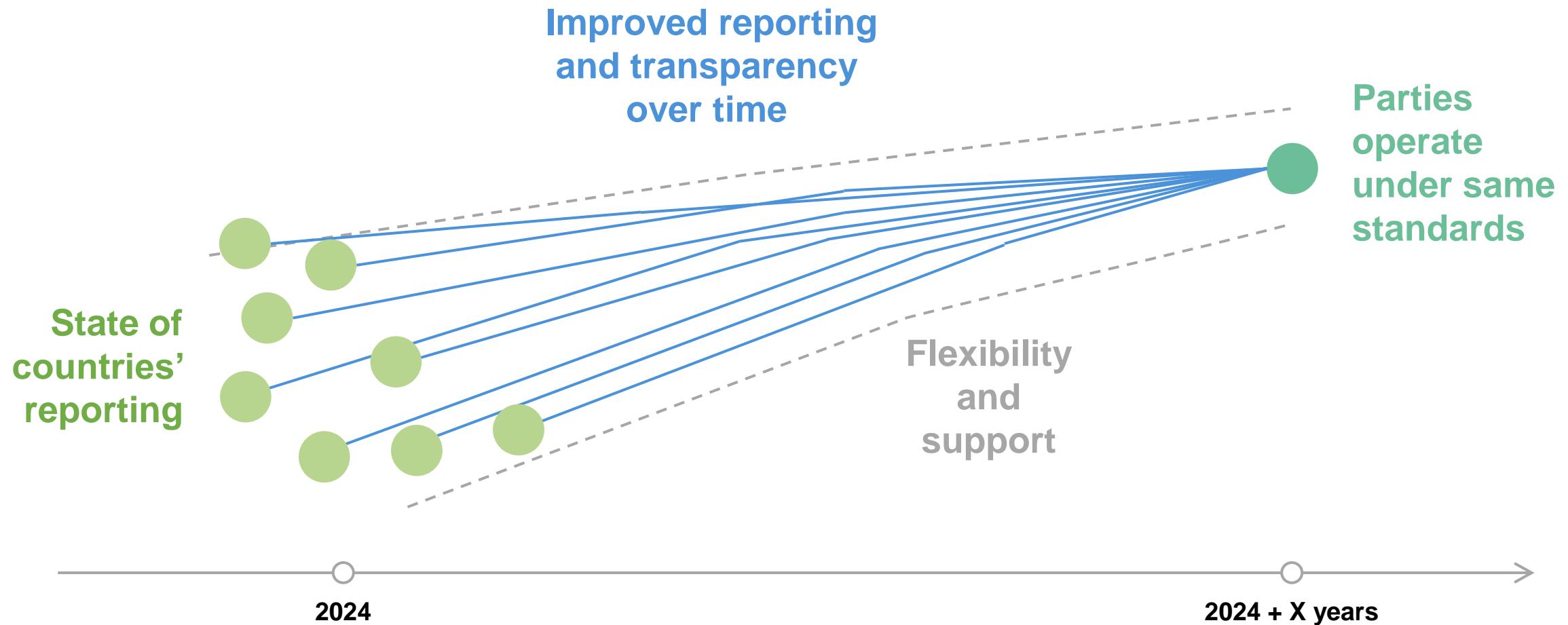
Transparency in the Paris Agreement



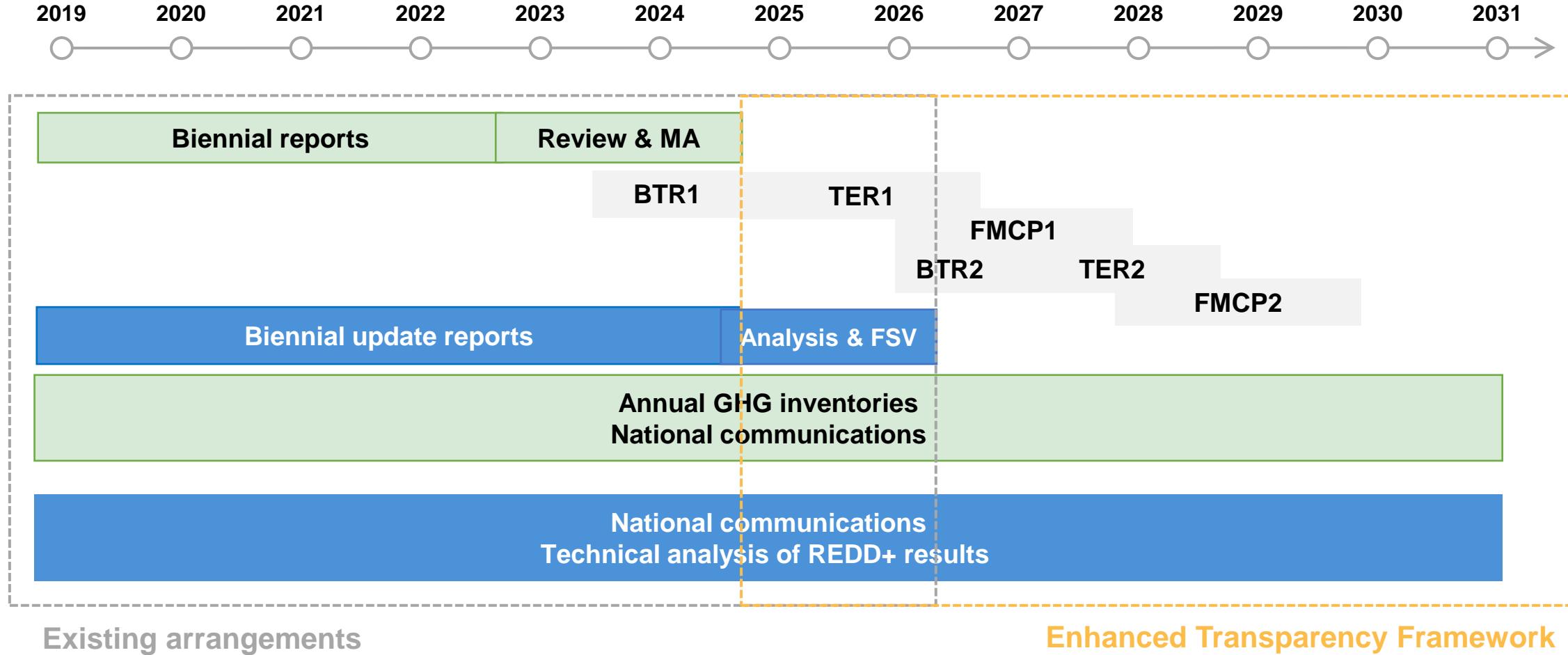
Guiding principles of the ETF



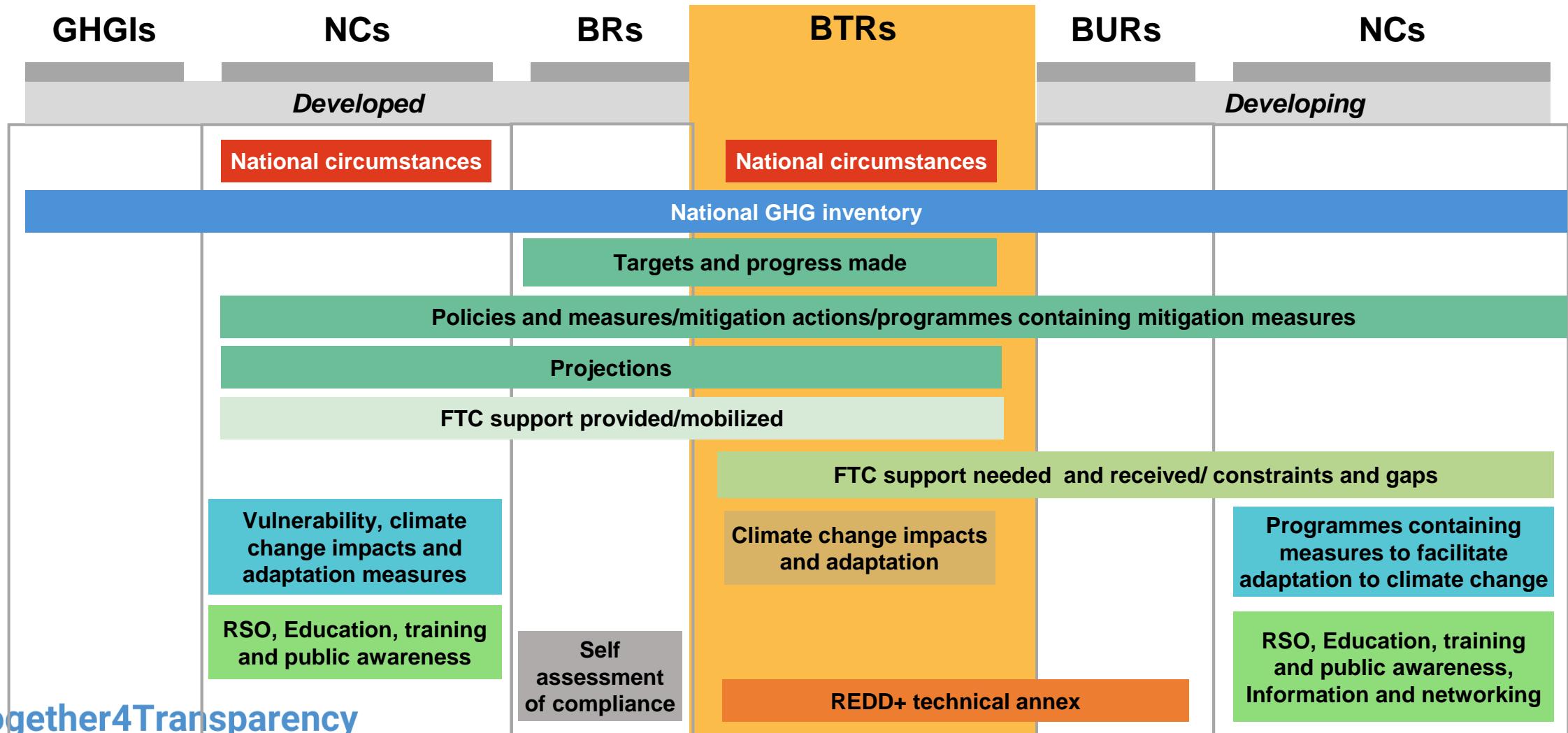
Flexibility and continuous improvement over time



Timeline: 2024 is not so far away



Reporting enhancements under the ETF



Information to be reviewed

GHG inventory

Information to track progress made in implementing/achieving the NDC

Climate change impacts and adaptation

Support provided to developing countries

Adequacy of NDC and indicators chosen

Adequacy of domestic actions

Adequacy of support provided

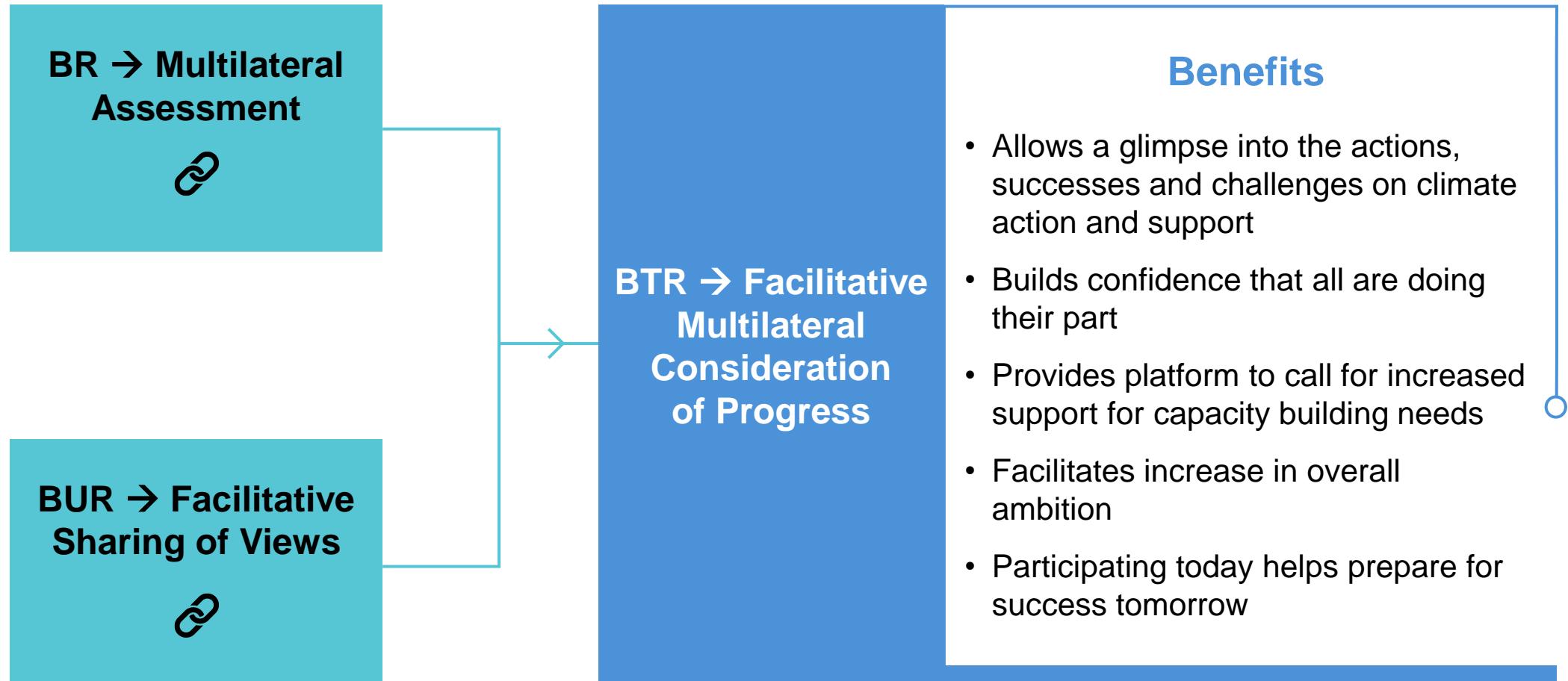
Developing country's choice to invoke the specific flexibility provision in the MPGs

What is reviewed?



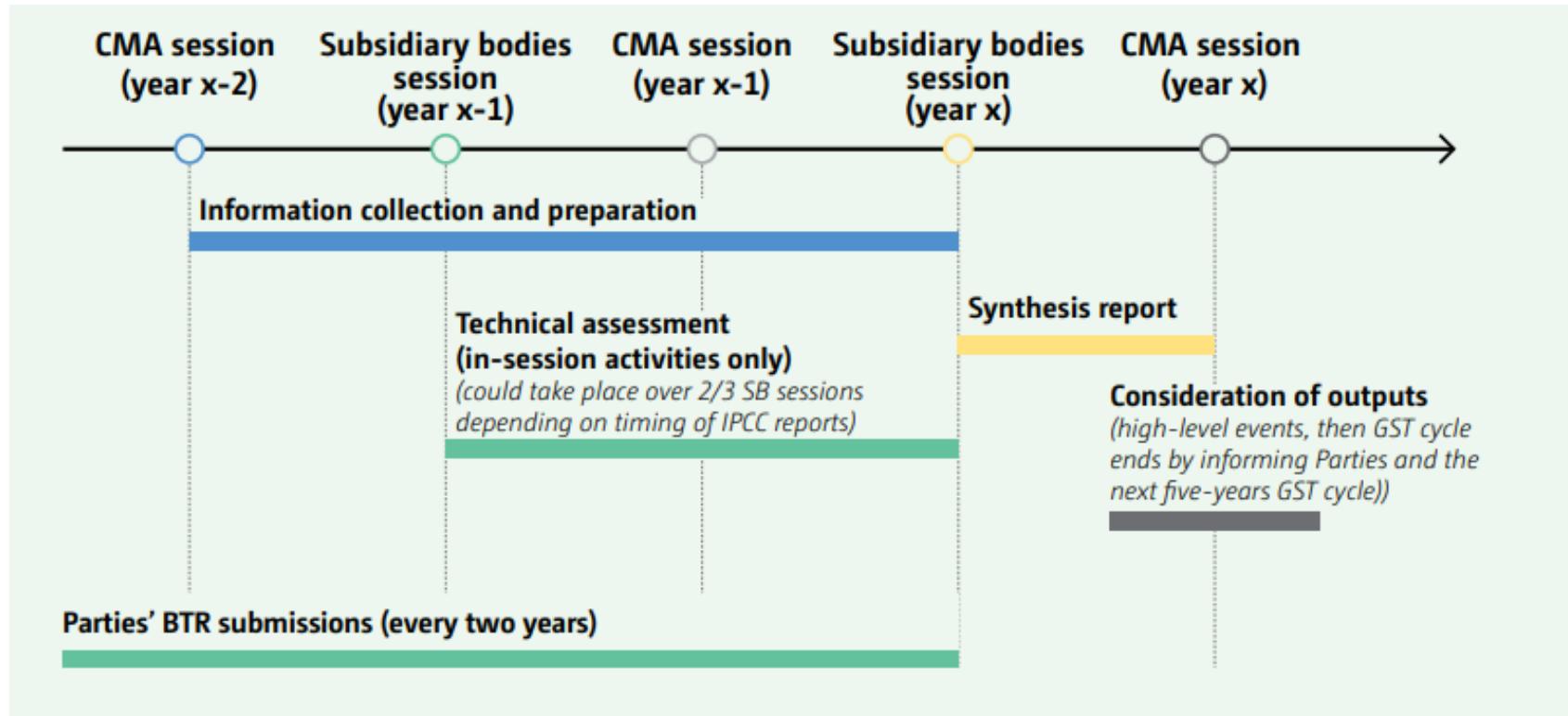
What is not reviewed?

Facilitative Multilateral Consideration of Progress



Linkages – Global Stocktake (GST)

Relationship between BTRs submitted under the ETF and the GST cycle:



- Taken together, the ETF is designed to provide clarity on the steps each Party is taking to respond to climate change, both on climate action and support.
- The inputs and outputs of the ETF (including Party communications and reports from the technical expert review teams and the FMCP) are important inputs to the GST and its synthesis reports.

Year marked as "X" corresponds to 2023 and every five years thereafter.

Linking the ETF, NDCs and GST

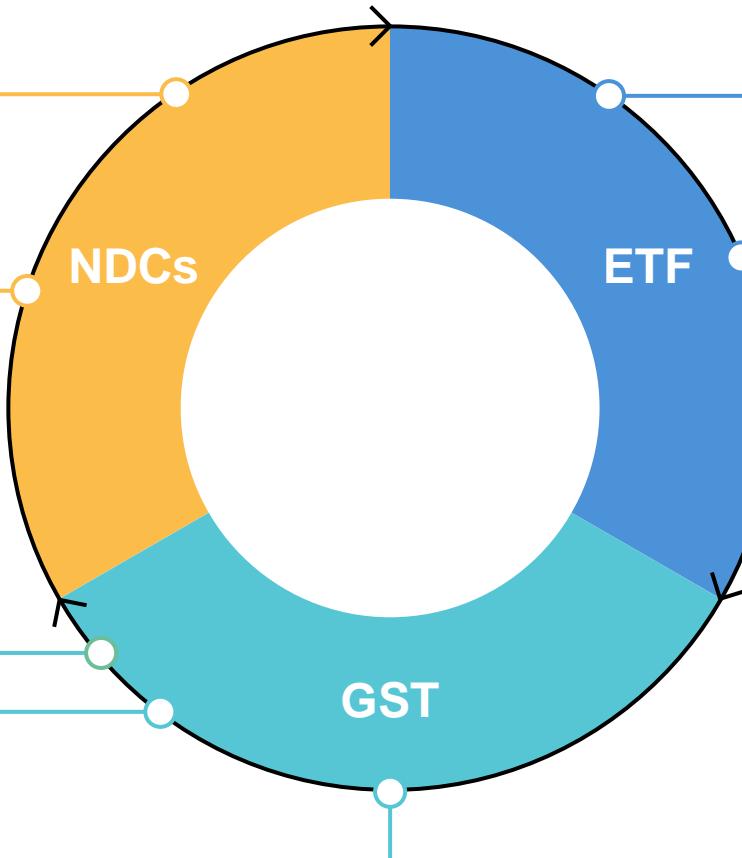
Implementation

Preparation
and communication

Consideration of outputs

Technical assessment

Information collection

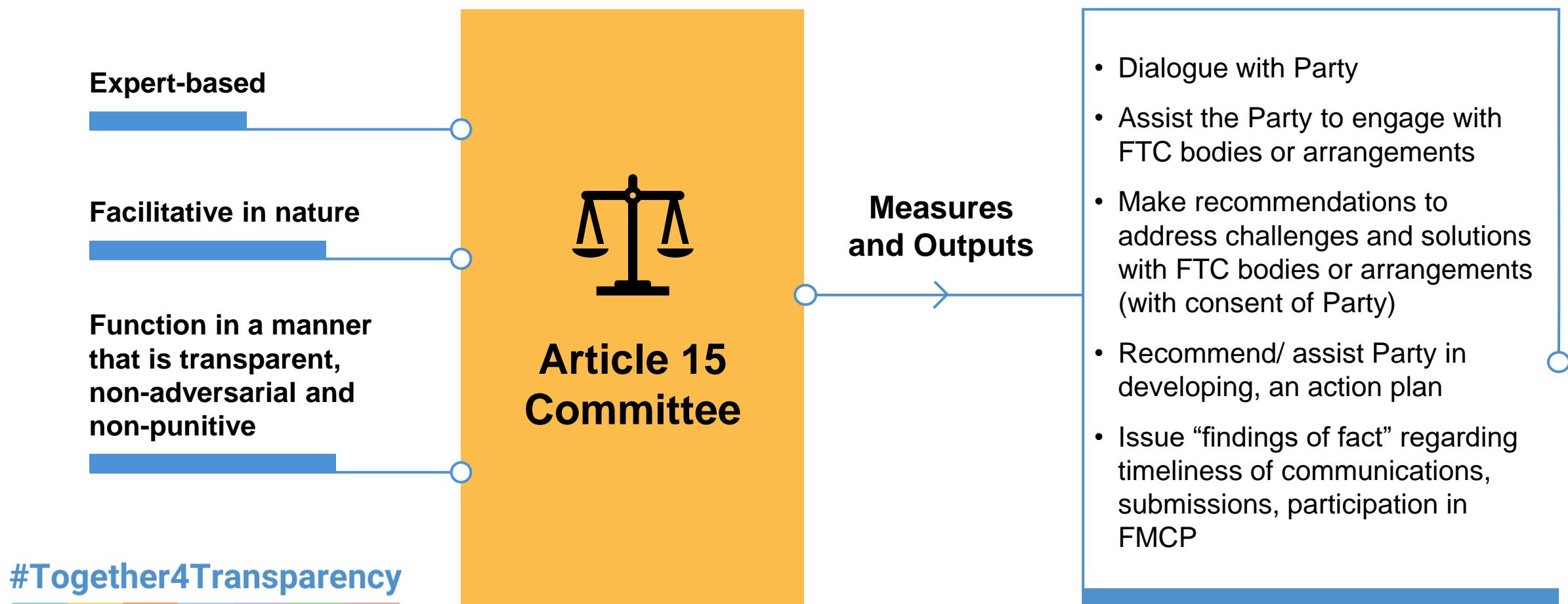


Accounting and tracking
progress of NDCs

Reporting (BTRs)

Review and FMCP

Linkages – Mechanism to facilitate implementation and promote compliance



2023-2024 Outlook: Key deliverables

Preparing for the ETF

ETF training programme

Self-paced, public – Essential to ensure monitoring of progress

General ETF course available since March, others due by September. Key to ensuring the correct monitoring of Parties' GHG emissions, NDCs, adaptation, and FTC support.

Pool of expert reviewers

Critical to the success of the BTR reviews

~100% increase in available experts will be needed for the review of the first BTRs. Parties to be encouraged fostering support to their experts and nominating new ones to the Roster.

ETF reporting tools

Key for BTR submissions

Due by mid-2024, test versions for Parties testing by mid-2023. Engaging and training Parties in the testing phase will ensure that the reporting tools are fit for purpose and that Parties are ready to use them.

Question & Answer

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#Together4Transparency: engaging non-Party stakeholders

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#Together4Transparency unites several groups of stakeholders committed to joining forces in preparation for the Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF), recognizing that all actors can play a role in ensuring the success of the Paris Agreement. This platform serves for multiple purposes:

Showcasing success stories, sharing experiences and lessons learned

Engaging national and international leaders, and senior policy makers on transparency to enhance political buy-in

Sustaining momentum for ETF implementation and bringing support opportunities closer to the ground

Testing the reporting tools and offering in-person training opportunities

#Together4Transparency at COP27

2-week series of climate transparency events

12 partner events, 7 side events and 3 mandated events

184 speakers from Parties, intergovernmental organizations, NGO constituencies, expert reviewers, media and special guests.

Three events with high-level attendance

Track 1
An evolving transparency landscape

Sharing experiences and lessons learned for transitioning to the ETF

Track 2
Transparency perspectives

Engagement of key stakeholders

Track 3
Bringing support to the ground

Bringing support opportunities closer to the ground

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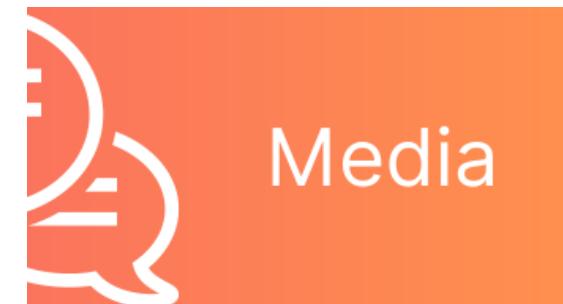
The Paris Agreement can only be effectively implemented if climate action is based on reliable and credible data and information. At the UN Climate Change Conference **#COP27** in Sharm el-Sheikh, key government and non-Party stakeholders are working **#Together4Transparency** to ensure countries and all key stakeholders are held accountable. Read more: <http://bit.ly/3GieR4C>



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Engaging Parties and non-Party stakeholders

#Together4Transparency rallies various actors under a single cohesive approach. The initiative unites several groups of stakeholders in preparation for the Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF).



Additional resources

How does transparency link to ACE principles?

TRAINING

- ✓ Training experts through self-paced courses which aim to strengthen institutional arrangements in developing countries, improve data quality, and increase the transparency of information reported.

PUBLIC AWARENESS

- ✓ Raising awareness of the benefits of transparency in tracking emissions and impacts, identifying needs and priorities, and tracking progress towards implementation and goals.

INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION

- ✓ Promoting multi-level cooperation between governments, implementing agencies, research and academic institutions, private sector and support providers for on the ground implementation.

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PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

- ✓ Enabling effective participation of all relevant stakeholders by inviting them to share perspectives and concrete inputs, including by taking part in the domestic development and review of transparency reports. Encouraging non-Party stakeholders to scale up their own transparency and accountability efforts.

EDUCATION

- ✓ Promoting the key role of climate change education and of reporting on such activities within countries' efforts on Article 12 of the Paris Agreement, as well as in National Communications.

PUBLIC ACCESS TO INFORMATION

- ✓ Showcasing information and data reported by countries and reviewed by experts on their GHG emissions, progress towards targets, mitigation actions, climate change impacts and adaptation, and support.

#Together4Transparency unites all stakeholders involved in preparing for and implementing the Enhanced Transparency Framework (ETF), raising awareness of the role of data, information and collaboration for the success of the Paris Agreement.

Parties	NGOs	Media	Experts	Youth	IGOs	Business
What? Transparency helps countries understand the potential for enhanced transparency and adaptation action while also responding to their needs.	What? Transparency offers new opportunities for cooperation and trust around the process.	What? Transparency raises public awareness, helps express the climate change impacts and sheds light on climate action.	What? Transparency requires qualified experts to review and verify information and information on GHG emissions, progress towards targets and levels of support.	What? Transparency offers young people the tools to have a say in their future and the future of the planet.	What? Transparency offers young people the tools to have a say in their future and the future of the planet.	What? Transparency helps businesses track progress towards their own net zero pledges and climate targets.
How? By establishing necessary institutional arrangements, national data is available, transparent and accurate, and transparent sustainable development is directed and delivered.	How? By providing access to better and more transparent data, inform conversations on progress and adaptation, and increase accountability of implementation and measures of implementation.	How? By generating, sharing and using transparent data to inform conversations on progress and adaptation, and increase accountability of implementation and measures of implementation.	How? By generating, sharing and using transparent data to inform conversations on progress and adaptation, and increase accountability of implementation and measures of implementation.	How? By offering the opportunity to global climate governance, and for climate action to be more accountable, transparent and accountable.	How? By working in collaboration with other international organizations to enhance domestic institutional arrangements and capacities to generate and analyse robust climate data.	How? By helping them to make informed decisions, improve efficiency, reduce costs, increase transparency and address risks, and align financial flows.

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Reference Manual for the Enhanced Transparency Framework under the Paris Agreement

Understanding the enhanced transparency framework and its linkages



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